



## From the Pastor's Desk

### 2017 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA) !

We thank everyone from Assumption Parish who has participated in the 2017 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Our pledges let us provide paths of hope through six important Catholic ministries right

here in our archdiocese.

Additionally, 50% of all pledges in excess of our parish goal will go to the support of our local outreach effort through our parish St. Vincent de Paul Conference., so please be as generous as you can. For more information and to pledge online, please visit CatholicAppeal.info. Thank you!

### Lenten Season and Ash Wednesday

The Lenten Season begins on **Wednesday, March 1** with the observance of Ash Wednesday. The schedule of masses for our pastoral region on March 1, Ash Wednesday:

**Assumption Church** 9:15 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

**St. Margaret Mary Church** 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Distribution of ashes will take place during each mass.

Join us as we enter this time of penance and renewal.

## This Week in the Parish

Monday	2/20 Prayer Group	12:30 P.M.
	Pastoral Council	7:00 P.M.
Tuesday	2/21 YAG Sports League	6:00 P.M.
Wednesday	2/22 Legion of Mary	9:15 A.M.
	Choir	7:30 P.M.
Saturday	Men's Group	8:30 A.M.
Sunday	2/26 The Prince of Egypt	Noon

## Anniversary Couples

Were you married in 1942 (75 years), 1947 (70 years), 1957 (60 years), 1967 (50 years), or 1992 (25 years)? If so, please call the parish office. Congratulations to all couples who are celebrating these and all wedding anniversaries.

## Collection

February 12<sup>th</sup> .....\$ 7,565.90

## 5200 Club

Week #21 Winner: Mary Schallick  
Seller: Same  
Ticket: 0397



OUR LADY OF GRACE  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## All School Mass

Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:30 A.M.

Fr. McCarthy – Presider

## Lunch Menu

Monday – No School

Tuesday – Chicken Crisпитos

Wednesday – Popcorn Chicken

Thursday – Grilled Cheese/Tomato Soup

Friday – Pizza Sticks



## St. Vincent de Paul

Next weekend is pantry re-stock weekend. All donations are appreciated. Items needed are toothpaste, toothbrushes, canned meat, canned vegetables and fruit, shampoo, deodorant and shampoo.

## Chili-Fest Tickets

Chili-fest tickets are on sale. Tickets are \$30.00 a couple. The big event is Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>. For tickets call Sally Hader @ 522-4776 or Peggy Stiens @ 522-0657.



## Mass Intentions

<b>Monday</b> 8:30 A.M.	<b>February 20</b> Patrick Neary
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:30 A.M.	<b>February 21</b> Fr. Francis Lammeier
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:30 A.M.	<b>February 22</b> Communion Service
<b>Thursday</b> 8:30 A.M.	<b>February 23</b> Communion Service
<b>Friday</b> 8:30 A.M.	<b>February 24</b> Communion Service
<b>Saturday</b> 4:00 P.M.	<b>February 25</b> Willard Lipps
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 A.M. 11:00 A.M.	<b>February 26</b> Robert & Margaret Staab For the Parish

## Annual Soup Supper

The annual soup supper will be Thursday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 P.M. in the Parish Center. Please join the Adult Faith Formation and Respect Life Groups from Assumption for dinner. After dinner, Paula Westwood from Cincinnati Right to Life will speak.

## Senior News

You are invited to a day trip to the Islamic Center on Wednesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>. Cost is \$50.00 per person and includes transportation, entrance to Islamic Center and lunch. Reservations must be in by March 1<sup>st</sup>. Send your check to Doris Wilke, 5180 Deeridge Lane, 45247. For more information, please call Doris at 521-5019.

## Casino Night at St. Margaret Mary

Casino Night at St. Margaret Mary is Saturday, February 25 from 7 – 11 p.m. in the Parish Activity Center. The cost is \$15 per person (age 21 or older) and includes beer, food and soft drinks.

## Sponsor of the Week

Ohio Living – Llanfair  
1701 Llanfair Avenue  
681-4230



## From Adam Couch

### Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation

#### Sacraments Class Schedule (9:50 – 10:50 AM)

	<b>Feb. 19</b>	<b>Feb. 26</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Communion	No Class	<b>CLASS</b>
Confirmation	<b>CLASS</b>	No Class

#### Confirmation Retreat

Confirmation parents, a friendly reminder to sign and return the Confirmation Retreat registration page that was mailed to your homes. Contact me with any questions regarding the retreat.

#### Movie @ Assumption – *The Prince of Egypt*

All are invited to a special showing of *The Prince of Egypt* on **Sunday, February 26** beginning at 12:05 pm in the Parish Center. This family-friendly animated movie (rated: PG) captures the biblical story of Moses from his infancy to the beginning of the Israelite's 40 years in the desert as they journey to the Promised Land and serves as a great way to prepare for our own 40 day journey of Lent which begins just 3 days later! Lunch, snacks, and beverages will be provided – all ages welcome!

#### Faith Night @ Fibonacci's

A Lenten 'Faith Night @ Fibonacci's' will be hosted on **Monday, March 6**, at Fibonacci Brewing Co. (1445 Compton Rd.) beginning at 7:00 PM. The presentation and table discussions will be on the New Commandment Jesus gave his disciples at the Last Supper: "As I have loved you, so you also should love one another". Join us for this lively evening of small group discussion and communal sharing as we journey together in this topic.

#### Save the Date – Lent Mission

Mark your calendars and invite your friends to this year's Lent Mission on **Sunday, March 12** and **Monday, March 13** beginning at 7:00 PM in Assumption church. Jeanne Hunt and Fr. Norm Langenbrunner will dynamically present these two evenings on the topics of Mercy and Forgiveness as they present "Leave the Lights On Parish Mission". We are very privileged and excited to have these two nationally renowned speakers and authors join us! This is a great opportunity to invite anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or returning to the Church, as it ties in well with our Leave the Lights ON evening on Tuesday, March 14 (7 – 9 PM, Assumption church).

Contact me at [faithformation.assumption@gmail.com](mailto:faithformation.assumption@gmail.com) with questions/comments.