

### CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

2025 Woodman Drive  
Kettering OH 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.-4:00 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.

# 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.

**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.

**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.

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## PASTORAL AND PARISH STAFF CHURCH OFFICE 937-293-1191

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Youth Minister

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## DEADLINES

Send all items for publishing consideration to [bulletin@stalbertthegreat.net](mailto:bulletin@stalbertthegreat.net)

**Bulletin** – 10 days prior to publication date

**Flocknote** – Thursday at noon

## Councils & Commissions

Parish Council: Pat Higgins, 937-281-1313

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## GIFTS FROM GOD

Writing is not something I like to do; but the staff rotation schedule says it's my turn to write the reflection, and so as a team player, I will give it my best shot. And I do so with love, because this "team" that I work with in this Kettering Catholic Community Parish of Families has also become friends, and a few are very much like family to me. One of those friendships has been, and will continue to be, Father Ed. You may or may not realize that as kids, we grew up just blocks from each other, though we were only acquaintances due to riding the same school bus. (He is older, and readily admits it. lol) When he was assigned to St. Rita Church in 2010 as a parochial vicar, I was working at Precious Blood Church. The two churches together had one pastor and one parochial vicar. (Sound familiar?) He and I didn't work directly together at that time, but when we did see each other, we often shared memories of people and places from our childhood town. His assignment there was only about a year. In 2018, our paths crossed again when he hired me at Ascension Church. I have appreciated his support and confidence in me, and also his friendship.

Friendship is a relationship characterized by mutual care and goodwill, at the least, meant to serve one another by lifting each other up. Some friends are just acquaintances; but some are true friends, and some true friends even become spouses. (Mine did!) But no friendship is an accident. I believe God brings people into our lives at the appointed time for a definite purpose. Stop for a moment and consider all the friends who have come into your life.

Two years ago, Father Tom and Father Chibueze came into all of our lives; what a blessing they have both been in their individual ways. And soon we will welcome Father Tony into this Family of Parishes, too. It's like Christmas morning—another gift from God coming to touch our lives. Of course the greatest gift was Jesus. And just as His touch raised the girl from "sleeping" and cured the woman who was bleeding, His touch comes to us through others. Gifts from God; we can't get any better than that.

*Kristi Gaston*

*Pastoral Associate*

*St. Albert the Great*

## NOW HIRING: MAINTENANCE HOURLY WORKER

Maintenance hourly worker, 15 hours during the week and occasional weekends. General cleaning of the lower level of the school building during the school year and general cleaning of the church during the summer. Must work well with others, and be able to lift up to 40 lbs. Please call the Parish Office, if interested.

## HOLY FATHER'S COLLECTION, PETER'S PENCE

This week, we take up the Peter's Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit [obolodisani Pietro.va/en.html](http://obolodisani Pietro.va/en.html)

## ST. VINCENT MEALS

Pans for preparing the St. Vincent's Feed the Hungry Casserole are now available in the Gathering Space. Please deliver to Church the next Sunday, frozen, between 9 am and 11:30 am. One-pound cans of vegetables, bags of apples, oranges, and carrot sticks and celery—washed and cut up, ready to serve—are also needed.



## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

**Monday, July 1**

Noon Mass, John Paul Shock J/J Shock  
 6:45 pm Legion of Mary, Spirit Center, Rm C

**Tuesday, July 2**

Noon Mass, Patrick Duffy Barth & Laura Snyder

**Wednesday, July 3**

Noon Mass, Special Intention Family

**Thursday, July 4**

KCC Mass at St. Charles, 9 AM

**Friday, July 5**

Noon Mass, Bartholomew Gardina Tina Wingate

**Saturday, July 6**

9 am Meals for the Homeless Drop Off, Breezeway  
 4:30 pm Mass, Rosemarie Gelm-Jones Gelm Family

**Sunday, July 7**

8:30 am Mass, Don Donoher Mark Haufe Family  
 11 am Mass, St. Albert the Great Parish

## HOMEBOUND

Sharon Borgert, Marilyn Dehner,  
 Marilyn Hull, Vincent Klosterman Jr.,  
 Margaret Krapf, Wally Mederios,  
 BJ Wack, 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

To add a name to the prayer list, please  
 contact [bulletin@stalbertthegreat.net](mailto:bulletin@stalbertthegreat.net)  
 or call the Parish Office.

