### **OFFICE OF THE BISHOP**

### **COLLECTIONS**

## **CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY, 19-20 JANUARY 2019**

For the Weekend Before the Collection

The Catholic University of America is the national University of the Catholic Church in the United States, located in Washington, D.C. It provides an academically rigorous education guided by the Catholic intellectual tradition to nearly 7,000 students every year.

Next weekend, we will be taking up the National Collection for The Catholic University of America. Your support will enable Catholic University to expand its impact in preparing the next generation of leadership for our Church and nation. We appreciate your generosity.

#### LATIN AMERICAN – EL SALVADOR, 26-27 JANUARY 2019

The Latin American Collection will take place on 26-27 January 2019. This is the only appeal made by the Diocesan Mission Office for the Cleveland Latin American Mission in El Salvador. It is the main support for two diocesan priests who work in the two parishes served by our Mission Office. This appeal also makes a contribution to the Collection for the Church in Latin America that is managed by the US Conference of Catholic Bishops and benefits projects and the formation of seminarians, religious and lay leaders in 23 countries across Latin America. Please be generous.

#### **CHANCERY**

#### **CATHEDRAL of ST JOHN the EVANGELIST**

### **HELEN D. SCHUBERT CONCERTS Winter 2019**

Cathedral of St John the Evangelist; 1007 Superior Ave. @ E. 9<sup>th</sup> Street; Cleveland Ohio 44114 All concerts are FREE, (*no tickets, no reservations*)

Free secure parking: Cathedral garage on Rockwell Ave. @ E. 9<sup>th</sup> Street

### February 8 - Friday at 7:30 p.m.

### Aaron Tan, organist

First place recipient – 2018 National Young Artists Competition in Organ Performance (NYACOP). Currently studying at the Institute of Sacred Music at Yale University, Aaron also serves as Organ Scholar at Church of the Resurrection, NYC.

## February 24 - Sunday at 3:00 p.m.

## Mignarda Ensemble

Donna Stewart & Ron Andrico, with Malina Rauschenfels & José Gotera BYRD Songes - Motets for solo voice & lute; *a cappella* 4-part Motets; Mass for 4 voices

## March 1 - Friday at 7:30 p.m.

West Shore Chorale; John Drotleff, Director

MOZART: Vesperae Solennes de Confessore, K339; BERNSTEIN: Chichester Psalms;

CONTE: September Sun - based on a poem by John Stirling Walker, commissioned in memory

of those who perished on September 11, 2001.

#### March 15 - Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Sounding Light: the Chamber Choir of Many Voices...OneSong

Tom Trenney, Director MUEHLEISEN: Pietà

A choral reflection on the sorrow and pain of mothers who lose their sons, and the way love, compassion and mercy can heal the voids; juxtaposing the death of Jesus, the son of Mary, the loss of sons in battle, and the losses we experience all too often today, and the importance of healing and forgiveness in our divided world.

#### PARISH LIFE SECRETARIAT

#### **World Day for Immigrants, Migrants and Refugees**

Our Diocese will celebrate the World Day for Immigrants, Migrants and Refugees at Our Lady of Peace Church on Sunday, 20 January 2019 at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Bishop Martin Amos will be the main celebrant. Every year this event is a very prayerful and joyful celebration of the rich cultural diversity of our diocesan community—we come from many lands, in faith we are one people! All are welcome to join us for this celebration at Our Lady of Peace Church, 12601 Shaker Blvd., Cleveland, Ohio 44120.

## **Presentations on the Catholic Church and Immigration**

Members of the "Welcoming the Stranger" Committee are eager to come to your parish or parish group to do a panel presentation on immigration. This topic is of great concern to all and the reality touches our brothers and sisters who have come here as migrants and refugees seeking safety and life for their families. If you are interested in scheduling a presentation, please call Sister Rita Mary Harwood, SND at 1-216-696-6525, extension 2200.

#### PRISON MINISTRY

The Diocesan Ministry to the Incarcerated needs your help! We have been distributing zip-lock bags filled with one of each of the following items to the men and women who are incarcerated and indigent. These items can be purchased through the prison commissary, but many inmates do not have funds to do so. We are out of supplies! Would you help us by collecting some of these items? Thank you for your support.

- Shampoo (travel size or up to 5 oz.)
- Conditioner (travel size or up to 5 oz.)
- Soap--regular size or travel size bars
- Body wash (travel size or up to 5 oz.)
- Lotion (travel size or up to 5 oz.)
- Packets of tissues (Kleenex or like product that usually are in packaging of 8 or 10 and cost \$1.00 at the dollar stores.)
- white socks (completely white or may have gray toes) for men and women

At the completion of your collection, please call Paula Moscovic at 216-696-6525, ext. 3500. If someone is able to bring these items to our Cathedral Square building at 1404 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, Paula would be happy to meet your car with a cart so that you will not have to park. Abundant thanks to you for your kindness and compassion.

