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# Neighborhoods

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## World Day of Social Justice

Social Equality Justice Day is a day recognizing the need to promote efforts to tackle issues such as poverty, exclusion and unemployment. Social justice is an underlying principle for peaceful and prosperous coexistence within and among nations. We uphold the principles of social justice when we promote gender equality or the rights of indigenous peoples and migrants. We advance social justice when we remove barriers that people face because of gender, age, race, ethnicity, religion, culture or disability. I would like to share a few days that are celebrated in the month of February that have contributed to social justice.

### Rosa Parks Day

Rosa Parks Day is an American observance to honor civil rights activist Rosa Parks, who was known for refusing to give up her seat on a bus. Rosa Parks Day promotes equal opportunities, civil rights, and fairness across communities in the U.S. Church leaders, politicians, and organizational leaders unite in states like California and Ohio to promote the day with a range of events and activities.

On December 1, 1955, African American seamstress Rosa Parks was traveling in a Montgomery City bus when the bus driver asked her to vacate her seat for a white man. Rosa Parks refused to leave her seat on the grounds of fairness, freedom and equality. As a result, she was arrested and convicted of violating the laws of segregation. She appealed her conviction and formally challenged the legality of separation.

### Susan B. Anthony Day

Celebrated on February 15, Susan B Anthony Day marks the birthday of one of the United States' most prominent female civil rights leaders.

Susan Brownell Anthony is best known for promoting women's rights and starting up the women's suffrage in the United States. She was born in West Grove, Massachusetts, on February 15, 1820, and devoted most of her life to anti-slavery and women's rights, including the right to vote. She died of heart disease and pneumonia in Rochester, New York, on March 13, 1906.

In 1920, the "Anthony Amendment" was made to the U.S. constitution, which gave women the right to vote. She was the first American woman to have her likeness on a coin in the U.S.

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National Freedom Day is an observation in the United States that honors the signing of a resolution that proposed the 13th amendment of the nation's constitution on February 1, 1865. Abraham Lincoln, who was the president at the time, signed the resolution to outlaw slavery.

Major Richard Robert Wright Senior, a former slave who founded the National Freedom Day Association, played a crucial role in creating the observance. Major Wright was deemed as a community leader in Philadelphia and was active in education, the media, business and politics. He hopes to see a day that would be dedicated to celebrating freedom for all Americans.

For some people, it is a time to promote good will, equality, and to appreciate freedom.

# SUPERHERO DAY

Calling all heroes! Games, concessions, and door prizes will be held at Silver Street Park. Come dressed in your best crime fighting outfit!

Location: Silver Street Park Indoor Facility

Date: Friday, February 23rd, 2018

Time: 6-8p

**FREE**

# FUNZONE

AGES 5-12

## FUN ZONE AFTER-SCHOOL RECREATION CENTERS

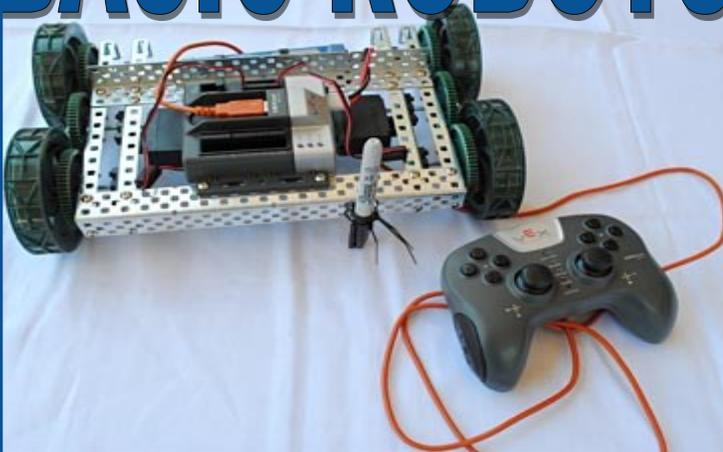
Weekly programs include arts & crafts, drama, enrichment, field trips and get fit classes. Snack Attack is a nutritious snack program offered free of charge to all participants.

Sites open January 16th at the following locations:

Site	Days	Time
Beechwood Center 210 Kelly Drive	TU, W	3-6p
Griffin Recreation Center 1140 Griffin Street	M-Th	3-6p
Parkview Center 300 Erni Avenue	M-Th	3-6p
Riverside Center 55 Riverside Drive	M-Tu-Th	3-6p



# BASIC ROBOTS



For Ages 7-12      Cost: \$15

This is an educational program for children to learn the basics of robotics and team activities all rolled into one.

