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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 2

7:30 AM St. Aloysius.....Elmer Link

Tuesday, August 3

7:30 AM St. Bernard.....Dennis Schwieterman

Wednesday, August 4

7:30 AM St. Francis Ernest Schmitmeyer

2:00 PM The Gardens Margie Griesdorn

Thursday, August 5

7:30 AM St. Henry..... Warren Brockman

Friday, August 6

7:30 AM St. Wendelin Orville Dues

Saturday, August 7

5:00 PM St. Henry Anna Marie Hart,

Matt Uhlenhake, Edward Post,
Cyril Dues, LeRoy Siefiring, Al Homan,
Bob Kanny, Jim Borger, Harold & Don Gottes,
L/D Homan & Ontrop Family

7:30 PM St. Aloysius Faithful Departed of St. Francis

Sunday, August 8

7:30 AM St. Wendelin Tom Schlarman,
For Poor Souls

9:00 AM St. Bernard..... Dick & Jim Borgerding,
Robert Mertz, Dennis Schwieterman,
Evelyn Siefiring

9:00 AM St. Henry For the People

11:00 AM St. Francis Jared Schwieterman,
Lawrence Broerman, Eugene Dirksen

11:00 AM St. Henry Mary Ann Schmackers,
Pat Bertke, Helen Stout,
Jerry Lefeld, Margaret Gelhaus

- Note that morning Mass is moved to the funeral Mass when there is a funeral that day in the Cluster. The Mass Intention will be rescheduled.

Reading Reflection

Thought of the Week: 1. What is your top priority in terms of life goals right now? 2. Who are the most important people in your life?

Next week's Readings

Reading I: Wisdom 18:6-9. You always protect us.

Reading II: Hebrews 11:1-2 and 8-19. In faith we believe even what we do not see.

Gospel: Luke 12:32-48. We must be ready for God to act in our lives at any time!

This week will mark two years since I've come to live with you and to serve in this cluster of parishes. What a blessing this has been for me; you've made me a part of your life here. We've already been through some changes together. When I first came there were three priests serving you. Last year, then, Fr. Tony was called to serve in Saint John's Parish in Glandorf.

Now, this summer we're down to one – until Father Benedict returns early in September. It's not just his good company at home that I miss, but also his help in responding to the day to day ministry needs of our parishes. Thanks to God, Father Ralph Verdi has been assigned to celebrate the Eucharist on the weekend. It's the only way we can meet the full Mass schedule of all five parishes.

These couple of months give us an opportunity to feel what this ministry might be like with just one single priest serving all five parishes. Without the generosity of our Tanzanian Precious Blood Mission this would be the case already!

What has been very helpful is that parishioners are stepping up and offering ways to help in our ministry to one another. In this way God is blessing us to persevere – even as the number of ordained priests is on the decline.

For example, some parishioners are helping to improve our ministry to the sick. Of course the priest is always needed for sacramental ministry, but there are many other ways parishioners can help the priest to be more effective in caring for people in their time of need.

We're also looking at how to improve the parish response when one of our parishioners dies. Some activities such as preparing the funeral luncheon are traditionally well organized. But there are other gifts and skills that the faithful have for helping a grieving family as they prepare a fitting funeral Mass.

In yet another area there are those who help their parish to support married and family life. Married couples help the priest to prepare couples for marriage and with rehearsals. Others help newlyweds or other new arrivals in the neighborhood. Baptism is a good time for a parish community to renew the welcome of young families into the community.

Being by myself has made me even more appreciative of the gift of two fine deacons who serve our cluster communities. Deacons have a special share in the ministry to celebrate marriages, to welcome new children through baptism, to share the Word of God and share in the ministry of the Eucharist.

Thank you above all for your continued prayer support. As we pray fervently to the Lord to send laborers into the harvest, we thank God for the many ways we are called to be of service to one another. As you see ways you can contribute to the vitality of your parish, please contact me or your Parish Life Coordinator. We truly are in this together!

