

PASTOR'S NOTES THIS WEEK

Sunday Scriptures: Give to God what belongs to God and to Caesar what belongs to Caesar! Does the whole world not belong to God? Did not God create the universe and all it contains? In the midst of the world, we belong to various segments and are to render service to God within the society in which we live. On this World Mission Sunday, we are called to share our faith with the entire world.

World Mission Sunday.

Jesus directed his followers to go into the whole world and proclaim His Gospel – the “Good News” of His love for us – to all peoples (Mark 16:15). That mission is now directed to each one of us. On World Mission Sunday, we have the opportunity to be part of the Church’s missionary work through our prayers and support offered to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

Rite of Enrollment

This weekend we welcome those children who desire to receive Jesus in Holy Communion to announce their desire and be enrolled in preparation for reception of this most precious Sacrament, the gift of Jesus himself.

Pumpkin Carving!

An All-Generations Family Event is being sponsored by the Christian Formation Commission next Saturday, October 25, from 10 am – Noon. Share the story of the feasts of All Hallows Eve/All Saints Day.

Diocesan Adult Education Conference

“A Steward’s Way” is the theme of this year’s conference on November 2/3, held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Springfield. The conference made possible in part by the Annual Catholic Services Appeal, provides Adult Faith Formation. Specific information is available through www.dio.org, or in the notices posted on the church bulletin board. Attend a part or all as time permits you.

May God fill you with Blessings,
Fr. Dean

MISSION TRIP 2009

**Participants are now selling
MERCHANT DISCOUNT CARDS**

Everyone likes to eat out, especially when you can save money!! Buy a Discount Card and enjoy eating out more! Cards are \$10 and can be used until November 2009!

Participating merchants are:

- GAMBINO’S-Rochester**
- SAM’S TOO PIZZA-Rochester**
- LITTLE ITALY’S PIZZA-Rochester**
- BUCKHART TAVERN**
- TOP CAT’S GRILL N CHILL-Springfield**
- UNCLE JOHN’S FAMILY RESTAURANT-(Edinburg)**
- HICKORY RIVER SMOKEHOUSE-N. Dirksen Pkwy**
- PAPA JOHN’S PIZZA-Stevenson Dr.**
- WING ZONE-So. Grand Ave.**
- GODFATHER’S PIZZA-S Dirksen Pkwy**
- CHADITO’S MEXICAN AMERICAN GRILL-S. 6thSt. Spfld**
- TIMBURSMOKE-1 Blk South of Stevenson Dr. on Lk Plaza Dr.**
- GRAND AVENUE DELI-So Grand & 4th St., Spfld**
- ARBY’S-S. Dirksen Pkwy**
- BELLACINO’S-Spfld**
- RALLY’S-So. Grand Ave**



**Please pray
for the repose
of the soul of:**

- Mary Ann Nelson**, sister of Jim Nelson;
- Gerald Harmon**, father of Amanda Harmon;
- Fr. Robert Franzen**

**Please pray for healing and
comfort:**

- Maude Kenworth** (Parishioner)
- Mary Kates** (parishioner)
- Ralph Muhs** (former parishioner)

(Note: Names will remain on the active prayer list for three weeks unless a request is made to extend it for an additional three weeks.)



HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK

Saturday – October 18

5:30 p 1st Communion Enrollment

Sunday – October 19

8:00 a 1st Communion Enrollment

9:10 a PSR Classes

10:30 a 1st Communion Enrollment

Children's Choir sings

6:30 p HS Electives

Monday – October 20

9:00 a Collection Counting Team 2 (Foster, Spurlock, Waters)

7:00 p Finance Council Mtg.

Tuesday – October 21

7:00 p K of C Meeting

Wednesday – October 22

5:30 p Children's Choir Practice

6:30 p PSR Classes

6:30 p RCIA

7:30 p Adult Choir Practice

Saturday – October 25

10:00 a All Generations Family Event

Sunday – October 26

9:10 a PSR Classes

6:30 p HS Electives

LOTTERY WINNERS\$ Oct 13 – Oct 19

Mon. St. Martin's (Brown)

Tue. Czapar

Wed. Tom Londrigan

Thu. T. Brady

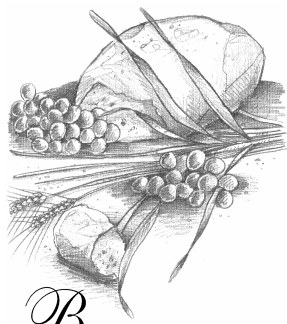
Fri. Barbara Hattes

Sat. Brad Sharp (Day)

Sun. 35\$ Rebecca Felts

Please pick up your lottery checks in the Sacristy!

