

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

February 20th & 21st 2010

Office 264-6177

www.triumphofthecross.org

Prayer: Stations of the Cross: During the season of Lent we will have the Stations of the Cross at 12:05 p.m. at Holy Name Cathedral and at 7:00 p.m. at Holy Rosary Church. I encourage you to participate as families each week.

Prayers for Reconciliation and Conversion: Please pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary, and one Glory be in the morning, afternoon and evening for the following: **In the morning say:** *O Lord, I offer these prayers for the return of Catholics to the sacraments.* **In the afternoon say:** *O Lord, I offer these prayers for the protection of life and the conversion of those who are pro-abortion.* **In the evening say:** *O Lord, I offer these prayers for the healing of those who suffer in mind, body, or spirit.*

CHARISMATIC MASS: A Charismatic Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Sacrament Church in Wintersville on March 1 at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to participate.

What is a Charismatic Mass? Essentially it is a **regular Mass but one that reflects the charisms or gifts of the Holy Spirit** in a more external way. Typically the music and singing are joyous, even exuberant. Some participants express their praise of God through gestures such as raised hands. They may be moved by the Spirit at certain times to pray out loud in spontaneous words or even indistinct sounds. Sometimes provision is made for brief prophetic messages to be given at the announcement time after Communion.

For most Catholics this way of celebrating Mass is unusual. But it is not weird or "wacky". In fact, the Charismatic Mass reflects something of the life of the Church in its earliest years and is part of the larger charismatic renewal that has been at work in the Church for the past fifty years. This spiritual renewal has been supported by Pope Benedict and his predecessors. Locally, the charismatic renewal has been an important dimension of Franciscan University of Steubenville and the lives of many Catholics in the area.

Although the focus at a Charismatic Mass may seem to be on externals, the whole point is **the awakening of our interior holiness.** All the energy is directed toward the incomprehensible majesty of God who leads us to stretch beyond the bounds of our everyday lives into union with him. (Information provided by Bishop Conlon.)

Vespers of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be sung in Franciscan University's Christ the King Chapel on Saturday, February 27, by the *Schola Cantorum Franciscana*. The service begins at 7:00 p.m. and is sung throughout with beautiful chants and choral settings of the Divine Office by Lassus, Stewart, and others. All are invited to participate in honoring the Blessed Mother through the Divine Office.

Fasting and Abstinence Regulations:

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the penitential season of Lent. Ash Wednesday, February 17, and Good Friday, April 2 are days of complete abstinence from meat as well as days of fast. All other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat. The law of abstinence binds all Catholics 14 years and older. The law of fasting binds all Catholics from their 18th birthday until their 59th birthday (Canons 97 and 1252).

Almsgiving:

Good Friday Collection: This is given to support the endeavors of the Church in the Holy Land. It continues the ministry of reaching out to the poor and the needy.

Operation Rice Bowl Collection: There are Collection boxes for you at the church to take home and return at the end of Lent. Envelopes are in the pamphlets.

SACRAMENTS

Sacramental Information and registration forms are available at parish web-site www.triumphofthecross.org.

Baptism – Baptism Preparation Sessions are held the 1st Sunday of each month from 2 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. in the Marian Room at Holy Rosary Church. Please call the Parish Office to register for a class.

Weddings – Six month preparation required. Schedule the date with the priest.

Funerals – Please schedule with the priest before publishing dates and times.

Anointing of the Sick – Please call the Parish Office.

Communion to the Homebound – Please call the Parish Office.

DEVOTIONS

Novena of the Blessed Virgin Mary of the Miraculous Medal Mon. 6:30 p.m. Holy Rosary Church

Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel in the basement of Holy Rosary Office; entrance around back (6:00am to 9:00pm) 740 264-6088

Hour of Prayer for Priests and Vocations
1st Thursday, 9:00 a.m. Holy Rosary Church

Contact the Parish Office at 264-6177

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS INFORMATION

The BJKM SCRIP: Stores will be open on the following schedule until June 2010:

Rosemont campus: Wednesdays 8 – 10 am,
Fridays 8 – 10 am and 1 – 3pm

Lovers Lane Campus: Tuesdays 8 – 10 am

Orders sent in with Junior High students will be filled on Tuesday and Friday and sent home with students that same day. Special orders are filled one week after ordering.

