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***The Most Holy Body &
Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi)***

Presiding Today:

Fr. Larry Mick

June

Council Announcements:
Pat Schug

In Today's Mass We Pray For:

In Gratitude
by - The Kennedy's

Proclaimers of the Word:

Jim & Marcelline Kennedy

Today's Collection Counters:

Tom Graham
Jim McGee

Mass Schedule:

St. Leonard Faith Community
Religious Education Classes,
9:00AM (September– May)
Sunday Mass, 10:30AM

Senior Living Community

Communion Service,
Monday 9:00AM
Mass: Tuesday - Friday,
9:00AM, Saturday 4:00PM
and Sunday 9:00AM

Welcome!

June 7, 2015



St. Leonard Faith Community is a freely formed Catholic community sharing in the Franciscan heritage. We are committed to creating, through active worship and the offering of our individual and collective gifts, a spiritual environment which opens us to the life-giving presence of the Holy Spirit. Through a variety of

ministries, we reach out to respond to the needs of others with love. Our mission will be to live our Christian faith, to grow spiritually, and to be actively involved in the community and St. Leonard Faith Community.

Worshiping with us for the first time? During the preparation of the gifts we follow the gift bearers to gather around the altar to receive Our Lord as a Community. If you would like to learn more about our Community with the possibility of becoming a member, information packets are available at the back pew.

Collections: We do not pass a collection basket during the Liturgy. Collection baskets are available on the ledge behind the back pews/chairs for donations that will assist in the operation of the Faith Community. Please make checks payable to: "St. Leonard Faith Community."

Weekly Collection: 5-31-15: \$2080.00 **YTD Collections:** \$150,948.00

Weekly Budget: \$3,615.00 **YTD Budget:** \$159,050.00

Glenmary Home Missioners Collection: \$1090.00

Readings for the Week of June 7, 2015

Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-7/Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22/Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Mt 5:20-26

Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-37

Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21/Mt 5:33-37

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34



Meet and Greet With Our New DRE, Amanda Stewart

Greetings! My name is Amanda and I am blessed to be your new Director of Religious Education! Several years ago, while completing a year of service in El Salvador, I felt God calling me to ministry in the Church. I started as a volunteer mentor for the youth group at my previous parish and as the Catholic Campus Minister at Ohio Wesleyan University in Delaware, Ohio. Then, this past year I moved to Dayton to pursue a Master's in Theological Studies at the University of Dayton.

I am excited to have this position as a compliment to my academic study. Personally, there are big changes on my horizon, as my fiancé, Ryan, and I are getting married on July 3rd (less than a month now)!

Thank you for welcoming Ryan and me into the St. Leonard's family. I look forward to continuing the great work Meghan has implemented and journeying with this community as we all learn how to best love God and live a life of Christian discipleship.



Calling all budding scientists in grades pre-K through 6!

Join us for this year's SonSpark Labs Vacation Bible School, to be held **June 21-25, from 6:00-8:30PM**. Young "scientists" will participate in experiments and games, create science-themed crafts, learn Bible stories and songs, and enjoy snacks. Most importantly, they will discover God's plan for each of them:

God's Plan 4 U = Jesus!

To register, visit: <http://stleonardfaithcommunity.org/vbs-online-registration>. For more information, contact Renee Clement at 937.435.4240 or renee.clement@ymail.com.

BAKE TODAY, June 7, we will have a bake sale to raise funds for our
SALE Vacation Bible School. The table will be set up during coffee and
 donuts after Mass. Be prepared for some tasty treats and to help
 fund this year's VBS.

Register for 2015-2016 Religious Education Classes

Registration for Religious Education classes for the 2015-2016 academic year is underway! Our Religious Education classes are for students in preschool through 8th grade. Classes are Christ-centered and are designed to enliven the personal faith of students and their families. For more information about our Religious Education Program and to access our registration form, please visit: <http://stleonardfaithcommunity.org/k-8-education>. In addition to the registration form, an emergency medical authorization form, photo release form, and registration fee must be submitted to the office for each student.

Financial assistance is available.

Attention volunteers who work with children:

If you have taken the VIRTUS Child Awareness Training Session, then you are required to complete monthly training bulletins online. Failure to complete three or more consecutive training bulletins will require you to retake the VIRTUS Child Awareness Session. You must be registered on virtusonline.org in order to access the bulletins. A bulletin reminder will arrive by email from system@pub.virtus.org on the first Sunday of each month. When you are ready to read your bulletin, follow these directions:

1. Go to www.virtusonline.org. Enter your user ID and password.
2. Click on "Training" at the top toolbar.
3. Click on "Training Bulletin Report" box on the right side of the screen to see your complete report.
4. Under "Type," click on "Click here for details."
5. Read each bulletin listed. Answer the question at the bottom of each bulletin, and click "Submit."

