

Mass Intentions

Oct. 08 Sat 5:30 p Our Parish Family
Oct. 09 Sun 8:00 a Dominic Palazzolo
 11:00 a Ed Kittka
Oct. 11 Tue 8:00 a Poor Souls
Oct. 13 Thu 8:00 a Intention of donor
Oct. 15 Sat 5:30 p Lillian Rogers
Oct. 16 Sun 8:00 a Charles Yong
 10:30 a Our Parish Family

OUR GIFT TO GOD
 Fiscal Year 7/1/05 – 6/30/06

	Year to Date	Last Sunday
Collection	\$ 61,652.80	\$ 5,002.00
Electronic Funds	\$ 12,910.00	\$ 1,679.00
Bldg. Dev. Fund	\$ 2,062.00	\$ 337.00
EFT – Dev. Fund	\$ 180.00	\$ 10.00
Poor Fund	\$ 300.86	\$ 0.00
Hurricane Relief Fund	\$ 8,001.26	\$ 113.63

LITURGISTS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

October 15 - Sat. 5:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Minister Scheufele/Stephens
 Tomashavich
Lector Brown
Hospitality Karen Ramsey Family
Servers Kerwin/Curry/Auxier
Mass Coordinator Rose and Frank Beeve

October 16 – Sun. 8:00 a.m

Eucharistic Ministers Downey/DeGroot/Wuellner
Lector McMinn/Martindale
Hospitality Hartzel and Mary Bruno
Servers McClintock/Palumbo/Miller
Mass Coordinator Jan and Carlo Catalano

October 16 - Sun. 10:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Ministers Hostetler/Hanke/Presney
Lector Deimel/Bertrand
Hospitality Molina Family
Servers K & S Warren/Greg Owens
Mass Coordinator Loretta Davis

Children’s Liturgy of the Word on 10/16

Jennifer and Randy Western/Carla Houser
Minister of Care for the week of 10/16 – 10/22 is:
 Jerry Calvert

October 11 – Collection Counting Team 4 – (Deimel, Benson, Egizio, Peters)

LOTTERY WINNER\$ Oct. 3 through Oct. 9

Mon. # 477 Ev Deimel
Tue. # 493 Robert Wilber
Wed. # 587 Diane Miller
Thu. # 554 Fr. Mick Egan, C.S.V.
Fri. # 493 Robert Wilber
Sat. # 247 Frank LoCascio
Sun. \$35 # 554 Fr. Mick Egan, C.S.V.

Please pick up your Lottery Winnings!

Coe, Kuhlman, T. Londrigan, Maloney, Merkley, Murer, Oldani, Rousey, Schmit, Segatto, Settles, Werner



Praying for...

Jessica Eck (parishioner)
Katie Leinum (parishioner)
Mike Reisinger (parishioner)
Debbie Schmidt (Conni Leach’s sister)
Emma Carlson (Jack & Cathy’s 1st grand child)
Nancy Wheelwright

Stewardship Message:
Time, Talent & Treasure

In today’s second reading, St. Paul thanks the Philippians for being willing to share in his hardships and promises that God, in turn, will fully supply their needs. Our God truly cannot be outdone in generosity!



Mark your calendars now for the next meeting of the women’s afternoon tea. It is scheduled for Wednesday October 12th from 1 to 3 PM at the parish center. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board.

This Weeks Daily Readings

Sun. – Isaiah 25:6-10; Psalm 23:1-6; Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20; Matthew 22:1-14 or 22:1-10
Mon. – Romans 1:1-7; Psalm 98:1-4; Luke 11:29-32
Tues. – Romans 1:16-25; Psalm 19:2-5; Luke 11:37-41
Wed. – Romans 2:1-11; Psalm 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Luke 11:42-46
Thurs. – Romans 3:21-30; Psalm 130:1-6; Luke 11:47-54
Fri. – Romans 4:1-8; Psalm 32:1-2, 5, 11; Luke 12:1-7
Sat. – Romans 4:13, 16-18; Psalm 105:6-9, 42-43; Luke 12:8-12



Norman Krabbenhoeft, father of Joan Molina, who passed away this past week.

