

August 18, 2019
Twentieth Sunday of
Ordinary Time

BELLARMINE CHAPEL



*We seek to be a parish where lives are transformed by the new and creative ways of the Holy Spirit.
Nourished at the table of the Eucharist, we are sent on mission to make disciples, serve those in need,
work for justice, and welcome all with love.*

TODAY'S READINGS

Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10
Hebrews 12:1-4
Luke 12:49-53

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Isaiah 66:18-21
Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13
Luke 13:22-30

EUCCHARISTIC TEAMS

9:00 - Team 3
11:00 - Team 4
7:00 - Team C

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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms: Jane Myers 745-3317
Weddings: Kathy Kohl 745-3376
RCIA: Jane Myers 745-3317
Reconciliation: Tue. 4-5 PM, Sat. 11 AM - 12
Noon, or by appointment (call 745-2950)

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Liturgy of the Word for children ages 4 through
5th grade is celebrated on the first and third
Sundays of each month at the 9:00 AM and
11:00 AM parish liturgies. Children age 4 are
welcome to participate if accompanied by their
parents.

PARISH EXAMEN LISTENING SESSIONS

For those who have been doing the Parish
Examen that was in the bulletin on August 4,
please join us for one of our listening sessions
on Sunday, August 18, 1-2 PM or Tuesday,
August 20, 7-8 PM. We will meet in the main
chapel.

SUNDAY MORNING FAITH FORMATION

Our Sunday Morning Children's Faith
Formation or GIFT: Growing in Faith Together
begins with a welcome-back pancake breakfast
on August 25, 10:00- 11:15 AM. Families are
encouraged to attend the 9:00 Mass that
morning so that they can enjoy time with other
families and meet their children's catechists.
Classes will begin on September 8. Registration
forms for children ages 3 through 6th grade will
be emailed and are also available on the parish
website and in the narthex. For information
contact Jane Myers at 745-3317 or
myersj6@xavier.edu

CATECHISTS NEEDED

Our Children's Faith Formation is in need of a
few more catechists and assistants for our
Sunday Morning GIFT program, 10:00- 11:00
AM. Classes begin on September 8. If you
enjoy children and feel the nudge of the Holy
Spirit to teach, please contact Jane Myers this
week at 745-3317 or myersj6@xavier.edu

LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS

Low gluten hosts (.01%) are available at any
liturgy. Please see an acolyte before Mass to
learn the process for receiving one.

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St. Vincent de Paul 745-1950

PARISH MAILING ADDRESS

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WEB ADDRESSES

www.bellarminechapel.org
www.facebook.com/groups/33645704859
www.kiva.org/lender/bellarmine8597
YouTube channel: <https://bit.ly/2JLiRNJ>

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

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 a room just off the narthex.
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.



ACCESSIBLE PARKING

There are four accessible parking spaces at
Husman Hall close to the Chapel. The circle in
front of the Chapel is also for accessible parking.
For a special placard to allow you to park there,
please contact the parish office. Otherwise,
please do not double park in the circle. Use it
for drop off and pick up only.

BELLARMINE CALENDAR

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| Sunday, August 18 | 5:30 PM | Outreach Collection for Casa de Paz |
| | 1:00 PM | Spanish Lesson - Activity Room |
| | | Examen Listening Session - Chapel |
| Monday, August 19 | 7:00 PM | Centering Prayer - Parish Center |
| Tuesday, August 20 | 7:00 PM | Examen Listening Session - Chapel |
| Thursday, August 22 | 7:00 PM | RCIA - Parish Center |
| Friday, August 23 | 7:00 PM | Parish Leadership Retreat - Chapel |
| Saturday, August 24 | 9:00 AM | St. Vincent de Paul - Activity Room |
| | 9:00 AM | Parish Leadership Retreat - Jesuit Spiritual Center |
| Sunday, August 25 | | Fair Trade Coffee and <i>Streetvibes</i> for Sale |
| | 10:00 AM | GIFT Pancake Breakfast |
| | 5:30 PM | Spanish Lesson - Activity Room |

CASA DE PAZ/HOUSE OF PEACE

Our third Sunday outreach collection for August, happening this Sunday, will be for Casa de Paz/House of Peace, an organization that several parishioners, including our former pastor Dan Hartnett, SJ, have been instrumental in launching over the last three years. Casa de Paz/House of Peace is specifically for Latina survivors of domestic violence and their families, offering support groups, classes, children's activities, and a soon-to-be-opened housing facility which together provide healing and hope. There is a great shortage of Spanish-language services in our city, so Casa de Paz has become instrumental in helping fill that gap. For more information, contact our Director of Social Mission, Tim Severyn, at severynte@xavier.edu

MERCHE COURT DATE CHANGE

Please note, that due to an administrative issue in the immigration courts, the Merche family, asylum seekers that Bellarmine has been hosting from El Salvador had their recent court date postponed. The court has rescheduled their hearing, but not until October 2022 - so they will remain safely with our community for now! Please continue to hold them in your prayers.

