

Advent Penance Service

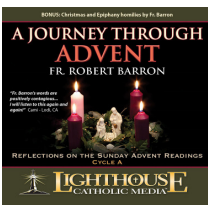
On Monday, December 2nd at 7:00 PM, St. Joseph Parish will host a Deanery-wide Advent Penance Service. Several priests will be available for confession.

You're Invited to Join Us For The:

Christmas Collage
Friday, December 13
7:30 pm

St. Joseph Church
Cold Spring, KY

A Concert Featuring
St. Joseph Music Ministry
Cantors, Contemporary Ensemble, Handbell Choir, St. Joseph School Choir, St. Joseph Church Choir, Women's Choir, Newport Central Catholic Church Choir



Christmas is fast approaching and we often get so caught up in the physical preparations that we neglect to prepare ourselves spiritually for the birth of our Beloved Savior. Listening to one of the Lighthouse Catholic Media CD's available in the vestibule of the Church is an easy way to reflect on the true meaning of Christmas. This week's featured CD is: **A Journey Through Advent: Liturgical Cycle A** Get the most out of Advent and Christmas by following along with Fr. Robert Barron's homilies as he unpacks the profound Scripture readings for Liturgical Cycle A.

The homilies presented on this CD will correspond to the Scriptures for Sunday Masses throughout Advent and Christmas 2013.

- Advent Week 1:** Isaiah 2:1-5, Romans 13:11-14, Matthew 24:37-44
- Advent Week 2:** Isaiah 11:1-10, Romans 15:4-9, Matthew 3:1-12
- Advent Week 3:** Isaiah 35:1-6, James 5:7-10, Matthew 11:2-1
- Advent Week 4:** Isaiah 7:10-14, Romans 1:1-7, Matthew 1:18-24
- Christmas:** Isaiah 9:1-6, Titus 2:11-14, Luke 2:1-14

Parishioner Comments

"Transformational! Simple and clear homilies that invite us to encounter God."
Tessie - Chino Hills, CA

"Fr. Barron never disappoints! He delivers a great message."
Mickey - Philadelphia, PA

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The Alliance for Catholic Urban Education (ACUE) thanks the St. Joseph community for your kind participation in the Diocesan Summer Mission Collection. Thank you for welcoming our parish presenters so warmly and for responding so generously in support of the ACUE tuition assistance fund. Your contributions will become the gift of Catholic education for disadvantaged children of our diocesan mission territory, the core urban areas of Northern Kentucky. Thank you for becoming part of the beacon of hope that our schools offer these children and their communities. We will gratefully remember your parish in our prayers at Thanksgiving and throughout the Advent and Christmas seasons. We ask that you pray for our students (who created a thank you poster for your church vestibule), our families and those who minister to them through the ACUE schools. Bless you!

1st Sunday of Advent

READINGS FOR WEEK of December 1, 2013

Sunday	First Sunday of Advent Is 2:1-5; Ps 122; Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44
Monday	Is 4:2-6; Ps 122; Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday	Saint Francis Xavier, Priest Is 11:1-10; Ps 72; Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday	Saint John Damascene, Priest and Doctor of the Church Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23; Mt 15:29-37
Thursday	Is 26:1-6; Ps 118; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday	Saint Nicholas, Bishop Is 29:17-24; Ps 27; Mt 9:27-31
Saturday	Saint Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147; Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8
Sunday	Second Sunday of Advent Is 11:1-10; Ps 72; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

The 11/24/13 collection numbers were not available due to the early printing schedule for the Thanksgiving Holiday. This information will be printed in the December 8th bulletin.

Many of us live with addiction or the effects of addiction. For five First Saturdays of the Month, starting December 7th, the intentions of the 8:30 A.M. Mass will be for those affected by addiction. You are not alone. We are not alone. Please come join us as we pray for recovery.

VIRTUS USERS: To remain compliant and active at St. Joe's please make sure to complete your monthly bulletins. **November bulletin has been posted and is due December 3.**

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



*Jordan Michael Hensley
Cole David Lesseuer
Ella Caroline Lesseuer*

Don't Forget To Include Jesus On Your Christmas List

By Sue Grethel

"It's the most wonderful time of the year!" We await the birth of our Lord - the most precious gift an all generous God has given us. It is a season of gift giving and receiving. It is Jesus' birthday. We may not have treasures of gold, frankincense, and myrrh to offer Him, but we have our gifts of time, talent, and treasure, and Jesus told us that whatever we do for others we do for Him.

