



From the Pastor's Desk

Advent 2015

As we begin the Advent Season today, it is good to remember that "Advent has a two-fold character: it is a time of preparation for the Solemnities of Christmas, in which the First Coming of the Son of God is remembered, and likewise a time

when, by remembrance of this, minds and hearts are led to look forward to Christ's Second Coming at the end of time. For these two reasons, Advent is a period of devout and expectant delight."(Universal Norms for the Liturgical Year and the Calendar, 39).

May we embrace the message of hope that the people of the Old Testament heard through the prophets. With the models of John the Baptist and of Mary, may we discern the presence of our Savior in the world.

In today's bulletin you will find the schedule of services and masses for the Advent and Christmas Seasons. Please keep a copy for your planning.

Advent Penance Service for Pastoral Region 2015

The pastoral region Advent service takes place this week at St. Margaret Mary Church on **Tuesday, December 1 at 7:00 p.m.** At this service we welcome the children from both parishes who will make their First Reconciliation. There will be three priests available for sacramental confession.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development 2015

Thank you for your contributions to the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)! Your generous gifts will help CCHD end poverty in the United States through better education, improved housing, and economic development. Through CCHD and its beneficiaries, we demonstrate Catholic social teaching and carry out Jesus' mission to "bring glad tidings to the poor . . . to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free" (Lk 4:18)

Baptism

We welcome Brynn Marie Hilling, daughter of Josh & Shana (Gibbs) Hilling.
The Christian community welcomes you with great joy!

With Sympathy

Please pray for Michael Yacchari and Robert Stehlin whose masses of Christian burial were recently offered.
May they rest in peace.



OUR LADY OF GRACE
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

All School Mass
Tuesday, December 1st at 10:30 A.M.
Fr. Goebel - Presider

Lunch Menu

Due to early deadline we do not have menu.

Collection

Please see next week's bulletin due to holiday and early deadline. Thank you.

5200 Club

Week #9: Winner: Tony Holley
Seller: Mary Jane Holley
Ticket: 3347

These tickets make great gifts!

This Week in the Parish

Tuesday	12/01	Adult Basketball	6:00 P.M.
		Advent Penance Service at St. Margaret Mary	7:00 P.M.
Wednesday	12/02	Legion of Mary	9:15 A.M.
Saturday	12/05	Santa Breakfast	10:00 A.M.
		Santa Dinner	5:00 P.M.
Sunday	12/06	Santa Breakfast	10:15 A.M.

Calendar

The December event calendar will be in the December 6th bulletin. Due to holiday deadline it could not be put in this bulletin. Thank you.

Monday 8:30 A.M.	November 30 Bob & Mary Murphy
Tuesday 8:30 A.M.	December 1 Harold Hayden
Wednesday 8:30 A.M.	December 2 Communion Service
Thursday 8:30 A.M.	December 3 Communion Service
Friday 8:30 A.M.	December 4 Communion Service
Saturday 8:30 A.M. 4:00 P.M.	December 5 Marie Schlewinsky Angela Roetting
Sunday 9:00 A.M. 11:00 A.M.	December 6 Angie Wurzelbacher For the Parish

Santa Breakfast

Santa Breakfast 2015, December 5th and 6th will be here soon. On Saturday, December 5th, seating's are for breakfast at 10:00 AM and Dinner at 5:00 PM. On Sunday, December 6th, the seating is at 10:15 AM. Make plans now to attend this long standing tradition here at Assumption Church. For ticket information, please contact Suzanne Myers @ 513-522-5326. Volunteers are always needed. If you are interested please contact, Joni Brickweg @ 513-521-2871 or Teri Wilmes @ 513-825-0321.



Adoration & Benediction

Adoration & Benediction is held on the first Saturday of the month following the 8:30 A.M. mass.

Thank You!

The Ladies Sodality Bake Sale was a big success. Thanks to everyone for their support, especially those who donated baked goods. May God bless you all!

Bob Evans Fund Raiser

The December dates are Wednesday the 2nd, Thursday the 3rd and Friday the 4th. You can now use the flier at Colerain Ave. at I-275, North Bend Road at I-74, Brentwood and Kolb Dr. at Cincinnati Mills. Come have a great meal and help the Mt. Healthy Alliance.

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From Adam Couch Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation Sacraments Class Schedule (9:50 – 10:50 AM)

	Dec. 1	Dec. 6	Dec. 13
2 nd Grade	Penance Service	Class	Class
7 th Grade		Class	No Class

Advent Penance Service

A reminder to parents of children preparing to receive their 1st Reconciliation, the Advent Penance Service is **THIS Tuesday, December 1 at 7:00 PM at St. Margaret Mary Parish.** 1st Reconciliation will take place during the Penance Service. Families of the 7th graders preparing for Confirmation are encouraged to attend the Penance Service as well.

Advent Bible Study

Continue to join us on **Mondays at 9:00 AM** (following the 8:30 AM Mass) in the Religious Education Office (next to the church) as we discuss the upcoming Sunday readings and prepare for the birth of Christ! **Our next session is Tomorrow, November 30.** We will also meet December 7 & 14. A link to the recordings of the Bible Study can be found in the Assumption weekly email update.

Contact me at faithformation.assumption@gmail.com with questions/comments.

