

# ST. ALBERT THE GREAT

Catholic Parish

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## A Reflection on Today's Gospel

The vineyards of California are so beautiful this time of year. The clusters of grapes are hanging from the vines and the owners of the vineyards are waiting for the right moment to pick each variety of grape. Some grapes will develop more character if left for a longer "hang" time, while others must be collected rapidly for their peak quality. In any event, these weeks will be filled with long days for the myriad of workers who crawl over the steep hillsides and rolling hills to bring in the grapes. From south to north the workers will move in their race against time to ensure that each block of grapes is brought in at its best.

Winemakers in California will understand the plight of the landowner in this weekend's parable. The grapes must be brought in. There is no time to put things off. You can't wait for another week. To do so is to risk the entire harvest. While we tend to focus on the landowner's generosity in the parable (a meaning not to be lost, since we are comparing the landowner to God), we should not lose sight of the fact that the landowner needs the harvest completed now! He cannot wait, lest his crop be lost.

It is that sense of immediacy that could impel us today. God has no time to waste. His people need to be attentive to the needs of the vineyard now. That can translate into daily life in the ways that we interact with others. We don't have to be preaching the Gospel from our work cubicle or in the grocery store aisle. But how we act on the factory floor, in the store parking lot, at our child's soccer game, or in the classroom can reveal what kind of worker in the vineyard we are. God needs us now to work hard at being examples of the Christian life. Then will come our reward.

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## Parish events:

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**September 25**
- Wash Your Dog & Blessing of the Pets  
**October 2**
- Art & Craft Fest  
**November 12**

## Parish News

### Bundle Sunday is Back!

The St. Vince de Paul truck will be in our parking lot October 1 & 2. Bundle Sunday is sponsored by the St. Vincent de Paul stores of Dayton. If you will be cleaning out your attics & garages, keep this collection in mind! For further information call Tom Rawers at 294-2323.

St. Vincent Stores are requesting donations of linens, clothes, shoes, household items, small appliances, furniture, sports equipment, etc. Bring your donations on the above dates to the truck. This will be a great time to clean out those closets and help those in need.



## Wash your Dog & Blessing of the Pets

Join us for Wash your Dog, and Blessing of the Pets on Sunday, October 2! Wash your Dog is sponsored by the St. Albert Youth Ministry Group (SAYM) and will take place from 12 Noon - 1:30 pm in front of The Spirit Center. The Blessing of the Pets will take place afterward, from 1:30 - 2 pm in front of St. Albert the Great Church.

## Parish Events

### Today! Sunday, September 18

**8, 9:30 & 11 am** Sunday Mass  
**8 am - 12 Noon** Farmers Market - In front of Spirit Center  
**8 am - 1 pm** Food Collection - Outside Church  
**9 am - 12 Noon** RCIA - Spirit Center D  
**9:30 - 10:30 am** Religious Education  
**9:30 & 11 am** Babysitting - Church Basement during Mass  
**12 Noon** SAYM Volleyball Picnic  
**6 - 7:30 pm** RE Jr High

### Monday, September 19

**12 Noon** Mass  
**6:30 - 8:30 pm** Fingerprinting - RE Office

### Tuesday, September 20

**10 am - 12 pm** Fingerprinting Sessions - RE Office  
**12 Noon** Weekday Mass  
**1 - 3 pm** Fingerprinting Sessions - RE Office  
**7-8 pm** 1st Reconciliation Meeting - Chapel  
**7 - 9 pm** Cantica Nova Practice - Music Room  
**9:30 - 11 pm** 34+ Mens Basketball - Gym

### Wednesday, September 21

**8:30 am** School Children's Mass  
**9:30 - 12 Noon** Knitting Group - Spirit Center C  
**9:30 - 11:30 am** Wed Morning Bible Study - Spirit Center D  
**12 Noon** Weekday Mass  
**6:30 - 8:30 pm** Fingerprinting - RE Office  
**7 - 9 pm** Wed Evening Bible Study - Spirit Center D  
**7 - 9 pm** Adult Choir Practice - Music Room

### Thursday, September 22

**10 am - 12 pm** Fingerprinting Sessions - RE Office  
**12 Noon** Weekday Mass  
**1-3 pm** Fingerprinting Sessions - RE Office  
**7:30 - 8:30 pm** Parish Council - Rectory Mtg. Room