Fr. Tom, How may I help you?

CLUSTER INFO.

PASTORAL COUNSELING OF MIAMI VALLEY HOSPITAL 1-800-628-9343

- Professional Counseling Services with values that reflect a Christian orientation.
- Serves individuals, families, children, and couples.
- Professional...for depression, marital problems, abusive situations, drug and alcohol issues, behavioral problems for children, etc.
- 50% reduction of out-of-pocket cost for members of St. Henry Cluster.
- Office hours available at Maria Stein Spiritual Center.
- Strict confidentiality is maintained at all times.

TO REGISTER AS A NEW PARISHIONER

Call the Cluster Office (419-678-4118) to register in any of the parishes in the Cluster.

CONFESSION SCHEDULES

- Weekdays after the 7:30 a.m. Mass
- Thursday before First Friday 3:00 p.m. at St. Henry
- Saturday at 4:15 p.m. at St. Henry
- Saturday at 7:00 p.m. at St. Aloysius

BAPTISM

- 1st Sunday of the month - St. Aloysius, St. Henry.
- 2nd Sunday of the month - St. Bernard
- 3rd Sunday of the month - St. Francis & St. Henry
- 4th Sunday of the month - St. Wendelin

Baptism will be at 1:00 p.m. on the above Sundays or can be scheduled at any weekend Mass. Call the Cluster office in advance to schedule. Baptism Preparation Class is required, and is held every 2 months. Our next **BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS** will be held **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2010**. If you are expecting a child and did not attend this class in the past, call the Cluster office to register, 419-678-4118.

BANNS OF MATRIMONY – AUGUST 1, 2010

St. Henry:

- Ann. II – Derric Bruns – Karla Buschur
- Ann. I – Adam Klawon, St. Anthony, Dayton, son of Joe & Cathy (Whitman) Klawon
- Karlee Kleinhenz, St. Henry, daughter of Nick & Irene (Buening) Kleinhenz

St. Francis:

- Ann. I – Rigoberto Segundo – Victoria Nuño

IN THE MILITARY

Please pray for Sgt. Jeffrey Lauber, Army (SA); CPL Adam Wolters, Marines (SA); Staff Sergeant Mark D. Heitkamp, USAF (SB); Sp 4 Chad Prasuhn, US Army (SB); LCPL David Dennings (SF); EM2 Shannon P. Steinbrunner, US Navy (SF); SPC Dave Bertke, US Army (SH); Evan Bertke, National Guard (SH); Sr. Ann Christine L. Heitkamp, USAF (SH); PFC Klint Hemmelgarn, National Guard (SH); SSgt. Danielle Kremer, USAF (SH); SPC Cory Mescher National Guard (SH); Capt. Nicholas J. Stachler, US Army (SH); Lt. Col. Charles (Chuck) Whitsett, US Army (formerly of SH); SPC Brad Nerderman, National Guard (SH).

If you would like to add the names of family members who are in the military to this list email shclusteroffice@hotmail.com or call 419-678-4118.

COLLECTIONS JULY 25, 2010

St. Aloysius

Sunday Offering.....\$408.00
Miscellaneous\$157.25

St. Bernard

Sunday Offering.....\$1765.00
(78 env. -\$1626.00 loose – \$139.00)
(Weekly goal - \$1950.00)
Miscellaneous\$160.93

St. Francis

Sunday Offering.....\$1494.50
Capital Improvement\$125.00
Miscellaneous\$106.00

St. Henry

Sunday Offering.....\$7469.22
(242 env. – \$6502.00; loose - \$967.22)
(Weekly goal - \$7500.00)
Candles\$121.00
CCD\$165.00
Stipends.....\$100.00

St. Wendelin

Sunday Offering.....\$889.00
(33 env. - \$759.00; loose - \$130.00)
Cemetery.....\$140.00

TRAVELING THIS SUMMER?? Don't take a vacation from Sunday Mass this summer. Visit www.masstimes.org or call 1-410-627-6000 to find a Catholic church near wherever you are vacationing in the U.S.

