

*Mass Intentions for the Week*



**MONDAY JANUARY 19**  
(Hebrews 5:1-10/Mark 2:18-22)  
**8:30 A.M.** Frances Jamail

**TUESDAY JANUARY 20**  
*Fabian, pope and martyr, Sebastian, martyr*  
(Hebrews 6:10-20/Mark 2:23-28)  
**8:30 A.M.** Loretta McCann

**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 21**  
*Agnes, virgin and martyr*  
(Hebrews 7:1-3, 15-17/Mark 3:1-6)  
**8:30 A.M.** Mildred and Florentine Schell

**THURSDAY JANUARY 22**  
*Anniversary of Roe vs. Wade*  
(Hebrews 7:25-8:6/Mark 3:7-12)  
**8:30 A.M.** Frank Tamberinno

**FRIDAY JANUARY 23**  
(Hebrews 8:6-13/Mark 3:13-19)  
**8:30 A.M.** Judith Mills

**SATURDAY JANUARY 24**  
**5:00 P.M.** Millie Murtha

**SUNDAY JANUARY 25**  
**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**8:00 A.M.** For the People  
**9:30 A.M.** Frances Jamail  
**11:15 A.M.** Larry Pfeifer

**TO PREPARE FOR SUNDAY LITURGY  
JANUARY 25, 2008**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**  
FIRST READING **ACTS 22:3-16**  
SECOND READING **1 CORINTHIANS 7:29-31**  
GOSPEL **MARK 16:15-18**



God will turn your world upside down if you let him. Like Samuel, you may not recognize his voice at first, but God will persist until you understand it is he who is calling. Then you will ask him to speak and you will promise to listen. After that, nothing will be the same. Ask Samuel.

Like the first disciples, you may not know who Jesus is initially, or where he is taking you. "Come, and you will see," he invites. If you accept the invitation like those disciples did, you'll go and see and then you won't be able to keep what you've seen and heard to yourself. You'll stay with him and you'll keep finding other people who ought to meet him too.  
(Margaret Bowman)

*This Week in our Parish*

*Flowers on the altar this week are in loving  
memory of Sarah DeColli  
From the Petrini Family*

**Sun. 01/18** 1:00pm K of C Free-Throw/PAC  
7:00pm Rosary/EC  
7:00pm Martin Luther King Service/PAC  
**Mon. 01/19** 6:30pm Rosary for Military/EC  
6:45pm Adult Handbell Choir/Ch  
8:30pm Brass/Ch  
**Tues. 01/20** 6:00pm Scripture Study/Cry Room  
7:00pm Guitars/Ch  
8:00pm Open Gym/PAC  
**Wed. 01/21** 9:30am Seton PreSchool/CI  
10:00am Scripture Study/CI-A  
4:30am Youth Choir/Ch  
5:15pm Youth Handbell/Ch  
6:30pm Cantors/Ch  
7:00pm Adult Choir/Ch  
7:00pm K of C Assembly/CI-7&9  
7:00pm Pastoral Council/CI-A  
**Thurs. 01/22** 9:30am Seton PreSchool/CI  
7:00pm RCIA/CI-7&9  
**Fri. 01/23** 9:30am Seton PreSchool/CI  
**Sun. 01/25** 9:30am Kindergarten Rel. Ed.  
5:45pm SPY  
7:00pm Rosary/EC  
7:30pm SPY

**FINANCE INFORMATION**

<i>January 11<sup>th</sup> collection</i>	\$16,808.00
<i>January Budget</i>	\$93,322.00
<i>Monthly Collection:</i>	\$37,811.00
<i>Children's Collection 7 envelopes</i>	\$5.80
<i>Year to Date Collection</i>	\$642,315.00
<i>Year to Date Operations Budget</i>	\$711,264.00

**SETON NEWSLETTER**

We are now working on the 2<sup>nd</sup> edition of our Parish Newsletter. We are in need of volunteers to help with the writing as well as the layout of the newsletter. We are especially in need of someone with Pagemaker 7.0 or other design layout software experience to help out a few hours each quarter. Remember that we are always looking for your original contributions in the "Reflections" column. And due to the holidays, our "Name Me" contest deadline has been extended until Thursday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5pm. Now's your chance to be creative and leave a lasting impression on the parish by coming up with a unique name for our parish newsletter. Contact Robin Thompson at (614)751-9547 or bthompson@insight.rr.com.