### Friday, September 23

**12 Noon** Weekday Mass

### Saturday, September 24

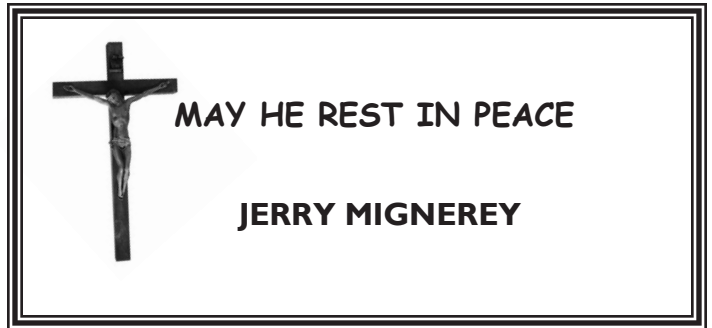
**8 am - 6 pm** Casserole Recipe Pick-Up - Gathering Space  
**8:30 am** Weekday Mass  
**4:30 pm** Vigil Mass

### Next Sunday, September 25

**8, 9:30 & 11 am** Sunday Mass ★  
**After 8 & 9:30** Coffee & Donuts Grand Opening  
**8 am - 12 Noon** Farmers Market - In front of Spirit Center  
**8 am - 1 pm** Casserole Recipe Pick-Up - Gathering Space  
**9 am - 12 Noon** RCIA - Spirit Center D  
**9:30 - 10:30 am** Religious Education  
**9:30 & 11 am** Babysitting - Church Basement during Mass  
**6 - 7:30 pm** RE Jr High

## Readings For The Week Of September 18

**Sunday:** Is 55:6-9/Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a  
**Monday:** Ezr 1:1-6/Lk 8:16-18  
**Tuesday:** Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/Lk 8:19-21  
**Wednesday:** Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Mt 9:9-13  
**Thursday:** Hg 1:1-8/Lk 9:7-9  
**Friday:** Hg 2:1-9/Lk 9:18-22  
**Saturday:** Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Lk 9:43b-45  
**Next**  
**Sunday:** Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32



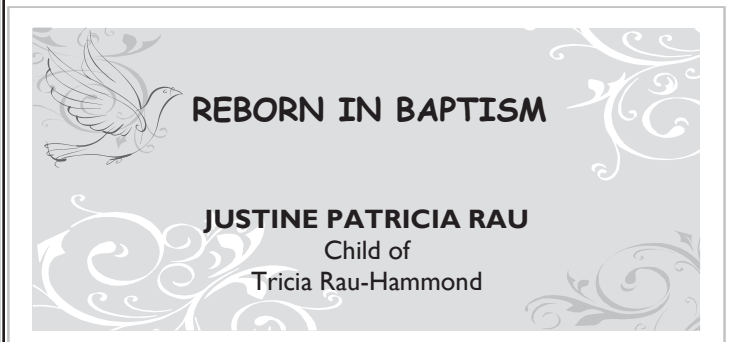
**Come out and help support  
St. Albert the Great School PTO**

**Where: Rita's Italian Ice**  
3371 E. Stroop Rd, Kettering  
(Across from the Greene)

**When: Tuesday September 20**  
**6p-9p**

What: **20%** of all purchases made between 6p & 9p  
will be donated to St. Albert's PTO.

**No flyer or coupon necessary...just show up!**



## Youth Volleyball Picnic Today! September 18

The St. Albert Youth Ministry (SAYM) group is holding its first-annual "Archdioceses Rival" Volleyball Picnic. All area youth in grades 7 through 12 are invited. The event will take place on St. Albert field at 12 Noon.

Participants should bring \$5 for a bag lunch including hot dog, chips and drink. There will be a volleyball practice for St. Albert's SAYM team on September 11 at 12 noon. This follows the SAYM Open House, which starts at 10:45 am. Contact Karen Fitzharris at [kfitzharris@stalbertthegreat.net](mailto:kfitzharris@stalbertthegreat.net) or 416-4385 for more information.