Please use the current order forms available online at <http://www.bishopmussio.org/Support/scrip.asp>

or in scrip stores as new vendors have been added. For more information please contact Liz Borden 284-1870 or Barb Milewsky 264-7581.

Catholic Central High School and Bishop Mussio Jr

High invites prospective new students, parents and families to our **OPEN HOUSE and REGISTRATION Sunday, March 7th, 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.** Come, meet our teachers and see our classrooms. Meet with athletic and organization representatives!

Call CCHS for further information at 740-264-5538. There will be a registration meeting for incoming freshman @ 12:30 pm in Lanman Hall.

Call BJKM Junior High for Grades 7 & 8 at 740-346-0028. There will be a JR High parent information meeting @ 1:30 pm in Lanman Hall

Cash Bash Raffle Committee: Congratulations to Anna Kissinger, the Tegano Family, Kathy Allen and Bruno Calovini! They are all winners in the Bishop John King Mussio Central Schools annual Cash Bash Raffle. This year's Sweet Sixteen Cash Bash gives you sixteen chances to win—each month you can win \$500.00—and the Grand Prize is ten-thousand dollars! Tickets are \$50.00—gather some friends and split the cost—you don't need to be present to win. Call any Bishop Mussio Central School for your ticket, or buy your ticket online at bjkm1.webs.com. Proceeds benefit this year's basic operating expenses for the Bishop Mussio Central Schools.



CELEBRATE THE PRIESTHOOD OF JESUS CHRIST:

This program is part of the Catholic Faith Formation in Steubenville activities. This week we gather on Thursday evening, February 25th. We will focus upon the Sacrament of Holy Orders in the life of a priest as lived by Father Bradley Greer. CCC 1562) "...The function of the bishop's ministry was handed over in a subordinate degree to priests so that they might be appointed in the order of the priesthood and be *co-workers of the episcopal order* for the proper fulfillment of the apostolic mission that had been entrusted to it by Christ."

Also, this evening Deacon Randy Redington will share with us the meaning of the charism of this order and how he has experienced the graces of the sacrament in the living of the diaconate.

(CCC 1569) "At a lower level of the hierarchy are to be found deacons, who receive the imposition of hands 'not unto the priesthood, but unto the ministry.'" At an ordination to the diaconate only the bishop lays hands on the candidate, thus signifying the deacon's special attachment to the bishop in the tasks of his "diakonia."

The following week, March 4th we will focus upon the life of St. John Vianney. He is the patron saint of Diocesan priests. Our presentation that evening will be given by Fr. Mark Moore.

All sessions are conducted in the Holy Rosary Church Auditorium. Each Thursday evening begins with soup at 6:30 p.m. (Please register for this.) and the presentation will be from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. You are welcome to participate on any evening that you are available.

Religious Education News

Please pray for our catechetical program in the City of Steubenville.

Religious Education Dates to Remember:

- February 27 Celebration of First Penance – 10:00 a.m. – **Holy Family Parish**
- March 6 Celebration of First Penance – 12:30 p.m. – **Triumph of the Cross**
- March 16 Parent Meeting for First Eucharist/ Confirmation 7 p.m. @ Holy Rosary Auditorium
- March 20 Celebration of First Penance – 1:00 p.m. - **St. Peter's**
- March 27 Sacrament's Retreat #1 - - 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. – Holy Family
- April 10 Sacrament's Retreat #2 – 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. – St. Peter's

Due to Cancellation of Parent Meeting: Sacrament Retreat for Grade 2 First Penance/First Eucharist/ Confirmation children will be held on two different dates – March 27 and April 10. The children **only have to attend one retreat.** Please call or email Barbara with the date you prefer your child to attend. There are only 35 slots for each retreat. Please sign up by March 8, 2010. If you do not submit a reservation date, it will be assigned for your child. All First Eucharist children are required to attend the retreat.

In need of Helpers for our Wednesday night Faith & Life Classes. If you are interested, please call Barbara.