Pre-registration Required

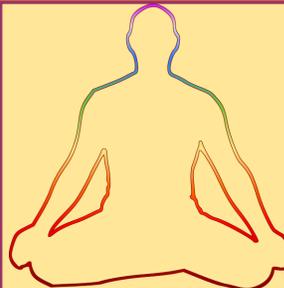
Location: Griffin Recreation Center

Dates: February 21st, 22nd, and 28th 4:30-6:00p

## Silver Street Meditation

FOR ALL AGES

Relax and de-stress in our Calm Room with this year-round guided meditation class!



Location: Silver Street Park Indoor Facility

Date: Tuesdays      Begins 1/16/2018      6-6:45p

Cost: \$2.00/class

## Basketball Skills Class

This will be a three session class taught by experienced staff that will instruct players on the basics and fundamentals of basketball. Each player will receive individual attention, as well as small group instruction to improve their skills. Emphasis will be placed on dribbling, shooting, defense, and footwork.

Griffin Recreation Center

Saturdays, February 10th, 17th, and 24th from 10 am-11 am

Cost \$10      Ages 8-13



**HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY**



# FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY

## Success

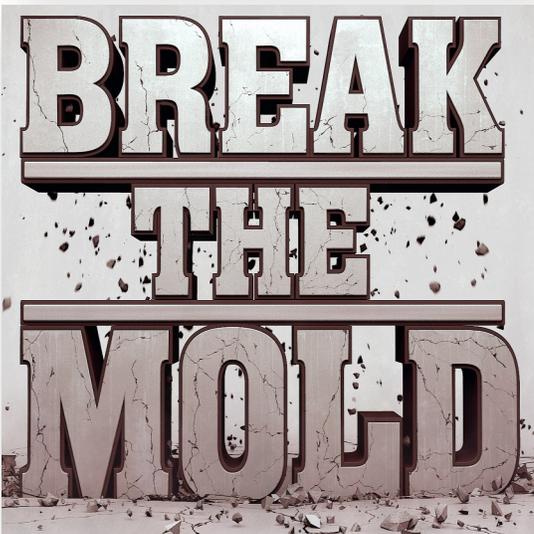
This month's success is Anna Simmons. Anna is a success in so many ways. Anna first became aware of the FSS program when she toured the NAHA FSS office. Anna had become homeless and was living in St Elizabeth's while she was preparing for the birth of her little girl. Anna said "When I met the FSS staff, it gave me hope". Soon after she applied and moved into her apartment. Things have been really good for Anna. She joined FSS and started working with her case manager. She got a job and signed up for any program that would impact her and her daughter in a positive way. One program in particular, 'Healthy Families' helped with parenting. Anna was chosen by Healthy Families as the 2017/2018 Wish Book Winner. Anna was highlighted in the Tribune and is going to receive much needed brand-new clothing, furniture, a washer-dryer & all kinds of baby nursery furniture. Anna was selected because of her beautiful spirit and willingness to work hard for her family. She has been given a new lease on life!



**DID YOU KNOW THAT WHEN YOU ENROLL IN FSS YOUR RENT MONEY CAN GO INTO A SAVINGS ACCOUNT FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.**

**CALL FSS TO GET STARTED (812) 206-2065**

## 2018 FSS Open Enrollment



**It's time to do something completely different & Break the Mold.**

**WHERE: 300 Erni Community Room**

**WHEN: Thursday, February 22, 2018**

**TIME: 5:30 to 6:30 pm**

**Call (812) 206-2050 for additional info**



# Get Money Smart



**Kiarra Kennedy**

Make 2018 count! The New Albany Housing Authority FSS and Fifth Third Bank are presenting financial workshops that will give you the power over your expenses. Make this the year of getting smart with your money. Join us for the following:

