

JANUARY 14, 2007: SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE CALENDAR:

Sunday, January 14: Second Sunday of Year

Monday, January 15: Weekday

Hebrews 5:1-10; Mark 2:18-22

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Albert & Clara Schmitmeyer

7:00 p.m. RCIA (D):

Tuesday, January 16: Weekday

Hebrews 6:10-20; Mark 2:23-28

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Gary Bey

7:00 p.m. Grief Group (D)

7:00 p.m. Finance Commission meeting (D)

Wednesday, January 17: St. Anthony

Hebrews 7:1-3, 15-17; Mark 3:1-6

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Ruby Subler

7:00-8:00 p.m. CCD (HF and D) Penance after CCD at SD

Thursday, January 18: Weekday

Hebrews 7:25—8:6; Mark 3:7-12

60th Wedding Anniversary: Gus and Norma Barga. Congratulations

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Cecilia Monnin

8:45-8:30 p.m. Exposition (Benediction at 8:30 p.m.)

3:00-4:00; 7:00-8:00 Sacrament of Penance

Friday January 19: Weekday

Hebrews: 8:6-13; Mark 3:13-19

6:30 a.m. Communion Liturgy

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Wilfred Link

Saturday, January 20: Weekday

Hebrews 9:2-3, 11-14; Mark 3:20-21

9-11:00 Servers Training

11:00-1:00 Eucharistic Ministers Training

3:45-4:45 Sacrament of Penance

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Ralph Mescher

Sunday, January 21: Third Sunday of the Year

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners (Baptism)

8:30 a.m. Youth Breakfast (D)

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners

1:00 p.m. Baptismal Program

2:00-4:00 Confirmation Session

6:00 p.m. Pilgrimage for Life

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday: Ezra celebrates the sacredness of the word of God (Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10). God's word gives life and Spirit (Psalm 19). Christ's body, like all bodies, has many part (1 Corinthians 12:12-30). Luke carefully researches for his gospel and relates Jesus' experience in Nazareth (Luke 1:1-4; :14-21).

BAPTISM

The next pre-baptismal program will take place January 21 for new or expectant parents.

WEDDINGS AND MARRIAGES

Marriage Encounter, the weekend of February 16-18, can enhance your marriage. Please call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00. **Retrouaille** (French for Rediscovery) can help you save your marriage. Please call 1-800-470-2230 for more information.

PROJECT RACHEL, AFTER ABORTION

The Archdiocese sponsors Project Rachel for healing after abortion. Call 937-492-4449 for more information.

RCIA, INITIATION INTO THE CHURCH

The Rite for the Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) for both parishes meets on Mondays at 7:00 p.m. in the church basement.

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS January 20 & 21, 2007

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Saturday

Ushers: Group 4; *Lector:* Mike Rose

Eucharist: Ron Stauffer, Cheri Subler, Dan Subler (P) Tim Subler, Bryant Ahrens, Eric Batty, Christine Borchers, Cody Bruns, Kate Bruns, Danielle Condon, Ben Dapore (C) *Servers:* Joshua Paulus, Jason Marchal, Laura Subler

Gifts: Steve and Judy Cordonnier Family

8:00 a.m. (D): Sunday

Ushers: Group 9; *Lector:* Jane Pierron *Eucharist:* Joe Schmitmeyer, Linda Schmitmeyer, Kelly Schwieterman (P) Rich Schwieterman, Janice Schwieterman, Lauren Subler, Jerry Wilker, Cyndi Bey, Elaine Bohman, Ann Borchers, Ryan Borchers (C); *Servers:* Katie Schwieterman, Chad Knapke, Casey Rismiller

Gifts: Paul and Mary Jane Meyer

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF):

Ushers: Alan Stammen and Gene Kramer *Lector:* Ken Hartke; *Eucharist:* Bill Goettemoeller (P) Doris Goettemoeller and John Fischer (C); *Servers:* Mindy Heitkamp, Elizabeth Heitkamp and Jay Heitkamp **Gifts: Jeff Wuebker Family**

11:00 a.m. Mass (D):

Ushers: Group 13 & 14; *Lector:* Katie Goubeau *Eucharist:* Janet Turner, Tom Watren, Joe Gehret (P) Deacon Jack, Peggy Borgerding, Alena Barga, John Davis, Nicholas Eilerman, Jennifer Francis, Joe Gigandet, Lori Griesdorn (C); *Servers:* Matt Stover, Michael Heaton, Laura Condon

Gifts: Ron & Mary Gehret Family

VOCATION VIEWS

God's Spirit is given to each person for the common good. What are your gifts? Be willing to share them for the good of others.

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Do yoga to increase flexibility, kinesthetic awareness, strength and alertness. **Mind:** Set goals that are reachable. **Spirit:** Say "thank you".

SOUP AND SALAD ON JANUARY 24

I like to share with you some of what I received at Christmas. My family gave me several soups. I opt for the Cheddar Broccoli Soup for this month's offering. Plan to attend; I'd like to see you. Please note that it is one week later than usual.

DIVORCECARE

DivorceCare is a series of talks on divorce and recovery topics beginning on January 25 at Holy Redeemer parish in New Bremen, OH. Call 937-492-4449 to register and for more information check out the flyers on the bulletin boards at the entrances to church.

JEAN GRIESHOP

"Thank you. I want to thank Father Dave, the staff and all of you, for the support and well wishes. I have been not only blessed by the opportunity to serve, but am blessed by all of you. I intend to continue to serve in the church as my work schedule allows. God bless. – Jean"

HALL OR BASEMENT RENTALS

Unless you have a jubilee of marriage to celebrate this year, please do not call us to rent the basement or the hall until January 15.