ROSARY will be said on Monday & Thursday evenings at 7pm at St. Henry Church, for world peace.

ST. BERNARD CCD PROGRAM is taking registration for the 2010-2011 school year. The CCD program is open for K-12th grades beginning September 8th on Wednesday evenings from 7-8 p.m. Please call or e-mail Ann M Stammen to register or if you have any questions: at 937-338-4455 - e-mail at 6stammens@bright.net.

LOCAL FOOD PANTRY. Collections will be held the first Sunday of each month. Donations of canned & nonperishable foods are welcomed. The items of the month are Facial Tissue & Canned Vegetables.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION will be held on Friday, August 6th from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at St. Wendelin and from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at St. Henry. All are welcome to spend time with our Eucharistic Lord.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION will be held at St. Henry church from 8am to 6pm even though there is no morning Mass at St. Henry that day. If there happens to be a funeral Mass at St. Henry on Friday, Adoration will be from 12noon until 6pm.

Come join us for a **FAMILY HOLY HOUR** at St. Henry on August 6th at 5:00 p.m. Learn how the miracle of Lanciano made a doubting priest believe in the true presence of the Eucharist!

PRAYER SUPPORT GROUP for those suffering from depression or those at a tough spot in their lives. **ON EAGLES WINGS** will meet every other week on Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the St. Henry Parish Rectory Dining Room. An opportunity for confidential sharing. If interested, please contact Dave Muhlenkamp at 419-678-3109.

Ladies, **FAMILIA** Family Life Teams are forming for the fall. Women's teams currently meet at St. Bernard twice a month fall to spring. For questions or to register please contact Marleen Evers 419-375-2475 (dmevers@bright.net) or Sandy Post 419-375-1431. You may also like to visit www.familiausa.net for more info.

The **LOCAL HOSPITALS** are no longer permitted to call our Cluster Office to inform us when a parishioner is in the hospital. If you or a family member is in any hospital, please remember to call the cluster office or your parish life coordinator so that we may be able to provide ministries to those in need.

Our **RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) PROGRAM** will begin this fall. If you know someone who may be interested in joining the Catholic Church or if you just want to learn more about our faith, this is the program for you. If you are interested in being a catechist or a sponsor, contact Randy or Diane Balster, 419-678-8322, or the Cluster office, 419-678-4118.

The **3RD ANNUAL MAGNIFICAT WOMEN'S ONE DAY RETREAT** will be held this year on Saturday, September 18, at St. Charles Seminary. The program will begin with Mass at 8:00 a.m. and will include several speakers all touching on this year's theme - forgiveness. A light breakfast as well as lunch will be provided. Cost is \$15.00. Please register early by contacting one of the following people: Rene Klosterman 419- 678-4700, Ginny Gehret 419-942-2473, or Ann Stammen 419-678-8585.

ST. ALOYSIUS

PORTERS: Doug Jansen 8/2- 8/8
Bill Koesters 8/9 - 8/15

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Mary Jane Homan 8/2
Lillian Moorman 8/9

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 7:30 P.M. MASS

SERVER: Karolyn Staugler, Haleigh Staugler, Paul Hart
LECTOR: Dan Hart, Nancy Hart
USHERS: Bill Franzer, Dan Hart
GIFT BEARERS: John & Marlene Staugler
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Mike Hemmelgarn, Eric Hess,
Joe Hess

ROSARY: Mike Hemmelgarn

CHURCH CLEANING CREW for August is the following: Mary Jane Homan, Deb Kremer, Nancy Wuebker, and Connie Klenke.

CYO ADVISOR: Mike Hemmelgarn will be retiring as CYO advisor Jan 1 2011. We will need a new advisor. Anyone interested please contact Mary Jo Schmiesing 419-925-4883 or Mike Hemmelgarn (419-925-4111).

