



CHURCHES OF

Holy Family

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St. Denis

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Mission Statement

As a parish community, Holy Family and St. Denis Family Parishes are united in our mission to glorify God.

Mass Schedule:

Sunday: (Location D = Denis; HF = Holy Family) Eve: 5:00 p.m. (D) Day: 8:00 a.m. (D) 9:30 a.m. (HF) 11:00 a.m. (D)	Weekdays (except for funerals) 8:00 a.m. (D) Reconciliation (Sacrament of Penance) Thursday: 3:00-4:00 p.m. & 7:00-8:00 p.m. (D)
Holy Day Eve: 6:30 p.m. (D) Day: 6:30 a.m. (D) 3:30 p.m. (D) 7:30 p.m. (HF)	Saturday: 3:45-4:45 p.m. (D) Other times by appointment.

Programs and Services:

Prayer Chain, Ginny Moorman	526-4945
Health, Wellness, Grieving, Home Visits	526-4945
Baptismal Program, Joyce Liette	526-9117
"Elizabeth Blessings," Jeanne Turpen	526-4664
Emergency Meals, Kathy Miller	526-3836
Soup and Salad, Rosemary Paulus	526-4232

Offices located at:

14 E. Wood Street, Versailles, OH 45380-1440

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Holy Family Church: Intersection of Burns Road and S.R. 185.

St. Denis Church: Corner of Second Street and E. Wood Street.

Sacrament of the Sick

We celebrate the Anointing of the Sick at the first signs of serious illness or weakness, or immediately in case of emergencies. Please call the Rectory.

Communion to the Sick

We bring communion to the sick. Please call the Rectory to schedule Sunday communion in your home.

Bulletin Deadline

Monday at 12:00 noon

Pastor

Rev. David P. Vincent

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Rev. Mr. Jack Borgerding

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Natural Family Planning

Eric & Nicole Voisard 526-3305

Pregnancy Help Center

937-547-1112

Maintenance Engineer

Louis J. Huber

Baptisms

We usually baptize on Sundays, at Mass or after Mass, by appointment (526-4945).

Marriages

We ask you to contact a Pastor at least eight months in advance so that we can help you prepare for marriage.

RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Jane Pierron (526-4002)

A process for looking at the Catholic Church to see if God has called the person to the Catholic Church and a process for entering the Catholic Church.

Newcomers Welcome!

We invite you to register in the parish as soon as possible. You may do so after Mass or by phone (526-4945).

October 5, 2008: TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, October 5: Twenty-Seventh Week (October Count)

BBQ Chicken dinners at K of C Hall (CYO Basketball)

Monday, October 6: Weekday

Galatians 1:6-12; Luke 10:25-37

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Mary M. Poeppelman

3:15-4:15 CCD (D) grades 1-6

7:00 p.m. Second graders' parents meeting (D)

7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting (D) Church basement

Tuesday, October 7: Our Lady of the Rosary

Galatians 1:13-24; Luke 10:38-42

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Doug & Craig Meier

7:30 p.m. Pastoral Council meeting (D)

Wednesday, October 8: Weekday

Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14; Luke 11:1-4

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Special Intention

5:00-6:30 Community Supper (Lutheran Church)

7:00-8:00 CCD (D) grades 7-12; (HF) 1-12

Thursday, October 9: SOLEMNITY OF ST DENIS, BISHOP

2 Maccabees 6; 2 Corinthians 6:4-10; Psalm 126; Matthew 5:13-16

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Rose and Pete Baltes

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

3:00-4:00 & 7:00-8:00 p.m. Sacrament of Penance

Friday, October 10: Weekday

Galatians 3:7-14; Luke 11:15-26

6:30 a.m. Communion Liturgy (D)

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Simons/Grilliot Families

Saturday, October 11: Weekday (High School Fall Retreat)

Galatians 3:22-29; Luke 11:27-28

3:45-4:45 Sacrament of Penance (D)

1:30 p.m. Berger/Guendelsberger Wedding

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Norma Jean Gigandet

Sunday, October 12: Twenty-Eighth Sunday

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

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

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

Pork Loin dinners at K of C Hall (Right to Life)

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

In what ways have you experienced God's generosity in the context of your giving? How do you practice restraint in using the world's goods? The Readings: Isaiah 25:6-10a; Psalm 23; Philippians 4:12-20; Matthew 22:1-14.

