

**MASS SCHEDULE**



**Sunday, January 30 (The 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

7:00 Living & Deceased of St. Teresa – Fr. Bolte  
9:30 Teresa & Natalio Gentile – Fr. Bolte  
11:30 George Coorey – Fr. Dettenwanger  
7:30 Tom Deutsch - Fr. Bolte

**Monday, January 31 (St. John Bosco)**

7:00 Intentions of Dennis Dettenwanger – Fr. Bolte/Fr. Schmitz  
8:30 Maria & Carmen Ramundo - Fr. Bolte  
12:00 Roy Herman – Fr. Bolte

**Tuesday, February 1 (St. Brigid of Ireland)**

7:00 Intentions of Terri Huwel - Fr. Schmitz  
8:30 Larry Miles – Fr. Bolte  
12:00 Donald J. Ruberg Sr. (Birthday) – Fr. Bolte

**Wednesday, February 2 (The Presentation of the Lord)**

7:00 Michael Dittrich (Birthday) - Fr. Schmitz  
8:30 Thomas Kulle – Fr. Bolte  
12:00 Marian Behrle – Fr. Bolte

**Thursday, February 3 (Sts. Blaise & Ansgar)**

7:00 Dorothy Monahan – Fr. Schmitz  
8:30 George Peck – Fr. Bolte  
12:00 Karilyn Fischer – Fr. Bolte

**Friday, February 4 (St. Theophilus, the Penitent)**

7:00 Bill Steinriede – Fr. Schmitz  
8:30 Rosemary Vassolo (Anniversary) – Fr. Bolte  
12:00 St. Teresa Memorial Fund – Fr. Bolte

**Saturday, February 5 (St. Agatha)**

7:00 James Gilpin - Fr. Bolte/Fr. Schmitz  
8:30 Gene Stagnaro - Fr. Bolte  
4:00 Jeanette & Lewis Allen - Fr. Bolte

**Sunday, February 6 (The 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

7:00 Living & Deceased of St. Teresa – Fr. Bolte  
9:30 The Ledonne Family – Fr. Bolte  
11:30 Nell Justin – Fr. Bolte  
7:30 James Curtis - Fr. Bolte



**Prayer Chain**

Anyone in need of prayers should call the Parish Office or Cherie Frey (coordinator) at 921-1251. To be included, as one who prays for requests, call Cherie. If you know of anyone, who is dying, we will pray for them at the Holy Hour of the Dying on Tuesdays after 7am mass. Call Ruth @ 251-4770 to be included.

**IN SYMPATHY**

Please pray for those who have recently died: **Eric DeBusk, David Messerle, & Bonnie Buetsche.** May they quickly share in the glory of Heaven. If you are a St. Teresa Parishioner and a family member dies, contact the office and we will include them in prayer.

**Listen to Sacred Heart Radio** on your radio dial at 740 AM. Winter program schedules are at the Church doors.

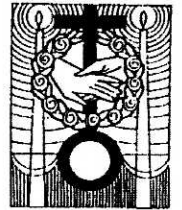


**Candlemas**

At the 8:30am Mass on Wed., Feb. 2 we will have the traditional **Blessing & Procession with Candles**. Then throughout the week, candles will be available in Church for use in your home. The blessed candles will be used for **The Blessing of Throats** on February 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Feast of St. Blaise. Throats will be blessed for P.S.R. students on Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>, for adults after the masses on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>, for the school children at 1:00pm on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> and for the early childhood classes on Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>,

**St. Vincent de Paul Reflection:** The Lord who created you says, "Do not be afraid, when you pass through deep waters. I will be with you, your troubles will not overwhelm you."

**February 14 is the Feast of St. Valentine**, a priest, who died as a martyr. According to tradition he sent letters to his friends *encouraging them to keep strong in their faith, signed – Love, your Valentine*



**On St. Valentine's Day weekend, St.**

Teresa Parish honors couples having special Wedding Anniversaries in 2011. On Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> we will honor 50<sup>th</sup> & 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversaries at 4pm Mass. On 13<sup>th</sup> we will honor 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversaries at 9:30 Mass, 1<sup>st</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversaries at 11:30 Mass and Engaged Couples at 7:30pm Mass. Call the office to attend one of these special masses on Feb. 12/13.

