

MONDAY, JANUARY 23

- 6:15 AM Communion Service
9:00 AM Mass for Joyce A. Brose

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

- 6:15 AM Communion Service
9:00 AM Mass for Ida A. Baumstark (Anniv.)
9:45 AM Bi-lingual Bible Study (Emmaus Room)
5:00 PM Pastoral Council Meeting (Notre Dame Room)
6:30 PM Adult Ringers (Church)
7:00 PM RCIA (Emmaus Room)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL

- 6:15 AM Communion Service
9:00 AM Mass for Hubert Naderer Family
10:00 AM Bible Study (Parish Hall)
5:00 PM Mass for Dave Lee
6:45 PM Rel. Ed.: Report Cards
7:00 PM Presentation to School Parents (Parish Hall)
7:00 PM Rosary Altar Society Meeting (Youth Room)
7:00 PM Parish Choir (Choir Room)
7:00 PM Bible Study (Emmaus Room)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, STS. TIMOTHY & TITUS

- 6:15 AM Communion Service
9:00 AM Mass for Jim Steyer
5:30 PM No Contemporary Ensemble (Choir Room)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 27, ST. ANGELA MERICI

- 6:15 AM Communion Service
9:00 AM Mass for Clarence & Hilda Kelbley
2:15 PM No Nursing Home Mass

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

- 10:00 AM Charismatic Prayer Group (Notre Dame Room)
1:30 PM Golden Anniversary Mass for Garland & Bonnie Smith
4:30 PM Mass for John Shaull (Anniv.); Jean Bowman (Anniv.); Ruth M. Ray; Bernadette Kruszynski; Donald Kruszynski (30-Day); Katie Mosier
Servers: Debbie Miller, Davey Smith, Victoria & Sophia Volpe
Lector: Ed Miller
Cantor: Chuck Frankart
Gift Bearers: Gene & Fayanne Ochs

SUNDAY, JANUARY 29, FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Vocation Cup: Laura Hoerig
Fellowship Host: Peace & Justice Team
Drama Club Bake Sale after all Masses

- 7:30 AM Mass for Jeff Schilt
Servers: Jack Altwies, John Kleinfelter
Lector: Ronnie Kromer
Cantor: Sharyn Lininger
Gift Bearers: Joe & Phyllis Hulderman
9:00 AM Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Atrium)
9:00 AM Mass for Liv./dec. members of St. Wendelin Parish
Servers: Cailin Reineck, Sydney Johnson, Luke Volkmer, Jacob Wagner

- 9:00 AM **Lector:** Jeff Clagg
Gift Bearers: Dave & Jackie Schiefer
PARISH CHOIR
11:00 AM Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Atrium)
11:00 AM Mass for Peg Saalman
Servers: Meghan Reiter, Lesly Quinonez, Jocelyn & Riann Reinhart
Lector: Dave Hunter
Gift Bearers: Harry & Amy Peters
CONTEMPORARY ENSEMBLE
6:30 PM Divorce/Separated Group (Upper Room)

Eucharistic Exposition goes from Sunday at 12 PM until Saturday at 2 AM in the Eucharistic Chapel.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT FOR DECEMBER

Christmas	\$	34,996
Received 12/1 - 12/31	\$	89,308
Budgeted for December	\$	95,000
Over (Under) for December	\$	(5,692)
Year-to-date received	\$	457,588
Year-to-date budgeted	\$	491,000
Over (under) for fiscal year	\$	(33,412)
Children's Offertory	\$	198



**Extraordinary Ministers
of Holy Communion**
1/28 & 1/29 A

Readings for the Week of January 22, 2012

- Sunday** Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25; 1 Cor 7:29-31 or Mk 1:14-20
Monday 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89; Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24; Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Ps 117; Mk 16:15-18
Thursday 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Tit 1:1-5; Ps 96; Mk 4:21-25
Friday 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51; Mk 4:26-34
Saturday 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51; Mk 4:35-41
Sunday Dt 18:15-20; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Ps 95; Mk 1:21-28

**WEDDING BANNS**

I I Jameson Botimer & Amanda Baker

Man, were you out of line!

Occasionally in my life I have received criticism on what I did or didn't do. It can relate to students, financial charges, decisions that were met with opposition, etc. Occasionally, they relate to something in my sermons. Therefore, I would like to reflect briefly on how sermons come to be!