Office Closed
The parish offices will be closed on Monday, October 10th.

!!!Happenings This Week!!!

- Sunday - October 9**
9:10 a NO Christian Formation Class
Noon Parish Picnic
5:30 p NO Confirmation Class
7:30 p SWAT Sunday Night
- Monday - October 10**
6:30 p Bread bakers (Williams, Duesterhaus, Smith, Bertrand, Leskovisek)
6:30 p Christian Formation Commission Mtg.
7:00 p Finance Council Meeting
- Tuesday - October 11**
9:00 a Collection Counting Team 4 (Deimel, Benson, Egizio, Peters)
RCIA
- Wednesday - October 12**
1:00 p Women's Tea
4:00 p Christian Formation Class
7:00 p K – C Meeting
7:00 p Choir Practice
- Friday - October 14**
5:00 p Eucharistic Adoration
9:00 p SWAT 5th Quarter Bonfire
- Saturday - October 15**
8:00 a Faith in Action Fall Clothing Drive
2:00 p Middle School Fun Day
- Sunday - October 16**
9:10 a Christian Formation Class
5:30 p Confirmation Class
7:30 p SWAT Sunday Night



Happy Birthday

Kay Foster, Donald Gietl, Mary Beth King, Donna Ley, Kerry Nordhoff, Theresa Oldani, Marcey Werthwein, Julie Harris, Kathy Hodge, Marian Palumbo, Jack Petty, Katherine Petty, Clayton Alewelt, Neil Limper, Andy

McClintock, Erica Bertrand, Deona Kuntzman, Sergio Molina, Eric Roth, Rich Teeter, Kyle Blumhorst, Scott Settles.

Happy Anniversary

Brad & Lynn Alewelt, Matthew & Michelle Rousey, Gary & Patty Oldani, Greg & Cheri Barnett, John & Maude Kenworth, Gary & LuAnn Ryan

Advertiser of the Week

Pete's Heating and Cooling, Inc.
New Construction – Furnace/AC Replacement
217/525-2665
www.homecomfort.us

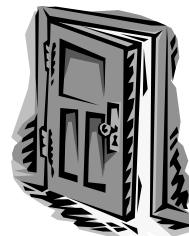
Please patronize our bulletin sponsors and thank them for their support.

This past weekend, the St. Jude parish community had the joy of welcoming

Grant Michael Simmons

into the family of Catholic Christians through the celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism.

Please keep Grant and his parents and godparents in your prayers.



RCIA

“the Door is always Open”

Tuesday, October 11 at 6:30pm, the RCIA inquiry group will be talking about the

Creed, Bible & Tradition

RCIA is for adults, either unbaptized or baptized in another Christian tradition, who would like to explore joining the Catholic Church. No RSVP is necessary. For more information, contact the parish office or Sue Roth 498-9817.

Parents: Mark Your Calendars

St Jude's will host a *Protecting God's Children* Awareness session for adults on **Wednesday, November 16th** at 6:30 pm in the parish center. Watch the bulletin for more details.

Attention 2nd Grade Parents

1st Reconciliation Parent Preparation Meeting will be **Wednesday, October 19** at 6:30 pm in the parish center. Babysitting will be provided. Call if you are **UNABLE** to attend to schedule an individual session prior to **October 19th**!

Christian Formation Commission
this Monday, October 11
6:30 pm
Parish Center

No ChF Classes
This Sunday, October 9
Classes resume Sunday, October 16.
Enjoy the 3 day weekend!



1st Friend's Playgroup

On Monday, October 17th the playgroup will be going to the Berry Patch in Buffalo Hart. They will be leaving the church parking lot at 8:30am. Cost of the trip is \$3.00 per child. The fee covers the cost of treats, drinks, a hayride and a pumpkin. Please call Brenda Will at 498-6766 if you plan to attend.



