

**Are you handy around the house?** Habitat for Humanity is looking for a few men and/or women to join their home building crew. If you are interested in helping with this worthy endeavor of providing housing for those in our community, contact Roger Cenci at 740-701-0565.



**Monetary donations for the Easter flowers** are being accepted. Memorial Donation envelopes are at the end of pews. Envelopes may be placed in the offertory collection or dropped off in the church office. Remember a loved one while beautifying the sanctuary for our Lord for the Easter Season. For additional information, contact Jenny French at 774-1407.

**Bethesda Healing Ministry 2017 Benefit Dinner** is April 27, from 5:00-8:30 p.m. at St. Agatha's Catholic Church in Columbus. This year's keynote speaker is our very own Fr. William Hahn. If you are interested in attending, please contact Judy Harness for additional information and reservations. Judy can be contacted at 740-649-6256.

**Thomas L. Smith Memorial Scholarship Fund** – This fund provides a \$1,250.00 scholarship for the first year of college tuition for either a graduating senior of a Catholic high school in the Diocese of Columbus or a senior high school student who is a parishioner in good standing of St. Peter or St. Mary Parish in Chillicothe, Ohio. The student should have proven financial challenges which may prevent him/her from attending college. The awardee should also demonstrate a strong work ethic by consistently achieving good grades. Please go to the Catholic Foundation's grant page ([catholic-foundation.org](http://catholic-foundation.org)) to access the scholarship application and details.

**As announced by Knight of Columbus Council 15793** last weekend, they are presenting a scholarship to a graduating Senior from St. Peter Parish. Applications can be found in the back of church or obtained from the church office.



**Bishop Flaget FISH FRY fund raiser**

Where: St. Mary's Family Life Center.  
Last Friday for Fish Fry! April 7  
Hours: 4:00-7:00 p.m.

**WAYS TO HELP THOSE IN NEED THAT ARE SERVICED BY THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

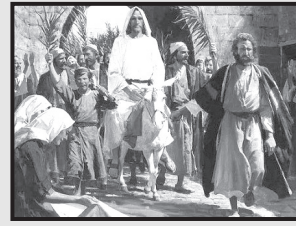


**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS**

Cereal	Canned Fruit
Chicken Noodle Soup	Peanut Butter
Mac & Cheese	Dish Liquid
Personal care items: i.e. shampoo, feminine hygiene products	

**Do you donate clothes to Goodwill?** At St. Vincent de Paul we sometimes have clients who need new clothes, and we are able to give them vouchers to buy them at Goodwill. If you or anyone you know donates a large bag of clothing to Goodwill, and fills out the donation form with our name on it (St. Peters St. Vincent de Paul), we will get a credit toward the vouchers that we give out. Your donation to Goodwill helps that organization, and in this way it will also help our own St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for considering this.

**The Society is in need of a vehicle.** If someone has a vehicle for donation, please contact the Society at 740-772-2812.



**HOLY WEEK SERVICE SCHEDULE FOR ST. PETER CHURCH**

**Sunday, April 9, 2017**

11:30 a.m. Mass – Procession of Palms  
Meet in the Parish Hall to process

**Monday, April 10, 2017**

Weekday Mass, 5:30 p.m.; 5:00 p.m., Confessions;  
6:15 p.m., Rosary for Addiction

**Tuesday, April 11, 2017**

Weekday Mass – 8:30 a.m.  
6:00 p.m. Chrism Mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral

**Wednesday, April 12, 2017**

Weekday Mass, 8:30 a.m.  
Adoration in Chapel closes at 6:00 p.m. this evening  
7:00 p.m., Tenebrae/Penance Service at St. Mary Chillicothe

**Thursday, April 13, 2017**

7:00 p.m., Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper  
8:30 p.m.-12:00 Midnight, Adoration in the Adoration Chapel  
11:45 p.m., Night Prayer, Adoration Chapel

**Friday, April 14, 2017**

8:30 a.m., Morning Prayer, Church  
1:00-2:30 p.m. – Confessions, Church  
3:00 p.m., Celebration of the Lord's Passion  
7:00 p.m., Divine Mercy Chaplet, Church

**Saturday, April 15, 2017**

8:30 a.m., Morning Prayer, Church  
3:00 p.m., Divine Mercy Chaplet, Church  
8:30 p.m., Easter Vigil  
Reception following Vigil to welcome the newest members

**Sunday, April 16, 2017**

Regular Schedule – Easter Sunday, 8:00 & 11:30 a.m.  
3:00 p.m., Divine Mercy Chaplet, Church

Liturgical Minister Sign-up sheets for Triduum services are located on the table in the back of Church. Please consider signing up to assist at the various services. There are also sign-up sheets for Adoration on Holy Thursday and Divine Mercy Sunday.

