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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 funerals) | | |
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| 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 Da | у | | 7:00-8:00 p.m. | (D) |
| Eve: | 6:30 p.m. | (D) | Saturday: | |
| Day: | 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 |
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| 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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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).

May 16, 2010: ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Sunday, May 16: Ascension of the Lord

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): 2010 Graduates 11:00 a.m. Mass (D): 2010 Graduates 12:15 p.m. Senior Brunch (D) church basement

Monday, May 17: Easter Weekday

Acts 19:1-8; John 16:29-33

6:00-6:25 (sacrament of penance; 6:30 Communion Liturgy)

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): John Simons 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting (D) 8:00 p.m. Musicians Meeting (D)

Tuesday, May 18: Easter Weekday

Acts 20:17-27; John 17:1-11a

6:00-6:25 (sacrament of penance; 6:30 Communion Liturgy)

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Adele and Paul Marchal 7:30 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting (D) Wednesday: May 19: Easter Weekday

Acts 20:28-38; John 17:11b-19

6:00-6:25 (sacrament of penance; 6:30 Communion Liturgy)

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

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

Thursday, May 20: Easter Weekday Acts 22:30. 23:6-11; John 17:20-26

6:00-6:25 (sacrament of penance; 6:30 Communion Liturgy)

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Nicholas Grillot 8:45-5:30 p.m. Exposition (Benediction at 5:30 p.m.)

3:00-4:00 Sacrament of Penance Friday, May 21: Easter Weekday

Acts 25:13b-21; John 21:15-19

6:00-6:25 (sacrament of penance; 6:30 Communion Liturgy)

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Richard Fischer Saturday, May 22: Easter Weekday
Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; John 21:20-25
3:45-4:45 Sacrament of Penance (D)
5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Doug Condon
Sunday, May 23: Pentecost Sunday

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

What do you appreciate most about the diversity in the Church? What do you appreciate most about the Church's unity? The readings: (VIGIL): Genesis 11:1-9; Psalm 104; Romans 8:22-27; John 7:37-39. (DAY):Acts 2:1-11; Psalm 104; 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13; Sequence; John 20:19-23

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Marriage Encounter enhances marriages. The next weekend will be July 16-18 at the Holiday Inn Eastgate in Cincinnati. Call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00 or on the web at www.esharing.org. *Retrouvaille* (French for Rediscovery) can help save your marriage.

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.

BAPTISMS

The next pre-baptismal program will be in July. Please call the office to register. We also have baptisms during Mass with two weeks notice. We only schedule baptisms apart from Mass once a month in each parish, usually after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Next dates: May 23, June 27, July 18 and August 15.

Happy Easter

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS May 23, 2010

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Saturday, May 22 (Workbook, p. 187-193)

Ushers: Group 4; Lector: Jane Pierron (Genesis and Romans) Eucharist: Brittany Drees, Sandy Pierron, Therese Pohlman

(P); Bryant Ahrens, Christine Borchers, John Davis, Michael Heft, Diane Martino, Judy Pierron, Baleigh Reed, Daniel Saintignon (*C*);

Servers: Erica Monnier, Kami Ording, Rachel Subler Gifts: Volunteers

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Sunday, May 23 (*Workbook*, pp. 194-195)

Ushers: Group 6 Lector: Gary Huelskamp (Acts & 1 Cor) Eucharist: Diane Elsas, Gerald Elsas, Betty Jutte (P); Michael

Liette, Caitlin Liette, Brittany McMaken, Shirley McMaken, James Nerderman, Mary Lou Nerderman, David Pohl, Sharon Pepiot (*C*);

Servers: Noah Pleiman, Adam Borchers, Emily Harman

Gifts: Volunteers

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): (*Workbook*, pp. 194-195 [Acts; 1 Cor])

Ushers: Justin and Lewis May Lectors: Ken Hartke Servers: Quincy Baltes, Brianne Buzard, Kayla Bruns

Eucharist: Mary Hartke (*P*); Kari Didier, Mindy Didier (*C*);

