



QUESTION OF THE WEEK

“After all the people had been baptized, and Jesus had been baptized and was praying, the heavens opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove.” Luke 3:21

THE QUESTION

Why did Jesus need to be baptized?

NEXT SUNDAY’S SCRIPTURE
2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 Is 62:1-5; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

Weekly Offering

January 3, 2010



Weekly Goal	\$ 9,500
Sunday Offering 01/03/10	13,743
Repairs & Maintenance	<u> 35</u>
*TOTAL	\$ 13,778

To meet our expenses we need	\$ 277,000
To date donations are	<u>\$ 269,464</u>
Difference	<\$ 7,536>

*Solemnity of Mary \$1,300.
 *Initial Offering 561.
 Included in the total for the Sunday offering above.

St. Vincent de Paul \$10

See the Shroud of Turin!

Are you interested in going on a pilgrimage to Italy, seeing the Shroud of Turin (which is displayed to the public only about every 50 years), seeing Rome (papal audience), Assisi, Milan, Florence, Padre Pio's town, etc.? Fr. Paul Bader will be leading this spiritual pilgrimage, from May 3 - May 14, 2010, saying Mass for us in each of the locations we visit. This would be the PERFECT Christmas gift to request or to receive! It is truly a once in a lifetime opportunity! Contact Kathy Klich, from Our Lady of the Rosary Parish in Cincinnati, 513-825-8626, or kjkllich@yahoo.com or for more information if you are interested in going to Italy. We are late in putting this together so contact as soon as possible. Reservations are due by January 29.



SECOND COLLECTION
JANUARY 16-17

The second collection next weekend will be for
REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE

Funds generated by this monthly collection help to offset many of the costs associated with the efficient operation of the parish. Most of the repairs are performed on the heating and air conditioning systems. These repairs are “occasional” but usually critical and expensive. The maintenance costs include annual service contracts amounting to \$14,000 per year, supplies and the cost of cleaning the church and Catholic Center weekly. Thank you, in advance, for your generosity.



BAPTISM REMINDER: Baptisms are not scheduled during Lent. If you would like to have your child baptized before Lent, you must attend a training session by Feb. 8, 2010. The last Sunday for the sacrament of baptism is February. 14, 2010. The next available date for baptism will be April 11, 2010. Call the parish office to register for the baptism class.

Quick Look Into the Future...

1.	Call of the Spirit	Jan 16	Sign in at 9:00 a.m. until 1:00PM includes lunch
2.	Parish Game Day	Jan. 23	6:00PM Fun for all ages! Come for dinner, stay for the fun
3.	Call of the Spirit	Jan. 26	Sign in at 6:00 PM Meeting will conclude at 9:00PM
4.	New Life Retreat	Jan. 29	New Life Retreat begins at OLR – see flier for details
5.	Chili Supper Fundraiser	Jan 30	Annual Fundraiser for youth programs – Follows 4:45 liturgy
6.	Catholic Schools Week	Jan. 31	Open House at John Paul II Catholic School from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
7.	Scout Sunday Celebration	Feb. 7	Observed at 9:00 Mass, reception in the cafeteria following
8.	Ash Wednesday	Feb. 17	Lent begins (not a holy day of obligation but fast & abstinence)

PARISH STAFF: 825-8626

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MASS SCHEDULE

Mon. Tues. Thurs. Fri. 8:30 a.m.
 Weekend Sat. 4:45 p.m.; Sunday 9:00 & 11:30 a.m.
 Holydays: 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
 Reconciliation, Sat. 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Contact the Parish Office 825-8626

To register as a parishioner
 Change of Address or Phone Number
 R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
 Small Church Communities
 Sacramental Preparation:
 Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, Private
 Reconciliation
 Hospital Visitation, First Friday Visits, Special
 Needs, Volunteer Opportunities
 Bulletin deadline 9:00 a.m., Monday morning

Call of the Spirit



Reflect • Explore • Revive

January 16 or January 26

Save the date!!!!

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



DIVIDENDS FOR LIFE

Catholic School's Week is celebrated the last week in January. John Paul II will kick off their celebration with an Open House on Sunday, January 31 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. This is an opportunity for all parents, students and perspective families to visit classrooms and look at the work that your children have displayed. Open enrollment will begin during Catholic School's Week.

HOSTING THE HOMELESS

Our next Interfaith Hospitality Week will begin February 14 Watch for **volunteer sign ups** the weekends of January 23 & 24, 30 & 31 and Feb. 6 & 7, in the Gathering Room.

There are many volunteer opportunities: set up & tear down, laundry, cooking and or serving meals to our guests. Hosts and hostesses are needed to visit with guests (kids visit with kids!) and overnight hosts/hostesses to assist at the rectory guest rooms.

“Only in heaven will we see how much we owe to the poor for helping us to love God better because of them.”

Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta

HUNGER SUNDAY

THANK YOU!



**Many are in need.
We are able to help.**

Next Hunger Sunday dates: Feb. 7-13

SHHH!! IT'S A SECRET!!!