BAPTISM

The next pre-baptismal program for new or expectant parents will take place on October 19 at 1:00 p.m. If you want a baptism in November or December, please attend the October program, as the next program will happen in January. Please call the office to register. Last Sunday we welcomed into the church through baptism: Nicholas John Meyer, Brody Christopher Barga, Jennifer Elaine Wendel, Benjamin Robert Pitsenbarger, Ava Nicole Billenstein, and Reed Henry Grilliot.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Marriage Encounter, (October 10-12 at Lancaster, KY and November 10-12 at Maria Stein, OH) 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. Call 513-58870080 or email pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com for more information.

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS October 12, 2008

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Saturday: October 11

Ushers: Group 1; *Lector*: Gary Huelskamp

Eucharist: Barbara Monnin, Sandy Pierron, Tom Watren (P); Ryan Rose, Dan Subler, Tim Subler, Jennifer Treon, Cheri Subler, Kathy Wood, Bryant Ahrens, Christine Borchers

Servers: Laura Subler, Jessica Barga, Emily Harman

Gifts: Volunteers

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Sunday, October 12 *Deacon Jack*

Ushers: Group 10; *Lector*: Jeff Keiser

Eucharist: Michael Liette, Sharon Pepiot, Dan Saintignon (P); Justine Raterman, Joe Schmitmeyer, Linda Schmitmeyer, Rich Schwieterman, Kelly Schwieterman, Ron Stauffer, Reyna Shardo

Servers: Adam Borchers, Joshua Borchers, volunteer

Gifts: Jerry & JoAnn Wilker

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

Ushers: Brad Bruns and Mark Stucke; *Lector*: Ken Hartke

Eucharist: John Fischer (P), Irene and Urban Gehret (C);

Servers: Justin Bruns, Brittany Bruns and Kacie Lawrence

Gifts: Bob and Lisa Mayo Family

Cleaning: Barb Heckman, Irene Broering, Mary Hartke

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

Ushers: Group 11; *Lector*: Bob Goubeaux

Eucharist: Therese Pohlman, Betty Poly, Matt Schmitmeyer, (P); Kathy Grilliot, Kevin Grilliot, Mary Prakes, Abbey Schlater, John Schmitmeyer, Marlene Schmitmeyer, Michael Schmitmeyer, Ted Schmitmeyer *Servers*: Samuel Prakes, Bailey DeMange, Laura Condon *Gifts*: Kevin Grilliot Family

VOCATIONS

Let go of worry. Go to God in prayer. Then the peace of God will dwell in your heart and mind. Ask God to show you how to follow Jesus. (Philippians 4:6-9)

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Bend at the knees when lifting an object. *Mind*: Reward yourself for just being you. *Spirit*: Promote peace and non-violence in your community.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Blood Pressure Screening: next weekend after all the Masses.

Farmers Market on village square: October 18; 9:00 a.m.

Fr. Mitchell Pacwa, S.J. will speak on "St. Paul: Steward of the Mysteries" and "Mary and the Eucharist: Mary's relationship to the Eucharist" Sunday, October 26, 14 p.m. at the Maria Stein Spiritual Center. Donation \$10 per person.

SERVERS, DISTRIBUTORS, LECTORS AND MUSICIAN

Every year at this time, we welcome new people into serving Mass (Grades 6-12 and adult), giving out Holy Communion, and proclaiming the Sacred Scriptures at Mass (Grades 8-12 and adult) and leading the music at Mass. For the choir, please see Bob after the 8:00 Mass. For the others, look for a form in a future bulletin.

WEDDINGS

Erin Berger and Michael Guendelsberger plan to marry at St. Denis on Saturday, October 11. Nicole Zumberger and Nicolas Dirksen will marry at St. Francis, Cranberry Prairie on October 18.

FATHER DAVE

To go on pilgrimage means to undertake a journey with some peril. To go on pilgrimage also means to meet God in unexpected places and situations. On Friday, September 19, we pilgrims set out for the basilica of St Francis for Mass and a walking tour of Assisi, the home of Sts Francis and Clare. We celebrated Mass at the tomb of St Francis. The following Thursday, we celebrated Mass in the Catacomb of St Callistus. We celebrated one evening in English and Italian with a convent of nuns of the Order of St Clare; they sang in Italian; we had English for the first reading and Italian for the gospel; when I preached our guide translated into Italian. We celebrated the Liturgy of the Hours with Franciscan Friars, took part in processions, in one of which I got to help lead the litany. We met saints, some whose bodies lie among us and some whose bodies still move like ours. I think all of us pilgrims experienced many instances of grace.

