

*A Word from Tony Anderson, Seminarian*



Reverend Reinersman, Rev. Owusu and St. Joseph Parishioners,

I would like to thank yinz for making me feel welcome here this summer. It has been a very educational and uplifting experience for me.

I was more accustomed to missionary priests and didn't fully understand all the labors the diocesan priests perform. Fr. Gerry allowed me to attend sick calls and had the opportunity to assist at Cold Spring Care bringing Jesus and His Word to those who are unable to attend mass. Besides the privilege of attending Mass every day, I attended Catholic service meetings and other functions to get a firsthand account for what goes on behind the scenes that keeps a parish a vibrant faith filled community.

The most uplifting experience for me was to see how you, the parishioners, help and give your time and talents to the church. That's not the case in some places. I was able to help the STP group at different times and assisted the Bereavement Committee after funerals. Most Thursdays I worked at the Parish Kitchen and have empathy for the people they serve. I can relate to them because at a point in my life I was in a similar situation. A plate of food and 5 minutes of your time

goes a long way with someone who is down on their luck.

A joyous event at the church was finally seeing the elevator come to fruition! I was banking on it being completed on the Assumption.

I will be returning to the seminary with good memories and a better understanding of the life God has called me to. Be assured I will keep you in my prayers and ask yinz to keep me in your prayers while I complete my studies.

In Christo Jesu Domino nostro,

Anthony Michael Sebastian Anderson

**Mass Schedule**

Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday: 6:30 a.m. & 8:30 a.m.  
 Wednesday: 6:30 a.m. only  
 Friday: 6:30 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.  
 Saturday: 8:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., & 7:00 p.m.  
 Holy Days: regular morning Mass time & 7:00 p.m.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation Times**

- Saturday: Before and after the 8:30 a.m. Mass  
3:00-4:00 p.m. (unless there is a wedding)
- Third Thursday of the month : 7:00-8:00 p.m.
- By Appointment with Fr. Reinersman or Fr. Samuel

**PASTORAL STAFF**

**Main Parish Office Number** 441-1604  
**Pastor:** Rev. Gerald L. Reinersman.....927-2275  
**Parochial Vicar:** Rev. Samuel Owusu.....927-2277  
**Deacons:** Mr. Timothy B. Schabell .....927-2279  
 Mr. Stephen Bennett.....859-380-9369  
**RCIA & Adult Faith Formation:** Vicki Klocke.....927-2291  
**Parish School Religion (PSR):** Steven Fischer .....927-2287  
**Pre-School Coordinator:** Lynn Donnermeyer .....635-7233  
**Business Manager:** Tim Dunn .....927-2273  
**Office Manager:** Carrie Hamberg, Barb Kling .....927-2271  
**Assistant Clerical:** Jean Suttmiller .....927-2272  
**School Principal:** Sue Greis.....927-2282  
**Assistant Principal:** Kim Huser.....927-2283  
**School Secretary:** Patty Wagner.....441-2025  
**Music Director:** Connie Ruprich .....927-2285  
**Sacristan:** Laura Levermann .....927-2014  
**Facilities Manager:** Jim Pelgen .....927-2290  
**Memorial Hall Manager:** Jim Sickmeier .....331-8750

**PARISH MINISTRIES**

**Bereavement:** Sylvia Uebel .....441-0320  
**Eucharistic Minister Coordinator:** Donna Pickett.....781-4134  
**Families For Life:** Debbie Rottman.....635-9618  
**Family Promise:** Helen Bailey.....781-4172  
**Lectors:** John McNabb.....442-0005  
**Prayer Network:** Mary Joan Steffen. ....635-9494  
**Servers:** Dave Wegert.....781-9412 or dwegert@stjoeparish.net  
**Ushers:** Dave Thiem.....513-673-1979 or drthiem@fuse.net  
**Welcoming Committee:** Joni Schabell .....441-7833  
 & Darlene Sandfoss - dsandfoss@hotmail.com.....781-1118  
**Opportunities For Life:**.....call 1-800-822-5824  
**Project Rachel:** .....392-1547  
**St. Vincent de Paul:** Terry Egan ..tme1075@twc.com..513-225-8733

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### READINGS FOR WEEK OF AUGUST 4, 2019