First, I owe an apology to the folks in my first parish assignment. I looked over those early sermons (I kept them) one day and was grateful for the kindness of the folks who put up with my theologizing, as I tried to share with them all I learned in my seminary days. I remember another time when I was preaching and starting to wind down and a 5-6 year old stood up in the first pew and hollered out: THAT'S ENOUGH! Needless to say the sermon ended with: "The Holy Spirit has spoken in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit." I never found out who he was or his parents. He seemed to be an orphan or an angel in disguise. Another time, I was struggling with a sermon topic. I prayed, I knelt, I did research, I pondered and it just wouldn't come together. On the way down the aisle, I started to laugh. I did everything except the one thing I needed to do. The theme was Trust in God and I did not trust in Him.

Lately, I find that I am relying more and more on the Inspiration of the Holy Spirit. It seems that I am feeling more power because of the Adoration time spent in the Blessed Sacrament. The research and reflection is there but somehow it all comes together, usually Saturday afternoon, and it makes a lot of sense to me.

However, I need feedback. What isn't preached that needs to be preached? I remember in my history of preaching, a woman came up to me and said, why are you always using negative examples when you speak of women? I went over my previous 12 sermons and she was right. That feedback was tremendously helpful because it revealed a blind spot in my preaching. Sometimes, I have been accused of revealing confessional materials when I preached on a particular sin. However, the sermon was composed long before confession and it is amazing how often we are guilty of the same sins. I remember one psychiatrist said, our deepest feelings are the most common feelings, the most private feelings are the same as everyone else's.

That's enough for today.

Fr. Nicholas Weibl

A meditation:

A man was standing on a ledge about 5 stories up on a building. It was the noon hour and people were gathered and were watching. As nothing happened and one of the crowd noticed that it was getting close to the end of his lunch hour, he started chanting: jump, jump, jump and pretty soon, he was joined by others anxious to get back to their work: jump, jump, jump....

A woman is pregnant and people give advice: you are too young, it's really a bad time in your life to have a baby, you have too many children already, there is a chance that the baby is defective and missing a chromosome, it will cause problems between you and your boyfriend: abort, abort, abort.....

How cruelly selfish can we be and have become in our society?

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Weekend Masses

Saturday - 4:30 PM
Sunday - 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

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SCHOOL NEWS

SAVE THE DATE!

Registration for admittance for the 2012-2013 school year will be held on two (2) occasions: Sunday, Feb. 12th in the Parish Hall after Masses from 10:00 a.m. till 1:30 p.m. and Monday, Feb. 13th in the School Cafeteria from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. Families will be filling out registration forms, Facts Mgt. agreements and Registration Fees will be collected IN FULL at this time.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

► Monday, Jan. 23

JHBBK 5PM vs. St. Joseph CC @ home
JHGBK 5PM @ St. Joseph CC
GBK 6PM vs. Van Buren HS @ home



► Wednesday, Jan. 25

Talk at 7 with Mike & Brian 7PM (Parish Hall)

► Thursday, Jan. 26

GBK 6PM vs. St. Joseph CC HS @ home

► Friday, Jan. 27

BBK 6PM vs. North Baltimore HS @ home

► Saturday, Jan. 28

WR 10AM @ Cardinal Stritch HS
BBK 6PM @ Cory Rawson HS

MOHAWK 200 CLUB WINNERS

Below are the Dec. winners of \$200 this basketball season:

Dec. 3 vs. Upper Scioto Valley

#69 Tom & Sharon Krupp, #17 Bill Reineke Sr.,
#111 Mike & Sue Recker

Dec. 9 vs. Carey

#181 Dave & Stephanie McCarty, #269 Brett & Jorie Moes,
#215 Mike & Kae Sobczyk

Dec. 10 vs. Hardin Northern

#237 Francis Hoffbauer, #85 Mary VanCuren,
#170 Lisa Ball

Dec. 17 vs. Vanlue

#274 Ray & Marcie Burns, #78 Richard Reinhart,
#185 Vince & Sandy Wolph

2012 SUPER BOWL SUB SALE

St. Wendelin band students will begin taking orders for **Sub Sandwiches Friday, Jan. 13**. Two varieties of subs will be offered: SMOKED TURKEY & DELI (Ham, Salami & Bologna) at \$4 each, with payment due upon order placement. Friends, parishioners and supporters alike, will have the opportunity to order after each Mass on **Sunday, Jan. 22**. The SW Band Boosters will be hosting fellowship in the PLC on that day.