**Check out the new supply of CDs in the vestibule of Church.** Suggested donation is \$3.00 per CD. Donations should be placed in the provided envelopes and dropped either in the offertory basket or sent to the parish office.

**Bishop Flaget is currently accepting applications for preschool, preK, and kindergarten for the upcoming school year.** Applications are available by calling 740-774-2970 or emailing Mrs. Corcoran at [lcrcora@cducation.org](mailto:lcrcora@cducation.org). Applications are also available at [www.bishopflaget.org](http://www.bishopflaget.org). The application period for EdChoice Expansion Scholarships (for families with household incomes below 200% of the poverty level) and John Peterson Scholarships (for students who have IEPs) is currently open. These scholarships can cover the entire cost of tuition for students to attend Bishop Flaget. Please contact Mrs. Corcoran at 740-253-0433 for more information.

**We welcome the following who has been baptized into Christ's family** at St. Peter's during the months of January-March 2017.  
John Foster Desbrow

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Saturday, April 1

*Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53*

5:00 p.m. For the People

#### Sunday, April 2

*Ez 37:12-14; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45*

8:00 a.m. Mary Ann Ryan – Reed & Thecla Hauser

11:30 a.m. (living) Sanjana Babu – Sr. Saima Mary

#### Monday, April 3

*Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62; Jn 8:1-11*

8:30 a.m. Mary Jo Dooley – Members of the  
St. Vincent de Paul Society

#### Tuesday, April 4

*Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30*

8:30 a.m. Fred Ginther – Jennifer Ginther

#### Wednesday, April 5

*Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Jn 8:31-42*

8:30 a.m. Rose Shoemaker – John & Sally James

#### Thursday, April 6

*Gn 17:3-9; Jn 8:51-59*

5:30 p.m. Joanne McNicoll – Chris Manegold

#### Friday, April 7

*Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42*

9:30 a.m. All School Mass

#### Saturday, April 8 – Palm Sunday

*Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56*

5:00 p.m. Benjamin Gabriel – Sr. Saima Mary

#### Sunday, April 9 – Palm Sunday

*Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14-27:66*

8:00 a.m. Marlene Domo – Doug & Theresa Corcoran

11:30 a.m. (incense) Ernest Damico –  
Mary Damico & Family



#### Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima Schedule

(More dates have been added to the book – please sign up!)

**March 26 – April 1 – Dan & Judy Harness**

**April 2 – 8 – The Reisingers**

**April 9 – 15 – Needs Filled**

(Please remember to use the provided  
basket for transporting the statue.)

**Have you considered sponsoring a Miryante Orphan?** If so, now would be a good time to do so. They have recently had 30 new children join the orphanage. To become a sponsor, go to their website at <https://miryanteorphanage.org>, read the children's bios and click the sponsor bulletin. If you have any questions, Laura Corcoran can be contacted at the above email address or contact Diane Corcoran.

**We welcome** those families who have registered with the parish during the same time.

Dorothy A. Biron      Ronald Hagerty      Rowenna Scarberry

### CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

#### Saturday, April 1

9:00 a.m. MOMS Bible Study –  
Blessed Virgin Mary Room

4:00 p.m. Confessions – Church

#### Sunday, April 2

9:00 a.m. Coffee & Donuts – Parish Hall

9:15 a.m. PSR – 2nd Floor Parish Center

9:15 a.m. Bible Study – Holy Family Library

12:00 p.m. RCIA Breaking open the Word –  
Holy Family Library

12:30 p.m. Coffee & Donuts – Parish Hall

1:00 p.m. Handmade Card Club – Parish Hall

#### Monday, April 3

8:30 a.m. Mass – Church

7:00 p.m. Penance Service –

St. Colman, Washington CH

7:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting –  
Basement classroom