Watch coming weeks bulletins to find out why you should reserve the evening of Saturday, January 23, 2010 for an exciting event featuring food, fun and family. The “good times” will begin after the 4:45 Mass. (Hint #1!)

There is no RISK involved; there will be no MONOPLOY on types of LIFE; and the CHUTES and LADDERS will all lead to CANDYLAND!!!

Stay tuned for another CLUE!!



Tax Strategy Planning...

As the year winds down, don't forget to consider your parish, Our Lady of the Rosary in your charitable tax strategy. Charitable gifts are a great way for folks to reduce taxes and at the same time make a lasting impact on their parish family.

COME ONE COME ALL!!!



Our Lady of the Rosary's High School Youth Group will be serving up a great Cincinnati style chili dinner **after the 4:45 pm Mass on January 30, 2010.** The Youth Group is raising funds to offset the cost of a Camp Trip in June and a Mission Trip in July. The Camp Trip is a ton of fun. But, what most kids take away from it is an experience of how much Christ can impact their lives. The Mission Trip will provide an opportunity for community service and sacrifice while completing projects in downtown Cincinnati. On January 30, the Youth Group will sponsor its Third Chili-Spaghetti Dinner, Please support our effort. Your dinner will be prepared and served by our Youth Group!

FREE MONEY!

We're still looking for FREE MONEY. You can get FREE MONEY for OLR when you purchase gift certificates for home improvement projects. Do you like to go out to eat after Mass? **Stop by the Pro-Shopper table before you leave** – check to see if we have gift certificates for your favorite restaurants in stock. Our profit is between 8% to 13% when you pay with a certificate from OLR. Eat *and* earn FREE MONEY!!! *What a deal!*

M.K.V. DOES M.O.W. & NEEDS H.E.L.P.



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VILLAGE

Maple Knoll Village (MKV) participates in **Meals on Wheels (MOW)**. Meals on Wheels is a government funded program that facilitates the delivery of food to older,

home bound folks. Food is prepared in the Maple Knoll kitchens and delivered by volunteers five days a week. It takes about an hour beginning around 11 AM. It requires little more than a car. It satisfies a great need and provides a tremendous service. Frequency is flexible. Satisfaction is guaranteed. For more information, call Becky Duke @782-4386 or Becky Martin @ 200-4797.

Thank you for considering this worthwhile endeavor.

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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Ex Officio members: David Nissen, Kathy Klich and Bill Sirbu

Do you have comments or questions concerning our parish? Your Parish Council and Parish Faith Formation Commission members are here for you. All are welcome to attend the Parish Council meeting on the 1st Thurs. at 7:45 pm and Faith Formation meeting the 1st Thurs. at 6:30 pm.



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MASSES AND MEETINGS

Monday, January 11

8:30 a.m. Mass: 56th Wedding Anniversary, Henry and Cathy Hobek/Mary Hobek

Tuesday, January 12

8:30 a.m. Mass: Grace Pascarelli/Pascarelli Family

Wednesday January 13

Cubs & Boy Scouts 7:30 p.m., Catholic Center
Ensemble rehearsals, 7:00 p.m., Music Room

Thursday January 14

8:30 a.m. Communion Service this morning

Ohio Virtual Academy Classes, Catholic Center
Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m., Music Room
Girl Scout Meeting (Mrs. Alberto), 6:00 p.m., Cafeteria

Friday January 15

8:30 a.m. Audrey Enderle/ Carol Hogan
All Saints Co-Op, Catholic Center
Friday adoration begins following Mass
BBI Adoration, 7:30 p.m., Chapel

Saturday January 16

Call of the Spirit, sign in at 9:00 a.m., Cafeteria

Reconciliation, 3:00 p.m., Chapel

4:45 p.m. Mass: For Parish Members Intentions;
Celebrant, Fr. Pete Helmlinger

Sunday January 17

9:00 a.m. Ron Weber/ Bob and Jan Tribbe;
Celebrant Fr. Pete Helmlinger
11:30 a.m. Connie Gorbsch/ Vilma Schurr; Celebrant,
Fr. Pete Helmlinger
RCIA Inquiry & Catechumenate, 10:15 a.m., PAC
Martha-Mary Ministry, 10:00 a.m. Catholic Center
Parish Faith Formation, 10:00 a.m., Catholic Center
Syro-Malabar Congregation, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.,
Church & Catholic Center
Campaigners, 7:00 p.m., Adult Ed Room
Club, 8:00 p.m., Adult Ed Room

JANUARY WOMEN'S BREAKFAST



Ladies of the parish please come join us for the **Women's Breakfast on Saturday, January 23**. We gather at 8:30 a.m. and eat at 9:00 a.m. For more information call Mary 825-7190, Peg 521-4627 or Sue

829-5886. All are invited.

McAuley High School will be sponsoring a Grade School **Basketball Night for Girls** on January 28, 2010. Events include a "Meet the Players" session, pre-game activities, half time challenges, and free admission. The activities begin at 6:30; the game begins at 7:30. For more information, call Caryl Schawe, at 681-1800 x 1152.

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