STEBENVILLE SENIOR YOUTH MINISTRY:

Come join us on Sunday, Feb. 21, 6:30-8:30pm, at the Holy Rosary Auditorium. Check out our website for cancellations, and all updated details.
www.Steubenvillyouth.com



West End Adoration Chapel

Going to Heaven for an Hour *St Peter*
Julian Eymard, The Real Presence Part 3 of 3



You are stricken with utter powerlessness; your mind is lost in darkness; your heart is crushed with the weight of its nothingness; your body is ailing. Offer Him the adoration He should expect from one so destitute; forget your poverty and abide in our Lord. Or again, present your poverty to Him that He may make it rich; that is a masterpiece worthy of His glory. But you are in a state of temptation and of sadness; everything rebels in you; everything induces you to leave your adoration under the pretext that you are offending God, and that you are dishonoring rather than serving Him. Do not listen to that insidious temptation; you adore Him by resisting, by being loyal to Him against yourself. No, no, you are not displeasing Him. You are bringing joy to our Master Who is looking on and Who permitted Satan to upset you. He expects you to honor Him by remaining with Him to the last minute of the time you were to devote to Him. May confidence and simplicity and love bring you to adoration.

Reserve your hour. Make your commitment.
Call Vivian Zlotkowski 264-6088

O my Jesus, I desire to love you throughout this hour for those who love you not. O Heart of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament burning with love for us, inflame our hearts with love for you.

Ministry Schedule for Weekend of 27 / 28 February 2010

Mass	Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
4:00 pm at HN	Braden Bolger Jake Bolger	Anthony Carissimi Colleen Bahen	Kathleen Lally
4:00 pm at HR	<i>Andrew Nese *</i> <i>Kaitlyn Nese *</i>	Teresa Harold James Harold	Anita Gargala Donna Kaine Ronald Kaine
8:30 am at HR	Zachary Zatta Douglas Maslowski Teddi Maslowski	Luann Boris Francis Piverotto	David Mosti Louise Lloyd Vera Paulowski
10:00 am at HR	Haley Hartzell Brody Mihalyo Stephen Mihalyo	Theresa Fernandes Charles Macpherson	Suzanne Runkle Stella Panella Deacon Redington
10:30 am at HN	Anne Nelson Patrick Wherry Jonathan DuBois	Richard Adams Mary Duff	Deacon Meagher
11:30 am at HR	Jason Bensusur Geno Taglione Samuel Ivkovich	Vickie Nurczyk Kara Bryan	JoAnn Glauser Barbara Costlow Deacon Redington
5:30 pm at HR	Ashley Bednarek Volunteer	Anna Santacroce Sonia Santacroce	Lottie Grajewski Jean Manfresca Joseph Sciarra

Note: * Changes are in *italics*.

Activities and Information

Please Pray for Our Priests and Deacons

- Mon 22** Rev. Mark Moore, Rev. H. Christopher Foxhoven
- Tue 23** Rev. Timothy McGuire, Rev. Thomas Marut
- Wed 24** Rev. Raymond Ryland, Msgr. David Reasbeck
- Thu 25** Our Holy Family
- Fri 26** Rev. Richard Davis TOR, Rev. Walter Heinz
- Sat 27** Rev. David Cornett, Rev. Joseph Safaniec
- Sun 28** Rev. Seth Wymer, Msgr. Kenneth Uram

Readings for the Week of February 21, 2010

- Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13
- Monday: 1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19
- Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15
- Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32
- Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12
- Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26
- Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48
- Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Phil 3:17---4:1 or 3:20---4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

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PIEROGI SALE: During Fridays of Lent Blessed Sacrament Church, 852 Main Street in Wintersville will be selling pierogi (Potato Cheese, Potato Kraut, Potato Onion, and Prune) \$.75 single, \$6.00 Frozen, and \$7.00 cooked. There are only take-out orders. Call 264-9260 for phone orders and pick-up orders served from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Also available are Haluski with noodles cost \$3.00 per pint and gnocchi with sauce cost \$4.00.