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21
<b>Monday</b>	<b>The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major</b> Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Mt 14:13-21
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord</b> Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint Cajetan, Priest</b> Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26a-29a, 34-35; Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23; Mt 15:21-28
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Memorial of Saint Dominic, Priest</b> Nm 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 16:13-23
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr</b> Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21; Mt 16:24-28
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Feast of Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr</b> 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9; Jn 12:24-26
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-48 or Lk 12:35-40

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Registered Families as of 7/29/2019	1892
Number of Envelopes Used	323
<b>Weekly Collection - July 28, 2019</b>	
Our Tithe to God	\$ 15,230.20
Loose	\$ 838.00
Online/ACH	\$ 1,885.00
Other (Holy Day, etc.)	\$ 10.00
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>\$ 17,963.20</b>
<i>Weekly Budget</i>	<i>\$ 23,250.00</i>
Budget Excess/(Shortfall)	(\$ 5,286.80)
Diocesan Collections	\$ 10.00
<b>G.R.O.W. Fund</b>	
Weekly Contribution	\$ 395.00



Please Welcome to the  
**St. Joseph Community our  
"NEWEST MEMBERS"**

William Joseph Wehmann  
*Son of William & Stephanie (Clark) Wehmann*



**Those Who Have Entered  
"NEW LIFE"**

Sarah Joyce Davis  
Rose Marie Beiting



**Saint Joseph Parish  
150th Anniversary  
Directory**

*Each Family photographed will receive a  
free 8x10 portrait and a copy of the Jubilee Directory*

**To schedule your photo session Online:**

go to [ucdir.com](http://ucdir.com); click gold "Photo Session" button on right side of screen; Church code is ky334; password is smile4  
*Please note the online system is not available on the weekends when we are doing sign ups in church*

**OR Call the parish office 441 1604 9am—12pm or 1pm—4pm**  
Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.

**OR after Mass on the weekends of August 10, 11  
and August 17, 18**

**Photo sessions in Kelley Hall on**  
August 12, 27 – 31\*      September 13 – 14

- **Only the August dates are live and able to be scheduled at this time.**

**Please note:** A staff member of Universal Church Directories will be sending reminder emails to those parishioners who gave us an email at sign up. If you did not have an email, they will be making reminder phone calls. These phone calls will come from a "419" area code.

Date	Lector	EMHC	Servers	Mass Intentions
<b>8/10/19 5:00 p.m.</b>	Mike Enzweiler	<b>Deacon:</b> Tim Schabell <b>EMHC Captain:</b> Pat Brossart <b>EMHC:</b> Steven Gooderson, Kathy Machenheimer, Robyn Schroeder, Larry Uebel, Sylvia Uebel, Nick Vennemann, Marsha Wermes	Aiden Combs Ava Combs Grace Schroeder Joey Schroeder	The People of St. Joseph Parish
<b>8/11/19 8:00 a.m.</b>	Tom Rawe	<b>Deacon:</b> Stephen Bennett <b>EMHC Captain:</b> Susie Kahmann <b>EMHC:</b> Ron Haigis, Carrie Hamberg, Sharon Holtz, Barb Kling, Larry Knarr, Annie Pelgen	Mitchell Enderle Kaitlyn Haigis Natalie Haigis	Mark Steffen
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	Dennis Klocke	<b>Deacon:</b> Stephen Bennett <b>EMHC Captain:</b> Barbara Teisl <b>EMHC:</b> Aly Bain, ClyDenna Hehman, Kathy Hildreth, Tina Koch, Andrew Noyes, Tony Reinert, Olivia Whisman	Abby Cook Jenna Planeaux Jillian Planeaux Isabella Ross	Eve & Andy Ross
<b>11:30 a.m.</b>	Joe Kraus	<b>EMHC Captain:</b> Thomas Ehlman <b>EMHC:</b> Shirley Berte, Karen Clark, Donald Clark, Brian Harp, Jacob Hensley, Jill Malay, Marlene Snodgrass, Jay Spicer	Brianna Fischer Jonah Fischer Nathan Geiman Leah Malay	Kathie Parker
<b>7:00 p.m.</b>	Rick Parker	<b>EMHC Captain:</b> Ron Ruschman <b>EMHC:</b> Reid Goyert, Pam Ruschman, Aaron Ruschman, Brenda Whitford	Hans Bauer Ryan Clines Cole Knipper Jantzen Wittrock	George Laker