Sick Relatives & Friends

Mark Bailey	Randy Baughman	Ada Brennan
Jacob Brewer	Betty Ann Brunner	Annette Carrel
Barbara Cartee	Duane Carter	Stacy Cesarz
Penny Conner	Jeff Corbin	Debra Cunningham
Ruth Dattalo	Winnie Deibel	Colin Donohue
Martha Dyer	Millie Egan	Kevin Eichner
Ralph Emrich	Roberta Emrich	Nadia Farah
Rose Fradette	John Gentile	Jimmy Gibboney
Frank Grebus	Jimmy Green	Julie Gribben
Mackenzie Hedges	Ashley Hohman	Janet Holdren
Margaret Johnson	Pauline Johnstone	Tom Joyce
Harry Kitsmiller	Kathleen Lievens	Ed Loch
Lucille Loudenslager	Kathy Marofsky	
Msgr. Bill Maroon	Delores McCann	Adolph Melket
Mary Mitchell	Loretta Nichols	Mary Piek
Thelma Pione	Tyler Reigle	Bridget Reitano
Jeanette Rihl	Jeff Samborsky	Mark Schell
Bill Schmeltzer	Donna Spiers	Jack Steinicke
Peggy Walker	Rosemary Wagenbrenner	
Harry Whitlatch	Ryan Winstel	

\* Please due to the nature of Msgr. Bill's illness...no phone calls or visits. Cards are appreciated: P.O. Box 285 New Straitsville, OH 43766. Track Fr. Bill's progress at [www.freewebs.com/fatherbill/](http://www.freewebs.com/fatherbill/).

**REST IN PEACE**

*James Cheeseman*  
*Father of Charlotte (Jim) Comer*

*Thanks to everyone who volunteers with Communion to the homebound and to the area Nursing Homes. If you could please check your cars, coat pockets and ladies...your purses, for pyx, that belong to the parish and return them, it would be appreciated. They seem to have been in great demand over the holidays. Thanks!*

**JORDAN CONFERENCE (Child Baptism)**

Seton Parish is seeking volunteer couples to assist with 4-6 Jordan Conferences or Baptisms per year. The Jordan Conference couple assists the clergy at each Baptism; each couple would assist approximately once every three months. The Jordan Conference couple will be trained on the sacrament of Baptism, who in turn, will help instruct the parents who are seeking to have their child baptized. If you are interested in making a difference with the young parents of the parish by joining this ministry, please contact Deacon Hector Raymond at (614)833-0482, ext. 243. Prayerfully consider answering this call. Baptisms for children are celebrated on the second Sunday of the month at 1pm and the last weekend of the month at the 5pm Saturday Mass and the 11:15am Sunday Mass except during the season of Lent.

**A WORD FROM FR. JIM**

What a historic week we will witness this week. When President Barack Obama stands on the front of the U.S. Capital this week to deliver his inaugural address, it will be 40 years since another voice, Dr. Martin Luther King's, has been silenced. Dr. Martin Luther King was not a political figure and never held any political office, nor did he exercise any real power beyond moral persuasion. Martin Luther King was first and foremost a preacher, and while he was known as a great orator, he was also a prophet who spoke out against racism, poverty and militarism. Martin Luther King never strayed far from the pulpit and many of his speeches are imbued with scripture. Martin Luther King also was a tremendous advocate of non-violence to bring about his vision of social justice. By many earthly measures, Dr. Martin Luther King died a failure with the civil rights movement struggling with its own internal conflicts. And we know that Martin Luther King was "no saint", yet he served a cause much larger than himself. Tonight at Seton Parish, we will celebrate the great legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King with a tribute to him sponsored by the Pickerington Ministerial Association at 7pm in our Parish Activity Center. We will have a rousing guest speaker, Shannon Granville Hardin from Morehouse College as well as Arnett Howard leading us in our music. Don't miss this special tribute.

**LOOKING FOR BOOKS:**

Deacon Hector is running out of his supply of the book entitled: "Marriage, Divorce and Nullity." If you have one of these books, please return it so he can continue to loan it out as needed. Thanks.



**Food Pantry Donation:** Any canned fruit and applesauce in plastic bottles, please! We know this is a little more expensive, but necessary due to transporting the items to the food pantries! Thanks for your help. If you find deals on pancake syrup and complete pancake mixes (add water only) pick those up for February's donation!

