

June 27, 2010
13th Sunday in
Ordinary Time

BELLARMINE CHAPEL



We are a Jesuit parish of the Archdiocese, drawn here by our Catholic tradition, our struggles as Church, and by our need for the Eucharistic table. Come with your voice, your stories. We hope to be open to the Christ we receive, sent to take part in the mission.

SUMMER RELIGIOUS ED PROGRAM

July 26-August 6, 2010: This program is for children who will be entering grades 1-6 in the fall of 2010. We will meet each morning, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM. All of the topics covered during a traditional year-long program will be covered with the exception of sacramental preparation, which is held in the spring each year.

Registration forms are available in the vestibule or on Bellarmine's website. If you have questions please call Jim Crosby at 745-3317 or email him at crosbyj@xavier.edu

GRIEF SUPPORT

We've now had two gatherings of people who shared the experience of losing one's spouse. These have provided a very good opportunity for support and we are all looking forward to another gathering and hopefully some additional folks. We are planning a second meeting on Tuesday, July 6 from 6:00 - 8:00 PM. We will be meeting in the Activity Room, sharing a light dinner and our experience of the loss of our spouse. Please RSVP to Karen Brandstetter at 745-3349 or at Brandstetter@xavier.edu, as soon as possible! Participants do not need to be parishioners, but do need to have this experience of spousal loss.

HOLD IN PRAYER

Please keep Teresa Morrow in your prayers as she recovers from surgery.

Please also pray for Pat Collins, whose sister, Audrey Runda, died in her sleep last week. The funeral will be held in Alabama on June 29.

TODAY'S READINGS

1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21
Galatians 5:1, 13-18
Luke 9:51-62

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Isaiah 66:10-14c
Galatians 6:14-18
Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

EUCCHARISTIC TEAMS

9:00 - Team 4
11:00 - Team 1
7:00 - Team B

STAFF AND E-MAIL

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Confessions are by appointment only: 745-3398

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Liturgy of the Word for children ages 6-12 is celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month at the three parish liturgies.

PHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office 745-3398
Parish Fax 745-2031
St. Vincent de Paul 745-1950

PARISH MAILING ADDRESS

Bellarmino Chapel
3800 Victory Parkway
Cincinnati, OH 45207-2211

WEB ADDRESS

www.bellarminichapel.org
www.kiva.org/lender/bellarmino8597

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 7:00 PM Student masses: 4:00 PM*, 10:00 PM*
Mon-Fri: 8:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 5:00 PM*
Saturday: 8:00 AM
*when X.U. classes are in session

OFFICE HOURS

The chapel office is open 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon and 1:00 - 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

CHILD CARE AVAILABLE

Please note that child care is available during all three parish masses for children ages 1-6. Child care is located in the Lindner Building, behind the chapel next to the Gallagher Center. There is no fee for this service.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL DROP BOX

There is a St. Vincent de Paul Drop Box located behind Kuhlman Residence Hall to collect your donations of clothing and non-fragile items.



HANDICAP PARKING

There are four handicap parking spaces at Husman Hall close to the Chapel. During church services, please use the circle in front of the Chapel for drop-off and pick-up only. By order of the fire department, there is no parking in the circle at any time.

BELLARMINE CALENDAR

Sunday, June 27 Fair Trade Coffee and *Streetvibes* for Sale
Saturday, June 26 9:00 AM St. Vincent de Paul - Activity Room
Monday, July 5 Chapel Offices Closed

POLO FAMILY PICNIC

Parents of Little Ones (POLO), you are invited to the annual POLO picnic at our house! If you have children birth through grade school and are looking for a fun family afternoon and wanting to catch up or meet fellow families from Bellarmine- please join us!! Come prepared to swim, fish, play volleyball, cornhole, frisbee or simply relax. We provide the main dish (hamburgers/hot dogs/brats/mets) and lemonade. Please bring your favorite dish to share and your favorite beverage.

The fun starts Sunday July 25th at 3 PM and ends when the last person leaves. Please RSVP to dsjmbrausch@embarqmail.com by 7/23 with how many will be attending and the dish you will bring. Please extend this invitation to any other families that you have met at Bellarmine - we know that we do not have everyone's email addresses. We look forward to seeing familiar and new faces!

~Doug, Shannon, Jolie and Maya Brausch

DAY TRIPS ARE HAPPENING!

St. Xavier Parish has a tradition of day trips during the week, for anyone who can make it. They are currently all set to go to Keeneland in October, and could open up space on the bus easily. And they hope to schedule a trip to Gethsemani some time in the spring of 2011. It's all a long ways off, but it's worth sounding out some interest at this point, and then move along perhaps toward some shared journeys!