So add Jesus to your Christmas list ... and

- Pray more often
- Make a special effort to attend Mass and Church programs
- Spend more quality time with your family and friends
- Volunteer some extra time to help those who are elderly, ill or less fortunate.
- Consider volunteering for a parish ministry in the New Year.
- Support St. Joseph's Giving Tree and other community assistance Christmas Programs.
- Make a year end gift to your Church and other charitable organizations through a cash/check donation or by gifting stocks that have increased in value and that you have held for more than one year. Remember all year end giving must be completed by December 31, 2013, in order to take a tax deduction for this year. If you are interested in making a stock gift, call Lee Kessen in the parish office at 441-1604 ext. 2273.
- Make a New Year's resolution to be more generous in sharing your blessings in 2014.

Date	Lector	Deacon & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Servers	Mass Intentions
12/7/2013 Saturday 5:00 PM	Dennis Klocke	Deacon: Tim Schabell EMC Captain: Pat Brossart EMC: Margaret Kaufman, Robert Kaufman, Dolores Kiernan, Kathy Machenheimer, Doug Spritzky, Joe Tallarigo, Michael Vaught	Jessica Appel Serena Paterno Matthew Striegel Katie Williams	Don Whitford
12/8/2013 8:00 AM	Sue Bradtmueller	EMC Captain: Ronald Haigis EMC: Dennis Brennan, Terri Green, Suzie Kahmann, Barb Kling, Gary Pruiksma, Joyce Whitford	Leo Barth Dylan Donnermeyer Brian Wells Erin Wells	John E. Tierney
9:30 AM	Marcie Rottinghaus	EMC Captain: Barb Teisl EMC: Jolynne Bundy, ClyDenna Hehman, Norb Hehman, Lelia Kroger, Tony Reinert, Carol Russell, Robyn Schroeder, Mary Short	Adam Orth Kara Schuler Kendall Schuler Nick Schuler	Julia Barth
11:30 AM	Dave Nassano	Deacon: Steven Bennett EMC Captain: Ximena Burton EMC: Roxanne Calhoun, Thomas Ehlman, Jill Malay, Lynn Mowery, Lisa Nassano, Maura Ross, Gary Volker	Josh Hildreth Sam Hildreth Zach Sears Xavier Stegman	Bill Marsh
7:00 PM	Carolyn Berberich	EMC Captain: Jane Remillard EMC: Reid Goyert, Len Grothaus, Brenda Whitford, Joan Zai	Alec Eilerman Ethan Eilerman Anthony Lotz	For the People

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, Dec 2

6:30 a.m. Rosella Frietch
8:30 a.m. Janet Ampfer

Tuesday, Dec 3

6:30 a.m. Carol & Dan Nutzel
8:30 a.m. David Heck

Wednesday, Dec 4

6:30 a.m. William "Bill" Neltner
9:00 a.m. James Cain

Thursday, Dec 5

6:30 a.m. Art Lauer Sr.
8:30 a.m. John Argo

Friday, Dec 6

6:30 a.m. Mary Holtz
9:00 a.m. Deceased Members of Parr & Norris Families

Saturday, Dec 7

8:30 a.m. People affected by addictions



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, Dec 2

7:00 p.m. Advent Penance Service - Church
7:30 p.m. Drama Club - Memorial Hall

Tuesday, Dec 3

7:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul - Rectory Meeting Room
7:30 p.m. RCIA - Library

Wednesday, Dec 4

5:30 p.m. Credit Union - Kelley Hall
7:00 p.m. Worship Committee - Convent
7:30 p.m. Drama Club - Memorial Hall

Thursday, Dec 5

7:30 p.m. Holy Name Society - Kelley Hall

Friday, Dec 6

Feast of St. Nick

ST. JOSEPH PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

FORESTERS NEWS....

Next Sunday December 8th will be our Pancake Breakfast with Santa. Santa will be there with treats for the kids and you will have an opportunity to get your child's photo with Santa. The breakfast consists of sausage or bacon, milk, juice or coffee and all you can eat pancakes. Family maximum is \$22.00. Our next youth event will be Dec 14th Children's Theatre at the Taft, "The Day before Christmas" 2:00pm. Amy will be taking reservations for this. The next State Court event will be the St Nick skating party at Reca Roller Rink on Dec 3rd 6:30pm. For more information on any of these events, contact Amy at [859-908-0104](tel:859-908-0104).