The final turn in date for **Sub** orders is **January 27**. The band students will be making AND delivering the subs to their customers on **Saturday, Feb. 4**. Please direct any questions to Mr. Matt Keasel, Band Director at 419-435-8144. As always, the St. Wendelin Music Boosters are very appreciative of the support generated each year.



“TALK AT 7 WITH MIKE & BRIAN”

Hear Ye, Hear Ye! The winter parent forum highlighting the new and improved registration process for the 2012-2013 school year will be **Wednesday, Jan. 25 from 7-8PM in the Parish Hall**. All parents are strongly encouraged to attend. Mr. Shaver will discuss the changes in registration, applying for tuition grants, and payment options. Children of families attending will receive a free jeans day!

KROGER PLUS USERS

► Below is a list of Kroger Plus users that need to contact Kim Yoakum to let her know who gets their credits. Please call at 419-435-8144 ext. 1422.



Blackburn, James	Kirk, Mary
Brenamen, Kyle	Koester, Kristin
Brenamen, Michael	Leitner, Christine
Cassidy, Michele	Myers, Ronald
Crosby, Karen	Pelton, Dan
Dawson, Joshua	Podach, Louise
Diaz, Elizabeth	Rosales, Olivia
Frankart, Jenny	Scherger, Paul
Greaney, Marilyn	Spro, Kristi
Gruber, Grace	Sterling, Sharon
Hernandez, Mario	Stiger, Marla
Huff, Michael	Stimson, Patricia
Kaiser, Barbara	Tankovich, Melissa
Kinn, Mary	Uballe, Ntussia

► Kroger Plus Cards with NO NAMES:

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41606429856	42106055800
41606499784	42310522846
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T.R.I.P. NEWS

► **SHOPWITHSCRIP.COM** -- Check your T.R.I.P. progress online at shopwithscrip.com. You can view account activity, shop, and pay all from one site. Reminder: account activity online shows 100% of your total and does not include contributors.

Use the **orange box** to sign in using firstname.lastname. The password is the word password until you change it. If you are unclear of your user name, please email me at kim.yoakum@stwendelin.org.

More School News Continued next page.....

SCHOOL NEWS

BAKE SALE

The Drama Club will be having a baked goods sale following each Mass on Sunday, January 29th. We will be raising money for the upcoming musical production "Aida." The profit will specifically help in the acquisition of character shoes (dance shoes), wigs, and the tuning of the both the sound system and piano.

NEW TRIP VENDORS!

A.J.R. Morales \$25 card sold at 12%
Mary Kay Cosmetics/Chelcie Rutter
\$25 gift certificate sold at 10%.

TRIP NEWS

KemoSabe's Roadhouse Grill and Flippin' Jimmy's are now sold as \$25 gift cards.
Red's Pizza coming soon!

SWPA FUNDRAISER – St. Wendelin Parents Association

SWPA is sponsoring a fundraiser selling Tupperware on **Sunday, Jan. 22** at SW Parish in the Emmaus room. This open house runs from 9:30AM-1PM. Please stop in and consider ordering some of the wonderful products Tupperware offers, SW School will receive a generous profit from the proceeds, Money raised will benefit the group's grant and teacher appreciation initiatives. If you can't be there on this date but would like to order, or have any questions, please contact Amy Kelbley at 419-512-7554.

Dear Saint Wendelin Parishioners,

Thank you so much for supporting the pancake and sausage breakfast which the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus held to benefit me with my expenses in the seminary. I really cannot put into words how much this meant to me- just know that I deeply appreciate everyone's generosity!! It was really, truly amazing to witness just how much our parish supports vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life.

By the time you read this, I will have already returned to the Josephinum for spring semester. I ask you to please keep me in your prayers as I continue to study for the priesthood. Know that I am praying for you, and may the Lord bless you all!

Peace,

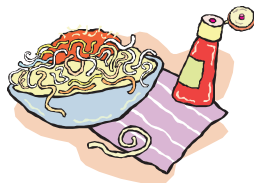
Kyle Gase,

Seminarian of the Diocese of Toledo

Our sincere sympathy and prayers are extended to the families of Irene Lonsway, Jane Lonsway, Margaret Schloff, and Sr. Marilyn Kay Borer who died recently. May they experience the peace and joy of the Risen Lord.