Let Richard know by phone or email message, if this strikes you as something you have specific interest in.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Chris Geiger who was selected from among the Hoxworth donors for tickets to see the Reds vs. Brewers.

HOLISTIC DIRECTED RETREAT

Holistic Directed Retreat, August 16-22, Marydale Retreat Center in No. Ky. Presented by: The Center Within. Spiritual Directors include: Gerry Hair, Julie Murray, Donna Steffen, Jean Marie Stross. Come for two or more days, and give your heart and spirit the time it needs to come home inwardly. Retreat includes daily morning meditation and communal prayer. www.TheCenterWithin.org, TheCenterWithin@aol.com, or phone Donna Steffen at 751-3358.

SECOND MARRIAGE MINISTRY

The Family Life Office is continuing to develop a unique marriage preparation program for couples who are preparing to enter a second marriage – it is called Cana II. We are making an appeal to practicing Catholics throughout the archdiocese in order for this program to be successful. Cana II is still in need of “willing and able” Catholic couples who are living in a successful second marriage to help with this Cana II program. We are looking for couples to present a topic that is necessary for couples to explore before entering the sacrament of marriage a second time. There will be some planning meetings to attend and Cana II is offered to couples twice a year in each area of the archdiocese. If you are in a second marriage, please prayerfully consider helping in this much-needed ministry.

The Family Life Office has resources that can be utilized in order for couples to put a successful “talk” together. We just need some brave (and fun) couples willing to help. If you are interested please feel free to call me at any time at the Dayton Family Life Office at (937) 222-0227 or email Noreen Wendeln at: nwendeln@catholiccincinnati.org.

The whole purpose of the Bible, it seems to me, is to convince people to set the written word down in order to become living words in the world for God's sake. For me, this willing conversion of ink back to blood is the full substance of faith. ~ Barbara Brown Taylor

IMMIGRATION REFORM

Archbishop Schnurr Issues Statement
Why We Need Comprehensive Immigration Reform

Archbishop Schnurr has issued a statement calling for comprehensive immigration reform, complementing other messages issued by the U.S. bishops. This past week's Catholic Telegraph featured the statement, also posted online at www.thecatholictelegraph.com. Copies of this statement are available in the narthex. Primary talking points encouraging a balanced and bipartisan approach, include:

- humane and orderly ways to provide border security
- continuing global anti-poverty efforts to create dignified work in one's country
- reducing backlogs in the family-based visa system to preserve family unity
- a sufficient temporary guest-worker program that protects worker rights
- restoring due process for immigrants seeking political asylum
- and initiating an earned path to citizenship (note: not amnesty) for immigrants with no criminal record

A few poignant lines from this statement include:
"We are in this predicament because the sad truth is that there are few visas available for immigrants to actually migrate here legally. Each year, Congress allocates only 5,000 permanent visas for 'unskilled workers,' even though hundreds of thousands of undocumented immigrants are finding jobs in this category. In addition, the spouses, children and other immediate relatives of many of those who did enter legally end up having to wait years to be reunited with their loved ones."

"The way the bishops see it, the problem with the countless situations similar to these is, not that all such immigrants should have been immediately given amnesty upon entering the country, but that there were too few paths available for them to come here the right way to begin with. In short, we feel we can do better."

For more information on the Catholic Campaign for Immigration Reform, visit:
www.justiceforimmigrants.org

PARTNERS ON THE PADDLE WHEELER

Mercy Professional Services, a not-for-profit counseling practice in Walnut Hills, is hosting its third annual *Partners on the Paddle Wheeler*. Held on the BB Riverboats' Belle of Cincinnati, the dinner cruise and auction is July 16. Special guests include Chris and Christi Mack, Lisa Cooney and Jerry Galvin. Tickets are \$75 per person with a registration deadline of June 30. Contact John Burroughs, to reserve your places, (513) 221-2330. Several Bellarmine parishioners are associated with MPS as staff and board members.

FR. JOHN CORAPI

Fr. John Corapi is coming to Cincinnati on July 17, 2010 to the Cintas Center for an all day conference dedicated to the Church's teachings on Social Issues and our culture today. No one can afford to miss this conference! Fr. Tom Euteuneuer of Human Life International will be the Emcee. We look forward to seeing you there! Tickets can be purchased online at www.CMGbooking.com or call 513-593-0089.

