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or homebound, please contact the Parish Office.*

Christmas 2023

MASS INTENTIONS/LITURGIES

DECEMBER 30, 2023-JANUARY 7, 2024

Saturday, December 30 | 4:00 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)*Diane Price by Judy & Jeff Lamb***6:00 p.m. Mass (SMOW)***Joanne Maag by Walter & Janet Maag***Sunday, December 31 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)***Living/Deceased Members of the Dirksen,
Gutmann, King, and Winner Families
by Alan & Renee Winner***10:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)***Mary, Queen of Angels Parishioners***Monday, January 1 | 9:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)***Anna Schumacher by Judy & Jeff Lamb***Tuesday, January 2 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)***Tom Smith by Sue & Jim York***Wednesday, January 3 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)***Sandy Brown by Ashley Roberts***Thursday, January 4 | 6:15 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)****6:45 p.m. Adoration/Confession***Rick Schrader by Joe Marcinko***Friday, January 5 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)****8:45 a.m. Confession***Joanne Maag by Dan & Judy Niese***Saturday, January 6 | 3:00 p.m. Confession (ST. PAT)****4:00 p.m. Mass (ST. PAT)***JoAnn Hoepf by Janice & Jim Naderer***6:00 p.m. Mass (SMOW)***Bernie Bensman by Linda, Donna & Ruth***Sunday, January 7 | 8:00 a.m. Mass (SMOW)***Mary, Queen of Angels Parishioners***10:00 a.m. Mass (ST. PAT)***Tom Smith by Sue & Jim York***LITURGICAL MINISTERS JANUARY 6/7, 2023****ST. MARY OF THE WOODS****6:00 P.M. SATURDAY****SERVERS:** Eli Baughman, Orville Winner,
Ezra Winner, Lincoln Nielsen**READER:** Priest**USHERS:** Nick Baughman, Alan Winner,
Jeff True, Willie Dearwester**CANTORS:** Katie, John McCabe**SACRISTAN:** Renee Winner**8:00 A.M. SUNDAY****SERVERS:** Louis Luthman, Adam Luthman,
Anthony Luthman, Jase Thompson**READER:** Ben Luthman**EEM:** Jim Thiel**USHERS:** Mike Reichert, Dan Reichert,
Charles Seimet, Deb Seimet**CANTOR:** Ashley Roberts**SACRISTAN:** Susan Brunner**ST. PATRICK****4:00 P.M. SATURDAY****SERVERS:** Della Baker, Kaije Snider,
Lexi McKirahan,
McKenzie Vaido**READERS:** Brant Dunn, Theresa Dunn**EEM:** Wendy Miller**10:00 A.M. SUNDAY****SERVERS:** Antonio Avalos, Lucy Johns,
Ruby Johns, Patrick Stolly**READERS:** Mindy Bailey, Mary Giannola**EEM:** Sharon Traul

Welcome

Whether you recently moved here or are just visiting, we are happy that you are here with us! If you would like to join one of our parishes, please contact the Parish Office for a registration form.

YOUR TITHE TO GOD**WEEK OF DECEMBER 23/24**

INFORMATION UNAVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF PRINTING.



All Parish Offices will be closed
on Monday, January 1st.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

OF DECEMBER 31, 2023

- Sunday:** Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14
Psalms 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 or
Psalms 128:1-2, 3, 4-5
Colossians 3:12-21
Luke 2:22-40
- Monday:** Numbers 6:22-27
Psalms 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8
Galatians 4:4-7
Luke 2:16-21
- Tuesday:** First John 2:22-28
Psalms 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4
John 1:19-28
- Wednesday:** First John 2:29-3:6
Psalms 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6
John 1:29-34
- Thursday:** First John 3:7-10
Psalms 98:1, 7-8, 9
John 1:35-42
- Friday:** First John 3:11-21
Psalms 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5
John 1:43-51
- Saturday:** First John 5:5-13
Psalms 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20
Mark 1:7-11 or Luke 3:23-38
- Sunday:** Isaiah 60:1-6
Psalms 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13
Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
Matthew 2:1-12



FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

O God, who were pleased to give us the shining example of the Holy Family, graciously grant that we may imitate them in practicing the virtues of family life and in the bonds of charity, and so, in the joy of Your house, delight one day in eternal rewards. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

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HOURS:

Tuesday:

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Thursday:

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

*For the month of December,
the St. Patrick SVDP helped 257 clients with
\$6,003.00 in food and financial assistance.*

NEEDS:

*Thanks to you, our shelves are fully stocked! We
thank you so much for your support.
We are truly blessed.*

Thank you!

*(Please make your check payable to
St. Vincent de Paul Society.)*

**MERRY CHRISTMAS AND
HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!**



SAVE THE DATE

Friday, February 9th, 2024, the Knights of Columbus will sponsor a Prime Rib Dinner in Makley Hall to benefit the Archdiocese of Cincinnati's Seminarians. This Dinner is also in honor of the founder of the "Pennies for Heaven" Dinner, K.C. Steggeman. Tickets (\$30.00/per person) will go on sale at a date TBD. Check future bulletins for updates on this dinner.



**NEW COLUMBARIUM
(CALVARY CEMETERY)**

Calvary Cemetery recently has installed a second columbarium, and is now selling niches for \$3,000.00 each (holds two urns; etching on plate is extra.)

