

Mass Intentions

Sept 29 Sat	5:30 p	Eileen & Richard Kerhlikar †
Sept 30 Sun	8:00 a	Richard Helling†
	10:30 a	Our Parish Family
	6:00 p	Candidates for Confirmation
Oct. 1 Mon	8:00 a	Eugene & Jo Ann Thomas †
Oct. 2 Tues	6:45 a	Fr. Tom Davenport †
Oct. 3 Wed	8:00 a	Catherine Ziaja †
Oct. 4 Thur	6:45 a	Our Parish Family
Oct. 5 Fri	8:00 a	Tony Krager †
Oct. 6 Sat	5:30 p	Our Parish Family
Oct. 7 Sun	8:00 a	Peter Orlandini †
	10:30 a	Living and Deceased Members of the parish

LITURGISTS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

October 6 – Sat. 5:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers	Breitung/Day
Lector	Kenworth/LoCascio
Hospitality	Jim and Darlene Kratz
Servers	Ramsey/Flentge/Leinum
Mass Coordinator	Kathy Blasko

October 7 – Sun. 8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Ministers	Brown/DeGroot
Lector	Nancy and Jerry Calvert
Hospitality	Benson/Brandis/Bartolozzi
Servers	A & C Brown/C Merriman
Mass Coordinator	Jan and Carlo Catalano

October 7 - Sun. 10:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Ministers	J. Biesiada/Hostetler
Lector	Kerley/Miller
Hospitality	Ed and Judy Bedore
Servers	Biesiada/J and J Foster
Minister of Care	Emma Van Dyke
Mass Coordinator	Jeannette Waters

Children’s Liturgy of the Word Leaders – Oct. 7th

Brenda Will and Deona Kuntzman

This Weeks Daily Readings

Sun. – Amos 6:1, 4-7; Psalm 146:7-10;
1 Timothy 6:11-16; Luke 16:19-31
Mon. – Zechariah 8:1-8; Psalm 120:16-21, 29, 22-23;
Luke 9:46-50
Tues. – Zechariah 8:20-23; Psalm 87:1-7;
Matthew 18:1-5, 10
Wed. – Nehemiah 2:1-8; Psalm 137:1-6; Luke 9:57-62
Thurs. – Nehemiah 8:1-12; Psalm 19:8-11;
Luke 10:1-12
Fri. – Baruch 1:15-22; Psalm 79:1-5, 8-9; Luke 10:13-16
Sat. – Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29; Psalm 69:33-37;
Luke 10:17-24

PSR Announcement

There will be no WEDNESDAY PSR classes on October 3rd. All Catechists, Aides and Substitute Catechists & Aides are expected to attend the Team meeting during that time.

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

	Year to Date	Last Sunday
Collection	\$ 62,868.60	\$ 4,073.00
Electronic Funds	\$ 13,296.00	\$ 0.00
Bldg. Dev. Fund	\$ 4,174.00	\$ 10.00
EFT – Dev. Fund	\$ 1,284.00	\$ 0.00
Poor Fund	\$ 772.07	\$ 89.26

October 1 – Collection Counting Team 3 – (Presney, Lower, Tomashavich)

LOTTERY WINNER\$ Sept. 24 through Sept. 30

Mon.	# 194	Paula Jones
Tue.	# 110	Herta Duban
Wed.	# 281	Potter Family
Thu.	# 56	Cadigan Family
Fri.	# 173	Jan Heissingner
Sat.	# 309	Julie Sapetti
Sun. \$35	# 385	Wuellner Family

Please pick up your lottery checks in the Sacristy!
Arnish, Austin, Beals, Biesiada, Bruno, Chepulis, Coe, Crawford, Day, Devaney - 3, Doedtman, Flanagan, (Schmit), Foster, Gramlich, T. Harris, Hundley, Kates, Kimberlin - 3, Kremitzki, G & C Leach, Londrigan - 2, Nordhoff, Oldfield, Park, Schultz, Vinson, Wright (Watts)



Praying for...