#### Tuesday, April 4

6:00 a.m.-Midnight – Adoration – Adoration Chapel

9:30-10:30 a.m. – Food Pantry – St. Vincent de Paul Room

3:00 p.m. Mass – Bristol Village, Waverly

6:00 p.m. Spring Art Show –

Bishop Flaget Gymnasium

7:00 p.m. RCIA – “Holy Week Explained” –  
Holy Family Library

#### Wednesday, April 5

Midnight-Midnight – Adoration – Adoration Chapel

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice – Church

7:00 p.m. Stitchers – Blessed Virgin Mary Room

7:00 p.m. Divorce Support – St. Francis Room

#### Thursday, April 6

Midnight-5:00 p.m. – Adoration – Adoration Chapel

5:00 p.m. Confession – Church

6:00-9:00 p.m. – Adoration – Church

7:00 p.m. Young Adult Group – Holy Family Library

7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group –  
St. John Bosco Room

#### Friday, April 7

9:30 a.m. All-School Mass –

Bishop Flaget Gymnasium

1:30-2:30 p.m. Food Pantry – St. Vincent de Paul Room

3:00 p.m. First Friday Rosary – Church

4:00-7:00 p.m. Fish Fry – St. Mary Parish Life Center

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross – Church

#### Saturday, April 8

8:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m. – RCIA Retreat – Holy Family Library

9:00 a.m. MOMS Bible Study –

Blessed Virgin Mary Room

4:00 p.m. Confessions – Church

#### Sunday, April 9

9:15 a.m. PSR – 2nd Floor Parish Center

9:15 a.m. Bible Study – Holy Family Library

11:30 a.m. Procession of Palms – Parish Hall

12:00 p.m. RCIA Breaking Open the Word –  
Holy Family Library

#### APRIL BIRTHDAY!

St. Peter Parish Family extends congratulations and many blessings to the following on his “special” birthday:

April 16: Dan Harness, 1613 Musgrove Road

**Miryante Orphanage donation suggestions:** Several people have asked about sending gifts to the children they sponsor at Miryante Orphan's Home. If anyone has tried to mail a package there, they know how very expensive that is to do. Another way to give something to a child would be to send money via the website (<https://miryanteorphanage.org>). Click on "donations" at the top of the page and pick a category from the drop down menu (you can choose any category, but "Management Fund" is recommended). From there you can make a one-time donation. Be sure to send an email to Laura Corcoran ([lauracorcoran@hotmail.com](mailto:lauracorcoran@hotmail.com)), so she can make sure that amount is taken out and allocated for your child when Miryante receives the monthly wire transfer. A donation of around \$10.00 will give the child an opportunity to go shopping for a new outfit in the neighboring village. Some people have also asked about sponsoring an activity such as a special meal including meat and rice (maize and beans are what the children eat on a daily basis). This can be done for around \$100.00. An activity such as a dance or game day can be funded for about \$50.00. This, too, can be done via a one-time donation on the website. Be sure to send Laura an email, so she can use the money for the appropriate activity. Questions? Call Diane Corcoran at [740-703-2196](tel:740-703-2196).

**Use the Formed website to prepare for your Lenten Confession!**

To help prepare yourself to make a Lenten Confession or to return to the Sacrament, the Formed website offers several items that can help. In the Audio section, listen to *Confession by Fr. Larry Richards*, *The Healing Power of Confession by Dr. Scott Hahn*, *Anger & Forgiveness by Deacon Dr. Bob McDonald*, and *Freedom through Forgiveness by Ken Yasinski*. In the program section, a multi-session program is available called *Forgiven*. In the book section, read *Deep Conversions*, *Deep Prayer*, by Thomas Dubay, S.M. In the Movie section, watch the movie *St. Maria Goretti, Fourteen Flowers of Pardon* and learn about the power of forgiveness. Go to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) and set up your individual account using the access code of VZ4F2W.

**40 CANS FOR LENT**



**K of C Council 15793**

**A CHALLENGE FROM THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS!**

Fr. Charles Griffin Council 15793 of the Knights of Columbus offers a challenge to all families at St. Peter's

parish this Lent. All are challenged to give "40 cans for Lent!" All families are asked to donate 40 cans of food (or personal hygiene items) or comparable financial donation representing each day of Lent and Christ's 40 days in the desert. All donations will be given to the St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank to help with the ongoing need for their assistance in our community. Any donation (food, personal hygiene items or monetary) should be marked "40 cans for Lent" so the donations can be tracked accordingly. For more information, contact the program's coordinator, Joe Zupi at 740-773-4707, 740-772-4759 or by email at [jzupi2002@yahoo.com](mailto:jzupi2002@yahoo.com). Joe can also be contacted for pick-up if someone is unable to deliver donations to the church. What a perfect way to increase our attention towards prayer, fasting, and almsgiving this Lenten Season.