The K of C Ladies Auxiliary is having a Spaghetti Dinner, Saturday, Feb. 20 at the club. \$6 adults, and \$4.50 for children. Included is, marinara with meat sauce, salad & bread. Serving from 5-7 pm. Public is welcome, and take out is available. Any students that would like to help for service hours, please contact Tammy Frederick.



HEALTH NEWS

Scale Down® Weight Loss Information Session

Tues., Jan. 24 at 6 p.m.

Conference Center A, entrance 2

Free orientation detailing Scale Down® Quick Start weight loss program. This self-directed program features one-on-one personal coaching by a health care professional and a healthy, structured diet plan.

Diabetes Education Refresher Class

Fri., Jan. 27 at 10:30 a.m.

Diabetes Education Department, entrance 1

The diabetes education refresher course is designed for individuals with diabetes who have had previous diabetes education. A physician referral is required. The course has a fee billable to insurance and pre-registration is required for attendance. Financial assistance is available through the Foundation's diabetes fund. For more information, please call Shirley Conley, RN, BSN, CDE, at 419-436-6629.

It's that time of year again!! Girl Scout cookie orders are being taken by your favorite Girl Scout from Jan. 13 through Jan. 29. If you are not contacted and would like to order cookies, please call Diann Hay at 419-435-6543 or Olivia Hernandez at 419-619-6153. We will be selling cookies March 10th and 11th after all Masses. Thank you for supporting the St. Wendelin Girl Scouts!!

ACTION AUCTION NEWS

The St. Wendelin 28th Action Auction will be held on **February 4th, in the School Gymnasium. Doors open at 5:30 pm. If you would like to attend this fun filled evening, please call the Parish Office and make a reservation. Cost is \$50 per person. Ticket includes a full course meal with your favorite beverage and a chance to win the door prize for tickets to the Stranahan Theater and a gift card to your favorite restaurant. Total door prize is valued at \$400.00 and donated by Leshar Printers, Inc.**

iPAD RAFFLE

Only 200 Raffle tickets for an I-pad computer tablet 64gb with Wi-Fi will be sold, Winning ticket will be drawn at the Action Auction. Raffle tickets are available in the Parish Office. Tickets are \$20.00. Stop in and get your raffle ticket. Office hours are daily 8a-11:30a- 12:30p—5:00p.



The Rosary Altar Society will meet Wednesday, Jan. 25, at 7:00 pm. in the youth room in the lower level. Guest speaker will be Fr. Matt. Hostesses will be Phyliss Dibling, Fayanne Ochs, and Louise Boes. Please note: if the schools are closed due to the weather, our meeting will also be cancelled.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education News

Congratulations to our St. Wendelin parish and school second graders who celebrated their First Reconciliation last Wednesday evening. May they continue to celebrate what God has done and continues to do in their lives!

Confirmation Stewardship Bake-Sale ...

Our Confirmation Bake Sale scheduled for the weekend of January 21-22 has been postponed to February 4th and 5th after all Masses. A letter will be sent home to all 7th and 8th grade students who are preparing for Confirmation this year and next.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

RCIA members need your help! Our RCIA is now collecting items to help "Heartbeat of Toledo Pregnancy Support Center" in helping area babies in need. Heartbeat has recently seen an increase in requests for help. Baby items are given out through Heartbeat's Heart to Heart Parent Learning Program, as well as through its Emergency Services Program and Layettes for Newborns. Items currently needed include: Diapers, newborn through size 5, Powdered formula, Similac Advance and Similac Sensitive Isomil Soy, baby wipes, baby wash, lotion, powder and diaper rash ointment, new and gently used winter clothes, sizes 0-6 months, boys' clothing up to size 2T, outerwear, especially coats, snowsuits, boots, mittens (up to size 2T), receiving blankets, hooded bath towels and washcloths, gently used high chairs and strollers. Items will also be distributed to our own area agencies that help families with infants in need. Thank you!

Baptismal Policy of St. Wendelin Parish

Parents wishing to have their child baptized at St. Wendelin Catholic Church should contact the Parish Office at 419-435-6692 soon after you become pregnant. This is advised so you may finish the baptismal preparation before your child is born because of the many new demands added to a couple's life after the birth of a child.

1. Make initial contact with the Parish Office

The Parish Office will send you the necessary information to proceed with the Baptismal Preparation Program, or you may pick it up at the office.

2. Participate in the first session

This session will be given by Shellie Gabel, one on one with the couple. We will talk about the history and meaning behind the sacrament of Baptism.