SERVERS: *This summer we will be following the same schedule as in previous years. If you serve on Saturday night, you are expected to serve at the Monday morning Mass. This will begin June 7 and continue till school starts again. Please remember to come for 7:30 in the morning Mass.*

WINDOWS UPDATE: There will be an update on the windows and the pledge drive, Wednesday August 11th at 8:00 pm. It will be located at St. Aloysius Church. Please attend if at all possible.

CONGRATULATIONS to Al & Donna Hart on their 60th Wedding Anniversary on August 5th. May God continue to bless them & their family.

ST. BERNARD

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 7:30 A.M. MASS

SERVER: Isaac Stammen, Matt Siefring

LECTOR: Riley Post

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 9:00 A.M. MASS

GREETERS: Jamie Wendel, Joe & Vicki Barga, Marleen Evers

SERVERS: Bradley & Jared Rindler, Jacob & Aaron Niekamp

LECTORS: Carol Niekamp, Dianna Kunkler

USHERS: Don Ontrop, Vic May, Ralph Schmitz

GIFT BEARERS: Don & Mary Ontrop

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Jim Naseman, Linda Rauh, Ruth Kunkler, Eileen Siefring, Betty Garke

ROSARY: Ralph & Alvera Schmitz

DISTRIBUTOR TO THE SHUT-INS: Marilyn Werling

Sunday, August 15 you will find a special envelope designated for **ST. BERNARD PATRONAGE COLLECTION** in your packet. Please be as generous as you can! We depend on this collection as a major source of income to meet our operating goals for our church.

A BIG THANK YOU to all of the people who volunteered to help with the bingo stand at the picnic. Your help was greatly appreciated! - The Ladies Guild

THANKS TO EVERYONE who helped with and donated items for the Variety Stand, and helped with grounds clean-up for the Community Picnic. It was very much appreciated!!

MEN'S HOLY NAME RAFFLE WINNERS for July are: Ron & Karen Schalter \$40, Nate Bomholt \$20 and Ed Siefring \$10.

PARISH ACTIVITIES:

- Monday, August 2 at 7-9:15 p.m. **FAMILIA** in church basement.
- Tuesday, August 3 at 1:30 p.m. **SENIOR CITIZEN CARD PARTY** in church basement.
- Monday, August 9 at 7:30 p.m. **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** in the church basement.

ST. FRANCIS

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 7:30 A.M. MASS

SERVERS: Ed Knapke Family

LECTOR: Mary Dahlinghaus

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Karen Schmitmeyer, Joyce Gerlach

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 11:00 A.M. MASS

SERVERS: Isaac, Aaron, and Nathan Marchal

LECTORS: Tom Marchal, Ryan Huwer

USHERS: Jake Marchal, Mark Watercutter

GIFT BEARERS: Carl and Beck Everman

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Lucy Marchal, Deb Osterholt, Britney Osterholt

ROSARY: Jerry and Pat Watercutter

The **LADIES SODALITY GARAGE SALE** will be held this week on Thursday, August 5-Saturday, August 7. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** - There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church to help with the garage sale. Anyone in the 6th grade or older may volunteer to help. All help is greatly appreciated.

ADDITIONAL GARAGE SALE ITEMS NEEDED- we will once again be holding a bake sale/lunch stand along with the garage sale. Anyone wishing to donate baked goods or items from their garden may bring them down on Wednesday, August 4, or any day of the garage sale. We would like to thank everyone for their donations. You may pick up any unsold items on Saturday afternoon or Sunday. Any remaining items will be donated to the Good Will.

WEEKDAY MINISTRIES NEEDED: We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers and lectors for our Wednesday morning Mass. Please prayerfully consider helping our parish in serving in these ministries. If you are interested please contact Sandy Broering to get on the next schedule.