Gifts: Jeff and Dena Wuebker Family

Cleaning: Alma May, Sharon Stammen, Marilyn Bergman

11:00 a.m. Mass (**D**): (*Workbook*, pp. 194-195)

Ushers: Group 13; Lectors: Kevin Grillot (Acts & 1 Cor)

Eucharist: Karen Keiser, Jeffrey Keiser, Kristi Luthman (P) Kathy Grilliot, Matthew Hileman, Beth Ann Jokerst, Tom Jokerst, Mitchell Jokerst, Kelsey Schlater, Marlene Schmitmeyer, John Schmitmeyer (C);

Servers: Jordan Phillips, Nathan Phillips, Mitchell Rawlins

Gifts: Volunteers

VOCATIONS

Jesus promised his disciples that they would be clothed in power from God. As a follower of Jesus, you are also given that same promise. Pray for the grace to be a faithful witness. (Luke 24:46-53)

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Quit smoking. **Mind:** Prepare for events that you know will be challenging. **Spirit:** Be still and listen to yourself.

DEACON JACK RETIRES

Deacon Jack served as a deacon voluntarily. Ordination did not automatically give him a salary in the Church. He did receive stipends for some of his work, baptisms, weddings and such, but not for the usual work of the deacon at Mass. When he expressed an interest in going to Rome, I encouraged him and offered the support of the parishes. If you want to support us in the endeavor, you can. We shall have a reception for him June 19 after the 5:00 Mass in the basement at St Denis.

REST IN PEACE

Roger J. Mangen received Christian burial on Monday of this past week. Please remember him and his family in your prayers.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Holy Family has pledged \$4,624 or 241% of our goal with responses from 39% of our parishioners. St. Denis has pledged \$19,610.00 or 218% of our goal with responses from 26% of our parishioners. We keep moving closer to 100% response. Keep up your good work. The archdiocese has reached 82% of its goal.

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 HF.

FATHER DAVID VINCENT'S COLUMN

Congratulations to the senior classes of Ansonia and Versailles. We have enjoyed your presence as you grew up in your families among us. Now we look forward to having you among us as young adults. Keep close to the Catholic Church.

We hope that, if you marry, you do it in the Church. For a sacramental marriage and a valid marriage, you should have a Catholic marriage, one celebrated before a priest, deacon or someone delegated for the occasion by the archbishop. A Catholic marriage provides sacramental help to fulfill the duties and joys of marriage. Keep close to the Catholic Church.

LITURGY: ASCENSION

We celebrate the Solemnity of the Ascension this weekend. Several years ago, our bishops received permission to move the celebration from Thursday to Sunday. The pope and our bishops concurred that the feast was of such great importance that it deserved moving it to a Sunday. In my experience, people had a hard time remembering the Ascension when it came on Thursday. Moving the feast to Sunday enables us all to celebrate it.

Some people confuse the feast of the Ascension of the Lord with the feast of the Assumption of Mary. The Ascension refers to Christ's entrance into glory after the resurrection appearances to the disciples. The Assumption refers to Mary's entrance into glory at the end of her life on earth. Ascending denotes the active movement of going up (Jesus went up); assumption refers to a passive movement (Mary did not get to heaven on her own; the Lord Jesus took her).

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

Next Soup and Salad Luncheon: Tuesday, May 25, 11:30 a.m. (Lentil soup)

2010 HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS BRUNCH

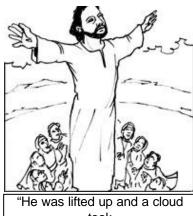
Graduates from Holy Family and St Denis and their parents are to assemble for the Senior Brunch in the basement of St Denis today at 12:15 p.m. Welcome Class of 2010.