#### **LEAF MINISTRY**

Family Support Groups: LEAF Ministry—Listening, Encouraging and Assisting Families of the Incarcerated. LEAF Ministry is an initiative of the Catholic Ministry to the Incarcerated. It is dedicated to serving the special needs families face when a loved one is incarcerated. So many families experience isolation, shame, guilt, and an overwhelming sense of being alone. This ministry has been formed to be of support to these families. Groups meet monthly offering an opportunity to those who come to listen and share community, network and learn from others who understand their situation, challenges, fears and emotions. All are welcome to participate irrespective of faith affiliation. Child care is provided. If you are interested in additional information please call the Parish Life Office at 1-800-869-6525 or 216-696-6525x 3500 or see the ministry website at <a href="https://www.leafministry.org">www.leafministry.org</a>.

### **Cuyahoga County**

Parish meeting room which is on the lower level of the coach house Communion of Saints Parish

2175 Coventry Road Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44118 216-321-0024

Usually meets at 7:00 p.m. on the fourth Monday of the month.

## Mary, Queen of Peace

4423 Pearl Road Cleveland, Ohio 44109 216-749-2323

Meets at 7:00 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of the month

The January meeting will be held on in the Lower Church on the 23 of January, 2019.

### St. Agnes+Our Lady of Fatima

6800 Lexington Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44103 216-391-1655 Please call the above number for more information

#### St. Ladislas

2345 Bassett Road Westlake, Ohio 44145 440-835-2300 Meets at 7:00 p.m. on the second Wednesday of the month Please call the above number for more information.

#### St. Malachi

2459 Washington Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44113 216-861-5343 Please call for additional information

## **Geauga County**

### **Holy Angels**

18205 Chillicothe Road Bainbridge, Ohio 44023 440-708-0000 Meets at 7:00 p.m. on **Thursday, 17 January 2019** 

### **Lake County**

#### St. Noel Parish

35200 Chardon Road Willoughby, Ohio 44094 440-946-0887 Meets at 7:00 p.m. on the third Monday of the month

### **Lorain County**

**Sacred Heart Chapel** (Spanish) presently meeting with St. Ladislas)

4301 Pearl Avenue Lorain, Ohio 44055 440-277-7231

Meets at 7:00 p.m. with St. Ladislas in Westlake on the second Wednesday of the month

### **Medina County**

**N.B.:** Medina Parishes Meeting – Meeting Location

Medina County LEAF Ministry has changed their meeting location to the Medina County Jail at 555 Independence Drive, Medina, OH 44256.

Meets at 7:00 p.m. on the fourth Monday of the month.

### **Summit County**

Coming in future

**Wayne County** 

Coming in the future

**Ashland County** 

Coming in the future

Other groups will be beginning as they are needed. If your parish feels there is a need in your area, please contact Sister Rita Mary. For additional information please call 216-696-6525, ext. 3500 or visit the website at www.leafministry.org.

## Chaplain Services at the Prisons and Jails located in the Diocese of Cleveland

If you have a loved one incarcerated in one of the eight counties of the Diocese and would like to have a priest, deacon or one of our lay volunteer ministers visit with them, please call the Parish Life Office at 800-869-6525 or 216-696-6525 x 3500. The Diocesan Ministry to the Incarcerated has a presence in the three state prisons, the county jails and the juvenile facilities located within our diocese. If you have a loved one in one of these institutions, we would be glad to have someone visit with them.

## THE GAY AND LESBIAN FAMILY MINISTRY OF THE CLEVELAND CATHOLIC DIOCESE

The Body of Christ in the Diocese of Cleveland is called to reverence each person as a unique reflection of God's presence in our midst.

#### **Family Support Groups**

#### Holy Spirit Parish in Avon Lake.

(440) 933-3777

Usually meets the first Sunday of each month.

Please call the parish for additional details.

## St. John Vianney Parish, Mentor

(440) 943-3445

Meeting is usually on the second Sunday of each month

Please call the parish for additional details.

### **Parish Outreach Groups**

Parish outreach groups exist to provide a place of support, affirmation and spiritual guidance to gay and lesbian Catholics.

### **Blessed Trinity**, Cleveland (Westside)

Facilitator: Rev. Douglas Koesel (216) 671-5890

(usually meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays each month from 7:00-9:00 p.m.)