## WELCOME—WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

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## PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF...

**Jeanne Leist** A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at St. Albert Church on Friday, July 19 at Noon.

## WELCOMED IN BAPTISM

Rosemary Claire, daughter of Branden and Susan Morgan

## SCAN TO GIVE



## STEWARDSHIP

GIVE ONLINE TODAY  
 with WeShare online electronic giving!

## 3 Easy Ways to Give:

1. Text the word STAG to 833-694-0460
2. Look for the Give or Online Giving by WeShare buttons on our website
3. Use the QR code

## WEEKDAY MASS CHANGES AT ST. CHARLES, EFFECTIVE JULY 1

To accommodate a balanced schedule between our three priests at each of the three parishes in the Kettering Catholic Community, a change to the weekday Mass schedule at St. Charles is necessary. Effective July 1, there WILL BE Mass on Thursdays at 8:30 am. The 8:30 am Mass on Fridays will be eliminated, with the exception of First Fridays, with Adoration following an 8:30 am Mass. Any existing Mass Intentions at St. Charles currently scheduled for a Friday will be adjusted accordingly. Thank you.

## FINANCIALS FOR JUNE 23, 2024

WeShare Online	\$ 2,962
Weekly Envelopes	\$ 24,375
Loose Cash	\$ 1,097
	<b>\$28,434</b>
Building and Grounds	\$ 176
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 120
Sr. John Maureen Fund	\$ 25
Liturgical Fund	\$ 105
Peter's Pence	\$ 140
	<b>\$566</b>
<b>Total Sunday Collection</b>	<b>\$ 29,000</b>



# HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY

The Parish Office will be closed  
July 4th & 5th in observance of  
Independence Day

KCC Mass will be at  
St. Charles, 9 AM



## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

	Mon 7/1	Tue 7/2	Wed 7/3	Thu 7/4	Fri 7/5	Sat 7/6
Father Tom	St. Charles 8:30 AM	St. Albert Noon	St. Charles 8:30 AM	—	—	St. Albert 4:30 PM
Father Chibueze	Ascension 9 AM	St. Charles 8:30 AM	—	St. Charles 9 AM	Ascension 9 AM	St. Charles 5 PM
Father Tony	St. Albert Noon	—	Ascension 9 AM	—	St. Albert Noon	Ascension 5 PM
Father Dan Meyer	—	—	St. Albert Noon	—	St. Charles 8:30 AM	—
Sun 7/7						
Ascension 8:30 AM — Father Tony Sanitato 11:00 AM — Father Tony Sanitato	St. Charles Borromeo 8:30 AM — Father Chibueze 10:30 AM — Father Chibueze		St. Albert the Great 8:30 AM — Father Tom Nevels 11:00 AM — Father Tom Nevels			

*\*Please note Ascension adjusts its schedule accordingly to accommodate funerals. Please check the Ascension website or call the parish office to confirm Mass times before attending. Ascension: [ascensionkettering.org](http://ascensionkettering.org), 937-253-5171*



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

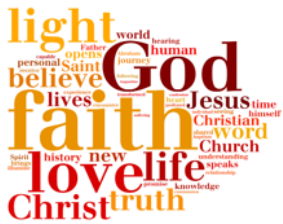


### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Please use this QR Code to register for RE at St. Albert the Great for the 2024-25 school year.

#### A special note to parents...

- First graders must be baptized and attend Religious Education class in order to make First Communion in second grade.
- Seventh graders must be enrolled and attend Religious Education in both seventh and eighth grade to make Confirmation toward the end of their eighth-grade year.



**Religious Education Needs Catechists – Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>. Can you help!**  
Contact [tschumaker@stalbertthegreat.net](mailto:tschumaker@stalbertthegreat.net) if interested.

## BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

If you have a child under the age of seven who you would like to have baptized, you are welcome to attend an upcoming Baptism Preparation Class. The next class in our Kettering Catholic Community is:

- Monday, July 8 at 7 pm at St. Charles, in the Church. To register, please contact Erin Fanning at 937-434-9272 or [efanning@stcharles-kettering.org](mailto:efanning@stcharles-kettering.org)
- Sunday, August 4 at 9:30 am at Ascension, in the Parish Office building. To register, please contact Joe Ollier at 937-253-5171 or [jollier@ascensionkettering.org](mailto:jollier@ascensionkettering.org).

