

Notes from
Fr. Dean



Dear Parishioners:

Welcome Fr. Vincent Haselhorst who is here to celebrate Masses this weekend and tell us about the work of **Christian**

Foundation for Children and Aging. CFCA is a lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that helps children and elderly in 24 developing countries. See the bulletin insert regarding CFCA and to learn more, visit CFCA online at www.cfcausa.org or call (800) 875-6564.

Martha's Group (Funeral assistance) needed:

Martha's Group, the parishioners who provide for the funeral lunches, is in need of more helpers on the day of the funerals. Thankfully, we have few funerals at St. Jude's; however, the number of workers has diminished. If you can help, please call Jan Catalano at 585-0555.

Also needed are: a) people who can be called on to provide a dish or dessert for the meal; b) people to make the calls; c) and a co-chair for the Martha's group. Thanks and appreciation to Barbara Hattes who until recently served as the co-chair of Martha's group, resigning due to the need to care for family member.

Please note: First Communion Preparation

Parent and Candidate Meeting with weekend Ritual has been postponed to the weekend of December 12/13. Please make adjustment to your schedule.

2010 Youth and Adults Mission Trip: July 18-25. SHINE CATHOLIC WORKCAMP: San Antonio, Texas.

The following people are registered for the Mission Trip as of November 1, 2009: Jarod Altadonna, Brice Auxier, Anna Auxier, Carrie Auxier, Cassie Bax, Liam Biesiada, Haley Bulta, Mario Cannamela, Trevor Cordery, Mary Ann Egizio, Luke Henson, Allie Ishmael, Jason Judy, Allie Judy, Jessica Kulek, Kaitlyn Kulek, Erin Lindstrom, Meghan Lindstrom, Michael Lindstrom, Andy McClintock, Taylor McDermott, Evan McMinn, Seth McMinn, Lynette Ramsey, Casey Rayhill, Jordan Rayhill, Don Rayhill, Michael Scott, Mike Spainhour, Jenna Spurlock, David Western, and Fr. Dean Probst. Please note: I have 40 spaces reserved which leaves 8 openings. Others have indicated interest in attending the workcamp but the deposit fee is required for registration. Registration forms are available in the parish office or at church.

THANKSGIVING ECUMENICAL SERVICE:

Rochester United Methodist Church will host this year's Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service at **7 pm on Monday, November 23.** Please plan to attend and bring a can of food for the Rochester Food Pantry.

SINGERS wanted for Ecumenical Service:

Rehearsals for the community choir will be held at RUMC at 7 pm Mondays, **November 9 & 16.** For more information, contact RUMC choir director Linda Fairchild at 498-7179 or (office@rochestermethodist.org).

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK

Daily Monday through Friday

7:30 a Rosary (excluding Monday at 5 pm)

8:30 a Morning Prayer

Sunday – November 8

9:10 a PSR Classes

9:15 a RCIA

6:30 p HS Electives

Monday – November 9

9:00 a Collection Counting Team 1: Rowden, Catalano, Hattes

5:00 p Rosary

6:30 p ChForm Commission Mtg.

Tuesday – November 10

6:30 p PreJordan Baptismal Class

Wednesday – November 11

1:00 p Women's Tea

5:30 p Children's Christmas Program Auditions

NO PSR CLASSES or ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Thursday – November 12

7:00 p Adult Choir Practice

Sunday – November 15

9:10 a PSR Classes

9:15 a RCIA

9:15 a PSR JrHi Service Project

6:30 p HS Electives

Note from the St. Martin de Porres Center:

On behalf of all the volunteers at Saint Martin DePorres, please accept our sincere "Thank You" for the many blankets, coats, and other clothing items we received as a result of your generosity through the St. Jude Clothing Drive. We are, and will continue to be, forever thankful.

CENTERING PRAYER OPPORTUNITY

The Rochester IL Centering Prayer Group will be sponsoring another Introduction to Centering Prayer Workshop at the Chiara Center in Springfield on Monday, November 30th from 9:00 am until 2:00 pm. Rev. Jack Swank of Rochester UMC will be leading the workshop. Rev. Swank is a commissioned presenter with Contemplative Outreach. The cost of the workshop is \$25.00 and includes lunch. For a copy of the brochure, contact Carole Strick at RUMC (217-498-7179), cstrick@rochestermethodist.org or download brochure at www.chiaracenter.org

KIDS in Action: Church of St. Jude VBS

The Church of St. Jude Vacation Bible School children were featured in the *IN HIS HANDS ORPHAN* Update newsletter for their project of donating \$300 to purchase shoes for orphans in Ethiopia. It is a country where many children have no shoes. The Church also donated twelve soccer balls, which go to orphanages in various countries.