## Gesu Parish, University Heights (Eastside)

(216) 932-0617 - Please call parish for details.

### St. Mary Parish, Hudson Group

Our St. Mary Family Support Group will meet the fourth Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the chapel. The goal of this ministry is not to attempt to alter any person's sexual orientation; rather, it is our goal to support all persons in their quest for wholeness and holiness. This group is opened to gay and lesbian persons and their family members. Any questions, please contact Lori Joseph at ljoseph@stmaryhudson.ccf or at 330-653-8118, ext. 233. St. Mary Parish in Hudson is located at 340 N. Main Street.

## <u>LAY ECCLESIAL MINISTRY INFORMATION NIGHT AND ACCEPTANCE OF</u> APPLICATIONS

We are offering an Information Night for all those interested in the Diocesan Certification Process for Lay Ecclesial Ministers: **Information Night: 16 January 2019.** This meeting will take place at the Center for Pastoral Leadership from **6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Please RSVP to attend or if you would like additional information, please call 440-943-7670. The Office is now accepting Applications year round. See information flyer.** 

### \*NEW\* LAY ECCLESIAL MINISTRY "VISIT FORMATION NIGHTS"

To learn more about the *formation piece of becoming a Certified Lay Ecclesial Minister*, please consider joining us on any of the following Friday evenings: **4 January 2019**, **1 February 2019 or 1 March 2019**. These meetings are at the Center for Pastoral Leadership from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. **Please RSVP by calling (440) 943-7670**. **See information flyer.** 

What is required for admission to the process for Diocesan Lay Ecclesial Ministry Certification? A candidate for entrance to the formation program should: possess an attitude of collaboration and relate well with others; evidence leadership qualities and experience in training/motivating others; have the ability to study theology in a consistent and demanding way; make formation for ministry a priority; possess a commitment to share in the mission of the Church; have respect for the authority of the Church and a desire to work for, with and in the name of the Church. Do you know anyone who has these characteristics and has expressed an interest in diocesan certification? Please extend an invitation to them to participate in the Information Night session.

### **Catholic Renewal Ministries**

#### **Charismatic Mass**

Catholic Renewal Ministries will host a **Charismatic Mass** on **Friday**, **18 January**, **at 7:00 p.m.**, at St. Peter Parish, 35777 Center Ridge Rd., North Ridgeville 44039. Fr. Bob Franco will be the celebrant. Praise and worship will begin at 7:00 p.m. and the liturgy will start at 7:30. Healing prayer teams will be available after mass for individual prayer, and there will also be a social after mass. For more information, please contact Fr. Franco at 440-327-2201 or CRM at 440-944-9445. Come and bring a friend! This will be a time to truly encounter the Lord.

#### **Night of Healing Prayer**

Join Peter's Shadow Healing Ministry for a **Night of Healing Prayer** with Fr. Jacob Bearer on **Wednesday, 20 February**, starting at 6:30. This evening of healing will be held at St. Luke's, 1212 Bunts Rd, Lakewood, OH 44107.

## UNBOUND... a day of Healing Prayer

Join Catholic Renewal Ministries for **UNBOUND...** a day of Healing Prayer. The day will consist of teaching on the Unbound method of prayer, praise & worship, and healing prayer. Unbound is a gentle method of healing prayer based on the 5 Keys of healing and deliverance: Repentance and Faith, Forgiveness, Renunciation, Authority, and the Father's Blessings. Come and experience the tenderness of God's love and healing grace through personal prayer. The Unbound program is a well-respected healing model that has proven results.

The day will be held at St. Peter's Parish, 35777 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville 44039, on **Saturday, 30 March 30th**. The doors will open at 8:00 a.m. for continental breakfast and fellowship, and the program will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 4:00 p.m. There is a \$25 registration fee, which includes continental breakfast and lunch. For more information, please call CRM at 440.944.9445 or Marge Zampino at 216.990.0919.

To register by mail, send your \$25 check made out to CRM to: Marge Zampino 2747 Vincent Drive Seven Hills, Ohio 44131

The registration deadline is 25 March, 2019

### **CATHOLIC CHARITIES CORPORATION**

### DEPARTMENT FOR MARRIAGE & FAMILY MINISTRY

Visit <a href="www.foryourmarriage.org">www.foryourmarriage.org</a> for ideas and resources for your marriage. Also, find and like us on Facebook - <a href="www.facebook.com/clevelandmarriageandfamily">www.facebook.com/clevelandmarriageandfamily</a> and at <a href="ccdocle.org/mfm">ccdocle.org/mfm</a>

### **SACRED STEPS TO PEACE / Catholic Divorce Recovery**

The Department for Marriage and Family Ministry presents a Catholic Divorce Recovery Program entitled *Sacred Steps to Peace*. The program has a focus on spiritual healing and growth through education, discussion and reflection on Scriptures and Church teachings. A team in a support group format will guide optional small group sessions weekly, using prayer, exercises and a workbook as a pathway to divorce recovery.

