



### CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

2025 Woodman Drive  
Kettering, Ohio 45420  
ascensionkettering.org

**PARISH OFFICE:** 937-253-5171

Monday-Thursday: 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

#### RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:00-4:30 p.m.



### ST. ALBERT THE GREAT

3033 Far Hills Avenue  
Kettering, Ohio 45429  
stalbertthegreat.net

**PARISH OFFICE:** 937-293-1191

Monday-Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Friday: Closed

#### RECONCILIATION:

Friday: after Noon Mass

Saturday: 3:15-4:00 p.m.



### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

4500 Ackerman Boulevard  
Kettering, Ohio 45429  
stcharles-kettering.org

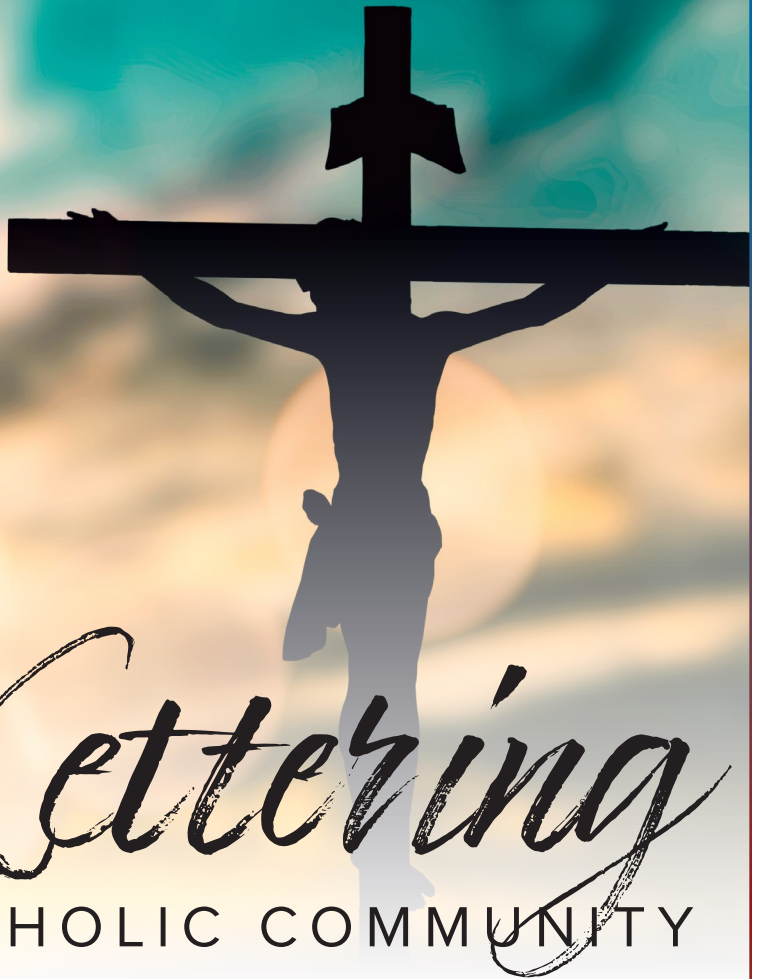
**PARISH OFFICE:** 937-434-6081

Monday-Friday: 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:00-4:30 p.m.

FEBRUARY 18, 2024 – FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



# Kettering

## CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

### ST. ALBERT THE GREAT

*We are a Catholic community of faith in Jesus Christ.*

We Worship. We Learn. We Share.

#### WELCOME –

##### WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

We are a caring community united in our love of God and in service to others. Regardless of who you are, or where you are in your spiritual journey, we are so glad you joined us. If you're interested in learning more about our parishes and what we have to offer, we warmly invite you to contact us! We would love to share our Catholic faith with you and tell you more about what makes the Kettering Catholic Community a wonderful place to worship, learn and share.

#### BECOMING CATHOLIC

Anyone wishing to inquire about the Catholic faith, or seeking to complete their Sacraments – including children age seven and up – should contact Kristi Gaston at St. Albert, Joe Ollier at Ascension, or Chris Kreger at St. Charles.

#### INFANT BAPTISM

Parents are required to attend a Baptism preparation class, preferably before the birth of their child, to have a child under the age of seven baptized. Classes are held at various times throughout the year at each parish. For more information, please contact Kristi Gaston at St. Albert, Joe Ollier at Ascension, or Erin Fanning at St. Charles.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Parish Office at least six months in advance of the marriage date, or sooner.

