

Mass Intentions

Sept 15 Sat	5:30 p	Catherine Ziaja †
Sept 16 Sun	8:00 a	Al Mavis †
	10:30 a	Our Parish Family
	6:00 p	Confirmation Students
Sept 17 Mon	8:00 a	Mary & Lawrence Frost †
Sept 18 Tues	6:45 a	Quinn & McMurry Families†
Sept 19 Wed	8:00 a	Communion Service
Sept 20 Thur	6:45 a	Living and Deceased Members of the Parish
Sept 21 Fri	8:00 a	Our Parish Family
Sept 22 Sat	5:30 p	Eileen & Richard Kerhlikar †
Sept 23 Sun	8:00 a	Peter Orlandini †
	10:30 a	Our Parish Family
	6:00 p	Our Parish Family

LITURGISTS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

September 22– Sat. 5:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers	Egizio/Lower
Lector	LoCascio/Kenworth
Hospitality	Jemison and Herr Family
Servers	Settles/D & M Western
Minister of Care	Monica Lower
Mass Coordinator	Monica Lower

September 23– Sun. 8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Ministers	Eifert/J Heiple
Lector	Kruse/DeGroot
Hospitality	Feraris Family
Servers	McClintock/J & J Merriman
Minister of Care	Lenna DeGroot
Mass Coordinator	Brenda Will

September 23 - Sun. 10:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Ministers	Walker/Warren
Lector	Miller/Warren
Hospitality	Mitch & Barb Borowiecki
Servers	Murer/J & J Foster
Mass Coordinator	Jeannette Waters

September 23 – Sun. 6:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Tom
Lector	Lindsey Shackelford
Hospitality	Lease Family
Servers	S McMinn/L Henson/ M Lindstrom
Mass Coordinator	Frances Tomashavich

Children’s Liturgy of the Word Leaders – Sept. 23rd

Brandee and Aaron Toliver and Carla Houser

**Stewardship Message:
Time, Talent & Treasure**

We can hear God speaking to us today in the words of the father to his elder son: “You are with me always, and everything I have is yours.” What is my response to such remarkable generosity? Do I give joyfully and generously as God gives to me?

**OUR GIFT TO GOD
Fiscal Year 7/1/07 – 6/30/08**

	Year to Date	Last Sunday
Collection	\$ 52,893.60	\$ 3,845.28
Electronic Funds	\$ 10,531.00	\$ 0.00
Bldg. Dev. Fund	\$ 4,020.00	\$ 230.00
EFT – Dev. Fund	\$ 994.00	\$ 0.00
Poor Fund	\$ 610.26	\$ 10.00

**September 17 – Collection Counting Team 1 –
(Brady, Catalano, Hattes)**

LOTTERY WINNERS\$ Sept. 10 through Sept. 16

Mon.	# 147	Charles Gramlich
Tue.	# 502	St. Jude Mission Trip (Fr. Dean)
Wed.	# 527	Shirley Crawford
Thu.	# 120	Fr. Cahill Scholarship (Faloon)
Fri.	# 152	Gunter Family
Sat.	# 195	Mary Kates
Sun. \$35	# 369	Adrian Koerper (Walker)

Please pick up your lottery checks in the Sacristy!

Arnish, Austin, Beals, Blasko, Bruno, Burdzilaukas, Catteau (Garcia), Chepulis, Coe, Day, Devaney - 3, Doedtman, Felts, Flanagan, (Schmit), Foster, T. Harris, Hutchinson - 2, Kimberlin - 3, Kremitzki, Londrigan - 2, Nordhoff, Oldfield, Park, Parnell, Schultz, Vinson, Wright (Watts)

Dean Schulte (Dennett Hanke’s brother)

- Jim Kates** (parishioner)
- Clarence Calvert** (Jerry Calvert’s dad)
- Haley Rowden** (granddaughter of Ray & Elizabeth Rowden)
- Deb King** (parishioner)
- Mary Beth King** (parishioner)
- Lawrence Burdzilaukas** (parishioner)
- Callahan Family** (parishioners)

- Ken Kjar** (Nancy Atkinson’s father)
- Marian Scheufele** (Jim Scheufele’s mother)
- Catherine Hendrickson** (parishioner)
- Mary Beth Vetter** (Teri Dambacher’s sister)
- Sandy Shellhammer** (Tracy McDermott’s mother)
- Ruth Helling** (parishioner)