Please contact Joe Steggeman at 937-844-7426 or Mike Maze at 937-935-8546, if interested in purchasing a niche. Niches are sold first-come, first-served.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Currently, St. Patrick Church is accepting Mass Intentions for **November 2024-January 2025**. Please fill out this form and bring it to the church office or drop it into the offertory basket. There is a \$5.00 stipend for each Mass requested. Each family is allowed 12 requests per calendar year. Only three requests may be submitted at one time.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

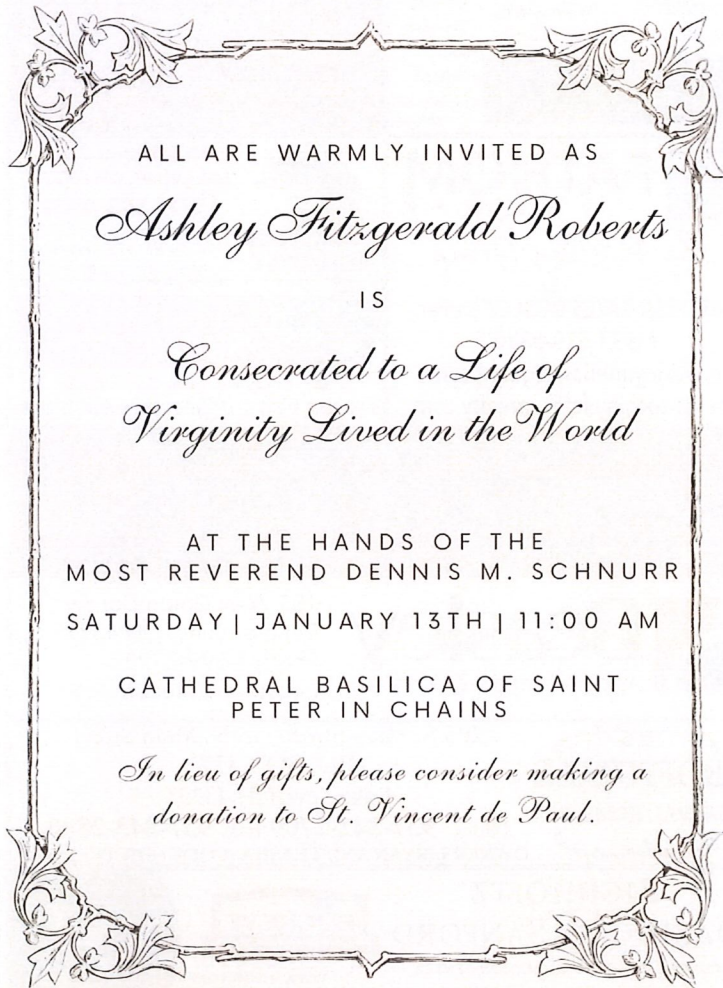
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Offered by: _____

Date requested: _____

Mass time requested: _____

of Masses you are paying for: _____



ALL ARE WARMLY INVITED AS

Ashley Fitzgerald Roberts

IS

*Consecrated to a Life of
Virginity Lived in the World*

AT THE HANDS OF THE
MOST REVEREND DENNIS M. SCHNURR
SATURDAY | JANUARY 13TH | 11:00 AM

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINT
PETER IN CHAINS

*In lieu of gifts, please consider making a
donation to St. Vincent de Paul.*

Ashley's Consecration

Taking reservations for transportation to the
Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains on January 13th
on the True Joy Ltd. Charter Bus
and lunch at the Hofbrauhaus - German Restaurant



Lunch Entree Selections

- Hofbrauhaus Wurst Combo
- Haus Reuben Sandwich
- Newport Fish Sandwich
- Schnitzel Sandwich

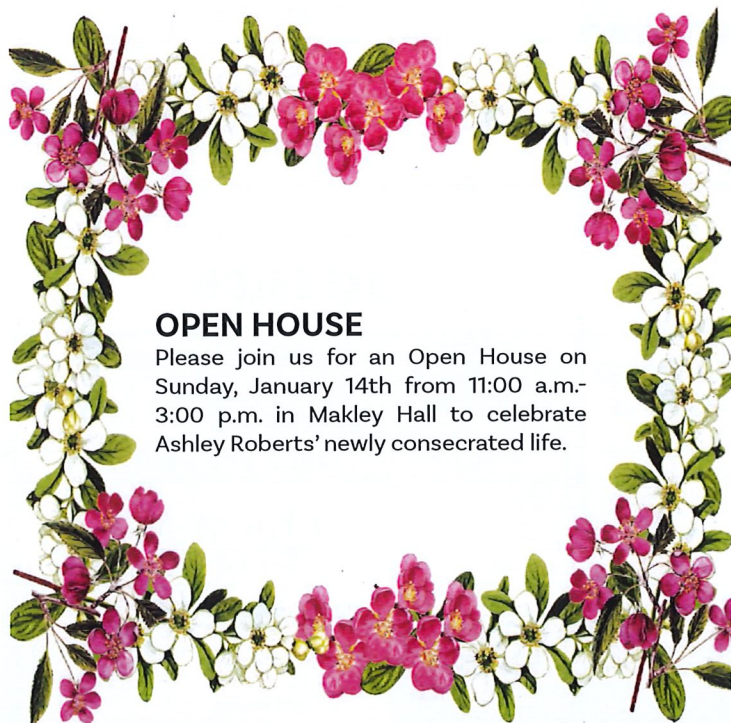
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OPEN HOUSE

Please join us for an Open House on
Sunday, January 14th from 11:00 a.m.-
3:00 p.m. in Makley Hall to celebrate
Ashley Roberts' newly consecrated life.

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