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Please Refer to Website for Ministry Schedule

Bulletin Deadline

Deadline for Bulletin Announcements is 4:00 PM on Tuesday.

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Meetings and Activities for the Week

Sunday, March 11

**Finish CRHP Women's Retreat
 No Pre-K Sunday
 No Religious Ed Grades 1-6**

9:30 am Mass	RCIA Second Scrutiny	Worship Space
9:30-10:30 am	Breaking Open the Word	Parish Library
10:30-11:30 am	Catechist Training	Religious Ed. Wing
12:00-2:00 pm	Mom's Min. Easter Egg Project	Social Hall
2:45-4:30 pm	Confirmation Class	YM Wing/Social Hall
3:30-5:00 pm	5:00 pm Music Group	Worship Space
6:00-7:30 pm	Raising Faith Filled Teens	PLC #55
6:00-7:45 pm	Life Teen Social Night	Off Campus
6:15-7:30 pm	EDGE Jr. High Classes	Church Building

Monday, March 12

8:30 am-6:00 pm	Adoration	Chapel
9:30 -11:00 am	Mon. AM Women's Bible Stdy.	PLC #55
12:30-3:00 pm	S.O.U.L. Kitchen	PLC Kitchen
6:00-8:00 pm	Feeding the Homeless	Cathedral Kitchen
6:00-7:30 pm	Religious Ed Monday	Religious Ed Wing
7:00 pm	Usher Training	Worship Space
7:00 pm	RCIA	PLC #51-53

Tuesday, March 13

After 12:00 Mass	55 and Better Luncheon	Social Hall
1:00-2:00 pm	Spirituality of St. Hildegard	PLC #51-53
7:00 pm	Eucharistic Minister Training	Worship Space
7:00 pm	Stephen Ministry Ldr. Mtg.	PLC #58
7:00 pm	Wooster Scot Band Concert	Worship Space
7:30 pm	Athletic Committee	PLC #51-53

Wednesday, March 14

10:00 am	MOMS Bible Study AM	Room #17
1:00 pm	Lent 4.2 Afternoon	PLC #51-53
6:00-6:45 pm	Children's Choir Practice	Worship Space
6:00-6:45 pm	Lenten Choir Study	Room #14
7:00-8:00 pm	Young Adult Small Group	Rm. 20
7:00 pm	Lent 4.2 Evening	PLC #51-53
7:00 pm	Centering Prayer	PLC #56
7:00 pm	Choir	Worship Space
9:00 pm	Adult Basketball Open Gym	PLC Gym

Thursday, March 15

9:30-11:45 am	Thursday AM Bible Study	PLC #51-53
9:45-11:15 am	Mom's Ministry-AM	Rel. Ed Pod & Noah's Place
5:45 pm	AA Open Meeting	Room #17
6:30 pm	Shawl Ministry	PLC #52
7:00-8:30 pm	Thursday Eve Bible Study	PLC #58
7:00-8:30 pm	Three Philosophies of Life	Chapel
7:00 pm	11:00 am Music Group	Worship Space
7:15-8:45 pm	Mom's Ministry-PM	Rel. Ed Pod

Friday, March 16

5:00-7:30 pm	Fish Fry	PLC Gym
5:30 pm	Kelly/McSweeney Wed. Reh.	Worship Space
7:00 pm	Stations of the Cross	Worship Space

Saturday, March 17

6:30-8:00 am	Adult Basketball Open Gym	PLC Gym
7:00-8:00 am	SoulCore	RE Pod
2:30 pm	Kelly/McSweeney Wedding	Worship Space
5:00-9:00 pm	St. Patrick's Day Celebration	Social Hall

Sunday, March 18

Pre-K Sunday

8:00,9:30,11:00 am	Rel. Ed.—Grades 1-6	RE Wing & PLC
9:30 am Mass	RCIA Third Scrutiny	Worship Space
9:30-10:30 am	Breaking Open the Word	Parish Library
3:30-5:00 pm	5:00 pm Music Group	Worship Space
6:00-7:30 pm	Raising Faith Filled Teens	PLC #55
6:00-7:45 pm	Life Teen	PLC
6:15-7:30 pm	EDGE Jr. High Classes	Church Building

Lenten Penance Services

All Penance Services will be held at **7:00 pm**

March 13	St. Maria Goretti	Westfield
March 20	St. Alphonsus	Zionsville
March 21	St. Joseph	Lebanon
March 22	St. John the Baptist	Tipton (2:00 pm)
March 22	St. John the Baptist	Tipton
March 23	St. John Vianney	Fishers

Adoration

There is Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Confessions

Monday – 5:30-6:15 pm
Saturday – 8:45 am or by appointment

Daily Rosary

There will be a Rosary said daily after the 8:15 am Mass in the Chapel.

