

WEEK OF JANUARY 16, 2012

MONDAY	12:10	Communion Service
TUESDAY	12:10	Mass
WEDNESDAY	12:10	Mass
THURSDAY	12:10	Communion Service
FRIDAY	12:10	Dorothy Ferguson (anniversary)

SATURDAY ST. RAPHAEL - JANUARY 21, 2012

4:30	Michael Maloney Tom Dunn Barbara Berry (anniversary)
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SUNDAY ST. RAPHAEL - JANUARY 22, 2012

8:30	Bob Shobe (2 nd anniversary) Joseph G. Wilson
11:00	For All Parishioners

SUNDAY ST. JOSEPH - JANUARY 22, 2012

8:00	Anna Ray Richard D. McLendon (7 th anniversary)
10:30	Anna E. Laengle (birth remembrance) Mary Kenney Roberts (CCHS 1948) Boris Mehoff (CCHS 1948)

ST. RAPHAEL - JANUARY 21 - 22, 2012

SERVERS	4:30	Kolin Hope, Dominic DeWitt
LECTORS	4:30	Jim Marshall, John Shanahan
DISTRIBUTORS	4:30	Karen Lyons, George Combs, Ellie Marshall, Eva Lazear, Carolyn Fleming, Gail Reinheimer, Rebecca McCutcheon

SERVERS	8:30	Caleb Deerwester, Elly Deerwester
LECTORS	8:30	Judy Butcher, Sam Juergens
DISTRIBUTORS	8:30	Carrie Juergens, Eric Juergens, Dave & Sharon Deerwester, Joe Leep, Jerry Stumpff, Judy Wolfenbarger

SERVERS	11:00	Kara Lough, TJ McLean
LECTORS	11:00	Beth Robey, Julienne Skinner
DISTRIBUTORS	11:00	Garnett Purnell, Jordan Lough, Christine Lough, Barb McBlane, Lisa Chiles, Willie J. Young, Ed LaTour, John Blumenshine, Lori Clark, Brenda Demeter

ST. JOSEPH - JANUARY 22, 2012

SERVERS	8:00	MacKenzie Taylor, Adelaide Taylor
LECTORS	8:00	Jan Wallace, Rebecca Wilson
DISTRIBUTORS	8:00	Shawn Taylor, Katie Taylor, Robert Gutierrez

SERVERS	10:30	George Hiller, Tom Holt
LECTORS	10:30	Theresa Fish, TC Storer
DISTRIBUTORS	10:30	Steve Gordin, Cheryl Bush, Cathy Keifer, Dan Hopper, Judy Hopper, Jill Reid

OFFERTORY - JANUARY 22, 2012

8:00	James and Patricia Baise
10:30	Lori and Brock Burcham

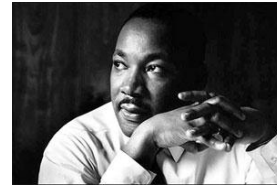
FUNERAL GREETERS FOR JANUARY 2012

Carole Ryan and Judy Wolfenbarger

Weekly Collection Updates

	St. Joseph	St. Raphael
Collections Needed each week	\$ 6,058.00	\$ 10,193.00
January 8, 2012	\$ 7,234.25	\$ 13,001.50
Year-to-date Totals	\$ 174,015.50	\$ 299,883.02
Year-to-date Shortage (surplus)	(\$4,773.50)	(\$ 14,791.02)
Children's Collection	4 envelopes \$ 4.00	12 envelopes \$ 27.70

May God bless your stewardship!



**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE
CLOSED ON MONDAY
JANUARY 16TH
IN OBSERVANCE OF
THE BIRTHDAY OF
MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.**

~ YEAR END STATEMENT FOR 2011 ~

The yearend contribution statements for 2011 will be made available by request only, beginning January 13, 2012. Please use the request form below, or call the business office at 323-7523 between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday through Friday. You may mail your request form or put it in the collection basket. **Please allow ten days for processing.** Due to privacy concerns, we will not fax or email your statement. You are reminded that cash donations cannot be posted or tracked.

Thank you for your stewardship in 2011.