**The Bishop Griffin Center** Put donations in boxes located under the last section of mailboxes in Herrmann Hall. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office at 833-0482.

Special Needs: Beds, Furniture, Appliances

**MARTIN LUTHER KING ECUMENICAL SERVICE**  
**The Pickerington Christian Ministerial Association will host an ecumenical service remembering the late Martin Luther King, Jr., TONIGHT, January 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the PAC at Seton Parish. All are welcome.**

**SETON PARISH PRESCHOOL:**

We have openings for 3-year olds and older 4-year olds. Children can still join our classrooms even though school has begun. We operate Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9:30-1:30. If you'd like more information, please call Karen or Donna at (614)833-0482, ext. 229, or email us at [sppteam@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sppteam@sbcglobal.net).

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** is collecting glass baby food jars and metal lids from frozen juice cans.

**SPY EVENTS:**

**SPY contact information:**

Barbara Serrano at (614)833-0485, ext. #228

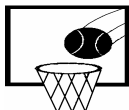
[bserrano@setonparish.com](mailto:bserrano@setonparish.com)

**SPY THOUGHT FOR WEEK: If God forgives the unforgivable and brings them to new life in him; how can we have hearts of stone and be unwilling to forgive others.**  
**NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES THIS EVENING**  
**JAVA WITH JESUS: Wednesday, January 28<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8pm at Planet Coffee. Java will be the last Wednesday of each month through March.**

**SPY BAND:** *The SPY Band practices are on Sunday's 5:30 PM in the Church. If you have questions contact Amanda at [akasinecz@gmail.com](mailto:akasinecz@gmail.com) or call (614) 833-0485 ext 228.*

**CONFIRMATION: Parents please remember that Confirmation retreat forms are due into the Religious Education office by January 25<sup>th</sup>. Please contact us if you have any questions.**

**FEBRUARY 2, 2009: SPY Night at LaFogata with *Outside the Box*.** *LaFogata's will donate 30% of check proceeds for Seton Parish. No coupons are required; there will be a box to place receipts in to be credited towards Seton Parish.*



**FREE THROW COMPETITION**

The Knights of Columbus at Seton Parish will host a Free-Throw Competition today, January 18<sup>th</sup> from 1-3pm in the PAC. Boys and Girls ages 10-14 are eligible to participate. Questions? Call the Parish Office at 833-0482.

**CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK:**

**St. Pius X School: Celebrates Service January 26-30!**

*Beginning next Sunday, January 25, please join us for our annual celebration of Catholic Schools Week. We will have coffee and donuts at Seton Parish on Sunday (January 25) after the 9:30 and 11:15am Masses. In school that week we will be of service to others in these ways:*

*Monday-All School Mass and making of cards for military  
Tuesday-Adopt-a-grandfriend service project*

*Wednesday-Open House 9:30am-1:30pm*

*Thursday-Assemble hygiene kits for Luther House and blankets for Children's Hospital*

*Friday-Collect hats and gloves for Luther House*

**St. Pius X School Reverse Raffle Drawing: February 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
*Grand Prize drawing of \$4,000! Only 200 tickets will be sold (need not be present to win). Pick-up a flyer in Herrmann Hall for more information and send in your ticket order form today!*

**K OF C COUNCIL 11187 SCHOLARSHIP**

Calling all Catholic grade school (grades 4-8) and Catholic high school students whose father or grandfather is a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 11187 (St. Elizabeth Ann Seton). For more information and to apply for the scholarship visit [www.kofc11187.org](http://www.kofc11187.org). The due date for the application is February 28, 2009.

**CONGRATULATIONS:**

The following students have been listed on the Honor Roll/Merit Roll at St. Charles: John Flis (Honor), William Grodesky (Honor), Justin Shotwell (Honor), Jeremy Noe (Merit), Kenneth Sweeney (Merit). Well done, gentlemen!

**ST. CHARLES Scholarship Test, January 31<sup>st</sup>**

To determine academically-based scholarships and grants offered by the school in the 2009-10 school year, we will test prospective eighth grade boys at 9am and 1pm on January 31<sup>st</sup>. **You must register** by calling Laurie Berndt in the school office at (614)252-6714 between 8:30am and 4pm Monday through Friday.

