



**Saturday, February 20**

8:00 AM Marie Osterhaus  
5:30 PM People of the Parish

**Sunday, February 21 – First Sunday of Lent**

9:00 AM Bud Young, Chris & Betty Woelfle  
11:00 AM Jeanette McDermott

**Monday, February 22**

8:00 AM

**Tuesday, February 23 – St. Polycarp**

8:00 AM Bud Arbino

**Wednesday, February 24**

8:00 AM Lilly Childs

**Thursday, February 25**

8:00 AM

**Friday, February 26**

8:30 AM

**Saturday, February 27**

8:00 AM Bob Piening Jr.  
5:30 PM Bette Rudler

**Sunday, February 28 – Second Sunday of Lent**

9:00 AM People of the Parish  
11:00 AM



**ALTAR SERVERS**

**Saturday, February 27**

5:30 PM Jenna & Anna Klunk

**Sunday, February 28**

9:00 AM Matthew & Michael Bosse  
11:00 AM Colin Chachoff & Bill Davis

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**Saturday, February 27**

5:30 PM \*Gates, J.Black, Prince, Wolf,  
Wolf, Klocke, **VOLUNTEER**

**Sunday, February 28**

9:00 AM \*Schmaltz, Becknell, Honsaker, Kruspe,  
Bauke, Hungaryland, Daily  
11:00 AM \*Davis, Gruber, Elliott, Larkin,  
Willis, Dorger, Sheeran

**LECTORS**

**Saturday, February 27**

5:30 PM M. Black & J. Siegel

**Sunday, February 28**

9:00 AM R. Lang & M. Murray  
11:00 AM S. Klunk & R. Schweitzer

**SCHEDULED FOR SACRISTY WORK**

Brinkman, Brookbank, & Caldwell

**GIFT CERTIFICATE SALES**

February 27 & 28 Phyllis Babb & Thelma Brunke



The people of St. John Parish in Deer Park strive to be a sign of God's presence in the world by living the gospel, welcoming all, reaching out to each other, and to those in need!

**1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY of LENT, FEBRUARY 21**

*Fast from judging others; feast on the Christ indwelling in them.*

9:00 AM Religion Preschool & Kindergarten in Letterst Hall

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22**

*Fast from emphasis on differences; feast on the unity of all life.*

7:00 PM Pastoral Council & Finance Commission – L.Hall

7:30 PM Recovery Group in Good Shepherd Room

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23**

*Fast from apparent darkness; feast on the reality of light.*

7:00 PM Parents & Candidates for Reconciliation - in church

8:00 PM Knights of Columbus in Letterst Hall

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24**

*Fast from words that pollute; feast on phrases that purify.*

7 - 8:00 PM ERE Classes Levels 1-6 in Letterst Hall

7 - 9:00 PM Confirmation Session 4 for candidates - in church

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25**

*Fast from discontent; feast on gratitude.*

10:00 AM Scripture Study in Letterst Hall

7:00 PM Stations of the Cross in church – All Welcome

**'MEATLESS' FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

*Fast from anger; feast on patience.*

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27**

*Fast from pessimism; feast on optimism.*

4:00 PM Reconciliation in church

**2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY of LENT, FEBRUARY 28**

*Fast from worry; feast on trust.*

7:30 AM Men's Fellowship in Letterst Hall

9:00 AM Religion Preschool & Kindergarten in Letterst Hall

10 - 10:45 AM 'Wake-Up Call' for Grades 8-12 in Letterst Hall

**STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK:** Today's first reading describes the offering of first fruits the people of Israel were to present to the Lord in thanksgiving for their deliverance from Egypt and the gift of the promised land. Is your offering at today's Mass an appropriate response to the many blessings the Lord has given you?

**DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday, February 21	Deut 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Luke 4:1-13
Monday, February 22	1 Peter 5:1-4; Matthew 16:13-19
Tuesday, February 23	Isaiah 55:1-11; Matthew 6:7-15
Wednesday, February 24	Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 11:29-32
Thursday, February 25	Esther C:12,14-16,23-25; Matthew 7:7-12
Friday, February 26	Ezekiel 18:21-28; Matthew 5:20-26
Saturday, February 27	Deuteronomy 26:16-19; Matthew 5:43-48
Sunday, February 28	Gen.15:5-12,17-18; Phil.3:17,4;

Luke 9:28b-36

**SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS**

**Budgeted Weekly Offering** \$6000.00  
**Collected Weekly Offering**

**02/07/2010**

**Weekly Offering** \$5735.00  
**Monthly 'Direct Debit'** \$1610.00  
**Weekly 'Direct Debit'** \$ 113.00  
**Total** \$6858.00

