



CHURCHES OF

Holy Family

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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

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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).

AUGUST 16: TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, August 16: Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m. Mass (D): Melvin and Mary Ann Stucke
(50th Wedding Anniversary)

Monday, August 17: Weekday

Judges 2:11-19; Matthew 19:16-22

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

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

Tuesday, August 18: Weekday

Judges 6:11-24a; Matthew 19:23-30

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

7:30 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting

Wednesday, August 19: Weekday

Judges 9:6-15; Matthew 20:1-16

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

5:00-6:30 p.m. Community Meal (Lutheran Church)

7:00 p.m. Worship Commission (Basement)

Thursday, August 20: St. Bernard

Judges 11:29-39a; Matthew 22:1-14

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

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

3:00-4:00 Sacrament of Penance

Friday, August 21: St. Pius X

Ruth 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Matthew 22:34-40

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Albert & Therisa Bey

Saturday, August 22: Queenship of the Virgin Mary

Ruth 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Matthew 23:1-12

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

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

Sunday, August 23: Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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

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

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

How do the Christian marriages with which you are familiar mirror the relationship of Christ and his Church? In what ways are you subordinate to others? Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Psalm 34; Ephesians 5:21-32; John 6:60-69.

BAPTISMS

The next pre-baptismal programs for new or expectant parents will take place in the church basement in October. Please register by calling the office at 526-4945. This past Sunday we welcomed Madilyn Michelle Wagner into the church through baptism.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Marriage Encounter enhances marriages. The next weekends will be September 18-20 and October 16-18. Call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00 or on the web at www.esharing.org. *Retrouaille* (French for Rediscovery) can help save your marriage. The next program is September 11, 12 and 13. Call 1-800-470-2230 for 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.

PRAYER MEETINGS

Weekly on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. in church basement (SD).

Friday at 3:30 p.m.: chaplet of Divine Mercy in church (SD).

At noon on the thirteenth day of the each month at Holy Family

REST IN PEACE

Mary Magoteaux died Tuesday and received Christian burial Friday. Please remember her and her family in your prayers.

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS August 23, 2009

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

Ushers: Group 4; *Lector:* Cynthia Subler

Eucharist: Tim Subler, Diane Elsas, Gerald Elsas (P); Eric Huelskamp, Cheryl Huelskamp, Dave Huelskamp, Bonnie Philipot, Ryan Rose, Dan Subler, Cheryl Subler

Servers: Morgan Middendorf, Erica Monnier, Laura Subler

Gifts: Volunteers

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

Ushers: Group 6 *Lector:* Roberta Mangen

Eucharist: Paul Meyer, Mary Jean Meyer, Linda Meyer (P); Carl Meyer, Michael McClurg, Barbara Monnin, Sharon Pepiot, Justine Raterman, Linda Schmitmeyer, Joseph Schmitmeyer, Reyna Shardo (C);

Servers: Abby Didier, Adam Borchers, Emily Harman

Gifts: Bob and Michelle Dircksen Family

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

Ushers: Josh Didier and John Grilliot

Lector: Judy Barga *Eucharist:* Urban Gehret (P), Deacon Jack and Irene Gehret (C);

Servers: Melinda Barlage, Neil Didier, Cierra Todd

Gifts: Jim and Linda Pohlman

Cleaning: Wilma Didier, Almareda Bruns, Linda Pohlman

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

Ushers: Group 11 *Lector:* Ron Gehret

Eucharist: Katie Goubeaux, Curtis Goubeaux, Brian Griesdorn (P); Joe Gehret, Maria Goubeaux, Doris Goubeaux, Marvin Luthman, Kristen Philipot, Michael Schmitmeyer, Ted Schmitmeyer, Kristen Schulte (C);

Servers: Bailey DeMange, Kirstie Hartzell, Jaclyn Lawrence

Gifts: Jeff Walters Family

VOCATIONS

Our Communion with Jesus unites us with all believers. As you participate in the Eucharist, pray that the Church may be strengthened as the Body of Christ. (John 6:51-58.)

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Get sufficient sleep. *Mind:* Prioritize your daily and weekly activities. *Spirit:* Embrace fellowship.

CONGRATULATIONS-WEDDINGS

Congratulations to Elizabeth Anne McClurg and Ryan Joseph McNeilan who married at St. Louis, North Star, yesterday.

Jena Osterloh and Jeremy Kettering plan to marry here on Saturday, August 29.

Larry and Cheryl Pierron will celebrate twenty-five years of marriage on August 18.

Basil and Annabel Subler will be married seventy-one years on August 20. Congratulations to all celebrating anniversaries.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Attention: Engaged and Married Couples: A new series of classes on the sympto-thermal method of Natural Family Planning will begin on Saturday, September 5 from 2:00-4:30 p.m. at St. Bernard's church basement in Burkettsville, OH. Fertility awareness within the context of the teachings of the Catholic Church on marriage and family life can be faith-building, health-enhancing, and marriage strengthening. It is also an effective way to plan or postpone a pregnancy. Visit our web site at www.learn-nfp.org or call 419-678-4293 or 526-3305 to register by August 29.