**SETON SINGLES GROUP**

We will be having a game night here at Seton on January 31<sup>st</sup> at 7pm. Bring a snack or appetizer. Games provided, but you are welcome to bring your favorite board game. We will be in classrooms 7&9. Any questions, call Carol at 863-5147 or Dee at 837-3052.

**AN INVITATION TO ADULT PARISHIONERS: The Sacrament of CONFIRMATION is a celebration of the entire Parish Community.** Confirmation is Faith in Action for everyone. Students are witnessing to their faith in preparation for being fully initiated into the Catholic Community and the community witnesses to the faith that is alive in our parish by taking part in the liturgy each week, spiritual outreach and through the prayers of the community for the students on this journey. If you would like to share your time and faith with us please contact the Youth Ministry Office.

**MILITARY MINISTRY-SOCIAL CONCERNS**

Get a Jump Ahead! In 2009 for our military outreach of emergency hospital clothing we will be sending sweats (tops and pants). You may wish to buy a pair now to take advantage of holiday sales and availability. Please buy plain, solid, dark color sweats with no writing on them in men's size L or XL. Hold onto them until spring, when we start collecting for our military outreach. Thank You!

**MARDI GRAS SOCIAL**

Due to the Confirmation Retreat weekend, the Valentine's Day Social is now the "Mardi Gras Social". Bring your friends and join us for a night of dancing and fun! February 21, 7-11pm. Beer and wine provided. Bring a snack, appetizer or dessert to share. Tickets are 10/person and will be sold after masses beginning January 24/25 or in the Parish Office. Please call Cathi Sweeney at 864-1267 or Tracey Conforti at 863-2705 to reserve a table of 10, or if you have any questions.

**WORLD MARRIAGE DAY**

**FEBRUARY 8, 2009 2-4:30PM**

The Marriage and Family Life Office/Marriage Ministries Leadership Council is sponsoring: *The Surprising #1 Secret to Your Best Marriage* to be presented by Kevin Anderson, Ph.D. (marriage therapist, and award-winning author), at St. Elizabeth Church. To register please call 614-241-2560 by February 2<sup>nd</sup> or email: [flomailbox@colsdio.org](mailto:flomailbox@colsdio.org).

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE** is planned for Saturday, February 21<sup>st</sup> at the Lausche Building, Ohio Exposition Center. Immaculee Ilibagiza and Rosalind Moss will be the featured speakers. For more information on the event visit: [www.columbuscatholicwomen.com](http://www.columbuscatholicwomen.com). You can also call the DCCW office at (614)228-8601.

**CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE** will be Saturday March 7<sup>th</sup> from 8am-1pm at St. Joan of Arc Church in Powell. For more information go their website at [www.columbuscatholicmen.com](http://www.columbuscatholicmen.com).



**ADORATION**

Won't you spend an hour with Our Lord? There are hours available for you! Please contact Paul and Shirley Thoburn at (614-833-1288).

**THEOLOGY AND A PUB**

They are the forgotten members of our Church, our community, and our Family – the prisoners. They are incarcerated for different reasons, but never excluded from God's love. So, why should we minister to them and how? Join us at Gresso's at 7:30pm on January 20<sup>th</sup> to welcome Deacon Gregg Eiden with Kairos Prison ministry Services for his talk on "I Was In Prison, And You Visited Me." Gresso's is located on South High Street in German Village and opens at 6pm. Food and drink are available for purchase before the talk.

**Win a \$5,000 tuition scholarship to any school!!!!**

That's right, the \$5,000 scholarship will be paid directly to ANY school – preschool, elementary school, high school or college – towards a designated tuition bill for the 2009-2010 school year or it may be deposited directly into a 529 account. This includes out-of-state schools too! Tickets only cost \$20 each and may be purchased at the school or parish office by calling 445-9668 or online at [www.stmarygv.com](http://www.stmarygv.com). The winning ticket will be pulled at St. Mary's 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Gala and Silent Auction on January 24<sup>th</sup>! You do not need to be present to win. Help us sell tickets and you could win \$100 if you sell the winning ticket.