Handchimes

Thanks to a financial gift; we were able to purchase the 3rd octave-add-on-set of hand chimes. This gift was given by Evelyn Ramsey in memory of her husband, Ray Ramsey. Evelyn & Ray are the grandparents of Megan & Lynnette Ramsey who play in the hand chime choir. Thank you Evelyn!!

M.E.R.C.Y. Communities is partnering with the Red Cross and the Springfield Housing Authority to permanently resettle hurricane evacuees in Springfield housing. Monetary and gently used furniture donations are needed to furnish their homes. Donations can be dropped off at MERCY House Furniture Store's annex located two doors west of the store at 1650 W. Wabash in The Yard Shopping Center. Drop-off hours are 10:00-6:00, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, October 8, 9, 10 and 15, 16 & 17. All donations are tax deductible. Donations, above and beyond the needs of the hurricane evacuees, will be used to support M.E.R.C.Y.'s ministries of providing housing and supportive services to foster the independence of homeless families. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Carole at 787-7488 or Joan at 753-1358. (**Note: Rochester UMC will be collecting furniture for the Rochester Community on October 15th, 2:00-5:00. If you have furniture that you would like to donate, bring it to the church gymnasium that day or let Carole Strick (494-9212) know if you wish to have something picked up.**)



SWAT MISSION TRIP

to Benton Harbor, Michigan, the week of July 2-7. We currently have 20 spots reserved.

3 Spots down, 13 to go!!! Come on, sometimes you just have to jump in the deep end and try something new!!!

A \$50 deposit is due November 1st.

The overall cost will be between \$300-400.

Sign up on the bulletin board if you are interested. But your spot isn't guaranteed until the deposit is paid. There will be plenty of fundraising opportunities.

I need Adults too!!!!

MIDDLE SCHOOL FUN DAY

Saturday, October 15

Meet at the church at 2:00 for:

Bowling

Pumpkin Carving

Weenie Roast

Pick'em up at 6:30! Cost: \$10

Sign up on the bulletin board by October 9th.

Drivers needed!!!

JR. HIGH TIMOTHY RETREAT

Nov 4-5 at St. Mary's Church, Assumption, IL.
Reg. Forms on the Bulletin Board.



Thanks to all our parents who came to the first meeting! Our next session is November 6th. Our topic is *Self-Image Struggles*. Come share your wisdom and your struggles.

SWAT LOCK-IN

High Schoolers mark your calendars for Friday, October 28th. 7:00pm-7:00am. Check the Bulletin Board for more info.

WALK TO CURE DIABETES

The Christian Formation fundraiser to fight juvenile diabetes is going great! So far our children have raised over \$175. But due to a late start, the contest is being extended until October 26. So far Sunday 4th Grade is in the lead!

5TH QUARTER BONFIRES

I need a few more chaperones for the Oct. 14th & 21st games. Please call Jason if you are available.

What's New at St. Jude's?



Twists! That's what! Try these delicious pastries today at the Picnic. The company has provided us with plenty for you to sample. These pastries come frozen, ready to pop in the oven and bake (15 minutes, no thawing, letting rise or anything else. There are 7 varieties, 2 meat and 5 fruit.) They are great to have on hand for last minute guests or treats for the family.

This will be a **Fund Raiser for St. Jude's Debt Reduction**. 100% of all profits will go to our Debt Reduction, not general operating expenses or anywhere else. **Everyone is asked to help sell them** to neighbors, co-workers, friends, relatives, etc.

Kick off weekend will be Oct. 22 & 23. The company representative will be here with more samples for those of you who are unable to come to the picnic. Everyone is asked to take orders for two weeks, turn in orders by Nov. 5-6, and pick up orders on Nov. 19-20 after the masses. No extra trips, everything is being done after the weekend masses for your convenience.

Interested in Joining?