## Join us for Coffee, Donuts & Fellowship Starting next Sunday, September 25!

Date:	Thanks to our volunteers!
Sunday, September 25	Hosted by Involvement Office
Sunday, October 2	Hosted by Pro-Life
Sunday, October 9	
Sunday, October 16	



## Come Visit our Farmer's Market After Sunday Mass!

Vegetables • Fruits • Herbs • Flowers

Proceeds from the market will benefit local Catholic hunger charities. Already this year over \$500 from sales has been raised and 40 lbs of extra produce taken to St. Vincent Hotel.

\* Guidelines for donating produce to the market can be found on the church website, [www.stalbertthegreat.net](http://www.stalbertthegreat.net)

If you are interested in donating produce from your garden, would like to volunteer at the market, or would like more information about the Guild, contact Nick Leshar at [garden@stalbertthegreat.net](mailto:garden@stalbertthegreat.net)



## Driver Safety Workshop

**Thursday, Sept. 29, 2011**

12:30-5:00pm

**Spirit Center Building  
ID's needed**

**Cost: \$12.00 Members \$14.00 Non-Members**

**RSVP: Involvement Office 298-1122 ext. 283**

**Reminder: Need to attend workshop every 3 years to maintain AARP discount and stay current.**

AARP is a nonprofit, nonpartisan membership organization for people age 50 and over.

## From the Pastor

Dear People of St. Albert the Great....



## PARISH NEWS

I hope you have all received your parish telephone directory. I want to commend Sara Schwager and all who helped her with the outstanding job that was done. If you did not receive one, please call the rectory office or the Involvement office. They will be glad to obtain one for you. I want to point out that this is a free printing and mailing done by our bulletin company. It's a good time to thank all the businesses that advertise on the last pages of our weekly bulletin as well as the parish telephone directory. When you are looking for a company to help you with a project, please check the back pages of the bulletin, and, if you call one of the sponsors, tell them it was because of their ad in our parish bulletin. They'll be glad to know that is how you found them.

## THE GOOD NEWS

From the time we are very young on, we think we know what's fair. A spoiled 5-year-old on "Toddlers and Tiaras" was preening and being a brat to her mother. But when she lost the Prize to a 1-year-old, she stormed off, crying "That's not fair! She's only a baby!" The jealous little diva sounds a lot like the vineyard workers who whined and grumbled resentfully: "You made them equal to us who bore the day's burden and heat."

God's generosity is the whole point: God makes us equal, because God created us equal at a very deep level. But God's idea of equality is too far from ours to be compared. It's our problem if we are envious of God's generosity to others around us. "My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the Lord."

And admit it: we can't see a fraction of the deep reality of other people's lives, we only think we can. But we judge them unfairly, harshly, and only separate ourselves from them. But God is seeing no separation-only One Body.

Those who say "I've paid my dues" have no idea what's really fair in life, so they grumble ungratefully most of their lives. As your mother used to say, "Stop looking over at what he's doing, and do your own work!" Let's feel gratitude for the privilege of life in this present moment....for our many small healings, for waking up, for a car that starts in the morning-and for God's generosity to all of us.

*Peace.... Fr. Tom*

## Religious Education News

Office Hours:  
9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

### Important

**First Reconciliation Parent Meeting**  
**September 20**  
**7:00 - 8:00 p.m.**  
**Chapel**

### **Strong Catholic Families make Strong Catholics** (Catholic Telegraph)

What you do and say as Catholic parents will teach your children more than we ever could. Your example speaks volumes. It is important for children to attend Mass regularly and experience being part of a worshipping parish community. Classes on Sundays do not take the place of your child's Mass obligation.

Catholic families are part of the Catholic Church, so we worship with the Church. The laws of the Church say that Catholics are "bound" or obligated to participate in Mass on Sundays and Holy Days (Code of Canon Law, No. 1247).

### **September**

**16/18** - Confirmation Sponsor Forms Due  
**18** - Class  
**20** - First Reconciliation Parent Meeting 7-8pm in Chapel  
**25** - Class  
**27** - Confirmation Parent Meeting 7-8pm in Chapel

### **October**

**2** - Class  
**9** - Class  
**16** - Class  
**22** - Confirmation Spirit Day  
**23** - Class (No Class for 8th Grade)  
**30** - Class

### Important

**Confirmation Parent Meeting**  
**September 27**  
**7:00 - 8:00 p.m.**  
**Chapel**

# S.A.Y.M.

## ST. ALBERT YOUTH MINISTRY



Karen Fitzharris CYM 416-4385  
kfitzharris@stalbertthegreat.net

Visit the website [www.stalbertthegreat.net](http://www.stalbertthegreat.net)  
>Religious Education>SAYM Youth Ministry



Sign Up Now!  
**2011 Catholic Youth Conference**  
**"Called to Glory"**  
See Below!

