



## CHURCHES OF

# Holy Family

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# St. Denis

### DEANERY COUNCIL:

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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:

<b>Sunday:</b> (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)	<b>Weekdays</b> (except for funerals) 8:00 a.m. (D)  Reconciliation (Sacrament of Penance) <b>Thursday:</b> 3:00-4:00 p.m. & 7:00-8:00 p.m. (D)
<b>Holy Day</b> Eve: 6:30 p.m. (D) Day: 6:30 a.m. (D) 3:30 p.m. (D) 7:30 p.m. (HF)	<b>Saturday:</b> 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:

**14 E. Wood Street, Versailles, OH 45380-1440**

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[www.catholiccincinnati.org](http://www.catholiccincinnati.org)

**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

### Secretary

Ginny Moorman  
[gmoorman@stdenishf.org](mailto:gmoorman@stdenishf.org)

### Youth Services

Mike Meyer  
[mikem@stdenishf.org](mailto:mikem@stdenishf.org)

### CCD

Linda Meyer 937-526-3957  
[ccd@stdenishf.org](mailto: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 Welcome!

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

# MAY 20, 2012: ASCENSION OF THE LORD

**Sunday, May 20: Ascension of the Lord**

**Monday, May 21 Easter Weekday**

Acts 19:1-9; John 16:29-33

8:00 a.m. No Mass (D): Communion Service

**Tuesday, May 22: St. Rita**

Acts 20:17-29; John 16:5-11

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

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

**Wednesday, May 23: Easter Weekday**

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

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Carl Gasson, Luella Huber,  
Roberta Schlater

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

**Thursday, May 24: Easter Weekday**

Acts 22-30; 23:6-11; John 17:20-26

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Cecil and Virginia Goubeaux

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

3:00-4:00 p.m. Sacrament of Penance

**Friday, May 25: St. Bede**

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

6:45 a.m. Communion Service (6:15-6:40 Penance)

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

3:00 p.m. Divine Mercy prayers (D)

**Saturday, May 26: Easter Weekday (Vigil of Pentecost)**

See readings for next Sunday below

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Art Hemmelgarn (Religious Articles.)

**Sunday, May 7: PENTECOST SUNDAY**

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners (Bless Religious Articles)

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): Parishioners (Bless Religious Articles)

11:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners (Bless Religious Articles)

## READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY (Pentecost Sunday)

How can you bring peace into your relationships this week? The Readings: Genesis 11:1-9, Exodus 19:3-8a, 16-20b; Psalm 104; Ezekiel 37:1-14, Joel 3:1-5; Romans 8:22-27; John 7:37-39.

## MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

*Marriage Encounter* (enhances marriages). Call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00 or on the web at [www.esharing.org](http://www.esharing.org).

*Retrouaille* [French for Rediscovery] (troubled marriages): Call 513-922-6045 (\$150.00) for more information.

## PROJECT RACHEL, AFTER ABORTION

The Archdiocese sponsors Project Rachel for healing after abortion. Email [pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com](mailto:pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com) for more information.

## BAPTISMS

We will have the next pre-baptismal program in June in the church basement. We have baptisms after Mass Saturday, May 26, Saturday, June 2 and Sunday, June 17.

## PRAYER MEETINGS

Weekly on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. in church basement (SD). Friday at 3:00 p.m.: chaplet of Divine Mercy in church (SD). At noon on the thirteenth day of the each month at HF.

## CEMETERY COLLECTION

The annual collection for St. Valbert and Holy Family cemeteries will be taken up this weekend. Please use the envelope in your box. Thank you.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The annual Vacation Bible School sponsored by the Versailles Council of Churches has returned after a year's lapse. St Denis will host it for the council from July 9 through July 12.

## LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS: May 27, 2012

**5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Saturday, May 26:**

*Ushers:* Group 3; *Lectors:* Cynthia Subler

*Eucharist:* Betty Jutte, Donna Monnier, Erika Monnier (P); Sharon Kramer, Andrew Kramer, Diane Martino, Kim Murphy, Therese Pohlman, Conner Reed, Cheryl Subler, Clay Wilker (C);

*Servers:* Emily Kramer, Thomas Murphy, William Murphy

*Gifts:* Volunteers

**8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Sunday, May 27:**

*Ushers:* Group 9; *Lector:* Randy Gump

*Eucharist:* Orville Borchers, Linda Meyer, Carl Meyer (P); Cyndi Bey, Mary Ann Gump, John Harman, Michael Liette, Dale Meier, Ken Moorman, David Pohl, Ron Stauffer (C);

*Servers:* Emily Harman, Noah Pleiman, Faith Wilker

*Gifts:* Volunteers

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

*Ushers:* Ken Hartke, Rick Heitkamp

*Lectors:* Jeff Wuebker

*Eucharist:* Melvin Stucke (P); John Fischer, Linda Pohlman (C); *Servers:* Katie Fischer, Mark Mayo, Jacob Wuebker

*Gifts:* Jeff and Dena Wuebker Family

Cleaning: Barbara Heckman, Irene Broering, Mary Hartke

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

*Ushers:* Group 13; *Lectors:* Todd Schmitmeyer

*Eucharist:* Joe Gigandet, Matt Stover, Mitchell Stover (P); Bryant Ahrens, Russ Beisner, Nicole Frantz, Connie Grillot, Marlene Schmitmeyer, John Schmitmeyer, Reyna Shardo, Max Stachler (C);

*Servers:* Taylor L. Cordonnier, Sarah Gigandet, Jessica Meyer

*Gifts:* Volunteers

## VOCATIONS

We are called to live in accord with the calling we have received, whether as priest, religious, married or single, encouraging one another by the example of our lives. (Eph. 4:1)

## WELLNESS TIPS

*Body:* Brush teeth after eating chewy, sticky or sugary snacks.

*Mind:* Paint a picture. *Spirit:* Practice expressing your feelings.

## CATHOLICS RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

Thank you for your generosity to the special collection. If you missed it, you can still give this weekend.

## PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

The Serra Club of St. Marys/Sidney Deaneries has left at the exits magnets with a vocation prayer on them in the back of church. Please take one and pray the vocation prayer daily. Talk to your families about priestly and religious vocations.

## 175TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

St. Denis Parishioners: we are looking for early pictures of St. Valbert Cemetery and St. Denis church before the current structure was built and any other historical items from St. Denis parish for a display of them during the anniversary celebration in 2014. Examples would be books, post cards, plates, glasses, or any other items you may have. Please contact Liz Schmitmeyer at 548-4646.

## BLESSING OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

We will bless religious articles received by the First Communion and Confirmations students next weekend. Please bring your articles and stay for a blessing after the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, May 26 and after all the Sunday Masses on May 27.

**FATHER DAVE'S COLUMN**

The Archbishop has named Father Daniel Shmitmeyer Assistant Vocations Director for the Northern counties of the Archdiocese. As part of his duties, he has traded Masses with me so that he can visit our parishes in the name of vocations for the Archbishop. This helps to make May a special month. On the seventh, the Archbishop visited us for Confirmation. On May 13, Father Joe Grilliot visited Holy Family from his assignment in California. This week, we have a representative of the Archbishop with us again.

**VIGIL OF PENTECOST: 5:00 MASS NEXT WEEK**

The vigil of Easter had us awaiting the Resurrection of the Lord Jesus in the context of baptism. The Vigil of Pentecost has us awaiting the Spirit promised by the Lord. The new Roman Missal has restored to us the Vigil of Pentecost with four readings from the Hebrew Scriptures and the Epistle and Gospel.

The restored vigil will make us of all the scriptural reading for the vigil instead of having us choose only one of them. We shall hear from Genesis 11 the tower of babel, from Exodus 19, God's coming to Moses on Mt Sinai, Ezekiel 37 and the vision of the dry bone and from Joel 3, the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

I recommend your coming to the vigil. Those conscious of time, I estimate that it will take about ten minutes longer than other Saturday evening Masses.

**THE CATHOLIC FAITH**

An information session for those considering the Catholic faith will be held tomorrow, May 21, at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement at St. Denis. Now is the time to invite family, neighbors and friends to explore the Catholic way of life. If you have questions, please contact Jane Pierron or Father Dave at 937-4945 or Jane in the evenings at 937-526-4002.

