THIS WEEK AT SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON MASS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

Monday, January 15, 2018, Weekday

Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16-17, 21, 23; Mk 2:18-22

9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions 11:30 a.m. NO MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

12:15 p.m. NO MASS

6:30 p.m. Credit Union Meeting, Arkins Conference Room

Tuesday, January 16, 2018, Weekday

Sm16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28

9:00 a.m. MASS: Sam Mondello MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions

7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study, Kazel and Arkins Conference Rooms

Wednesday, January 17, 2018, Saint Anthony, Abbot

Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1-2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6

9:00 a.m. MASS: Sylvia Dietrich
11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)
12:15 p.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions

7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Arkins Conference Room

7:00 p.m. PTO Meeting, Eymard Room

Thursday, January 18, 2018, Weekday

Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-14; Mk 3:7-12

9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions

11:30 a.m. MASS: (St. Ann Shrine)

8:00 p.m. Athletic Association Meeting, Eymard Room

Friday, January 19, 2018, Weekday

Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19

9:00 a.m. MASS: Parishioner Intentions

11:30 a.m. MASS: Mary Preseren (St. Ann Shrine)

Saturday, January 20, 2018, Weekday

Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21

9:00 a.m. MASS: +Maria Tromba4:30 p.m. MASS: James Gluss5:30 p.m. Arise Sign-up, Narthex

Sunday, January 21, 2018, THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-9; Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20

8:00 a.m. MASS: +Fannie Leonetti 8:00 a.m. Blood Drive, Eymard Room 9:00 a.m. Arise Sign-up, Narthex 10:00 a.m. MASS: Antonio DiPaolo 12:00 p.m. MASS: Ted Tonti 7:00 p.m. MASS: Khoa Nguyen

KEY FOR MASS INTENTIONS:

+ - Indicates the person is deceased (please let us know when you arrive)

(Anniversary) - indicates the anniversary date of marriage, death, ordination
(Birthday) - indicates the person's birthday/date we are remembering at Mass

We give thanks to God for our many blessings; the Blessed Sacrament Community thanks you in advance for "offering" a Mass, a gift to the priests to support them in their ministry from your many blessings. A Mass intention is a great way to remember someone, living or deceased, to celebrate many different occasions, beginning with the "source & summit" of our life, the Eucharist!

If you have requested the Mass, we invite you to sit in the pew by the credence (gift) table and process forward with the bread and wine to begin the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Sitting at the gift table in the narthex is the cue for the ushers and presiders that you are willing to offer the gifts of bread & wine on behalf of the community.

LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS & HEARING DEVICES:

These are available for your assistance during Mass. See the communion ministers in the sacristy for a special host to be used during Communion. See the musicians for the hearing devices to support your active listening during the Mass.

SAVE THE DATES

- WEEKDAY MASS NOTE: Your gathering as church helps us grow as the Body of Christ – never alone in faith. Join us and bring a friend to the following Masses – as a reminder:
 - o 9:00 a.m. Monday through Saturdays
 - 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday (Saint Ann Shrine, north wing of the campus)
 - 12:15 p.m. Monday through Wednesdays (church chapel) and ministers, sacristans needed
- MLK HOLIDAY: Monday, January 15: One Mass at 9:00 a.m. Shrine, Chapel and office are closed in observance.
- BLOOD DRIVE: Sunday, January 21, 8:30 a.m.- 1:30 p.m., Eymard Room
- SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL: Tuesday, January 23, 7:00 p.m., Billiart Room
- CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEEK: Sunday, January 28 Sunday, February 4
 - Sunday, January 28: 8 Noon: Pancake Breakfast, courtesy of the Athletic Association
 - Sunday, January 28: 10 a.m. Special School Mass with Angel Signers
 - o Sunday, February 4: Noon Special PSR Mass followed by Pizza Party
- TAIZE PRAYER HOLY HOUR: Tuesday, January 30, 7:00 p.m. in church
- BLESSING OF THROATS: Saturday, February 3, after 9:00 a.m. Mass
- **SUPER SUNDAY MASS:** Sunday, February 4, 7 p.m. we always have this Mass during the Super Bowl! Come enjoy the feast of LIFE.
- **LITURGY COMMISSION:** Monday, February 5, 7:30 p.m. in the Parlor
- **FINANCE COUNCIL:** Tuesday, February 13, 7:00 p.m. in the Saint Julie Billart Room. Mardi Gras theme meeting!
- ASH WEDNESDAY: February 14: 6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Masses, Service of the Word at 4:00 p.m.
- PARISH LENTEN MISSION: February 25 28 with Fr. Tom McCarthy OSA
- SPRING FLING: May 17 20
- DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN CHILDREN:
- ASH WEDNESDAY: February 14: 6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
 Masses, Service of the Word at 4:00 p.m.
- PARISH LENTEN MISSION: February 25 28 with Fr Tom McCarthy OSA
- **SPRING FLING:** May 17 20