LITURGY

The liturgical calendars of our parishes come from the archdiocesan variations to the national liturgical calendar, which has added variations to the universal Church calendar. While the other calendars regard October 9 as an optional memorial, the parish of St Denis celebrates it as a solemnity honoring St Denis, the bishop and martyr, using three readings, the Glory to God and the Creed. For this parish, the Solemnity of St Denis outranks all other celebrations, except funerals. At Holy Family Parish the Feast of the Holy Family outranks all other celebrations of that day.

COMMUNITY SUPPER – ALL WELCOME
Every Wednesday, 5:00-6:30
At Trinity Lutheran Church
We cook next on October 15.

BIBLE STUDY

We will again have Bible study once a week on Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. in Kathy Wood's home. We will discuss each week's readings. Whether you are a beginner or an experienced bible reader, consider joining us. Call Kathy at 526-4465 or JoAnn Wilker at 448-2665.

RIGHT TO LIFE NOTICES

Please use the envelope in your collection box for the annual Respect Life appeal today.

Life Chain, today, October 5, 1:30-2:30 p.m. in Greenville at the RL office (206 Wagner Ave.) at 1:15. An open house follows.

Pork Loyn Dinner, Sunday, October 12, 11-1:00 p.m. at K of C Hall to benefit the Darke Co. Right to Life. Call 526-3324 or 419-582-4060 for tickets. Cost: \$6.00

FALL REFLECTION DAY

"Opening the Treasure: The Gift of the Present", a day of enrichment for people of all ages on Saturday, October 22, 9:30-11:45 a.m. at the Sister of Precious Blood at Salem Height in Dayton, OH. Call 937-279-0871 by October 6. (Free-will donations).

OCTOBER COUNT

We ask the ushers discreetly to take the attendance of all Masses in October. Discreetly means not during the readings of Scripture or Eucharistic Prayer.

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: _____



Go out to the thoroughfares,
 and invite everyone you can
 find to the wedding feast

COLLECTION
September 28, 2008

Holy Family	
Envelopes (49)	\$ 830.00
Loose (38)	\$ 174.00
Total	\$1004.00
Fund Drive	
(Total = \$53,540)	\$ 150.00
St Denis	
Envelopes (193)	\$ 3523.00
Loose (164)	\$ 896.76
Total	\$ 4419.76
Capital Improve.	\$ 10.00

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MANY THANKS

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Fall Retreat: Can You Hear Me Now? Is the theme of the annual Fall Retreat, October 11-12, beginning at 3:00 p.m., Camp Brookside Girl Scout Camp, east of Sidney. God is calling! Get connected, clear the static, and hear his voice. It costs \$20.00 which provides meals Saturday night and a T-shirt. Turn in consent forms and money. Extra flyers/forms are available at all of the church exits.

Junior High Youth Ministry: This Wednesday, 6:15 p.m. to 6:55 before CCD, beginning on October 8 (separate from high school youth ministry). All junior high students are encouraged to attend.

Diggin In: This in-depth series of six sessions starts this Wednesday 8:00 to 9:00 p.m. after CCD. Flyers are available at the youth office or by contacting Mike. Turn in your permission slips as soon as possible. The first session is this Wednesday, October 8.

CCD NEWS

Teacher recognition and blessing: Next Sunday at the 9:30 and 11:00 Masses we shall commission our teachers and introduce them to you. We shall then invite them and their families to lunch in the basement of St Denis Church after the 11:00 Mass.

Meeting for parents of Second Graders: a meeting tomorrow at St Denis Church from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. (Penance and Communion)

Meeting for parents of Ninth Graders: a meeting Tuesday, October 14 at St Denis Church from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. (Confirmation)

We need a teacher for Grade 6 and 10 at St Denis. Please call Linda at the CCD office at 526-3957.

Grades 1 to 6 will receive questionnaires on Mary. Grades 7 to 12 will receive packets of questions on St Paul. We ask the parents to help their children complete these projects.

CHURCH CAMPAIGN		
Percent	Over	Pledged
136.00	14540	Paid
146.15	57000	
136.00	53170	1415
130.77	51000	52125
119.67	46670	
115.38	45000	
107.69	42000	
105.37	41095	
100.00	39000	
75.00	28,250	
50.00	18500	
25.00	9750	
20.00	7800	
10.00	3900	
Goal	39000	53,540

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH WALLS

You can still donate. All extra funds will go for repairs of Holy Family parish property. We shall use some of the extra funds to cover the windows and wooden posts on the porch of the rectory with protecting wrap to save them from further deterioration.