THANK YOU CHILDREN'S CURRICULUM TEAM!

A huge "Thank you!" to Angie Homoelle, Suzanne McHugh, and Kathy Stockman, among our expert catechists, who spent many hours this summer with Jane to enhance and strengthen the curriculum for our Children's Faith Formation. Our revised learning outcomes include specific goals identified by parents and catechists as specific and essential for the children of our Bellarmine community, guided by our parish mission statement. We call it our "Magis" work!

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

Do you feel drawn to Catholic worship and prayer? to Catholic Social Teaching and mission? Our RCIA team welcomes your seeking and your questions during our inquiry sessions on Thursday evenings at 7:00 PM. For more information please contact Jane Myers at 745-3317 or myersj6@xavier.edu

SOCIAL MISSION MEETING REMINDER

Join us in August, when our monthly meetings resume with an Immigration Team meeting on August 20 and a Healthy Earth Team meeting on August 26, both at 6 PM in the Alumni Center. All are welcome!

IMMIGRATION TEAM

Many thanks to everyone who joined the Ignatius Day Potluck with our migrant neighbors two Sundays ago. Our next Immigration Team meeting will be Tuesday, August 20, 6 PM in the Alumni Center - all are welcome to join and Share the Journey! Please contact our Director of Social Mission, Tim Severyn, for more information.

SPEAKER ON DISABILITIES AND NICARAGUA

Over the last couple years, Bellarmine has supported Special Families (Familias Especiales) in Matagalpa, Nicaragua, an NGO that works with people with disabilities. We have given them a grant from our Social Mission funds and have hosted them at our Alternative Gift Fair. Now, we invite you to come hear their Director, Sr. Rebecca Trujillo, SND, share some of her stories. She will be with us on Sunday, August 25, 10 AM (between the morning masses) in Hailstones Hall, Room 2. Come learn about this multifaceted community and how Special Families has used their Bellarmine grant to continue their mission to serve persons with disabilities in troubling times. For more information, contact our Director of Social Mission, Tim Severyn, at severynte@xavier.edu or parishioner Regina Bajorek at rhoybaj@aol.com

CENTERING PRAYER GROUPS

Our parish offers two opportunities to pray with a group in Centering Prayer. One group meets each Wednesday, 3:00 PM, in the small chapel. Please contact Suzanne Kammer at 513-368-6534 or kammerdds@gmail.com. Another group meets on the first and third Mondays of the month at 7:00 PM in the Bellarmine Parish Center. Please contact Rosie Laughlin at 513-469-8584 or relaughlin@msn.com

SPANISH LANGUAGE CLASSES AT BC

Interested in dipping your toes in some beginner Spanish? Our Immigration Team will be hosting beginner Spanish classes on Sundays at 5:30 PM in our Activity Room, running now through the end of October. Please email parishioner Aubrey Turner at turner.aubreyk@gmail.com if you are interested in being a part of this group! All are welcome

EARTHSCURSION UPDATES

Loveland Bike Trail

We will be meeting at 6:00 PM on August 21 at Nisbet Park, 126 Karl Brown Way, Loveland, OH 45140. Our plan is to gather at the Nisbet park gazebo and ride out and back for one hour on the bike trail, then those who wish can plan for a picnic dinner afterward. If you are planning on picnicking, please bring your own food and a blanket. Please email Kathy Kohl at kohlp@xavier.edu if you would like to join us, so that we know to expect you.

VITALITY PARTY

VITALITY celebrates our 9th Anniversary and Richard Bollman's Selected Homilies book on Saturday, September 14 from 3 - 5 PM at Betta's Italian Oven (3764 Montgomery Rd, Norwood). Close to Bellarmine, with lots of free parking on Cleaney and nearby. Free pizza, salad, cake, soft drinks; happy hour prices on beer & wine. Books available for purchase for \$20! Please RSVP to Brian Shircliff at 513-300-5174 before September 9.

SANCTUARY COALITION MEETING

The Cincinnati Sanctuary Coalition that Bellarmine has been participating in as a Solidarity Member is holding their quarterly meeting on Thursday, August 22, 7 PM at Mt. Auburn Presbyterian Church. Come learn more about the work of the coalition in recent months. Churros and chocolate provided!

