Notices/Events Outside the Family

Christmas Open House at the Pilgrim Gift Shop

The Pilgrim Gift Shop is offering their annual Christmas Open House Thursday, November 9th through Sunday, November 12th at the Maria Stein Shrine. This open house will offer 20% off store-wide (excludes Fontanini and cannot be combined with other discounts). While shopping, don't forget to get your tickets for the Christmas Drawing Raffle of a 21" five-piece Holy Family Nativity valued at \$330, tickets are 2 for \$5 or 5 tickets for \$10.

Gift Shop Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:30 am - 6:00 pm, Friday & Saturday: 9:30 am - 4:00 pm,

Sunday: 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Brunner Bake Shop

The Brunner Bake Shop is open every Friday morning from 9:30am until 2pm at the Maria Stein Shrine, come and enjoy the cool weather with a warm pastry and cup of hot coffee or tea. Located on the third floor (elevator available).

D.A.R.E. Auction

Mercer County D.A.R.E Boosters Quarter Auction will be on Sunday, November 12 at the Hopewell Grange in the Fairgrounds. Doors open at 12:30 and auction begins at 2:00pm. Auction paddles are \$5.00 apiece. Please join us for a fun filled afternoon.

Sundays at St. Charles

Join the Missionaries of the Precious Blood for a Sunday liturgy then a faith formation session after, when Fr. David Kelly, C.PP.S., will be the guest preacher at Sundays at St. Charles, a faith formation series at the Missionaries' St. Charles Center. Fr. Kelly will preside at 9 a.m. Mass on November 12 in St. Charles' beautiful Assumption Chapel, then lead a discussion after in the Gaspar Room. Fr. Kelly, who is the executive director of the Missionaries' Precious Blood Ministry of Reconciliation on the south side of Chicago, will present on "A Light of Hope in a Hurting World." All are welcome at Sundays at St. Charles, held twice a month. Use the main drive at 2860 US 127, Celina, Ohio, 45822, and come in the main entrance to find the chapel. Refreshments are offered during the discussion after Mass.

Mercer County Angel Tree 2023

Angel tree is underway. How can you help? Contact Our Home Family Resource Center at 419-586-4663 option 2 or visit www.ourhomefrc.com/angeltreetags and submit the completed form to request a tag. Bring your gift to Our Home 117 West Fayette St Celina, Ohio 45822.

Make a financial donation: we use monetary gifts to provide additional items for the families and cover various costs related to the program. To donate mail or bring your donation to Our Home 117 West Fayette St, Celina, Ohio 45822, or go to www.ourhomefrc.com and click the donate button on the home page. Please make checks payable to "Our Home." Consider being one of the hundreds of volunteers needed to help set up each day, Dec 6th and Dec 8th. Contact Diane Martens at 419-586-3645. "Many Hands make light work!" We appreciate your help with this worthwhile project. The good you do for others during Christmas will also fill your heart! If you have questions about any part of the program, please call Our Home Family Resource Center at 419-586-4663, option 2.

Lehman Catholic High School Open House

Wednesday, November 15 | 6:30 - 8 p.m. JOIN US! Bring your family to experience the Lehman Catholic difference.

Tour classrooms, including state-of-the-art STEM classrooms.

Meet faculty and coaches to learn about classes, co-curricular activities, and athletics.

Learn about financial aid, tuition assistance, and scholarships.

Meet current parents and students to hear more about life at Lehman.

Learn about the college prep coursework with Edison State and the University of Dayton offered at Lehman.

To register, visit lehmancatholic.com/openhouse.

Questions? Contact Anne Westerheide at admissions@lehmancatholic.com or 937.498.1161.

Coldwater American Legion Fish Fry

Fish fry, Chicken, Shrimp. Friday, November 10th 4:30 – 6:30, Breakfast, November 11th and 12th 8AM - Noon

Mike & Alicia Hernon from the Messy Family Podcast will be speaking and working with couples on raising families in the faith on Saturday November 11, 2023 Venue is TBD (Fort Recovery Elem/Middle School or Mary Help of **Christians Undercroft)**

There will be breakfast items & and a catered-in lunch. **Doors will open at 8:15**, (Opening prayer at 8:45) Sessions will end at 3:00. To follow will be adoration and confession at Mary Help of Christians church leading up to 4:30 mass. Couples are welcome to attend all that work for them and their family.

Please send \$25 Registration Fee to Sarah Kahlig (PO Box 126 Ft. Recovery, OH 45846) Make checks payable to Faith Fueled Fridays