## FR. DAN MEYER HAS MOVED

Fr. Dan Meyer has moved out of the St. Albert Rectory, and has found a new place to live. He will continue to celebrate Mass for the KCC as needed. His new address is 200 Posey Lane, Apt 105, Centerville, OH 45459.

## LEISURE CLUB SUMMER PICNIC

Thursday, July 11 • Noon, Witzman Center, Rm 118

All seniors of the Kettering Catholic Community are invited to join us for hot dogs on the grill. Please bring a side dish to share. Chips and lemonade will be provided. RSVP to Sue Graham at 937-299-1827 or [sgraham@ascensionkettering.org](mailto:sgraham@ascensionkettering.org).



## WELCOME ANNIE OUTMAN, YOUTH MINISTER FOR KCC!

On July 1, the Kettering Catholic Community will welcome Annie Outman to our staff as our Junior High Youth Minister. Annie is a native of Georgia and a 2024 graduate of Belmont Abbey College in North Carolina. She will be ministering to the 6th-8th graders at all three of our parishes and schools. Annie will be making the rounds of our three parishes after she arrives. Please

introduce yourself and welcome her with our trademark KCC warmth!

## KETTERING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

# SOCIAL MEDIA

## RESPONSIBILITY & SAFETY



IMPORTANT INFORMATION  
FOR FAMILIES: PARENTS,  
GRANDPARENTS AND MORE!

**JULY 24 | 6:30-8 PM**

OFFICER ERIC RUSTEAD, KPD

Presentation begins  
at 6:30, followed  
by Q&A

ST. ALBERT THE GREAT  
PARISH CENTER  
3033 FAR HILLS AVE., KETTERING

## PARTY IN THE PARKING LOT AT ASCENSION

On Thursday, July 4, Ascension is happy to once again host firework watchers! Join us to pray in the Church from 7:30-8:30 pm. FREE refreshments for all will be provided. If you would like to help serve our community 4th of July Party in the Parking Lot, please contact Joe Ollier at [jollier@ascensionkettering.org](mailto:jollier@ascensionkettering.org).

## MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION

The St. Albert Monthly Food Collection continues on the weekend of the second Sunday of each month. There will be an updated schedule coming for the second half of 2024 to reflect current realities. Our food and other critically needed items will continue to be sent to Catholic Services Choice Food Pantry which serves all the eligible people and families of West Dayton.

This ministry and the Meals for the Homeless were formed over 35 years ago in response to a Housing and Homelessness in Dayton study at St. Albert. Unfortunately, this challenge continues. Thank you for your generosity over the years and into the future as we strive to help our struggling neighbors.

**The July Collection is the weekend of July 13 and 14**, gray bins will be placed outside of the church and chapel side for your items.

Contact Julie Burt at 937-409-6035 for more information.

## NAIM BRUNCH JULY 8

Christmas in July is the theme for the 10 am brunch where Naim members will bring the gifts they purchased to fill needs of St. Vincent Hotel guests. Monday, July 8, at the St. Joseph Parish Life Center, 411 E. Second Street is this month's meeting location. Cards will follow the regular meeting. What is Naim? The social and religious organization for Widowed Catholics, and if you would like more information, please contact Mary Jane Ryan at 937-299-3795.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CERTIFICATES

Are you celebrating a significant wedding anniversary in 2024? 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, or 75 years—Request a certificate signed by Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr by visiting the Archdiocese of Cincinnati webpage at [tinyurl.com/weddingcert](http://tinyurl.com/weddingcert) Questions? Please contact the Archdiocese of Cincinnati Marriage and Family Evangelization Office at [cne@catholicaoc.org](mailto:cne@catholicaoc.org)

## 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY THIS YEAR?

You're invited to attend a Golden Anniversary Mass:

- Saturday, September 7, 4 pm at St. John the Baptist, Tipp City
  - Sunday, September 8, 11 am at St. Peter in Chains, Cincinnati
- Registration is required to attend one of the Golden Jubilee Wedding Anniversary Masses. Please register online by completing the anniversary certificate request form above. Questions? Contact [cne@catholicaoc.org](mailto:cne@catholicaoc.org)

## FREE CATHOLIC INFORMATION BOOTH

Hosted by the Legion of Mary at the Montgomery County Fair, Sunday, July 7, noon to 10 pm, and July 8-13, 10 am to 10 pm in the air-conditioned Main Event Center, at the 4H Fairgrounds, 645 Infirmary Road in Dayton. Free literature, rosaries, medals, etc. Regular \$10-15 fair admission applies. For more Fair info and to purchase tickets online: [montcofair.com](http://montcofair.com). To volunteer or for info about the Legion of Mary, call or text Adam Walusis at 937-626-1353.