**Basic Banking**— Tuesday February 6th at 5:30 to 6:30

**Saving & Budgeting**—Tuesday February 20th at 5:30 to 6:30

**Location:** 300 Erni Ave. Community room.

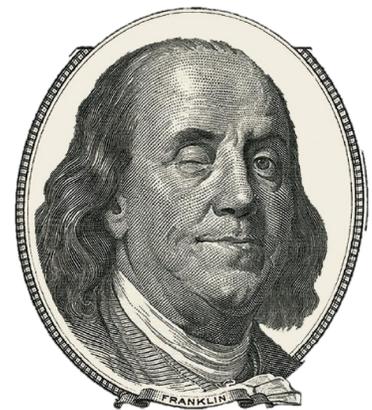


**Call Kiarra to r.s.v.p. at 812-206-2051**

## IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR!!



**Claim Your  
TAX REFUND!**  
Apply for the Earned Income Tax Credit!

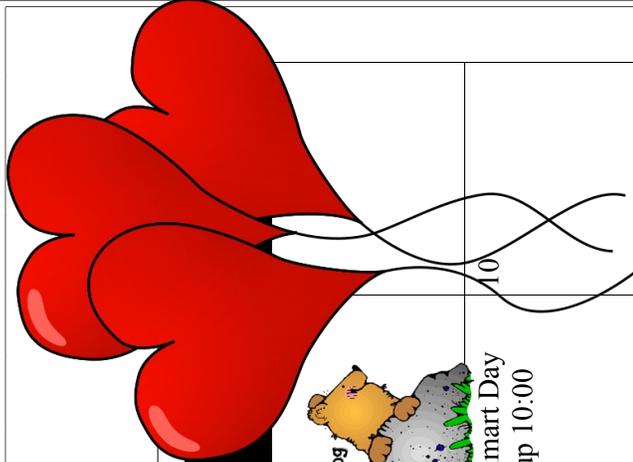


Make sure you keep your hard earned money in your pocket. The Earned Income Tax Credit is designed to do just that! Our very own Kiarra Kennedy can help with direct referrals for **FREE** tax preparation. Call Kiarra before you call the companies that charge!

Kiarra is the FSS AmeriCorps Financial expert Call her before you call anyone else.

**(812) 206-2051**

# February 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu
	Dare to Care Each Monday morning Beachwood Ct.			1 Kroger Day Pick up 10:00am
4	5	6 Blood pressure RVT 11:30	7 Lincoln Hill Bingo MET 7:00	8 9 Walmart Day Pick up 10:00
11	12	13	14 Lincoln Hill Birthda. 2:00	15 Kroger Senior Day
18	19	20 Autumn Woods Brunch pick up 9:00	21 Movie Day Pick up 8:30am	22 Walmart Day Pick up 10:00
25	26 Blood Pressure MET 11:00	27 Autumn Woods Bingo MET 1:00	28 Call Willa For Movie Ticket 812-206-2052	



To sign up for these events or for any questions related to these events or other transportation services available through FSS, please call Willa Banet at 812-206-2052. You must allow 24 hours notice for transportation services.

**Any listed person may be arrested if found on the property. Any resident of public housing allowing any banned person in their residence is subject to eviction.**