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### **SAYM Calendar**

- **Today! Sunday, September 18:** Youth Volleyball Picnic 12 Noon
- **Friday, September 23:** Friday Night Pizza Party 4:30 - 6 pm
- **Saturday, September 24:** St. Vincent de Paul Walk 9 am
- **National Catholic Youth Conference CALLED TO GLORY**  
Thursday thru Saturday, November 17-19 in Indianapolis **Sign up now!** Registration & funds due by September 2nd!

### **Help Needed**

A parishioner is seeking a person to mow their lawn and remove snow this winter at his Kettering home. He is willing to pay for this service. If interested please call the Rectory Office, 293-1191, for details.

### **Attention Parish Artisans**

The Archdiocese has asked all parishes to provide an ornament for a Christmas tree at the Cathedral in Cincinnati. They have given us size specifications they would like to have followed which are available at the parish office.

If you would like to produce a ornament please contact the parish office (293-1191, Mon thru Fri, 9 am to 4:30 pm) and we will gladly give you their specifications.

# WANTED

Parish Crafters & Artisans

Entrepreneurs of all ages and skill level are invited to take part in the **1st Annual Art & Craft Fest** here at St. Albert the Great! If you make hand-made items such as paintings, blankets, greeting cards, candles, jewelry, crafts, and baked goods, this event is for you!

**Details:**

- \$10 per table. We ask that participants donate a % of their profit to the church as well. All proceeds will go to the New Roman Missal Education Fund (*The new changes to the Mass, coming Fall, 2011.*)
- Call or stop by the Involvement Office for more details, or to sign up. We're located in the Spirit Center: the building behind the playground. 298-1122 x283(Angel) or x289(Rebecca)
- **All Ages Welcome to Participate!** 12 and under must be with an adult.
- **Date: Saturday, November 12, 9am-2pm.**
- Tables available to St. Albert the Great parishioners and school families on a first-come, first-served basis.

### Boys Eagle Youth Basketball Try-outs

All boys in grades 3-8 are invited to try out for this select basketball program which helps prepare student athletes for competition at the high school level.

Dates: **Sunday, Sept. 18 & Sunday, Sept. 25** at CJ's gym  
 Times: Grades 3&4: 3-4:30 p.m.; Grades 5&6: 4:30-6 p.m.;  
 Grades 7&8: 6-7:30 p.m.

For more information, contact: Todd Spees at 673-3238

### Girls Eagle Youth Basketball Try-outs

All girls in grades 3-8 are invited to try out for this program which emphasizes instruction and competition.

Dates: **Sunday, Oct. 2 & Sunday, Oct. 9** at CJ's gym  
 Times: All grades: noon – 2 p.m.

For more information, contact: Tony Greene at 231-4493

### Family Rosary Rally October 9 University of Dayton Arena

Music by area parish choirs will commence at 2:30 PM. The program will start at 3 PM. The entire Rally is completely free.

We urge all parishioners, their families and friends, to attend this special Marian devotion. We pray for: work for the unemployed, peace in our families, our communities, and our world, an increase in religious vocations, and the end of abortion

Bishop Joseph R. Binzer will preside over this year's Rosary Rally.

## School News

### From the Principal:

This week's overview of the Saint Albert the Great academic program is Language Arts. Our Reading and English curriculum is designed to develop a student's ability to communicate through writing, listening, as well as speaking. Time is set aside for instruction in reading, writing, spelling, and grammar, as well as integrating these skills throughout the content subjects.



As students develop their skills with decoding and reading fluency, they are exposed to a wide variety of literature. Instruction is supplemented by student participation in the Accelerated Reader Program, which allows students to select and read books at their own reading levels. Students are also supported in reading through weekly library visits, a reading specialist, and our school tutoring program.

In English students develop skills in grammar, spelling, and vocabulary early in the curriculum that will enable them to become better in the process of writing. Students are exposed to different styles of writing (narrative, poetry, letters, journals, essays, and persuasive writing, etc.) as they progress through the curriculum.

