

THIS WEEK AT ST. CLARE



Sunday
—After 9:00 a.m. Mass—Sunday Snacks, Friendship Hall
—10:30 a.m. CCD, Friendship Hall basement
—5:00 p.m. Lenten/Easter Bible Study, Fireside Room, Berea College campus

Monday
—6:30 p.m. Choir practice

Tuesday
—Office open 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
—9:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Guild meeting, FH
—6:30 p.m. Scouts, Friendship Hall

Wednesday
—Office open 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
—6:00 p.m. Lenten/Easter Bible Study, FH
—6:30 p.m. Scouts, Friendship Hall

Thursday
—8:30 a.m. Adoration
—Office open 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
—9:15 a.m. Lenten/Easter Bible Study, FH

Friday
—6:00 p.m. Room in the Inn
—7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross (outside)

Saturday
—6:30 p.m.-6:50 p.m. Confessions

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Saturday, March 9
Lector: Sister Mary Reginald

Sunday, March 10
Lectors: Bob Rucker
Extraordinary Minister: Christy Pryor
Greeter: Isidro Cadena

Saturday, March 16
Lector: Pat Calie

Sunday, March 17
Lectors: Dennis Jacobs
Extraordinary Minister: Marge Cummings
Greeter: Julie LeBrun

Snacks: March 17
Sharon Gabbard, Julie LeBrun, Amy Poynter, Christy Pryor, Esmeralda Wilson

STEWARDSHIP	
Yearly budget	\$ 154,339.64
Needed weekly	\$ 2,968.07
Masses Mar. 2-3	\$ 2,854.28
(+/-)	\$ -114.79
Bldg/Maintenance Fund	\$ 1,477.00

Holy Mass Schedule/Intentions

Sat., Mar. 9- 5:00 p.m. (OLMV) Pro Populo
7:00 p.m.(St. Clare) Cath. Ext. Donors
Sun., Mar. 10- 9:00 a.m.(St. Clare) +James Schwartz
11:45 a.m.(St. Paul) Cath. Ext. Donors
4:00 p.m. (St. Clare) Misa en español
Wed., Mar.13-5:00 p.m. (St. Paul) Cath. Ext. Donors
Thur., Mar.14- 8:00 a.m. (St. Clare) Cath. Ext. Donors
Sat., Mar. 16- 5:00 p.m. (OLMV) Cath. Ext. Donors
7:00 p.m.(St. Clare) Cath. Ext. Donors
Sun., Mar. 17- 9:00 a.m. (St. Clare) Cath. Ext. Donors
11:45 a.m.(St. Paul) Pro Populo
4:00 p.m. (St. Clare) Misa en español

In an effort to slow the spread of flu and whooping cough, communion will be distributed under ONE species for the foreseeable future.

PRAYER NEEDS

Parishioners: Marci Griffin, Jasmin Hardin, Lois Lear, Nan Navarre, Carol Norman, Gene Startzman, John Wallhausser



Family and Friends: Elise Andre; Jamey and Rick Curtis (family of Father John Curtis); Wauneth Forester (mother of Ed Forester); Karen Kuntz (friend of Nancy Scarlett); Marian Parino (grandmother of Krystifer Colli-Biondi), repose of the soul of John Woodruff.

Names will remain on the prayer list for the month in which they are inscribed, unless you would like for the prayer request to remain longer—please enter your request into the Book of Prayer in the narthex.

Lenten Spiritual Work of Mercy

The Way of the Cross for the Holy Souls in Purgatory at the Via Dolorosa Mausoleum (874 W. Main St., Lexington, KY) on Fridays, Mar. 15, 22, 19, Apr. 5, 12 at 3:00 p.m. The Stations of the Cross are displayed in the cupola and booklets are provided for use during the prayer gatherings.

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Or by appointment

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Music Director	Ed Forester	edward.forester@gmail.com	859-868-8616 (cell)
Office Manager	Marie Rowland	mrowland@cdlex.org	859-986-4633 (office)

Baptism: Baptismal preparation is required of all parents prior to the celebration of baptism. Please call parish office for an appointment.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 6:30 p.m.—6:50 p.m.

Anointing of the Sick: Please inform the parish office when someone needs a visit from a priest.

Marriage Preparation: Make arrangements with the parish office at least six months before the intended wedding.

Visitation of Sick and Homebound: If you or a member of your family is in the hospital, privacy acts prohibit ministers from obtaining names through the hospital; therefore, you must contact the parish if you would like a visit. Also, please contact the parish to request homebound visits if you become ill.

Inclement Weather: Check WKYT-TV's weather closings report for weekend masses if weather is bad. For office hours and weekday masses: Office is closed and mass and activities cancelled if Berea Community School is closed due to weather.



Announcements/Anuncios



SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection next weekend (March 16-17) is for Catholic Relief Services. This collection supports six Catholic agencies that touch more than 100 million lives around the world. The funds from the collection help provide food to the hungry, welcome and support to displaced refugees, and invaluable life skills to those seeking a better life. How will you help? Next week, please give generously to the Catholic Relief Services collection and Jesus in disguise.

On the first Sunday of Lent, all the catechumens will gather with Bishop Stowe at the Cathedral for the Rite of Election. We at St. Clare send Sean Patrick Seagraves, a Berea College student who will become one of the Elect. Please pray for Sean and for all of God's Elect as he enters this next stage of discernment, moving towards full membership in the Church through Baptism at the Easter Vigil.

ROOM IN THE INN

Please help St. Clare participate in our local rolling homeless shelter, which continues through March 15. To do so, please talk to Fr. Simpson or Dennis Jacobs at your earliest convenience. You will need a Kentucky background check, the diocesan Safe Environment Training and a completed volunteer application.

Lenten/Easter Bible Study

- Every Thursday (starting 3/7) at 9:15 a.m., Friendship Hall
- Every Sunday (starting 3/10) at 5:00 p.m., Fireside Room, Berea College campus
- Every Wednesday (starting 3/13) at 6:00 p.m., Friendship Hall

The Church's Prayer as We Begin Lent

Grant, O Lord, that we may begin with holy fasting this campaign of Christian service, so that, as we take up battle against spiritual evils, we may be armed with weapons of self-restraint. We ask this through Christ Our Lord.