14-Dec-17

**Remember these people are banned from ALL NEW ALBANY HOUSING AUTHORITY PROPERTIES.**

Abbott, Matthew	Clark, Bo (J. Woodard)	Fitzgerald, Daniel	Johnson, Amanda C.	Meadows, Daid L.	Rissler, Joshua E.	Teagene, Patrice E.
Acers, Catina M.	Clark, Dylan	Ford, Chantez	Johnson, Aaron C.	Medcalf, Daniel R.	Roberts, Matthew	Thomas, Heather M.
Acers, Keith B.	Clark, James A.	Ford, Marquis	Johnson, Adrian A.	Medley, Maurice A.	Robertson, Jr., James A.	Thomas, Rachel
Adams, Todd	Cole, Beth Ann	Foreman, Leslie E.	Johnson, Antonio L.	Mickens, Alex	Robinson, DeAngelo	Thompson, Andrew
Adcock, Kevin	Cole, Demetrious L.	Fraley, Harrison T.	Johnson Jr., Donald	Miles, Chance	Robinson, Edward L.	Thompson, Bobby K.
Adkins, Darnell L.	Cole, Jason	Frank, Elaine M.	Johnson, Fred R.	Mills, Austin	Robinson, Kenneth	Tilford, Christopher
Alexander, Amanda	Chandler, Sade'	Frazier, Carmel G.	Johnson, Jesse	Mills, Edward M.	Robinson, Tiffany	Timberlake, Lori
Alvis, Richard	Collier, Robert J.	Frazier, Clayton	Johnson, Juwan W.	Montgomery, Mary Ann	Rodewig, Jonathan	Timmonds, Stuart A.
Anderson, Chantez	Collins, Amanda	Freman, Steven	Johnson, Michael	Moss, Jan	Rodgers, Mary Ruth	Toops, Terry D.
Anderson, Carl	Collins, Joseph	Fuller-Tucker, Derrick	Johnson, Monica E.	Moore, Antonio	Rogers, Amanda	Townsend, Ashheena S.
Antonio, Terald	Colmore, John	Fulton, Billie	Johnson, William	Moore, Dorian	Rogers, Jacob	Travis, Zelnar
Applegate, Christopher	Cordoso, Anthony B.	Fuson, David	Joiner, Tanya	Moore, Robert M.	Romero, Brandy	Trice, Brian A.
Arnold, Stephanie	Cortez, Terry	Gabriel, Harold E.	Jones, Bruce S.	Moore, Todd M.	Romero, Carlos	Truitt, Alonzo A.
Ashby, Ryan	Cotton, Steven A.	Gant, Jesman Y.	Jones, Kevin	Morris, Antione	Ross, Crystal L.	Trumbo, Johntae
Ballard, William	Cottrill, Carl Ray	Gant, Quaneisha M.	Jones, Tobias M.	Mosby, Catrell	Rowland, Courtney	Tucker, Robert A.
Barnett, Jr., Albert J.	Cousins, Devonte K.	Glass, Ronald D.	Jones, Travis M.	Mozeq, Gregory	Ruby, Dorothy D.	Tumey, Kevin
Basham, Heather	Cox, Charles P.	Gonzales, Joshua L.	Jutz, Lisa	Mowry, Robert E.	Ruby, Michael R.	Tutt (Offutt), Martin Allen
Battiste, Carl	Craft, Kimberly	Grant, Miranda	Kannamore, Joseph D.	Mucker, Dion	Rudolph, Tabitha R.	Tutt III, James C.
Beecher, Adam	Craft, Rasheede	Graves, Jr., Christopher D.	Kays, Jennifer	Murphy, Stephson L.	Rush, Quarontus L.	Tutt, Antonio
Bell, Anthony Robert	Craig, McKenzie S.	Griffin, Dallas W.	Keenan, Patricia A.	Murphy, Jeremy	Sago, April D.	VanCliff, Devrese
Best, Gary	Crandall, Robert	Green, Sedrick J.	Kindred, Cordell Corey	Murphy, Travis	Sales, Orlando D.	VanCliff, Jr. Alan
Best, Patricia	Crandell, Jacob	Goodbolt, Brandon	King, Rocky L.	Murrell, Akilawoo	Sanders, Eric E.	Vaughn, Justin
Bethards, Nicholas R.	Crone, Daniel	Groves, Allen	King, Terry V.	Murray, Ebony	Sanders, Jodi M.	Vhay, James H. III
Billman, Ronald	Crowe, Briana	Hack, Sherry	Knuckles. Sr., Dontay	Nance, Rick S.	Schuley, Edward A.	Wade, Michael D.
Blair, Darlene	Cruce, Larry A.	Hackney, Robert	Kokinda, Trisha A.	Napier, Shannon	Scott, Madison	Walker, Johnathon
Bland, Thurmond	Cupp, Christopher	Halbleib, Sean Patrick	LaDuke, Christopher L.	Nelson, Bridge	Sellers, Twjuan	Walker, Jr., Leroy E.
Bloomenberg, Joseph	Curry, Justin S. E.	Hall, Harold E.	Lagarenne, Emily G.	Norton, Robert Edward	Senior, Gary	Walker, Jr., Sanford