55 & Better

55 & Better will gather on Tuesday, March 13. We will meet for noon Mass followed by a “pitch-in” meal and fellowship in the Social Hall from 12:30-2:30 pm. Please bring: A-G – main dish; H-M – salad; N-Z – dessert. Call Kathy Kuchzrski, 317-336-2852 or Cathy Seibert, 317-374-6228 with any questions.

Minor Trafficking Survivor Benefit Concert with former Vatican Organist Hector Salcedo

Holy Spirit at Geist will welcome Mr. Hector Salcedo, former Organist and Cantor at St Peter's Basilica in Rome and current Music Director at St Malachi, for a musical performance in partnership with our parish choir and musicians on Friday, April 13, at 7:00 pm. This concert will benefit Ascent 121, an Indianapolis based organization providing treatment for survivors of minor sex trafficking here in the Indianapolis and Fishers area. Admission is free with opportunities for giving directly to Ascent 121 while in attendance. A chance to visit with Hector, our musicians, and representatives from Ascent 121 will follow with light snacks and coffee/tea served.

For questions or more event information please contact Kevin Walters at kmartinwalters@gmail.com or Andrea Frey at andrea@hspgeist.org. For information about Ascent 121 please visit www.ascent121.org.

Raising Faith-Filled Teens

It's no secret that many young people leave the Church from ages 18-25. So how can we as parents help them grow a faith that lasts into adulthood? Join us on 18 at 6:15 pm in the Parish Life Center to discover tools, research, and strategies for helping our teens encounter Christ and develop their identity as adults. For more information, contact Shannon Schmidt in the parish office.



St. Patrick's Day Party

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with Holy Spirit! All parishioners over 21 years are welcome for traditional Irish food, beer, wine, and music Saturday, March 17 at 6:30 PM in the Social Hall. Advance tickets are \$25 per person (additional \$10 per person at the door). Limited seating is available. Additional collections will be taken at the event to benefit the Tamarindo fund, which benefits after school programs and community centers operating in impoverished neighborhoods in Central & South America.

Easter Children's Choir

Children in grades two through six are invited to join our Easter Children's Choir. We rehearse on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 6:45 p.m. in the church and we will be singing at the 11:00 am Mass on Easter Sunday (April 1) in the Parish Life Center Gymnasium. Our first rehearsal will be on Wednesday, March 14. For more information or to sign up please visit the parish website or contact Andrea Frey at andrea@hspgeist.org.

S.O.U.L KITCHEN

A ministry dedicated to helping the homeless.

You can help in many ways:

- Serve Monday night dinner downtown. Sign-up on the Holy Spirit website or call Joyce McMullen at 317-409-3191. You must be at least 15 years old to serve the meal.
- Prepare food/sort clothing in PLC Mondays 12:30-3:00. For more info, contact Kathryn Witcher at 317-682-7166.
- Donate items/drop off in Social Hall under coat rack outside kitchen.
 - Men's and women's clothing, especially JEANS & sweatshirts
 - WINTER COATS, gloves and hats
 - Shoes and work boots
 - Sleeping bags
 - Bath and Bed linens
 - Small toothpaste/ deodorant
 - Feminine products
 - Underwear (men & women)

Easter Baskets

Donations are being accepted through Palm Sunday for Easter Baskets. Families can donate completed baskets or things to go into the baskets. All items can be left in the Gathering Space at the church. Suggested donations include Easter grass, match box cars, nail polish, teen makeup/perfume, unopened fast food meal prizes, small activity books, stickers, kids tattoos, small/trial size lotions, toothpaste and brushes, baskets, and, of course, candy. Cash donations are also welcome and can be dropped in the collection basket in an envelope marked "Easter Baskets". Please keep the recipients of our baskets in your prayers. For more information, contact Colleen Cunningham at thecunning1@yahoo.com.