SERVER'S WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

Mon. Dec 2	8:30	Mikah Freppon, Paige Johnston
Tues. Dec 3	8:30	Beth Ampfer, Ashley Beck
Wed. Dec 4	9:00	Carenna Bhola, Hope Borchers, Alex Howard
Thurs. Dec 5	8:30	Maggie Finn, Michelle Goderwis
Fri. Dec 6	9:00	School Mass
Sat. Dec 7	8:30	Kristen Losey, Kyle Losey

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

Some popular religions regularly call up images of fire and brimstone and evoke dire warnings and apocalyptic visions of world catastrophe, which are supposed to accompany the Second Coming. Against this steady drumbeat of preaching that generates more heat (or cold fear) than light, we need to pay close attention to the deeper challenge of this Sunday's Scriptures. Jesus does not address the end times in an attempt to frighten us or to pile on reasons to worry and fret over the salvation of our sweet little souls.

Rather, we are reminded to pay close attention to the movement of God in our midst. We are given images of domesticity because this is precisely where we live. And this is precisely where the incarnation of God occurs. If God's presence is attended to here and now amid the subtle shifts and erosions of our private and shared lives as a people, we need not worry. If we are preoccupied with tinsel and over-consumption, then this is the critical time for us to change our attitudes and ways.



St. Mary's Ladies Society will host their Christmas party Thursday, December 19th at 6 p.m. in Kelly Hall. Food will be served and meeting will follow. Bring a wrapped \$5 gift exchange.

Also, a collection will be taken for St. Vincent De Paul society.

For reservation please call Maria Geiman @ 781-9512 or Christine Ginter @ 441-3398 by Monday, December 16th.

St. Joseph Seniors

December: No Meeting - we will only have our Christmas Party. Memorial Hall - Thursday, December 12th; 5:00 P.M. begins with social hour. Catered dinner; cost is \$4.00 per person. Dues should be paid. Reservations taken by Rita Braun - [859-441-0311](tel:859-441-0311) 12 Clearview Dr. Cold Spring, Ky. 41076 and Aleen Herms - [859-635-5169](tel:859-635-5169) 103 Ridgeway Xing., Alexandria, Ky. 41001. Reservations must be in by Dec 6th.



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Deadline is Friday, December 20, 2013

E-mail ad to stjoeprogram@gmail.com

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Please make checks payable to "St. Joseph Boosters"

Mail Payment to: St. Joseph Boosters, c/o Tom Knipper
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Please submit your ad in the following formats: Microsoft Word, Microsoft Publisher, PDF, JPG, or TIFF files.

Contact Tom Knipper at stjoeprogram@gmail.com with questions.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

"He who does not progress, loses ground."

Advent Opportunities in the Parish: Use the Advent season to prepare your heart for Christ. Don't just remember his coming as a babe in the Manger. Receive him into your heart and your life every day! Parish Penance Service for Advent on Monday, December 2 at 7:00 PM in Church; "Little Blue Books" will be available after Masses for daily reflection during Advent.

International speaker Ralph Martin, the president of Renewal Ministries and the host of the weekly EWTN television program "The Choices We Face", will give two presentations: "What is the New Evangelization, and Why Bother?" and "Holiness: Is it Possible?" on **Monday, December 9th at 7pm** at St. Catherine of Sienna parish in Fort Thomas. Doors open at 6pm, no tickets necessary. For questions call (859) 441- 3438 or (859) 441-1069.

Men's Day of Reflection hosted by Son Rise Morning Show regular Kevin Prendergast on **Saturday December 7th**, beginning with Mass at 8 a.m. at St Henry Church in Elsmere. For information, or to reserve a seat, call 859.727.2035.

Advent Lectio Divina at St. Walburg Monastery chapel, Villa Hills. **Dec. 3, 6, 10, 17 7:30 p.m.**, RSVP 331-6771 or e-mail sdhosb@yahoo.com

Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. For confidential information or to register for the upcoming program the weekend of Jan. 10-12 call (513) 922-6045 or visit www.retrouvaille.org.

Always Our Children: support group for parents and families of gay/lesbian children is held every third Tuesday of each month, 7 p.m. at Catholic Charities. Contact the Diocese of Covington Department of Catechesis and Formation at 392-1500.