Please contact David Weickert at sffc.pa01@gmail.com or 937.435.3626 with questions.

Thoughts on Today's Readings...

As God's covenant with Israel was ratified by the blood of animals, God's new covenant with us has been ratified by the blood of Christ. We remember and celebrate that covenant every time we participate in "The Eucharist." It is that profound sign of a love that we celebrate today. Christ gives Himself for us and calls us to give ourselves for one another.



FAITH FORMATION - Noel Kupras-Bauer
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Mea culpa, mea culpa, mea maxima culpa! Do you remember your Latin? We used to say that in the beginning of Mass before the Vatican II changes. It means "through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault." All that to apologize for my forgetting what I had printed in last week's bulletin! So sorry for the confusion! The meeting is this week! If you signed up for the Merton Wisdom Circle **meet me after Mass on the chair side** of the church **TODAY!!** Bring your preferences for time, place, frequency, and start date for the Merton Study Wisdom circle. I should have copies of the book for each of you.

Tuesday night presentation, June 9th, has been postponed until fall on "**The Spirituality and Charism of our Franciscan Heritage and How it Plays Out in Our Community**" by Sr. Kateri of the Franciscan Senior Center.

Lastly, the present Faith Formation Committee is about to start planning our 2015-2016 calendar of events. We need feedback from you concerning our programming for the last year. Please fill out the **questionnaire included in this bulletin**. Pencils are in the pews. When finished **leave it in the pews or under the chairs along with the pencils**. We are looking for how to best serve your spiritual needs. Thanks for participating.

"Hope is hearing the melody of the future. Faith is dancing to it today." I found this quote and thought I'd share it with you.

I bless you with this blessing from Sr. Maxine Shonk's book "*Blessing Upon Blessing*."

May the Spirit of God DANCE with you, moving with you to the music of your experiences. May you know God in step with you through every change of rhythm and song, every dip and pirouette. May you learn to follow God's lead in your life and become a mentor and model for those on the dance floor with you. May you DANCE with the Spirit of God all your days!



SOCIAL JUSTICE - Bob Niehoff
niehoff29@woh.rr.com

Enjoy dancing, food and local bands. The second annual Hispanic Catholic Ministry Festival is **Sunday, June 14**, at St. Mary Church, 310 Allen St., Dayton, 45410, **10:30AM to 9PM**. The Hispanic Ministry Office of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati is sponsoring the event. All are welcome.

Gardening with Native Plants. Conserve water and energy, provide habitat and green your yard by participating in the **Native Plant Gardening Workshop** presented by the Marianist Environmental Education Center **Saturday, June 13, 9AM to Noon** at Sieben Hall at Mount St. John, 4435 E. Patterson Road. Whether you want to create a bird and butterfly garden, add reliable blooms to a "problem area," install a rain garden, replace aggressive or invasive species, stabilize a stream bank or establish a prairie patch, MEEC can help make your native garden a success. Participants will receive help in selecting species that will thrive in any area of your garden for season-long color. Wildflowers, grasses and shrubs can be purchased at the workshop a week ahead of the **Saturday, June 20**, Native Plant Sale. For information visit: <http://meec.udayton.edu/nativeplantsale.asp>. Register early - space is limited. To contact MEEC phone 937.429.3582 or email meec@udayton.edu. For map and directions visit: <http://meec.udayton.edu> and select "visitor information."

Food for All - Be Multiplied. "Food for All" is a Cincinnati Archdiocesan collaborative effort to faithfully respond to hunger in our neighborhoods, inspired by Pope Francis' call to action to end hunger by 2025 and in conjunction with his visit to the United States in September. Multiple activities are planned as follows:

- 1 - Family Obstacle Run and Food Drive, September 5
- 2 - Food Collection Campaign, May thru October
- 3 - Parish Coffee Time Discussion (anytime, speakers provided)
- 4 - Letter Writing Campaign to Congress (letters to be delivered to D.C. ahead of Pope's visit)
- 5 - Distinguished Speaker Program, World Food Prize Laureate Rev. David Beckham, Pres. Bread for the World, October 13

The letter writing campaign is a major advocacy campaign to promote anti-hunger policies in the federal budget. The vehicle for advocacy is the Bread for the World Offering of Letters. Supported by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, Bread for the World is a collective Christian voice urging our nation's leaders to end hunger at home and abroad. Your letters will urge Congress to renew our federal government's major child nutrition programs, including those for school meals, summer feeding, and the WIC nutrition program for pregnant and new mothers along with their small children.

