

## THE PARISH PRESS

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

March 2016

As our Parish family prepares for Holy Week, we hope you will join us as we prepare to celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord. We look forward to seeing you at one or all of the Masses listed below.

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"For if we have been planted together in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of His Resurrection."

Romans 6:5

Holy Week Facts Courtesy of the Catholic News Agency:

**Palm Sunday** marks the entrance of Jesus into Jerusalem **Holy Thursday** or Maudy Thursday celebrates the institution of Communion but also marks the betrayal by Judas.

**Good Friday** was the day of Jesus' arrest, trial, crucifixion, death, and burial.

**Holy Saturday**, Jesus remained in the tomb awaiting the Resurrection.

Easter Sunday, Christ rose from the grave. Hallelujah!

- > Holy Week was observed beginning in the early days of the Church. Pilgrims travelled to Jerusalem and conducted Passion plays.
- > Eastern and western Churches share the traditions of Holy Week; however they occur at different times.\*

## 2016 Holy Week & Easter Schedule

- Sunday, March: Palm Sunday
- Thursday, March 24th: Holy Thursday
- · Friday, March 25: Good Friday
  - ⋄ Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord 7:00 PM
- Saturday, March 26th: Easter Vigil
  - ♦ Mass at 7:30 PM
- Sunday, March 27th: Easter Sunday
  - Mass at 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM, 6:00 PM in Spanish

# We hope you enjoy this issue of the Parish Press

Thank you to everyone who contributed articles, ideas, and pictures as well as those who help put the newsletter together.

Blessings,

Jennifer C. Harris *Editor* 

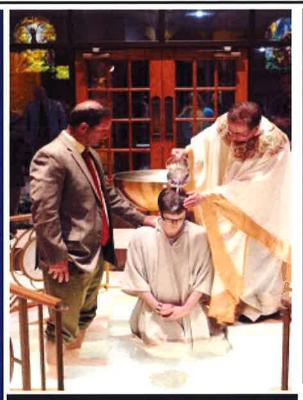
Amanda Bibb Communications Committee Chair

## **Keep in Touch**

Check out our new Facebook page!

www.facebook.com/ OLOLCCTN

Sign up for Flocknote at flocknote.com/OLOL or text OLOLCC to 84576



Father Eric Fowlkes baptizing at last year's Easter Vigil

Dear Friends,

As I write this letter, I am aware of the signs of spring emerging all around us.

This is a good time to reflect on those things that we as a community associate with the coming of this season of hope. The first is Easter. I trust that our communal Lenten journey has led each of you to the joy of the resurrection of our Lord and Savior. And in a special way, that our newest Catholics, those who have come through this year's RCIA class, will experience the joy of Easter in a new and profound way.

The second is the excitement surrounding the signs of new life that are also evident as we approach the completion of our new addition. This is promising to be a beautiful space in which to celebrate more fully as a parish family, the presence of God in our midst. Please watch for an invitation to a communal dedication and blessing of our new addition in the near future.

As we welcome spring, let us rejoice in signs of new life, new sacred spaces, and new spiritual insights into the awareness of God's great mercy in our lives!

With blessings of joy and mercy,

Your Pastor,

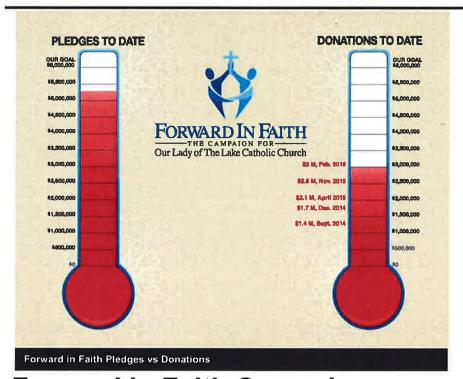
Father Eric

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

- 1 Peter 1;3

In this you rejoice,[a] even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, 7 so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honor when Jesus Christ is revealed.

