

## INTRODUCTION TO CHRISTIAN MEDITATION



*“Be Still and know that I am God”*

Meditation is an ancient form of prayer. Its aim is to bring the distracted mind to silence and stillness, and rest in the presence of God. Even in our modern busy lives this is possible. We invite you to come along and try this form of prayer which is simple and peaceful.

We will begin with a six week introductory course that will provide an opportunity to experience the practice of Christian Meditation in a small group, to learn about its origins, and to discover its relevance as a form of prayer for the contemporary world.

Thursday evenings September 15, 2016  
7:00 pm Ss. Peter and Paul  
129 Elmore Street, Oak Hill

Admission is free, for more information:  
Contact Fr. Symeon 304-465-5445 or email [ssppp1216oh@dwc.org](mailto:ssppp1216oh@dwc.org)

**S**chool News: Hello from the Secretary—Jennifer Williams,



My name is Jennifer Williams and I am the new secretary for Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic School and I am so grateful to have this opportunity to work in such a great environment and with such a great staff. I am so excited to meet everyone and get to work with you. School is settling down from the first week and everyone is getting back into the routine of things and all seems to be going wonderfully.

We have a fundraiser coming up, CONUNDRUM, that I am very excited about. It includes a scavenger hunt, food, and fun for all ages for the entire family at The Confluence Resort. It is going to be on Sunday, September 18, 2016 and starting at 2:00 P.M. Tickets will be available at the school office if you would be interested in joining in the fun!! The cost is \$12 for adults and \$7 per child. All proceeds will go to benefit Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic School. We hope to see you all there for a great time.

Thank you for all your prayers and support!

Also: The school is looking for a music teacher, if interested, please call the school.

# SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church

BRINGING THE MESSAGE OF  
JESUS CHRIST TO OTHERS FOR OVER  
100 YEARS



*August 28, 2016*

*Twenty-Second Sunday in  
Ordinary Time*

### PASTORAL STAFF:

Pastor/Administrator:  
Rev. Symeon Galazka  
Parish Office Manager:  
Amy Inghram  
Director of Religious Education:  
Toni Webb  
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Tony Gerard  
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Kathy Ryder  
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Ricky D. White  
School Secretary:  
Jennifer Williams

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"come to me all of you"  
- Matthew 11:28

**Mass Intentions**

**Sat. Aug. 27 - Vigil**  
 5:30p.m. †Charlie Miller , by  
 Terry & Sally Shay

**Sun. Aug. 28**  
 8:00a.m. †Betty Vinet by Mary Kerby  
 10:30a.m. For All Parishioners  
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**Tues. Aug. 30**  
 6:00p.m. †Shirley "Tabby" Wroten, by  
 Art & Mary Ganzales

**Wed. Aug. 31**  
 8:30a.m. †Mary Jean Wilson, by  
 Bruce & Toni Webb

**Thurs. Sep. 1**  
 6:00p.m. †Valeria Brown, by  
 Frank & Cassie Newman

**Fri. Sep. 2**  
 8:30a.m. †Lawrence Beverley, by  
 Lawrence Beverley, Jr.  
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**Sat. Sep. 3 - Vigil**  
 5:30p.m. †Louis "Joe" Kania, by  
 Nira Kania

**Sun. Sep. 4**  
 8:00a.m. For All Parishionersd  
 10:30a.m. Int. of Ed & Laurissa Chornobay  
 50th wedding anniversary, by  
 Anna & Nicholas Pauley

**Offerings August 21, 2016**

Env/Loose: \$ 2,306.00  
 Online: \$ 300.00  
 Votives: \$ 51.00

**Lectors**

**Sat. (Vigil): 9/3**  
**5:30p.m. :** Randal Rosiek

**Sun. 9/4- 8a.m.:** Nancy Sanger  
**10:30a.m.:** Tony Gerard

**Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

**September**

**Sat. (Vigil):**  
**5:30p.m. :** Sally Shay/Toni Webb

**Sun. 8a.m.:** Ricky & Gemma White

**Sun. 10:30a.m.:**  
 Mike Kemlock/Debbie Hatcher

**Altar Server Schedule:**

**Saturday (Vigil): 9/3**  
**5:30p.m.:** Noah & Camden Craddock

**Sunday: 9/4**  
**8:00a.m.:** Aidan Keaveny/  
 Hannah & Marc White

**10:30a.m.:** Chloe Kania/  
 Jackie & Bethany Rosiek



**PLEASE WELCOME**

**Our Mission Priest this Weekend**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):**  
 Saturdays 4:45p.m. or by appointment.

**This Week.....**

**Sun.**  
 9:00a.m. RCIA meets in Art Room

**Tues.**  
 9-10a.m. Coffee with the Principal

**Wed.**  
 4:15p.m. "Saturday Choir" rehearsal  
 5:30p.m. "Sunday Choir" rehearsal

**Grandparent Day Family Festival**

Saturday, September 10, 2016, 9am—2pm  
 At Historic OH Elementary School. Check next week's bulletin for schedule of events.

**Please Note:**

Every weekend scrip will be sold in the vestibule after 5:30 pm and 10:30 am masses.

High School Youth begins Sunday, September 11, at 7:00p.m. in the Fr. Moore Room.

**Scheduled Meeting:**

Saturday/Sunday—September 10/11-  
*ExtraOrdinary Minister* meeting following 5:30pm mass and/or 10:30am mass.

**Upcoming Schedule for Confirmandi:**

**Sunday, September 11th -**

Parents of Confirmandi to meet following the 10:30am mass with Fr. Symeon.

**Tuesday, September 13th -**

Confirmandi to meet with Fr. Symeon in the Fr. Moore Room following the 6pm mass.

**Thursday, September 29th -**

Confirmandi Penance following the 6pm mass

**Saturday, October 1st—**

9:30am Confirmandi rehearsal—Fr. Moore Rm.  
 11:00am Sponsors meet—Fr. Moore Rm.

**Sunday, October 2nd—**

9:15am Confirmandi meet in cafeteria

**CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL 2016**

**PARISH GOAL: \$17,150.00**

**Current Status: \$14,125 (82%)**

**Amount Needed  
 to reach goal: \$ 3,025.00**

**A Family Perspective.**

Family life well lived confirms the words of Jesus in today's gospel, "Those who humble themselves will be exalted." Commitment, intimacy, loyalty and love are rewards of humble service and care for one another. - Bud Ozar

**Marriage:** Before planning a wedding, make an appointment with the pastor to schedule the date. Marriage preparation requires a minimum of six months to complete.

**Baptism:** Participation in the Baptismal Preparation Session is required for parents. Baptism preparation requires a minimum of three months to complete.

**August 28, 2016**

**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary**

*"Jesus presents his own version of table manners."*

Today we continue last week's focus on inclusion in God's kingdom. The difference today is that now we are the ones being called upon to be inclusive. Whom do we welcome at the banquet table of our lives? May our prayer today be for the grace of humility so that we can welcome any and all whom Christ himself would welcome.