#### ANointing OF THE SICK

Please notify the Parish Office in case of serious illness or upcoming surgery. Communal anointing services are celebrated in the spring and fall.

# PARISH CONTACTS

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## Weekday Mass

Monday thru Friday: Noon

## Weekend Mass

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 8:30am & 11am

## Church Open

Monday: 10am - 6pm

Tuesday thru Friday: 8am - 6pm

Saturday: 2pm - 6pm

## Parish Office Hours

Monday thru Thursday:

9am - 3pm Closed Friday



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-Low Gluten Hosts  
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## PASTORAL AND PARISH STAFF CHURCH OFFICE

937-293-1191

**Pastor**, Father Ed Pratt

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## STAFF REFLECTION



### Father Chibueze Asiegbulem Parochial Vicar

It was Martin Heidegger, the famous German philosopher, that said, "In calling man to thinking, being has endowed the nature of man with a thinking that's thankful, a thinking that recalls and gives thanks. A thoughtful, thankful, thinking man sees himself as beholden and as indebted." It is based on this quote that I would like to acknowledge the wonderful gifts given to our staff during the Christmas holiday. We all appreciate those who donated flowers and cash to our family of

parishes. We appreciate your acts of kindness, and we pray the good Lord to replenish you a million-fold. You all are the reason why we are here, and we are here to serve you better.

Here we are in the season of Lent. During this season the Church is calling on us to return to the Lord with all our heart. While we return to the Lord, we are also called to keep in mind our Lenten observance: prayer, abstinence, and almsgiving.

Lent is a season of prayer. Our Lord is calling on every one of us to pray, so that we may not enter into temptation. In our call for abstinence, the Devil would come our way during this Lenten season to tempt us so as to fall away from our resolution. The things we have planned to give up during this season of Lent, our enemy the Devil would come to tempt us. But with prayer, we will surmount the Devil and win glory to our Lord Jesus. That's why every first Sunday of Lent, the Church, in her wisdom, admonishes her members to reflect on the temptation of our Lord Jesus and how He was able to conquer the Devil through prayer and fasting for forty days and forty nights in the wilderness. Please do not relent on your prayer life during this season.

This is a season in which we all are called to fast from our habitual activities that are not healthy for our spiritual growth. Fasting may be the things we like to eat, which might even lead to gluttony, or the things we like doing, which might be detrimental for our spiritual growth. For my part, I have always tried not to watch soccer during Lent, but I see myself not keeping to that. I will try to work on that during this Lenten season. I would encourage you to offer something up to the Lord during this Lent and see how your life will turn around after Lent. Ask the good Lord to grant you the grace to live out whatever thing you have offered up to Him, so that at the end of Lent, the things we have offered up will reshape our lives and make our lives worthy of emulation.

Our KCC Social Action Committee is making a donation to alleviate poverty in some northern parts of Nigeria that have been ravaged by Boko Haram, a terrorist group in Nigeria. I would encourage you to donate to help our brothers and sisters that have been displaced by Boko Haram. Our parishes are also collecting for Secret Smiles, which provides beds for children in Dayton. Our talents and time could also serve as almsgiving during this Lent. Do not allow Lent to end without caring for the poor and the needy in our midst. Let's be nice and show some acts of charity to people around us.

Have a fruitful Lent and a wonderful Easter in anticipation.



## PLEASE JOIN US IN CELEBRATION...

Noah Fortkamp, son of David and Hilary, was welcomed in Baptism on Sunday, February 11.



## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF...

*Suzanne Smith.* Her Mass of Christian Burial will be Tuesday, February 20.

### THIS WEEK...

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

8:30am Mass, Celebrant's Intention  
 9:40am Religious Education Classes, School  
 11 am Mass, Brandon Whaley G/J Whaley  
 Girl Scout Cookies being sold after both Masses  
 2:30pm Schoenstatt, Church

#### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19—Offices Closed

Noon Mass, Carol Driscoll J/J Shock  
 6:45pm Legion of Mary, Spirit Center, Rm C  
 7 pm St. Vincent de Paul, Spirit Center, Rm D

#### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Noon Funeral Mass for Suzanne Smith  
 7 pm Legion of Mary, Spirit Center, Rm D

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Noon Mass, Vince & Detsy Sacksteder  
*T. Hutchinson*  
 6:30pm Wednesday Eve Lenten Study, Spirit Center