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 Burdzilaskas (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)
Edith Cape (Diane’s mother)
Katherine Woods (Sue Roth’s mom)

Stewardship Message:
Time, Talent & Treasure

The sin of the rich man in today’s parable was not that he was rich, but that he failed to share his wealth with the beggar at this gate. He knew Lazarus, perhaps walked by him every time he came in or out, but did nothing to relieve his suffering. Is there a Lazarus in my life? What am I doing to help?



Remember in Prayer

Sandy Shellhammer,
mother of Tracy
McDermott, who
recently passed away.

“Here I am Lord”

Have you responded to the **Annual Catholic Services Appeal** from Bishop Lucas?

!!Happenings this Week!!

Sunday -	September 30
9:10 a	PSR Classes
9:30 a	Serve at St. John's Breadline
10:30 a	Children's Liturgy of the Word
6:00 p	Mass – Confirmation Prep Class
Monday -	October 1
9:00 a	Collection Counting Team 3 (Presney, Lower, Tomashavich)
Tuesday -	October 2
6:45 p	RCIA Inquiry
7:00 p	Mission Trip Meeting
7:00 p	Pre-Jordan Baptismal Class
Wednesday -	October 3
6:30 p	NO PSR
5:30 p	Children's Choir Practice
7:30 p	Adult Choir Practice
Thursday -	October 4
6:30 p	Blessing of Animals
7:00 p	Building Committee
Friday -	October 5
1:30 p	Women's Prayer Group at Siena Hall
5:00 p	Eucharistic Adoration
Saturday -	October 6
9:00 a	Confirmation Retreat
Sunday -	October 7
9:10 a	NO PSR
10:30 a	Children's Liturgy of the Word

Church Dusters for the week of October 1st are the Scott and Spurlock families.

Advertiser of the Week

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Blessing of Pets
October 4th is the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of animals and ecology. At 6:30pm bring your pet to the parish center parking lot and Father Dean will offer a blessing for them.



Women's Tea is Wednesday, October 10th at 1:00PM in the parish center.



Chaperones Needed

The bonfires have been very well attended by the high school youth after the football games. We still have two more scheduled.

Chaperones are still needed for October 12th and October 19th. If you can help out please sign-up on the forms at the entrance to the church. Set up begins at 9:00pm and clean up is usually completed by 11:45pm. Come spend some time with the youth of the community.



The **deadline to submit your registration** form and fee for the mission trip to Virginia Beach, Virginia is **September 30th**. As of October 1st the registration

fee will increase by \$25.00. **A meeting has been scheduled for October 2, 2007 at 7:00pm for all those who are planning on going on the trip.** Free day activity will be either ocean beach or white water rafting. We will travel home through Washington, D.C. Registration form can be found on the parish website at www.rochesterstjude.com/Youth/Upcoming_Events.asp.

Volunteers to help serve Confirmation dinners needed

The Knights of Columbus are serving confirmation dinners on Thursday, October 11th and again on Monday, October 15th. They have asked that we provide some volunteer help because of the large numbers expected. We need *at least three more individuals* on each evening to help serve the meals and then clean up afterwards. Volunteers will likely need to arrive by 5:00 p.m. and work until 7:30 p.m. If you can help, please sign up on the Christian Formation bulletin board located at the entrance of the church. "Many hands make light work!"

The **Pre-Jordan Baptismal Class** is scheduled for Tuesday, October 2nd at 7 p.m. in the Parish Center. Parents and parents-to-be anticipating a child's baptism are expected to attend a Pre-Jordan Baptism Preparation Class. Please call the Parish Office (498-9524) to RSVP, and contact Theresa Gegen (498-7814) if you have any questions.

“FRIENDS” in Foreign Lands



On the weekends of October 13-14 and 20-21 we will be collecting new and gently used children's coats, boots, shoes, gloves and hats, along with NEW socks. There will be boxes in the gathering area as you enter church. These items will then be shipped to Afghanistan to **Kyle Blumhorst**, a member of St. Jude's Parish, who is serving as part of an ETT (Embedded Training Team) in Sharana, Afghanistan, as a mentor to the 2nd Brigade of the 203rd Afghan Corps. Kyle and his fellow service personnel will distribute these items to the children in the surrounding villages.