- 1 Peter 1:6-7



## Forward in Faith Campaign

By Diane Huggins, Chairperson

This year, we will reach a significant milestone in the history of OLOL with the successful completion our building expansion project. We can all look forward to a grand celebration when we dedicate our beautiful new facilities in the late spring.

We want to thank everyone for your faithful support of our Forward in Faith capital campaign, which has made this exciting project possible.

Here are some exciting statistics about the progress of the campaign:

- ♦ Since October 2015, we have received an additional \$100,000 in pledges from 50 families.
- ♦ To date, 1000 families have pledged \$5.3 million toward our goal of \$6 million, and \$3 million has been collected in pledge payments and donations.
- 20% of families who made pledges (206 families) have already fulfilled or exceeded their original pledge commitment.

Please join me in a special prayer of gratitude for the incredible generosity of those who have given in faith for the benefit of our entire parish community.

Please keep in mind that reaching our \$6 million goal continues to be important. We must now pay for furnishings and equipment for the new space and manage the operational expenses and long-term debt for our new facilities on an ongoing basis. Remember, if you have not yet given to the Forward in Faith capital campaign, it is not too late to do so.

If you have any questions, feel free to call me at 615.476.2667.

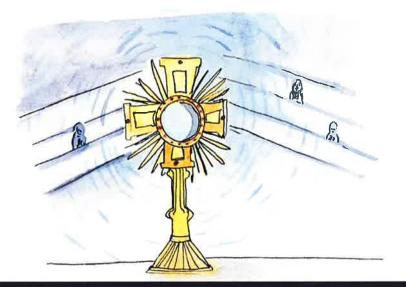
# Building Expansion

by Therese Casler

OLOL Building Committee
Chairperson

Are you excited as you watch the progress of the expansion project? We are going into the home stretch and should see completion by early May (of course, weather permitting) with a dedication celebration soon after. Our vision was to have the multi-purpose hall and the sanctuary bookend the education halls and youth room. and it looks fabulous. The architect firm and contractor have done a fantastic job of matching materials, especially on the exterior, of the addition to the existing facility as if it was always there.

The contractor plans to have asphalt poured to give us additional parking by Easter. Hooray! We will also offer another guided tour sometime in early April. Watch for announcements with the date and time posted in the bulletin. Many, many thanks, once again, for your patience during construction and for your ongoing financial support of this wonderful new addition.



**Blessed Sacrament** 

## **Eucharistic Adoration**

## Did you know?

Our parish provides you with an opportunity to spend an hour a week in the presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament exposed in a monstrance. This devotion - Eucharistic Adoration - involves two parishioners spending an hour each week from Monday at 10 AM to Saturday at 5 PM.

"Eucharistic Adoration has recently seen a rebirth in our churches. At Adoration, the Eucharist is exposed in a monstrance, so Christ can be publicly adored. We pray in Christ's presence, either privately or in community, and we answer His pleas to "watch and pray" with Him (Mt 26:41)."

- Tennessee Register

Venerable Bishop Scalabrini (d. 1905) said, "Adoration! It is no little comfort to me, I confess, when before the Tabernacle, I think that all those whom I have loved (and have passed) are adoring with me the same God; they—face to face, I under the mystic veil. Members of the Church Triumphant and the Church Militant, we are kneeling before the same Redeemer, the same Father."

## Adoration Sign-ups

We strive to have two adorers each hour (for vacation, sickness, etc. relief). The list of hours where we currently need a second adorer is on a table in the Narthex along with a signup form.

If you have any questions please contact one of our coordinators:

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\*\* See Page 9 for Open Adoration Time Slots

#### Did You Know?

The first recorded Adoration was in Avignon, France in 1226. The Blessed Sacrament was displayed after a victory as a show of Thanksgiving. The display went on continuously and was approved by the Pope.

