



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).

MARCH 13, 2011 THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Sunday, March 13: First Sunday of Lent

12:00 Noon Prayer Hour (HF)

Lions Club Breakfast after all Masses

6:00-8:00 p.m. Confirmation Session IIII

Monday, March 14: Lenten Weekday

Leviticus 19:1-2,11-18; Matthew 25:31-46

6:00/6:30 a.m. Penance/Communion (D)

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

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

Tuesday, March 15: Lenten Weekday

Isaiah 55:10-11; Matthew 6:7-15

6:00/6:30 a.m. Penance/Communion (D)

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

7:00 p.m. RCIA

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

Wednesday: March 16: Lenten Weekday

Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 11:29-32

6:00/6:30 a.m. Penance/Communion (D)

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

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

CCD 6:00-7:00 (1-6 D); 7:00-8:00 (all HF); 7:30-8:30 (7-12 D)

6:15-7:25 Youth Ministry (basement, St Denis Church)

Thursday, March 17: Lenten Weekday

Esther C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Matthew 7:7-12

6:00/6:30 a.m. Penance/Communion (D)

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

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

3:00-4:00 Sacrament of Penance

7:00 p.m. Life After Divorce Workshop

Friday, March 18 Lenten Weekday (Day of Abstinence)

Ezekiel 18:21-28; Matthew 5:20-26

6:00/6:30 a.m. Penance/Communion (D)

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): L/D of Clarence Broering Family

3:30 p.m. Divine Mercy prayers (D)

7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross (D)

Saturday, March 19: Lenten Weekday

2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22

3:45-4:45 Sacrament of penance

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Jack Subler

Sunday, March 20: Second Sunday in Lent

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

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

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

11:00-1:00 WYD Madrid BBQ Chicken Dinners (Rectory)

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

How do we enter the bright cloud and hear God's voice anointing us? How do we return to our daily routines afterwards? The readings: Genesis 12:1-4a; Psalm 33; 2 Timothy 1:8b-10; Matthew 17:1-9.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Marriage Encounter (enhances marriages). March 18-20, 2011. Call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00 or on the web at www.esharing.org.

Retrouaille [French for Rediscovery] (troubled marriages): April 8-10: 513-398-3137 (\$150.00).

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).

At noon on the thirteenth day of the each month at HF.

Divine Mercy at 3:30 p.m. each Friday at SD.

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS: March 20, 2011

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): **Saturday, March 19**

Ushers: Group 1; *Lector:* Gary Huelskamp

Eucharist: Kathy Bruns, Cody Bruns, Phyllis Guillozet (P);

Christine Borchers, Zach Grilliot, Theresa Grilliot, Jeff Keiser, Karen Keiser, Donna Kueterman, Raleigh Reed, Kathy Wood (C);

Servers: John Barga, Hannah Grilliot, Grant Keller, Conner Reed; *Gifts:* Volunteers

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Sunday, March 20

Ushers: Group 9; *Lector:* Randy Gump

Eucharist: Carl Meyer, Linda Meyer, Barbara Monnin (P);

Cyndi Bey, Mary Ann Gump, George Kuether, Shirley McMaken, Brittany McMaken, Linda Schmitmeyer, Clay Wilker, James Wilker (C); *Servers:* Emily Harman, Noah Pleiman, Faith Wilker

Gifts: Volunteers

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

Ushers: Justin and Lewis May

Lector: Louise Grilliot

Eucharist: Irene Gehret (P); Neil Didier, Josh Didier (C);

Servers: Brianne Buzard, Jared Heitkamp, Cierra Todd

Gifts: Jeff and Dena Wuebker Family

Cleaning: Doris Kremer, Mary Ann Stucke, Mary Ann Stucke

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

Ushers: Group 13; *Lector:* Lori Griesdorn

Eucharist: Laura Condon, Marisa Coons, Kristi Luthman (P);

Russ Beisner, Joanna Cruz, Maria Goubeaux, Doris Goubeaux, Kathy Grilliot, Brad Luthman, Marvin Luthman, Katey Wendel (C); *Servers:* Jordan Phillips, Nathan Phillips, Alex Wendel

Gifts: Volunteers

VOCATIONS

Through the obedience of Christ comes acquittal from sin. Through our obedience to Christ, we can be a conduit of grace to this world. (Romans 5:17-19)

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Do a set of push-ups three times a week to strengthen your chest, shoulders and arms. **Mind:** Make a list of solutions to a challenge in your life. **Spirit:** Volunteer your time to those less fortunate.

ASH WEDNESDAY COLLECTION

We took up the annual collection for the Churches in Central and Eastern Europe Wednesday. If you missed it, you can put your envelope in today.

BAPTISMS

The next pre-baptismal program will take place on April 3 at 9:00 a.m. Please call the rectory to register. We shall have baptisms after Mass on April 24 and May 21. We have baptisms during Mass with two weeks' notice. We normally do not celebrate baptism during Lent, except for emergencies. We welcomed Candance Nicole Phlipot and Brennan Lewis Smith into the Church through baptism last weekend.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

The Pastoral Council meets Tuesday. The Pastoral Council looks at the pastoral needs of the parish. This respected body gives good, practical advice to the pastor about the pastoral needs of the parish. We look for candidates to run for positions on the Council in May. If you have an interest and want to see the Council at work, come to our meeting Tuesday at 7:30 in the church basement at St Denis.

