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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:

(Location D = Denis;			(except for funer	als)
HF = Holy Family)			8:00 a.m.	(D)
Eve:	5:00 p.m.	(D)	Reconciliation	
Day:	8:00 a.m.	(D)	(Sacrament of Pena	nce)
	9:30 a.m.	(HF)	Thursday:	
	11:00 a.m.	(D)	3:00-4:00 p.m.	8
Holy Day			7:00-8:00 p.m.	(D)
Eve:	6:30 p.m.	(D)	Saturday:	
	6:30 a.m.	(D)	3:45-4:45 p.m.	(D)
	3:30 p.m.	(D)	Other times	
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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

Deacor

Rev. Mr. Jack Borgerding

Secretary

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CCD

Linda Meyer 937-526-3957 ccd@stdenishf.org

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 Welcomel

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

JANUARY 25, 2009: THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, January 25: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

1:00 p.m. Baptismal Program (D)

Monday, January 26: Sts Timothy and Titus

2 Timothy 1:1-8; Mark 3:22-30

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): James P. Henry 11:30 a.m. Subs for Lunch (D) 3:15-4:15 CCD (D) grades 1-6

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

Tuesday, January 27: Weekday

Hebrews 10:1-10; Mark 3:31-35

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Margarette Drake
11:30 a.m. Soup, Salad and Sandwich (D)
7:30 p.m. Bible Study (Kathy Wood's Home)
Wednesday, January 28: St. Thomas Aquinas

Hebrews 10:11-18; Mark 4:1-20

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Delores Didier 7:00-8:00 CCD (D) grades 7-12; (HF) 1-12

Thursday, January 29 Weekday

Hebrews 10:19-25; Mark 4:21-25

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

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

3:00-4:00 Sacrament of Penance 7:00 p.m. RCIA (D) Rectory Friday, January 30: Weekday Hebrews 10:32-39; Mark 4:26-34

6:30 a.m. Communion Service 8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Paul Goubeaux Saturday, January 31: St. John Bosco

Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19; Mark 4:35-41

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Lloyd and Marie Mangen (Baptism)

(Blood Pressure screening)

Sunday, February 1: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners (Blood Pressure screening)
9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): Parishioners (Blood Pressure screening)

11:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners (Fr. Bensman) (B P)

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

How does your life reflect a call from God? If you had your life to live over, what would you want different? The Readings: Deuteronomy 18:15-20; Psalm 95; 1 Corinthians 7:32-35; Mark 1:12-28

BAPTISMS

The next pre-baptismal program for new or expectant parents will take place today at $1:00~\rm p.m.$ in the church basement. We will also offer the program in April, July and October. There will be a baptism at the $5:00~\rm Mass$ next Saturday.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Marriage Encounter, can enhance your marriage. Please call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00. *Retrouvaille* (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 <u>pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com</u> for more information.

REST IN PEACE

Lloyd Turner Jr. received Christian burial this past week. Please remember him and his family in your prayers.

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS February 1, 2009

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Saturday, January 31

Ushers: Group 1; Lector: Cindy Subler

Eucharist: Kim Murphy, Bonnie Phlipot, Judy Pierron (*P*); Sharon Kramer, Brian Kramer, Jane Pierron, Marvin Pierron, Sandy Pierron, Therese Pohlman, Ryan Rose, Cheryl Subler (*C*);

Servers: Laura Subler, Jessica Barga, John Barga

Gifts: Volunteers

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Sunday, February 1

Ushers: Group 8 Lector: Jennifer Treon

Eucharist: Carl Meyer, Linda Meyer, Betty Poly (P); Mary Jean Meyer, Paul Meyer, Jim Nerderman, Mary Lou Nerderman, Sharon Pepiot, Joanna Puthoff, Dan Saintignon, Rich Schwieterman (C);

Servers: Adam Borchers, Volunteer Gifts: Bob and Michelle Dircksen Family

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

Ushers: Rick Heitkamp and Alex Dirksen

Lector: Louise Grilliot

Eucharist: Urban Gehret (P), Irene Gehret and Deacon Jack

(C);

Servers: Brittany Bruns, Justin Bruns and Tyler Bruns

Gifts: Brad and Penny Henry Family

Cleaning: Betty Hess, Mary Lou Bornhorst, Madonna McEldownev

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

Ushers: Group 14 Lector: Bob Goubeaux

Eucharist: Kathy Grilliot, Kevin Grilliot, Beth Jokerst, (*P*); Tom Jokerst, Mitchell Jokerst, Matt Jokerst, Maria Goubeaux, Doris Goubeaux, Jennifer Paulus, Krista Harman, Matt Harman (*C*);

Servers: Joshua Paulus, Laura Paulus, Jordan Phillips

Gifts: Mike and Christy Prakel Family

VOCATIONS

The reign of God is now. Be willing to drop what you are doing to follow Jesus' call. Believe that God will give you what you need. (Mark 1:14-20)

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Park further from the door and enjoy the walk. **Mind:** Accept people for who they are and do not try to change them. **Spirit:** Take time every day for yourself.

WEDDINGS

Congratulations:

- o to Kelly Marie Pohlman and Eric John Coppess who married here yesterday;
- o to Eric Thomas Strausbaugh and Tricia Ann Bruns who plan to marry at St. Augustine, Minster on February 7;
- o to Tom and Norma Magoto for sixty years of marriage, on January 28 and
- o to Allen and Shirley Francis for twenty-fifth years, also on January 28,

AN EVENING TO CELEBRATE MARRIAGE

You are invited to a fun-filled evening to celebrate marriage on Saturday, February 21 at the Maria Stein Spiritual Center. It will include Mass, a dinner by candlelight, inspiring speakers, a newlywed game with great prizes. The cost is \$50 per couple. Call 419-678-8655 for reservations by February 13.