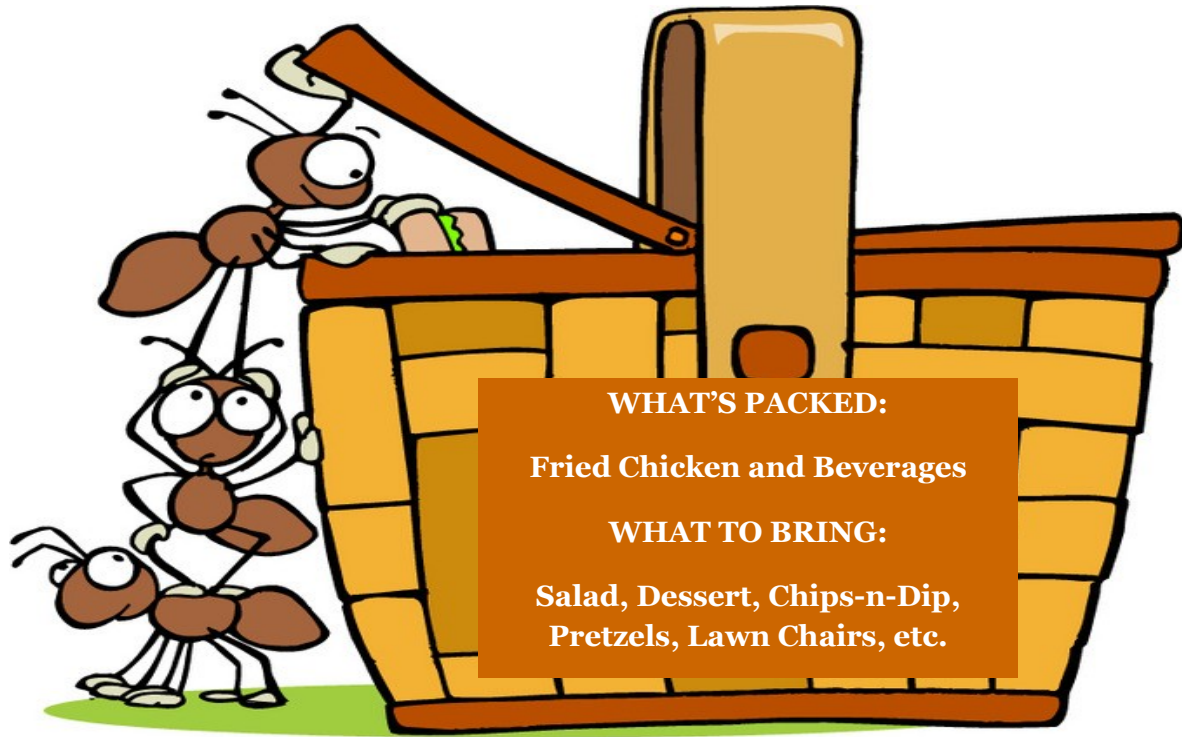
Details for all of the above activities will follow in the weeks and months to come.

ST. LEONARD FAITH COMMUNITY PICNIC

Saturday, June 27, 2015

4:00PM - 8:00PM at School House Park

1875 Nutt Rd., Centerville, OH 45458



WHAT'S PACKED:

Fried Chicken and Beverages

WHAT TO BRING:

**Salad, Dessert, Chips-n-Dip,
Pretzels, Lawn Chairs, etc.**

COST:

\$5.00 PER PERSON

MAXIMUM OF \$15.00 PER FAMILY

Sign-up and pay on Sundays

June 7th, 14th and 21st

**The shelter has: 15 Tables • Water Fountain • Three Tennis
Courts • Bathrooms in a nearby building**

"CATCH THE BUILDING SPIRIT"

2015 House Build

*The 23rd Year of Catholics and Presbyterians
working with Dayton Ohio Habitat for Humanity*

It is not too late to donate and/or volunteer.

Work Continues: June to September, Tuesday through Friday, 8:30AM to 4PM, Thursday, 4PM to dark, Saturday, 8:30AM to Noon.

- More information and updates see our Website:
www.catchthebuildingspirit.com
- Follow us on Facebook: Catch the Building Spirit
- Register online and volunteer at:
www.daytonhabitat.volunteerhub.com



**SLFC sponsoring Centerville
2015 Summer Concert Series at
Stubbs Park**

As part of your Membership Ministry's efforts to increase the local Community's awareness of SLFC, we are one of the sponsors for the 2015 concert series held at Stubbs Park, 255 W. Spring Valley Rd., Centerville, OH 45458. We encourage you to attend the concerts and mention our sponsorship to your friends and others who may inquire about SLFC. If you have our "Come Grow With Us" shirts, wear them proudly. Don't keep SLFC a secret! Invite any interested attendees to participate in our Sunday liturgy and share the gift of the St. Leonard's Faith Community. The first concert is tonight, **June 7 at 7:00PM**, featuring the "Bob Gray Orchestra." A schedule for future concerts is on the bulletin board in the vestibule.



Coffee and Donuts Summer Schedule

Due to summer vacation, coffee and donuts will only be served the first and third Sunday for the summer months. This would be a great time to try out the Station House Restaurant after Mass. If you would like to be part of this ministry contact Phil or Elaine Vorherr.