## WORD ON FIRE: EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL PILGRIMAGE

Session 5: "The Emmaus Walk" (Luke 24:13-28)

"Were our hearts not burning when He opened the Scriptures?"

"And they recognized Him in the breaking of the Bread."

These are exciting times for our Church! Jesus is meeting thousands of people on streets, in parks, on lakes, on bridges, in Churches as He is walked across America on the Eucharistic Processions from the four corners of America. The Eastern Seton route was led by Cardinal Dolan across NY City, through Central Park, stopping at the home of Elizabeth Ann Seton, Shrine of Mother Cabrini and then St. Patrick's Cathedral for Mass. Cardinal Dolan boarded a boat, blessing the Statue of Liberty on NY Island carrying the Eucharistic Jesus on his way to NJ. What a great symbol that Lady Liberty is of the freedom we have in worshipping Christ in our country!

The Eastern Procession will be entering our Cincinnati Archdiocese this week when it stops in Xenia at St. Brigid's Church for Adoration, Confessions, praise and worship and dinner. Following overnight Adoration, morning Mass will begin at 7:30 a.m. at St. Brigid's. Afterwards, a Eucharistic Procession will travel to Xenia Station. Along the route there will be a stop at the Greene County Jail to pray outside.

Please join our WOF small group to celebrate this "Emmaus Walk" on Friday morning. We will view a wonderful EWTN video where they are interviewing many young people and others who are walking on this journey to the Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis July 17-21. Their witness is awe inspiring! One lady was so in love with Jesus, she was in tears telling about it. The thousands of people, especially young people, in these processions is overwhelming. They stop at numerous Churches on their walk, praying there as they walk for a Eucharistic Revival in our own country and in the world.

Please help us celebrate and pray with the pilgrims for our country and get ready for the Congress which should be soaking in the Holy Spirit by the time it begins. Please pray for numerous conversions.

WHO: All are welcome!

WHERE: St. Charles Borromeo, Borromeo room

WHEN: Friday morning, July 5, 2024, 9:15-11:00 am

# 2024 Freedom Tree



The Freedom Tree to benefit  
Catholic Social Services  
Refugee Resettlement will be  
in the Gathering Space  
June 28-July 5.  
Take a tag and return items  
July 6/7



All adults in the  
Kettering Catholic Community  
are invited.

New players are welcome, no experience needed.



## BUNCO PARTY

Friday, July 12, 2024

7:00 pm in the Ascension Witzman Center



Connector door will be open for access to elevator.

Please bring a snack to share

Reservation not required

If you have questions

call Phyllis at 937-435-7114

Sponsored by Ascension Women's Guild





## JOIN THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE

*The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage is traveling through the Archdiocese of Cincinnati! Join the pilgrims on their journey as they accompany Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament to the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis.*



### GREENE COUNTY EXPO CENTER, JULY 1, 4:30PM-7AM

Eucharistic procession from Greene County Expo Center (Fairgrounds) to St. Brigid Church on July 1. The procession will begin between 4:30 and 5:00 p.m. Following the arrival of the procession at St. Brigid Church, a Holy Hour is planned that will include a talk from a national Eucharistic speaker and praise and worship music. Priests also will be available to hear Confessions. The Holy Hour is planned to take place between about 5:00 and 6:30 p.m. (Actual time is dependent on procession departure and arrival time.) Following the Holy Hour, a community meal will be available for all. The event will feature a display of Eucharistic Miracles by St. Carlo Acutis. After the evening meal and celebration, Adoration and Confession will be available in St. Brigid Church overnight until 7:00 a.m. Tuesday morning.

### ST. BRIGID, MASS & DEPARTURE, 7:30-9:30AM

Following overnight Adoration, morning Mass will begin at 7:30 a.m. Afterward, a Eucharistic procession will travel from St. Brigid Church to Xenia Station. Along the procession route, pilgrims will stop at Greene County Jail to pray outside. Coffee and donuts will be available after the Eucharistic procession.

