



*We praise God and ask
His blessing
On each Family
And every Individual
Thanksgiving Day!*

DWSC

A "Caring and Sharing" session for those struggling with divorce, separation or widowhood will be held on **Monday, November 26**, from **7:30pm - 9pm** at **Immaculate Heart of Mary's Convent Building, 1945 Portage Trail in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio**. **Marlene Maruna**, a Licensed Independent Social Worker, will facilitate this session. This event is open at no charge to people of all faiths. For **more information**, please contact **Frank at 330-801-0527** or **Sharon at 330-612-3635**.

Relationship With Jesus

On **Thursday, December 6**, the **First Friday Club of Cleveland** welcomes the **Most Reverend Richard G. Lennon**, Bishop of Cleveland, as he presents "**Year of Faith: Living Our Relationship with Jesus Christ**". Held at **850 Euclid Ave., 2nd floor**. Those who wish to reserve a seat, call **440-390-0172** or send an email to ffcofcleveland@sbcglobal.net. Tickets are **\$20—Buffet opens at 11:30am**. **Reservations and cancellations must be received by 9am on Monday, December 3**.

Young Adults

Join **Grounds for Faith** for their **Annual Advent Dinner and Social** on **Friday, December 14, 2012** at **6:30pm** at **Guardian Angels Parish, 1676 South Cleveland-Massillon Road, Copley, Ohio**. Main dish will be provided, each person is asked to **bring a side dish, dessert, or drink to share**. **Free babysitting**. Grounds for Faith is open to anyone **single or married** who are **20's, 30's, and 40's**. Please **RSVP** to **Jennifer** (groundsforfaith@yahoo.com or **330-753-6265**).

Local News on Line

"**Your Community News**" is a place where residents of **Boston, Boston Township, Peninsula** and the surrounding area shared information for over 25 years. Please visit www.ycn-online.net.

Breakfast on Sunday

Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth Chapter of Magnificat, invites you to a **Breakfast on Sunday, December 16** at **Walsh University, Barrette Center, 2020 E. Maple St., North Canton, OH**. **Dana** will be the **guest speaker** and share her inspiring story of **God's faithfulness and love**. **Doors open at 8:30am** with **Breakfast at 9am**. **Cost is \$15**. Make checks payable to "Magnificat of Stark County" and send to **Raquel Berroteran, 2880 Cranbrooke Dr., Silver Lake, OH 44224**. **Seating is limited**. Plan on getting your reservations early! **RSVP before Saturday, December 1**. More information...**Raquel Berroteran (330-686-2088)**.

Faith Based Service

Make difference in your community, the country, or the world, serve those in need, and work for social justice. **RESPONSE 2013**, the most comprehensive guide of faith-based service opportunities, is **now available**. Volunteers serve full-time for periods of one week to one year or more across the United States and in more than 100 countries worldwide. Summer and school break opportunities are also available. **Positions are available for all**. Please contact the **Catholic Volunteer Network** to receive your **free copy/copies of RESPONSE 2013** at **1-800-543-5046 (toll-free)**, info@catholicvolunteernetwork.org, or www.catholicvolunteernetwork.org.

REMARRIAGE & STEPFAMILY PREPARATION

The Cana II Process addresses the unique issues of remarriage and stepfamilies. **The preparation includes a Saturday, and three additional evening sessions for stepparents of children under 18**. Held **Saturday, January 26, 2013** from **8:30am-6pm (5pm Mass)** and **Thursdays, January 31, February 7 and 14, 2013** from **6:30-9pm** at **Holy Spirit Parish, 410 Lear Rd., Avon Lake, OH, 44012**. **Cost is \$125 (deadline January 18, 2013)**. For a registration form, call **Jane at 216-334-2978** or visit www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/mfm. Please call **Carol Petro (216-334-2975)** with questions.

First Friday Club of Akron

The **First Friday Club Speaker** for **December 7**, at **Martin University Center, 105 Fir Hill, Akron, 44304**, will be **John L. Allen, Jr.**, prize-winning Senior Correspondent for the National Catholic Reporter and Senior Vatican Analyst for CNN. His topic will be "**All Things Catholic: What's Hot and What's Not in the Catholic Church**." **Cost is \$15**. **Doors open at 11:15am; the program begins at 12pm and ends promptly at 1pm**. Prepaid reservations may be made by sending a **check** to the **First Friday Club of Greater Akron, 795 Russell Ave., Akron, OH 44307 no later than the Tuesday prior to each program**. **More info...330-535-7668**.