Only **KLENKE RECYCLING BAGS** are accepted at St. Francis church parking lot. Please do NOT use Maharg bags ("St. Henry Bags") - they will not get picked up!

ST. HENRY

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 7:30 A.M. MASS

SERVERS: Evan Lefeld, Marianne Lefeld, Ross Gelhaus, Shelby Gelhaus, Andrew Kleinhenz

LECTOR: Ben Buening

DISTRIBUTORS TO THE SHUT-INS: (Friday) Shirley Rammel Don & Margaret Schmit

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 5:00 P.M. MASS

GREETERS: Janice Buschur, Wendi Moorman

SERVERS: Kent Hemmelgarn, Megan Lefeld, Zach Linn, Justin Mescher, Jordan Rammel

LECTORS: Ruth Thobe, Randy Schmit

USHERS: Tom Lange, John Dippold, Randy Evers

GIFT BEARERS: Tom & Mary Ann Poeppelman

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: John & Kate Fullenkamp, Janice Uhlenhake, Darlene Stammen, Cindy Kaup, Sharon Selzer, Ron Dues, Regina Lange, Joan Uhlenhake, Carl & Kathy Hart

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 9:00 A.M. MASS

GREETERS: Joan & Jordan Puthoff, Betty & Mark Lange, Mary Ann & Ron Lefeld

SERVERS: Brent Miller, Cara Rutschilling, Jordan Steinbrunner, Kyle Stahl, Danielle Uhlenhake

LECTORS: Paul Hemmelgarn, Marjorie Stachler

USHERS: Marvin Lefeld, Fred Goettemoeller, Don Bender

GIFT BEARERS: Tim & Deb Knapke

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Mike Moeder, Linda Thieman, Dillon Eyink, Mel Nieport, Sara Kiser, Stacy Niekamp, Betty Lange, Susan Howe, Kathy Hartke, Marjorie Good

ROSARY: Mary Ann Lefeld

DISTRIBUTORS TO THE SHUT-INS: Gene Figel, Esther Beyke, Anita Hemmelgarn, Michelle Hartings

ANGEL ROOM: **Brittany Howe**, Danielle Lange, Alana Knapke, Jesse Bruening, Ross Gelhaus
Adults: **Nikki Lange**, Beth Hemmelgarn

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 11:00 A.M. MASS

GREETERS: Larry & Lisa Dailey, Mark & Angie Imel, Rene Kleinhenz

SERVERS: Kelsey Prenger, Nicole Wehrkamp, Michelle Bruns, Derek Buening, Lauren Goettemoeller

LECTORS: Lisa Moeller, Jeff Davis

USHERS: Nick Balster, Andy Gast, Ted Kleinhenz

GIFT BEARERS: Trent & Jodi Buschur

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Deb S. Hemmelgarn, Sara Evers, Kim Zimmerman, Nancy Muhlenkamp, Deb Goettemoeller, Janice Buschur, Angie Imel, Joelle Ranly, Trent Buschur, Karen Westgerdes

ROSARY: Jason & Lynne Garman

ANGEL ROOM: **Marianna Niekamp**, Aubrey Rammel, Callie Topp, Olivia Stahl, Alyssa Mescher
Adults: **Ann Freisthler**, Heather Fullenkamp

This week's **TITHE** will go to our sister parish, St. Michel's, in Plaisance, Haiti.

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ST. WENDELIN

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 7:30 A.M. MASS

SERVERS: Matt Meier, Kevin Meier

LECTORS: Dave Meier

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 7:30 A.M. MASS

SERVERS: Alison Langenkamp, Rachel Post, Nathan Langenkamp

LECTORS: Ben Post, Diane Langenkamp

USHERS: Tom Tobe, Phil Tobe

GIFT BEARERS: Dave & Becky Rammel

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Ginny Post, Jim Rosenbeck
Betty Hemmelgarn

ROSARY: Choir

HOMEBOUND: Betty Hemmelgarn


The hall is open on Sunday mornings during Mass if there is a need to use the **RESTROOM**.