We congratulate: Bethany Ahrens; Eric Barga; Jaci Barga; Valerie Barga; Zachary Barlage; Alyssa Bensman; Susan Berger; Brittany Bohman; Brittany Bruns; Julia Bruns; Cody Brunswick; Megan Campbell; Joshua Cooper; Alex Dapore; Michael Dapore; Robert Davidson; Caitlin Davis; Mindy Didier; Megan Dirksen; Wesley Drees; Joseph Gehret; Eric Grilliot; Susan Grilliot; Emily Harman; Megan Heckman; Michael Heft; Jay Heitkamp; Kyle Heitkamp; Ashlyn Hemmelgarn; Ashley Henry; Mark Hilgefort; Taylor Huffman; Leah Kaiser; Kelly Kueterman; Trent Lawrence; Rick Mayo; Patrick Mescher; Desiree Monnin; Taylor Ording; Jena Phlipot; Brandon Pierron; Mitchell Pitsenbarger; Amanda Pohlman; Michael Puthoff; Brandon Rethman; Roxanne Richard; Erica Rose; Alexander Shappie; Kimberly Slonkosky; Stacy Spitzer; Laura Subler; Jared Swallow; Alisha Thobe; Ashley Turner; Jared Turpen; Cassey Voisard; Allison Wasson; Tara Winner.

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| 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. | | | | | |
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| him from their sight. | | | | |

COLLEC HONS May 9, 2010 **Holy Family** Envelopes (43) 689.00 \$ 189.00 Loose (36)Children (1) 1.00 \$ 879.00 Total H.F. Cemetery \$ 215.00 St Denis Envelopes (211) \$ 2988.00 Loose (211)1024.50 18.25 Children (18) Total \$ 4030.75 St. Valbert Cemetery\$ 1013.00 ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? MANY THANKS

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Kentucky Work Camp: The annual Kentucky Work Camp will be June 26-30. Registration forms were distributed this past week. Turn in your signed forms now. Adults who want to participate should contact Mike. The event is free.

Steubenville Youth Conference: Final payments and forms are due for the Steubenville Youth Conference for those who are preregistered. A few spots are open if anyone wants to sign up late. Contact Mike if you have any questions.

World Youth Day Madrid: Are you interested in going to Madrid, Spain, for World Youth Day with Pope Benedict? Contact Mike.

EASTER COMMUNION LITURGIES AT 6:30 A.M.

Continue the good start you made in Lent and continue coming to the 6:30 service. We owe the Eucharist to the Easter mysteries of the Lord Jesus.

NOTICES:

Every Drop Counts Blood Drive: Tomorrow, May 17 at the Versailles K of C, 11:00-7:00 p.m. Call 937-997-219 or visit www.DonorTime.com to schedule an appointment.

North Star School Closing Celebration: Friday May 21, 6:30-10:30 p.m. Classrooms close at 9:30 p.m. Music 7:00-10:00.

Our Lady of Fatima Pilgrimage at Maria Stein Relic Chapel: 8:00 p.m. Mass on May 27, followed with Eucharistic Adoration until closing ceremonies and Mass at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, May 28.

Cemetery Collection: Please use the envelope in your box to support the cemeteries of our parishes. Thank you.

Catholic Social Services New Senior Outreach Program: Volunteers are needed to provide support and companionship to senior citizens in Darke, Miami and Shelby Counties. For information on upcoming training, call 800-521-6419, ext. 1105 or visit ksell@cssmv-sidney.org.

FIRST COMMUNION CANDIDATES:

The following students received their first Communion at the 5:00 Mass on Saturday, May 15: Connor Anthony; Jada Barlage; Cael Bey; Adam Cordonnier; Joshua Frantz; Rebecca Knapke; Kaia Kruckeberg; Kameron Marchal; Katelyn Marshal; Logan Miller; Laney Petitjean; Lucille Prakel; Cole Prenger; Jaden Prenger; Megan Rismiller; Chelsea Whittaker.

PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

| We have three positions in each parish to fill, two for full thre |
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| year terms and one for a partial term of one or two years. |

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| I recommend | | | | | | |
| (phone:) | for the pastoral | Council. | This person | has | | |
| agreed to run and I take pride in suggesting this person. | | | | | | |
| Signed: | | | | | | |