Please remember us in your prayers.

*Mike Kirry, Principal*

### Learning Tree Farm's Autumn Fest 2011 A Family Farm Fun & Fitness Run/Walk and The Cow Pie Plop!

September 24, 3376 S. Union Road, Dayton, OH.

This year, the Autumn Fest begins with a Family Farm Fun & Fitness Run/Walk starting at 9:00 a.m. The goal of the Autumn Fest Run/Walk is to raise awareness and to educate the community about the

importance of being fit and eating healthy in the fight against childhood obesity. All proceeds benefit the children's programs at Learning Tree Farm.

Hayrides, face painting, pony rides, fire trucks, Birds of Prey from Hueston Woods, and demonstrations by local weavers and spinners will be featured.

**The Cow Pie Plot Contest: guess the spot where our cows will plop! 2 Guaranteed Winners!**

Questions? [www.learningtreefarm.org](http://www.learningtreefarm.org).

### Calvary Cemetery Tours Spotlight Notable Dayton Civil War Veterans and Others

September 17-18: 2 p.m.-4 p.m.

**P. 5** For more information contact Rick Meade, Superintendent, 937-293-1221 or [rickm@ccadayton.org](mailto:rickm@ccadayton.org)

## RCIA and Adult Faith Formation

### RCIA

If you or someone you know  
are considering  
... The Catholic Faith ...

Please consider the following...

Make time for reflection and prayer!

Note your questions and concerns!

Contact the RCIA office to schedule a time to share!

RCIA office contact information:

Coordinator: Dick Strominger

Phone: 298-1122 x216

dstrominger@stalbertthegreat.net

**St. Albert RCIA begins  
Sunday, September 11.**

### Adult Faith Formation

**Bible Study:** A Biblical Walk Through the Mass

Sunday Mornings: Oct 9, 16, 23, 30 & Nov 6

Time: 9:15am—10:45am

Location: New meeting space adjacent to cafeteria 2

RSVP: Dick Strominger at 298-1122 ext 216

#### Digging Deeper into the Word

Begins Sunday, November 13

Time: 9:30am—10:30am

Location: New meeting space adjacent to cafeteria 2

**Adult Faith Formation Series:** Through a concerted effort, the South Dayton Parishes are offering an adult faith series:

#### **“Understanding Our Catholic Faith”**

The first event: The Trinity: The Church’s Greatest Mystery Judith Dunlap, author and presenter

The focus of Judith’s presentation: As we explore what we know about the Trinity we will not only learn about God and our faith; we will also learn more about ourselves—created in the image and likeness of our Triune God.

Details:

- Monday, September 26
- 7:00pm - 8:30pm
- St. Francis of Assisi Parish, John Paul II Room  
6245 Wilmington Pike, Centerville
- No registration sign up or fee - just drop by!

**Theology on Tap**  
**Oregon Express Fall 2011 Speaker Series**  
**Thursdays from 7:30 - 9pm**  
Come at 7 for trivia!

Questions? Check out [totdayton.wordpress.com](http://totdayton.wordpress.com), or email us at: [totdayton@yahoo.com](mailto:totdayton@yahoo.com)

## THIRD EDITION ROMAN MISSAL

Question  
& Answer  
Series



**Would you like to learn more about the Mass and about the changes coming in November?**



The book, *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*, by Edward Sri, is available in the Involvement Office. You can “check -out” the book or purchase it for \$12 For more details, please call Angel Hopkins in the Involvement Office at 298-1122, x 283.

#### Resources on the Web:

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops:

[www.usccb.org/romanmissal/index.shtml](http://www.usccb.org/romanmissal/index.shtml)

Archdiocese of Cincinnati:

[www.catholiccincinnati.org/ministries-offices/worship/the-new-roman-missal](http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/ministries-offices/worship/the-new-roman-missal)

### From your Finance Committee...

With your continued support we have been able to meet expenses and serve the mission of the Lord.

Thank you for your continued generosity.

**God bless you.**

September 11, 2011	Collection	Tithe
<b>367 Adult Sunday Env</b>	\$20,217.50	2,021.75
<b>44 Sun Env in the mail</b>	\$2,960.00	296.00
<b>37 Auto Deposit Donations</b>	\$4,500.00	450.00
<b>12 Child Envelopes</b>	\$9.90	.99
<b>Total Envelopes</b>	\$27,690.40	\$2,768.74
<b>Loose Cash</b>	\$943.55	
<b>Total Sunday Collection:</b>	\$28,633.95	

The above tithe was our Sr. John Maureen Scholarship Fund to aid parish families having difficulty with St. Albert the Great School tuition.