Your **CEMETERY ASSESSMENT** is due during the month of July. Each envelope holder is asked to contribute \$20/yearly for the upkeep and maintenance of our cemetery. Please use the cemetery envelope in your packet.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION will be held on Friday, August 6, after the 7:30 a.m. Mass until 4:00 p.m. All are welcome to spend time with our Eucharistic Lord.

OTHER NEWS

ST. HENRY SCHOOL NEWS

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- **Attention all 7th & 8th grade girls** interested in playing volleyball. Tryouts will be held Monday, August 9th and Tuesday, August 10th from 3-5 p.m. in the high school gym. Questions, please call Diana Kramer 567-644-2234.
 - **Orientation & Schedule Pick-Up for the Middle School:**
 - **5th Grade Student Orientation** – Wed. Aug. 18 from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. Meet in the Commons Area
 - **6th, 7th & 8th Grade Schedule Pick-Up** – in Middle School Office on Tues & Wed, Aug 17 & 18 from 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., and Thurs. Aug 19 from 8 a.m. – Noon
 - **St. Henry Elementary Open House:**
 - Preschool C & D – Tues, Aug. 24 – 8:30-11 a.m. & 12-2:30 p.m.
 - Preschool A & B – Thurs., Aug 26 – 8:30-11 a.m. & 12-2:30 p.m.
 - Kindergarten B – Tues., Aug 24 – 8:30-11 a.m. & 12-2:30 p.m.
 - Kindergarten A – Wed., Aug. 25 – 8:30-11 a.m. & 12-2:30 p.m.
 - 1st Grade – Thursday, Aug. 19 – 6:30–7:30 p.m.
 - 2nd Grade – Thursday, Aug. 19 – 6:30–7:00 p.m.
 - 3rd Grade – Thursday, Aug. 19 – 7:00–7:30 p.m.
 - 4th Grade – Tuesday, Sept. 7 – 7:00–8:00 p.m.

HERITAGE CLUB WINNERS for July are Rod Moorman & Don Evers.

ST. MARIA'S COMMUNITY FARM produce stand is open every Saturday throughout the end of the summer from 9 a.m. to noon. All proceeds go to help the poor. Located close to North Star on the corner of St. Rt. 705 and U.S. Rt. 127 (Happy Corner Garage parking lot).

THE BACKPACK PROGRAM, sponsored by the CALL Food Pantry, provides the opportunity for a child, who is qualified for a free or reduced lunch at school, to receive food which is placed in their backpack when they leave the school building on Friday. The food will be enough to sustain the children over the weekend so that the return to school on Monday ready to learn instead of being hungry. Prayerfully consider making a generous donation to this Program. 100% of your donation will go directly to the purchase of food. Thanks to an anonymous donor, the first \$12,500 will be matched, dollar for dollar!

LOST & FOUND: A coin purse was found on the picnic grounds after the St. Henry Community Picnic. Contact the Cluster Office to identify 419-678-4118.

Several good bikes have been turned in to the **ST. HENRY POLICE DEPARTMENT**. If someone is missing one, please call the Police Department at 419-678-4141.

"THANKS TO OUR YANKS" is looking for Mercer County soldiers, who are in Iraq or Afghanistan, to receive monthly care packages. If you know of a soldier stationed in these countries, please contact Marty Krieg at 419-678-3591. Leave a message.

SUNDAY BRUNCH at New Weston Hall on August 1 from 8:00 a.m. to Noon. Sausage, Pancakes, Grits, Scrambled Eggs, Biscuits & Gravy. Adults: \$5, 4-12 yrs: \$3, Under 4 is Free.

TOTAL CHOLESTEROL CHECK for \$2.00 on Wednesday, August 4 from 1-4 p.m. at the St. Henry Library. No fasting required – results in 3 minutes.