Are you new to the area and interested in joining our parish or have questions about our parish? Please feel free to fill out the form below and drop it into the collection basket or place it on the counter in the sacristy and someone will contact you.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE #: _____

INTERESTED IN JOINING PARISH: _____

QUESTION: _____



Fall Clothing Drive!

As you weed through your summer clothing in preparation for cold weather, remember that we'd love to have your clean, gently worn cast-offs. Buying a new winter coat or boots? Your old coats and boots will be much appreciated by the families served by St. Martin de Porres. Any bedding and household items welcome, too.

Drop off times: Saturday, October 15, 8:00 a.m. -11 a.m.
Sunday, October 16, after each mass.

Thanks for your generosity! Faith in Action Committee

If you have misplaced your liturgy schedule and/or can't remember if you are scheduled for the weekend liturgy check out the schedule on the parish website at: www.rochesterstjude.com.

Prayers Needed

Do you know of someone who is ill, either in the hospital or at home, having surgery, that needs a visit from Father or wants to receive the Eucharist while they are unable to attend Mass or just needs prayers. Please feel free to fill out this form and drop it into the collection basket or hand it to one of the Hospitality Members.

Name: _____

Are they at Home _____ Hospital _____

Home Address: _____

Hospital and Room #: _____

Visit _____ Eucharist _____ Prayers _____

Apple Smiles

This recipe is easy to make and is sure to put a smile on anyone's face.

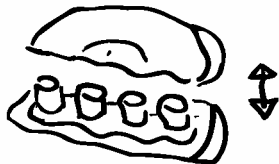
Here is what you need:

- apple (red if possible)
- peanut butter or cream cheese
- miniature white marshmallows
- butter knife



Here is what you do:

1. Cut the apple into wedges.
2. Spread peanut butter or cream cheese on one side of two wedges.
3. On one of the wedges, stick a few marshmallows in a row to look like teeth.
4. Put the other apple wedge on top with the creamy side down.
5. Share them with your friends and family.
6. Smile and enjoy!



Just for KIDS

GOOD MEDICINE

During this time of year many people get a cold or the flu. Doctors can give medicine to help those people feel better. The Bible suggests something that we can give to make someone feel better anytime of the year. Proverbs 17:22 says, "A cheerful heart is good medicine...." What is the best way to show our cheerfulness?

Connect the numbered dots to find out!

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Bible Quiz

In Bible times, the shepherds probably spent more time with their sheep than with their families. They had to take their sheep from one feeding ground to another. They had to make sure the flock had sufficient water. And they had to protect them from wild animals at night. When an animal was hurt, the shepherd rubbed a liquid on the injury. What was it?

- A. water
- B. honey
- C. a salt solution
- D. olive oil

The answer is in Psalm 23:5.

Pastoral Council Minutes

August 24, 2005

PRESENT: LuAnn Eifert, Steve Warren, Ed Bedore, Kelley Stephens, Lucy Breitung, Sue Roth, Janet McMinn, Jerry Jasinski, Mike Glick, Jason Heiple, Father Bill, Laura Megown, Carmel Settles.

The meeting opened at 6:40pm with a Prayer led by LuAnn Eifert, Mike Glick, and Lucy Breitung.

Minutes from the August 3rd meeting were reviewed. Motion by Ed Bedore to approve the minutes and Kelley Stephens seconded the motion. Motion was carried.

Strategic Planning Update

Final plans for this weekend's kickoff were discussed including details on story boards, trivia questions, refreshments, and decorations. Laura Megown inquired as to what would be announced at this weekend's mass encouraging parishioners to come over to the hall to fill out the questionnaires. Father will encourage all to come over after the masses. A brief parish council meeting will be held on September 7 at 6:30pm to discuss problems/changes from the first weekend for the upcoming weekend of September 10 and 11.