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Noon Mass, Eusebio Ragas Ragas-Monte Family  
 2 pm Ladies Book Club, Spirit Center, Rm D  
 7:30 pm KCC PARISH COUNCIL, Spirit Center, Rm D

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Noon Mass, Most Forgotten Souls Friend  
 After Mass Confessions

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24

3:15pm Confessions  
 4:30pm Mass, Hugh McDonald Family  
 Girl Scout Cookies being sold after Mass

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

8:30am Mass, Frances Irene Blair J/J Shock  
 9:40am Religious Education Classes, School  
 11am Mass, Jim & Esther Greenwell Family  
 Girl Scout Cookies being sold after both Masses  
 2:30pm Schoenstatt, Church

**MASS INTENTIONS** may be scheduled now through September 2024; a total of three per calendar year. Additional Intentions will be sent now to the Archdiocese of Cincinnati Mission Office. Please note: If there is a Funeral Mass, the Intention will need to be rescheduled.

## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

	Mon 2/19	Tue 2/20	Wed 2/21	Thu 2/22	Fri 2/23	Sat 2/24
Father Ed	St. Albert Noon	—	Ascension 9 AM	—	St. Albert Noon	Ascension 5 PM
Father Tom	St. Charles 8:30 AM	St. Albert Noon	St. Charles 8:30 AM	Ascension 9 AM	—	St. Albert 4:30 PM
Father Chibueze	Ascension 9 AM	St. Charles 8:30 AM	—	St. Albert Noon	St. Charles 8:30 AM	St. Charles 5 PM
Father Dan Meyer	—	—	St. Albert Noon	—	—	—
Father Tom Shearer	—	—	—	—	Ascension 9 AM	—
Sun 2/25						
Ascension	St. Charles Borromeo		St. Albert the Great			
8:30 AM — Father Ed Pratt	8:30 AM — Father Dan Meyer		8:30 AM — Father Tom Nevels			
11:00 AM — Father Ed Pratt	10:30 AM — Father Dan Meyer		11:00 AM — Father Tom Nevels			

# UPCOMING IN OUR FAMILY

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## LENT

A SEASON OF REFLECTION,  
RENEWAL, AND PREPARATION

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS (St. Albert)

Every other Wednesday

Join us for Stations of the Cross, every other Wednesday after the Noon Mass. Upcoming dates include: February 28, March 13, and 27. Also on Good Friday at 1 pm.

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE (St. Albert)** Wednesdays, Noon, 40 Days for Life began on Wednesday, February 14 and ends on Palm Sunday, March 24. St. Albert the Great's prayer time is on Wednesdays from Noon to 3 PM. Please call Judy to sign up at 937-296-1628.

## MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY

THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES  
A 6-week Lenten series

**Sundays, 12:30–2 PM  
FEB 18–MAR 24**

**Thursdays, 6:30–8 PM  
FEB 22–MAR 28**

**St. Charles Borromeo  
4500 Ackerman Blvd  
Borromeo Room**

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### WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

*A six-week session open to all the  
Kettering Catholic Community*

This small group study will prepare us for the upcoming Sunday Lenten Scriptures through various means.

*All Sessions will be in the St. Albert  
Spirit Center from 6:30pm-8pm*

**February 14 thru March 20**

**\*See website for class schedule**

Parish Contact: Julie Burt, 937-409-6035



Fr. Edward Looney



Fr. Hugh Gillespie

### MARIAN CONSECRATION STUDY GROUP Sponsored by Legion of Mary at St. Albert

Tuesdays, Feb. 20 thru April 9, 7-8:30pm, Spirit Center  
WHO: All are invited!

WHAT: Discussion on St. Louis Marie de Montfort's  
*True Devotion to Mary* with *Behold the  
Handmaid of the Lord*, and *Preparation for Total  
Consecration to Jesus Christ through Mary*.

To reserve the books, or if you need assistance,  
please contact Gloria Dodd, 937-229-1431.

## Spring Trivia Night (St. Albert)

Saturday, March 9, 7-9 pm

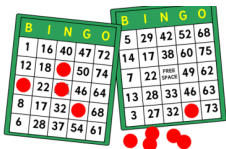
Mark your calendars for Spring Trivia Night, on March 9 in the Parish Center. Adults 21 and up. Bring a friend! Registration coming soon.



## GIRL SCOUT COOKIES (St. Albert)

Weekend of February 24/25

Girl Scout Troop 3151 will be selling Cookies after all weekend Masses in the Gathering Space.