FATHER DAVE

Congratulations to Quincy and Stuart Baltes. Quincy received the Parvuli Dei Medal from the Archbishop last Sunday in the Cathedral and Stuart received the Light of Christ Emblem before the 9:30 Mass at Holy Family Church last week. The Light of Christ Emblem for younger Cub Scouts and the Parvuli Dei Emblem for older Cub Scouts, represent two of four religious emblems programs for Catholic in Boy Scouting. The Cub Scout emblems focus on the Cub and his family. The Ad Altare Dei Emblems focus on the sacraments for younger Boy Scouts. The Pope Pius XII emblem for older Scouts and members of Venture Crews, focuses on adult careers and vocations. Other religions and denominations have similar programs, supported and recognized by the Boy Scouts of America in keeping with the tenth point of the Scout Law, which teaches reverence to the Scout. The Catholic Church has similar programs for Girl Scouts and 4-H. Congratulations to Quincy and Stuart Baltes.

LITURGY

If we should ever digitalize Liturgy, it would fall apart. We can digitalize things, but we cannot digitalize human life. Technology tries to separate events into very distinct segments. We cannot do this with life or liturgy without destroying them; life proceeds in analog, not digital.

The technology that produced contraceptives has imposed the digital on life by separating procreation and education of children from each other. People no longer have to see marriage, sexual intercourse, conception, commitment, birth and other facets of human reproduction as intrinsically linked to one another. They can also view pregnancy as a disease. As a result, society in general has come to accept divorce, a lack of respect for marriage, increase of abortion, sexual activity as recreation and a tendency to see any union of two people as equivalent to marriage, despite the increase of venereal diseases.

Technology does not work on human life; it can destroy marriage, life and liturgy. Our liturgy, life and marriages work better as analog than as digital.

COMMUNITY SUPPER – ALL WELCOME Every Wednesday. 5:00-6:30 At Trinity Lutheran Church We cook February 18

SOUP, SALAD AND SANDWICH LUNCHEON January 27, 11:30-1:00 (beef and barley) St Denis Church basement

COUPLE TO COUPLE LEAGUE

The Couple to Couple League promotes Natural Family Planning. It will have a three-part series on the Sympto-thermal method on February 9, March 8 and April 5, 2009 in St. Remy rectory basement. Call 937-431-3936 or 526-3305.

Signed Mass: Next signed Mass, 11:00 a.m. on February 8.

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:



Jesus said, 'Come follow me ...' And at once they left their nets and followed him

COLLECTIONS January 18, 2009

 Holy Family

 Envelopes (45)
 \$773.00

 Loose (31)
 \$ 90.00

 Total
 \$863.00

St DenisEnvelopes (186) \$2863.50
Loose (200) \$ 929.50

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Winter Pancake Breakfast: Thanks for your support.

Steubenville Youth Conference: Group registration for the Steubenville Youth Conference 2009 was Monday, January 12. We have registered enough people to fill four buses. We have about fifteen open spots. Please turn in your \$30.00 deposit now to reserve one of these spots. Drop it off at office, church or CCD.

Subs for Lunch: Monday, January 26

St. Vincent DePaul: We need groups for Sunday April 5. Two families have volunteered for the other two dates. Call Mike to volunteer.

CYO Basketball: February 1, Sidney here at 12:30. Breakfast with the Lord: Friday, February 6.

Youth Ministry, Holy Family: Wednesday, February 4, 7:00 p.m.

Junior High Retreat: Coming up February 27-28.

CCD NEWS - WORKSHOP

"Creeds: A Summary of What We Believe", Thursdays, February 12 and 19 at Our Lady of Guadalupe, Montezuma, 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. The instructor will be Denise Warnecke. This workshop is open to anyone wishing to learn more about their faith. CCD teachers will get credit for their CCD teaching requirements. Contact Linda for more details.

CATHOLIC TELEGRAPH

The Catholic Telegraph is the official catholic newspaper of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. Please use the envelope in your box to pay the annual (51 issues) subscription. The cost is \$22. If you are not receiving a copy at this time and would like to start, please mark your envelope, "new subscription" and put it in the collection.

ISSUES ABOUT LIFE

Flu shots and Vitamin C can help keep us healthy this winter. Writing to our Congressman and senators can help prevent the introduction or passage of a freedom of choice act. We can argue that we do not need prevention, and maybe we do not, but perhaps we do. Many people have expressed concern over The Freedom of Choice Act. The name says one thing, but the reality would give some people no choice. The National Right to Life has provided postcards you can send to our lawmakers in Washington to urge them not to consider legislation like freedom of choice.

You should find postcards in the bulletin. Please send them, write a letter, send an e-mail or phone our senators and congressman. The Honorable Sherrod Brown, United States Senate, Washington DC 20510 (www.brown.senate.gov), 202-224-2315;

The Honorable George Voinovich, United States Senate, Washington DC 20510 (www.voinovich.senate.gov), 202-224-3353;

The Honorable John Boehner (8th District of Ohio), 1011 Longworth HOB, Washington DC 20515 (www.johnboehner.house.gov), 202-225-6205 or 800-582-1001.