Committee Reports

Christian Formation:

Laura Megown reported that Pre-K to Grade 9 Parent Orientation for Christian Formation classes will be held on August 29 and August 31 at 6:30pm. This is a mandatory meeting which will cover the handbook, enhanced list of volunteer opportunities, class schedule, adult education opportunities, updated financial responsibility, and the Safe Kids Environment Program. Updated handbooks are being printed and will be ready to hand out at the orientation. Catechists Orientation will be held on August 25th. The Sunday roster of catechists and aides has been filled and all but 2 positions for the Wednesday class. There will be a minimum of 2 adults per classroom. Classes start on Sunday, September 11 and Wednesday, September 14.

Added to the curriculum is the Safe Kids Environment Program which is mandated by the diocese. Laura will train each child upon receiving a signed permission slip for the parents. This will be very time consuming but Father stressed its importance.

Youth Ministry:

Jason Heiple asked that this be removed from the agenda for the time being. With the graduation of Stacey Hankins there has not been anyone step forward to fill this role. They are looking at the sophomore class hoping to identify someone to fill the position.

Parish Life:

Jerry Jasinski reported the Parish Picnic will now be held on October 9 at the Rochester Park. This is a change from the previously reported date of September 11. The Knights of Columbus Cardinal game is now scheduled for September 11.

Liturgy:

Sue Roth reported the Liturgy committee will meet on August 29th. They are still in need of one more person for this committee.

Father Bill's Comments:

Father reported that Vicki Walker is updating the Parish Handbook. Each commission needs to take a look at their entry in the handbook and if any updates are needed, please submit to Vicki by September 15.

Father reported we are going to start issuing a monthly newsletter. This will be mailed to every household in the parish and will be a look ahead for the upcoming month. There will still be the weekly bulletin but it will only be 2 pages instead of the many pages it had become.

Father also addressed the issue of a new Parish Directory being compiled. He would like to strive for this later in the year. It has been several years since the last directory and the parish has grown considerably since then. He would like to assemble a group to start this process in motion and would like to add this to the Ministry sign up that will take place the weekend of October 15-16.

He also addressed the major retreat our Parish will be hosting during Lent with Little Flower Parish. Our church has never hosted something on this scale before and it will take a team of parishioners to make this happen. He would like to add this as well to the Ministry sign up on the weekend of October 15-16.

He also indicated there was nothing new to report concerning the Scott property. The county had purchased 1/5 acre of frontage property on the Clarence Leach property for \$2200.00.

With no other issues or concerns, the meeting closed with the Our Father led by LuAnn Eifert and was adjourned at 7:40pm.

The next meeting is scheduled for September 7 at 6:30pm.

Pastoral Council Minutes

September 8, 2005

PRESENT: LuAnn Eifert, Ed Bedore, Lucy Breitung, Sue Roth, Janet McMinn, Mike Glick, Jason Heiple, Father Bill, Laura Megown, Carmel Settles, Al Laabs.

The meeting opened at 6:40pm with a Prayer led by Ed Bedore.

Strategic Planning Update

Copies of the 30-40 responses received from the first weekend receptions held on August 27 and 28 were distributed. This is approximately a 10% return so far. Everyone was pleased with the turn out at the receptions. Sue Roth and Lucy Breitung said they had received lots of positive comments on the receptions and that people enjoyed the opportunity to meet and greet fellow parishioners. Final plans were arranged for this weekend's receptions. It was discussed how to pick-up the response and it was decided to set a deadline of September 18 for returning the questionnaires. Al Laabs suggested follow-up calls to parishioners. However, it was decided to wait to see how the response was after the second weekend.

Father Bill's Comments

Father introduced and welcomed Al Laabs as our Deacon Candidate.

Father suggested an outdoor mass be held at the Park prior to our Parish Picnic on October 9th. The mass would be held at 11am and parishioners would be encouraged to bring lawn chairs to sit on. There would not be 10:30am mass on that Sunday. In case of inclement weather, the mass would be back at the church.

With no other issues or concerns, the meeting closed with a prayer led by Ed Bedore and was adjourned at 7:30pm.

The next meeting is scheduled for September 28 at 6:30pm.