## Saints for March, April & May

#### March 9

Feast Day of St. Dominic Savio. Patron Saint of Choirboys, the Falsely Accused and Juvenile Delinquents (A.D. 1842-1857)

"I can't do big things, but I want everything to be for the glory of God." (St. Dominic Savio)

#### April 29

Feast Day of St. Catherine of Siena, Doctor of the Church, Patron Saint of Fire Prevention, Nurses, Miscarriages (A.D. 1347 - 1380)

"Proclaim the truth and do not be silent through fear." (St. Catherine of Siena)

#### May 30

Feast Day of St. Joan of Arc, Patron Saint of Military Members and France. (A.D. 1412 - 1431)

"I place trust in God, my creator, in all things; I love Him with all my heart." (St. Joan of Arc)



Pope Francis Coat of Arms

## Intentions of the Holy Father

by Deb Heine, Parish Press

#### March

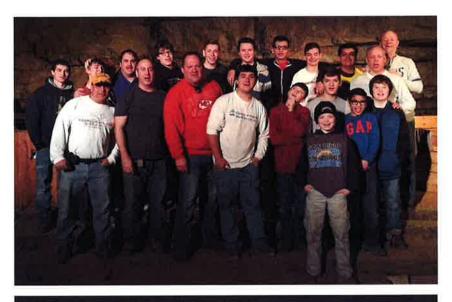
- Universal: Families in Difficulty. That families in need may receive the necessary support and that children may grow up in healthy and peaceful environments.
- For Evangelization: Persecuted Christians. That those Christians who, on account of their faith, are discriminated against or are being persecuted, may remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the incessant prayer of the Church.

#### **April**

- Universal: Small Farmers. That small farmers may receive a just reward for their precious labor.
- For Evangelization: African Christians. That Christians in Africa may give witness to love and faith in Jesus Christ amid political-religious conflicts.

#### May

- Universal: Respect for Women. That in every country of the world, women
  may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society
  may be highly esteemed.
- For Evangelization: Holy Rosary. That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.



The OLOL Fraternus Chapter at Cumberland Caverns

## You Didn't Miss Fraternus Excursion Number Two, Did You?

by Tom Mikulski

Your Fraternus chapter just completed Excursion #2 to Cumberland Caverns in Tennessee. As we typically do, we met two other chapters in the Nashville area and enjoyed two days of brotherhood, marveling in God's creation. The Fraternus team does amazing things with the Church youth. When you bring boys out into creation, they become more open to the Creator. You truly reach into the hearts of these young men. This experience of the outdoors is needed in a world saturated with media and materialism, especially in the teen years. Excursions are designed with a common theme and goal, namely, learning about our true identify as men. During the time together, we discuss more deeply how to further our journey in becoming virtuous Catholic men. Approximately 40-50 boys and 15-20 Captains and Dads joined the weekend outing.

We were truly blessed to have the company of Father Tony Stephens who drove in from Cincinnati to join our boys and Captains for the weekend. After watching Father climb trees, get into the cave "box", participate in "comp" time and provide Mass and confessions for us Saturday and Sunday, we realized how blessed we truly are. The Holy Spirit at work! Having Jimmy Mitchell, Project Discipleship Leader, along was also a bonus, as His enthusiasm and connection with the boys is a driving force to our goals of Fraternus.

For those who attended it was a truly rewarding spiritual experience. Mass on Saturday outside the caverns and again Sunday in the caverns was special to all of us. Once in the caverns, the adventure tour, bosco ball (you can see the pit in the picture above) and later "spelunking" were highlights. Not all of us, including your truly, were brave enough to go spelunking but those that did had a blast and learned how to rely on their brothers to get them through the smallest of crevices.

## **Upcoming** Fraternus **Activities EXCURSION #3** Fall Creek Falls, TN April 16-17 Sponsored by Our Lady of the Lake Chapter **RANCH** Copperhill, TN June 25 - 30 National Event for all chapters

