

August 4, 2019
Eighteenth 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

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23
Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11
Luke 12:13-21

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Wisdom 18:6-9
Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19
Luke 12:32-38

EUCCHARISTIC TEAMS

9:00 - Team 1
11:00 - Team 2
7:00 - Team A

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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.

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

BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSION

Parents who present their children for Baptism
are expected to participate in our Baptism
Preparation Session. The next session will be
Wednesday, August 14, at 7:00 PM in the small
chapel. Please contact Jane Myers to RSVP at
745-3317 or myersj6@xavier.edu

DISMANTLING RACISM TEAM

Our Dismantling Racism Team is beginning to
meet monthly again. You are invited to join us
at our next meeting on Tuesday, August 13, 6
PM in the Activity Room.

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

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Parish Fax 745-2031
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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

Sunday, August 4	5:30 PM	Spanish Lesson - Activity Room
Monday, August 5	7:00 PM	Centering Prayer
Thursday, August 8	7:00 PM	RCIA - Parish Center
Saturday, August 10	9:00 AM	St. Vincent de Paul - Parish Center
Sunday, August 11		Parish Registration Socials after Morning Masses
	5:30 PM	Spanish Lesson - Activity Room

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Masses for the Feast of the Assumption will be celebrated at 8 AM, 12 Noon and 5 PM on Thursday, August 15. Please be aware that this is also move-in day on campus and accessing the Chapel will be difficult, especially at the two earlier Masses, and parking will only be available in the Smith Lot. Traffic patterns should be clear by 5 PM, but foot traffic in the circle and driveway in front of the chapel might still be heavy. Please consider parking on University Drive if you come to the 5:00 Mass.

AUGUST 18 - MOVE-IN DAY

Sunday, August 18 is move-in day for upperclassmen. The C1, Husman, Smith and Kuhlman lots will be closed. We suggest parking on University Drive.

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

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!

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.

Camping Retreat

We have reserved group camp site 1 at Hueston Woods State Park, for the evenings of September 13-14 (come either night or both). This event is free for all ages, families and singles. You will need to provide your own camping equipment and food (we may have some equipment available to borrow from other families). Mass will be held at the campsite with Fr. Eric on Saturday afternoon. We will arrange a carpool to Bellarmine and back for students needing to attend GIFT on Sunday morning. To reserve a place in the group site, (or if you have camping equipment you are willing to loan out for this event) contact Kathy Kohl 745-3376, kohlp@xavier.edu or Liz Keuffer at 745-3398, keuffer@xavier.edu

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

MERCHE FAMILY UPDATE

Our parish has been blessed to be hosting the Merche family, asylum seekers from El Salvador, since September 2017. We have shared the journey with them and invite each of you to continue doing so, especially now. On Monday, August 12, 8:30 AM they will attend their asylum hearing in the Cleveland Immigration Court, where it will be decided if they can stay or face deportation (appeals are possible too). Thank you to the 565 parishioners who signed onto our letter in support of their character and their claim. Several parishioners will be driving up with them the night before to show support and we would love to have you join! Let our Director of Social Mission, Tim Severyn, know if you plan to join at severynte@xavier.edu. We ask that the entire community hold their family in prayer during this challenging time for them and our nation.

SCHOOL OF SPIRITUAL DIRECTION OPPORTUNITY

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.)

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

Would you like to explore spiritual direction in order to deepen your relationship with God? Parishioner Cissy Eyre is a new parishioner who recently moved back to Cincinnati from Nashville. She is completing the certificate program in Spiritual Direction at Creighton University, and is in need of directees to meet with her individually September through May for approximately 45 minutes every month. She would be happy to discuss this and answer any questions you may have. She can be reached at cissyeyre@gmail.com, or 513-833-7445. Thank you!

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: Rev. Melanie Slane (314) 306-5751

We would like to have signs up by the first week of August, but you can get yours at any time!

GREYHOUND MINISTRY

Thank you so much for your generous donations thus far for our Greyhound Ministry! We don't need any more stuffed animals just now - but we will in the future. Currently, we need: Deodorant (most frequently requested), UNOPENED individual shampoos, soaps, conditioners; tissue (individual packs), toothbrushes and toothpaste. We can also use: protein bars, individual servings of applesauce, pudding, peanut butter crackers, juice boxes. The children love coloring books - but please tape a pack of crayons to each one (they have to move quickly). We always need gently used children's books in Spanish or French. Finally, we can always use large, sturdy, clean canvas bags for our guests' possessions. Thank you!

XAVIER STUDENTS 1969- 1975

Are you or do you know someone who was a Xavier student 1969- 1975? 2019 marks 50 years since women have been attending XU as a co-educational university. A team is eager to identify people from those years and extend a personal invitation to the Reunion Weekend on Nov. 8-9, 2019. Please contact Jane Myers 745-3317 or myersj6@xavier.edu

KIVA.ORG UPDATE

In almost 12 years of lending, Bellarmine has turned \$11,683 in deposits into \$76,275 worth of loans. We've made 3044 loans, of which 2142 have been repaid in full, we have a default rate of 2.9% We are in the top 1% of Kiva lenders!!



BELLARMINE

Chapel

Blessing
of the
Backpacks!



August 11, 2019

*All students (young and old-er!),
teachers and catechists
are invited to bring your backpack
or work bag to church
for a special blessing
to begin this new year
of school, study and faith formation.*