PROVIDE A MEANINGFUL LEGACY GIFT

CONSIDER DONATING STOCKS AND/OR BONDS

Your charitable giving goals to support Saint Paschal Baylon can be met with the donation of stocks and/or bonds. Sometimes donating appreciated stock can be more advantageous to you financially than donating cash, due to certain tax advantages. Your personal financial planner can help you in this area. Saint Paschal Baylon is happy to assist you in making a transfer of appreciated stocks, which in turn will benefit others for years to come. For more information, call Barb DiTurno in the Advancement Office at 440-442-3410 ext. 112.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING DECEASED PARISHIONERS:

Frank Kuchta, Edith Miller, Ann Gable, Joseph Lever, Luigi Bucci, Elene Kundrach, Genevieve Dipenti, John Engoglia, Michael DiFranco

COMMUNITY AT PRAYER

An important ministry of our parish's life is prayer – whether at home, in the car or through the commitment of witnessing here in our Blessed Sacrament Chapel through the bands/hours of prayer Monday thru Thursdays from 7 a.m. until (some days) Midnight. During Advent we celebrated that we are "waiting people," people on vigil until the LORD return's in glory. It may also be helpful to note a powerful paragraph from the Aggregation of the Blessed Sacrament (lay branch of the Eymardian family) at is *Rule of Life* #8:

The Prayer of Contemplation and Adoration

In a prayer of contemplation and adoration of Christ in the Eucharist, Solemnly exposed or in the tabernacle, we prolong the grace of the Mystery celebrated, Intensifying our union with Christ so as to become with him and like him, bread broken for a new world. Insofar as we can, we commit ourselves to personal Eucharistic adoration, whether monthly, weekly or daily. This prayer is part of our mission and holds an important place in our lives. The method of prayer taught by Saint Peter Julian Eymard is inspired by the celebration of the Eucharist.

Please help us by committing in the New Year to one of the following times:

- Mondays: 11:00 a.m. or 2:00 p.m.
- Tuesdays: 11:00 a.m., Noon. (around the Mass time), 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., or 3:00 p.m.
- Wednesdays: 11:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 3:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m.
- Thursdays: 10:00 a.m. (for the full hour), 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., 3:00 p.m. It is so helpful to have 2 people per hour so bring a friend!

ENDOWMENT FUND

We would like to thank the following people who have donated to the Endowment fund so far:

Marco lacovetta

THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO SAINT PASCHAL LANE

Christine Paternite

GIFTS PROGRAM DONATIONS

GIFTS (**GIVING IS FUNDAMENTAL TO SUCCESS!**) Receiving the GIFTS Annual Appeal – making up the difference between amount we request for tuition versus the actual cost for each student. Now more than ever, a donation to SPB is an investment in the future of our church – our dear young people. We thank this folks you have already contributed to the GIFTS Annual Appeal:

Jane M.Federico Jeffrey and Cecelia Gueulette Michael and Barbara Rossi Kathleen Conkey Marco Jacovetta Dr. Michael and Dr. Barbara Rowane Lawrence and Barbara Mlynek Joseph and Judith Seiler Dr. and Mrs. Thomas J. King Stephen and Marie Engstrom

CLOWN/HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

Our Clown and Helping Hands Ministry has been so blessed in this parish for so many years. The parish volunteers, PSR, Day School and the local community have helped us reach out to so many more needy and homeless people. What always strikes me, and has put tears in my eyes, is that every year one of our children (either PSR or Day School) has donated a birthday or Christmas gift to the Helping Hands ministry, for a needy child who otherwise, would not receive one. I am so proud to announce that Lily has made that generous gift this year and as is said, "Whatever you do for the least of my brothers and sisters, you do for Me". She surely put a smile on a young person's face. God bless you, Lily and thank you.