Today’s tithe will be designated for

**CHURCH WOMEN UNITED** invites all women to join them at their monthly meeting held the 4th Tuesday of the month at 1 pm at Memorial Presbyterian Church, 1541 S. Smithville Rd. This group plans prayer services and educational activities appropriate for all Christian denomination. If interested call

parishioner  
Kathy Zamonski, 298-4255 or email her at  
[kzamonsk@donet.com](mailto:kzamonsk@donet.com).

## Pray For Our Ill and Homebound

**Kettering Medical Center:** Bob Shortal, Robert Rohr, Trudy Thomas

**Bethany:** Mary Kay Gibbons, Bettie Gilles, Marilyn Brockman

**Brookdale Place, Oakwood:** Jane Tynan

**Elmcroft, Washington Township:** Marie Thyne

**Liberty Nursing Center:** Bill Kissell

**Lincoln Park Manor:** Howard Gerritzen, Richard Roll

**Heartland of Kettering:** John Leen

**Heartland of Miamisburg:** Tom Gillig

**St. Leonard:** Mary Andrew, Dorothy Smallwood, Ethel Braunlin, Eugene Miller, Rita Kennard, Rose Palazzo, Mary Margaret Yahle, John Bigger, Louise Newman, Sara Warda, Tony Kohnen

**Stonespring Care Ctr:** Helen Wilbanks

**Sycamore Glen:** Anne Ferneding, Elizabeth Annarino

**The Sanctuary:** Mary Lou Wynn

**Walnut Creek:** Sylvia Savino, Stella May, Virginia & Ray Kinney

**Homebound:** Mary Harris, Eileen Wilson, Joan Hall, Rachel Schneider, Kim Riddle, Grace Nugent, Eric Munch, Dorothy Gerhardstein, Sandy George, Faye Detrick, Millie Walters, Virginia Leen, Harriet Keller, Andrew Borns, Rose Schmitz, Jean Neitzke

Please keep parishioners with ongoing illness in your prayers. If you are facing scheduled surgery please contact the Rectory office (293-1191) concerning being anointed before you go to the hospital. They will gladly help you.

Please call the Rectory Office (293-1191) to notify us when a parishioner is hospitalized. Due to HIPAA laws, hospitals can no longer notify us. Also let us know if a loved-one is at a local Assisted Living or Nursing Home or if they would like a visit or Holy Communion brought to them.



## Pro-Life News

### Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

A weekend retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held in Cincinnati on October 21 - 23 at the Jesuit Spiritual Center at Milford. The confidential, supportive retreat is for anyone hurting inside from abortion. For more information, please call Peggy at (513)588-0080 or email Peggy at [pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com](mailto:pfeirstine@cinci.rr.com). You can also visit [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org) or call a national toll-free hotline at 1-800-HOPE-4-ME.

### "The Myth of Overpopulation"

Speaker: Steve Mosher  
Wednesday, October 19

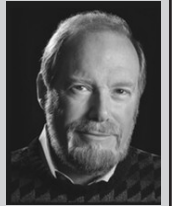
Two opportunities to hear him:

- 1) At 3:30pm at Sinclair Community College Bldg. 8 Stage Area
- 2) At 7:00pm at St. Albert the Great Church

Steven W. Mosher has appeared numerous times before Congress as an expert in world population, China, and human rights abuses.

He has also made TV appearances on *Good Morning America*, *60 Minutes*, *The Today Show*, *20/20*, FOX and CNN news, as well as being a regular guest on talk radio shows across the nation.

*Underwritten by the Greater Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus*



## Pilgrimage for Peace

Thursday, October 20

Sponsored by

the Daughters of the Immaculate Conception

**To: St. Peter in Chains Cathedral, Cincinnati**

Buses leave at 8:30 am and return 3:30 pm

From (and return to) Immaculate Conception Church,  
2268 Smithville Road, Dayton

This is a day of communal prayer,

Viewing relics, as well as a guided tour of  
our historic Cathedral

Cost is \$25 per person.