YOUNG ADULT NIGHT: Join us at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, August 6th, at the Maria Stein Relic Shrine for a Holy Hour. There will also be a group going out afterwards for those who want to come. Questions, call Krista at (419) 852-0794.

VIGIL OF THE TWO HEARTS will take place at St. Sebastian Catholic Church on First Friday August 6, beginning at 8:00p.m. with the Rosary and Confessions. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass begins at 9:00p.m. After Mass, there will be Eucharistic Adoration and prayers each hour through the night. The Two Hearts Vigil concludes on First Saturday, August 7, with the Dawn Procession of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:30 a.m. and First Saturday Mass at 7:00 a.m. All are welcome! Feel free to come for all or part of the Two Hearts Vigil.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS will be on August 7th in the main chapel at the St. Charles Center at 2:00 p.m.

St. Henry Boy Scout **CAR WASH** fundraiser will be August 7th from 10 a.m. till 2 p.m. at Gels IGA.

REMINDER: St. Henry PTO School Supply pickup is Saturday, August 7th from 9 – 11 a.m. in the St. Henry Elementary Gym.

SUMMER CONCERT to benefit the area fire, police and rescue departments. Sunday, August 8th at 7:00 PM in St. Henry Park. Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy music from all eras performed by Roger, Randy, Brenda, Candy and Rose (a.k.a. "Altar Ego")

ST. HENRY'S WEEKEND IN THE PARK along with the 27th Annual Alumni Softball and Co-Ed Sand Volleyball Tournament - August 5 - 8. Thursday, August 5: Free Movie in the Park (TBA) - Shown at dusk - Free Popcorn, Concessions Available - Sponsored by the Sons of the American Legion. August 6 - 8: Free Blow-Ups for Kids, Free Swimming at St. Henry Swimming Pool, Food Stand, Softball and Co-Ed Sand Volleyball Tournament. Saturday, August 7: Open Air Dance with DJ - Jamey's Jams, 8 pm - 12 am. For more information contact Joe Wourms @ 419-763-4032.

FATIMA, USA. The Spiritual Center of Maria Stein will be transformed into Fatima, Portugal to honor the Mother of God on Friday evening, August 13th at 7:30 p.m. The program will conclude with a procession around the grounds on paved sidewalks. All present will be encouraged to join in the procession. Candles and holders will be available. Bring a rosary, lawn chair, and flashlight. Please dress appropriately for Mass and for the weather.

BREAKFAST AT THE ST. HENRY LEGION HALL. Sunday, August 15, 8am-12:30pm. Pancakes, Biscuits & Gravy, Eggs, Ham, Sausage, Hash Browns, and more. Adults \$6; Youth 3-12, \$3, Under 3 free. Sponsored by the St. Henry Sons of the American Legion.

1st ANNUAL OPERATION FREEDOM SUPPORT GOLF OUTING on August 29th (rain date: Sept. 12) at the Fox's Den in Celina. Sign-in Time is 7:45 a.m.; Tee Time is 8:30 a.m. \$50/person. Please register by August 15. Contact Fred Jutte at 419-375-1421 or 419-852-9830.

SAVE THE DATE! The annual Women's Retreat Day at Maria Stein Shrine is Sat. Oct. 9, repeated on Sat. Oct. 23. "He Touched Me" will focus on the many ways Jesus touches our lives. Sr. Maryann Bremke, CPPS, is the presenter.

The **12th ANNUAL DINNER THEATER** at St. Anthony Parish Hall will be held on the last three weekends of November. Come enjoy a Christmas comedy with a Christian message. For tickets, call 419-375-2320, 419-942-1131, or 419-942-1558. Tickets sell quickly; call now to make your reservations. Visit us at www.saintanthonydinnertheater.com for more information.