This Weeks Daily Readings

- Sun.** – Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14; Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-32 or Luke 15:1-10
- Mon.** – 1 Timothy 2:1-8; Psalm 28:2, 7-9; Luke 7:1-10
- Tues.** – 1 Timothy 3:1-13; Psalm 101:1-3, 5-6; Luke 7:11-17
- Wed.** – 1 Timothy 3:14-16; Psalm 111:1-6; Luke 7:31-35
- Thurs.** – 1 Timothy 4:12-16; Psalm 111:7-10; Luke 7:36-50
- Fri.** – Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13; Psalm 19:2-5; Matthew 9:9-13
- Sat.** – 1 Timothy 6:13-16; Psalm 100:1-5; Luke 8:4-15

!!Happenings this Week!!



Sunday -	September 16
9:10 a	PSR Classes
10:30 a	Children's Liturgy of the Word
6:00 p	Mass – Confirmation Prep Class
Monday -	September 17
9:00 a	Collection Counting Team 1 (Brady, Catalano, Hattes)
7:00 p	Pastoral Council Meeting
Tuesday -	September 18
7:00 p	RCIA Inquiry
7:00 p	K – C Meeting
Wednesday -	September 19
5:30 p	Children's Choir Practice
6:30 p	PSR Classes
7:30 p	Adult Choir Practice
Thursday -	September 20
7:00 p	Mission Trip Meeting
Friday -	September 21
1:30 p	Women's Prayer Group
5:00 p	Eucharistic Adoration
Saturday -	September 22
9:00 a	Meal Prep for St. John's Breadline
Sunday -	September 23
9:10 a	PSR Classes
10:30 a	Children's Liturgy of the Word
6:00 p	Mass – Confirmation Prep Class

Church Dusters for the week of September 17th are Sue and Victoria Arnish and Carla Houser.

6:00pm Sunday Mass

A 6:00pm Sunday Mass will be offered on September 16th, 23rd and 30th. Attendance at the Mass will fulfill your Sunday obligation.



RCIA

Why do Catholics do that? Is that really what they believe? Have you ever found yourself wondering why something happened (or didn't happen) at Mass?

RCIA Tues, September 18th at 6:45 pm the RCIA team will begin exploring some of these questions.

Anyone interested in asking questions about the Catholic faith tradition or how to join the Catholic Church is invited to come. No RSVP is necessary.

For more information, please contact Sue Roth (498-9817) or Father Dean (498-9197).



David and Jill Laub and their sons, Logan (11) and Dylan (5) – 3518 Otter Lane, Springfield

Chris and Karen Jones and their children, Conner (5) and Alyssa (2) – 2901 Springwood, Springfield

Women's Prayer Group

Friday, September 21st, 1:30 p.m.
Parish Center
Barbara Hattes, Facilitator
Topic: Centering Prayer

Tootsie Roll Drive



The annual Knights of Columbus MR/LD Drive (better known as the tootsie roll drive) will be next weekend, September 21st and 22nd. The sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board at the entrance to the church. Please

show your support for these disadvantaged children and sign-up for at least one two hour shift. Your help is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions call Will O'Brien 498-7538 or Jack Downey 498-7768.



Everyone who is interested in participating in the 2008 Mission Trip to Virginia Beach, Virginia is asked to attend the meeting on

Thursday, September 20th at 7:00pm in the parish center. Registration forms and fees are due at this meeting. If you still need a registration form they are found on the table at the entrance to the church, in the bulletin, or on line at

www.rochesterstjude.com/Youth/Upcoming_Events.asp.

Important Confirmation Announcement!!

If you recently received a note asking that you obtain your son's or daughter's baptismal certificate, please contact the church where the baptism occurred soon. We would like to have all of these on file by October 1st. Thank you for your diligence.

Thanks to PSR Parents

Thank you for attending the recent PSR Parent Orientations and renewing the covenant of partnership between your families and the community of Catechists here at St. Jude. May God allow our parish family to grow closer in love for God during the months to come.

To our 8th graders NOT being confirmed

Mary Ann Brown (8th grade Catechist on Sunday mornings) has offered to meet with those 8th grade students who've elected not to be confirmed this year. For the five weeks beginning this Sunday, September 16th, learn more about WHY we do what we do at the mass. If you've ever had questions about the mass, this would be a great opportunity to delve into the "sacred mysteries" of the mass in a small group setting. For more information, contact Mary Ann Brown at 498-2015.