**Apostolic Nuncio to Lecture at Josephinum:** The Pontifical College Josephinum is pleased to announce that His Excellency, The Most Reverend Christophe Pierre, Apostolic Nuncio to the United States and Chancellor of the Josephinum, will present the Pio Cardinal Laghi Lecture on Sunday, April 23, 2017. Archbishop Pierre will speak on "The Priest the Church Needs Today" at 7:30 p.m. in the Jessing Center on the Josephinum campus at 7625 North High Street. The lecture and reception following are free and open to the public. Reservations are not required. For more information, please call the Academic Dean's office at [614-985-2274](tel:614-985-2274).



**Infant of Prague Adoration Chapel hours during Holy Week:** Please note that Perpetual Adoration in the parish will be different for Holy Week. Adoration will be held all day on Tuesday starting at our normal 6:00 a.m. time. It will conclude on **Wednesday, April 12th at 6:00 p.m.** This will allow parishioners to attend the Penance and Tenebrae Service at St. Mary's Parish here in Chillicothe. The only time

Adoration will take place will be after the Holy Thursday Liturgy. As is tradition, we will process to the Adoration Chapel (the back of the convent) for some time of prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament. After Holy Week, Perpetual Adoration will resume at its normal schedule on **Tuesday, April 18th at 6:00 a.m.** If you have any question on the Perpetual Adoration Chapel program or would like to be an adorer, please contact Fr. Dooley at (740) 774-1407, ext. 5.

**We would like to hear from you!** Have you had an experience you would like to share about your time spent in Eucharistic Adoration? Would you like to share what spending time in the presence of the Lord has meant to you? If you do, then please drop us a note! We are wanting to share these with our parish family to help encourage others to come before our Lord in prayer. We will be sharing these stories via the newsletter and bulletin. Please share your thoughts and experiences so that others can come to realize the gift we have of the adoration chapel in our parish.

**Adorers needed for Perpetual Adoration:** We are need of Adorers for the following days and times:

**12:00-1:00 p.m. on Tuesdays – we need two adorers.**

**9:00-10:00 p.m. on Tuesdays – we need two adorers**

If you are interested in becoming an adorer, please contact Fr. Dooley at (740) 774-1407, ext. 5 or by email at [sdooley@columbuscatholic.org](mailto:sdooley@columbuscatholic.org).



**Adoration Chapel Intention  
for the Week of April 2, 2017:  
In Memory of the deceased Members  
of the Ginther Family as  
sponsored by Nellie Ginther**

**Prayer List**

**(Please check this prayer list for people who are no longer in need of prayer. We strive to keep this list current for those in their hour of need. If someone needs to be removed, please call the office. If someone is in need of prayer, please let us know that, too!)**

Gloria Althouse, Dinese Carman, Richard Stadtfeld, Darlene Lilley, Judi Bechie Hunter, Tami Preston, John Cuzzolini, Rick Huspen & Family, Marsha Trutschel, Annette Click, Kinsey Mitchell, Shawna Davis, Tom Thompson, Cynthia Towne, Linda Moore, Jonathan Cox, Jeffrey Matthews, Dave Fine, Richard Tuttle, Darlene DiPatri, Ray Thomas, Debbie Winneger, Helen Stanton, Kaye Keefer, Jan Hannan, Howard Myers, Shawna Smith, Melody Ault, Ralph Sorrell, Heidi Lovensheimer, Charlie McDonald, David Riley, Aileen Diaz, Don Davis, Pat Manion, Joe Schumann, Veronica Geimer, Albert Geimer, Kathy Dye, Rosemary Cox, Olivia Jones, Brenda Estep, David Conley, Brookie Heightsman, John Lisle, Keith Lovensheimer, Evelyn Silva, Michael Dixon, Peggy Lisle, Donna Stevens, Jo Burchett, Nancy Leasure, Tracy Jalbuena, Rosemary McHarg, Kelly Chandler, Kathryn Hunt, Angie Currier, Herman Swisher, Deb Zimpher, Evelyn Weinman, Tim Ott, Dave Neal, Joshua Hicks, Rosalina Prog, Roger Wilburn, Mary Wachter, Paula Romans, Douglas Griffith, Lyn Smith, Eva & Melvin States, Julie Carey, Lucille Maimone, Norma Whitley, Lib Fisher, Joseph Lynch, Jody Morrison, Dan & Jane Harness.