**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday, August 5**

6:30 a.m. Lou Podraza  
8:30 a.m. Mary Bass

**Tuesday, August 6**

6:30 a.m. Marcella Saelinger  
8:30 a.m. Loraine Stadtmiller

**Wednesday, August 7**

6:30 a.m. Jean Thorn

**Thursday, August 8**

6:30 a.m. Estelle & Jacob Teisl  
8:30 a.m. Tom Wendling

**Friday, August 8**

6:30 a.m. Nehus & Schalk Families  
9:00 a.m. Rick Lange

**Saturday, August 10**

8:30 a.m. Charlie & Rose Reiger



**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Monday, August 5**

7:00 p.m. RCIA Team Meeting - Meeting Room B  
7:00 p.m. Preschool Meeting - Kelley Hall

**Tuesday, August 6**

7:00 p.m. St. Vincent DePaul - Kelley Hall  
7:00 p.m. Kindergarten Kickoff - Memorial Hall

**Wednesday, August 7**

7:00 p.m. Worship Meeting - Meeting Room A  
7:30 p.m. Praise Ensemble - Church

**Thursday, August 8**

5:30 p.m. Seniors - Memorial Hall  
7:30 p.m. Baptism Prep - Meeting Room B  
8:00 p.m. Boosters - Kelley Hall

**Friday, August 9**

9:00 a.m. Children's Mass and Activity -  
Church and Kelley Hall

**Saturday, August 10**

7:15 a.m. Women's Fellowship - Meeting Room B

**SERVERS' WEEKDAY SCHEDULE**

**Monday, August 5**

8:30 a.m. Kyle Piscitello, John Prather

**Tuesday, August 6**

8:30 a.m. Kyle Piscitello, Jack Gearding

**Thursday, August 8**

8:30 a.m. Henry Goering, Matthew Goering

**Friday, August 9**

9:00 a.m. Paytin Reckers, Emma Orth, Kori Reckers

**Saturday, August 10**

8:30 a.m. Delaney Green, Jonathan Green

*Upcoming Events*



- Children's Summer Mass & Activity August 9
- Grow Fund Collection August 10, 11
- Photo Sign ups after Mass August 10, 11
- Catholic Charities selling raffle tickets August 10, 11
- St. Mary's Ladies Society Mass/Breakfast August 11
- School Jay Fest August 12
- Photo Sessions in Kelley Hall August 12
- First day of school August 14
- Assumption - Holy Day August 15
- Photo Sign ups after Mass August 17, 18
- St. Mary's Ladies Society Mass/Breakfast August 11
- New Parent Dinner August 18
- Domestic Needs Collection August 24, 25
- St. Mary's Tea Ring Sale August 24, 25
- Directory Photos in Kelley Hall August 28-31
- Labor Day Holiday - Offices Closed September 2
- GROW collection September 7, 8
- 8th Grade bake sale September 7, 8

**SCRIPTURE REFLECTION**



In today's first reading from Ecclesiastes, we hear that the pursuit of worldly riches is vanity because in the end we have to let them all go. We can spend our whole lives acquiring things, but at the end of our lives everything for which we have worked so hard goes to another who hasn't worked for it. This Old Testament reading sets us up for the Gospel reading from Luke, which begins when a man comes to Jesus complaining that his brother hasn't divided the inheritance equally with him.

Against this backdrop, Jesus gives us the divine perspective on wealth by telling the story of a wealthy man who has a crop so big it doesn't fit into his barns. His solution is to tear everything down and build bigger barns so he can store up this great abundance of wealth. But God comes to the rich man and tells him that he will die that very night—and not be able to enjoy this wealth that he has stored up for himself. Jesus ends the story by telling his listeners that this is how it will be for everyone who stores up treasures for himself rather than being rich in what matters to God.

The message here is an emphasis on what really lasts. Acquiring wealth is vanity if we acquire it just for ourselves since nothing we build or save up in this world will last forever. But Jesus tells us that there are things we can do in this life that will have eternal significance. If the man in the Gospel reading had distributed his extra wealth to the needy, he would have had treasure in heaven. So Jesus is asking us whether, in our saving and our success, we are focusing on earthly success or investing in that which will have an eternal reward.