Wooster Scot Band Concert at Holy Spirit

Please join us for an evening of music with The College of Wooster Scot Band on Tuesday, March 13th, 7:00 pm. The group from Ohio features a full Concert Band as well as bagpipers and Highland dancers. This performance is part of the Wooster Scot Band’s annual spring tour, giving students the opportunity to share their musical enthusiasm with the community.

HSG Men’s Club - Matthew Springer Memorial Scholarship

Holy Spirit Men’s Club will be accepting applications for \$500.00 college scholarships. Qualified applicants must be graduating high school seniors who have demonstrated service to Holy Spirit Parish and the community. Applications and specific details can be found in the Life Teen office or on the HSG website. **Deadline for applications is April 20, 2018.** Scholarships will be awarded in May/June 2018.

40 Days of Life

The 40 Days of Life campaign is nearing the end. There are still plenty of times available for you to join us in peaceful prayer. Holy Spirit at Geist is specifically committed to Monday’s from 10:00-12:00 at Planned Parenthood at 8590 Georgetown Rd. This campaign only lasts until March 18 so please consider giving your time. For more information or to sign up to participate visit www.40daysindy.org or contact Stephanie Walters at hspgeistR4L@gmail.com

Soul Core Lent Series

Enrich you Lenten journey this year and join us for a special Lenten series of Soul Core focusing on the sorrowful mysteries. Soul Core is a contemporary new movement that pairs the prayers of the rosary with core strengthening exercise. No fitness level or experience required and no sign up necessary. All are welcome! Classes at 7:00am most Saturdays of Lent: March 10, March 17, March 24 and March 31. Lenten series will take place in the Rel. Ed. Pod. Visit www.soulcore.com or contact Betsy Golden at sgmundus@yahoo.com for additional information.

Athletic Corner

Mini Champs Baseball

Signup is online at www.hsgathletics.org for Mini Champs Baseball. This is an intramural program for boys and girls ages 4 through 7. 4 and 5 year olds play tee-ball. 6 and 7 year olds play coach-pitch. The format is a practice followed by a game each week in one session. Sessions are on Saturdays from 10:00 to 11:30 with rain out dates on Wednesday evenings. The season runs from April 21 through May 19. Cost is \$55 per player with discounts for families with multiple players.

Open Gyms

If you are interested in participating in or running open gyms for volleyball or basketball in the off-season, sign up at www.hsgathletics.org. This is open to boys and girls going into grades 4 through 12 in the 2018-19 school year. There is also a signup to gauge interest for adults.

Life Teen Dates: March 11th (Laser Tag –NO regular Life Teen), March 18th, March 25th

Spring Retreat Teen Team Applications OPEN!

Are you a Junior or Senior and have attended a retreat at HSP? Come be a leader on our Spring Retreat, April 27-29th. Applications due March 18th. Grab one outside of Rachel’s office!

Spots still available for our Summer Trips!

ND Vision - July 9-13th at University of Notre Dame.
Glenmary Mission Trip – July 22-28th @ Rutledge, TN.
*See YM website for more information! Open to all incoming freshman through outgoing seniors.

Lenten Bible Study – Wednesdays @ 7 pm

Join us for our special Lenten Bible Study every Wednesday @ 7 pm at Starbucks (8958 E. 96th St.). All are welcome at any time!

Confirmation

7th Confirmation Session: Sunday, March 11th at 2:45 pm (Theology of the Body)
Next Outreach Day: March Fish Fries (16th, 23rd)

Readings for the Week

- Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54
 - Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16
 - Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30
 - Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47
 - Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
 - Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53
 - Sunday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:3-4, 12-15; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33
- Alternate readings (Year A):
Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11;
Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

Ministry Schedule Update

Please submit any changes for the ministry schedule that is being prepared for the next **three** months - **April, May, and June 2018** by Monday, March 12.

If you aren’t already receiving your schedule electronically and would be willing to do so, please email Lori Finn at ymsec@hspgeist.org.

Please submit any changes to Lori Finn at ymsec@hspgeist.org.