Advent Penance Services If you miss our deanery penance service (mentioned above), there will be two other deanery penance services on Thursday, December 12, both at 7:00 p.m.. They are at St. Pius in Edgewood or the Cathedral in Covington. Take advantage of these opportunities to prepare your soul for Christ's coming.



CHRISTMAS DINNER: Throughout the year your food donations support the Holy Spirit Parish Outreach Ministry in Newport, KY. There will be specially marked bags at the main and side entrances of the church with a list of food items attached. These bags will be available the weeks of 12/1/2013 and 12/8/2013. Please make Christmas Dinner your gift to families in need. God Bless.

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS

From Mrs. Melissa Holzmacher, School Principal

THINK QUICKLY.....

You have five seconds to answer the following question: If two dice are rolled, what is the probability that the sum is a ten if one die shows a six?

This is just one of the questions the St. Joseph Academic Quick-Recall team answered correctly in their last match against St. Mary. All three St. Joseph teams were victorious in their efforts vs. St. Mary. St. Joseph belongs to the Northern Kentucky Academic League. Each team has a practice once a week and a match on Wednesday.

The members of these teams are as follows: **Eighth Grade:** Elle Arnold, Sam Bush, Natalie Hempfling, Daniel Howard, Peter Kahmann, Eric Klear, Katie Klear, and Jack Scharstein coached by kindergarten teacher Mrs. Tricia Barth. **Seventh Grade:** Jude Bertinato, Lottie Bowling, Joel Clines, Grace Hatfield, Alex Howard, Maria Kinnett, Lance Knipper, Kate Williams, Katherine Williams coached by Assistant Principal Mrs. Cly Denna Hehman. **Sixth Grade:** Maya Batshoun, Christian Blair, Abby Cook, Isaac Freppon, Lauren Heck, Grace Kessen, Matthew Obert, Emma Scharstein, Colin Schuh, James Snodgrass, Sydney Willike coached by junior high teacher Mrs. Melissa Kevill.

The Elementary Team was recently selected and will begin their season in January. Team members are: Samantha Arnold, Mick Clines, Tyler Cook, Logan Hatfield, Matthew Hickman, Ethan Lecky, Jack Piscitello, Annie Scharstein, Pete Williams, and Sarah Winbigler coached by fourth grade teacher Mrs. Terri Shields and second grade teacher Mrs. Ann MacKenzie.

ANSWER: The probability is 1/6.



The St. Mary's Ladies Society will sell their **Annual Raffle Tickets at the Foresters Breakfast on Sunday, December 8th**. Tickets will be sold for \$1.00 a chance for cash prizes totaling \$500. The money raised will benefit needs of the church sacristy and rectory. Please stop by and support this worthy cause and also the Foresters. Can't attend the breakfast? Please contact Helen Fehr @ [859-441-2633](tel:859-441-2633).

UPDATES ON EMAIL ADDRESSES:

If you have recently changed your email address and you wish to continue to receive information from us regarding events taking place at the parish, please send your new email address to bulletin@stjoeparish.net.

PRO-LIFE NEWS
Families For Life



Christmas Card Sale –*Families for Life* thanks all who have purchased cards! If you missed out, but would still like to purchase Christmas cards to benefit pro-life work, call Carol at 448-0015. Packs of 10 cards are available for just \$5!

March for Life 2014 - Reservations are being taken for the Adult/Family Bus Trip to Washington, DC for the 41st Annual March for Life. The bus will depart from St. Henry District High School at 6:30am on January 21 and return the morning of January 23. The cost includes the bus and one night accommodations at the *Washington Marriott Metro Center**. Rates are: Double Occupancy \$205 per person, Triple Occupancy \$175 per person, Quad Occupancy \$160.00 per person. Call the Pro-Life Office for Family Pricing. To make reservations, email Peggy Piccola at ppiccola@covdio.org or call Peggy at 859-392-1500. Trip information with the itinerary can be found at www.prolife.covingtondiocese.org/.

The Helpers of Gods Precious Infants invite you to pray with them at the abortion clinic on Auburn Avenue in Cincinnati each Saturday morning (except for 5th Saturdays). Mass is celebrated at Holy Name Church at 8 AM. Following Mass the rosary is prayed in front of Planned Parenthood, just down the street. Call Debbie at 635-9618 for info.