Triumph of the Cross Parish

<p>Collection Totals: Feb 13th & 14th Adult: \$ 10,075.75 Children: \$ 13.00 Loose: \$ 769.94 Votive: \$ 204.00 Total: \$ 11,062.69</p> <p>School Support: \$ 829.00 Soup Kitchen: \$ 145.00</p>

Upcoming Events



@ Triumph of the Cross Parish

Date	Day	Time	Event	Place
Feb 22	Mon	8:00 am	Recitation of the Rosary	HR Church
	Mon	6:30 pm	Mass & Novena	HR Church
Feb 23	Tue	8:00 am	Recitation of the Rosary	HR Church
	Tue	8:00 am	Scrip Sales	Lovers LN
	Tue	9:00 am	Rosary Prayer Group	Marian RM
Feb 24	Wed	8:00 am	Recitation of the Rosary	HR Church
	Wed	8:00 am	Scrip Sales	HR Auditorium
	Wed	9:45 am	BJKM MASS	Lovers Lane
	Wed	9:45 am	BJKM MASS	Rosemont
	Feb 25	Thur	8:00 am	Recitation of the Rosary
Thur	9:30 am	Communion & Liberation	Marian RM	
Thur	6:30 pm	Soup/ Priesthood and the Diaconate	HR Auditorium	
Thur	7:00 pm	RCIA	Marian RM	
Feb 26	Fri	8:00 am	Recitation of the Rosary	HR Church
	Fri	8:00 am	Scrip Sales	HR Auditorium
	Fri	12:00	Holy Name Soup Kitchen	HN Auditorium
	Fri	12:05	Stations of the Cross	HN Church
	Fri	1:00 pm	Scrip Sales	HR Auditorium
	Fri	7:00 pm	Stations of the Cross	HR Church
	Fri	8:00 pm	Spirit & Truth	HR Church
Feb 27	Sat	10:00 am	Sacrament of Reconciliation	HR Church
	Sat	9:00 am	L.A.M.P	HN Auditorium
Feb 28	Sun	6:30	Sr. High Youth Ministry	HR Auditorium

EDGE SPRING RETREAT: Theme Unchanging: Friday March 26th, 4:00pm—Saturday, March 27, 9:00pm Gilmary Retreat Center Grade 6 thru 8 cost is \$50.00. More information will be given at our weekly EDGE meeting for questions contact Joe Scancella at 732 597-3690 or jscancella001@steudent.franciscan.edu

HOUSE FOR RENT: 3139 Portland Avenue We are offering this house for rent. The monthly rent is \$600.00 plus all utilities. Please send to Fr. Nau, your name and phone number and I will contact you to discuss this.

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DIOCESAN RETREATS FOR MEN AND WOMEN:

FOR MEN: "Persevering Faith" is a Lenten retreat for the men of the Diocese of Steubenville. This will be conducted on Saturday, March 13, 2010 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 400 Fourth Street, Marietta, Ohio 45750.

- ❖ The day begins with a presentation by **Mr. Chris Horn**. He is a former American football wide receiver. Chris and his family are devote Roman Catholics and are residing in Phoenix, Arizona. Chris speaks regularly as a part of the Catholic Athletes for Christ ministry.
- ❖ There will be reconciliation service and lunch.
- ❖ The second session is by Deacon Ralph Poyo who has been in ministry for over 20 years. He is the founder of New Evangelization Ministries, the husband of Susan and father of five daughters. He enjoys, hiking, soccer, and tennis.
- ❖ The Day concludes with Mass celebrated by Bishop Conlon.

The cost for the day is \$20.00. Registration forms available at the church entrance.

FOR WOMEN: The annual Lenten Retreat sponsored by the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will be held on March 13-14 at Paul VI Center, in Wheeling WV. Father Timothy McGuire is the retreat director. Registration begins at 1:00 p.m. on **Saturday, March 13** and the retreat concludes with Mass at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 14. Over a period of about 26 hours, there is time for reflection and private meditation, spiritual time with our retreat director and confession. We also pray the Stations of the Cross and the Rosary. Reservations may be made through your CWC president (Triumph of the Cross does not have one yet.) or by contacting DeDe Kidder, DCCW President (740-544-5925) or Mary Kay Foit, DCCW Treasurer (740-543-3354). The cost is \$75.00 which includes a double room and meals. Deadline for registration is March 1, 2010.