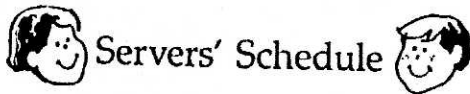
**Blessing of New Drivers:** Each year we bless those, who recently received a driver's license or will seek it this current year. This weekend, Jan. 29 & 30, after the homily, come forward to receive the Blessing and picture of the Sacred Heart of Jesus to be placed in the car. We ask God to protect new drivers. To receive a Sacred Heart picture for your car, call the office.

**The Knights of Columbus Squires** have their Valentine Candy Sale after masses on Feb 12/13. It is one of their main fund raisers. All Catholic boys, ages 10 to 17 are welcome to join the K. of C. Squires. Contact Stephen Gregg on Feb. 12/13 for information to join the Squires.

Each year on the Super Bowl Weekend Catholic & Protestant Churches sponsor **The SOUP'ER BOWL OF CARING**. At Church doors, soup kettles are available



for donations to help local soup kitchens and food pantries, since winter is the hardest time of the year for the homeless and those in need. Call Mark & Mary Hennessey @ 921-1974 to help with soup kettles at Church doors on Feb. 5 and 6.



### Servers' Schedule

#### Monday, January 31

8:30 Team J- T. Brogan, J. Kibler, K. Rahm  
12:00 Team F- J. Hagarty, A. Louderback, C. Weidner

#### Tuesday, February 1

8:30 Team L- E. Glatt, T. Poland, G. Reiff  
12:00 Team K- A. Hahn, M. Nickels, T. Gray

#### Wednesday, February 2

8:30 Team N- A. Bihl, M. Morgan, S. Scholl  
12:00 Team M- E. Hussong, H. Iori, C. Luken

#### Thursday, February 3

8:30 Team P- S. Dahlquist, S. Lohbeck, R. Seaman  
12:00 Team O- T. Dattilo, M. Kuertz, M. O'Brien

#### Friday, February 4

8:30 Team R- F. Breeden, K. Kahny, J. Sehlhorst  
12:00 Team AA-J.P., T., M. Hennessey

#### Saturday, February 5

8:30 Team S- B. Brumfield, C. Driehaus, A. Niederhausen  
4:00 Team Q- R. Cox, P. Kibler, N. Lambers

#### Sunday, February 6

7:00 Parish Adults  
9:30 J. Grothaus, S. Grothaus, J. Schoenung  
11:30 Cub/Boy Scouts  
7:30 S. Ketron, T. Schulz, W. Grothaus



**We have Bingo every Tuesday.** Doors open at 5 pm, games start at 7 pm. We now give **\$ 4,000.00 in prizes.** Special this Tuesday, Feb. 1: Fran's Pot Luck Jar with someone to win hundreds of Pull Tabs. **Progressive Pull Tabs: Crank-It-Up is at \$ 6,500.00 - 1 pick and \$ 100.00 - 2 picks; & Win-On-Diamonds is at \$ 1,000.00 - 1 pick and \$ 500.00 - 2 picks.** To help at Bingo call the parish office.

**SENIORS:** All those **60 & above** are invited to our meetings on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month from 1 to 3 pm in the Church Undercroft. Our next meeting is Tuesday, Feb. 15 with lunch from Price Hill Chili. Call Maria at the office (921-9200) for Feb. trip details.