Apke-2, Bortmess, Brinkman, Bruzan, Carel, Conboy, Devaney-2, Duban-2, Duesterhaus, Eicholz, Kimberlin, Lauwerens, Merriman, Noller, O'Brien, Roland, Schmit-3, Schultz, Vinson-2, J Waters, Western



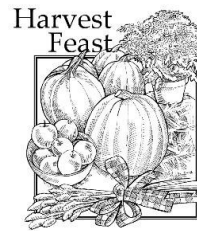
*B*ecause there is one loaf, we,
who are many, are one body,
for we all partake of the one loaf.

1 Corinthians 10:17

session is scheduled. **There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board if you would like to join this ministry.**

Ministry of Bread

Our bakers prepare a simple flour-and-water bread for Sunday Eucharist. The only qualifications needed are a love of the Eucharist and the ability to follow simple instructions. We bake in the Parish Center on the Second Monday of each month. Teams of bakers are scheduled on a rotating basis, usually taking one and half hours, 3 to 4 times a year. A one hour training



Please plan to join your St. Jude family or our annual **HARVEST FEAST**. This special dinner will begin at 12 noon in the Parish Center on Sunday, November 9. The reservation form and additional information will be in *THE FAITHFUL* (newsletter). Come celebrate this special time of year with your new and old friends.

COMCAST INTERNET SERVICE

Do you have *Comcast* internet service? If so, (as many of you already know) you are not receiving any emails from St. Jude. Sue called *Comcast* yesterday and explained the problem that we have had since *InsightBB* switched over to *Comcast*. The Service Representative told me that **EACH CUSTOMER** had to call **1-800-COMCAST** and get a **ticket order for repair**.

So, if you

- ✓ have children in PSR . . .
- ✓ Going on the Mission Trip. . .
- ✓ Are a member of our Prayer Line . . .
- ✓ Are serving on any Liturgical Ministry
- ✓ Are a member of any Commission
- ✓ Are a member of any Council

Please call *Comcast* and request a repair order for your email system that will enable you to receive emails from us.

We are trying to save money by not having to MAIL notices via the US Postal System.

Thank you

Sue, Dan, Mike, Vicki

Fr. Dean & Deacon Tom

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY - Oct. 18-19

This World Mission Sunday offers a special occasion to tell the faithful about our own rich mission history, as the Church here at home this year celebrates the 100th anniversary of our "mission independence." In 1908, by papal decree, the designation "mission territory" was removed from the United States. L A special web site – www.iamamissionary.org – features our newsletter, *Pentecost Continues*, related to this anniversary.

LITURGISTS FOR NEXT WEEKEND – October 25-26

	Saturday 5:30pm	Sunday 8:00am	Sunday 10:30 am
Eucharistic Ministers	Feraris/Kuntzman/ Deacon Tom	Rayhill/Palumbo Deacon Tom	C & J Biesiada Deacon Tom
Lector	Merkley/Lower	J & N Calvert	Warren/Ashbaugh
Hospitality	Carrigan Family Kratz Family	Lauwerens Family McWard Family	Schoedel Family Walker
Servers	D&M Western/Ziegler	A Brown/Newman/Otten	Biesiada/Cornett/Becker
Mass Coordinator	Kathy Blasko	Jan & Carlo Catalano	Jeannette Waters

Children’s Liturgy of the Word Leaders for October 26: Jeff & Kim Garland and Christine Cornett
Church Dusters for the week of October 20: Sue & Victoria Arnish and Carla Houser

MASS INTENTIONS

Oct 18 Sat	5:30 p	Augusta Kruger †
Oct 19 Sun	8:00 a	Ken Kjar †
	10:30 a	Our Parish Family
Oct 20 Mon	8:00 a	Tom & Marie Lawless †
Oct 21 Tue	6:45 a	Our Parish Family
Oct 22 Wed	8:00 a	Rita Kade-Griffin †
Oct 23 Thur	6:45 a	Agnes Reilly †
Oct 24 Fri	8:00 a	Lynn Dorman †
Oct 25 Sat	5:30 p	Rose Beeve †
Oct 26 Sun	8:00 a	Bill Sinkus †
	10:30 a	Our Parish Family

