

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7 - Vigil: 32nd Ordinary Sunday
1 Kgs. 17: 10-16 / Heb. 9: 24-28 / Mk. 12: 38-44 or 12: 41-44
4:30 Mass [Paul & Deanna Jacquin-50th Wed Ann]

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Kgs. 17: 10-16 / Heb. 9: 24-28 / Mk. 12: 38-44 or 12: 41-44
8:30 Mass [The Parish Family]
8:30 - 11:00 Credit Union - Fenmont
9:00 - 10:45 RCIA - Parish Office Building
9:45 - 10:45 PREP/RCIC - Fenmont
11:00 Mass [Paul Becker]
12:00 Outreach Committee Meeting - Parish Office Building
1:00 Misa en Español / Baptisms

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9
Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome
Ez. 47: 1-2, 8-9, 12 / 1 Cor. 3: 9c-11, 16-17 / Jn. 2: 13-22
8:00 Mass [Osso Family]
7--8:30 Men's Prayer Group - Fenmont

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10 - St. Leo the Great, Pope-Doctor
Wis. 2: 23--3.9 / Lk. 17: 7-10
8:00 Mass [Jim Fox, Sr.]
10:00 - 11:00 AA Support Group - Fenmont
1:30 Staff Meeting - Parish Office Building
7:00 Choir Practice - Church

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11 - St. Martin of Tours, Bishop
Wis. 6: 1-11 / Lk. 17: 11-19
Veteran's Day
8:00 Holy Communion Service
7:00 Spiritual Life Meeting - Parish Office Building
7:15 BINGO - Fenmont

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12 - St. Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr
Wis. 7: 22b--8: 1 / Lk. 17: 20-25
8:00 Mass [Mary Fritz]
1:00 "ACES" Gathering - Fenmont
5:00 Spanish Choir - Church
7:00 Spanish Rosary - Church
7:00 St. Vincent de Paul Meeting - Parish Office Building

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13 - St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
Wis. 13: 1-9 / Lk. 17: 26-37
8:00 Mass [Rosemary Cahalane]
6:30 Spanish Prayer Group - Fenmont

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14 - Vigil: 33rd Ordinary Sunday
Dn. 12: 1-3 / Heb. 10: 11-14, 18 / Mk. 13: 24-32
11:00 - 12:00 AA Support Group - Fenmont
3:00 - 4:00 Sacrament of Reconciliation
4:00 Spanish Choir - Fenmont
4:30 Mass [Joe Hudek+] / Bake Sale
8:00 Spanish Marriage Encounter - Fenmont

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15 - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Dn. 12: 1-3 / Heb. 10: 11-14, 18 / Mk. 13: 24-32
8:30 Mass [John Kroon]
8:30 - 11:00 Credit Union - Fenmont
9:00 - 10:45 RCIA - Parish Office Building
9:30 Bake Sale - Church
9:45 - 10:45 PREP/RCIC - Fenmont
11:00 Mass [The Parish Family]
1:00 Misa en Español / Baptisms

PASTOR'S CORNER

I have to admit, the debate about health care reform confuses me. And I like to think of myself as a fairly well-informed person. There are so many voices representing so many issues and variations. I, for one, need some help sorting it all out. I want that help to come out of the same value system I have. That's why I am happy to have the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops website www.usccb.org/healthcare.

There you will find once more that the USCCB position does not find a home in either political party. The Church supports:

- a truly universal health policy with respect for human life and dignity
- access for all with a special concern for the poor and inclusion of immigrants
- pursuing the common good and preserving pluralism including freedom of conscience and variety of options
- restraining costs and applying them equitably across the spectrum of payers

Once more the Church refuses to take a simplistic stance, but rather, looks at the full complexity of the issue. I encourage you to visit www.usccb.org/healthcare. If you don't have access to the internet, any public library can help you.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

Last week every priest involved in parish ministry in the State of Ohio met in Columbus for a day and a half conference to update us on the Church's initiatives to support marriage. After a very successful celebration of wedding anniversaries in early October, we are now meeting to discuss what we, as a parish, might do to strengthen and support marriages.