Regina Health Center

Regina Health Center, 5232 Broadview Road, in Richfield, Ohio, provides quality health care for those seeking a God-centered environment. Currently, there are Assisted Living units available. Assisted Living Respite Care is available as well. For additional information, please contact Sr. Margaret Taylor, SIW, at 330-659-4161.

Bags of Love

The Women's Board of Catholic Charities Community Services of Summit County (CCCS/SC) is having its Annual Christmas "Bags of Love" collection for the agency's families in need. The Women's Board is accepting donations until December 7th of household and personal items such as: laundry detergent, soap, dish detergent, toothpaste/brushes/floss, shampoo/conditioner, paper products, and diapers. These may be dropped off for the Bags of Love at Catholic Charities, 812 Biruta St., Akron, OH 44307. If you prefer to give a monetary donation, please make checks payable to: Women's Board of CCCS/SC. Mail checks to: Anne MacWherter, 34 Lake Forest Dr., Hudson, OH 44236. The Women's Board of CCCS/SC thanks you for your help.

First Step Program 2013

Do you want to deepen your knowledge of the Church's teaching on marriage, learn about ministry to the divorced/separated in the Diocese of Cleveland, hear the true facts about the annulment process and how to submit a case, and discover a path to healing after divorce? The First Step Programs are scheduled around the Diocese, open to anyone, with no pre-registration. The next sessions are on Tuesday, February 5, 2013 at 7pm at St. John Bosco Parish (6480 Pearl Rd., Parma Hts., OH 44130 440-886-3500) and on Tuesday, April 9, 2013 at 7pm at St. Peter Parish (3655 Oberlin Ave., Lorain, OH 44053 440-282-9103) This program is offered as a way to reach out to those whose marriage, for whatever reasons or circumstances, is not valid in the Church, and find a way to re-establish full communion in the sacramental life of the Church. For more information, call 216-696-6525, ext. 4000, or visit www.dioceseofcleveland.org/tribunal.

1060 AM

WILB at 1060 AM – *Living Bread Radio*, is available to be heard in most parts of the Diocese. Broadcasting each day from sunrise to sunset... 1060 broadcasts Catholic teaching and preaching along with the Mass and many devotions. Remember to tune in 1060 AM...WILB...

SINGLE & PARENTING

Single & Parenting is a series of video seminars that teach effective parenting strategies, encouragement and insights on how to find hope as you parent alone. Held the first Friday of each month at St. Joseph Church, 12700 Pearl Road, Strongsville, Ohio 44136 from 6:30pm – 8pm. Cost is \$25.00 for 13 weeks. New attendees are welcome! For additional information, please visit www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/mfm or contact Jane at 216-334-2978.

Grief Support

In Scripture, Jesus comforts those who mourn, "Come to me, all of you who are tired from carrying heavy loads. I will give you rest..." (Matthew 11:28-29). The Anthony Funeral Homes wish to announce the addition of Sr. Mary Kay Cmolik, OSF to their staff. Recently certified by the National Catholic Ministry to the Bereaved through the Diocese of Cleveland, Sister is available for grief support through groups and individual conversations. These opportunities are available to all who mourn the loss of a beloved. For additional information, please call the Anthony Funeral Homes at 330-724-1781.

Hall of Honor Nominations Due

Nominations for the 2013 Catholic Charities Summit County Hall of Honor are now being accepted through January 15, 2013. The Hall of Honor recognizes individuals who have given exceptional leadership and service for a minimum of 10 years to either CYO and Community Services, Catholic Social Services, or Catholic Charities Community Services of Summit County. Only 107 inductees have been recognized since the hall was created in 1969. For a full explanation and nomination form, contact 330-762-2961 x232 or search www.ccs Summit County.org.

Choose Life!

Planned Parenthood Federation of America is the largest abortion provider in the country. It has an annual budget of more than \$1 billion. Roughly 46% of that comes from the government (federal, state, and local) health service grants and reimbursements. This is the organization that participated in a pro-abortion press conference to oppose a bill to protect pain-capable unborn children from abortion. NRL News, Spring, 2012.

We Pray...

That all entrusted with the making of laws and administration of policy be high minded and respect of life according the laws of God .

Amen.



See the Church vestibule for information on upcoming events, job openings, registration forms, prayer cards, & more...