



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:

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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

Deacon

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).

NOVEMBER 16, 2008: Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, November 16: Thirty-Third Sunday

Monday, November 17: St Elizabeth of Hungary

Revelation 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Luke 18:35-43

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Vera Schlater

11:30 a.m. Subs for Lunch

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

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

Tuesday, November 18: Weekday

Revelation 3:1-6, 14-22; Luke 19:1-10

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

11:30 a.m. Soup, Salad & Sandwich (D)

1:30 p.m. Mass (VHCC): Sebastian Kremer

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

7:30 p.m. Bible Study (Kathy Wood's Home)

Wednesday, November 19: Weekday

Revelation 4:1-11; Luke 19:11-28

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Juanita and Ken Booher

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

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

Thursday, November 20: Weekday

Revelation 5:1-10; Luke 19:41-44

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Peg and Terry Baltes

8:45-5:30 p.m. Exposition (Benediction at 5:30 p.m.) (Note Time)

3:00-4:00 Sacrament of Penance

Friday, November 21: Presentation of Blessed Virgin Mary

Revelation 10:8-11; Luke 19:45-48

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

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Mary and Vitalis Barga

6:30-12:00 Senior High "Prepare the Way"

Saturday, November 22: St. Cecilia

Revelation 11:4-12; Luke 20:27-40

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

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

Sunday, November 23: Christ the King

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

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

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

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

How do you pay attention to the final coming of the Lord? What closeness do you feel toward loved ones who have died? Readings: Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; Psalm 128; 1 Thessalonians 5:1-5; Matthew 25:14-30.

BAPTISM

The next pre-baptismal program for new or expectant parents will take place in January. Please call the office to register.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Marriage Encounter, 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 513-588-0080 or email pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com for more information.

REST IN PEACE

Robert Poly died and received Christian burial on November 13. Rita Baltes died and received Christian burial on November 14. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS November 23, 2008

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Saturday: November 22

Ushers: Group 3; *Lector:* Zita Henry

Eucharist: Kim Murphy, Jennifer Paulus, Bonnie Phlipot (P); Brian Kramer, Sharon Kramer, Jane Pierron, Marvin Pierron, Judy Pierron, Sandy Pierron, Ryan rose, Cheri Subler (C);

Servers: Morgan Middendorf, Bailey Reed, Jessica Barga

Gifts: Steve and Judy Cordonnier Family

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Sunday, November 23

Ushers: Group 6 *Lector:* Randy Gump

Eucharist: Carl Meyer, Linda Meyer, Betty Poly (P); Michael Liette, Mary Jean Meyer, Paul Meyer, Jim Nerderman, Mary Lou Nerderman, Sharon Pepiot, Joanna Puthoff, Justine Raterman (C);

Servers: Adam Borchers, volunteer

Gifts: Paul and Mary Jean Meyer

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

Ushers: Mark Kremer and Jim Pohlman

Lector: Judy Barga

Eucharist: Jamie Stucke (P), Mary Ann Stucke and Alan Stamm (C);

Servers: Justin Bruns, Brittany Bruns, and Kacie Lawrence

Gifts: Paul and Marsha Nieport

Cleaning: Louise Grilliot, Barb Marshal, Edna Grilliot

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

Ushers: Group 13; *Lector:* Elaine Bohman

Eucharist: Krista Harman, Matt Harman, Brian Griesdorn (P); Abbey Schlater, Krista Phlipot, Kathy Grilliot, Kevin Grilliot, John Schmitmeyer, Marlene Schmitmeyer, Kristen Schulte (C);

Servers: Marisa Coons, Katey Wendel, Kirstie Hartzell

Gifts: Ron and Mary Gehret Family

VOCATIONS

Think about what your God-given talents are. Help them to grow by sharing them with others. Discover the joy of service in ministry. (Matthew 25:14-30)

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Try an exercise that is new to you. *Mind:* Make a story to tell a child. *Spirit:* Discover the deeper meaning.

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Mary's (Greenville) Rosary Altar Society will hold their 36th annual Holiday Bazaar on November 15 - 16, 2008. For more information, contact: 937-548-1924.

Holiday Ball: St. Michael Hall, Ft. Loramie, OH, December 6, 7:00-12:00 p.m. Make reservations by November 15. Call 295-3375 or 295-3654 for more information

MAINTENANCE POSITION

After almost twenty-five years of loyal service to St. Denis church, Louis Huber will retire from his job as maintenance engineer on December 31. A job description and application forms will be available at the rectory office, Monday through Friday, 8:30 to 5:00 p.m., until December 1.