The health of a marriage is somewhat like physical health. Rather than engaging in those things we know help to maintain physical health, we wait until some problem arises. Even after that, we may deny the problem until it gets really bad. Marriages often follow the same pattern.

A small group will be meeting on Monday, November 16th, at 7:00 PM, in the Parish Office to look at some specific possibilities. If you would like to be a part of this initiative, please join us. For more information, contact Fr. Mike Pucke.

STEWARDSHIP OF THE PARISH FAMILY

TREASURE:



July 2009-June 2010 Weekly Collection Review

Collection Week of November 1, 2009

Adult Envelopes Received	346
Regular Collection Goal:	\$ 11,100.00
Regular Collection Received:	<u>11,803.75</u>
Over/Under Goal:	703.75
YTD Regular Collection Goal:	199,800.00
YTD Regular Collection Received:	<u>178,570.57</u>
YTD Over/Under Goal:	\$ (21,229.43)

Make-a-Change Charity for November is the Cross International Catholic Outreach water project in the Dominican Republic to provide safe, clean water for poor rural families. Check out front of November Newsletter for more information. Thank you for your support of this project.

Bread For the World ~ Nan Cahall, District Director to Senator Voinovich is presented with the Bread For the World letters by Beth Race .



Outreach Commission:

The **Outreach Commission meeting** will be held **Sunday, November 8th at 12:00 PM**, in the Parish Office Building. We will be discussing the upcoming Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection.

We will also be discussing **upcoming projects** including: **December** - Immigrants Plight Advent Calendar & La Posada Walk;

January - Right to Life Letters & baby bottle monetary collection; **Lent** - Operation Rice Bowl & Change of Heart Tree;

April - Earth Day & Carbon Footprint.;

May - "Urban Plunge" Mission Trip.

If you are interested in helping out with any of these projects, but cannot commit to meetings please contact Beth Race 513 641.6739 or beth_race@hotmail.com for more information. We have been a busy group and will be working on subcommittees (some just through e-mail), so consider helping us out. We can use your time & talents!



Young St. Vincentians

Bake Sale ~ November 14th and 15th after all the Masses. If you would like to work after the Masses or to bring a bake item for the sale please contact Mrs.

Ronda Niehaus at 737.1800.

Proceeds of this bake sale will be used to purchase items for Thanksgiving Day meals. We will assemble the baskets on **Sunday, November 22nd**, in St. Julie Hall, the Fenmont at 11:00.

Both the Bake Sale and assembly of Thanksgiving baskets is open to any child in the parish whether they attend Catholic school, PREP or are home schooled.

The Young St. Vincentians is a parish service organization for the children of the community. Your participation is a blessing.

PREP NOTES

**NO CLASS-November 29th - Thanksgiving Break
Classes Resume - December 6th**



RCIA NOTES:

The RCIA topic for next week's session is "Who is Jesus to me?" Please continue to pray for those on their

spiritual journey to Easter. If you have questions about RCIA please call Sr. André at 863.1040 x 17.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Francisco A. Restituyo died Monday, October 26th, and the funeral service was held Saturday, October 31st.

Joseph Schultz, father of Dan (Carol), died Tuesday, October 27th, and was buried Saturday, October 31st. Our sympathy and prayers are extended to the families.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Renewing and reinvigorating

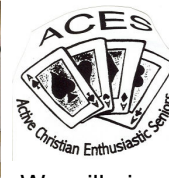
Revisoning the Parish Pastoral Council suggests seven essential elements of Parish Life:

- evangelization
- worship
- word
- community
- service
- stewardship
- leadership

The work of the Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) has to do with familiarizing ourselves with these elements and prayerfully considering how they can be enhanced and prioritized here at St. Julie Billiard Parish. We are looking for a group of up to ten people (hopefully diverse ages and backgrounds) to begin to meet in November to do this work. An informational meeting will be held in the Parish Office building on Tuesday evening, November 17th, at 7:00 PM. If you would like more information before then, please contact Fr. Mike.