All changes **must be received** by **MONDAY, March 12**, to be incorporated into the next schedule. Please help our mass leaders by being at your scheduled masses and arriving 15 minutes early. **You are responsible for finding a substitute if you are not available for an assigned Mass.**

Masses for the Week

Sunday, March 11

8:00 am Parishioners
 9:30 am Tofica ☩ & George ☩ Sara requested by Joseph & Becky Lamirand
 11:00 am Don Smith ☩ requested by Alice Gleason
 5:00 pm Kyleigh Mazer ☩ requested by the Goudreau family

Monday, March 12

8:15 am George Wilczek ☩ requested by Sue Wilczek
 6:30 pm Leo Wasserman ☩ requested by Ron & Gail Wasserman

Tuesday, March 13

8:15 am Eric Petruzzi ☩ requested by a friend
 Noon Nicole & her twins requested by family

Wednesday, March 14

8:15 am Julie A. Roesch ☩ requested by Tom & Robin Marks
 Noon Mercedes Agustin ☩ requested by the Ang family

Thursday, March 15

8:15 am Rev. Msgr. Paul H. Olmsted ☩
 10:00 am (Hamilton Trace) John Ward ☩ requested by family

Friday, March 16

8:15 am Jennifer Lomas ☩ requested by Mary Lomas

Saturday, March 17

8:15 am Anne Elizabeth Vaughan ☩ requested by the Vaughan family
 5:30 pm Lou O'Keefe ☩ requested by Gloria O'Keefe

Sunday, March 18

8:00 am Parishioners
 9:30 am Michael Moran ☩ requested by Ted & Nedra
 11:00 am Margie Gehlhausen ☩ requested by Gale Wm. Gehlhausen
 5:00 pm Barbara Mendez ☩ requested by Sharon Deininger



Men's Club Fish Fry

The Holy Spirit at Geist Men's Club annual Lenten Fish Fries start Friday, Feb. 16 and run through Friday, Mar. 23 from 5:00-7:30 pm (note new hours) in the Parish Life Center gym. The "all you can eat" menu includes fried Alaskan fish, macaroni & cheese, coleslaw, applesauce, rolls and cookies plus a drink AND entertainment (most Fridays starting at 6:00 pm). Price \$9.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children (ages 4-12) children under 4 are free. What a great way to celebrate with your friends and family plus meet new parishioners. See you there!

New Parishioners

Please welcome the following new members to our Church family who registered in February.

- M/M Gilbert Rezendes*
- M/M Kevin Vater*
- Kaitlyn Burke & Bob Kinder*
- Julie P. Sterling*
- Christopher Sanders & Jessica Bowlds*
- M/M William Thornberry*
- Jessica Graham*
- M/M Max Melchi*
- Mr. Nova Gilliatte, Jr.*
- M/M Michael Keve*
- Joshua Francis & Meaghan MacQueen*
- M/M David Harner*
- Dr. Benjamin Abratigue*
- M/M Mike Hunkin*
- Tyler Wright & Mindy Pate*

Stewardship

Weekly Goal = \$39,000
 March 4 = \$43,294.03

Fifty-Fifty Club

Congratulations to Dyar & Bertha Miller (#3316), the winners in the 50/50 club drawing for the week of March 4. The Miller's and Holy Spirit will split \$13,129. Registered parishioners may enter the weekly drawing by putting \$5.00 in the 50/50 envelope from your monthly packet. **All proceeds from 50/50 go to fund our outreach programs.**

Needed: Furniture & Appliances

If you have large furniture items or appliances in good condition that you wish to donate, please call the Parish Office at 849-9245 to arrange for pickup.



Are you aware of a fellow parishioner who is hospitalized? Maybe a CRHP brother or sister or someone from a parish ministry that would really like

some spiritual companionship. Why not call the parish office at 849-9245 and have a trained Stephen Minister scheduled for a visit. Hospital visits can be lonely and difficult times for many people. Sharing your concerns with a Stephen Minister just might ease the burden. We have many people who would like to visit you, your family or your friends. It all starts with a phone call.

Lectors Needed

Friday, March 23 we will be using "The Way of the Cross according to Mark" for our 7:00 p.m. evening Stations. For this service we need several readers. You will receive the readings and more directions ahead of time and we will meet at 6:30 pm on the 23rd to go over final details. If you would like to take part in this Way of the Cross please contact Andrea Frey at andrea@hspgeist.org or 849-8016.

Prayers For Our Military Personnel

Please pray for the following military personnel who are relatives of Holy Spirit parishioners and are serving our country overseas. If you have family members to add to this list, please call the Parish Office at 849-9245.