Blythe, George C.	Curtley, Christopher	Hall, Nicole C.	Lamb, Christopher P.	Noxin, Towanga	Senn, Nathan	Walker, Precious
Bonds, Tabitha	Dansby, Dean K.	Hall, Terry C.	Lamb, John A.	Ollis, Jr., Carl R.	Sensley, Gregory J	Walthour, Teraald A.
Bowman, Richard N.	Dansby, Marquis	Halouma, Anthony	Lane, Derek Andrew	O'Neal, Darryl Wayne	Sexton, Alicia	Wardford, Edward
Bradley, Robert	Dansby, Sean	Hambaugh, Shawn K.	Lane, Koray D.	Oneil, Grant Joseph	Shackelford, Shemar	Washington, Deric A.
Bragg, Kenneth	Darby, Collie C.	Hampton, Justin	Lawrence, Dominique R.	Orman, Christopher	Shirley, Aaron	Watkins, Dominique
Bratcher, Kyle F.	Davenport, James A.	Hardin, Dylan	Lawson, Joshua L.	Overlock, Grant E.	Shirley, Bryce	Watson, Marshall
Brent, Timothy C.	Davey, Chelsea	Hardin, Krystin Paige	Leahigh, Teri	Pantoja, Mario	Shirley, Chester	Webb, Charles Lamont
Brewer, Breon	Davidson, Jordan	Hardin, Nicole	Lee, Fredrick	Parker, Bobbie	Shirley, Joseph D.	Welch, Christopher
Brewer, Charles	Davis, Ben J.	Hardin, Raheem	Lee, Gregory Wayne	Parker, Samantha	Simmons, Ronald L.	Welker, Matthew Scott
Bridgewater, Ralph A.	Davis, Bobbie Lee	Hardin, Ryan L.	Lee, Joshua C.	Patterson, Robert	Simpson, Kenneth	Wessling, Jessica D.
Brim, Alonzo	Davis, Christopher	Harraway, Lachera	Lewis, Jr., Charles	Payne, Kenneth A.	Simpson, Rodney	Wheeler, Megan N.
Brooks, Marshaun	Davis, Rickey	Harris, George	Lewis, Jonathon	Peck, William R., Jr.	Sims, Bridgette Nicole	White, Bejamin O.
Brown, Anthony Lee	Davis, Tina	Harris-Jenkins, Laquante	Loesch, Raymond Patrick	Perry, Jennifer Morgan	Sizemore, Edward	White, Damon
Brown, Aris L.	Davis, Troy	Harrison, Clarence	Harrison, Anthony Wayne	Perry, Michael	Skaggs, Jeffery T.	White, Marneva
Brown, Christian L.	Deaver, Anthony A.	Hash, Gary	Long, Jr., Corey Donnell	Petry, Oradell	Skaggs, Meghan Lynn	Wiggly, Joemale
Brown, Deandre L.	Deleon, Antonio	Hawkins, Misty	Long, Jacobi D.	Petry, Tim C.	Slate, David Roy	Wilhelm, Clayton
Brown, Geron D.	Dell, Rhonda	Haycraft, Ethan	Lovett, Mickey	Peyton, Kennth	Skeens, Steven R	Wilhite, Scott
Brown, Louis G.	Dennison, Bradley A.	Henderson, Amber	Luczer, William C.	Pierce, Jr., Joel E.	Smith, Alashujon D.	Williams, Arlon J.
Brown, Randall	Denton, Paula M.	Henderson, Chris C.	Lukenbill, Kenneth A.	Pilgrim, Robert Earl	Smith, Antonio L.	Wilkerson, Bennett L.
Brown, Tracy M.	Denton, Terry L.	Henderson, Nekos L.	Luker, Nathan	Pitman, Jeremy	Smith, Clarence	Wilkerson, Ronald W.
Bumpous, Dion M.	Deville, Richard L. Jr	Hensely, Jesse L.	Maish, Dale	Pitney, Austin	Smith, Eric Mitchell	Wilkins, Deanna
Burdette, Jasper	Devine, Patrick Allen	Henson, Brandon A.	Malone, Dajuan A.	Pollard, Kelly	Smith, Steven L	Williams, Christopher
Bradshaw, Rodney	Dishman, Brice	Higgins, Adam W.	Manning, Mica	Porter, Chad A.	Smith, Sylvester	Williams, Ethan
Bryant, Chris M.	Dixon, Robin	Hill, Adam	Masterson, James D.	Porter, Treshawn D.	South, Phillip	Williams, Antony W.
Burkhead II, John E.	Dodson Jr., Alan Lee	Hinson, Mark A.	Marharaj, Kishan	Pound, John	Sparks, Candice	Williams, Malcom
Burks, Cynthia	Dodson, Timothy W.	Hobbs, Demetrius T.	Marshall, Deante Lavone	Powell, Tyler	Spaulding, Anthony	Willoughby, Scott
Burns, Damon I.	Douglas, Edwin	Hodges III, James A.	Marshall, Matthew	Priddy, David	Spaulding, Kedran J.	Winburn, Sherron
