



From the Pastor's Desk

2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

We thank everyone from Assumption Parish who has participated in the 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Our pledges let us impact the stories of thousands 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 the St. Vincent de Paul Conference here in our parish, so please be as generous as you can. For more information and to pledge online, please visit CatholicAppeal.info. Thank you!

The Light Is On For You:

On Tuesday, February 27, the initiative the **Light is On For You**, will be held throughout the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, as each Catholic parish (or church in a pastoral region) will have their doors open and will provide the opportunity for private confession. Both churches in our pastoral region will be open on Tuesday evening from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Lenten reminders -

regulations regarding fast and abstinence:

The Fridays of the season of Lent are days of abstinence from meat. The law of abstinence binds all Catholics 14 years and older. With regard to the obligatory days listed above, however, there are frequent questions about the degree of seriousness of the matter. The teaching of Pope John Paul II are recalled: *the obligation to do penance is a serious one; the obligation to observe, as a whole or "substantially," the penitential days specified by the Church is also serious. No one should be scrupulous in this regard; failure to observe an individual day of penance is not considered serious.*

This Week in the Parish

Monday	2/19	Prayer Group	12:30 P.M.
		Parish Mission	7:00 P.M.
Tuesday	2/20	Y.A.G. Sports League	6:00 P.M.
Wednesday	2/21	Seniors Luncheon	11:30 A.M.
		Stations of the Cross	7:00 P.M.
		Choir	7:30 P.M.
Saturday	2/24	Men's Group	8:30 A.M.

Collection

February 11th \$5,537.50

Baptism

We welcome Sterling Joseph Hauser, son of Jeremy and Brooke (Jones) Hauser. The Christian community welcomes you with great joy!

From Adam Couch

Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation

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

	Feb. 18	Feb. 25
1 st Holy Communion	No Class	CLASS

Way of the Cross

Deepen your Lenten experience and join us for the Way of the Cross on Wednesdays during Lent, beginning at 7:00 PM in the church.

faithformation.assumption@gmail.com with questions / comments.

A Lenten Message From The Evangelization Team

During the season of Lent, many make time to fast, pray more, or donate funds, all with the intention of doing something to prepare the heart and soul for Easter. Here is an idea! Listen to one CD a week during the season of Lent helping you grow closer to Christ. Our display is located in the Hill Street Vestibule, with a variety of inspiring talks on various topics of the Catholic faith prepared by Catholic bishops, priests, deacons, and lay persons for sale. Some of the recommended titles are: **Seven Last Sayings of Christ, Meditations on the Stations of the Cross, The Passion of Christ, Three Days that Changed the World, Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues, and The True Meaning of Easter.** We have a new CD offering that is just in! **Love – Sacrifice – Trust “He Showed Us The Way”**, that you must check out! A \$3.00 suggested donation per CD is a great way for you to take advantage of this opportunity for yourself, and make great gifts for family and friends.

Chili-Fest Tickets

Chili-fest tickets are now on sale. The event is Saturday, March 24th from 5:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M. Tickets are \$30.00 a couple. For tickets call Sally Hader @ 522-4776 or Peggy Stiens @ 522-0657. Tickets also available at parish office.

5200 Club

Week #21 Winner: Fran Perry

Seller: Same

Ticket: 3911

Mass Intentions

Monday 8:30 A.M.	February 19 Ruth Brown
Tuesday 8:30 A.M.	February 20 Zettarose Meister
Wednesday 8:30 A.M.	February 21 Communion Service
Thursday 8:30 A.M.	February 22 Communion Service
Friday 8:30 A.M.	February 23 Communion Service
Saturday 4:00 P.M.	February 24 Patricia Campbell
Sunday 9:00 A.M. 11:00 A.M.	February 25 For the Parish Jason Hinton

St. Vincent de Paul

Next weekend is St. Vincent de Paul Re-Stock Weekend. Items especially needed are cleaning supplies, toothpaste and toothbrushes, rice and pasta mixes, cereal, toilet paper, deodorant and bar soap. All donations are appreciated.

Senior Luncheon

The Seniors will have their luncheon on Wednesday, February 21st at 11:30 A.M. in the Providence Room. Come enjoy good food and friendship.

Belterra Park Trip

Join the Seniors for a day at Belterra Park on Wednesday, March 21st. Trip leaves Kolping Center at 9:15 A.M. and returns at 4:00 P.M. Cost is \$25.00 per person. Contact Doris Wilke at 521-5019 for more info.

Praying the Rosary

Every first Friday of the month at St. Margaret Mary Church the rosary will be prayed at 3:30 P.M. There also will be the Litany to Our Lady and some hymns sung. If you have questions please call Linda Lech – 729-5420 or Evelyn Bardua – 521-8155. All are welcome!

Healing Service

There will be a healing mass and service on Wednesday, February 28th at the Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center. Rosary at 6:45 P.M., Mass at 7:15 P.M. with healing service after mass. For questions or more information, please call 351-9800.



All School Mass
Tuesday, February 20th at 10:30 A.M.
Fr. Gardner - Presider

Lunch Menu

Monday – No School
Tuesday – Hamburger/Cheeseburger
Wednesday – Cincy Chili 3 Way
Thursday – Brunch for Lunch
Friday – Pepperoni Pizza

New Students for 2018-2019

If you are a new family to Assumption and plan on having your child attend Our Lady of Grace School or if you have been a parishioner and plan on sending your child to Our Lady of Grace for the first time or you have other children already at Our Lady of Grace and have a child coming to Our Lady of Grace for the first time, please contact Jenni in the Business Office at 521-7274. Thank you.

Sponsor of the Week

Mt. Healthy Auto Repair
1432 Compton Road
522-9555