Army PFC Christopher Gough, relative of the Konal Family
 Sgt. 1st class Anthony Munsey and Chief Warrant Officer
 Matthew Munsey, sons of Phil and Fay Munsey
 Army PFC Aaron Ferris, brother of Danielle Thomas
 Army Corp. Erich Hetke, Brother-in-Law of Michael & Beth George
 USMC Lt. Col. John Jansen, son of Colleen & Joseph Jansen
 Petty Officer 2nd Class Ben Rogers
 Army 1st Sgt David William Carr, friends of Tim & Karen Cover
 Air Force Spec. Zachary Stevens, grandson of Dale Lareau
 Army PFC John Ippolito, nephew of Mark & Marie Ippolito
 Army Spec. Kyle Gwart, nephew-of Mike Nicholas
 U.S Army Sgt. Andrew Reyling, brother of Heather & Jarrett Kahl
 Christian Maturana
 Lcpl. Brad Edgecomb, nephew of Dave & Kathy Vissing
 E4 Matthew Riddle, grandson of Chuck & Mary Ann Callahan
 CMSgt Jeffery Maier, USAF, husband of Mary Pat Moley and son in law of Harry & Jackie Russell
 Lt. Eric Musial, USN, brother of Jeff & Christine Franciski
 Captain Mark Koval, USMC, brother in law of Jeff & Christine Franciski
 Lt. Col. Jim Zieba, husband & father of Sherry & children
 Army PFC James Spencer, son of Maria & Charles Spencer
 Sgt. James Ruth, son of Alice Ruth
 USN LCDR Chris Jones, son of David & Aileen Jones
 USMC Pvt. Adam C. Yotter
 USAR Maj. Wallace Weakley, nephew of Tony Elliott
 US Army Lt. Robert Anthony Stovall, II, nephew of Sylvia Quesenberry
 Corp. Christopher Tolmachoff, son of Mary Harris
 USAF 1st Lt. Matthew Pfarr, brother-in-law of Steve & Marie Bombei
 Sgt. J. Maxwell Kennedy, USMC son of Joseph & Beth-Ann Kennedy
 US Army Col. Thomas W. Seifert, son of Richard & Mary Seifert
 Specialist Anthony Chastain, nephew-in-law of Tom & Robin Marks
 USAR Cpt. Nathan Humbert, nephew of Ann & Brian Rohrer
 USN Airman 1st Class Andrew Bray, son of Susan Wartenburg
 USAF Airman Michael J. Wartenburg, son of John & Susan Wartenburg
 Marine Pfc Joseph Myren, son of Mari & Steve Myren
 Army Captain Douglas J. Ausenbaugh, nephew of Scott & Nancy Springer
 1st Lt. Steven Webster, son of Mark & Diane Webster
 2nd Lt Jack Vissing, son of David & Kathy Vissing,
 Petty Officer Chad Gage, son of Bruce & Nancy Gage

Two Pillars: Love and Trust in Forming Healthy Relationships

To have healthy relationships, they must be built on love and trust. Too often our love and trust is put to the test which results in us having to defend ourselves using behaviors we may not like, such as getting defensive or angry. Tuesday, March 20, Stephen Ministry invites all interested to join Marriage and Family Therapist, Mike O'Connell as we explore the importance of love and trust in our relationships with God, family, friends, coworkers, and see and how we can restore love and trust even if it has been broken. We meet in the PLC, room 51 at 7:00 pm. Please call Ellen if you have any questions. (317) 523-3117.



Catholics Going Green

We are invited to use our Lenten practices of prayer, fasting & almsgiving to not only transform our own lives but also to enrich the lives of our brothers and sisters in Christ. Join us to examine how our use of resources and actions impact our earth and all who share our common home. Did you know **Catholic Relief Services began Operation Rice Bowl** 40+ years ago to respond to famine in Africa? Today CRS promotes intercropping, aquaculture & communal nurseries to help countries feed themselves & to re-establish sustainable agriculture after disasters or other environmental problems. It's estimated the U. S. uses 12 million barrels of oil to make 100 billion plastic bags each year. Unfortunately, much of the disposable plastic ends up in our oceans threatening aquaculture. *If you could do just one thing- fast from plastic bags/water bottles/ straws & opt for reusable ones whenever possible.* Join Creation Care Ministry **Wed. March 14 in PLC at either 1:00 or 7:00 pm** for more discussion.