


Peter's Pence Collection


Today we support the Holy Father in his charitable works. The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide in an effort of solidarity to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disaster and others in need of emergency assistance. Pope Benedict XVI has said, "God's love...gives us the courage to continue seeking and working for the benefit of all" (*Caritas in Veritate*, no. 78). Cast the love of Christ upon the world--please be generous in today's collection.

The Vocation Prayer Chalice Sign-up Sheet is available in the lower Gathering Space. This program is not just for families! Couples and single parishioners are encouraged to participate as well. Please sign up to be part of this important program to encourage prayers for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. We will contact you to schedule a date for you to take the Vocation Prayer Chalice home.





Rosary For Life
Tuesday, June 29
7:00 p.m. - Church



FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION
July 2, 2010

We celebrate Eucharistic Exposition on First Fridays following the 8:15 a.m. Mass. Exposition will conclude with Benediction at 4:00 p.m. (NOTE TIME CHANGE FOR BENEDICTION) There will be Adoration from 9 p.m.-Midnight.

Please sign up in the Gathering Space this month for one or more 30-minute periods of prayer for you and your family on July 2. Consider bringing a friend who may not have experienced this prayer. Remember--we must have two people present at all times when the Blessed Sacrament is exposed. For more information, contact Brian Bisig at bisig_b@fuse.net or 563-6377 x 301.

LAST CHANCE!!!!

Knights of Columbus Annual Cook-Out

St. Michael K of C Council #3382 invites EVERYONE to this annual event at Valley Vineyards in Morrow, OH.

DATE: Thursday, July 8, 2010

TIME: Arrive between 6-7 p.m.

COST: \$59/Couple (includes tax & tip)

BUFFET INCLUDES: Choice of New York strip steak or salmon, fresh salads (including their own pizza salad), baked potato, green beans almondine, corn on the cob, bread and butter, homemade dessert buffet plus a bottle of wine for two (two glasses of wine for single person). Water, iced tea and coffee included.

You grill your steak or salmon to your own personal perfection over their charcoal grills, using their utensils and condiments.

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED: Make check payable to "Valley Vineyards" and give/mail to Ray or Mary Jo. Dyer, 10660 LeMarie Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45241-3018 (phone: 563-1433).

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS: JULY 2, 2010.



PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

As of June 1, 2010

OPERATING FUNDS

June 19-20 Collection + Online	\$ 12,307.37
Income Budgeted for May, 2010	\$ 74,000.00
Actual Contributions for May, 2010	75,627.00
Monthly Amount Over/Under Budget	+ 1,627.00
Income Budgeted YTD (7/1/09-5/31/10)	790,000.00
Actual Contributions Received YTD	797,251.34
Amount Over/Under Budget YTD	+ 7,251.34

DEBT REDUCTION CAMPAIGN - AS OF 5/31/10

Campaign Goal	\$ 550,000.00
Amount of Pledges Received	628,274.77
Percent of Goal Pledged	115.0
Amount of Pledges Paid	100,752.39
Percent of Goal Paid	16.0

Electronic Giving for Debt Reduction

Did you know that you can make contributions towards your debt reduction pledge electronically? It's simple and no more writing checks.

Here is how it works:

- 1) Go to our website www.saintmichaelchurch.net.
- 2) Click on the donate button on the left side of the page.
- 3) Choose "Debt Reduction" from the dropdown list.
- 4) Fill in the required information and submit... That's it!

If you have any questions about electronic-giving debt reduction or another type of contribution, please contact the parish office.

8th GRADE GRADUATION PICTURES ARE NOW AVAILABLE TO BE PICKED UP IN THE GATHERING SPACE.

***Saint Michael Parish
Youth Ministry Calendar***
Open to ALL High School Students!
Come and Bring your Friends!

JULY:

- 12** 9 am-1pm: Service Day @ Matthew 25 Ministries. Meet at church to carpool over. The event is free, but bring money for lunch afterwards.
- 26** Canoeing at Little Miami! Bring a packed lunch and meet us at church to carpool. More information on time and pricing to follow!

AUGUST:

- 1** Welcome Back Picnic
- 29** First Sharing Meeting of the Year! 6-8:30 in the Youth Room!

