

Feb 23/24			Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Feb 23	Sat	5:00 PM	Kathie Wilsbacher : Mary Ann Theriot	
Feb 24	Sun	8:00 AM	Jerry Rader : Betty Rader	
		11:00 AM	People of the Parish — Bishop Monforton presides	
Feb 25	Mon	9:00 AM		
Feb 26	Tues	6:00 PM	Mr. & Mrs. Ignatius Turiczek	
Feb 27	Wed	9:00 AM	Kathie Wilsbacher: Mary Ann Theriot	
Feb 28	Thurs		<i>No Daily Mass</i>	
March 01	Fri	9:00 AM		
March 02	Sat	5:00 PM	Kathie Wilsbacher: Rod & Dianna Rauch	
March 03	Sun	8:00 AM	People of the Parish	Note Schedule Change ←
		5:00 PM	Patricia Jacobsen: Joan Jacobsen	

Our Sick	Benjamin Roseland (Iowa), Geraldine McIntire, Richard McNulty, Susan Gross, James Mace, Vince Halaj, Raelene Hannah, Georgette Bergdorf, Judy Bremar, Charlene McNulty; Kim Reynolds, Rosa Lee Klingenberg
Shut-Ins	G. Heintz, Mary Hussion, Marge Macchia
In the Military	Kendra Rauch, Steven Sprigg, Jamie Barrett
Our Priests	2/23 Rev. Anthony Batt, 2/24 Rev. Samuel Saprano, 2/25 Msgr. Robert Kawa, 2/26 Rev. Rick Martignetti OFM, 2/27 Rev. Basil Corriere ec, 2/28 Rev. Virgil Reischman, 3/1 Rev. Martin Holler, 3/2 Rev. Mark Moore, 3/3 Bishop Jeffrey M. Monforton



Mar 02/03	LECTOR	Eucharistic Minister	SERVERS	USHERS	GREETERS
5PM	Maureen Boggs	Betty Modie (1) Michael Miller (2) Ed Boggs (3)	Trevor Strahler Mary Vesel	Carol Miller Greg Windland	Andy Bremar Margaret Logue
8AM	Karen Waller	Lynn Pierce (1) Carolyn Alloway (2) Becky Hennen (3)	Bryan Hayes Mollie Maxon	Matthew Bremar Peter Yakob	Betty Rader Kathy Reis
5 PM	Joan Jacobsen	Kathy Hannah (1) John Ambrozy (2) Susan Rauch (3)	Allison Lane Cassidy Lane	Kim Jenkins Rosalie McDonald	Chuck Hannah Volunteer

The year end statements are still available in the Gathering Area. After today contact the office to obtain them.



The Dinner Auction is about 3 months away but some things we need to prepare now. We have already received some **wine** for the dinner and **alcohol** for the 'booze basket' but we need LOTS more. We will need at least 60 bottles of wine. So we remind you that we are asking each family to donate a bottle or two [red or rose']. The containers are in the Gathering Area.

Parish Mardi Gras And Chili Cook-off is next SUNDAY!



On Sunday, March 3rd, we will **not** have the usual 11:00 AM mass but will have a 5:00 PM just before the Mardi Gras for your convenience. Bring your favorite **chili, or corn bread or cookies**; there will prizes for various categories. Drop off all items before 5:00 PM so the judges can make their decisions during mass and we are all ready to eat when mass is over. Wear the official Mardi Gras colors of green, purple or gold [plus any "bling" you may have from past years]. **How do you prepare for Lent?** Throw a party to say farewell to distractions and temptations until after Easter!

LENT begins with **ASH WEDNESDAY** on March 6th. See insert for details.

