

12/13 Sept 2009

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prayer Corner

Mass Intentions for the Week:

Sept 12	Sat	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
Sept 13	Sun	8:00 AM	Capt Matthew Mattingly—3rd annv of death; Jerry, Rita & David Houser
		11:00 AM	Yvonne Escamilla: Janet & Anthony Williams
Sept 14	Mon	9:00 AM	
Sept 15	Tues	6:00 PM	James Peltier—B'day of Dec'd: Don & Madeliene Peltier
Sept 16	Wed	9:00 AM	Florence Gates, Mother & Grandmother: Ollom & Null Families
		6:00 PM	
Sept 17	Thurs		No daily mass
Sept 18	Fri	9:00 AM	Audrey Rowan—B'day of Dec'd: Charlene Bell
Sept 19	Sat	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
Sept 20	Sun	8:00 AM	Brayden Houser: Jerry, Rita & David Houser
		11:00 AM	Jeni Barrett—13th Annv of death: Tom, Jan & the boys

Please Pray for our:

- **Sick:** Jack Bonnette, Benjamin Roseland (Iowa); Ryan Barrett
Elsie Gressel, Judy Bonnette, Cheryl Hayes, Nancy Rowan
- **Shut-ins:** H. Cipollina, D. Gray, G. Heintz, M. Hussion, A. Mason, J. Nutter,
J. Ruth, A. Salmons
- **Military in Iraq/Afghanistan:** Joey Marcinko, Rick Rhodes (Kuwait), Tony Little, Tony Maslany,
Richie Adams, Justin Bartlett
- **Priests:** 9/13: Bishop Albert H. Ottenweller; 9/14: Rev. David Cornett; 9/15: Rev. Thomas R.
Nau; 9/16: Rev. Dale F. Tornes; 9/17: Rev. Virgil L. Reischman; 9/18: Rev. Thomas Chillo; 9/19: Rev. Thomas A. Magery; 9/20: Our Holy Father



19/20 Sept	LECTOR	EME	SERVERS	USHERS	GREETERS
5:00 PM	V Smith	P Scott, D McNamee, G Sims, S Anstatt, L Griffith	M & A Hinton, E Clark	J Wesson, L Offenberger	A Conroe, K Moore
8:00 AM	W Fontaine	H Rupert, B Hennen, C Alloway	M Penco, M & D Hill	B Jordan, J Reynolds	C Alloway, L Pierce
11:00 AM	R LeFebvre Children's Liturgy H King	L Wise, B McDermott, M Cumberledge, D Hughes, Y Powderly	T Strahler, A Williams, K King, C Riffle	Volunteers Needed	K Wiggins & family

Is your child a candidate for First Reconciliation this year?

He or she should be at least in 2nd grade and regularly attending PSR each week. At least one parent must attend the training meeting **on Sept 20 at 9:40 in meeting Rooms A/B.** Once you finish the at home program there will be interviews on 9 and 10 Nov. The First Reconciliation service will be Sat 21 Nov.

On Monday, Sept 14, join with Christian citizens from Belpre and other surrounding area **to pray for our city, our schools and other needs of our area.** We will gather at 7:15 PM at the gazebo in Civitan Park for praise, worship and corporate prayer, ending y 8:15. Please bring a chair and a flashlight with you. For more info call June Logue at 740-423-7364

On the days when the photographers are here for the **photo sessions** we will need **two volunteers for each session** present to collect names and help with forms. There are sign up sheets in the Gathering space.

We need **prizes for the Ox Roast.** If you can help with a donation let us know as soon as . Contact Betty Rader to arrange a donation; 740-667-6289.



The Red Cross sends **thanks to those who helped** with the Mission of Mercy dental project. 1303 patients were seen free of charge; 695 volunteers provided 8723 hours of service. \$8000 worth of supplies were donated.

AROUND THE AREA

Sept 13 Sun 2:00 PM	Visitation Deanery Council of Catholic Women will meet at St James in McConnelsville. All interested women invited; all officers encouraged to attend. Call Veronica at 740-373-0526 for reservations
Sept 20	A Natural Family Planning series will begin at Sacred Heart Retreat House. For info contact Bob or Sharon at 740-593-5713
Sept 20 noon	Raymond and Elizabeth Arnold Family Reunion at the Churchtown K of C
Sept 22 Tues 5:30 PM	The BAM annual volunteer dinner will be held at St Mark's United Methodist Church. Please RSVP to Pat Chambers before Sept 14.
Oct 1 Thurs 7-8:30 pm	At St. Margaret Mary Parish Center: "Forming a More Perfect Union: Common Good Strategies for Uncommon Times" Simone Campbell, SSS, Executive Director of NETWORK, will explore how Gospel values and Catholic Social Teaching call us, as people of faith, to make our country "a more perfect union." <i>To register, go to www.ssicharitablefund.org or call 304-424-6080 and follow prompts. There is no cost but seating is limited.</i>
Oct 4 Sunday 10:30 AM -1:30 PM	Corpus Christi Church in Belle Valley holds their annual Hog Roast. Roast pork and cabbage roll dinners; crafts, a raffle and a bake sake! Everyone is invited
Oct 10 Sat	Walk for Life sponsored by Women's Care Center; call 304-485-7122 for more info
Oct 16-18	World Wide Marriage Encounter at the Best Western in Austintown, OH. For reservations or more information call 330-305-9963