FATHER DAVE'S COLUMN

Why do we have such a late Easter this year? Agriculture plays a factor in determining the date of Easter. Easter always comes on a Sunday, the first Sunday after the first full moon after the start of spring. Easter can come as early as March 22 (unknown) and as late as April 25 (1943 and 2038). We should relate to this well because of our farming culture: the cycles of nature determine the date of Easter.

LITURGY: LENT

We send Jenny Neiberg and Jessica Groff to the archbishop today. He will ratify their progress in the catechumenate and name them among the Elect, those chosen for baptism at the Easter Vigil this year.

We thank God for the gift of these new members. You also deserve thanks to because you have provided the soil in which God's gifts have grown.

Both the Spanish and the French word for Lent come from the Latin word for forty, cuaresmo and carême. English uses an Anglo-Saxon word for spring, the time of year when the days lengthen. The length of Lent lasts forty days. During Lent our daylight will grow longer

LIFE AFTER DIVORCE

We offer Life After Divorce, a series of workshops to help people cope with divorce. Jean Grieshop and Andy Paulus will coordinate the series for the Thursdays of Lent from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. The sessions include DVD's on anger, acceptance, early emotions, forgiveness, grief and releasing the pain. The workbook costs \$5.00. For more information, call the parish office or Jean Grieshop at 526-9851. You can consult the flyers at the entrances to church.

CONFIRMATION SESSIONS:

We have our next session for Confirmation today, April 3 (changed from April 10) and May 1 from 6:00-8:00 each evening, plus a Confirmation Retreat on Wednesday, May 11. We expect all ninth graders to attend all the sessions.

PILGRIMS TO MADRID WORLD YOUTH DAY

We have thirteen people going to World Youth Day in August. If you would like to make a special contribution to help some or all of them go, please use the envelopes available at the entrances to church. Make checks payable to the church. We shall record your contributions on our records of contributions.

L.I.F.E.

The LIFE program deals with relationships, not sex education. How do love, infatuation, friendship and exploitation work in our relationships? Parents and High School Students, plan to come April 10, 7:00 to 9:00.



Jesus was led away by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil.

**COLLECTIONS
March 6, 2010**

Holy Family	
Envelopes (20)	\$ 708.00
Loose (32)	\$ 166.55
Children (5)	\$ 4.50
Total	\$ 879.05
Catholic Telegraph	\$
St Denis	
Envelopes (198)	\$ 4267.00
Loose (151)	\$ 820.57
Children (15)	\$ 20.50
Total	\$ 5108.07
Catholic Telegraph	\$ 44.00

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MANY THANKS

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Spring Retreat: The annual Spring Retreat will be coming up for high school students on April 2-3. Flyers and forms will be available in the coming week.

BBQ Chicken Dinners: You can buy BBQ Chicken Dinner tickets this week. Carryout only on Sunday, March 20, 11:00 -1:00 p.m. at the rectory porch. All proceeds will benefit our youth ministry.

Steubenville Youth Conference: Register for the Steubenville Youth Conference (July 15 to 17). A deposit of \$40.00 reserves a spot. The cost of \$230.00 covers meals, housing, transportation and T-shirt. Turn in your deposit at youth ministry, CCD, or the office.

Garage Sale-Madrid-March: Thanks to all who supported us.

Life in the Spirit Seminar for Youth and Young Adults: March 18-20 at the Maria Stein Spiritual Center. See Mike for registration forms and more information.

Young-Adult Mexico Work Trip: From July 28 to August 10, the Archdiocesan Mission Office will sponsor a trip for young adults, 21 and older, to Oaxaca Mexico. Contact the office for more details.

Spring Retreat Planning Meeting: This Monday, March 14, 7:00 p.m. in the St. Denis Church basement. All high school youth leaders who signed up for Spring Retreat should attend.

Local Service Team: The local service leadership team will meet briefly after CCD on Wednesday to discuss a possible local service project.

NOTICES:

Lions Club Breakfast: Today, 7:30-12:30 in St. Denis church basement. Adults \$6, children (12 and under) \$3. A collection container will be available for your old eyeglasses.

Walleye Fish Fry: 4:00-7:00 p.m., March 18, April 1 & 15 at St. Teresa Church, Rt. 36, Covington. Dine in or carry out (plus bake sale and homemade desserts).

Theology on Tap Series: For young adults, (20's & 30's) married or single, to listen to a free speaker; engage in discussions about things Catholic in a relaxing atmosphere. The first four Tuesdays of March, 7-9 p.m. at Al's Place in Ft. Loramie. Join them on Facebook "Theology on Tap Midwest Ohio" or go to www.TheologyOnTapMidwestOhio.com.

LENTEN COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Those over 14: Abstinence from meat on the Fridays of Lent. Eggs and dairy products do not count as meat.

EASTER TRIDUUM COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Those over 14: Abstinence from meat on Good Friday by precept and, by recommendation, on Holy Saturday.

Those between the ages of 18 and 59: Fast on Good Friday by precept and, by recommendation, on Holy Saturday. Fasting means less than two full meals a day.

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

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: _____