



Saturday, February 6, Saint Paul Miki

4:00 p.m. †Leo O. Stoltz

Sunday, February 7, 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. For the Parish

10:30 a.m. †Eva Marie & Earnest Supansic

Monday, February 8, Weekday

8:30 a.m. †William & Kelli Poutous (An.).

Tuesday, February 9, Weekday

8:30 a.m. †Robert Carpen

Wednesday, February 10, Saint Scholastica

9:00 a.m. †Angelo & Natalizia Bruno

Thursday, February 11, Our Lady of Lourdes

8:30 a.m. †Richard A. Loperfито

Friday, February 12, Weekday

8:30 a.m. †Stanley J. Tarosky

Saturday, February 13, Weekday

8:30 a.m. †Eugenio & Maria Iagnemma

4:00 p.m. †Ronald Benes

Sunday, February 14, 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. For the Parish

10:30 a.m. †William O. Naccarato (An.)



February 13 & 14

4:00 p.m. ~ Alex & Zack Pullet, Jordan Kiebler

8:00 a.m. ~ Dominique Carino, Madison Porter,
Zach Maritz

10:30 a.m. ~ Kaitlyn Sciullo, Brianna DelleDonne,
Casey Tomiczek

*This Week at
Saint Gertrude Parish*

**Sunday, February 7 ~ YM ~ 5:30-8 p.m. at CMA
Bingo ~ 7 p.m.**

**Tuesday, February 9 ~ Altar Rosary ~ 6:30 Rosary
in church ~ meeting to follow**

**Wednesday, February 10 ~ Bldg & Grounds
Committee meeting at 7 p.m. church hall**

Friday, February 12

9 - 12 N. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Saturday & Sunday, February 13 & 14 ~ Altar
Rosary Bake Sale**

Our Deepest Sympathy

Please remember in your prayers the soul of Madeline "Maietta" Putignano, sisters of Mary Mottola and Sue Maietta. May she rest in peace.



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Loose Collection.....359.47

God Bless all of you for your support of Saint Gertrude Parish!!

MILITARY HONOR ROLL ~ the parish would like to know the names of active duty personal and if possible also a picture of them to place on a board in the back of the church. The purpose of this is to remember our sons and daughters serving in the military in prayer and possible correspondence.



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A series of monthly classes on Benedictine Spirituality will continue on Sunday, February 21 from 3—4:25 p.m. in Brownfield Room 202 of Saint Vincent Seminary. Topic "Craftsmen of the Monastery" by Fr. Vincent de Paul Crosby, OSB, director of Archabbey Studios. **The Oblates of Saint Benedict** will meet at 6:45 p.m. The topic of discussion will be Chapters 1 and 2 of the book *Life and Miracles of St. Benedict*, with focus on St. Benedict's days as a hermit. Those wishing to pray Vespers with the monks at 5 p.m. and then stay for supper, contact Fr. Donald at 724-805-2291.



We welcome Owen Kristopher Geltz, son of Daniel & Candace Maria Stripling who joined our faith family through the sacrament of Baptism. May he grow in Christ's love.

TODAY THE SECOND COLLECTION ~ Great needs remain in the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Some parishes still need a proper place to celebrate Mass; some dioceses cannot maintain necessary social and charitable works; most cannot support basic pastoral work. Today, we ask you to donate generously to the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Give faith to the future.

Divorce and Beyond ~ is a Catholic 10 week program designed to help newly divorced participants deal with the hurt, anger and stress of divorce. The program begins Wednesday, February 24, at 7 p.m. and continues weekly through Wednesday, May 5 at St. Vincent Parish in Latrobe. It is open to anyone who has been granted a divorce or has already filed for divorce. Cost is \$10 for book and materials. Call Teri Pomerleau at 724-539-8629, ext. 15 to reserve your place.