Many thanks to our Parish Life Commission for hosting such a great Picnic! We extend a special thank you to **Mike Carlisle** for bringing his truck and trailer to haul everything to and from the park. Thank you to **Springfield Pepsi Cola Bottling Co.** for furnishing all the drinks. Thank you to all who attended and brought such great food!

And the winners were:

Dinner for 2 at Cracker Barrel was won by Tony and Brenda Magro

Picnic Cooler, dishes and Grill was won by Frances Tomashavich

**GIVE A WOMAN THE GIFT OF PRAYER,
SELF-DISCOVERY**

Looking for the perfect gift for a young woman in your life? Consider an invitation to the upcoming *Come and See* retreat hosted by the Dominican Sisters of Springfield, Illinois. The October 5-7 retreat is free of charge and open to any single Catholic woman ages 18-35. The deadline to apply is October 1st.

The weekend is an immersion into the life of the Dominican Sisters. It is designed to help participants learn the discernment skills they need to make any important decision in life, but especially about how to discern God's call to religious life.

Visit www.SpringfieldOP.org to register, or call vocation director Sister Lori Kirchman at 217.787.0481

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The programs, services and ministries supported by the **Annual Catholic Services Appeal** meet the larger diocesan needs of Catholics and others in the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois. The theme this year for the **Annual Catholic Services Appeal** is "Here I am Lord." This weekend Bishop Lucas will be sending a letter to each Catholic household in the diocese asking for your support. The diocese serves each of us, and our financial support is needed to continue God's work in the diocese.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL
NOTES/NOMINATIONS**

Parishioners Ed Bedore and Kelley Stephens have asked to be replaced on the Pastoral Council, while LuAnn Eifert and Steve Warren have agreed to remain on the Council a bit longer. If you are interested in serving or nominating someone to serve on the Pastoral Council whose responsibility is to advise the Pastor regarding the parish life, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or notify Sue Bozarth or Vicki Walker in the parish office by September 24. Those nominated will be contacted for assurance of willingness to serve before selection is made through discernment and prayer.

Nomination(s) for Pastoral Council:

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

WORKSHOP - THE WORD OF GOD

On Saturday, September 29th, Todd Williamson, Director of the Office for Divine Worship, Archdiocese of Chicago will present: "The Word of God: Stirring us to Give Thanks and Praise." This workshop will be held at the parish center from 8:45am to 1:00pm. If you are interested in attending please call Vicki or Sue in the parish office (498-9524) by September 21st to register.

Liturgical Ministry Sign-Up

In case you missed ministry sign-up last week and would like to volunteer as a lector, Eucharistic Minister, Acolyte (Server) or any of the other ministries associated with the Liturgical Ministries, there are sign-up sheets at the entrance to the church. If you are currently participating in one of these ministries you still need to sign-up so that we know you want to continue. A big thank you to all parishioners who have already answered the call to share their time and talent during sign-up last weekend.

Springfield Right to Life is holding its Annual Fundraising Dinner on Friday, October 5th at the Sangamon Prairie Reception Center on Rt. 4 in Chatham. Reception and silent auction will begin at 6:00pm with dinner at 6:45pm. Featured speaker is Tom Brejcha, President and Chief Council of the Thomas More Society, Defenders of Pro-Life. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students. To make a reservation mail your check, payable SRTL to 316 E. Monroe, Springfield, Illinois 62701.

**CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP
VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA
JUNE 15-21, 2008 (WORKCAMP)
TRAVEL = JUNE 14-22**

Registration is first come, first served.

**COST = \$100 REGISTRATION FEE
\$150 NON-PARISHIONER**

Approximate total cost = \$600/person The extra-cost is fund-raised.

1. The approximate cost/person for 2007 workcamp was \$500.
2. The projected total cost/person for 2008 workcamp is \$600.
3. Participants must participate in the fundraising through the year or pay the proportional cost.
4. Bus transportation probable depending upon number of participants from the parish.
5. Adults must accompany the group at 1 adult per 7 youth.
6. Youth must be 8th grader beginning school 2007 to participate.
7. In order for us to attend the Virginia Beach workcamp, we must register with fees by September 30, 2007. (There is no guarantee of space after this date.)
8. To register, please fill out the bottom portion of this page and return it with the registration fee to the parish office ASAP.
9. **MISSION TRIP PLANNING MTG: SEPT. 20, 7 PM**

Name _____

Youth _____ Adult _____

Email address: _____ telephone _____