If you have not signed up for the Summer Family Fun Program it is not too late! It is a fun program for families to meet for a day of fun for an outing of your own choosing.

This is a continuation of the Lenten Family Fun Program where young families are paired with other families or an older couple for outings, activities, barbecues or other fun things of your choosing. It might be 1, 2, or 3 times over the summer. You will get to know other families in the St. Leonard Community and have some fun, too. See Shirle Speaks.

Mark Your Calendar



2015 - Ladies Retreat

Mark your calendar for the 13th Annual Ladies Retreat on **September 11, 12 and 13** at Maria Stein. Last year over 40 ladies attended and we expect more in attendance this year. Private rooms are reserved for your stay.

Sr. Maxine will be back with us this year and Fr. Larry will be joining us for our Mass celebration.

Details will follow through the summer so mark your calendars NOW for **September 11, 12 and 13**. Don't miss out on a great weekend!

News From The Pews

Do you have an item of interest that you would like to share with your church community? Complete a "News From The Pews" page from the red book and place in offering basket or turn it into the church office. You can also e-mail the information to: safc.office@gmail.com.

A Prayer for All Who Seek God

*My God, in you only
do I find the answer
to the questions that
perplex and confuse me.*

*Yet I know that in your good time
the answer will be made
to me.*



Special prayers are requested:

Tom Barhorst (Ruth Hopkins brother), Mike Bennett, Joe Bensman, Amy Buxton, Shirley Chee, Karrie Coggeshall, Conor Crippen, George Cruise, Terrie Dawson, Peggy Fulwiler, Barb Gobrail, Sue Heyne, Lee Hoof, Ruth Hopkins, Kelly King, Vincenzina Krymow, Brandon Le, Sarah McClellan, Anita & Doug Nelson, Eleanor Niemer, Ken Rueth, Rosalie Schoenfeld, Marvin Skeens, Hugh & Jasmine Skees, Jim Tieman, Jim Town, Marlene Vorherr, Kent Wingate, Baby Luke

A prayer list is published in the bulletin to inform the Community of those with special needs. Persons may be placed on the prayer list by calling the office and will remain on the list for 4 weeks unless otherwise notified. Hospitals do not notify our office when a parishioner is admitted. Please contact the church office if you would like to make it known that a family member is in the hospital.

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Ministries Of The Church

Ministry	Chair	Council Liaison
Membership	Mary Ellen Graham & Bill Moroney	Maureen Josenhans
Worship	Mary Cozart	Pat Schug
Justice & Service	Bob Niehoff	Tom Anacker
Faith Formation	Noel Bauer	John Nelson
Community Life	Shirle Speaks	Bonnie Bengé
Pastoral Care	Mary Ann McGuire	Darryl McGill

Calendar of Events

- June**
- 7- Sunday, Rohr Chats, Boardroom, 9:45AM/Mass 10:30AM/ Bake Sale after Mass/Concert in the Park @ Stubbs Park, Centerville, 7PM
 - 9-Tuesday, Food4Summer packing, 5PM
 - 13-Saturday, House of Bread
 - 14-Sunday, Rohr Chats, Boardroom, 9:45AM/Mass 10:30AM/ Hispanic Catholic Ministry Festival, St. Mary's Church, 310 Allen St., Dayton, 10:30AM-9PM/Concert in the Park @ Stubbs Park, Centerville, 7PM
 - 16-Tuesday, Food4Summer packing, 5PM
 - 17-Wednesday, Prayer & Worship meeting, Boardroom, 7PM
 - 21-Sunday, Father's Day/Rohr Chats, Boardroom, 9:45AM/Mass 10:30AM/ First Day Vacation Bible School, 6-8:30PM/ Concert in the Park @ Stubbs Park, Centerville, 7PM
 - 22-Monday, Book Club, 6:30PM
 - 23-Tuesday, Food4Summer packing, 5PM
 - 25-Thursday, Last Day Vacation Bible School
 - 27-Saturday, Church Picnic, School House Park Centerville, 4PM
 - 28-Sunday, Rohr Chats, Boardroom, 9:45AM/Mass 10:30AM/ Peter Pence Collection (Entire collection to Archdiocese)/ Concert in the Park, @ Stubbs Park, Centerville, 7PM



Pastoral Care Services, Sacraments and Funerals:

Requests for pastoral care services, Sacraments, or any other needs should be made to the Community Office. If the office is closed and you have a pastoral care need, please call David Weickert at 937.750.3438.

Scheduling Mass Intentions: Requests for Mass intentions may be made by contacting the Community Church Office @ 937.435.3626.

Bulletin announcements:

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Bulletin information must reach our office no later than **11:00 AM on TUESDAY** (articles may be edited for content and space).