**Monthly Meetings-** Third Friday of the month **Date & Time:** Friday, 1/18 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Place: St. Joseph Parish, 12700 Pearl Rd., Strongsville, OH 44136, in the Bethlehem

Room.

#### NFP TEACHER TRAINING INSTITUTE

The Marriage and Family Office will be hosting a Natural Family Planning Teacher Training this spring. Consider sponsoring an NFP practicing couples to become a teaching couple. NFP Teachers can strengthen parish ministries through Pre-Cana, RCIA, Baptism Preparation, or offering Women's health programs. A couple who practices NFP have a solid understanding of the vocation of marriage and their commitment to each other and to the Church.

**Date & Time:** Saturdays, February 9 and 23, March 9 and 30, and April 13.

9:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m.

Place: St. Augustine Manor 7903 Detroit Ave., Cleveland, Ohio

Cost: \$295 for new trainee

**Registration:** Kathy Patton, NFP Coordinator, at 216-334-2973or <u>kapatton@ccdocle.org</u> for further information or to register.

#### PARISH PRE-CANA DAYS

Our website at <a href="https://ccdocle.org/program/pre-cana">https://ccdocle.org/program/pre-cana</a> lists marriage preparation options for engaged couples who are marrying for the first time. Please visit our website if you are looking for a Pre-Cana program in the Diocese.

#### WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

World Wide Marriage Encounter offers weekends to bring a husband and wife closer together. Get away from the distractions of everyday life and focus on each other and how to improve your marriage. The next weekend is January 18-20, 2019 in Highland Heights (day program only, non-residential) and February 15-17, 2019 in Hartville. For more information on these weekends click at the link above, or go to www.greatmarriagesohio.org or call 330-305-9963.

#### RETROUVAILLE

Retrouvaille is a three-month program to help couples struggling in their marriages. It has three phases, starting with a weekend experience in which couples learn to re-establish communication and to gain new insights into themselves as individuals and as a couple. Post sessions are held over a period of 12 weeks to further develop and enhance the techniques learned on the weekend. A support group is available offering interaction with other couples who are striving to improve their relationship. The 2019 weekends are January 25-27, March 22-24 and September 27-29. For more information go to their website <a href="www.helpourmarriage.com">www.helpourmarriage.com</a> for <a href="registration">registration</a> or email Marce & Liz Gliha at 3031@retrouvaille.org.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

#### FIRST FRIDAY CLUB OF GREATER AKRON

The First Friday Club of Akron will meet on Friday, **11 January 2019** at **Tangier Restaurant**, 532 W. Market St., Akron 44303, and will feature **Larry Williams**, Director of Athletics of the University of Akron

The cost of the luncheon program is \$20.00. Doors open at 11:00 a.m.; the program begins at noon, and ends promptly at 1:00 PM. Reservations can be made by sending a check to the First Friday Club of Greater Akron, 795 Russell Ave., Akron, OH 44307, by calling the office, or on the website, no later than Monday, January 7, 2019.

For additional information, call 330-535-7668 or visit www.firstfridayclubofgreaterakron.org.

# <u>CATHOLIC CEMETERIES ASSOCIATION - MONTHLY GRIEF SUPPORT – 3rd SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH – JAN 20<sup>TH</sup></u>

Please join us for an hour of learning and healing along your grief journey. Our Grief Support leaders are certified as Ministers of Consolation by the National Catholic Ministry to the Bereaved, Inc. Our Catholic-based support can be supplemental to your existing support groups. We meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of every month at 3:00 p.m., except on holidays, then we meet the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday. **The next Support Group is Sunday, January 20th** at St. Joseph Cemetery, Avon (temporary trailer office); Holy Cross Cemetery, Akron (office); and Holy Cross Cemetery, Brook Park (office).

The topic for January will be: "Grief's Gentle Journey: One Foot in Front of the Other"

No registration is required; Just come and join us. For more information, visit our website <a href="https://www.clecem.org/Information/Bereavement.aspx">https://www.clecem.org/Information/Bereavement.aspx</a> or contact Rhonda at 216.930.4866 rabrams@clecem.org.