Our ministry was featured in the weekly Sun Messenger. The article explained how our parish reaches out to those in need. That same week, Channel 3 traveled with our Knight Riders and shared a moving story on how our Knight Riders, despite the cold weather conditions, sought out those in tents, living in the woods and at other locations. As Rick Costanzo said, "We are doing God's work." You could see the gratitude on the faces of the homeless individuals as our volunteers explained that they are not only loved by members of our ministry, but most importantly, by God. God has truly blessed us with so many loving and giving volunteers. God bless you all and thank you very much. GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME. ALL THE TIME GOD IS GOOD.

THE JOURNEY . . . A WAY TO DEEPEN YOUR EXPERIENCE OF JESUS

Because of the success of the ARISE Program, the Spiritual Formation Committee of St. Clare and St. Paschal Baylon is again offering an opportunity to join small faith sharing groups. Our new program, entitled THE JOURNEY is a six week program of sharing, prayer, and reflection that can help everyone – active parishioner or not – grow in faith.

THE JOURNEY brings us into contact with those who knew and encountered Jesus. Through videos and sharing, their experience becomes real in our day. . . in our personal lives . . . in our relationships with God and others. Each participant will receive a book which contains faith sharing materials, consisting of prayer, scripture readings, reflections and faith sharing questions. The cost of the six week program is \$10.00 which covers the cost of the book. Registrations will be taken each weekend from January 20-February 4. If you have any questions or would like further information, call Barb Curran @ 440-840-5511 or Rosalie Lewis @ 440-227-8718. Take your Lenten Journey with Jesus!

WE COUNT ON YOU!

December 23/24 – 4th Sunday of Advent

4:30 p.m. Saturday: 629
9:00 a.m. Sunday: 379
11:00 a.m. Sunday: 298

December 24/25 - Christmas (Sunday/Monday)

4:00 p.m. Sunday: 1150
7:00 p.m. Sunday: 468
10:00 p.m. Sunday: 537
9:00 a.m. Monday: 298
11:00 a.m. Monday: 470

December 30/31 – Holy Family

• 4:30 p.m. Saturday 469 (with 2 baptisms)

9:00 a.m. Sunday 25611:00 a.m. Sunday 327

FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE



2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time: We begin our "counted" or "ordered" time again with the church liturgical year Sundays. We know that the word "ordinary" comes from the Latin which means these things. However, all these words, ordinary, counted and ordered are quite appropriate as we begin this first segment of this part of our liturgical year and focus on our scriptures this Sunday. Our call from God is all of the above – and quite extraordinary – for we each hear God working in our lives and respond in special ways. Our ordinary routines of living our faith may not seem that special, but God

counts on us to be extra special in bringing people to discover the Lamb of God. We all have a role in this "vocation ministry," helping others see that Jesus is part of their lives, especially non-believers. We invited over and over, in the ordinary ways of living our life, others to see the faith that God puts in their lives and to respond to that faith. God counts on us to help others search and see. Let us renew our commitment to evangelize and share our faith and it starts by bringing people to share in our faith and even invite them to "come and see" our church and Eucharist.

Thank You Part 2: I am so grateful for the faithful disciples who participate in the life of this parish. This column is being written two weeks before its publication, so I'll have a more complete list for the January 21 bulletin. Here's another list of more people I thank for their disciples and service of SPB:

- Charlotte Bechara and her family for decorating the Fickel Narthex with the special nativity scene. (This took 3 days to build!)
- Sr. Angela, Celine, Jeff Pohlhammer, Steve Engstrom, and Steve Kuerbitz for their instrumental talents at Christmas, and the premiere of the special Christmas Proclamation at the 10:00 p.m. Mass. We especially thank Tony Ward, our music/liturgy minister for the two compositions that he wrote – the Roman Martyrology – two versions – especially the one that premiered at the Christmas Eve 10:00 p.m. Mass with "orchestra" and choir. Spectacular!
- All our musicians and singers who lent their talents to assist our liturgies.
- Roberta Modica, Bro Gary, Chris Berne and friends who led our caroling, cookies and coca.
- The ushers, lectors, altar servers and communion ministers who shared their time and talent for consecutive days and consecutive weekends.
- For your end of year donations to help us make our budget, catch up on our bills and purchase the extra rock salt that we are using.

