

Happy Birthday



March 31..... Adam Rockey, Ellen Turner
 April 2 Gabriella Howard
 April 3 Gabriel Tamborski
 April 6 Travis Hehl, Betty Kiley

NEWS AROUND THE PARISH

1. **Mark your calendars for April 8th. It's time for our Spring Quarter Auction!!!!** The spaghetti dinner will start at 5:30 p.m. and the auction at 6:30 p.m. If there are any vendors who would like to participate if you have an item you would like to donate to the auction, please call the school at 840-9932. The classrooms will be making baskets for the auction.
2. **SPECIAL CLEANING MORNING**
Saturday, April 12, 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at St. Mary. We need lots of help preparing our beautiful church for Easter. Pews, kneelers, doors, confessional, choir loft, etc. need to be cleaned. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Come anytime during those hours and stay as long as you are able (and can still walk). Your help will make a big job seem small. Hope you can be there! BYOB... Bring Your Own Bucket (Beer Buckets welcome. Soap Suds or Beer Suds both clean well.) All other supplies (party supplies, muscle relaxants, energy pills, cots for naps) will be provided. Questions? Please call the School Office at 937-840-9932 (or Joe's Party Shop at 981-3032). Thanks!
3. The 7th and 8th grade Confirmation students traveled to St. Columbkille for a Retreat on March 21st. Over 80 students attended from three different parishes. We sent 16 teens to participate in a night of spiritual reflection, round table discussion and wonderful group talks about Confirmation. A very special thank you goes to the moms that drove and helped. Karen Humphries, Jennifer Howland and Maria Grimm.
4. **Lunch at St. Mary (aka Mother Francis Soup Kitchen), is Saturday, April 12th.** A hot delicious meal will be served from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. All are welcome. If you are in town and want to eat or want to stop and visit with your fellow parishioners, please do. All the teams have remarked how they enjoy meeting different people on the teams and the guest that come to share the meal. Spread the word.



All Liturgical Ministers (Ushers, Servers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, and Sacristans):

The Worship Commission needs to find out which ministers will be available to serve in their particular ministry at each of the 2014 Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter liturgies.

Palm Sunday

Saturday, April 12, 2014 (5:30 p.m. Mass)
 Sunday, April 13, 2014 (8:00 a.m. Mass)
 Sunday, April 13, 2014 (10:00 a.m. Mass)

Holy Thursday, April 17, 2014

(Will be celebrated at St. Benignus)

Good Friday

April 18, 2014 (Noon)
 April 18, 2014 (7:30 p.m.)

Easter Vigil

April 19, 2014 (9:00 p.m.)

Easter Sunday

April 20, 2014 (8:00 a.m. Mass)
 April 20, 2014 (10:00 a.m. Mass)

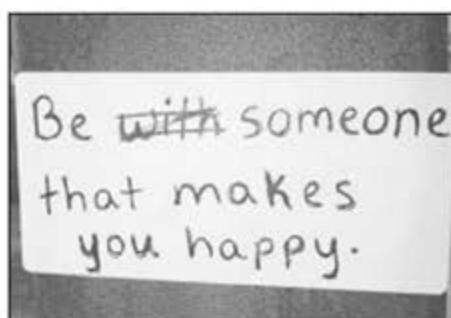
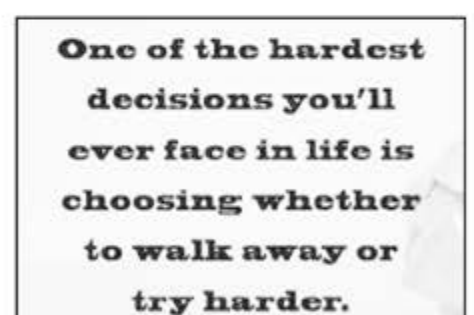
Please let Joyce Combs know all the dates and times you will be available for service.

Email Joyce at: joycecombs@yahoo.com
 Call Joyce at: (937) 764-2030

Mail your response to:

Joyce Combs,
 1386 Burgess Lane, Hillsboro, OH 45133.
 Your response is needed by Sunday, March 30th, so the assignments can be put in the April 6th Bulletin.

Some Real Thought Provokers Here!



If we are not meant to have midnight snacks, why is there a light in the fridge?