*Reprinted from Formed.Org "Opening The Word Year C" Bible Studies. For more in depth information on this week's readings go to <https://bit.ly/2MSuHcb>*

**E-mail bulletin info to:  
Bulletin@stjoeeparish.net  
Bulletin Deadline: Friday at 12:00 p.m. for  
the following week's bulletin**

**VIRTUS USERS:** To remain compliant and active at St. Joseph, please make sure to complete your monthly bulletins. The **July bulletin has posted and is due August 6.** Please go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org), enter your user id and password. **Remember to read your bulletins on a laptop or a PC. The system has problems recording your answer if you use a phone or ipad.** If you do not have a training tab please contact Carrie in the Parish Office at 441-1604.

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

*"He who does not progress, loses ground."*

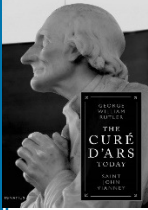
### ACTIVITIES IN OUR PARISH...

**WOW! Women Opening the Word:** Open to all women: Please join us for Scripture reflection and fellowship this Saturday, August 10, and every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month 7:15 – 8:25 am in Parish Meeting Room B. No RSVP, no registration, just show up. Arrive at 7:15. At 7:30 we open with prayer, then read the scriptures for Sunday Mass. We study, reflect and discuss what the Scriptures mean and how to apply them to our lives to help us become better Catholic Christians. Contact: Roxanne Calhoun: Roxanne.calhoun@fuse.net Text or call 859-630-9298

### Also happening in our area...

**Visitors welcome at St. Thomas Adoration Chapel.** Chapel is in the Providence Center behind the church. Open 6:00 am to Midnight Mon-Fri. Interested in becoming a companion adorer at a weekly holy hour? Call 441-7682 or email adorehour@gmail.com.

**FORMED**® THE CATHOLIC FAITH. ON DEMAND. FORMED.org is a resource for Catholics to learn more about God, the Church and Catholic teaching in an easy-to-access, online format available in your web browser or on an app for your Apple or Android mobile device. FORMED includes video-based study series (STUDY), movies and documentaries (WATCH), inspiring and informational audio recordings (LISTEN) and full-length books which can be read on your computer or mobile device. **Access to FORMED.org is FREE to members of St. Joseph Parish through our parish subscription.** Register at <https://stjosephcoldspring.formed.org>.



**AUGUST 4: ST. JOHN VIANNEY (learn about this Saint who is depicted in the sanctuary of our parish church)**

**STUDY:** YDisciple: Called, Session 3: Called to Holy Orders

**READ:** The Curé d'Ars Today; The Young People's Book of Saints

**AUGUST 9: ST. TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS (EDITH STEIN)**

**WATCH:** Edith Stein

**READ:** Edith Stein and Companions



If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about and possibly becoming a member of the Catholic Church... The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process by which the Catholic Church invites people of any background to inquire about Jesus Christ and the Church He established through His Apostles to continue his saving work and bring His love and grace to the whole world. In the RCIA each individual embarks on a personal journey of faith through which he or she builds a relationship with Jesus Christ and prayerfully decides whether to become a member of the Catholic Church. Weekly faith formation sessions provide teachings on God, faith, and the Catholic Church. Participants in RCIA also attend Sunday Mass weekly and gather to discuss the Scripture readings and explore how the Word of God can be applied to their own lives. To learn more about the RCIA for yourself or for someone you know contact Vicki Klocke, Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation and RCIA at [vklocke@stjoeparish.net](mailto:vklocke@stjoeparish.net) or 859-927-2291.

## ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS

From Mrs. Sue Greis, School Principal

**Positions Available-** Attention high school juniors and seniors! St. Joseph school is looking for assistants for the newly formed after care program for the 2019-2020 school year. Hours are flexible to accommodate for your extracurricular activities. The after care program is open Mon-Fri. 3:20-6:00 p.m. Work hours will be 3:00-6:30 p.m. Call or email Sue Greis if you are interested. 859-441-2025 [sgreis@stjoeschool.net](mailto:sgreis@stjoeschool.net).



### ST. MARY'S LADIES SOCIETY

Our society was established in 1871. On August 11th we will be celebrating our 148th year. We will come together at the 9:30 am mass to pray, hear the Word of the Lord, offer sacrifice and receive Christ in Communion, and depart sharing His Word daily. Following mass we will share a breakfast in Kelley Hall. For reservations call Rosemary Harrison at 635-2051. Thank you.