AROUND THE AREA

24 Feb Sun 11AM—2 PM	The Sophomore class of PCHS will host a Spaghetti Dinner at the school. Tickets are \$7 for adults, \$3 for children or \$25 per family. There will be a wreath raffle for \$300 in local gift cards. Call PCHS office for tickets at 304-485-6341
1 Mar Fri	The World Day of Prayer gathering will be held at Tunnel United Methodist Church [65 Coffman Rd, Marietta OH] starting at 10:00 AM
23 Mar	Men's Retreat Day at St Stephen Church in Caldwell. Brochures are in Gathering Area.
6 April	Ladies Lenten Retreat Day at St Mary Church in St. Clairsville. Contact CWC for more info.



YEAH ... LOOKS LIKE THOSE PRANKSTERS HOOKED THE SPRINKLER UP TO THE HOLY WATER AGAIN


Next Sunday there is **no 11:00 AM Mass**; it is replaced with a **5:00 PM Mass** just before the Parish Mardi Gras and Chili Cook-Off.


REMINDER



SCHEDULE CHANGE!

Sr. Joan's Sunday Morning **Scripture Study** will not meet on Feb 24th or on Mar 3rd.

Date	Coming Events For the Parish
Feb 24	Breakfast After the Sunday Masses Bishop Monforton will be here to celebrate the 11:00 Mass
Feb 26	RCIA
March 3 	Parish MARDI GRAS and CHILI COOK-OFF Beads, Costumes, Fun, Beads, Food, King & Queen, Beads There is a special mass schedule this weekend. There will be an 8:00 AM BUT there will not be an 11:00 AM. We WILL have a mass Sunday evening at 5:00 PM, just before the Mardi Gras
March 6	Ash Wednesday Mass at 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM Day of FAST [no snacks] and ABSTINENCE [no meat]
April 21	Easter
April 27	Dinner Auction

 Carolyn Alloway thanks everyone for their cards, prayers and good wishes during her recent eye surgery.

- People to Contact:**
- **Parish Council *** Rod Strahler 373-0615
 - Religious Education Andy Vessel 336-2265
 - RCIA/RCIC Andy Vessel 336-2265
 - Youth Ministry Robin & John Ambrozy 423-5783
 - Retreat House Sr. Joan Marie 667-0100
 - Music Ministry Chris Purcell 667-3733
Keith Richards 590-2659
 - CWC Marsha Hutson 304-991-3636
 - K of C Michael Ware 304-679-8132
 - Men's Club Kenley Schwendeman 749-0150
 - Prayer Line 423-7364 / 423-9784 / 315-5384 / 989-2928
 - Parish Partners Pat - 423-9784 Sue - 423-5260

***Council:** A Bremar, Beth Morehead, R Strahler, K Schwendeman, Mike Ware, J Pierce, J Rauch, Mercedes Ware, M. Cumberledge



Your contributions:
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St Ambrose Church

5080 School House Road, Little Hocking OH 45742



Mass: Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM
11:00 AM
Mon/Wed/Fri: 9:00 AM
Tues 6:00 PM
Holy Days as announced in bulletin
Reconciliation:
Saturdays 4:10 - 4:40 PM
1st Sunday of month 7:20 - 7:40 PM
10:10 - 10:40 PM



Pastor: Fr Bob Gallagher
Parish Offices: 740-423-7422
For routine parish business or to inquire about renting Ambrose Hall, call week-days from 10:00 AM- 1:00 PM, **except Thurs. when Parish offices are closed.**
FAX: 740-423-4776
Web site: www.stambroseohio.org

Sacred Heart Retreat House:
Contact Sr. Joan Marie 740-667-0100

Religious Education:

- Contact Andy Vessel 740-336-2265
- RCIA: Tuesday at 7:00 PM
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Parish Council: usually 2nd Monday, 7:00
Contact Rod Strahler 373-0615

Maintenance: Bryan Hayes 525-7055

Marriage: See pastor 6 months prior for counseling
Baptism: Parents must attend class before scheduling
Funerals: Contact and clear with Parish Office before publishing info
Women's Prayer: [contact 423-7364]
Knights of Columbus: 1st Thursday of each month