CASC EVENTS: contact Eileen for more info – 419-678-8691

- August 1 – Benediction – Spiritual Center in Maria Stein
- August 7 – Putt-Putt Golf – Englewood
- August 14 – House Party – Coldwater
- August 22 – Darke County Fair – Greenville
- August 29 – Canoeing – West Milton

EVENTS AT THE SPIRITUAL CENTER: MARIA STEIN

- August 1, Sunday, 6 p.m. Prayer & Benediction.
- August 3 & 17, Tues., 9 a.m.-3 p.m.: Piecemakers Craft Group
- August 12, Friday, 7:30 p.m.: Fatima USA
- August 17, Tuesday, 7 p.m.: Healing Mass

CATHOLIC WORKSHOPS in the area. To register, contact the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis, 937-498-1192 or email sidneymediacenter@catholiccincinnati.org

- **WHAT IS THE BIBLE? WHERE DID IT COME FROM? AND HOW DO I USE IT?** August 4 and 11, 2010 from 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. at Precious Blood Church Basement, Chickasaw. Instructor: Carolyn Stucke. Cost: \$15.00
- **HEBREW AND CHRISTIAN SCRIPTURE.** August 4, 11, 25, and Sept. 1, 2010 from 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. at the Precious Blood Church Basement, Chickasaw. Instructor: Fr. Jim Seibert, CPPS. Cost: \$30.00
- **LEADING PRAYER WORKSHOP.** August 12, 2010 from 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. at the St. Anthony School House, St. Anthony OR August 17, 2010 from 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. at St. Remy, Russia. Instructor: Carolyn Stucke. Cost \$10.00



YOUTH NIGHT @ THE MONDAY NIGHT PRAYER MEETING. August 2nd, at 8 p.m. in the St. Henry Church Basement. Join other youths in praise & worship and be filled with the Holy Spirit.

Join us for **FIRE (Frisbee & Ice cream that's Really Extreme!)** on Wednesday, August 4th from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. Meet at the gazebo in St. Henry's South Park. Have some fun playing Ultimate Frisbee and eating ice cream! This is for both junior-high & high school students (6th grade & up)! Canceled if raining.

DID YOU RECENTLY GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL in the last few years?! Join us on Thursday, August 5th at 7 p.m. for a fun night of inspiration, food, socializing and fun learning how to get involved in college campus ministry or young adult groups in your area. Hear some great talks, music and videos and meet fellow young adults interested in getting into their Catholic faith on their college campuses or around their hometown. The night is free of charge and will be held in the St. Henry church basement. Bring a friend and make some new ones there! All college-aged young adults are invited, so invite someone from any parish or town!

OUT PRAY ~ OUT PLAY ~ OUT LAST. St. Bernard's CYO is hosting Survivor Night on Monday, August 9th at 7:00 in the St. Bernard's Church Basement. 7th grade - seniors welcomed. Come join in the games!

St. Henry Cluster Youth Ministry is now ONLINE! The new Youth Ministry website is now up and running - so be sure to check it out for upcoming events, calendar, announcements and more! Go to <http://www.sthenycluster.com/youthministry> to see what we're up to and be sure to check it often to get up to date information!

Are you on **FACEBOOK?** We are too! Make sure to join the Facebook group **St. Henry Cluster Youth Ministry** to get all the news about what will be coming up this summer and school year!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING AT 7:30 AM? High-schoolers: this summer, enjoy starting your morning off with Weekday Mass on Thursday at St. Henry, then head out for breakfast with Kevin Schulze to briefly discuss the upcoming Sunday Scriptures!

E-MAIL ADDRESSES REQUESTED. Kevin Schulze would like the email addresses of any & all junior high & high school students who would like to get up-dates on upcoming youth events. Email Kevin at schulzkj@gmail.com

WANT TO ROCK OUT FOR GOD? A band is forming this summer to play for Cluster Youth Group events in the fall. Do you play guitar, drums, keyboards (piano), bass, sing or another rock out instrument? Do you want to help lead others in prayer through music? We need YOU! Contact Kevin Schulze at schulzkj@gmail.com to learn how you can help to be a vital part of Youth Group nights this fall!