### XENIA STATION, PILGRIMAGE, JULY 2

Walk from Xenia Station to Walton Park, Spring Valley

Departure from Xenia Station: 9:30 a.m.

Distance: 6.8 miles

Estimated Time Start-to-Finish: 5 hours

Approximate arrival at Walton Park, Spring Valley: 2:30 p.m.

The Eucharist will be driven from Walton Park to St. Francis de Sales Church prior to the Holy Hour at 6:00 p.m.

Visit [catholicaoc.org/jesus-is-here](http://catholicaoc.org/jesus-is-here) to learn more.

## 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. Visit [cssmv.org/you-can-help/volunteer](http://cssmv.org/you-can-help/volunteer).

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETINGS

Officers: Wednesday, TBA at 7:30 pm, Spirit Center, Rm C  
General: Thursday, TBA at 6 pm, Spirit Center Rm D

## LEGION OF MARY

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

## LEISURE CLUB

All seniors of the Kettering Catholic Community are invited. Meetings are at Ascension. For more information, contact Sue at [smgraham1024@gmail.com](mailto:smgraham1024@gmail.com)

## MEALS FOR THE HOMELESS

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. The 2024 schedule is now available in the Gathering Space or at [stalbertthegreat.net](http://stalbertthegreat.net)

## MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

All men of the Kettering Catholic Community are invited. For meetings at Ascension, contact Mike Wager at 937-361-1369. For meetings at St. Charles, contact David Schoeff at 937-367-3600.

## SCHOENSTATT

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

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

SVdP provides emergency assistance to the needy in our area in a confidential manner. Learn more at [stalbertthegreat.net/parish-ministries/st](http://stalbertthegreat.net/parish-ministries/st)

## 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 at 937-219-4140.

## WOMEN'S GUILD

All women of the Kettering Catholic Community are invited. For more information, email Sue at [smgraham1024@gmail.com](mailto:smgraham1024@gmail.com)

## KETTERING YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Wednesday nights, 7:30 pm for young adults 18+, in the Witzman Center at Ascension. To learn more, contact Anna at 937-789-8234.

## KETTERING ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

Alzheimer's Association peer support group meets Tuesdays, 7 pm at St. Charles in the Borromeo Room. To learn more, call the Alzheimer's Association at 937-610-7016.

## UPCOMING AT THE SHRINE

Contact Susie at 419-925-4532 or visit [mariasteinshrine.org](http://mariasteinshrine.org)

## SACRED HEART RADIO

Sacred Heart Radio is your local Catholic media connection helping you to learn, live and share the Truth of your faith 24-7! Listen on 740 and 910 AM, or download the app at [sacredheartradio.com](http://sacredheartradio.com)

## SISTERS OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD

Sharing and caring. Established newsletter is published by the Sisters of the Precious Blood, Dayton, Ohio.

## OASIS SENIOR ADVISORS

Free services for finding long-term senior housing options, advocacy, dementia and Alzheimer's care, Hospice care, transition of care, benefits and resources, and mobility issues. Contact Ann Wittoesch, 937-602-7852 or [AWittoesch@youroasisadvisor.com](mailto:AWittoesch@youroasisadvisor.com)

## MARIANIST FAMILY VACATION RETREAT

Registration is now open! Enjoy this opportunity to "unplug" as a family and have fun, while growing in your faith. To learn more, visit: [marianistsfamilyvactionretreat.com](http://marianistsfamilyvactionretreat.com)

## GROUPS & SERVICES

Bible Study: Julie Burt, 937-409-6035

Book Club Ladies: Kathy Zamonski,  
[wonderlywoman@gmail.com](mailto:wonderlywoman@gmail.com)

Facilities Scheduling Request: Submit via Parish  
Calendar on website

Garden Guild: Kate Dungan, [dungankate19@gmail.com](mailto:dungankate19@gmail.com)

Hearing Aid Loop: T-Coil on Church Side

Knights of Columbus: Gary Lammers,  
[glammers74@gmail.com](mailto:glammers74@gmail.com)

Legion of Mary: Gloria & Ennis Dodd, 937-229-1431,  
[legionofmarystalbert@yahoo.com](mailto:legionofmarystalbert@yahoo.com)

Low-gluten Hosts: The priest and one distributor on the chapel side will have low-gluten Hosts available.

Meals for the Homeless: Kim White, 937-522-1297

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