MARY OF MAGDALA PRAYER SERVICE

Join us on Thursday, July 22 at 7:00 PM in the Cedars Auditorium at the Sisters of Charity Motherhouse. Marge Kloos, SC, will reflect on the Apostle to the Apostles. Scholarship continues to uncover a rich, unknown history of women's contributions in many areas of life, including women in the Christian tradition. For more information, contact 451-9444 or akerslou@aol.com. All are welcome!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Clovernook Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired (located in N. College Hill, 7000 Hamilton Ave 45231) is looking to fill volunteer positions in the following areas: Recreational Services, Proofreading, and Transportation Assistance. For more information about Clovernook and how you can make a difference in the life of a person who is blind or visually impaired, including those with additional disabilities, contact Christine Sevindik, coordinator of volunteer services at csevindik@clovernook.org or 513-728-6261.

I am somehow less interested in the weight and convolutions of Einstein's brain than in the near certainty that people of equal talent have lived and died in cotton fields and sweatshops. ~ Stephen Jay Gould

YOUTH MINISTRY

Harlan, KY Mission Outreach

All forms, money and copies of insurance card (a current one needs to be on file) are due. Please make sure you get those in today. We will ask the community's prayers and God's blessing at the 9:00am mass next Sunday, July 4.

Youth Ministry Mailing List

Jr High youth group and BYG would like to include all of next year's 7th - 12th 8th graders in our mailing list to keep you apprised of the many opportunities offered through the parish. Parents, if your teen is not already registered or if much of his/her information has changed, please pick up a registration form at the Youth Info Table in the narthex. Please complete the form and drop off or send it to the Chapel this month so all records can be maintained and updated before August mailings. Thank you for your help.

St. Jude Trip

A huge thanks to all our St. Jude Volunteers: Brian Volck, Onnie Middendorf, Joe Krzeski, Jacob Kroth, Nick Bogner, Bob, Brenda and Anna Bertsch. They all did an incredible job on so many levels. We formed community, connected with the people in Tuba City, worked hard, prayed, experienced and learned about the Navajo and Hopi cultures and saved a sick and dehydrated kitten. Our main tasks were to continue fixing the Youth/St. Vincent DePaul trailer and clean out the shed and help re-roof it.

We were up early and were busy through the afternoon. We tore out old kitchen fixtures and helped install new ones, painted, weather-proofed, and did other general repairs to the trailer; helped clean and reorganize all the storage; and helped with several small home repairs in the lower village and the Hopi Retirement Home.

There were lots of short hikes and information sharing in the area, including a longer hike at the Grand Canyon. We shopped and ate at the Tuba City Flea Market and attended a Supai Dance in the Navajo lower village. We were honored to also be invited into some private homes and share a meal with our new friends. Yet, we still had time to share some meals with the sisters and have some quiet time of reading and listening to music. Many thanks, too, to my sister, Katie Martin, who hosted us in her home in Flagstaff on our way home. ~Sue Antoinette

SVDP ASSISTS 45 FAMILIES IN MAY

Every Saturday morning our SVDP members are out visiting those in need in the neighborhoods surrounding Bellarmine Chapel. In May alone, 45 home visits were made serving some 116 people. Financial assistance was rendered to them in the form of \$660.00 in Kroger cards (average of \$15 per family), \$402.00 in bus tokens, \$1,583.00 in rental subsidies, \$1,346.00 in Duke payments and \$277.00 in water bills as well as \$1,545.00 in SVDP thrift store vouchers for furniture and \$1,070.00 in clothing vouchers plus \$220.00 in bedding vouchers.

These neighbors also received 25 beds, 2 cribs, 19 adult and 13 children's Bibles and some in-kind donations of sets of dishes, toys and books. Our SVDP conference remains grateful for the generous assistance Bellarmine continues to provide our ministry. If you have household or clothing items to donate, please remember the blue SVDP collection box near the Cintas Center.

CHARIS RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS

The Jesuit Spiritual Center in Milford is presenting a Seekers Retreat Weekend July 17 - 18 entitled *What Are you Searching For?* Deepen your faith, discover more meaning in your life, and create lasting connections. Cost is \$150 individually or \$75 each if you bring a friend. Scholarships are available. Contact Al Cucchetti at 248-3500 to register or for information.

LAY PASTORAL MINISTRY PROGRAM

Do you feel God calling you? The Lay Pastoral Ministry Program at the Athenaeum of Ohio is now taking applications for Fall 2010 enrollment. A non-degreed Certificate or a Master's Degree in Pastoral Ministry are available options to deepen your knowledge and faith. For more information call 513-231-1200 or visit www.athenaeum.edu.

PARENTS, KIDS, AND BOUNDARIES

Deciding what to do or not do for people is an important element of our relationships. This workshop will focus on defining boundaries, and give examples of how to apply them in a variety of situations. This one session program will be offered on July 22 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, 7820 Beechmont Ave. (Heritage Hall East). The fee is \$15.00 per person. For more information or to register, contact Sandy Keiser at Catholic Charities (513) 241-7745.