**MAIL OR DROP IN THE CONTRIBUTION BASKET
2011 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT REQUEST**

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
ENVELOPE # _____
PARISH (circle one): St. Joseph St. Raphael

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

~ Calendar of Events ~

TODAY –Sunday, January 15, 2012

High School Activity – “Catholic Jeopardy”

9:30 am, St. Raphael Parish Center Cafeteria

High School Annual Bowling Event

3:00-4:45 p.m., Shamrock Lanes

High School Pizza Party

4:45-6:00 pm St. Joseph Gym

Monday, January 16, 2012

Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday Observed

Parish Office Closed

Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration

2:00 pm, - United Senior Services, Pitzer Center

101 S. Fountain Ave.

Bible Study

7:30 p.m., St. Joseph Parish Center

Tuesday, January 17, 2012

Springfield Catholic Social Action Committee Gathering

7:00 p.m., St. Bernard Church, rectory basement

Fridays, February 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2012

St. Joseph-St. Raphael Rainbow Table Service

St. John Church, call Vicki & Steve Fourman at 324-1878

Saturday, February 18, 2012

Coffee House

After 4:30 Mass, St. Raphael Hoban Hall, (church undercroft)

~ IN CASE OF WEATHER ALERTS ~

WHEN IT SNOWS: When bad weather occurs throughout the winter please check WDTN, (NBC Dayton) before 9:00 am. It will be posted as the alert messages are run across the bottom of the screen. You can also check our website at www.josephraphael.org. It will be posted on the home page. If CCD is not cancelled but it is unsafe for you to drive from your area please use your discretion.



If there is a level 3 snow emergency all Masses, services and activities will be cancelled. On lower levels, please use caution and prudence in deciding whether to go out or not.

Father Caylor

VOCATION INITIATIVE
MOUNT ST. MARY'S SEMINARY
JANUARY 25, 2012

The evening begins with Mass at 5:20 pm, followed by dinner, and ends with a talk and information session. Those wishing to attend the Vocation Night should call Father Kyle Schnippel at 513-421-3131, ext. 2890.

YOUTH FORMATION

HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES IN 2012

“CATHOLIC JEOPARDY”

TODAY, SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2012

9:30 am In the St Raphael Parish Center Cafeteria

presented by the high school care team. What were they thinking!!!! You saw how much fun “**Are You Smarter Than A Catholic 5th Grader**” or else you missed out but that was just the warm up! Presented by our High School Core Team please join us for Schuler’s Donuts as we gather to have some fun. Don’t worry no one will be put on the spot. Great fun together!

For more information call Sylvia Gonzalez at 360-7116, Deacon Norm 323-7523 or nhorstman@catholicweb.com or face book either one of us.

HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL BOWLING EVENT TODAY, SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2012



Plan to join us for great bowling, fun & Pizza together. Only \$5 covers bowling, shoes & pizza and icy cold beverages. Plan to be there!

3 - 4:45 Shamrock Lanes

4:45 - 6pm Pizza Party at St Joseph Gym



Mark your calendars now! For more information call Teresa Fish 346-3492, Sylvia Gonzalez at 360-7116, or Deacon Norm 323-7523 or

nhorstman@catholicweb.com or face book any of us.

ADULT FORMATION

LITURGICAL MINISTERS ~ The new schedule for January 21st through April 29th has been emailed and mailed out. If you did not receive your schedule please contact Patty Larger at 323-7523 or plarger@catholicweb.com.

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. **CELEBRATION, TOMORROW, JANUARY 16TH**

Father Bill Kramer will be the **featured speaker** at United Senior Services beginning at **2:00 pm in the Pitzer Center, 101 S. Fountain Ave.** The program also includes song, a documentary and reflections about the slain civil rights leader. The public is invited to attend and refreshments will be served. The event is co-sponsored by the African-American Community Fund Advisory Committee of the Springfield Foundation.



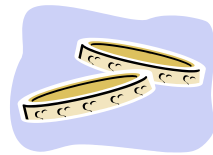
WINTER BIBLE STUDY SESSION-

"This is what Yahweh asks of you: only this, to act justly, to love tenderly and to walk humbly with your God" Micah 6:8.

The book of Micah is one of the 3 books that will be covered in our **Monday evenings Bible Study at St. Joseph Parish Center**. The Bible Study team will be presenting the books of Amos, Hosea and Micah. Come and Israel's early prophets offer a glimpse into the struggle to remain faithful to the covenant. These messengers of God continue to challenge people to live their faith in tangible ways. Questions? Call Edith Connell 322-9429.

COFFEEHOUSE ~ Mark your calendar

to come to the next Coffeehouse at St. Raphael - Hoban Hall after the 4:30 Mass. The **next one scheduled is February 18, 2012**. Bring your favorite casserole or "dish" to share and enjoy dessert, coffee or tea, while listening to musicians play music to inspire you. If you have any questions or for more information please call John Lippolis at 390-9725.