Girl Scout Spirit Day ~ will host a "Catch the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Spirit" Day on Saturday, February 27, at Bishop Connare Center in Greensburg, Indiana Room for all Girl Scouts in grades 2-12. Registration at 9 a.m. and will end with Mass at 4 p.m. The cost is \$13 which includes lunch, crafts, program and patch. Although this is a Catholic Program, non-Catholics and non-Scouts may also participate. Registration forms by calling Glenda at 724-446-5197, deadline is February 19.

Holy Spirit School of Prayer—Lent 2010 ~ all are invited on a Lenten journey to a deeper prayer life by learning more about the Third Person of the Trinity and how the Holy Spirit can lead you closer to Jesus. Join us for six Thursday evenings beginning February 18 in the St. Vincent Parish Center Assembly Room at 7 p.m. Fr. Fred Byrne, OSB is our Spiritual Director for this event. For more info call Fr. Fred at 724-532-6655 or Alecia Moss at 724-836-6869.

SANCTUARY LAMP

In memory of Emanuel & Charles Silvestri by their
sister Barbara

MEMORIAL CANDLES

In memory of Fred, Richard & Anthony Massari by
their sister Rita

In memory of Jerry Stokes by wife & children

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS who are hospitalized, invalids or seriously ill at home: and all the sick who need our prayers.



SCHOOL NEWS

CARDINAL MAIDA ACADEMY OPEN HOUSE

Community open house

February 18, 2010, 6 - 8 p.m.

Cardinal Maida Academy

administration, staff, parents and students cordially invite all community members to attend our open house! Please come and take a tour, meet our staff and students and visit our classrooms. Pampered Chef (Melyssa Lynch) demonstration, 6 ~ 8 p.m. all host benefits will go to the Cardinal Maida Academy "Evening Under the Stars" Gala

ALSO.....

Cardinal Maida Academy will be starting a "Books To Go" program to promote reading. We are asking for children's books—new or used. Please place book donations in the box in the back of the church. Thank you for your support.

The Vandergrift Festa Italiana Committee will be holding their monthly meeting on Monday, February 8 at 7 p.m. at Bari Social Hall. All officers and committee people are requested to please attend. Final plans will be made for our Festa Italiana spaghetti dinner on Sunday, February 14 at Primo Event Hall from 4—7 p.m. Adult: \$10. Children 10 and under: \$5. Tickets available at Tommy's Catering, George's Plumbing and Tees & Tops. For more info call 724-568-9145

Quiet Please.....out of respect for those who come to pray before Mass begins, as well as for those who stay to pray after Mass has ended, we ask that all conversations be brief. Such thoughtfulness will lend itself to a more prayerful and reverent atmosphere in the Church.

ROSARY SOCIETY ~ meeting on Tuesday, February 9. We will meet in the church at 6:30 p.m. to recite the rosary and then meet in the church hall for our meeting.

Saint Vincent Development Club ~ is sponsoring a 9-day/8-night Eastern Caribbean cruise aboard the Carnival Miracle from September 12-20 with motor coach service from Latrobe to New York. Sail from New York to San Juan, Puerto Rico, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, and Grand Turk. For more info call Fr. Gilbert 724-805-2217 or 2218. To ensure that a cabin is available, a deposit is due as soon as possible.

Bishop Brandt has announced that the restrictions regarding the distribution of the Precious Blood for the faithful, and the exchange of the sign of peace are to be lifted effective February 17. Because of concerns related to the HINI influenza, extraordinary measures had been implemented during this flu season to protect the health of the faithful. On Ash Wednesday, parishes within the diocese may resume their ordinary practices in these matters.

If you have a concern about sexual abuse of a child or young person by anyone in a parish or diocesan position—clergy, volunteer or paid staff—please contact Bishop Brandt's delegate for matters of sexual misconduct. He may be reached at 724-837-0901, Ext 221.

The Bereavement Support Group of St. Vincent Parish in Latrobe will meet on Monday, February 15, 7 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Parish Center. Anyone mourning the loss of a loved one is invited to attend. The group meets the 3rd Monday of every month and there is no charge to attend.

BINGO

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SUNDAY

Church Hall ~ Doors open 5:15 p.m.

Bring a friend or two along and enjoy an evening out!

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