3. Participate in the second session

At the end of the first session, you will need to register for the second session. These sessions are held 4 times a year. Our next "2nd session" will be held on **Sunday, February 12th**. Each session will begin with the 9:00 a.m. mass and conclude around 12:00 noon.

4. Schedule your child's baptism

Baptisms here at St. Wendelin are celebrated on the third Saturday/Sunday of every month during any of the Masses. An alternate baptismal ceremony will be offered at 12:30 p.m. each third weekend of the month also.

Baptism is an initiation into a community. As a community, we rely on each other for help and support. As parents who promise during the Rite of Baptism to raise their child in the Catholic faith, it is expected that you participate in our parish community, especially in attending Mass each weekend. Regular weekend Mass attendance is EXPECTED by parents and godparents, both before and after their child's baptism.

Mustard Seed Quote (by Matthew Kelly, author of Rediscover Catholicism)

So many people in the world do not know Jesus. Of those that do know Him, many know His name, few know His ways.

SAVE THE DATE—CRHP WEEKEND

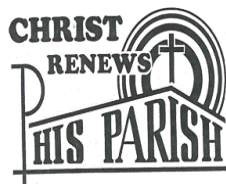
Are you looking for a New Year's resolution? Are you wanting to Renew your relationship with Jesus? Then join us at the next CRHP (Christ Renews His Parish) weekend.
Women's weekend - March 24 - March 25, 2012
Men's weekend - March 31 - April 1, 2012

WINTER CRHP REUNION MARK YOUR CALENDAR

5:00 pm - 8:00 PM

Sunday, February 12

More information to follow.



PRAYER CORNER

Please pray for the following people who are in need of a healing touch: Mary Bouillon, Alfred Brickner, David Carpenter, Sharon Cassidy, Paul Chaney, Kellie Cook, Patsy Conine, Bonifacio DeLaRosa, Frances DeLaRosa, Rheta DePuy, David Droll, Sr. Virginia Gase, Marge Gehring, Rita Haley, Deacon Joe Hulderman, Steve Incorvati, Matt Jacoby, Connie Johnson, Thrasilla Keefe, Liz Leibengood, Gus Lopez, Rose Ann Nye, Harry Peters, Sr., Louise Podach, Steve Raabe, Mae Reinhart, Leo Reinhart, Mary Jo Rivest, Dr. John Ross, Kathy Scherger, Jan Tiell, Susie Watkins, and Judy Young.



Daddy Daughter Dance - Saturday, February 11th 7:00-9:00 In the Parish Hall

Guys, as you know, your little princesses are growing up right before your eyes. Before long, they're going to be interested in boys and pretty soon a young prince will come a courting. Who better to show your daughter how she should be treated on a date than you? Now is your chance to show her how a real man behaves.

Here are a few suggestions to make Date Night with Daddy special...

1. Be sure to officially invite your daughter out on a "date".

Give her a flower, write her a note, call her on the phone and ask her to attend the dance with you. Don't be a clod. You are the only man in her life right now and she looks up to you. Be the kind of man you want her to date in the future.

2. Get dressed up. Putting on the ritz is always fun.

3. Don't miss an opportunity to open her car door, or any door for that matter! Chivalry is not dead!!

4. Attend 4:30 Mass together

Susan Hunt, in her essay *How to Raise Feminine Daughters*, suggests, "Our daughters will be products of their theology. Their knowledge—or lack of knowledge—of who God is and what He has done for them will show up in every attitude, action, and relationship. She goes on to state, "we must teach our daughters that their value and identity lie in the fact that they are image-bearers of the God of glory." Doing this will protect our daughters from seeking approval in the ways of the world. If we do not help our daughters tie their identity to God, they will tie it to something else—feminism, hedonism, materialism, self-worship, or any number of other things that lead to destruction.

5. Take your little princess to dinner.

Whether you are ordering hot chocolate or a four-course meal, discuss the menu together and then order for her. An element of surprise always makes a girl feel special, whether it's a flower on the seat of her car when you leave for your date, taking her to a place she's never been, or presenting that favorite dessert after the meal.

6. Attend the dance at 7:00 and have a great time.

Due to space constrictions, only a limited number of tickets will be available for this special occasion. We plan for a sell out and won't have tickets available at the door. Get your \$5 ticket per adult (your date(s) are included in the price) from the parish office or school office today.