9th ANNUAL TRI-STATE FERTILITY CARE

CENTER SEMINAR: March 13, 2010 Serbian American Cultural Center Weirton, WV. Featuring Keynote Speaker Dr. Thomas W. Hilgers Founder of the Creighton Fertility Care System. This event is brought to you in part by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh, Steubenville, and Wheeling-Charleston. For Details:

www.tri-statefertilitycarecenters.com

CONDOLENCES: (CCC 1405)

"There is no surer pledge or clearer sign of this great hope in the new heavens and new earth 'in which righteousness dwells,' than the Eucharist. Every time this mystery is celebrated, 'the work of our redemption is carried on' and we 'break the one bread that provides the medicine of immortality, the antidote for death, and the food that makes us live forever in Jesus Christ.'" With this great hope we pray for our sister who has died:

Edith Milosevich, 93, February 8

May she enjoy the eternal banquet the Lord has prepared for her.



Respect for Life: Writer Frederica Mathewes-Green has pointed out that: "No woman wants an abortion as she wants an ice cream cone or a Porsche. She wants an abortion as an animal caught in a trap wants to gnaw off its own leg."



Thank You For The Memorial Contributions

James S. Chanoski by Edward S. Chanoski
Elverda M. Chanoski by Edward S. Chanoski



For your Prayer Request please contact
Lil Meronoff @264-5782

Triumph of the Cross Mass Intentions Feb.20-28

Sat 20	4:00 PM	at HN	People of the Parish
	4:00 PM	at HR	Pauline Pentl by Mike and Kathy Lally
Sun 21	8:30 AM	at HR	Marsha Doyle by Stan Doyle
	10:00 AM	at HR	Joseph Loizzo, Sr. by Holy Rosary Church Choir
	10:30 AM	at HN	People of the Parish
	11:30 AM	at HR	James McMenamin by Loretta and Larry Tomassilli
	5:30 PM	at HR	Walter Habash by Abie, Rita and Mary Ann Habash
Mon 22	7:00 AM	at HN	Valentino Agresta by Mafalda Agresta and Family
	8:30 AM	at HR	Argia Zumpano by Clara Cozza
	6:30 PM	at HR	Frances DiCarlo by Mr. and Mrs. Jose
Tue 23	7:00 AM	at HN	John J. Borsch by Cousin, Helen Ponzurick
	8:30 AM	at HR	Jim McMenamin by Frank and Rose Sciarra
Wed 24	7:00 AM	at HN	Cora Kubina by Victor and Jean Zrinyi
	8:30 AM	at HR	Rose Meek by Bill, Lois and Betty
Thu 25	7:00 AM	at HN	Valentino Agresta by Mafalda Agresta and Family
	8:30 AM	at HR	John William Sciance by Leo and Theresa Karpinski
Fri 26	7:00 AM	at HN	Jim McMenamin by Squire and Anna Mae Wilson
	8:30 AM	at HR	JoAnn Mininni by Tom Sciarra
Sat 27	8:30 AM	at HR	Richard Cosentino by Family
Sat 27	4:00 PM	at HN	Schmitt Family by Cecelia Kennedy
	4:00 PM	at HR	People of the Parish
Sun 28	8:30 AM	at HR	JoAnn Mininni by Lillian Mininni Totin and George Totin
	10:00 AM	at HR	David Bodo by Phyllis and Family
	10:30 AM	at HN	Ruggiero Manfreda by Manfreda and Perrone Families
	11:30 AM	at HR	James McMenamin by Margaret and Tom Petrella
	5:30 PM	at HR	Brandon D'Andrea by Skater Family

P RAYER Line
Please keep

in your prayers

- Sophie Sanders,**
- Mary Kanoskie,**
- Neil Yates,**
- Regis Mieczkowski,**
- Cory Thomas,**
- Michael Karpinski,**
- Harry Andrews,**
- Gertie DiLoreto,**
- Carmela Senatore,**
- Bobby Secret,**
- Ronald Moody,**
- Mike Buchko,**
- Madeline,**
- Karen Sabol,**
- Ed Klonawiski,**
- Stella Wilson,**
- John Allen,**
- Ed Calabria,**
- Nancy Olszewski,**
- Evan O'Donnell,**
- Susan Jordan,**
- Stanley Hranek,**
- Richard DiBias,**
- Michelle Zydell**
- Stanley Abramowicz.**