This Weeks Daily Readings

- Sun.** – Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21
- Mon.** – Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 12:13-21
- Tue.** – Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9-14; Lk 12:35-38
- Wed.** - Eph 3:2-12; Isaiah 12:2-6; Lk 12:39-48
- Thur.** – Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
- Fri.** – Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-6; Lk 12:54-59
- Sat.** - Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 13:1-9

Advertiser of the Week

ROCHESTER STATE BANK
133 North John St. – Rochester, IL

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OUR GIFT TO GOD Fiscal Year 7/1/08 – 6/30/09

	Year to Date	Last Sunday
Collection	\$77,223.70	\$ 3,361.67
Electronic Funds	\$15,481.00	\$ 2,505.00
Bldg. Dev. Fund	\$ 5,498.00	\$ 199.00
EFT – Dev. Fund	\$ 1,624.00	\$ 280.00
Poor Fund	\$ 521.40	\$ 0.00
Holy Family	\$ 424.48	\$ 261.88

Children’s Stewardship Offering to God

My good deed was . . .

I helped peel apples for apple butter celebration.
 Sharing with my cousins.
 Getting ready for visitors to come.
 Helped pick up toys.

Stewardship Message

Each year at tax time, we conscientiously give “to Caesar what belongs to Caesar.” **Does my stewardship indicate** that I am as faithful about giving “to God what belongs to God”?



All families are welcome to carve pumpkins and learn about our family in heaven on Saturday, October 25th from 10:00 a.m. to noon in the Parish Center. Be sure to bring your own pumpkins and carving tools! For more information, contact Dan Frachey.





IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!

We will be serving a meal at **Helping Hands Homeless Shelter** on Friday, October 31, at 5:00 pm. We serve approximately 40 meals (including the help). We will be **preparing the meal the night before** on Thursday, October 30th at the Parish Center.

The residents love when we come to serve because they always get something different to eat and they get a lot of LOVE when we serve. We see a lot of smiles and hear remarks like "This reminds me of when my Grandma used to make it" or it reminds them of good memories from the past. I love to hear them talk about a happy place or time in their life because that gives them HOPE and HAPPINESS.

I know we are serving the meal on Halloween, but holidays are always hard to book at the Shelter and the Director always appreciates it! **If you would like to help prepare the meal or serve it, please let me know.**

I would like to do something special for them and have **Goody Bags** (35 needed) stuffed with treats and whatever you would like to donate. In the past I have put various items in the goody bags such as: a deck of cards, gum, candy, chocolates, small size toothpaste and tooth brushes, small lotions, combs, etc.. These things can be easily purchased at the Dollar Stores for close to nothing and it truly brings some SUNSHINE in their lives on an otherwise CLOUDY day.

The **Menu Wish List** is posted on the bulletin board in the back of the church as well as the Parish Center as you come through the doors. The St. Jude Family is always good about helping to make a difference in the lives of those who aren't as fortunate as we are. Thank you in advance for donating items for the meal as well as the goody bags, and MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL!

Remember, next time GOD puts someone in your PATH, ACT on it, and it will make you, as well as them, feel GOOD.

Jeannette Waters,
529-7280
652-4039

Feast of All Saints Saturday, November 1st *NOT a Holy Day of Obligation* Mass – 8:00am

On this day we honor all the saints, known and unknown, who are in heaven. Saints are ordinary human people who lived extraordinary lives. Each saint the Church honors responded to God's call to use their unique gifts to serve God. God calls each one of us to be a Saint!

November 2nd *Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed* All Soul's Day

On All Souls we remember our friends and loved ones who have left this world. True remembrance is not just about looking back to the past but also looking ahead to the future in trust and hope. Just as our loved one shared in Christ's death in baptism, we believe that he or she shares Christ's resurrection and enjoys eternal life in God's presence.

Have you lost a loved one recently?

As part of our celebration of All Souls, families who have had a loved one pass away over the last year are welcome to come forward and accept a lit candle in memory of their loved one. All we ask of you is that you provide us with the name of the individual you would like us to remember during the All Souls Mass and that a member of your family be present to accept the candle. Please fill out the coupon below and place it in the collection basket or call the parish office with the name of your loved one. Since we will be celebrating All Souls during all of the weekend liturgies it would be helpful to know which Mass you will be attending.

Person to be remembered

Family making request