# SENIORS

**August 8th, 2019** - 5:30 p.m. Memorial Hall. Catered Dinner - Baked Chicken Breast - Cheesy Potatoes - Vegetable Medley - Pasta Salad - Rolls & Butter - \$7.00 per person. RSVP - Jackie Pelgen 859-760-1226 or [jackiepelgen@fuse.net](mailto:jackiepelgen@fuse.net)

**September 12th, 2019** - 5:30 p.m. Memorial Hall. Members to bring a serving of chili. We are going to have a Chili Dump. Beef or chicken chili, will be put together and it will make up a delicious chili. We will have spaghetti, if you want to make it your serving. Contact Jackie for your RSVP - no charge as this is a Member-In-Action event.

**FORESTERS NEWS...** We will have a table at Jayfest on Monday August 12<sup>th</sup> with information about how to become a Forester. Scholarships are awarded to all members that are registered as of January 1<sup>st</sup>. Stop by our table to sign up for a chance to win a Spirit wear gift certificate. Coney Day is Sunday August 18<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Amy if you would like to go. Adult tickets are \$10.00 and youth are \$5.00. Parking is included. Tickets are for pool and rides and soft drinks throughout the park. Amy 859-466-6704. Hope everyone is enjoying their summer, school is right around the corner.



### Catholic Charities Needs Your Help!

August 10 and August 11 after all masses parish members and volunteers from Catholic Charities will be outside church promoting their upcoming fundraiser by selling their raffle tickets. The raffle tickets are \$20 each. Grand prize is 30% of total ticket sales. Last year the winners received over \$11,000! All proceeds for this event benefit the clients being served through Catholic Charities. You can also purchase tickets online at [www.covingtoncharities.org](http://www.covingtoncharities.org) Thanks for your support of Catholic Charities.



## PRO-LIFE NEWS

### Families For Life



**St. Elizabeth Hospice** regularly hosts orientation classes for those who wish to volunteer. The classes explore issues on death and dying as well as the overall concept of hospice care. There is no cost or obligation to volunteer for those attending hospice training. Classes are held throughout the year. The first session can be completed on your own time and ending with a final day-long or evening session at the Carol Ann & Ralph V. Haile Hospice Center at 483 South Loop Road in Edgewood. To register call Debbie Holloran, Hospice Volunteer Coordinator at 859 301-4622 or email at [Debbie.Holloran@stelizabeth.com](mailto:Debbie.Holloran@stelizabeth.com). Registration is required as class size is limited.

**Kentuckians for Life** - Hosted by Kentucky Doctors for Life Foundation. Saturday August 24, 2019. Marriott East, 1903 Embassy Square Blvd, Louisville, KY 40299. 5:30 pm Doors Open /6:00 pm Dinner /6:45 pm Program begins. Keynote Speaker: Elizabeth Johnston, "The Activist Mommy". 70 Million Video views and author of *Not On My Watch*. Devoted wife and mom of 10 kids. She and her husband, Patrick Johnston MD, lead a pro-life ministry to rescue children from abortion. Purchase tickets at Eventbrite at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/14th-hyman-hulsman-memorial-banquet-and-lecture-tickets-62723507700>



### Upcoming Women's Retreat September 2019

The Blessed Mother is the second most depicted figure in Christian art. Join us for a Women's Retreat at St. Anne Retreat Center led by Msgr. Bill Cleves, Dr. Ceil Dorger and renown artist Holly Schapker. The retreat will explore Mary through sacred art and the Scriptures. The retreat is September 13th - 15th. The cost is \$170 and includes room, meals and supplies for creating an art project about the Blessed Mother. Registration can be done online at [www.stanneretreatcenter.org](http://www.stanneretreatcenter.org), or you can call Cindy Smith at (859) 441-2003 extension 301. Registration is limited to the first 80 people.



**EVERY WEDNESDAY** St. Joe Parishioners, NKU students and local Catholics visit with Jesus from 9:30-6:30 in the Holy Family Center Chapel (old convent chapel). Some of our parishioners have had their scheduled hour since 1992 when Wed. Adoration was first begun here

to pray for religious vocations. *These parishioners are well aware that Eucharistic Adoration in our parish is both a PRIVILEGE and a RESPONSIBILITY.* Several times in the past months, parishioners who cover one of those 9 time slots couldn't make their hour due to sickness or a problem and couldn't find someone to fill it. At present we often have only one person praying each of the hours from 10:30-2:00. Those men and women would be so happy to have a partner! *We are ASKING YOU to seriously consider committing to an hour or even a half hour on a weekly basis. This is a Serious Need to keep our Adoration ongoing!* You can call Kay at 441-2712 to sign up or ask questions.