FATHER DAVE

The Finance Commission and the Pastoral Council have advised me to introduce envelopes for children and teens. They have done this so that we can help you parents do the task God has given you, to train your children in the practice of the faith. When we start this program in the fall, you can not only help your children by your example, but also give them practical experience in supporting the Church with their time, their talents and their treasures. We shall have more about this important program in later editions of the bulletin.

LITURGY

What do we venerate during Mass? Oops, I gave you a trick question. During Mass, we reverence the altar, not the tabernacle. Before Mass and after Mass, we venerate the Lord's presence in the tabernacle, if the tabernacle stands near the altar as at Holy Family Church. During Mass, even prior to the Second Vatican Council, we venerated the tabernacle only at the beginning and end of Mass. Once Mass begins, we should focus on the altar as the center of Christ's action among us. The altar represents Christ. If you notice the priest bowing towards the altar at the start and end of Mass, know that by so doing, he reverences a powerful symbol of Christ.

COMMUNITY SUPPER – ALL WELCOME
Every Wednesday, 5:00-6:30
At Trinity Lutheran Church
We cook August 19.

R.C.I.A. PROGRAM

The RCIA meets next on Monday, August 24, at 7:00 p.m. RCIA stands for the Rite for the Christian Initiation of Adults, the process the Catholic Church uses to bring people into the Church through baptism, confirmation and Eucharist. If you would like to take part in the RCIA program, but cannot make the meeting, call 526-4945.

NOTICES:

- Precious Blood Sisters:** 175 Anniversary Mass and Picnic, 4:00 p.m. at Maria Stein Shrine, today, August 16.
- Pastoral Council:** Tuesday, August 18, 7:30 p.m. (SD)
- Worship Commission:** Wednesday, August 19, 7:00 p.m. (D)
- St. Maria Farm Stand:** St. Rt. 705 - Rt. 127 (Happy Corner Garage parking lot north of North Star) Saturdays, 9:00-noon.
- Women and Spirit: Catholic Sisters in America:** at the Cincinnati Museum Center until August 31.
- St. Teresa Church Festival, Rt. 36, Covington, OH,** August 28, 29, & 30. Games, rides, cornhole tournament at 1:30, Saturday. Fish dinners, Saturday 4:00 until gone. BBQ Chicken dinners on Sunday, 12:00 until gone.

ADULT EDUCATION

When we did the assessment of our programs for youth, a strong need for programs for adults surfaced. To address this need, we have invited some adults to meet with us on Wednesday, August 26, at 7:00 in the church basement.

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 crowds argued among themselves. "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?"

COLLECTIONS	
August 8, 2009	
Holy Family	
Envelopes (45)	\$ 780.00
Loose (27)	\$ 164.25
Total	\$ 944.25
St Denis	
Envelopes (189)	\$3440.00
Loose (163)	\$ 765.00
Total	\$4205.00
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MANY THANKS	

YOUTH MINISTRY ? ? ?

Junior High Climbing Wall and Initiatives: This coming year's eighth and ninth grade students are invited to go to beautiful Woodland Trails Boy Scout camp near Camden for canoeing, climbing wall, initiatives, and hiking on August 18-19. Flyers and forms are available at the church entrances and at the youth office. Contact Mike for further information.

NCYC (National Catholic Youth Conference): We must register for the National Catholic Youth Conference (November 18-22) by Thursday. We shall leave on Wednesday day night, November 18 for Kansas City and return on Sunday, November 22. All high school youth are invited. The total cost is \$495.00 per person. The Youth Ministry fund will pay \$95.00 per person, which will reduce the cost to \$400.00. We would like to reduce the cost further with some fundraising. Contact Mike immediately if interested. This is a great opportunity!

Youth Ministry Choral CD: The CD's are ready for pick-up in the church basement. Those who pre-ordered a CD can pick them up on the big wooden table. Each CD has a label with a name on it. Find your name and enjoy the music. To purchase a CD, they will be on sale after each Mass in the St. Denis church basement and in the back of Holy Family Church.

Holy Angels Softball Tournament: Holy Angels Youth Ministry in Sidney is sponsoring a softball tournament on Sunday, August 23. Anyone who would like to play should contact Michael Heft. The tournament is being held at Flanagan Sports Complex in Sidney.

CCD NEWS

Northern Area Congress: at Upper Valley JVS, Piqua, Saturday, September 19, 8:00-3:00. Archbishop Daniel Pilarczyk will give the keynote address. You can choose from 33 workshops especially designed for parish staff, pastoral council members, parish commissions and catechists, but is open to all. Many workshops meet skills requirements for catechist certification. Contact the CCD office to register and pick workshops. The parish will pay the \$25 fee (including lunch).

CCD Teachers: It is that time of year again when we need teachers. At St. Denis, we need one more teacher in the first grade, third grade, fifth grade, seventh grade and tenth grade. We also need two in the sixth. We also need some teachers at Holy Family. Pray that we fill the positions and pray that if God has called you to teach that you answer yes. God calls the ones already equipped, and also equips those whom he calls.

CCD begins on September 21 for grades 1 to 6 from 3:15 to 4:15 p.m. at St. Denis. Classes begin for all grades at Holy Family and grades 7 to 12 at St. Denis, from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m., on September 23. Extra registrations forms are at the entrances in church. We really need your help! Linda and Fr Dave