## Evangelization by Vicki Joubert

Lent has always been my favorite time of the Church calendar. My family always makes fun of me because I think about what I will give up way in advance. However, Lent is about so much more than giving something up. In fact, we can get so caught up in the idea of giving something up that we lose sight of what we are doing for our soul during this time. And I am speaking from experience here. Sometimes I get so caught up in the rituals of a season that I forget to really take in what the season is about. I go through the motions: give something up (check), go to Confession (check), no meat on Fridays (check). Don't get me wrong, checking the boxes is important, but Lent is much more than that. It is a precious time that we are given as Catholics to weed and prune the garden of our soul. It is about the end of dreary winter giving way to the spring of new life. Jesus died for us on the Cross and then resurrects giving us new life, giving us Easter to celebrate. And He does this every year! Don't just move through the season, this year. Slow down and deeply drink in all that Jesus is offering to you this Lenten and Easter Season,



RCIA 2015-2016

## **RCIA: Class of the Year of Mercy**

by Anna Schoch, Parish Press

What do Catholics believe about Mary? What about confession? Oh, and while we are on the subject, what about Communion? And the communion of Saints?

Our RCIA class has heard from Father Eric, Father Thomas, Sister Maria, Patti Deffendall and several other presenters. We covered a variety of topics, including, (but not limited to) the essential catholic teachings, the history of the Catholic Church, the difference between dogma and doctrine, and the gift of the sacraments!

As we have journeyed together, sponsors, candidates and team, we have grown closer to each other and to the heart of our faith, which is Jesus himself!

In his recent book, "The Church of Mercy," Pope Francis quotes the Catechism of the Catholic Church: "the Catholic Church in the world has but one faith, one sacramental life, one apostolic succession, one common hope, and one and the same charity." He goes on to say, "It is a beautiful definition, it orients us well....Wherever we go, even to the smallest parish in the most remote corner of this earth, there is the one Church. We are at home; we are in the family, and we are among brothers and sisters."

At the time of this writing, we are nearly done with our RCIA journey, and yet, we all sense that, "The best is yet to come!" What a wonderful journey it has been, for candidates, sponsors, and team. Therefore, it is with great joy that we as a parish community say to our newest siblings, "Welcome to the family, dear ones!"

We do indeed love you!

In the Gospel the essential thing is mercy...Jesus says this clearly, summarizing his teaching for the disciples: "Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful" (Luke 6:36).—Pope Francis, September 10, 2014

## **Year of Mercy**

By Amanda Bibb

Merriam-Webster defines the word mercy as "compassion or forbearance shown especially to an offender or to one subject to one's power, lenient or compassionate treatment, a or compassionate treatment of those in distress."

We are currently in the Jubilee Year of Mercy initiated by Pope Francis in December of 2015. This milestone has been very important to the Christians everywhere. It receives a lot of attention from the press, is mentioned in many homilies, and is a frequent subject of conversation with Pope Francis. So why is this event so important? As Christians, should we not always be compassionate and show mercy toward those less fortunate, forgiving those who have wronged us? Yes of course, but if I'm thinking what Pope Francis was thinking (and I'm sure we think alike!), there was a very good reason to reemphasize acts of mercy at this moment in time.

Turn on the TV, and you will see the state of the world. In the United States alone, there is turmoil throughout the country. The response, to major violent events are placing blame, retribution, and further violence. That is just in our own back yard. There is not enough room to discuss world affairs. Speaking for myself, it is very depressing to see these things happening. It is easy to get angry and fall into a negative pattern. Another pattern we fall into is the "I'm too busy to deal with anyone but myself." We sort of withdraw, focusing on ourselves. What Pope Francis has done with the call to mercy is remind Christians throughout the world that they are supposed to be compassionate, loving, and forgiving.

During this year, there is a renewed focused on living like Christ. Think of how things would be different if we reacted differently... compassionately, rather than with anger. When you see something that makes you angry, remember to forgive. If someone has offended you, remember to forgive. As far as being too busy, make time to help those in need. Set aside one day or just a few hours a week to help.

## **Divine Mercy Sunday**

In His revelations to St. Faustina Kowalska, Jesus Christ asked that the first Sunday after Easter be established as Mercy Sunday, the "Feast of Divine Mercy," when His graces will be available in an extraordinary way to all those who ask. On Sunday, April 30, 2000, Pope John Paul II formally announced that the Sunday after Easter would henceforth be known as "Divine Mercy Sunday". Jesus said to St. Faustina, "On that day, the depths of My mercy will be open to all. Whoever will go to confession and Holy Communion on that day will receive complete for-giveness of sin and punishment." What better time to experience this celebration than in the Church's Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy?