2012 GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Couples celebrating their **50th Wedding Anniversary** may join in a Mass at two locations this year.

Saturday, April 14, 2012 at 2:00 p.m., Reverend Lawrence Mierenfeld will be the principal celebrant at **Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, Dayton**, for those parishes located in Mercer, Auglaize, Logan, Shelby, Darke, Miami, Clark, Champaign, Preble, Montgomery and Greene counties. Couples celebrating their **Golden or Silver, 60th, 70th, or 75th Wedding Anniversary during 2012** should notify the parish office by **February 18, 2012**.

RITE OF ACCEPTANCE:

Last Sunday, St. Joseph/St. Raphael parish celebrated the Rite of Acceptance at the 11:00 Mass with **19 participants** from our RCIA program. This Rite acknowledges both the participants' acceptance of God's call upon their lives and our parish's acceptance of them into the life of our community. Everyone looks for acceptance. It is good to feel a part of something. We formally welcome to our community our Catechumens who are preparing for baptism: Jake Damron, Taylor Dowdy, Tristen Ervin, Cathy Fink, Sherry Harkless, Stacey Lewis, Debra Sarven, Jan Sturgeon, Jayson Sturgeon, Max Sturgeon, and Mandeleigh Taylor, *and* our Candidates who are already one with us in baptism: Anthony Barbarino, Terry Evans, Nesta Harris, Karlee Jeffers, Dennis Latimer, Melissa Lazear, Melissa Medrano, and Brandye Taylor. Please keep them in your prayers, and welcome them into our faith community.



STEWARDSHIP
TIME TALENT AND TREASURE

Please remember to return all items to the Giving Tree. We will continue to take donations through January before we deliver our gifts to The Parent Infant Center.

Volunteer Needed: St. Joseph Church needs vacuumed on a regular bases, especially at the entrances when salt is brought in on the carpet. If you feel called to this ministry, please, call Shirley, 322-8335, to volunteer.

ST VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY COUNCIL AND CONFERENCE

The ST Vincent DePaul Society Council and Conference members want to thank you, so very much, for your help and support with our Christmas Baskets. The financial contributions, sorting of can goods, moving these items, taping boxes, preparation of the baskets and finally distribution day was truly a blessing. We handed out 1,250 Christmas baskets, in JESUS name, to families who might have gone without. We could not have done it without all of the great help we received. Those Christmas baskets made, everyone who was involved, believe that it is "BETTER TO GIVE THEN RECEIVE". GOD BLESS ALL OF YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES IN THIS NEW YEAR. Please plan on doing this again next Christmas.

SPRINGFIELD CATHOLIC SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

The Springfield Catholic Social Action Committee will meet on **Tuesday January 17th at 7:00 PM at St. Bernard Church in the basement of the rectory (please enter through the garage)**. The Committee will consider local, state, national and international issues in light of Catholic Social Teaching. Planning will begin for a guided session: Two Feet of Christian Love in Action. And we will hear about a recommendation to establish a Legislative Advocacy Network. Agenda items include housing discrimination, crime, abortion, death penalty, immigration and more. For more information please phone Marilyn Demma, 399-9557, or Deacon John Collins, 323-7523.

~ RAINBOW TABLE ~

To continue our community support, we need volunteers **every Friday in February** at St. John Lutheran Church. Volunteers are welcome to work **any time**-period that fits into their schedule from **9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**, to help serve and clean up (please use back entrance). For more information or to volunteer you may call **Vicki & Steve Fourman at 324-1878**.

TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Christmas Flower Contributions

We are very grateful for your kind contributions to our Christmas Flower Fund. As a result of your continued generosity, we collected \$553 parish-wide to offset the cost of altar flowers. Below is an additional listing of contributions and remembrances. If we have omitted or improperly listed anyone, please let us know.

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“May They Rest in Eternal Peace”

Contributors

In Memory Of:

Anonymous	Gus, Sue, and Denita Lippolis
Anonymous	John, Margaret, & Joe Malowney
Anonymous	Deceased Members of Wife's & Husband's Families
Anonymous	Deceased Members of the Ross Family
Anonymous	Florence & Larry Schutte
Linda & John Klenke	Amos Fitzwater
Larry E. Spicer	Amos Fitzwater
Larry E. Spicer	Eldon & Betty Spicer
Lizza Family	Deceased Members of the Lizza & Minnick Family
Ivy Mammolite	Rudy Mammolite
Jeanne C. Miller	James L. Miller & George M. Williams Families
Chet Severyn	Rosemary Severyn