#### The St. Teresa Vocation Chalice

This Chalice goes to a family or individual at a weekend mass. During the week, prayers are said for vocations to the priesthood, religious life, diaconate and lay pastoral ministry. To request the Chalice call the office (921-9200)



Vocation Chalice for the Week of January 30  
Joanne Qualters



### This Week in our Parish

#### Sunday, January 30 Start of Catholic Schools Week

11:30 Mass Children's Liturgy of the Word  
Shoppers Gift Cards Available before & after Masses  
Blessing of New Drivers at all Masses  
12:30 - 2:00pm School Open House - all are welcome

#### Monday, January 31

7:00pm RCIA Session - Parish Office

#### Tuesday, February 1

10:00 Church bells ring in honor of Catholic Schools  
1:30 D.A.R.E. Graduation for school students  
7:00pm Bingo - Church Undercroft

#### Wed, February 2 Candelmas Day

No Bible Study - Fr. Dennis on Vacation  
7:30pm Pastoral Council - Avila Hall

#### Thursday, February 3 St. Blaise Blessing of Throats

12:30 - 1:30 Confession - Fr. Bolte  
6:45 - 7:15 Confession - Fr. Bolte  
7:30 - Charismatic Prayer Group - Church

#### Friday, February 4

6:00 - 7:00 Men's Support Group - Church Undercroft  
12:30 - 1:30 Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

#### Saturday, February 5

9:00 - 9:30 Confessions - Fr. Bolte  
10:00 - 12:00 Pro-Life Picketing - Ferguson Rd.  
11:00 - 1:00 A Jungle Lunch for children - Avila Hall  
2:45-3:45 Confessions - Fr. Bolte  
6:00-12:00am Youth Group Ski Trip - Perfect North Slopes  
7:00pm A.A. Meeting - Avila Hall

#### Sunday, February 6

11:30 Mass - Children's Liturgy of the Word  
Soup'er Bowl of Caring Collection as masses  
Shoppers Gift Cards Available before & after Masses

**Scout Sunday is Feb. 6 at the 11:30 Mass.** Join the Cub, Boy, and Venture Scouts as Religious Awards will be presented. Scouts should be in full Class A uniform at the front doors of Church by 11:10am. Thank you to adult scout volunteers and parents for your support.

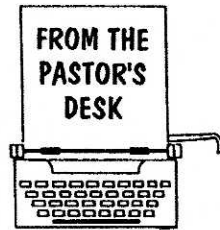
**The St. Teresa Book Café**, sponsored by the Fine Arts Committee, will be in Avila Hall on Feb. 12 from 2 to 6pm and on Feb. 13 from 9am to 1pm. If you have extra books in your home, place them in the large bins in school and church. If you have questions, contact Emily Broering at [broering\\_e@stteresa.net](mailto:broering_e@stteresa.net).

## CONFIRMATION

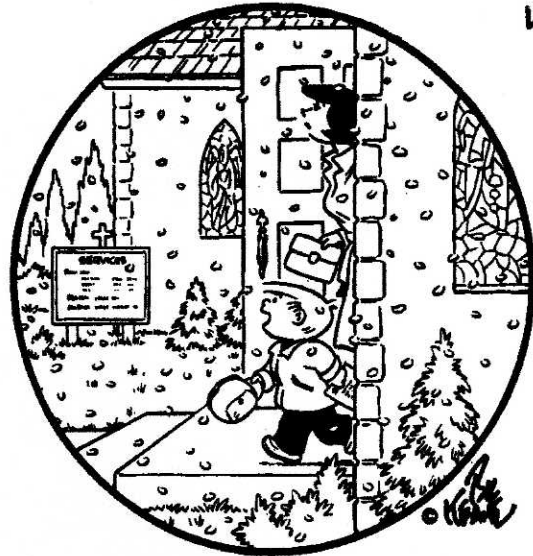
Please continue to pray for our 58 students as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday, Feb. 18 at St. Peter in Chains Cathedral with Archbishop Schnurr. They have performed many hours of Christian Service Projects and will attend an all-day Retreat on Feb. 7 (transferred from last month due to a snow day). We can be very proud of these students.