Date	Coming Events For the Parish
Sun 13 Sept	Rel. Ed. Classes, Edge, Lifeteen, Adult Scripture Classes Start
9:15 AM	Meeting with parents of elementary students in Ambrose Hall
5:00 PM	Special mass for Teens and Parents to kick off Youth Ministry programs
Tues 15 Sept	First RCIA class will meet in conference room C; 7:00-8:30 PM
Wed 16 Sept 6:30 PM	Adult education class meets in Rooms A/B. This will be a nine week study of various World Religions and major Christian Denominations.
Sat 19 Sept	Youth Ministry sponsored Christian Music Concert ; 7:00—10:00 PM
Sun 20 Sept	Men's Club sponsored Breakfast after the Sunday masses.
Sun 20 Sept 9:15 –11:00 AM	Mandatory meeting for all <u>PARENTS</u> of those who will be candidates for FIRST RECONCILIATION later this fall. Do not bring children to this meeting.
23-26 Sept	First round of time slots for the new parish directory.
Thurs 24 Sept	Choir practice resumes at 7:00 PM
Sun 27 Sept 9:15-11:00 AM	Mandatory meeting for <u>Parents</u> and those <u>teens</u> who are candidates for Confirmation in the spring of 2010.
Sun 4 Oct	Life Chain in Belpre on Washington Blvd: Washington County Right to Life
Mon 5 Oct	Our next Parish Council meeting moves to OCTOBER 5th due to a conflict with a deanery meeting on the 28th



The new, official **ST. AMBROSE SHIRT** will soon be available from the CWC — The right thing to wear for all our church projects. They will soon be taking orders.

People to Contact:

- **Parish Council *** Lynn Pierce 678-8344
- Religious Education Joan Smith 374-0848
- Youth Ministry Tim Wise 863-9244
- Retreat House Sr. Mariel Kreuziger 667-0100
- Music Ministry Vernola Augenstein 423-8344
- CWC Marsha Hutson 304-489-2961
- Men's Club Bill Mills 678-2053
- Prayer Share [Men] Charlie Wilsbacher 423-6475
- Prayer Share [Women] June Logue 423-7364
- Prayer Line 989-2615 / 423-7364 / 989-2831 / 423-9784
- Parish Partners Pat - 423-9784 Sue - 423-5260
- * **Other Council Members:** ; R. Cleveland; J. Hall; D Segrest
R Macchia; L. Pierce; C Kubala; J Bowe, R Rauch

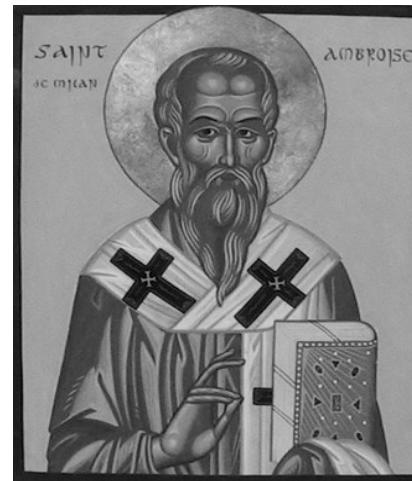
Know someone hurting after an abortion? Call 1-877-HOPE-4-ME or visit their web site at www.rachelsvineyard.org. A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat will be held in Steubenville Oct 23-25.

Don't forget the Christmas shoe boxes! Our goal is to fill at 150 again this year. The boxes and the small donated items can be placed in the Gathering Area. New items only. It cost \$4.00 to ship each box so we will gladly accept cash donations also.

**Your contributions for
Sept 5/6
\$ 4121**

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 & Wed: 6:00 pm
Holy Days as announced in bulletin
Reconciliation:
Saturdays 4:10 - 4:40 pm
1st Sunday of month 7:10 - 7:40 am
10:10 - 10:40 am



Parish Offices: 740-423-7422
Pastor: Fr Bob Gallagher
Parish Secretary: Vernola Augenstein
For routine parish business or to inquire about renting Ambrose Hall, call weekdays from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm, **except Thurs. when Parish offices are closed.**
Rectory Phone: 740-
FAX: 740-423-4776
Web site: www.stambroseohio.org

Sacred Heart Retreat House:

Contact Sr. Mariel 740-667-0100

Religious Education:

- Pre-K through 6th: Sundays 9:15-10:45
- EDGE [7&8th] and LIFETEEN [9 - 12th] Sundays 6:00 - 7:30 pm
- Adults: as scheduled in bulletin
- RCIA: Tuesday at 7:00 pm
- Confirmation class: 2nd Sundays 9:15
Contact Joan Smith 740-374-0848

Marriage: See pastor 6 months prior for counseling

Baptism: Parents must attend class before scheduling

Choir Practice: Thursdays; 7:00 pm

Men's Prayer : 1st /3rd Sun 7:00 pm

Women's Prayer: see bulletin

Parish Council: see bulletin for meeting time
Contact Lynn Pierce 740-678-8344