## BINGO (Ascension)

Sunday, February 18

Join the KCC for a fun BINGO game. This will be held at Ascension's PAC from 2-4pm.

BINGO cards are 25 cents per game. Bring your own beverages.

## BLOOD DRIVE (St. Albert)

Saturday, March 2, 8:30am—Noon

Register at [www.donortime.com](http://www.donortime.com) (code 275)

Appointments preferred, but walk-ins welcome.

Join us in saving lives!

## CHAIR ONE FITNESS (Ascension)

Tuesday evenings (started Feb. 6)

February 13-March 12, 6:30 pm in Witzman Center

Questions? Contact Meg, St. Albert SALSA,

[megdraeger@aol.com](mailto:megdraeger@aol.com), 937-299-0259.

COME TO THE "LUCKIEST" FISH FRY IN TOWN!

 **MARCH 15 2024**

**ST. CHARLES FISH N' CHIPS**

**FISH FRY | FUNDRAISER**

SILENT AUCTION, STUDENT ART AUCTION, GRUB GRAB, GAMBLING and TV'S TO WATCH NCAA BASKETBALL!!!

Drive Thru ONLY 4:30-5:30pm  
Family Dining in Cafeteria 6-8pm  
Adult 21+ ONLY in Gym 6-11:30pm

\$20 ticket includes - 2 Hecht family fish sandwiches, fries & slaw or a kids meal: pizza and a drink



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**SALSA WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB**

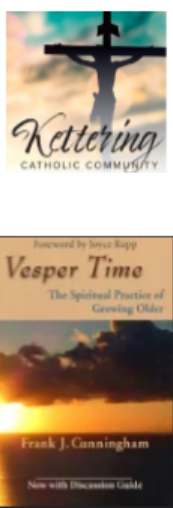
*A three -week book study open to all ladies of the Kettering Catholic Community*

*All Sessions will be in the St. Albert Spirit Center from 2-3:30pm*

**"Vesper Time—  
The Spiritual Practice of Growing Older"**

**Thursdays, Feb. 15, Feb. 22 and Feb. 29**

If you wish to sign up or need help getting the book, contact Kathy Zamonski, 937-304-1511, [wonderlywoman@gmail.com](mailto:wonderlywoman@gmail.com)



The Kettering Catholic Community invites you to:

**FREEDOM:  
A WOMEN'S MORNING  
OF REFLECTION**

*"Where the spirit of the Lord is,  
there is freedom." II Corinthians 3:17*

**St. Charles Borromeo Parish**  
4500 Ackerman Blvd, Kettering

**Saturday, Feb. 24**  
**9 AM-1 PM**

For more information or to register scan here... 

or visit us at [stcharles-kettering.org/faith-formation/adults](http://stcharles-kettering.org/faith-formation/adults)

Questions? Contact Sarah at 937-401-0021  
or [sarchuleta@stcharles-kettering.org](mailto:sarchuleta@stcharles-kettering.org)

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# Lent

fast • give • pray

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Lenten Items for Children

Purple Lenten children's books are available at our entrances. Children's Lent calendars are also available. Please contact the RE Office if you would like any of these Lenten supplies for your children.

**TARA SCHUMAKER**, Coordinator  
937-281-0032 [tschumaker@stalbertthegreat.net](mailto:tschumaker@stalbertthegreat.net)

**BRIANNA BOSWELL**, Assistant  
Office: 937-298-2402  
[religiouseducation@stalbertthegreat.net](mailto:religiouseducation@stalbertthegreat.net)



## Embark On a Pilgrimage to Southern Italy with Fr. Chibueze Asiegbulem

Join Us

INFORMATIONAL MEETING

**WHEN:** FEB. 28, AT 6:30 P.M.  
**WHERE:** BORROMEO ROOM  
AT ST. CHARLES BORROMEO  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Website:

[www.stalbertthegreat.net/  
youth-ministry](http://www.stalbertthegreat.net/youth-ministry)

Registration form:

[https://www.cognitoforms.com/  
KCCYouthMinistry/RSVPForm](https://www.cognitoforms.com/KCCYouthMinistry/RSVPForm)



Click on the graphics for schedules, or see our website (link above).

## KCC JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY

## KCC HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

First Friday Sessions for Junior High Students  
(6th grade—8th grade) 5:30-7:30pm at St. Albert:  
March 1, May 3.