A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL THE Veterans out there who have done so much for our country and the world! Some of you may be heroes, some of you are unknown, but even if you felt you did not do much, together you have made freedom possible!

LITURGISTS FOR NEXT WEEKEND – Nov 14-15

Eucharistic Ministers	Saturday 5:30pm	Sunday 8:00am	Sunday 10:30 am
Lector	Lower/Scheufele/McMinn	Rayhill/Roland/DeGroot	Warren/Clare/Deacon Tom
Hospitality	Lower/Ashbaugh	Palumbo/Toliver	Walker/Kohlrus
Servers	Egizio/K&L Feraris	McWard Fam./Palumbo	Sutker Family
Minister of Care	C&E McMinn/Settles	McClintock/A Lafferty/Leach	D, M & N Lindstrom
Mass Coordinator	Monica Lower	Nancy Calvert	Joe Kohlrus
RCIA Minister of Dismissal		Brian & Brenda Will	
		Deacon Tom	

Church Dusters for the week of November 9: Suzann Segatto and Mary & John Fox
Art & Environment for next weekend: Catalano & Williams
Children's Liturgy of the Word for next weekend: Jeff & Kim Garland
Recycling Volunteers for November: Scott Settles
St. Martin's Food Volunteers for November: Kevin Spurlock

MASS INTENTIONS

Nov 07 Sat	5:30 p	Rose Beeve †
Nov 08 Sun	8:00 a	Mary Anne Nelson †
	10:30 a	Our Parish Family
Nov 09 Mon	No Mass	
Nov 10 Tue	6:45 a	Sullan Special Intention
Nov 11 Wed	8:00 a	All Souls †
Nov 12 Thu	6:45 a	Annie Bartolomucci †
Nov 13 Fri	8:00 a	Fr. William Kekeisen †
Nov 07 Sat	5:30 p	Ben Lake †
Nov 08 Sun	8:00 a	Our Parish Family
	10:30 a	Nieberding Family †

The cross reflects those who have died; non-cross reflects special intention for those still living.

OUR GIFT TO GOD Fiscal Year 7/1/09 – 6/30/10

	Year to Date	Last Sunday
Collection	\$ 90,149.82	\$ 5,606.58
Electronic Funds	\$ 16,891.08	\$
Bldg. Dev. Fund	\$ 6,642.14	\$ 715.00
EFT – Dev. Fund	\$ 1,886.00	\$
Poor Fund	\$ 291.74	\$ 38.00

Stewardship Message

Both widows in today's readings gave all they had to the work of the Lord, one using all her remaining food to feed Elijah and the other offering her two copper coins to the temple treasury. Faithful stewards give all that is asked and trust the Lord to be faithful to His promises.



Please pray for the sick

Maude & John Kenworth (Parishioners)
Mary Beth Vetter (sister of Teri Dambacher)
Frank Beeve (parishioner)
Ray Roland (parishioner)
David Yoggerst (parishioner)
Beverly Zimmerman (sister of Tom Bowen)

(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.)

DAILY READINGS:

November 8 - 15

Sun –	1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44
Mon –	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Tue –	Wi 2:23 – 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10
Wed –	Wi 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19
Thu –	Wi 7:22 – 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25
Fri –	Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5a; Lk 17:26-37
Sat –	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8
Sun –	Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

Eucharist Ministers



Training Meeting for Eucharist Ministers – will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 14, for anyone interested in becoming a Eucharistic minister for any mass at St. Jude. Current Eucharistic Ministers are encouraged to attend

if they have any questions regarding process or procedures. I will also have available printed current instructions for those who would like to have a copy. Please call Mary Ann Egizio at 529-0089 and leave a message if you plan to attend.



VETERANS DAY OBSERVANCE –

'A Time To Remember . . .'

will be held at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 11, at the Rochester High School Performing Arts Center. Keynote Speaker will be Ronald Thunman, Vice Admiral, US Navy, Ret. Everyone is invited. Free Admission,

Refreshments will be service. Sponsored by the Rochester Lions Club.

Advertiser of the Week

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To our parish family . . . Thank you to everyone for your cards, thoughts, prayers, masses, memorials and attendance at the wake and/or funeral of Anna Marie Bozarth. A HUGE thank you is extended to the MARTHA'S GROUP for providing the wonderful luncheon afterwards.

We are truly blessed to be able to be part of such a great parish.
 Leroy & Sue Bozarth