## BISHOP BROSSART HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

**BBHS VOLLEYBALL CAR WASH & BAKE SALE...** On Saturday, August 17 the volleyball team will be hosting a car wash and bake sale at Southern Lanes Bowling Alley from 10:00 AM until 2:00 PM. Donation of \$10 per car wash. Please help support our volleyball team and get your car washed.

**FOOTBALL GREEN/WHITE PICNIC...** On Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> at 4 PM at St. Mary's Ballfield the football team will hold their annual Green/White Picnic. Meet the team, cheerleaders, coaches and the Colts football players. Drinks and food will be available for purchase.

**BISHOP BROSSART ART GALLERY...** Bishop Brossart Art Gallery will host the first art show of the school year starting on Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> through Sunday September 1<sup>st</sup> featuring the artwork of Michael Altman. Show times are on Sundays Noon - 4 PM and Monday through Saturday by appointment. For more information or to schedule an appointment please call 859-630-2874.

### IF YOUR MARRIAGE NEEDS HELP ..... RETRouvaille ... A LIFELINE

Is your marriage going down the right road...or is it a little off track?

Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage.

Does the distance between you seem wide?

Have you or your spouse become unloving or uncaring?

Are you already separated or divorce or even thing about it?

Looking for a better way?

Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship.

Retrouvaille is a confidential peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy, and healing, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. No couple is ever denied the chance to heal and renew their marriage because they face financial difficulties. For more information about our upcoming Retrouvaille of Cincinnati/Tri-State Weekend September 6, 7, 8, 2019:

[www.cincyretrovaille.org](http://www.cincyretrovaille.org)

[www.retrovaille.org](http://www.retrovaille.org),

[www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org) or

call 513-922-6045

### Summer is getting hot. Is your marriage heating up too?

Fire things up with a Marriage Encounter Midweek Experience! It would make a wonderful mini summer vacation with your spouse. The next Marriage Encounter Midweek experience is not on a weekend. It is a Tuesday and Wednesday where you are only away from home one night. It will be held at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood, OH on September 10 and 11. The midweek experience is for those who find it difficult to take a whole weekend away or off work or have difficulty finding childcare, pet care and/or for parents. Reserve your place today at <https://esharing.org/applyWeekend.php> For more details contact: Andy and Jeanne Folfas at (937) 886-5196 [jeannemarie42@hotmail.com](mailto:jeannemarie42@hotmail.com) or go to [esharing.org](http://esharing.org)

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CHAIRPERSON

**Parish Council:** Steve Gooderson.....gooderson99@gmail.com  
**Board of Ed:** Rick Wolf.....441-0205  
**Boosters:** Dave Combs.....combs4221@icloud.com..912-0062  
**Drama Club:** Brian Merman.....445-9786  
**Foresters:** Sharon Geiger.....859-620-0488  
**Holy Name:** Mark Schroder MARS6440@hotmail.com 441-5623  
**PTO:** Karen Decker .....karendecker76@gmail.com  
**St. Mary's Ladies:** Maria Geiman.....781-0512  
**STP Volunteers:** Art Holtz.....441-3809  
**Boy Scouts:** Paul Gabis.....781-6130  
**Girl Scouts:** Heather Salisbury.....655-5987  
**Seniors:** Jim Pelgen.....760-0400



#### FOOD BASKET IN CHURCH

Your donations of non-perishable food items are appreciated. Please check the expiration date on any food donated. Thank you for your generosity.

### PARISH SERVICES

**Exposition every Wednesday:** 9:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

**Baptisms:** Sundays by Appointment, 1:00 p.m. Baptismal Preparation Program required. Class held the 2nd Thursday of each month. Please call rectory 441-1604 to reserve date.

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Call at least 6 months in advance. No date will be set without consulting one of the parish priests.

**Sacrament of Penance:** Saturday, before and after the 8:30 a.m. Mass, Saturday afternoon between 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. (unless there is a 3:00 p.m. wedding), third Thursday of the month from 7:00-8:00 p.m. and by appointment.

**Rosary:** Monday thru Friday at 7:05 a.m. and after 8:30 a.m. Mass. Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. before Benediction. Saturday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass and on Sunday morning before the 9:30 a.m. Mass. The Patriotic Rosary every Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. in the Convent Chapel.



**Communion to the sick and/or shut-ins:** Call the rectory.