Please join us for a **Celebration of Divine Mercy at 3:00pm on Sunday, April 3**. In preparation for the celebration and to receive the graces promised by Christ, we should go to reconciliation before the feast day, receive Eucharist on the feast, venerate the image of Divine Mercy, place our trust in Jesus and be merciful to others through our actions, words and prayers. Our celebration will include veneration of the Image, Exposition and Benediction of the Eucharist and praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. A novena begins on Good Friday and pamphlets will be available in the narthex and adoration chapel.

You can learn more about Divine Mercy Sunday at www.thedivinemercy.org.



## **Moms Plus**

We invite all moms to join us on Wednesday mornings from 9:30am-11:30 AM during the school year. Daycare is provided. Our meeting activities and topics include craft projects, speakers, bible study, garden day, casual social time and fellowship. Can't make it during the week? We also do Moms Night Out, family night outings, playdates, dinner with Santa, Easter egg hunt, and much more.

#### SAVE THE DATE!

Wiggles Giggles Spring Consignment Sale April 27-29, 2016 Consignor registration will open in early March

Our proceeds from the consignment sale are donated back to the church through:

- \$20.000 donation to the Forward in Faith campaign
- VBS Assistance
- Youth Mission Trip
   Sponsorship
- \* St. Bertin
- \* Haiti Medical Team
- \* Little Flowers
- Crisis Pregnancy Center

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## Vacation Bible School June 20-24, 9am – 12pm

Please join us for a Deep Sea Discovery Vacation Bible School! Get ready to dive deep into God's Word and discover how He has been with His people every step of the way. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy music,

crafts, snacks, recreation and Bible lessons. Classes available for Ages 3 years through  $5^{\rm th}$  grade.

VBS is a great way to serve your parish with volunteer opportunities for parishioners of ALL ages. It is a rewarding experience to see children sing the Lord's praises, make friends, and learn God's Word...all while having fun! If you would like to join our VBS team, you can sign up to be a teacher, help with crafts or music, serve snacks, lead outdoor activities, or help transform the new social hall into an underwater scene. You can also help make this week special for our kids by donating craft supplies and snack items.

VBS registration and volunteer forms are available in the church office, hallway near the elevator, and the VBS booth in the Narthex. You can also print a registration form from the church's website and turn it into the church office or mail it in ATTN: VBS. Background checks are required for volunteers. Those forms can also be found in the office.

A nursery will be provided for those who volunteer that week. We ask that children attending the preschool class be potty trained.

Contact Jessie Link ilink60@gmail.com 615.714.6613 or Denise Buck

## Adoration Availability (continued from page 4)

12 am	Wed, Thurs, Fri (2), Sat	12 pm	Sat
1 am	Wed (2), Thurs, Fri, Sat	1 pm	Fri (2), Sat (2)
2 am	Tue, Wed, Thurs (2), Fri, Sat	2 pm	Sat
3 am	Wed, Thurs, Sat	3 pm	Fri, Sat
4 am	Fri, Sat	4 pm	Wed, Fri (2), Sat
5 am	Tue, Wed	5 pm	Wed
6 am		6 pm	
7 am		7 pm	Tue
8 am		8 pm	Tue, Thurs, Fri
9 am	Fri, Sat	9 pm	Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri (2)
10 am	Tue, Fri, Sat	10 pm	Wed, Thurs (2), Fri (2)
11 am	Sat	11 pm	Mon (2), Tue, Wed,
			Thurs (2), Fri (2)

## OLOL Haiti Mission for St. Bertin Update

By Diane Huggins & Therese Casler, Co-chairs

We are pleased to report that, with the support of our OLOL parish family, we continue to make a real difference in the lives of many poor people at St. Bertin in Haiti.