Dear Friends,

Today we start the celebration of Catholic School's Week throughout our country. **Thank You** to Sisters, Teachers, Parents and all; who have provided Catholic grade schools, high schools & colleges to countless students over the years. St. Teresa School provides an excellent religious and academic program now and for the future. On Wednesday, all Catholic parishes will ring their Church bells for 5 minutes at 10:00 am in honor of Catholic Schools. See the special activities this week at St. Teresa School on the next page.



## FAMILY CIRCUS



"Behold! It snoweth!"

from *The Joyful Noiseletter*  
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Everyone is welcome to attend the **Pastoral Council Meeting** in Avila Hall this Wednesday at 7:30 pm. To place an item on the agenda, contact Chris James by Monday. We will discuss the Budget for 2011-2012, Lenten programs, school staffing, tuition & much more.

**The Volunteer Appreciation Dinner & Celebration** last Sat, Jan. 22 was most enjoyable. A large crowd enjoyed the roast beef/turkey dinner, contests & songs by our excellent choir. We also dedicated The Deacon Mike Davenport Adult Education Center in the front section of the Church Undercroft. Deacon Mike's family was present in addition to those for the dinner. Come see the plaque, with picture of Deacon Mike. You are welcome to borrow the spiritual books and tapes there. The Center is used frequently for Baptismal Instruction classes, Small Group Meetings, R.C.I.A., etc.

**We always appreciate more Volunteers.** In the financial letter being sent to parishioners, there is a complete list of possible ministry and organizational contact phone numbers. We will be having a new training session for Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers soon. Call the parish office to be included.

**We have a group of parishioners, who provide a Communion Service at nursing homes.** There is a need for more to help in this important ministry. Priests have weekday masses at nursing homes; but are usually unable to have Sunday masses. You would need to help just 1 Sunday a month. Call Don Dickinson at 347-0662 for information.

**Fr. Dennis will be on a Sailing Trip** with other priest friends in the Caribbean until Feb. 11. Each year he enjoys this relaxing time in the British Virgin Islands, while we survive the winter weather in Cincinnati.

**A cute story I saw in a Church bulletin:** In the 1930's a little boy went with his mother to the grocery store. The owner told the boy to take some candy from his big bowl, but the little boy refused. So, the owner put his hand in the candy bowl and gave him a huge amount of candy. The boy thanked him. Later the mother asked her son, why he didn't take the candy from the bowl. The little boy said, "**Because the man's hand was a lot bigger than mine**". Our loving God holds us in the palm of His hand, when times are tough.

**God Bless You this Week,**

**Fr. Tom**

### Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time January 30

Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13      Psalm 146  
1 Corinthians 1:26-31      Matthew 5:1-12

### Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 6

Isaiah 58:7-10      Psalm 112  
1 Corinthians 2:1-5      Matthew 5:13-16

### **Reflection on this weekend's Scripture Readings**

In today's Gospel, we are transported back in time to hear Jesus proclaim his Beatitudes ("blessings") at the Sermon on the Mount. Picture yourself, sitting on the ground & listening to his gentle words. "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." Imagine your confusion as you think, "Wait a minute, how can I be blessed if I am poor? What is this kingdom of heaven?" Jesus blesses those who are mourning, meek, hungry, merciful, clean of heart, peacemakers, or persecuted. These words of mercy & love sound radical and astonishing to people who live in a dark world filled with cruelty and violence. Sadly, harsh sentiments and injustice still govern parts of our world today. Nevertheless, Jesus' dazzling message continues to shine on us like the morning sun illuminating a new day. His words offer great hope for all who live in darkness.

(Adapted from Missalette, pg. 63)

**St. Teresa 8<sup>th</sup> grade will present "The Jungle Book"** on March 3 & 4 at 7p.m. in Avila Hall. **A Jungle Lunch will be hosted by the 8<sup>th</sup> graders on Sat, Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 -1:00 pm for young children in Avila Hall.** The 8<sup>th</sup> graders will perform an excerpt from the play; children will meet the characters, play games, have their picture taken & enjoy lunch. Cost is \$5.00 per child, adults are free. Details, contact Emily at [broering\\_e@stteresa.net](mailto:broering_e@stteresa.net).