**Have you enthroned your home or business to the Sacred Heart of Jesus?** Since October of 2014, 41 homes have been enthroned by the FIH Sisters and Sacred Heart team, with six homes scheduled for the near future. Below are the promises of Jesus to those who enthrone their home or business to the His Sacred Heart. Contact the FIH Sisters at 740-500-0697, Bob Dye at 740-703-0555 or the parish office at 740-774-1407 to schedule your date.

**12 Promises of The Sacred Heart of Jesus**

1. I will give them all Graces necessary in their state of Life.
2. I will give Peace in their families that are divided.
3. I will console them in their troubles.
4. I will be their Refuge during life and above all in death.
5. I will bestow the Blessings of Heaven on all their enterprises.
6. Sinners shall find My Heart the Source and infinite ocean of Mercy.
7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall rise quickly to great perfection.
9. I will bless those places wherein the image of My Heart shall be exposed and honored and will imprint My Love on the hearts of those who would wear this image on their person. I will also destroy in them all disordered movements.
10. I will give to Priests, who are animated by a tender devotion to my Divine Heart, the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who promote the Devotion shall have their names written in My Heart, never to be effaced.
12. I promise you in the excessive Mercy of My Heart that My all Powerful Love will grant to those who communicate on the First Friday in nine consecutive months, the Grace of final penitence: they will not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their Sacraments. My Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

*When Jesus heard about the illness of His friend, Lazarus, He responded, "This illness is not to end in death; rather it is for God's glory, that through it the Son of God may be glorified." Every aspect of our lives — our gifts as well as our sufferings — can, if surrendered to Christ, lead to blessing for others and ourselves. See John 11:4*

<b>Budgeted Expenses – March 26, 2017</b>	\$8,679.09	\$338,574.15
<b>Actual Offertory – March 26, 2017</b>		
<b>Offertory Collection</b>	\$4,265.69	
<b>Online Giving</b>	\$3,203.00	\$336,373.64
<b>Difference</b>	(\$1,210.40)	(\$ 2,200.51)
<b>Improvement Fund</b>	\$ 150.00	\$ 3,822.50

**Special Collections during March 2017**

Catholic Relief Services/Overseas – \$881.00, Black & Indian Missions – \$705.50  
 Habitat for Humanity – \$145.50, Miryante Orphanage – \$561.00  
 Hope Clinic – \$267.00, Bishop Flaget School – \$166.00  
 St. Margaret's Cemetery – \$107.00, St. Vincent de Paul – \$2,312.31 (includes \$1,038.31 from Ash Wednesday)

**Online giving – the best way to give our Lord our First Fruits.**  
**Visit the parish website for sign up or contact Donna at the parish office for more information.**

**Online giving – If you wish to commit to the 2016-2019 Sister Guardian Fund, be sure to find this name (2016-2019) in the list of giving.**

	<b>April 8, 5:00 p.m. Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion</b>	<b>April 9, 8:00 a.m. Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion</b>	<b>April 9, 11:30 a.m. Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion</b>
<b>Eucharist</b>	Marlene Berling – B George Hassey – C1 Sr. Leonard Mary – C2	Bill Clark – B Ellen Clark – C1 Lloyd Turner – C2	John Gabis – B Mary McCord – C1 Sr. Saima Mary – C2
<b>Lector</b>	Joe Zupi – 1 Robin Flanagan – 2	Catherine Noel – 1 Aaron Brown – 2	Anthony Lisi – 1 Dominique Smith – 2
<b>Server</b>	Joey Mihelich Nathaniel Hawk	Ben Corcoran Thomas Kessler Luke Corcoran	Luke Davis Kyrill Ramsey Christopher Beatty James Beatty – S4
<b>Greeter</b>	Phyllis Hassey Carrie Hawk	Kathy Dalton Lloyd Turner Family	Leigh Ann Meeker Barbara Sherwood
<b>Offertory</b>	Marjorie Prince	Burgess Family	Cecilia Althouse Michael Althouse
<b>Usher</b>	Mary Anne Brown Lisa Diehl Sandra Haas Thomas Zuber	James Burgess Doug Corcoran Maralee Scheeler Tim Scheeler	John Crowe Ken Miller Frank Nunziato Bret Reisinger
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	<b>Team #4: Jeff Hammond</b>	<b>Linens for the Month of April: Laura Lewis</b>	