

**Perfectly Yourself Book Reflection:**

Gather with others for prayer and purposefully growing closer to God through discussion and learning from the “Perfectly Yourself” book by Matthew Kelly. Books change our lives. What we read today walks and talks with us tomorrow.

The Spiritual Life Ministry will sponsor this series on **Tuesdays, January 23 through March 13: mornings, 9:45—11:15 AM OR evenings, 6:15—7:30 PM, (during scheduled PSR sessions).**

“Perfectly Yourself” is a book that brings hope and a deep sense of meaning. If you haven’t read it yet, read just 5 pages. See if what it says ... is what you needed to hear.

We’ll be discussing one chapter a week ... encouraging each other to become “perfectly ourselves.” **A sign-up sheet is on the table in the entry area. All are welcome!**

**St. Patrick’s Dinner & Reverse Raffle: Saturday March 17, 2018**

**Ticket sales  
will begin on  
Feb. 3 & 4**

**Corned Beef Dinner at 6:00 pm**

**Raffle begins at 7:00 pm**

**Doors open at 5:00 pm**

**Side Boards**

**Main Board Prize \$1,250.00**

**Ticket Cost: \$30.00 each**

**Proceeds will be used for the landscaping this spring  
for the reconstructed front portico.**



**St. Patrick’s Dinner & Reverse Raffle Committee needs a few more volunteers**, especially people willing to sell tickets after Masses, decorate the hall and set up, bring a desert, serving food and kitchen clean-up, help with side boards during the event and clean up after the event.

**Want to help, but can’t volunteer for any of the above?** Consider donating a basket or individual items for the basket raffle that is also part of the evening events. “Theme-oriented” baskets are especially fun and much appreciated!

**Please contact Trudi Clark at 440- 254-4015, Jane Myden at 440-968-3474, or Diane Long at 440-298-3440** with questions or to volunteer to join the committee or to discuss how you could best help. **Thank You!!**

**Men! HOLD THE DATE!**

**On Saturday, February 24, 2018, Catholic Men’s Fellowship of Northeast Ohio is holding its 18<sup>th</sup> annual “Answer the Call” conference** at the centrally located Holiday Inn Rockside in Independence. The theme of the conference will be “Developing Your Relationship with Christ.” Key speakers will be Peter Herbeck, Eric Mahl and Greg Wasinski. See our website [www.cmfneo.com](http://www.cmfneo.com).

**Special Pilgrimage In the Footsteps of Paul the Apostle**

**Special pilgrimage In the Footsteps of Paul the Apostle featuring a 3 night Greek Islands & Turkey Cruise.**

Sept. 19-29, 2018 from Cleveland Hopkins Airport with Bus pick up at both St. Helens, Newbury and St. Anselm Chesterland, Ohio. Spiritual direction by Fr. Jay McPhillips and Fr. Steve Spisak.

**Call Jim Adair at The Catholic Tour in Newbury for brochures and further information.** Pilgrimage will be visiting: Athens, Pireus, Kalabaka, Philippi, Kavala, Thessalonki, Corinth in Greece and Kusadasi (Ephesus) in Turkey, and the Greek Islands of Patmos, Heraklion, Santorini, and Mykonos. Call Mr. James Adair at 1-855-564-1008 toll free or simply e-mail [jimadair@thecatholictour.com](mailto:jimadair@thecatholictour.com).

**Chili Cook-Off : Saturday, February 10 at 5:00 PM****Winter Warm Chili Cook-Off**

We are inviting you to join in on a **Chili Cook-off**, **February 10, at 5:00 PM** in our Church Hall. Bring your family and friends for an evening of relaxing over a hot meal with fellow parishioners.

**There will be sign-up sheets at the back of church for anyone who would like to bring a piping hot crockpot of your favorite chili for entry into our chili tasting.** For our non-chili lovers we will also have sign-up for your favorite soup/stew. Or just bring your appetite. A dessert to share is appreciated. A side dish will be provided for young children. We will have entertainment for the kids.

**Whatever your preference please come and visit with fellow parishioners.** We would love to see you there!!

**Parish School of Religion:**

**The PSR Family Fun Night was a huge success!** The theme for our evening was "Follow Me-I Will Make You Fishers of Men". As we rotated through the stations of Bingo, Crafts, Pictionary, Pizza and Games, all stations reflected our theme. We thank all of the PSR families who attended, and we wish to thank the catechists for helping with each station. Thanks, too, to all of our catechists and parents who helped with the end of the evening clean-up. It was a great evening of fellowship and fun!!



**A notice to PSR parents:** The Diocesan Training Program for the young people of our parish, "**Called to Protect**", will be implemented into our PSR program on these dates: February 6<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, and 27<sup>th</sup>. The training will be for students in Grades 1-6, and will be incorporated into the regular class time on these dates. It will not be necessary for Grade 7 to participate since they have already had this training in the past. If there are any questions about this program, please contact the PSR office at [440-298-1845](tel:440-298-1845). Those parents who are new to the PSR program will be notified about an orientation parent session which explains the "Called to Protect" program and how we are implementing it into our PSR program. This meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> from 6:15 to 7:30 P.M.