

Community of God's Love Bulletin

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Scheduled Events

Sunday Praise and Worship (Invite guests!)

5:00 pm At Sycamore Center 301 N. 4th St.
March 10 (Teaching) April 7 (Teaching)
March 17 (Social) April 14 (Ministry)

PICNIC Saturday, July 13, Aracoma Park

Council Meetings: March 21, 2019

Please note: Mail should be sent ONLY to:
COGL, PO Box 806, Steubenville, OH 43952
The Lover's Lane address should not be used for COGL mail.
Also, mail is **not** received at the Sycamore Center. Thank you.

Thank You for the witness of our older members who are unable to attend regularly. We depend on your prayer support! And many thanks to those who visit to assure them of their continuing place in our body.

Pope Francis' March Prayer intention

Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities

That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

HEARTS OF FIRE

Small Groups: Meetings are on Fridays this semester:

Girls at Scotts Guys at Brooks **4:00 to 5:00 PM**
March 15 April 12 Note new time!

Lord's Day and Festival of Praise

Lord's Day meal at the Hostetler's home 5:00 PM, car pool to FOP 7:00-9:00 PM (Plan your ride home after the FOP.)
Please call by previous Wednesday if you're coming.
April 6 May 4

March Movie Night Saturday, March 16 at Hostetler's

From a short discourse by Saint Bonaventure, bishop (Prologus: Opera omnia 5, 201-202)

He who knows Jesus Christ can understand all sacred Scripture

The source of sacred Scripture was not human research but divine revelation. This revelation comes from the Father of Light from whom the whole concept of fatherhood in heaven and on earth derives. From him, through Jesus Christ his Son, the Holy Spirit enters into us. Then, through the Holy Spirit who allots and apportions his gifts to each person as he wishes, we receive the gift of faith, and through faith Christ lives in our hearts. So we come to know Christ and this knowledge becomes the main source of a firm understanding of the truth of all sacred Scripture. It is impossible, therefore, for anyone to achieve this understanding unless he first received the gift of faith in Christ.

My reflection:

Thank God for the gift of faith and the outpouring of His Spirit, by which we come to know Him truly! Let's enter these 40 days and seek a renewal of our faith in Him together! Joe Loizzo

Bulletin Announcements

The current deadline for Bulletin announcements is Wednesday at Noon for weeks in which there is a Community Gathering on the upcoming Sunday. Next Bulletin deadline: March 13, 2019

THERE IS POWER IN PRAYER INTERCESSORY PRAYER REQUESTS:

YOUR PRAYER REQUESTS WILL BE INCLUDED HERE. JUST SUBMIT THEM TO THE OFFICE BY EMAIL BY NOON WEDNESDAY.

- AIM Ministry New Executive Director search
- Elizabeth (Wherry) Bennette: that her retina repair will be successful.
- Community members who cannot attend the meetings due to health or being away from the area.
- ChristLife to bear much fruit
- Miles, the 8 yr old with cancer in his leg. He is now having chemotherapy, is very sick, has had shingles and a major miracle is still needed.
- That Spring Break will be a safe and refreshing time for students and teachers.
- Lent will be a time of surrender to Jesus Christ and growing in grace by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Franciscan University Positions Available

- Nursing-clinical Instructor
 - Secretary for Humanities and Social Sciences
 - Front End Developer (for website)
 - Residence Directors-Male & Female (3 positions)
 - Youth Programming Coordinator (part time)
 - Title IX Investigator
 - Advocate (2 part time positions)
 - Student Success Coordinator
 - Assistant Director of Student Success
 - Admissions Counselor
 - Admin. Asst. to Vice Pres. of Student Life
- For more information look at the Franciscan University website or call Mary Lynn Lewis (740-283-6398)

Galatians 5: 13

My Brothers, remember that you have been called to live in freedom - but not a freedom that gives free rein to the flesh. Out of love, place yourselves at one another's service.

Invitations

- Diocesan Men's Day of Renewal on Saturday, March 23 St. Stephen's Church, Caldwell, Ohio
Speaker: **Mark Nehrbas** Brochures with registration forms are available on line, in parishes, and at the office. Please register by March 15.
- TOR Sisters Lenten Retreat March 30, 2019
- FUS Friday Academic Lecture Series 3 PM in the Gentile Gallery-free and open to the public.
March 22 "Sickness Unto Death: Suffering, Evil and Death in Philosophy and Contemporary Culture" Dr. Thomas Hibbs, Baylor Univ.
March 29 "Catholic Tradition and Authentic Identity: The Role of the University" Dr. Janine Langan, St. Michael's College, Univ. of Toronto
- Project Rachel-Healing after Abortion
Please call or text 740-275-7038 for information
April 5-7 Rachel's Vineyard Retreat
- AIM Fundraising Banquet is Monday, March 25, at St. Florian Hall. Call AIM at 740-283-3636
- Women's Lenten Morning of Recollection at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Oratory, on Saturday, March 16, from 8:30 -12:00. Babysitting will be provided by the Sisters. Please call to register (740) 346-2625.
- Project Bootstraps Reunion will be held Thursday, March 28, 7:00 p.m. in the St. Joseph Center Seminar Room, Franciscan University. It is open to the general public at no cost and will inspire budding entrepreneurs to realize their dreams and open their own businesses.