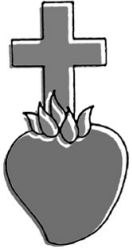


# Community of God's Love Bulletin

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*Council Members: Don Coen, Chair; Shawn Scott, Vice-chair; Liz Loizzo, Secretary;  
Mike Nelson, Treasurer; Joel Recznik, At Large Member*

Theme for the year: *"Celebrating 40 Years of Covenant Community Life "*

## Scheduled Events

### Sunday Gatherings (Open to guests)

Location: Oratory - lower level

5:00 pm December 17; January 7,14,21, 2018

**Council Meetings:** December 19, January 9, 23

**COGL Camp:** June 11-17, 2018

### Schedule for Cleaning Our Building

We appreciate all who have cleaned our building. Thank you very much. Please call Phil Pergi to volunteer. December - HOF; January - C. Nelson; February - D. Kissinger; March - D. Fernandes; April - M. Nelson; May - P. Pergi; June - HOF. Thank you very much.

### Join in Praying for one another:

Do you need prayer? (Of course we all do!) You can call the Community Office to have your prayer requests listed in the next Bulletin. Or call the Prayer Line 264-1136 at any time, day or night. When you call, leave a message explaining your prayer request.

### Pope Francis' Monthly Intentions

*December*

The Elderly - That the elderly, sustained by families and Christian communities, may apply their wisdom and experience to spreading the faith and forming the new generations

## Prayer of St. Gertrude the Great

*(1263-1334)*

Our Lord told St. Gertrude that the following prayer would release 1,000 souls from purgatory each time it is said. The prayer was extended to include living sinners, which would alleviate the temporal punishment accrued to them during their lives.



“Eternal Father, I offer Thee the most precious blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen.”

Our Lord also told St. Gertrude the Great that each time we look at The Most Blessed Sacrament our place in Heaven is raised forever. Further, each time one person receives Holy Communion something good happens to every being in heaven, on earth and in purgatory.

## Thank You!

“When you assemble one has a psalm, another some instruction to give, still another a revelation to share; one speaks in a tongue, another interprets. All well and good, so long as everything is done with a constructive purpose.”

1Cor 14:26

Thanks to those who regularly exercise the word gifts of prophecy, sharing, interpretation, and exhortation to build up the community. All are encouraged to come to our gatherings prepared to share the word and works of the Lord.

## Youth Information

### HOF Meeting Schedule

Steubenville Service Mission Dec. 15-18, 2017

Family Praise and Worship: Pizza, Praise, Fellowship  
**ALL** HOF/KFC families, **ALL COGL members** and  
**ALL Guests** are WELCOME.

Friday Dec. 29; Jan. 26 6:00-8:00 pm

Please RSVP to Diane Hostetler with a count to  
facilitate planning for dinner.

## Franciscan University Positions Available

- Accounting Clerk
  - Major Gifts Officer
  - Director of the Library
  - Vice President of Finance
  - Admissions Counselor
  - Faculty Secretary-Cosmas & Damian Hall (part-time)
  - Chief Operating Officer
  - Nursing-clinical Instructor
  - Operations Support clerk
  - On-line Enrollment Counselor
- For more information call Mary Lynn Lewis (740-283-6398)

## General Information

### Congratulations!

Canticle Singers Catholic Youth Choir directed by Ron DuBois won the choir award for the Valley's Got Talent Contest. They are giving a **Concert of Advent and Christmas music** Sunday, Dec. 10, at Blessed Sacrament Church, 5:30 PM.

### Learning-Loving Opportunity

David Darois invites those interested in learning more about Autism and its effect on him to visit his website:  
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