

First Holy Communion

The following young people of Mother of Sorrows Parish and Parish School of Religion are to receive First Holy Communion, next Sunday, 4th of May 2014 at the 11:00am Mass:

Thomas John Gaydos

Amelia Suzanne Kloss

Benjamin Martin Russell

Congratulations and appreciation to their Catechist, Mrs. Charmaine Rogalski and to their parents for preparing them to receive Jesus in the Holy Eucharist.

Drivers Needed

The Ursuline Sisters living at Regina Health Center are in need of volunteer drivers! Volunteers transport sisters to doctor appointments typically in the Mayfield Heights area. **The time required is about 3 hours per assignment. Volunteers help at least 1x/month.** Volunteers sign up as they are available. **Use your car or save on expenses by using ours.** Requirements: Background check, motor vehicle records check and TB test. (All free to volunteers; TB test done at Regina Health Center on day convenient for volunteer.) **To learn more or sign up contact Maggie Gibson: 440-449-1200 x409 or mgibson@ursulinesisters.org.**

Diocesan Bereavement Day of Reflection

Save the date! Please come and join us at the Center for Pastoral Leadership on Thursday, May 15 to hear **Dr. Beth Hewett** from the Archdiocese of Baltimore lead us in a day long presentation/reflection on **Mourning with Purpose.** Registration and cost information will be forthcoming from the Department for Marriage and Family Ministry. **For more information, contact Jason Lewis at 216-334-2974 or jrlewis@clevelandcatholiccharities.org.**

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!**

YCN

“Your Community News” is a place where residents of Township and Peninsula have shared information for over 25 years. Visit www.ycn-online.net.

Helping the Disadvantaged

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Cleveland is seeking volunteers from all occupations to donate some of their time and God-given talents to help the poor. Whether you're a nurse, accountant, engineer, production manager, purchasing agent or webmaster currently employed or retired, we need your expertise to make a difference in the lives of our needy brothers and sisters in Christ. **Combine your vocation with your avocation to serve by contacting the SVDP Cleveland at volunteers@svdpcl.org, or 800-696-6525 x3150.**

Tutors

Seeds of Literacy, a nonprofit Organization offering free, one-to-one tutoring in basic adult education and GED preparation, **has a need for more tutors.** A tutor training session will be held **Saturday, May 31, from 9am to 2pm at Seeds Resource Center 3104 West 25th St.** (corner of West 25th and Clark Ave.) **Cleveland, OH 44109.** To register/more info, contact **Alexandria Marshall at 216-661-7950 or alexandriamarshall@seedsofliteracy.org, or visit www.seedsofliteracy.org or Facebook.**

Living With Benedict

The Benedictine Monks of Saint Andrew Abbey in Cleveland, Ohio invite **single men ages 18 - 45** interested in personal spiritual growth and in seeking God's Will for their life and vocation to participate in this weekend. **No cost. Held May 30 - June 1.** For more information, contact **Fr. Finbar, OSB at 216-721-5300 x273 or finbar@cbhs.net or on Facebook: St. Andrew Abbey Vocations - Cleveland Ohio.**

Mark Your Calendar

Please mark your calendar for **51st World Day of Prayer for Vocations, Good Shepherd Sunday, May 11, 2014.** This year's theme is **Vocations, Witness to the Truth.** To read a message from **Pope Francis** on this event, visit www.vatican.va/holy_father/francesco/messages/vocations/documents/papa-francesco_20140115_51-messaggio-giornata-mondiale-vocazioni_en.html.

Please check the vestibule for more information on upcoming events, registration forms, prayer cards, and notices.

Meet-up Site for Young Adults

Northeast Ohio Catholic Young Adults www.meetup.com/Northeast-Ohio-Catholic-Young-Adults is a great way to connect with other young adults and find out what is going on in Northeast Ohio. For more info...330-217-1064 or groundsforfaith@yahoo.com.

Faith Service

For free copies of **RESPONSE 2014**, (a guide to faith-based service opportunities), call 1-800-543-5046, email info@catholicvolunteernetwork.org, or visit www.catholicvolunteernetwork.org.

Warehouse Sale

Please join us for **Hospice of the Western Reserve's upcoming Warehouse Sale**. The sale features gently used furniture, antiques and collectibles, artwork, sets of tableware, outdoor furniture and seasonal decorations. All proceeds support seriously ill patients of all ages and their families, Veterans in need of specialized care, grief, trauma and bereavement counseling in schools and the community and caregivers. **Held Friday, May 9 from 8:00am - 4:00pm and Saturday, May 10 from 9:00am - 3:00pm at the Hospice of the Western Reserve Headquarters, 17876 St. Clair Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44110.**

We are accepting donations of gently used furniture, antiques and collectibles, artwork, sets of tableware, outdoor furniture, household items, glassware as well as seasonal decorations.

We are unable to accept bedding, books, clothing, cribs and car seats, electronics, appliances, medical supplies, sporting goods, computers and related hardware, mattresses and box springs, televisions and stuffed animals.

To donate, please call 216-486-6881 or email warehousesale@hospicewr.org. All items are previewed prior to acceptance for donation. Tax receipts provided. We will be happy to pick up large furniture or fragile donations from anywhere in Northeast Ohio at no cost to you.

SVDP Car Donation Program

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Car Donation Program is seeking donations of used vehicles to benefit the poor in Northeast Ohio. Proceeds from the program are used to help fund charitable programs and services that assist our region's needy. If you are planning to discard your used car, truck or RV, consider donating it instead to the SVDP Car Donation Program. Not only will you be helping the poor in Northeast Ohio, but you **won't have to worry about the hassle of repairing and selling your car or negotiating trade-ins** with automotive dealerships. Whether or not your vehicle is still running, **SVDP Cleveland will provide free towing within 24 hours**. Your donation is tax deductible. 800-322-8284 (available 24/7) or www.svdpcle.org/cardonation.html.

Scholarship Applications Available

The Demkee Family Scholarship Fund of the Catholic Community Foundation provides an annual academic scholarship to a registered parishioner of a Catholic parish in Summit or Wayne County who is presently enrolled at The University of Akron or satellite branch. **Scholarship applications are available at www.catholiccommunity.org/page.aspx?pid=378 or by contacting Colleen Rigo toll free at 800-869-6525 x4080.**

Students eligible to apply:

- Are currently accepted to, or enrolled in, as part time or full time students at The University of Akron or any satellite branch of the University
- Can document a minimum scholastic achievement of 3.0 GPA
- Registered in a Catholic parish in Wayne or Summit County

Note: though financial need will be considered, it is not the sole factor in award selection.

The 2014 scholarship award will be \$850. The Catholic Community Foundation will send written notification to the awardee by June 15.