**Send your check by September 28** payable to the Daughters  
of the Immaculate Conception

c/o Patricia Licher, 3529 Cedarwood Dr  
Fairborn, 45324-2211

Questions? Call Maureen, 237-2217 or Joyce, 299-9268

## Renewing Lives/Restoring Hope

Mental Illness Awareness Week - October 2 to 7

**Join us October 5 - 5:30 pm**

**For a community gathering, prayer vigil, grill out  
Friends of the Castles, 133 N. Main, Centerville**

To support and communicate the need to  
de-stigmatize and de-mystify mental illness.

For information call Bea Walter, 307-5903

## Holy Trinity Fish Fry

Saturday, September 24

Trinity Center, 266 Bainbridge Street.

Carry-out will be available from 4:00 - 6:00, we will be serving from 6:00 - 9:30 with games beginning at 7:00. Fish, Waldorf Sausage, fries, beer, games, raffles, silent auction and a bake sale. Tickets are \$12.00 in advance by calling 228-1223 or \$15.00 at the door. 21 and up.

## 4th Annual St. Vincent de Paul Friends of the Poor Walk

Saturday, September 24

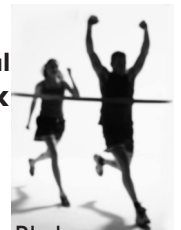
Check In: 9:00 am

3-5K Walk Begins: 10:00 am

The Job Center, 1133 S Edwin C. Moses Blvd.

There is no fee to register. Walkers are encouraged to make a personal monetary donation and collect pledges from supporters.

**Questions?** Go to [stvincentdayton.org/walk](http://stvincentdayton.org/walk)  
Or Contact Terry Williamson 222-7349 x419



## Area Events

### Beginning Experience Weekend

Suffering the loss of a love relationship? Are you feeling hurt, lonely, left out? **Beginning Experience Cincinnati** offers a healing weekend for the divorced, separated and widowed at Comboni Mission Center, 1318 Nagel Road in Cincinnati, September 30-October 2, 2011. For \$150 (payment plan/partial scholarships available; meals included), participants make a personal inward journey in hope to begin a new life with renewed courage and joy. Grief and regrets, confusion and self-doubt... No one needs to go through it alone!

**For more information please visit:**

[www.beginningexperiencecincinnati.webs.com](http://www.beginningexperiencecincinnati.webs.com) or to have a brochure mailed to you, call (513) 684-1196... **Deadline for the early registration price is September 5th** (Price is \$175 after 9/6/2011.)

### DivorceCare

It's not too late to join the **DivorceCare** seminar. If you or another adult you know is struggling with life after divorce or are in the process of separating, this seminar is meant for you. Each week, experts in divorce care will address topics pertinent to your life adjustments. Join us each Thursday from 7-9PM at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, from Sept. 8 to Dec. 8. The registration fee is \$25. Scholarships are available. For more information or to register, call Marcelle Toma at 312-1157 or Maureen Schlangen 298-3352 (parishioner)

### MUSICIANS September 17-18

**4:30 pm** Jim Butler, Bill & Marilyn Grunenwald  
**8 am** Jim Butler, Angie Kohonen  
**9:30 am** Jim Butler, Tim Schlangen  
**11 am** Jim Butler, Patti Ryan

### WEEKDAY SERVERS September 19-23

**Mon, Sep 19 12 pm** Nicholas Spangler, Nathan Spangler  
**Tues, Sep 20 12 pm** Sam Brown, Shawn Steffan  
**Wed, Sep 21 8:30 am** Colleen Wagoner, Paul Wittmann  
**12 pm** Nicholas Barnes, Josh Bennett  
**Thu, Sep 22 12 pm** Claire Evans, Samantha Evans  
**Fri, Sep 23 12 pm** Caroline Conrath, Amanda Draeger

### WEEKEND SERVERS September 24-25

**Saturday 8:30 am** Noelle Kipp, Emma Keller  
**4:30 pm** Marie Ferneding, Kristin Petrosky  
**Sunday 8 am** Mark Liston, Tom Alig  
**9:30 am** Claire Evans, Peter Evans  
**11:00 am** Ben Foppe, Sami Foppe