DOCK for High School Students  
(9th grade—12th grade) on Sunday nights 6:30-8:30pm  
at St. Charles in the Youth Room.

**KELLY SUMMERS**, Youth Minister  
937-570-1665 [ksummers@stcharles-kettering.org](mailto:ksummers@stcharles-kettering.org)

Community Blood Center is now Solvita!

## Blood Drive

**ST. ALBERT THE GREAT CHURCH  
GYM**

**SATURDAY  
MARCH 2, 2024  
8:30 AM TO NOON**

Students will be allowed a day out of uniform for any family member  
who registers to donate blood at the  
St. Albert the Great Church blood drive.



TO SCHEDULE AN  
APPOINTMENT, GO TO  
[WWW.DONORTIME.COM](http://WWW.DONORTIME.COM)  
ENTER CODE: 275 OR USE  
QR CODE

Register to donate blood  
Jan. 2–Mar. 2 and get the  
“Donor Love” long-sleeve,  
hoodie shirt, while supplies last.

Donor Time App  
937-461-3220  
[donortime.com](http://donortime.com)



## OTHER MINISTRIES

### Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley

Volunteering is made easy at CSSMV, providing monthly updates with the "Most Urgent Need" for volunteers, and who to contact, if you can help. Go to [cssmv.org/you-can-help/volunteer/](https://cssmv.org/you-can-help/volunteer/)

### Knights of Columbus Meetings

Officers: Tuesday, March 6 at 7:30pm Spirit Center, Rm C  
General: Thursday, March 7 at 6pm Spirit Center, Rm D



### Legion of Mary (St. Albert)

You are invited to join the Legion of Mary for their weekly meetings. They meet every Monday evening at 6:45pm in the Spirit Center. For more information, contact Gloria Dodd, 937-229-1431, or email [legionofmarystalbert@yahoo.com](mailto:legionofmarystalbert@yahoo.com)

### Leisure Club (Ascension)

All seniors of the KCC are invited. For more info, Email Sue, [smgraham1024@gmail.com](mailto:smgraham1024@gmail.com)

### Meals for the Homeless (St. Albert)

Meals for the Homeless for the St. Vincent de Paul Homeless Shelter. Once a month, we provide a meal of a casserole and other items.

**Pickup Pans/Recipes in Gathering Space starting Friday, Feb. 23**  
**Dropoff casseroles in Breezeway on Saturday, March 2, 9am-10am** The 2024 schedule is now available. Hard copies are in the Gathering Space, or go to [www.stalbertthegreat.net](http://www.stalbertthegreat.net)

### Men's Fellowship (Ascension)

All men of the KCC are invited. Contact Mike Wager, 937-361-1369.

### Monthly Food Collection (St. Albert)

Monthly Food Collection for Catholic Social Services of Miami Valley Food Pantry: Hygiene Items are still needed as well.

**Next Collection: March 9/10 Toilet Paper Needed**

**Items Requested:** Plastic bag basics and hygiene items  
The 2024 schedule is now available. Hard copies are in the Gathering Space, or go to [www.stalbertthegreat.net](http://www.stalbertthegreat.net)  
**Plastic Bag Basics:**

1 box of crackers, peanut butter, 1 can of tomato soup, 2 cans of tuna or chicken, 1 can of green beans, 10 packs of oatmeal, 1 box of mac & cheese, 1 bag of rice, 1 bag of pasta, 2 cans of fruit.

### Schoenstatt

Schoenstatt is a Catholic movement that strives to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ through the example of Mary. For information, contact Karen, [Kswaitzman@twc.com](mailto:Kswaitzman@twc.com)

### St. Vincent de Paul Society (St. Albert the Great Conference)

SVdP provides emergency assistance in a confidential manner to the needy in our area. [Click here for more on our website](#)

### St. Vincent de Paul Society Evening Meal

Volunteers help serve an evening meal the 2nd Friday of each month. To learn more, contact Ann Burns, 937-219-4140.