**02/14/2010**

**Weekly Offering** \$4666.50  
**Weekly 'Direct Debit'** \$ 113.00  
**Total** \$4779.50

**Envelopes Issued** 480

**Envelopes Used**  
**02/07/10** 135  
**02/14/10** 138

**Project HOPE**

**02/07/10** \$ 15.00

**Tuition Assistance**

**02/07/10** \$ 33.00  
**02/14/10** \$ 38.00

**Haiti Collections**

**Total to date for Feb.** \$ 478.00

**Parish Youth Ministry**

*The Youth of our Parish thank you for your generosity in donating to this Fund!!*

**St. Vincent de Paul**

**02/07/10** \$ 110.00  
**02/14/10** \$ 41.00

**\$250 CLUB WINNER**  
**02/14/10 # available next weekend**

**PARISH NAMES & PHONE #'S TO KNOW:**

the following list of people represent YOU the parishioners of St. John Parish in Deer Park. Let them hear from you, share your questions and hopes regarding your parish with them.

**ST. JOHN PASTORAL COUNCIL**

Neil Bailey-793-0235, Kathy Bunker-793-5306,  
 Diane Daily-891-7669, Mary Imhoff-791-0681,  
 Paula McIntosh-984-5147, Greg Reddish-791-6220,  
 Greg Turner-791-2236, Connie Wanstrath-984-6856.

**ST. JOHN FINANCE COMMISSION**

Chuck Vonderhaar-891-5721, Bill Davis-984-8346,  
 Mark Dierkers-745-0115, Mary Imhoff-791-0681,  
 Eileen Kruspe-631-7833, Jeni Thien-791-3378,  
 Pam Young-793-1027

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK**

**THOMAS – JUSTIN FUNERAL HOMES**  
**791-5353 - 271-0732**

**Connecting Today's Gospel to Our Experience**

**Luke 4:1-13**

'People often grow discouraged because they have to face temptations over and over. As human beings we will never eliminate temptations, but our resistance to them strengthens us in our relationship with God, self, and others.'

**THANK YOU** to everyone who supported the Valentine Pancake Breakfast last week!! Special thanks to the cooks and organizers of this delicious event!

**2010 WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

All parishioners who will be celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup>, 70<sup>th</sup> and/or 75<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversaries in 2010 are asked to call the Parish Office, 791-3238 by March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010 to let us know! Thanks and Congratulations!

**MORE PARISH HONOR STUDENTS:**

**URSULINE HIGH:** Colleen Huster, Allison Purdy, Katie Purdy

**ST. JOHN PARISH 'FISH FRYS' ARE COMING!!!!**

**On Fridays March 5, March 19, & April 2!**

**PRAY THE 'STATIONS OF THE CROSS'**  
**ON THURSDAY EVENINGS DURING LENT**  
**AT 7PM IN CHURCH**

**ST. JOHN/ST. SAVIOUR 'PARISH MISSION'**

**with Rev. Tim Schehr**

7:00PM Monday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> at St. Saviour

7:00PM Tuesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at St. John

7:00PM Wednesday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at St. Saviour

**DISCOVER the RICHNESS of CATHOLIC TRADITION**  
**& EARN A CERTIFICATE or MASTER of ARTS**  
**in PASTORAL MINISTRY**

The Athenaeum of Ohio Lay Pastoral Ministry Program is officially sponsored by the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. Is it time for you to see how lay ministry formation can transform your life? Join us for free information meetings outlining all aspects of the LPMP: Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> 10am at the Athenaeum, and March 11<sup>th</sup> 7pm at the Athenaeum, 6616 Beechmont

Applications are now being accepted for Fall 2010 enrollment in Montgomery, Ohio and at the main campus in Cincinnati. Call 231-1200 for more information.

**MOELLER BAND BOOSTERS ANTIQUE SHOW & SALE**

The Antique Show and Sale will be held at Moeller High School, 9001 Montgomery Rd. on Saturday, March 6<sup>th</sup> from 9am to 4pm and Sunday, March 7<sup>th</sup> from 12pm to 4pm. Over 100 dealers will be in attendance with a wide variety of antiques and collectibles. Admission is \$4 and the boosters will be selling their famous baked potato soup and other delicious food items. The band is made up of students from Moeller, Mt. Notre Dame and Ursuline Academy, including parishioners from St. John.

**CARE & SHARE BARRELS for OVER the RHINE**

Our parish Social Justice Commission is collecting new or gently used hats, gloves & socks during February through March 13<sup>th</sup>.