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sun, September 18</b> <i>Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>8:00 am</b> <b>9:30 am</b> <b>11:00 am</b>	Intentions of Parishioners Mary Preotle (E & N Biersak) Marjean Ellis, annv (M/M H Osterfeld)
<b>Mon, September 19</b> <i>Weekday</i>	<b>12:00 pm</b>	Eileen Meyer, annv (friends)
<b>Tue, September 20</b> <i>St Andrew Kim Taegon, priest &amp; St Paul Chong Hasang, martyr, and their Companions</i>	<b>12 Noon</b>	Anthony R. Valenti (family)
<b>Wed, September 21</b> <i>St. Matthew, apostle and evangelist</i>	<b>8:30 am</b> <b>12 Noon</b>	Johnny Riley (family & friends) Peter Glennon, (family)
<b>Thu, September 22</b> <i>Weekday</i>	<b>12 Noon</b>	Victor Thieman, birthday (family)
<b>Fri, September 23</b> <i>St Pio of Pietreicina, Priest</i>	<b>12 Noon</b>	Jo Fitzsimmons (B Mueller)
<b>Sat, September 24</b> <i>Weekday</i>	<b>8:30 am</b> <b>4:30 pm</b>	Margie Reigelsperger, b-day (friends) Al Sprenger (friends)
<b>Sun, September 25</b> <i>Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>8:00 am</b> <b>9:30 am</b> <b>11:00 am</b>	Intentions of Parishioners Michael McGaray (M Haufe) Rosemarie Stempfer (family)

**Please note that during the school year we have an 8:30 am Mass with our school children in attendance. Please watch the bulletin for any changes concerning the 8:30 am Mass**

### READERS September 24-25

**4:30 pm** Eileen Maloney, Roseann Place  
**8 am** John Carr, Mike Madges  
**9:30 am** Julia Hicks, Angela Ruffolo  
**11 am** Richard Burks, Marie McManus

### MASS COORDINATORS September 24-25

**4:30 pm** Mary Ellen Wager  
**8 am** Kathleen Neufarth  
**9:30 am** Irmgard Behringer  
**11 am** David Mattie

### DISTRIBUTORS September 24-25

<b>4:30 pm (11)</b> M Balster M Bradley M Gantt N Hunter P Martinez G Muth M Pfeiffer D&A Ruhl C Schill C Schill	<b>8:00 am (11)</b> K Ganz A&D Hart J Kawaja M Lehman J Long K Neufarth T Rohmiller M Scarr M&J Schoen	<b>9:30 am (11)</b> C & A Abele J Bayer P&J Beckett A Burns M Burt F Elliott S Holloman A Jackson	<b>11:00am (17)</b> B Alig D DePascale D Hundt J Liston E Marlin M Miles A&J Risko V Seubert P Smith S Solarek P Spencer K Stechschulte J Twarek L Wall
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## Masses & Sacraments

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Hours M-F 9am-4:30pm

### Eucharistic Liturgies

Saturday Eve 4:30 pm  
Sunday 8, 9:30 & 11 am  
Monday - Friday 12 Noon  
Wednesday 8:30 am (School Days)  
Saturday 8:30 am  
Holy Days Vigil: 4:30 pm; Holy Day:  
7 & 10 am, 12 noon & 6 pm  
(Exception - Christmas, New Year's &  
Weekend Holy Day Masses)

### Sacrament Of The Sick

Parishioners can receive this sacrament  
at a weekday liturgy, or a clergyman  
can make a visit.

### Sacrament Of Baptism

Baptisms are scheduled on Sundays at  
12:45 pm and on the third Sunday of  
the month during 11:00 am Mass, upon  
availability. Parents must be registered  
in the parish and are required to attend  
a Baptism Preparation class, Parents  
are encouraged to attend these classes  
prior to the birth of their child. Baptisms  
are scheduled at least two weeks in  
advance.

### Sacrament Of Marriage

The engaged couple (or their family)  
must be registered parishioners for at  
least one year. Six months notice and  
participation in a marriage program is  
required. The date can be set only  
when the engaged couple has met with  
one of the parish priests.

### Sacrament Of Reconciliation

Fridays 11:15 - 11:50 am (Exception:  
NOT held on funeral or Holy Days)  
Saturdays 3:30 to 4:15 pm  
Private confessions available upon  
request.

## Join our Parish

Rectory Office 293-1191

Hours M-F 9am-4:30pm

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