Project Rachel – *God's Greatest Desire is to forgive.* If you have ever had an abortion experience, the Catholic Church wants to reach out to you and offer healing and reconciliation through Project Rachel, a confidential ministry for women and men. A new session is starting in January 2014. Please call our Project Rachel confidential telephone number at [\(859\)-392-1547](tel:859-392-1547) or email projectrachel@covdio.org for more information.

NEWPORT CENTRAL CATHOLIC NEWS

**Newport Central Catholic High School
Open House**

Newport Central Catholic High School invites you to attend Open House on **Thursday, December 12, 2013** from **6:30 PM to 9:00 PM**. NCC offers you this opportunity to become more familiar with its religious education program, expanded curriculum, advanced placement courses and dual credit program, academic enhancement program, athletics, extracurricular activities and its campus improvements and expansion.

The Open House will feature academic department exhibits along with Fine Arts, athletic and extracurricular activity displays.

A presentation in the gymnasium will begin at 6:30 PM followed by student-led tours.

For more details, contact the NCC Development Office at [\(859\) 292-0001](tel:859-292-0001).

**YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT
ACTIVITY CORNER**

ATTENTION ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IN CAMPBELL COUNTY: The Campbell County Life Teen youth group meets at St. Philip Parish Center every Thursday from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. and is open to all high school students. Activities of the group include social nights, outdoor game nights, volunteering at the Giving Fields in Melbourne and CareNet in Cold Spring, as well as other community outreach opportunities, mass once a month, adoration and confession, and praying the steps of Holy Cross Immaculata church on Holy Thursday. Feel free to stop in any Thursday evening, new members are always welcome! If you have any questions, feel free to contact us at teen-life@stphilipky.org.

BISHOP BROSSART HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

BISHOP BROSSART GREEN / WHITE BASKETBALL PREVIEW... The annual BBHS Green / White Boys & Girls Basketball and cheerleading preview will be held **Friday, NOVEMBER 29th** starting at 6:00 p.m. in the Seither Sports Center. Admission is \$2.00 for Adults and \$1.00 for students and senior citizens. Admission is free for adults purchasing a season pass.

BISHOP BROSSART CHILI SPAGHETTI DINNER... The BBHS Girls Fastpitch Softball team will sponsor an "All You Can Eat" Chili Spaghetti Dinner from 2:00 – 7:00 p.m. on **Sunday, December 1st** in Hegenauer Hall. The cost is \$8.00 per person. The activity includes raffles, bankers, money tree, and a Split the Pot.

BISHOP BROSSART CHRISTMAS CONCERT... The Bishop Brossart High School music department will sponsor its annual Christmas concert on **Thursday, DECEMBER 12th** starting at 7:00 p.m. in Hegenauer Hall. Admission is the gift of one canned good or non-perishable food item for a special collection to the needy. Come celebrate the season as our student musicians perform everything from classic carols to Elvis to your modern pop Christmas favorites!" For more information email emccafferty@bishopbrossart.org

BBHS / DIOCESAN PLACEMENT EXAM... ATTENTION 8th grade students and their families. The annual diocesan Placement Exam for incoming freshmen students planning to attend Bishop Brossart High School will be held **Saturday, DECEMBER 14th** from 9:00 a.m. to 12 Noon in Hegenauer Hall. All district 8th graders and PSR members are encouraged to take the test where they plan to attend high school in order to be eligible for merit scholarships. For more information contact the Bishop Brossart main office at 859-635-2108.

A CROONER CHRISTMAS... Bishop Brossart High School public address announcer Todd Schafer is hosting his 8th annual Crooner Christmas concert on **Sunday, DECEMBER 15th** from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. at the Alexandria Community Center. Admission is Free. Donations will be accepted and distributed to needy individuals and families in the area.

**NEWPORT ELKS LADIES AUXILIARY
CHRISTMAS STAGETTE 2013**

Sunday, December 8th

Doors open @ 11:30 Lunch served @ 12:30

Bingo, Pot of Gold, Raffles, Combination Table

Tickets \$17.00 per person Call Carol @ [859-441-9511](tel:859-441-9511)

Elks Lodge 3704 Alexandria Pike Cold Spring, KY

1st Sunday of Advent

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Seniors: Jim Pelgen.....760-0400

PARISH SERVICES

Exposition every Wednesday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Baptisms: Sundays by Appointment, 1:00 p.m. Baptismal Preparation Program required. Class held the 2nd Tuesday 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: Saturdays, 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) 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 3:10 p.m.



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

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.

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