# JULY 10, 2005: THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### THE CALENDAR:

Monday, July 11 St. Benedict

Exodus 1: 8-14, 22; Matthew 10:34-11:1

8:00 a.m. No Mass (D): Communion Liturgy

Tuesday, July 12 Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

Exodus 2:1-15a; Matthew 11:20-24

3:00 a.m. Mass (D): Richard and Pat Wuebker

Wednesday, July 13 Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

Exodus 3:1-6, 9-12; Matthew 11:25-27

8:00 a.m. No Mass (D): Communion Liturgy

12:00 Noon Prayer Hour (HF)

Thursday, July 14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha

Exodus 3:13-20; Matthew 12:28-30 8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Esther Grillot

Exposition after Mass; Benediction at 8:30 p.m. (D)

Friday, July 15 Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

Exodus 11:10-12:14; Matthew 12:1-8

**8:00 a.m.** No Mass (D): Communion Liturgy

Saturday, July 16 Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

Exodus 12:37-42; Matthew 12:14-21 3:45 – 4:45 Sacrament of Penance

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Marshal and Drees Families

Sunday, July 17: Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Romans 8:26-27; Matthew 13:24-43

8:00 a.m. Mass (D) Hubert and Naomi Pequignot Family

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): Lloyd Mangen 11:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners

#### **WEDDINGS AND MARRIAGES**

*Marriage Encounter*, the weekend of July 15-17, can enhance your marriage. Please call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00. *Retrouvaille* can help you save your marriage. Please call 1-800-470-2230.

# PROJECT RACHEL, AFTER ABORTION

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

#### BAPTISMS

Parents must attend a baptismal program before they present their children for baptism. Future dates of program are: July 10, September 11 and November 6, 2005. The next program will be held at 1:00 p.m. today in the church basement.

# **WEDDINGS**

Congratulations to Melissa Krueger and Aloysius Rahm who were married here yesterday. Kara Subler and Nicholas Cebulko plan to marry here on July 30. Lisa Grilliot and Scott Brooks plan to marry at St. Bernard, Burkettsville, OH on July 30.

# ST. DENIS COLLECTION ENVELOPES

Please stop in the back of church and pick up new collection envelopes for your family. Each family has a box reserved for them.

### **TEEN NIGHT- WARD PARK POOL**

A teen pool party with music, pizza and swimming will be held on Friday, July 15 from 7:30 to 11:00 p.m. at the Ward park pool. Admission is \$3.00. All proceeds go to the Darke County Relay for Life for the American Cancer Society. Posters are on the bulletin boards. Co-sponsored by Phelan Insurance and Creek-Side Drive "N" Go. For questions call 526-3111.

# LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS July 16 & 17, 2005

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

Ushers: Group 3 Lector: Bethany Brandewie

Eucharist: Dave Huelskamp, Jane Pierron, Keith Pohlman (P) Ryan McMaken, Deb Phlipot, Marvin Pierron, Dan Saintignon, Bonnie Phlipot, Judy Pierron, Sandy Pierron, Therese Pohlman (C) Servers: Laura Subler, Jessica Barga, Joe Gehret, Brittany Reed

## Gifts: Dave & Cheryl Huelskamp

Ushers: Group 8; Lector: Robert Paulus

Eucharist: John Schmitmeyer, Jerry Wilker, Cyndi Bey (P) Matt Schmitmeyer, Lauren Subler, Laura Borchers, Orville Borchers, Molly Weaver, Walter Alexander, George Kuether, Lil Borchers (C) Servers: Madelyn Borchers, Cody Bruns, Tom Borchers, Ann Borchers

Gifts: Paul & Mary Jean Meyer

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

Ushers: Delbert and Adam Dirksen

Lector: Dena Wuebker Eucharist. Mary Ann Stucke (P) Melvin Stucke and Jamie Stucke (C) Servers: Craig and Jason Bergman and Rick Mayo

Gifts: Brad and Penny Henry Family

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

Ushers: Group 15; Lector: John Davis

Eucharist: Jessica Schulte, Becky Schwieterman, Janet Turner (P) Ted Schmitmeyer, Ryan Schmitmeyer, Michael Schmitmeyer, Jennifer Treon, Julie Schrader, Katie Schrader, Kristen Smith, Bryant Ahrens (C) Servers: Kelsey Treon, Maria Goubeaux, Michael Heaton, Matthew Heaton

Gifts: Richard Schwieterman Family

# **VOCATION VIEWS**

God is sowing seeds of a vocation to ordained ministry and consecrated life. Cultivate good soil in yourself and in your family. May the seed take root in your hearts.

### **WELLNESS TIPS**

**Body:** Floss daily. **Mind:** Learn how to play an instrument. **Spirit:** Mentor a child who is at high-risk.

## **CATHOLIC TELEGRAPH**

Please support our efforts to bring you the *Catholic Telegraph* by using the envelope in your boxes to pay for your subscription. Please make your check for \$22 payable to your parish.

## ST. MARIA'S COMMUNITY FARM

The parishes of St. Nicholas, Osgood and St. Louis, North Star are operating a produce stand for the benefit of the poor every Saturday beginning July 9 throughout the summer. It is located on St. Rt. 705 one mile east of U.S. Rt. 127. All proceeds and leftover produce are given to St. Vincent Hotel in Dayton.