#### **Medical and Dental Missions**

OLOL conducted a five-day Medical Mission Clinic at St. Bertin in Petit Bourg de Port Margot, Haiti, from January 16-22, 2016. This was the eleventh Medical Mission Clinic since 2003.



Lauren Reilly, RN, headed the 15-person team that consisted of two nurse practitioners, four registered nurses, a medical assistant and eight non-clinical team members. In addition to Lauren, mission team members included:

Peggy Byrne

Darlene Hand

Therese Casler

Lana Karram

Liz Connally, RN

Lisa Manor, RN

Bob Donovan

Michelle Martin, MA

Mary Genung, Nurse Practitioner

Christina Rader

Adria Gibbs, Nurse Practitioner

Cherie Terry, RN

Laurie Gibbs, RN

Diane Huggins

This year, the clinic was held in the new St. Bertin medical clinic facility, which was completed and dedicated in September 2015. Almost 1700 patients were examined and treated.

Plans for the Dental Mission Clinic scheduled for Jan. 22 – 26 were unexpectedly changed when the severe snow storm hit Nashville. The dental team was on the runway ready to depart BNA when all flights were cancelled due to the storm. Fortunately, Dr. Tom Heering arrived a day early on Jan. 21 with Doug Blake and Jon Hoscheit to set up the clinic. With instruments borrowed from a dentist in Cap Haitian, Dr. Heering was able to conduct a "one man" clinic, treating approximately 50 patients.

The OLOL Medical and Dental missions are especially important to the people of St. Bertin in the remote village of Petit Bourg de Port Margot, Haiti, who are always grateful to see us and receive needed medical and dental services. We want to thank our dedicated team of volunteers and the entire parish for your faithful support through prayers and donations that make these vital mission trips possible.

#### 2016 Sea Container Shipment

Collections for the 2016 Sea Container Shipment are underway through April 3. COPES, that is, the St. Bertin Parish Council, tells us that the items we send every year are vital to the people, particularly the poorest of the poor served through the St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Bertin. This year, they have asked us to focus more on food, over-the-counter medicines, school supplies and personal hygiene items rather than clothing. Thanks to everyone who donates items or money to this important mission service.

**How you can help.** Our mission is made possible through monthly green envelope and other donations. All donations are greatly appreciated. Also, we need your prayers. Please pray for the people of St. Bertin and the success of our efforts.

For more information or to get involved, please call Diane Huggins at 615.476.2667 or Therese Casler at 615.519.1863.

## **OLOL in ACTION**

#### LIFETEEN: We are The Church

"Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us"

Lifeteen's spring semester focus on The Church has been a great opportunity to look more deeply into how Christ established His Church on earth, why He sent the Holy Spirit to guide us 2000 years ago, and how the work of His Body continues today through each one of us. Since Pope Francis declared this the "Year of Mercy," Lifeteen has been breaking open the topic of Mercy, examining both the Corporal works of Mercy, which are physical in nature and the Spiritual works of Mercy, which pertain to the building up of our souls. We have discussed our understanding as Catholics that God's mercy is a free gift available to each of us, and that, as the Church, we are called to be His agents of mercy in the world.

If you are new to Lifeteen, each Lifenight has 4 parts: Gather, Proclaim, Break and Send. During the "Gather," we introduce new students and play a game. The "Proclaim" breaks open one teaching of the Catholic Church with videos and talks. The "Break" allows time for peer-to-peer ministry in small group discussions with guided questions. The "Send" is our wrap-up with music, final petitions and prayer, followed by dinner. Loving parent teams make and serve dinner for our teens every week. Our goal is to lead teens closer to Christ through our Wednesday night Youth Mass and Lifenights.

#### Middle School Camp-Camp Hidden Lake

On the high and low ropes course, in the mud pits, as well as in the music, Mass and Confession by the lake, our junior high school students encounter God at Camp Hidden Lake each summer. "My favorite time was morning praise," remembers Lily Manor. "Morning praise" required a long walk at 6:30AM down to the lake, to watch the sun rise between the Georgia pine trees. The reward of such a long walk is to hear young voices singing joyfully to a God who loves them enough to bring them there to rediscover Him in their hearts. Please pray for our junior high teens who will be at camp this summer, May 30-June 4.