### Women's Guild (Ascension)

All women of the KCC are invited. For more information, Email Sue, [smgraham1024@gmail.com](mailto:smgraham1024@gmail.com)

# ST ALBERT SCHOOL

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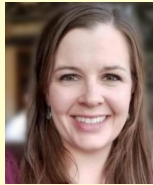


104 W Dorothy Lane Kettering, 45429

**SCHOOL OFFICE**  
937-293-9452

**WEBSITE**  
[www.stag-school.com](http://www.stag-school.com)

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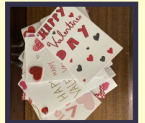
Gabrielle Ambrosius

**Gabrielle Ambrosius**, School Principal  
[gambrosius@stag-school.org](mailto:gambrosius@stag-school.org)

**Nancy Hankey**, Dean of Students;  
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**Janelle Brand**, Communications;  
[jbrand@stag-school.org](mailto:jbrand@stag-school.org)

School Sports



ST. ALBERT THE GREAT RAFFLE

**100 DAYS**  
**100 chances to win!**

\$250 winner on Easter Sunday  
\$100 winner every Sunday  
\$25 winner every Monday-Saturday

Proceeds support the St. Albert the Great PTO  
\*If the minimum # of entries is not reached, the raffle will become a 50/50 with two winners

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[www.kroger.com](http://www.kroger.com) ID 80107  
**BOX TOPS:**  
[boxtops4education.com](http://boxtops4education.com)

**President: Sara Anderson**  
[stagpto@gmail.com](mailto:stagpto@gmail.com)

**School Mass changes:** For those wanting to attend the School Mass (usually on Mondays at 8:30am) please contact the School Office for detailed instructions.

## INCLEMENT WEATHER INFORMATION



The KCC will implement the following policy for Masses:

**Weekend Masses** will continue as scheduled unless there is a terrible blizzard. Cancellations will appear on WHIO. Funerals will continue, with advice from funeral homes / families.

**Daily Mass** will be canceled at any location where that location's school is on delay or closed. Decisions on Daily Masses on days when school is not in session will be handled by Father Ed in consultation with the other priests. Check WHIO for cancellations.

*This is a summary. Read the full policy on our website, or [click here](#)*



## Local Charity: Secret Smiles of Dayton

Donations will help continue the work of our children in the Dayton area.



## Global Charity: CRS in Nigeria

Donations will help Nigeria face many critical challenges they face, such as poverty, unemployment and conflict.



Donation envelopes will be around campus during Lent. Please return the envelope by Palm Sunday. Thank you!

## KCC LENTEN ALMSGIVING PROJECTS

Our Family of Parishes Social Action Committee is offering a special opportunity for Almsgiving this Lent! Stay tuned for more information in future bulletins.

**JOB OPPORTUNITY** for a Junior High Youth Ministry Coordinator in our Kettering Catholic Community. Please visit [catholicaoc.org/jobs](http://catholicaoc.org/jobs) to learn more, or send a cover letter and resume to Joe Ollier at [jollier@ascensionkettering.org](mailto:jollier@ascensionkettering.org).



## CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2024

Archbishop Schnurr sends his thanks to everyone from St. Albert the Great who has pledged to the 2024 Catholic Ministries Appeal. If you have not yet made your pledge, please consider doing so this week. More than anyone in the world, the Catholic Church teaches, feeds, and heals. In our local community, this happens through the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

To make a donation online, please visit [CatholicAOC.org/CMA](http://CatholicAOC.org/CMA). Thank you!



## Homebound

Sharon Borgert, Marilyn Dehner, Marilyn Hull, Vincent Klosterman Jr, Margaret Krapf, Wally Mederios, Owen Toale, BJ Wack, Joe Wade, John Zamonski

**Bethany** Jim Gantt, Charles Brazauskas

**Carlyle House** Al Fratini

**Oakcreek Terrace** Candice Gibbons

**St. Leonard** Bob Alig, Kathleen Brown, Jean Rohmiller

**St. Leonard Rehab** Mary Broderick, Joan Hall  
**Walnut Creek** Kay Lunne



Our 2024 Parish Goal Amount: **\$66,083**  
Our Current Amount: **\$19,233**

Goal percentage  
**29%**

## Financials for February 11, 2024

WeShare Online Contributions	\$	2,628.00
Weekly Envelopes	\$	11,562.00
Loose Cash	\$	826.48.00
		<b>\$15,016.48</b>
Ash Wednesday	\$	60.00
Building and Grounds	\$	465.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	535.00
Sr. John Maureen Fund	\$	25.00
Liturgical Fund	\$	125.00
		<b>\$1,210.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>16,226.48</b>

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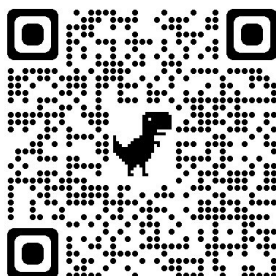


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