It is very cold in Sharana, since it is at 7,000 feet elevation (Denver is 5,470 ft.). Most of the children do not have adequate shoes, socks, coats and clothing to stay warm. With winter approaching, we are asking for your help and support with our Friends in Foreign Lands project.

Let's fill the boxes!

Thank you for your generosity, help and support!



Women's Prayer Group

Friday, October 5th, 1:30 p.m.

At Siena Hall

Sr. Kathleen Couer, Facilitator

Topic: Prayer

An awareness of God in our everyday lives.

Contact Beth Yong at 498-8864 if you have questions.



STEWARDSHIP

The Community of St. Jude made the decision many years ago that we would no longer “pass the basket” during Mass. Instead – we pledged to practice

Sacrificial Giving

We place our offering in the basket located on the table behind the last row of chairs.

Tootsie Roll Drive



Members of the Knights of Columbus Council # 9640 will be selling boxes of tootsie rolls for \$5.00 after all the masses this weekend. Proceeds go to the annual Knights of Columbus MR/LD Drive.

K of C Game Knight

The Knights of Columbus is hosting a night of cards, football, food and drinks for getting to know more about the Knights of Columbus Council #9640, the good things they do and how you can be involved in this great organization. All current Knights and those interested in becoming Knights are welcome to attend.

Please contact Joe Biesiada 585-8737, Jim Lauwerens 899-0685, or Kelvin Stock 585-2926 to let us know you'll be there and be ready for a fun time. To be held at the parish hall @ 7:00pm on Monday, October 22, 2007.

St. Joseph's Home Chilifest

St. Joseph's Home of Springfield invites everyone to a Chilifest on Sunday, October 7th from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Little Flower Parish Center. Chili or hot dog meals and desserts will be served. Carry-out chili will be available hot or frozen. All proceeds will help provide a respectful, dignified and secure home for the elderly residents of St. Joseph's Home. For more information, call 529-5596.



Audrey Flores and her children, Lydia (7) and Jose (5) – 300 Parkview, Rochester.

National Life Chain Prayer Witness will be Sunday, October 7th from 2:30pm to 3:00pm. See the bulletin board for more information.



Hands That Give

There are many ways you can give to others.
All you have to do is lend a hand!

What you need:

- Colored paper
- Scissors
- Markers or crayons
- Yarn or heavy string
- Clothespins or paper clips

What you do:

1. With your parents' help, think of seven (or more) things that you can do for seven (or more) people. For example, you could clean out closets and donate the items to charity, help a neighbor bring in her trash, and so on.
2. Trace your hand on the paper seven times. Cut out each hand.
3. On one side of each hand, write a person's name. On the other side, write how you will help him or her.
4. Cut a long piece of yarn (or heavy string) and hang it in your room – like a clothesline.
5. Use the clothespins or paper clips to hang each hand on the "clothesline."
6. When you've completed each act of service, take the hand off, but keep it to use another time.
7. Do this activity over and over again by "giving a hand" to someone.

THE POWER TO GIVE

In the New Testament, Jesus emphasizes the importance of giving and doing for others. In the Old Testament, Proverbs 3:27 (NIV) tells us what not to do.

Cross out ALL of the following letters to reveal Proverbs 3:27.

..... **B J K Q X Z**

Write the remaining letters (in order) on the spaces below.

B W J I T J H Q H O B L Z D G B O O K
 D K F Q R O M T B H J O B S Q E W H O
 X B D B E K Q S E Z X R Z V J E Z X I B
 T W K H Q E N I K Q T I Z S I Z N B Y
 J X J O Z U X R P Q O K W J J E B B R T
 O A Q C Z T

"DO NOT _____

 _____,
 _____."

PROVERBS 3:27, NIV

Answer: "Do not withhold good from those who deserve it, when it is in your power to act."

Bible Quiz

The prophet Jeremiah believed that God would make a new covenant with his people (Jeremiah 31:31). The New Testament book of Hebrews teaches that the new covenant became a reality in Christ (see Hebrews 9:15). What does Hebrews say the covenant consists of? Read Hebrews 10:16-17 and fill in the blanks.

"This is the covenant that I will establish with them ... says the Lord. I will put my _____ in their hearts, and I will write them upon their _____." Then he adds: "Their _____ and _____ I will remember no more."