#### Mission Trip-Our 16th Year of Service

Thanks for your support of the youth Christmas Coffeehouse and the Comedy Café. The proceeds from both of these events help more high school students attend our annual Catholic Heart Workcamp Mission Trip. This summer, we will travel to serve the poor in Mishawaka, Indiana, June 12-17<sup>th</sup>. We will tour Notre Dame University, and spend our fun day at Holiday World in Santa Claus, Indiana.

#### Altar Servers-You Rock!

Our altar server team is doing such a beautiful job serving at Mass each Sunday. We are so grateful for each student. Thank you for serving the Church. Anyone interested in joining the team can contact Ms. Patti at <a href="mailto:pattideffendall@comcast.net">pattideffendall@comcast.net</a>.

#### High School Confirmation Class: YOU ARE CHOSEN

If you have moved to Hendersonville from a Diocese which confirms students in high school, we offer a Sunday night class "CHOSEN" for high school Confirmation students at 6:30 PM in the youth room. Please join us if you are seeking Confirmation, and you are in high school.



The Live Nativity with Becca & Eric Gad

Below: JD Odom, Kendall Richards, Jacob Ludwig, Kayla Hicks and Alec Weis.



## Save the Date

YOUTH PASSION PLAY Good Friday, March 25, 7PM

YOUTH 2000 RETREAT at St. Philip in Franklin, April 15-17

CONFIRMATION, May 19<sup>th</sup>
The Catholic Center

STEUBENVILLE, ATLANTA, July 8-10

## Golden Guys & Gals

Winter got you down? Do you need companionship or just to be out and about? We have the answer for you. If you are 50+ years old, come join The Golden Guys and Gals. The group meets on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at 1:00 P.M. in room 202/203 at OLOL. Since we are a new group, we are getting our feet wet slowly with going out for breakfasts and luncheons at local restaurants. We are planning on expanding our activities. The group is open to different activities and all suggestions are welcome. There are no membership requirements (other than age). All you need to do is join us at our meetings.

For information or to join an activity, Call Kandie G'Francisco at 15.822.0719.





## **Baptisms**

Congratulations to all!

For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into one Spirit."

#### 1 Corinthians 12:13

- Samantha Atilano
- Jaelynn Ayala
- Sophie Bricker
- Natalie Bricker
- Ryker Buterbaugh
- Paul Childress, Jr.
- Maximus Cizmarik
- Bianca Debrosse
- Kennedi DeMarcus
- Jesus Diaz
- Connor Hodge
- Riley Jaques
- Reese Jaques

- William McCartney
- Beau Mitchell
- Cooper Perry
- Haylee Ramon
- Jason Ramon
- Harlow Rickles
- Yadira Ruiz
- Lilian Smith
- Patrick Smith
- Evelyn Stuart
- Freya Vonderharr
- Sage Williams
- Scarlett Zimmerman

## **Deaths**

Our heartfelt condolences to the families of:

- Jerold Flinn
- Walter Koscienski
- Steve Primm
- Thomas Grissop
- Scott Mitchell
- Sheldon Mellon
- Bill Gash

## **Marriages**

Our very best to the newlyweds:

- Joseph Dixon and Margaret Lyons
- Nelson Cortez and Silvia Wox



## Welcome New Members

Please join us in welcoming the following families who have recently registered at Our Lady of the Lake.

Our Parish family is a large and active one and is always in need of newcomers involvement.

For additional questions or volunteer opportunities, please contact:

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**Saturday Mass** 5:30 PM (fulfills Sunday Worship obligation)

**Sunday Masses\*** 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Spanish Mass 6:00 PM

### **Weekday Masses**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9:15 AM

Friday (Communion Service) 6:30 AM

Wednesday Youth Mass (when school is in session) 6:15 PM

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