APPLICATION FOR OCTOBER OUTREACH COLLECTION

The Social Mission Core Team is trying something new for October's Outreach Collection. Instead of selecting a recipient from a wide range of applicants, they have identified a specific theme: Poverty in Cincinnati, and will be taking applications now through September 5, for organizations that fit this theme (please do not apply if you already received an outreach collection this year). At their September meeting, they will decide on the recipient(s) who will receive or split the collection. If you are part of an organization that fits the theme, broadly speaking, or simply have questions, please reach out to our Director of Social Mission, Tim Severyn, for an application at severynte@xavier.edu

LYDIA'S HOUSE WOMEN FOR WOMEN

Lydia's House, a supportive shelter for women and children in Norwood, will be hosting their 7th annual Women for Women event on Saturday September 14 at 5 PM at the North Avondale home of Robert and Maria Krzeski. The evening includes dinner, a concert by MUSE women's choir and an opportunity to learn more about the mission of Lydia's House. There is no cost to attend but donations will be requested to benefit their "Let there be Light" campaign, an effort to install solar energy on the shelter and office building. To RSVPs and get more information about the event please contact volunteer@stlydiashouse.org

SCHOOL OF SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

A School of Spiritual Direction, in the Sustainable Faith model will be beginning in the fall in the Mariemont area, led by Todd Long, experienced Spiritual Director and parish member. If you sense a desire to learn the skills of companioning others in their relationship with God and their spiritual seeking, please contact Todd at 513-873-0101 or thurstontoddlong@gmail.com

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BOOK DRIVE

SVDP Book Collection is looking for leisure reading books for our neighbors, both adults and children. There is a box in the narthex for your donations. (Please no text books or philosophy books.)

FESTIVAL OF FAITHS YARD SIGNS

This year's Festival of Faiths will take place on Sunday, September 8, 12:30 - 5:00 PM at the Cintas Center. If you would like a yard sign to advertise this celebration of our community's religious diversity, please pick one up at:

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer
2944 Erie Avenue (Hyde Park)
(Come to the back door off of Paxton Avenue and ring the bell on the intercom system; no need to call ahead.)
Open: Monday-Friday, 8 am - 5 pm.
Contact: The Rev. Melanie Slane (314) 306-5751



Happiness held is the seed; happiness shared
is the flower. ~John Harrigan

5K IN HONOR OF PAMELA SMITHERMAN

Please join us for the Midpointe Family Fitness 5K on Saturday, August 24, 9:30 AM, starting at Tried Stone New Beginnings Church (5550 Reading Road). The cost is \$35, with all proceeds benefitting the Pamela M.K. Smitherman Scholarship Fund. There is also a kids Fun Run at 10 AM. Register at tinyurl.com/y44qmyma

ADULT SPIRITUALITY INSTITUTE

Looking to become more spiritually fit in 2019? The Adult Spirituality Institute offers short term non-credit courses at the Athenaeum of Ohio. Our mission is to foster ongoing spiritual development through scripture and theology presented by outstanding Athenaeum and regional scholars. People of all ages are welcome. Our first session begins September 9 and runs for four weeks on Mondays, 10 AM to noon. For more information and a full schedule, please visit our website: www.spirituality-institute.com

VENICE ON VINE BRUNCH AND RAFFLE

It's true - the Venice All You Can Eat Brunch and Raffle is still 29 years young! Come join us September 15, 9:30 to 1:30 at the NEW location of Purcell Marian High School for an all-you-can-eat buffet, 'You Got Mail', and raffles. Help support Venice's employee empowerment and training. Family and kid friendly. \$15 advance tickets are now available now at www.veniceonvine.com. (\$20 at the door). Win up to \$500 with our Superfecta Raffle! Tickets are \$5 each or \$10 for 3, available on the website. Volunteers are needed - e-mail tamarathrasher01@gmail.com to help out. Donations and sponsorship of the event has a huge impact, call 513-221-7020 for details.

PRAYING WITH CLAY

Led by S. Jackie Kowalski, SC this program is offered by the Sisters of Charity Spirituality Center on Wednesdays, September 4, 11, 18 & 25 from 6-9PM. Experience the healing power of clay therapy while exploring your relationship with God through the powerful image of the Potter. During the four sessions you will create a vessel of clay while learning about how God interacts with us, molding, fashioning, creating. The program will be held at the Sisters of Charity Motherhouse, 5900 Delhi Road. FEE: \$60. Please contact the Spirituality Center 513-347-5449 or spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org for additional information.