# HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF SAINT PETER

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Holy Family Catholic Church is a parish of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati entrusted to the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass & all the Sacraments are celebrated according to the Traditional Roman Rite.

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#### Sacrament of Penance

Sundays, Holy Days, First Saturdays: 30 min. before Mass Fridays and Saturdays: 30 minutes before Mass Any time by appointment

## Baptisms, Last Sacraments, and Sick Calls

Please contact the rectory to make arrangements.

#### Sacrament of Matrimony

Please contact the rectory at least six months in advance

#### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Fifth Resumed Sunday after Epiphany
Living/Deceased of the Sue Fortunato Family
Pro Populo
St. Martin I, Pope & Martyr
Father Daniel Leeuw +
St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
Rose Gabet
St. Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr
Living/Deceased of the Jack Gura Family
St. Albert the Great, Bishop & Doctor of the
Church
Living/Deceased of the George Bray Family
St. Gertrude the Great, Virgin
Michael and Lisa Firestine
St. Gregory Thaumaturgus, Bishop
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Living/Deceased of the Lawrence Bray Family
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## MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays (Low Mass) 8:00 AM (High Mass) 10:30 AM

Weekdays

Monday & Friday 7:00 PM
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 7:`15 AM
Saturday 9:00 AM

Holy Days of Obligation: Check Announcements

## Fifth Sunday After Epiphany Resumed

In today's Gospel, Mt 13:24-30, we read the parable of the Wheat and the Cockle. It reminds us of Satan, his demons and those souls who deny God, refuse His grace and mercy and instead attack the good relentlessly. We ask "why does God allow evil?" and "why does it seem the good suffer while the wicked appear to prosper"? Holy Mother Church teaches us that although God did not create evil, just like the farmer did not sow the cockle (weeds) into his field, He does allow evil to exist but only that a greater good might come from it. God allows the devil, his demons and the wicked to tempt and try the just in many ways but always within the limits set by God. He always gives us all the grace we need to conquer sin IF we choose to use that grace! The wheat in the parable was still able

to bear good fruit - and so can we!!!

This account also demonstrates the patience of God. He allows the wheat and the weeds to grow together to test the strength of the wheat but also, unlike nature, He knows some of those weeds can become wheat and bear good fruit! We have the examples of the Good Thief, St.

Mary Magdalene and St. Augustine who prove that patience, mercy and the grace of God can work miracles!

Yes, the wicked might seem to be triumphing in our world today but the time of the harvest is coming! At the Last Judgement the wheat and the cockle will be separated forever! Where will we end up—in the fire or in the barn where evil will be no more?!

#### **HAPPY VETERANS DAY!**



Let us always remember that Freedom is not free!
THANK YOU
VETERANS!

&
GOD
BLESS
YOU!

#### **CORPORAL WORK OF MERCY**

Sat. Nov. 17TH following 9AM Mass, parish hall Volunteers are needed to make sandwiches and fill 200 lunch bags for residents of St. Vincent de Paul homeless shelter. Please consider joining the Altar Rosary Society of Holy Family Parish in helping the needy of the Dayton area during this season of Thanksgiving. Mark your calendars and return some of what God has given you! If you wish to contribute to the purchase of food items, please use the envelopes provided at the entrances of church and place your donation envelope in the Sunday collection. Checks may be made out to Holy Family with "St Vincent" on the memo line. Additional items are also needed for the kitchen at St. Vincent de Paul. If you wish to help in this way, please place the following items on the stage in the basement, no later than Nov 17th: Large cans of vegetables or fruit, large instant mashed potatoes, large condiments (mayo, ketchup, mustard), large salad dressing or large pancake syrup. Please feel free to contact Marianne Germann at (513)-988-6544 with any questions. "When I was hungry you gave me to eat!"

## WHAT A HUGE WEEK! - THANK YOU!!

## All Saints Day & All Souls Day

Thanks and Kudos go out to our wonderful choir and our great servers for all they did to make these liturgies so beautiful Nov 1&2nd!

#### All Saints Party/Gary Arnett Reception

Thanks to all the ladies who made last Sunday so memorable! First, Gary Arnett was brought into the Catholic Church and then we had a Parade of Saints all dressed up to honor their patrons. (look for the pics in the parish hall next week!) then games and treats were available for

the saints -to-be of Holy Family!

Below: Father with Gary & Elena Arnett Gary received confession, confirmation and his first Holy Communion! CONGRATULATIONS!



## Requiescat In Pace Virgil Gelormino!



Last Friday we had the Requiem Funeral Mass & burial for Virgil Gelormino who was a registerd member of our parish. He was also the father of Gina Hess who made sure he received all the last rites including the apostolic blessing before he died. You just cannot beat a happy death!!

Thank s so much to all who made his funeral so special! Thanks again to the choir, the altar servers and the Altar Rosary Society who prepared the banquet following the burial. What a blessing to be able to provide all this for the grieving family as well as all the events that were done with so much love and grace. THANK YOU!

#### **Choir Loft Project Update**

A meeting was held last Wednesday to continue work on the choir loft project. The old wind cabinet had been removed during the summer. Architect William Heyer with George Kochanski has come up with a plan to move back the decorative wall in order to make much needed room for the choir. A painter who is especially well versed in the exquisite painting of Gerhard Lamers, whose expert artistry we enjoy throughout the church, will be making sure the beauty of the walls will be maintained. A cabinet unit heater will be installed to keep the members of the choir warm during the cold winter. LVT tile, which is more conducive to sound, will replace the carpet once the flooring is repaired. And a specialist will aid in improving the lighting for our choir. We anticipate the work to begin at the end of this month when we enter into Advent as the organ will not be needed during that time. Please join us in praying that all goes smoothly that we might enjoy a wonderfully refurbished choir loft by Christmas!

#### TRUE DEVOTION TO MARY

## **Preparation for Total Consecration to Mary**

#### to be made on December 8th!

It was so good to see so many of the Part One booklets have been taken from the entrances of the church! These first 12 days are spent in prayer and spiritual reading to "Free ourselves from the spirit of the world". This will end on Friday, Nov. 16th and Part Two of the preparation, "Knowledge of Ourselves" begins on Sat., Nov 17th, so be sure to pick up the Part Two booklets also located at the entrances.

AD JESUM PER MARIAM!

TO JESUS THROUGH MARY!