**FACEBOOK ARRIVAL**

Check out our newly created Facebook page for pictures of our trip to Puerto Escondido and of the Easter Vigil. Search for St Denis and Holy Family Catholic Churches or enter <http://www.facebook.com/#1/versaillescatholicparishes>.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS TODAY**

We shall have voting for new members to the Pastoral Council today. Madonna McEldowney has volunteered to run for St. Denis. We shall allow write-in candidates, but courtesy says that we ought to ask people before we submit their names as write-ins.

**A Blessed Easter to All**

**COMMUNITY SUPPER – ALL WELCOME**  
**Every Wednesday, 5:00-6:30**  
**at Trinity Lutheran Church. We cook June 20**  
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**Soup, Salad and Sandwich Luncheon**  
**This Tuesday: Spinach Potato Soup**

**31 CLUB**  
 Thank you for your support. Keep praying for vocations.  
 Keep praying for vocations to the priesthood.

**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 Ascension of the Lord**  
 "Go into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature."

**COLLECTIONS**  
**May 13, 2012**

**Holy Family**

Sunday		
Envelopes (47)	\$	722.00
Loose (45)	\$	187.50
Total		\$ 909.50

**St Denis**

Sunday		
Envelopes (190)	\$	3542.00
Loose (145)	\$	815.13
Total		\$ 4357.13

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**MANY THANKS**

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**CREDO: A Eucharistic-Centered Retreat! Lord, Teach Me to Pray:** A summer retreat experience offered in the Northern Archdiocese at the Spiritual Center of Maria Stein, on June 25-28. All students in grades 8-12 may attend. Contact Mike if interested.

**Kentucky Work-Camp:** We have started to register people for the annual Kentucky Work-Camp. All students in grades 8-12 may attend. This year the Work-Camp will take place on June 16-20. You can find forms at youth ministry, CCD and church entrances.

**Notre Dame Vision Retreat:** For grades 8-12: a retreat for high school students, led by Notre Dame College students. The cost for this event is \$300.00 per person (July 16-20). Contact Mike.

**NOTICE:**

**Our Lady of Fatima Pilgrimage:** Thursday at 8:00 p.m. with Mass at the Maria Stein Relic Chapel, followed by Eucharist Adoration until Friday at 7:00 p.m. Closing ceremonies Friday at 7:30 p.m. (Veterans, Mary and Mass).

**Come and See Vocation Retreat:** The Sisters of the Precious Blood will host a vocation retreat for women 18-45 who are interested in learning more about life as a consecrated woman. The retreat will be at Salem Heights in Dayton, OH on Saturday June 9 from 9:00-5:00 p.m. There is no cost for this retreat. Register at 937-999-8456 or go to [www.PreciousBloodSistersDayton.org](http://www.PreciousBloodSistersDayton.org).

**AUGUST IN MEXICO**

The parish committee for promoting a twinning relationship with Puerto Escondido is looking for more parishioners to join us. We are planning a trip to Puerto Escondido, Oaxaca Mexico in early August. Please contact Father or Jane at 937-526-4945 immediately if you are interested in going with us. We are hoping to introduce several of our college-aged parishioners to the members of the Link Team in Puerto Escondido.

**LINDA MEYER TO RETIRE**

Linda Meyer has guided our CCD program since 2001. After much prayer, she has decided to step down. I want to thank her for her devotion to the parents and children of our parishes. I think she made a hard decision, but one fortified by prayer. She will guide the community's Vacation Bible School July 9-12 as her last official act. I have started looking for someone to replace her.

We have posted a more complete job description on our Facebook page (see the column to the left). If you or someone you know would like to apply, please check us out. The position involves a background in theology; good standing with the Church, working for both St Denis and Holy Family parishes; part-time, ability to work with the Pastoral Staff and director of Youth Ministry, ability to work or learn Parish Data System (software program).

Send resume and cover letter by June 15 to: Reverend David P. Vincent, Pastor, at St Denis Church, 14 E WOOD ST, VERSAILLES OH 45380-1440. See our Facebook page for a more complete listing.