Thoughts About Next Year's Holiday Schedule: Based on your comments received over the last nine years regarding our Christmas timetable, we came up with the schedule we used this year. As you know, we continuously keep attendance, monitor trends and have Christmas surveys. Additionally, the Pastoral Council, Liturgy Commission and Pastoral Staff will also weigh in on the decision-making process before we finalize plans for the next year. We constantly evaluate things to make improvements for all, especially the liturgical ministers, who without, we would not be able to do so much here at SPB. Your attendance shows your "vote" and we appreciate that it worked out so well this year.

Let's take a look in our crystal ball at a year from now and think about the following: We have four days in a row, two weeks in a row for celebrations: 4th Sunday of Advent, Christmas, Holy Family and Mary Mother of God. That's Masses on December 22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30, 31 & January 1. What would be

helpful to your family celebration? Did you like the Sunday "merged" times? Too confusing? Helpful? I know many of us are creatures of habit, but our routines change during the holidays, too, where nothing is "normal" during this two-week period.

Sadly, we know that as a church, even in synagogues and mosques, attendance is down with people celebrating their faith. Perhaps we have taken hold too much to the American values; too much of individualism and have lost the communal sense of our faith and the Body of Christ. Perhaps there are so many other cultural factors. Whatever they may be, we appreciate that so many do continue the tradition of worship as part of their family, and even bring visiting family members and friends to our parish. It's always such a joy meeting so many people. For example: Wasn't that a great couple of baptisms at the 4:30 p.m. Mass on Saturday, December 30? They were former parishioners now living in LA who were in town visiting. We love having families come back to the home of SPB and we still do encourage this return to the place of weddings, baptisms and funerals. These celebrations are to support our families and SPB is made up of great ones!

<u>Blessing Candles on Friday, February 2:</u> Time to start planning ahead for our annual blessing of candles on the Feast of the Presentation of the LORD. It's also the school Mass for Catholic School's week. I look forward to celebrating with you at 9:00 a.m. Yes, you may bring all your scented candles and the ones you have for your family altar and offering tables, too.

Mailing the Financial Statements: Based on some suggestions from the Pastoral Council and Finance Council, we will be mailing a financial statement and thank you note to all families who donated to SPB in 2017. We are grateful for your tithing! I must admit – and hope you know – that I do not see the amount you donate. I know my name is on the letter – but I do not sit and sift through all the letters and parishioner names to notice such a detail of your financial record. Included with the financial statement is our 2016-2017 budget statement: you will see how we use the resources given to use to our benefit. Thank you for always making sure we are financially sound as the leaders of the parish take seriously their commitment to be good stewards of the many gifts offered to God out of love. Part of our Pastoral Plan was to be more transparent. This is another way we show this and keep you informed of the many wonderful things that occur here at SPB due to your generosity.

<u>SPB Travelers Bus Trip:</u> Come enjoy a day with fellow parishioners and friends of SPB with some culture and downtown living with a casino too! Leave the driving to us! Our next trip will be to the remodeled Cleveland History Museum (part of the Western Reserve Historical Society). We will see the new exhibit on Cleveland's history, ride the Euclid Beach Carousel and then travel to Tower City for lunch, shopping, casino or movie time, or just enjoying the revitalized Public Square and downtown. Plan on <u>Tuesday, February 20</u> for this special day together on a bus ride to University Circle and downtown. Sign up at the front desk of the parish offices.