Any questions or concerns, call Lori Anne @ 563-6377 X303

And another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but first let me say farewell to my family at home." To him Jesus said, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:61-62

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St. Michael Festival 2010 Sponsors

(continued from last week)

Bronze/Booth Sponsors (>\$100 Level – cash &/or item donation)

Buckner Martial Arts, West Chester
Century House, Glendale
The Children's Garden, West Chester
Cliff Hardware & Paint Supply, downtown Sharonville
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Delhi Flower & Garden Centers, Liberty Township
Duplicator Sales, Cincinnati
Eagle Tee Golf Center, West Chester
Eddie Lane's Diamond Showroom, Montgomery
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Family Bridges Home Care, Cincinnati
Flynn & Company CPAs, Cincinnati
Funtime Sports Cards & Coins, West Chester
Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Cincinnati
Hodapp Funeral Home, West Chester

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Rockquest Climbing Center, Sharonville
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. Educational Outfitters, Sharonville
. Kroger, Blue Ash Store
. Larry's Lock, Safe & Security Center, Deer Park
. Queen City Ice, Cincinnati
. Silco Fire Protection, Cincinnati
. Vern's Sharonville Florist, downtown Sharonville
. Volvo Rents, Hamilton
. Susan Young Graphic Design & Marketing, Cincinnati
. 103.5 WGRR, Hamilton/Cincinnati
. And many others

HEALTH & WELLNESS

BLOOD PRESSURE/DIABETIC SCREENINGS

Normally held on the first weekend of the month have been moved to **July 10-11** due to 4th of July holiday.

Desperately Needed!!

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for Homebound

Due to a recent increase in requests for Holy Communion to be administered to our shut-ins, we are in desperate need of more volunteers. Requires approximately 1 hr. per month.

Please consider being a part of this worthwhile ministry. Call Jo-Anne Schwaegerle at 779-2821.

Lunch with the Lord & Fr. Tim Schehr

Wednesdays July 7, 14, 21 and 28 Noon at the Cathedral

The summer Scripture reflection, *Lunch with the Lord*, meets on four Wednesdays, July 7, 14, 21 and 28 in the Cathedral of St. Peter in Chains Synod Hall at 8th and Plum Streets in downtown Cincinnati from noon to 1:00 pm following the 11:30 am Mass. Fr. Tim Schehr reflects on the book of Revelation with its hymns, trumpets, angelic choirs...and even a dragon. Revelation is a breathtaking summary of all that Jesus means for the world, filled with sights and sounds to help us on our spiritual journeys.

All are welcome to bring a friend and a lunch if desired and feed on God's word. Soft drinks and water will be available for purchase. The sessions are free and open to the public. Call 513 421-5354 for more information or visit www.stpeterinchainscathedral.org.

Media, Peers and Other Influences on the Family

Being a parent in today's world can be a challenge with so many things that compete for family time and values. Learn about the myths and facts regarding how these factors impact your children and what you can do about them. This one session program will be offered on July 8 from 7-9 p.m. at the Centennial Barn 110 Compton Road. The fee is \$15.00 per person. For more information or to register, contact Sandy Keiser at Catholic Charities (513) 241-7745.



Congratulations Graduates

Congratulations to our eighth grade students who received the following awards:

Knights of Columbus Excellence in Religion:

Allison Baker & Kevin Herbig.

The Ohio Sons of the American Revolution Good Citizenship Award: Austin Mullen & Ashley Reinert.

The Presidential Academic Fitness Award is given to students who have achieved an average grade of A in all subject areas from grade four through grade 8: Allison Baker, Brenna Barber, Sarah Connaughton, Kevin Herbig, Quincy Huchison, Anna Jonas, Kalee Koetter, Austin Mullen, Jill O'Bryan, Ashley Reinert & Sarah Timmel.

The Presidents Award for Academic Improvement is given to those students who put forth excellent effort throughout their school career showing unusual commitment to learning: Meagan Deyhle & David Hauck.

The Vi Schmidt Service Scholarship is given to the student who performs exceptional service to the parish and community: Ashley Reinert.

The Aubrey Rose Foundation Scholarship:

Christy Kennedy.

The PTO \$600 Scholarships: Austin Mullen & Jill O'Bryan.

The PTO \$300 Scholarships: Mike Dusa, Sarah Connaughton, Kevin Herbig, Zachary Jansing, Kalee Koetter, Kevin Morrison, D.J. Schroeder, Eric Strotman, Sarah Timmel, and Kyle Zimmerman

Kevin Le Scholarship: Anna Jonas.

Anonymous Scholarships: David Hauck and Kelsey Smith.

There were 41 graduates: 6 will attend Mt Notre Dame, 9 will attend Moeller, 8 will attend Ursuline Academy, 7 will attend St Xavier, 6 will attend Fenwick and 5 will attend public school.

COMMUNITY EVENTS OF INTEREST

MND's nationally-ranked dance team is hosting their **Annual Youth Dance Camp** from August 2-6 for girls entering kindergarten through eighth grade, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. MND's championship dancers and coaches will instruct campers in BALLET, HIP HOP, JAZZ and POM, as well as safe warm-up and stretching techniques.

Campers should wear comfortable clothing, bring a bag lunch with a drink. A registration fee of \$125 is required by Monday, July 19. Late registration is \$140. For more information or to register, contact Coach Mrs. Alisia Davis at 513.532.3915 or by e-mail: adavis@mndhs.org or register online at www.mndhs.org.