ST. ANN SODALITY

The St. Ann Sodality will hold election of officers at their November 25, 7:30 p.m. meeting at Holy Family parish hall.

The St. Ann Sodality will be collecting blankets for the St. Vincent De Paul Society from now until November 30. Please put the blankets in the boxes in the back of each church.

FATHER DAVE

My Dad's name lives on. My nephew named his firstborn son Vincent Nazaire. My grandparents named Dad after a martyr beheaded by Diocletian in Milan. The people of France seem to have a great devotion to him. Now, a hundred years after Dad's birth, there arises another to carry on the name. I think grandma and all the great-uncles and great-aunts approve of the naming of the child.

LITURGY

The unbaptized catechumen and the baptized Christian have different rights. The catechumen has a right to share in the Word of God, but not to share in the eucharist until baptized. The baptized Christian has a right to confirmation and to the eucharist as well as to the table of the Word of God.

The Church has two main paths leading to confirmation and eucharist for those baptized. Those baptized Catholic as infants follow one path and receive confirmation usually as teenagers and communion at the age of seven. Those above the age of reason who have received baptism in other denominations follow a different path and receive confirmation and eucharist when they make their profession of faith in the Catholic Church.

Unbaptized children of catechetical age seeking entry into the Catholic Church enter a period of formation in the catechumenate and receive baptism, confirmation and the eucharist at the Easter Vigil.

2008 CCHD COLLECTION

Nearly 37 million people in the United States live below the poverty line, and 13 million of those are children. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) works to create lasting solutions to the problem of poverty through real community change. Please donate prayerfully and generously next weekend to help those in poverty help themselves. Visit www.povertyusa.org to learn more.

FUNERAL DINNERS

Marlene Schmitmeyer has taken over leadership for funeral meals at St Denis. Please call her at 548-8765 if you can help in any way. She also needs someone who could take over for her if she is out town. Thanks to everyone who helps with this caring apostolate.

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: _____



Well done, good and faithful servant. You were faithful in small things; come into your master's joy.

**COLLECTION
November 9, 2008**

Holy Family
Envelopes (45) \$ 753.00
Loose (n/a) \$ 219.00
Total \$ 972.00

St Denis
Envelopes (198) \$ 3187.00
Loose (193) \$ 871.25
Total \$ 4058.25

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MANY THANKS

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Junior High Fall Party: Junior High youth ministry is sponsoring a fall party on Friday, November 14, 7:00-10:30 p.m., in the St. Denis church basement. The theme is Search for God, Scream for Jesus! There will be a scavenger hunt, games and pumpkin carving. All junior high students are welcome. Flyers and forms are available at CCD or the church exits.

Prepare the Way: An advent preparation experience is coming November 21. Forms and flyers are available at the church exits. This will be an intense spiritual renewal experience for high school students. There will be praise and worship, small groups, guest speakers, reconciliation and healing prayer. This is an opportunity for spiritual renewal right before the Advent season.

Junior High Youth Ministry: We will have Junior High Youth Ministry before CCD, this Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. All seventh and eighth grade students are welcome. Please bring your forms and money for the Fall Party.

Subs for Lunch: The next subs for lunch will be Monday, November 17 in the St. Denis church basement.

CCD NEWS

The students in grades 1 – 6 from both parishes are working on a packet about Mary. We are hoping the parents will help your child to understand the concepts and answer the questions. On November 24, we will have a program in the St. Denis Church basement for St. Denis and on November 19 for Holy Family. We invite the parents to join us for either program.

Grades 7 – 12 are also working on a packet about St. Paul and we thank the parents for helping the students in finishing these projects.

THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Thanks to all who worked on the program to commemorate the Faithful Departed last Sunday.

I learned a method of dealing with grief that has helped many people. The program addresses the emotional issues of loss and grief. Instead of focusing on the brain, it focuses on the heart, where the grieving person has a big "ouch". The program follows the outline given in *The Grief Recovery Handbook* authored by John W. James and Russell Friedman. The definition of grief that I used in my homily last Sunday came from these authors. I called grief "the conflicting feelings caused by the end of or change in a familiar pattern of behavior." I found it on page 3 of my copy of the book. I have about twenty copies of the book available.

I invite those who have lost loved ones, whether recently or long ago, as well as members of the Bereavement Committee to take part in the program. If you would like to take part in the program, please call the office and let me know what day of the week and time would work out best for you.