**Ministries Schedule January 24/25**

**5:00pm**

**Servers:** Erin Froehlich, Anna Hostutler, Becky Hunold, Megan McFaul

**Lectors:** Gerri Nelson, Cathy McFaul

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Larry Taylor, Penny Taylor, Linda Barnett, Brien Bellous, Pat Blades, Marcia Buckley, Kelly Dawes, David Drees, Sally Lindeboom, Frank Piper

**Greeters:** Andy, Bernie and Elizabeth Putz

**Welcome Center** Molly Heuser

**8:00am**

**Servers:** Timmy Hopkins, Kaitlin Kruger

**Lectors:** Louis Sandor, Frances Michalec

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Eleanor Samborsky, Becky Sandor, Carol Schmidt, John Snively, Barb Besancon, Ronald Blymire, Debbie Clegg, MaryLou Downey

**Greeters:** Fred and Nicki Barwick

**Welcome Center:** Dennis and Diannia O'Connor

**9:30am**

**Servers:** Tyler Naegle, Kevin Lauzau, Jennifer Reine, Christopher Vadala

**Lectors:** Nancy Price, Terrence Reine

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Twila Shaffer, Don Shaffer, Jim Thesing, Courtney Williams, Glen Williams, Brenda Wooley, Sara Boulds, Cindy Adams, Dave Adams, Judith Barber

**Greeters:** Matt, Ann and Rachel Leist

**Welcome Center:** Terri Black

**Nursery:** Amy Jones, Deidre Abbitt

**11:15am**

**Servers:** Katie Ferrall, Conor Ferrall, John Haemmerle, Michael Haemmerle

**Lectors:** Bill Bahr, Sandy Stewart

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jacinta Hooker, Dave Hopkins, Nelda Humphries, Tristan Koenig, Cecilia Krause, Terry Mahoney, Mila McNamee, Nancy Miller

**Greeters:** Judy Cilono, Chelsea and Taylor Graffeo

**Welcome Center:** Nelda Humphries

**Nursery:** Misty Reigle, Suzy Farrell

**COLLECTION COUNTERS: Team #9:** Richard Stover, Lisa Wadsworth, Carol and Jesse Pope, Brenda and Bill Burton, Bill and Carol O'Connell

**\*Collection Counter needed. Please call the Parish Office.**

Sunday, January 18

7:00 p.m.

Seton Parish

Activity Center

600 Hill Road North

Pickerington, OH 43147

Phone: 614-759-8088

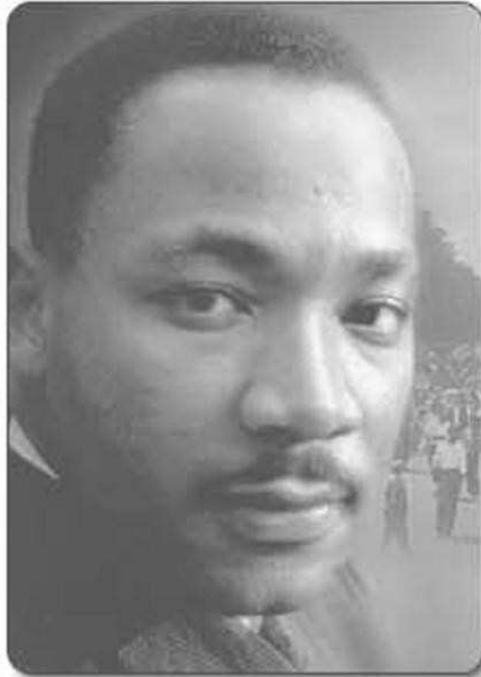
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Pickerington

Christian Ministerial

Association (PCMA)



Shannon Hardin



Arnett Howard

## Martin Luther King Day Celebration

### Shannon Granville Hardin

#### Keynote Speaker

Mr. Hardin is in his senior year as a political science major at Morehouse College, a historically black college/university (HBCU) and is very active in politics and social justice issues and travels around the country motivating young people to speak up on behalf of their future. A world traveler, Mr. Hardin has studied abroad at Kenya University. During his travels of 11 countries, he has garnered a wealth of knowledge of people and cultures from around the world.

### Arnett Howard

is a perennial favorite in the Columbus area and beyond. Mr. Howard is a musician, broadcaster, journalist, historian, traveler, teacher and former leader of Arnett Howard's Creole Funk Band. Since 1985, he has performed over five thousand concerts to a variety of audiences in Central Ohio and throughout the world and has recorded numerous compact discs and tape recordings, including the famed NBC 4 promo "Football Friday Night".