NOTICE: Confirmation Session Change!

The first session on January 21 will be from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the St. Denis Church basement.

FATHER DAVE

I found out last weekend that you listen to my homilies. Several of you pointed out that I had neglected to mention the religious vocation last Sunday. I did not mention it on purpose. I wanted to emphasize the vocations strengthened by sacraments, the vocations to holy orders and to marriage. The commitment of our married couples to their sacramental vocation enables the ordained priests and deacons remain committed to their sacramental vocation. The commitment of the ordained to their sacramental vocation enables married couples to remain faithful to their sacramental vocation.

I could have mentioned that God calls some people to live as widows or widowers, some as divorced people, others as unmarried and celibate people. He also calls some to the religious life in monasteries, in convents or among the people in ordinary houses. He also calls people to volunteer work, to professional work, to other kinds of work. I could not mention all last week, but I wanted to emphasize those who receive a special sacrament with their vocation. At some other time, I may mention other vocations.

LITURGY: OUR YEAR REVOLVES AROUND EASTER, 2

What importance does Easter have? The fact that we spend one seventh of each week and one seventh of each year celebrating it should give us the idea that it has great importance. Every Sunday celebrates the resurrection, which explains why we use the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary on all Sundays. The Easter Triduum and the Easter season take up fifty-three days, one seventh of the year.

The season of Lent lasts forty days, from the first Sunday of Lent to the afternoon of Holy Thursday. The first four days of Lent came into the calendar later. In the Liturgy of the Hours, we use the psalms for the fourth week for these days rather than the psalms for the first week, as we normally do at the start of liturgical season. The Liturgy of the Hours has arranged the 150 psalms into a four-week cycle.

The Advent and Christmas season together take up forty-three of forty-four days, depending on what day of the week Christmas comes on. Ordinary Time, which means the times marked by ordinal numbers takes either thirty-three or thirty-four weeks.

Taken together the year takes up either 365 or 366 days.

MARRIAGE ANNULMENT PROCESS

There will be a Tribunal Cases Informational Evening on Tuesday, January 16, from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at the Transfiguration Center for Renewal at Ludlow Fall. Representatives from the Tribunal office will speak on the Declaration of Nullity process and the understanding of the Church's teachings on it. Call the Family Life Office at 937-492-4449 for details and directions.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

Wilma Didier, Almareda Bruns and Linda Pohlman will clean Holy Family church this week.

BLOOD DRIVE

There will be a blood drive from 1:00-7:00 p.m. tomorrow at the Versailles K of C Hall. Photo ID with social security number is required.

WELCOME

We welcome all here, whether longtime residents or newly-arrived, whether Catholic or not, whether interested in the Catholic Church or not. If you have a comment or would like to register or give a change of address, please fill out the form below and put it in the collection basket or mail it to the office.

Name: _____ Address: _____
ZIP: _____ Phone: _____



The steward tasted the water now turned into wine. John 2:9

**COLLECTION
January 7, 2007**

Holy Family	
Loose (35)	\$ 199.00
Envelopes (45)	\$ 736.00
Total	\$ 935.00
St Denis	
Loose (204)	\$ 898.10
Envelopes (234)	\$ 3140.00
Total	\$ 4038.10

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MANY THANKS

YOUTH MINISTRY

Stuebenville Youth Conference: We have sent in the registrations for the Stuebenville Youth Conference for July 15-17. We have booked extra spots so you can still register by turning in a \$30.00 deposit.

Winter Pancake Breakfast: The winter pancake breakfast will be Sunday, January 21, 2007 with a piping hot breakfast of pancakes, sausage, eggs, coffee, and juice. All proceeds will go to the youth ministry fund.

Right to Life March Washington D.C.: The youth ministry is offering a trip to Washington D.C. for the annual right to life march. Information sheets are available at the youth office or by contacting Mike at 526-4945.

Junior High Snow Tubing Changed to Ice Skating: Because of the warm weather all snow tubing courses are currently closed. Therefore, instead of snow tubing, we will go to Hobart Arena for ice skating. We will meet at St. Denis Church parking lot at 11:45 a.m. on Monday, January 15. The cost will be \$4.50 for 15 and older and \$3.75 for 14 and younger. Skate rental will be \$2.25. Forms and flyers are available at the church exits or by contacting Mike.

TRAINING SESSIONS FOR MASS

We have scheduled training sessions as follows:

Ushers and Greeters: January 15 at Mary Help of Christians Church in Fort Recovery at 7:00 p.m.

Serving Mass: Saturday, January 20 from 9:00 to 11:00 (D).

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist (Distributors):

Saturday, January 20, from 11:00 to 1:00 (D).

and Saturday, February 3, from 9:00 to 11:00 (D).

Lectors: Saturday, February 3, from 11:00 to 1:00 (D).

Communion to the Sick or Shut-ins (If you take Communion to a relative, to another parishioner or shut-in, please attend this meeting. If you took this in the spring, you do not need to take it now.): Saturday, February 10 from 11:00 to 1:00 (HF).

If you cannot make these, please call the office.



Pilgrimage for Life

Sunday Evening, January 21, 6:00 p.m. We will meet at Holy Family Community Hall where we will have a chili supper. We will then caravan in cars to St. Denis Church parking lot where we will begin a candlelight vigil through downtown Versailles. We will pray a rosary during the procession which will conclude at St. Denis Church where a short prayer service will end the event. All are welcome!