(right) Young St. Vincentians making Lunches for Serve City

(below) Children enjoying an activity at PREP Family Day, November 1st.



Next "ACES" gathering: November 12th, from 1:00 to 3:00 PM, in St. Stephen Hall of the Fenmont, "Give Thanks and Remember."

We will give thanks for God's continuing gifts and also give thanks for the many men and women who have served the country. Bring your pictures, stories, and any other treasure to share with one another. Try to wear something red, white and/or blue!

OUTSIDE OUR PARISH

Hospice of Hamilton is seeking volunteers who are compassionate and committed to provide essential service in our Hamilton inpatient care center as well as in our home care program, long-term care facilities, clerical, fundraising and special assignments. A special volunteer training has been set up for November 14th, from 8 AM to 4 PM at the Hospice of Hamilton inpatient unit at 1010 Eaton Avenue...contact JoAnn Ropp at 792.6982.

Music Notes

by Janet Poulin

The Closing Song is not part of the rite. When the deacon or priest sends us forth to be the Body of Christ for the world, technically Mass is over.

However, it is the custom here in the United States to sing a recessional. You are always invited to sing the Closing Song. If you like to sing or you like to hear other people sing, please stick around. If you don't, we are happy to sing you out the door. It is expected that you will exit quietly, though, so as to not disturb those who are still praying in song.

If you ever have any questions about why we do what we do at Mass, feel free to e-mail me at jpoulin@stjulie.net (my first preference), or stop at the music area after Mass (not before). If I can't answer your question off the top of my head, I'll find the answer and get back to you.

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November is National Adoption awareness Month. It has been celebrated annually since 1990 to draw national attention to the growing number of children in America's foster care system that are available for adoption and wait for permanent families.

- More than 114,000 children in foster care are available for adoption. Their birth parents' legal rights have been permanently terminated and they are left without a family.
- More than half of these children are nine years of age or older.

For more info about adoption from foster care, contact Catholic Charities SouthWestern Ohio at 513.241.7745 or your local county children's services agency.

The **BENEDICTINE MONKS of Saint Andrew Abbey in Cleveland** welcome men between the ages of 18--45 who wish to discern a monastic vocation to attend "Living with Benedict" weekend retreats November 27-29, 2009 and February 12-14, 2010. Contact Fr. Gerard, OSB at gerard@cbhs.net.

CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY Crafts Fair at St. Aloysius Church (3350 Chapel Road, Shandon) is on November 28th from 10 AM to 5 PM and on November 29th from 10 AM until 4 PM, featuring 27 booths of crafts and home-made soups and desserts. Sandwich, snacks and drink choices will also be available.

BISHOP FENWICK HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS: RENDEZ-VOUS Encounters in One Act. Members of the BFHS Drama Club will be performing three, one-act comedy plays, the weekend of November 20-22. Performances will take place in the cafetorium Friday & Saturday at 7:30 PM and Sunday at 2:00 PM. Admission is \$7/adults, \$5/students. All proceeds benefit the BFHS Drama Club.

ST. XAVIER HIGH SCHOOL will sponsor its annual **OPEN HOUSE** on Sunday, November 15th, from 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM, for parents and their sons interested in attending St. Xavier next fall. The entrance exam for the Class of 2014 will be held at the school on Saturday, November 21st, from 8:30 AM until 12:30 PM. Four academic scholarships will be awarded. There is a non-refundable testing fee of \$25 payable at the time of the exam. You may pre-register by calling the Office of Admissions at 761.7815 x 107 or visit the website at www.stxavier.org.



The Poor Widow Had Put More In Than All Who Contributed.

Question of the week:

Adults ~ Whose way of life has helped me know and understand the possibilities for generous self-sacrifice?

Children ~ When was I surprised at how good someone was to me? How did that help me to be good to others?