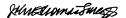
Pray for Ecumenism:

One of the hallmarks of the Second Vatican Council was our church making an effort to work with other Christian churches (and also interfaith – but this is another issue and column). The annual octave for Christian Unity has been celebrated since 1908 - so 110 years now, ending on the feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul, January 25. As we begin another week this Thursday, January 18, let us pray for our continued attempts at working together as Christians – Orthodox and other Protestant churches. "That all may be one in Christ!" And it is also part of the SSS *Rule of Life* that we continue to work for the healing of the Body of Christ.

You make everything possible because of your incredible generosity to Saint Paschal Baylon! I am so grateful for the gift you are to the parish and to me.

Let us continue to pray for each other!

In Christ our Eucharist,



Reverend John Thomas Lane, SSS

Pastor

STEWARDSHIP

We are God's faithful stewards, giving our time, talent and treasure back to our God through the faith community of SPB! We thank you for being part of this Body of Christ and for serving God here with us and out Pastoral Staff and the hundreds of volunteers who serve daily here at SPB.

Religious Retirement Collection: \$6,275.00 (Thanks for your generosity to the sisters, brothers, Deacon Joe and religious priests here at SPB and across the country!)

Some of this week's bills:

•	Monthly lease on the tractor	\$1,277.93
•	Altar wine for the month	\$333.60
•	Monthly paper for the office copier	\$432.97
•	Phone & Internet monthly bill for parish	\$199.99
•	School phone line	\$54.85
•	Security internet line	\$149.88
•	Bi-weekly hosts for Mass	\$130.45
•	Pensions for staff at Templeton	\$2,587.14
•	Diocesan assessment (monthly)	\$11,121.00
•	Property & casualty insurance (monthly)	\$4,444.07
•	Health benefits for staff (monthly)	\$23,510.50
•	Diocese of Cleveland Pensions for staff	\$10,804.63

Thanks for helping us pay down our loans too!

School, gym and O'Brien Hall Roofs \$131,610.10
Saint Paschal Lane \$163,097.42

TOTAL DEBT at the end 11/30/2017: \$294,707.52

2018 SPRING FLING CORNER

2018 Spring Fling Update - Dateline St. Paschal Baylon, Highland Heights 41°31′58.49″N, 81°28′38.36″W, elevation 1,019 feet. Have you marked your calendars with this year's festival dates, May 17th - 20th? We are only 123 days away from the start of this year's festival. We have again resurrected Father Lane's "good weather" candle (once we thaw it out) and brought back one of our staff meteorologists, Wayne O'Shine. In the next few weeks we will start unveiling our 2018 Festival schedule as well as the launch the 2018 sponsor/patron booklet. If interested in seeing what goes on behind the scenes, we can still use a few *New Faces* to join our core committee. Contact Bob Mastrangelo via e-mail at bgmastrangelo@gmail.com or by phone at 440.442.2854 for additional information.

PSR AND OTHER NEWS FROM THE PEKO'S

No PSR 1/15: Due to Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, there will be no PSR on Monday, January 15th. Enjoy the time with your families!

Night Prayer 1/29: Our 5th grade will lead us in Night Prayer on Monday, January 29th at 7:10pm in the Church. PSR parents, please join us! If you cannot join us, please remember that pick up will be from the Church that evening.

INFANT BAPTISM CLASSES OFFERED: If you are interested in getting your child who is under the age of 7 baptized, please contact George and Anna Peko at (440) 442-3410 ext. 107 or psr@saintpaschal.com to sign up for a course on baptism. The next class is Sunday, January 21st, following the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

CONFIRMATION: Our next Confirmation session is Sunday, January 21^{st} at 9:00 a.m. We will all attend 10:00 a.m. Mass together following our session. Please make sure that your child brings a pen, their textbook and their red Confirmation folder to each session. Each Candidate should provide the white "Official Confirmation Registration" form (found in the red Confirmation folder), a COPY of his/her baptismal certificate (even if the baptism occurred at SPB), and the Sponsor Letter from their sponsor's home parish. These THREE documents MUST be submitted in order to be Confirmed. All three documents are due at our next session on 1/21/18

SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Saint Paschal Baylon School is very proud of the creative writing talents of our junior high students. Three eighth graders and three seventh graders have won recognition in the 2018 Scholastic Writing Awards. Seventh grader Clare Valenza won the 2018 Gold Key Award for her work entitled "The Guardian" in the Short Story category. The Gold Key Award is given to writing that demonstrates the highest level of achievement in originality, personal voice, and technical skill. Her work will be forwarded to New York for national consideration. Eighth grader Julian Guggenheim won the 2018 Silver Key Award for his work entitled "Old Boys Home", eighth grader Abigail Lipold for her work entitled "Them", and eighth grader Crystal Yormick won for her work entitled "Lost". The Silver Key Award is given to writing that demonstrates achievement worthy of recognition at the regional level. Those students earning Honorable Mention are eighth grader Julian Guggenheim, eighth grader Crystal Yormick, seventh grader Samantha Mailer, and seventh grader Samantha Werbeck. Honorable Mention awards are given to writing demonstrating creative potential. These junior high students will be invited to a reception held at The Cleveland Institute of Art on Saturday, January 13, 2018. Since 1923, this national contest presented by the Alliance for Young Artists & Writers has recognized the creative talents of young adults in grades seven through twelve in 29 categories. Students across America submitted approximately 320,000 original works. The ability to delight in the written word and to hone a wellcrafted narrative is such a gift for these award-winning St. Paschal Baylon creative writers!

A Look Ahead:

- There is no school on Monday, January 15 -Martin Luther King Day.
- MAP testing continues this week for Kindergarten to 5th grade.
- High School Applications will be distributed on Tuesday, January 16 to all 8th grade students. Keep our 8th graders in your prayers as they continue to make decisions about their future. Applications are due on Friday, January 19.
- Ski Club hits the slopes on Tuesday after school.
- Our first semester Breakfast of Champions will be held on Wednesday, January 17. This breakfast is for students only and by invitation.
- Please join us for our school Mass on Wednesday.
- The Geography Bee Finals, GCCTM 5th grade practice, and Sign Language practice are after school on Wednesday, January 17.
- GCCTM 7th and 8th grade practices are on Thursday, January 18.
- Young Rembrandts meets on Friday, January 19 after school.

God Bless.

Carol L. Jansky, Principal

BREAKFAST TO HONOR OUR VETERANS: During Catholic Schools Week, Saint Paschal Baylon School would like to recognize and honor parishioners and family members who are veterans. In appreciation for their service, we cordially invite veterans to join us for a light breakfast following Mass on Monday, January 29 from 9:45-11:15 a.m. Please RSVP to the school office by calling 440-442-6766 or emailing office@saintpaschal.com.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

THE SAINT PASCHAL BAYLON PTO would like to invite you to a presentation by Dr. Dayna Nevar, a chiropractic neurologist in our community, on Wednesday, January 17th at 7:00 p.m. in the Eymard Room. The topic is "How the Environment Affects Brain Development" and is recommended for individuals or parents of those with ADD, ADHD, learning disabilities, memory challenges, autism, anxiety, difficulty with planning and organization. It will cover fundamentals of how the brain works, ways the environment shifts brain function and common symptoms related to changes in brain function.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST: Kick-off Catholic Schools Week with the SPBAA Annual Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, January 28th from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in O'Brien Hall. Tickets will be sold at the door and breakfast includes pancakes, French toast, sausage, bacon, and beverages. Costs are \$7 adults, \$5 juniors (ages 12-18), \$4 kids (under 12), or \$25 per family. Proceeds benefit all SPB student athletes.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: The women's Bible study will begin on Wednesday, January 31, 2018 in the St. Paschal rectory parlor. We will meet for 7 sessions every Wednesday from 7:00-8:45 p.m. Please join us for a Bible study called The Armor of God, which is based on the book of Ephesians. A brief description of the study is: All day, every day, an invisible war of evil rages around you -- unseen, unheard, yet felt throughout every aspect of your life. This battle plan succeeds when we Christians are unaware of it and remain inadequately armed. The Armor of God is more than a Biblical description of the Christian's inventory. It is an action plan for purposefully putting on your spiritual armor and developing a personalized strategy to secure victories over evil attacks. Each participant will need to purchase an Armor of God Bible study book at Lifeway.com for \$12.99 plus shipping OR at LifeWay Christian book store on Mentor Avenue in Mentor, also for \$12.99. Call or text Lee Costanzo at 216-409-9961 to sign up by January 24 or for comments or questions.

NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: Anyone 3rd grade on up who is able to hold candles or a cross is eligible to become an altar server, including high school and college students. Training will take place on the following Wednesdays, February 7, 14, 21 & 28 in church from 2:35 – 3:30 p.m. Please review the training video on our website now and sign up with our coordinator, Mary Browske: dbrowske@roadrunner.com or 440-473-0006. We also need funeral Mass servers (contact Andy Futey at 440-473-0485 to train and shadow).

FLOCK OF FRIENDSHIP: Singles: 40 and over, Information: (440) 442-3410 Membership is free. Events are social, volunteering and spiritual. E-mail address: flockfriends@yahoo.com All Saturdays of the month, we will assemble on the sidewalk in front of the Preterm abortion facility at 12000 Shaker Blvd at 9:30 a.m. and pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and meditate on three sets of mysteries of the Rosary. For more information call Jim at 440-944-1552. Friday, January 19th at 7:00 p.m. We will have our belated Christmas party at Molinari's, 8900 Mentor Ave. 44060. The website is molinaris.com where you can see their menu. Afterwards, the group will go to Malley's in the same shopping center for dessert. RSVP Karen at karendoubrava@sbcglobal.net Friday, January 26th at 7:00 p.m. Join us for our monthly game night at St. Paschals' Family Life Center. This is one of our best-attended events and is good for old and new members. Please bring a snack to share, money for pizza, and your favorite game. RSVP Jim at 440.227.9189 to let him know you are coming.

LIFESHARE BLOOD DRIVE: St. Paschal's will be having its next LifeShare Blood Drive next Sunday, January 21st, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Eymard Room. Whole blood donors who have not given since our November drive will be eligible to donate again at this time. Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments are encouraged. To maximize your benefit, please schedule online at www.lifesharedonor.org. Thank you!

AROUND THE DIOCESE

CAUSE OF LIFE! As 2018 begins, let us commit to participating in witnessing for the preborn baby, aged, disabled and unwanted members of the human family and do something for the cause of LIFE! Please attend some of these events and bring your families! Jan.14, 2018 Lake county Right to Life 2:00p.m. w/Silent protest. At 3:00 p.m. at St. Mary's School Gym <u>8540 Mentor Ave. Mentor, Oh 44060</u>. Jan.19 2018 National March for Life in Washington D.C.Buses leaving the Cleveland, Mentor -Willoughby area. January 22, 2018: St.John's Cathedral at10:00 a.m. Mass for the Preborn Baby. All are invited! January 23, 2018, Tuesday Youth Rally for Life: Meet downtown at the Free Stamp at noon. Schools are encouraged to send their student bodies to participate in this most important prolife witness. Hot chocolate and soup will be provided free of charge.

RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND - JANUARY 19-21, 2018

A Lifeline for Troubled Marriages: Has your marriage become unloving or uncaring – your relationship cold, distant – thinking about a separation or divorce? Then the Retrouvaille program may help. RETROUVAILLE (rediscovery), which is supported by the Catholic diocese of Cleveland, but open to couples of all faiths, consists of a weekend experience for couples and six follow up sessions. A registration fee of \$150 is required to confirm your reservation. For more information concerning the program, please call Marce or Liz Gliha at 440-357-6580 or go online to www.helpourmarriage.org.

PRE-CANA 2018 AT SAINT CLARE: The date for Pre-Cana at the Church of Saint Clare has been changed from March 10, 2018 to March 18, 2018. This is the last call for any parishioners of Saint Paschal Baylon Parish to register for Pre-Cana at Saint Clare. Please call the business office at (440) 449-4242, ext. 101, if you are interested.

ST. EDWARD HIGH SCHOOL: Congratulations to the following students, parishioners of St. Paschal Baylon, who received honors for the current grading period at St. Edward High School: Shane C. Barker, Garret B. Cowdery, Loan C. Nash, Lawson Nash, George Platko

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