# **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

July 25 – July 29: *Community Vacation Bible School* from 8:45 to 11:45 a.m. each day at St. Denis Church. This is open to children 4 years of age - going into the 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Cost is \$5 per child or \$15 per family with 3 or more children if registered before June 30. Late registration is \$6 per child. Registration forms are at all the entrances to St. Denis and Holy Family. Call Cheryl at 526-4391 for more information.

#### MESSAGE FROM FATHER PORTER

We have sent some changes into our bulletin company and they will revise our cover page. At the present time it is a little out of date.

I am at the parish office all day Tuesday and Thursday. I am also available for meetings when they fall on other days of the week. If you need me and I can help you – don't hesitate to contact me.

Our grounds and facilities committees will be looking at our churches and facilities during the month of July. If you have a suggestion for any improvement, either call the office at 526-4945 or send us a note. Your concern is always appreciated.

#### **NEW CHANGES**

We will be having a 8:00 a.m. Mass on the first Friday of each month. The sacrament of confession will be available every Thursday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass until 9:00 a.m.

### PASTORAL ASSOCIATE

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Jean Grieshop. I feel truly blessed to be a part of St. Denis and Holy family parish families. It will be an honor and a privilege to serve you. Please feel free to contact me with your needs, concerns or ideas. May God Bless each and every one of you as we go about doing His work.

#### **FAREWELL TO CINDY HENDERSON**

Cindy will be on vacation but will be joining us at the 8:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, July 24. There will be coffee and donuts in the basement of the church in her honor. Stop by and say farewell.

#### ST DENIS CCD NEWS

The First Communion group and individual pictures are available in the CCD office.

**Eucharist Retreat**: August 5 - 7, 2005 A family experience, at the Notre Dame University which begins at 6:00 p.m. This is sponsored by the Holy Cross Family Ministries. This retreat is for all ages, for more information call 1-800-299-pray or call 526-3957.

The Catholic Community, The Family & the Young Child is given at the Spiritual Center at Maria Stein, by Maria Rethman, Presenter on July 26, 2005 at 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. call 526-3957.

<u>To Teach as Jesus Did</u> (Catechetical Process) August 10, 17, 24, 31 at Precious Blood, Chickasaw, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. instructor Judy Russell.

What is the Church All About (Church: Vision, Mission, Ministry) Precious Blood, Chickasaw, August 10, 17, 24, 31, 2005, from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. Judy Russell, Instructor.

<u>Teachers Retreat for Holy Family & St. Denis on Sept. 7 at Transfiguration Center, West Milton, OH.</u> Details to come later. For information on all these events you may call 526-3957.

# CHRISTIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

The next men's fellowship breakfast is scheduled for Saturday, July 16 at 7:00 a.m. at the Inn of Versailles. Several men from St. Denis and other local churches are sponsoring this monthly breakfast with the purpose of providing an opportunity for men in the community to come together in prayer, reflection and fellowship as they support one another in strengthening their Christian beliefs. It is non-denominational and will be held to approximately one hour. All men interested in growing in their faith are invited to attend.

# **COME AND SEE RETREAT**

A retreat for women ages 18-45 who are considering a vocation to religious life, July 22-24, 2005, at the Sisters of the Precious Blood, Salem Heights, Dayton, OH. Call Sister Carolyn Hoying at 937-231-1244 for more information and registration.



COLLECTIONS July 3, 2005

Holy Family:

Sunday: \$ 823.25

St Denis:

Sunday: \$ 3,373.00

Thank You

### YOUTH MINISTRY #

Steubenville Retreat: One hundred and forty one people left on Friday for the Steubenville Youth Conference. Let us keep them in our prayers that this will be a spiritual experience that brings us all closer in our relationship with God.

**Young Apostle:** Julie Schrader has been chosen to be a Young Apostle, which is a leader at the Steubenville youth conference. She has been at the Franciscan University since Monday. Congratulations to Julie and may this be a tremendous experience for you.

Junior High Initiatives and High Ropes: We will sponsor a trip for Junior High students to experience initiatives and a high ropes course at Appleseed Ridge Camp in Lima, Ohio. Fifteen youth can go on the trip. Flyers and forms are at the youth office beginning July 5. The date for the experience is Thursday, July 21. We will stay overnight and return on Friday. This event is open to last year's seventh and eighth grade students.

*Training Christian Leaders:* Training Christian Leaders will be August 7-10 this year. Any 2005-2006 high school youth leader can attend. The cost is \$100.00 for the four-day event. This is a great experience! Interested leaders can sign up by contacting Mike ASAP.

Kentucky Work Camp: The Kentucky Work-Camp was an awesome experience again this year. We had such a rewarding experience of spiritual renewal through service. Thanks so much to all who contributed to this event. The people who donated money and or time made a huge difference. Thanks especially to all the adults who went on the trip and led work crews. You are all absolutely awesome!!!

# **PARISH NURSE NEWS**

Farewell: "The earth has yielded its harvest; God, our God blesses us." Psalm 67:7

When the work is done we enjoy the harvest. The harvest of the last three years here has brought me a bounty of new friends and great memories. Thank you for everything and may God continue to bless the work you do. May He prosper the work of our hands!

# **CPR AND AED TRAINING**

CPR and AED training will be held on Saturday, July 23 from 8:30 to 12:30 p.m. in the St. Denis church basement. We still need more volunteers to learn both of these live saving techniques. Call the parish office if you can help.

### STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING

The Steering Committee will meet with Jim Brown at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, July 18 in the church basement. Please plan to attend. If you are unable to attend please notify Chris Borchers, chairperson for the committee.