Burrell, Sabrina	Draper, Lorenzo	Hodler, Michelle S.	Martell, James	Proctor, Alexandria	Stambro, William S.	Wood, Delbert E
Bush, Linda M.	Driver, Michael J.	Holden, Anthony K.	Martin, Brandon	Proctor, Christopher R.	Starks, Kevin	Woods, Brandon
Bush, Shamar	Duncan, Stephone	Holmes, Franklin	Martin, Dimitri "Meechie"	Proffitt, Joshua	Starks, Larry	Woods, Regnald
Bush, Sylvester E.	Dunn, Carlos	Hood, James	Martinez, Hugo	Pugh, Deconko M.	Stevens, Joshua	Woodson, Joe W.
Calloway, Adrian M.	Dunn, Scotty	Hooker, Ronald C.	Mason, Maurice	Putnam, Stephanie	Stephens, Raymond	Woodard, Lorenzo C.
Campbell, Shirley	Earls, Christopher	Hubbard, Billy Ray	Mason, Shreal	Ragains, Maurice James	Stewart, James T.	Wooten, Jeremy
Campfield, Tyquan S.	Edwards, Deantre	Huff, James	Mathes, James A. Jr.	Ramsey, Brian	Stockton, Andy	Works, Richard
Canada, Joseph	Eichler, Anthony D. Jr.	Huff, Troy D.	Mattingly, Kenneth L.	Rayhel, Joseph A.	Stokes, Richard	Worley, Tammy E.
Carmen, Randall	Elliott, Desean	Hurt, Casey	Mauya Salim M.	Raynor, Kimberly	Stockton, Wesley	Wright, Keith Lamont
Crothers, Dawn	Elliott, Walter	Hurt, Misty L.	Maxwell, Michael M.	Ready, Aaron	Stovall, Ashley N.	Wright, Kimberly
Carroll, Rodney	Ellis, Jeremy A.	Hussein, Hamadi A.	Mayes, Johnny T.	Reas, Shelby P.	Sullivan, Hannah	Wyatt, Danny J.
Carter, Josten D.	Enlow, Steven C.	Hutchins, Trisha	Mayo, Sheriese C.	Redd, Troy	Sutton, Charollette	Wynn, Rodney Andre
Casey, Richard	Ernspiler, Crystal	Jackson, Jerry C.	McCallum, Jaquen J.	Reed, Michelle	Sutton, Chiquita	Yates, Kevin
Casey, Robert	Evans, Jesse D.	Jackson, Kimberly V.	McCormick, Cynthia	Reed, Sherry	Swint, Tarod	Yates, Shawn E.
Casey, Vernon	Evans, Larita	Jackson, Nardie	McCuthen, Jacob M.	Reeves, Curtis	Tandy, Ronald E. III	Yoest, Nicholas
Castro, Tray-Sean	Ezell, Don	Jackson, Robert	McDonald, Patrick	Reeves, Quintrius	Tate, Thomas J.	Young, Damon
Chamberland, Hollie R.	Farley, Josh	Jennings, Johari	McGoffney, Charles A.	Reliford, Quentin M.	Taylor, Noah	Young, Shaun
Chism, Robert N.	Farley, Keith	Roberson, Kontar	McKim, Shonda	Rhoads, Leland	Taylor, Roderick	Zainman, Khali
Claney, Anthony J.	Fay, Gary P.	Roberts, Demetrius L.	McNear, Patrick	Richardson, Bobby	Terry, Edward E.	Zang, James Anthony
Carothers, Alisia R.	Ferguson, Jason	Jenkins, Michael Ray	McPheeters, Arthur (Dick)	Riffle, Nathaniel	Terry, Maurice E.	Zuniga, Richard
	Finley, Corbett	Jimmerson, Clinton D.		Rightnowar, Mark		

FREE  
LUNCH  
ANY ONE?

## In Heaven's Eye's (a ministry of Holy Family)

Come out and get a Free Lunch!

300 Erni Avenue- Parking Lot

Saturday mornings at 11:30 am



"I would like to compliment Willa Banet for being the thoughtful and encouraging person she is. She has always been a mentor of mine and I'm sure of other's also. She is my aunt by thru marriage and I love her dearly."

~Karen Snow

THIS IS A  
**SMOKE-FREE  
CAMPUS**

THANK YOU  
FOR NOT SMOKING



**All New Albany Housing Authority property will be designated as a smoke-free living environment. See your Property Managers for more details on the new policy.**



## We have Tax Preparers FOR YOU!

When: Starting January 24th - February 22nd  
Every Wednesday and Thursday

Where: FSS Office- 215 Erni Ave

Time: 1:00 P.M. —4:00 P.M.

To book an appointment please contact

Kiarra Kennedy at 812-206-2051

