

COME CELEBRATE OUR DEACONS



DEACON WILLIAM B. RENNEKER
ORDAINED JUNE 1983



DEACON THOMAS M. STRODTBECK
ORDAINED SEPTEMBER 1998

Come offer your thanks and good wishes to two fine gentlemen who are “gems” of our parish at an open house at the Fenmont Center after the 4:30 mass on Saturday, June 28th. Since we are planning to have a meal, we would like you to RSVP by Monday, June 23rd so that we will know how much food to prepare. Please look for a reservation form in this Newsletter.

The Hospitality Group will need help in the preparation, so please volunteer if you are able. That information will also be on the reservation form. Thanks!

"LIVING IN THE KINGDOM"
Parish Mission
April 27, 2008 - April 30, 2008

The long awaited parish mission has ended! The Spiritual Life Committee along with Father Mike invited Mr. John Schweisthal, a layman of Good News Ministries, to conduct the four evening sessions. There was an opportunity each evening to complete an evaluation. We also felt that it would be "life giving" to ask some attendees for their reactions and what they might have gained spiritually from the Mission. Everyone asked responded in a positive way to the request.

John gave us a lot of food for thought and action. The point that struck me was the "hidden treasure" passage. When John pointed to the cross and stated that Jesus gave it all for us... I again realized the sacrifice... (Life long member)

The Mission was like a very large Christian vitamin pill for me. The hugs and words shared and realizing God's unconditional love ... this is what I am trying to realize from the Mission. (Veteran member)

The four evenings were well spent. Now we are trying to live what John taught! Stop worrying and let God do it! (Happy young seniors)

I am one of the people who worry about everything! John told us that Jesus tells us "not to worry". I don't usually "seek the Kingdom" first in my life. I worry about my house chores and then I want to spend time with my children and see God in them. That is "living in the Kingdom". I need to put people first before my desire to worry about my chores. Then I guess I just need to go to sleep! (Busy younger mother)

We thought the Mission was fantastic, enlightening and enjoyable. Loved every session and would have liked more. He gave us food for thought and much laughter. We think he saved the best till last. (Long member couple)

I'm delighted to share the effect John had on this stubborn old man! The Holy Spirit gifted John with a dynamic personality and special speaking talent to deliver his message. At times he was self-deprecating and I had a hard time controlling my admiration and approval for his message. John brought "Good News" to St. Julie Billiard! (Parish elder)

I arrived in my "comfort zone" and became "challenged" in short order. I listened, laughed, thought, and learned. Each night brought something new! I'm glad I took a chance! (Excited involved parish member)

I was impressed that a lay person gives his life to do this. We should be grateful. Many are used to Father and Sister doing this! Now, we know lay persons are called as well. Strongest statement: Even if I was the only person in the world to ever mess up... Jesus would still come to save me and go through all of the suffering! Just for me! (Parish member)

John's point on a "call to action." It also touched me when he said, "We are a peaceful people but anger gets in the way." John gave me many points to remember. "There is no life in worry...so go to sleep... Lord, You deal with it." (Life member)

I came because we were told we could bring our Bibles. I have always wished for more Bible orientation and this is happening (e.g. Fr. Mike's extra scripture ideas on Sunday. I was very impressed. The two hours went all too quickly! One thing I took with me is that "God is God and I am not! (An interested parish member)

Mr. Schweisthal's wonderful animated style kept my attention while his approach to Christian life and the Gospel spoke to my soul. Stop worrying and trust in God's mercy. My twelve year old daughter took notes! Thanks so much for bringing John to conduct our parish mission. There was a message for all ages. (Mother of a large family)

In a nutshell, I thought the Mission was great! I was surprised at how easy it was for me to listen to John. The Monday evening talk impacted me deeply, and I hope that I will make some permanent changes in my life because of what he said to us. (30's Mom)

We found ourselves enjoying the time together (minus kids) learning about our faith. The atmosphere had moments of humor with laughter, and we found ourselves with our defenses down.. letting the message come through. We look forward to more parish missions in the future. (Mom & Dad of smaller children)

IMPORTANT JUNE DATES AT SCHOOL

June 2nd - 8th grade graduation, 7 PM, church
June 5th - Last day of school for students
Mass - 8:00 AM, MPB
Field Day
Report Cards go home
June 6th - Last day for faculty

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

May the Spirit that was given to us at Pentecost continue to enlighten and guide us.

Spiritual direction is a centuries old practice in Christianity. It provides the opportunity for a person seeking a closer relationship with God to meet with a trained director on a regular basis who will listen attentively to the other's story. During this time, you can reflect more deeply on your daily experiences so you can more fully recognize God's presence and grace in your life. The privilege and responsibility of the Director is to journey with you as you deepen your relationship with God. In the midst of your busy lives, it may be difficult to notice God's action. Through Spiritual Direction, you will be encouraged to draw closer to God and become more conscious of God's presence and love.

My name is Margaret Sherlock and my husband, Jim, and I have been members of St. Maximilian Parish for 12 years. I have received training in Spiritual Direction from Sacred Heart University, Fairfield, CT and at The Bergamo Retreat Center in Dayton, OH. I have been involved in this ministry for the past four years. I also have a BA and MA in Pastoral Ministry and have been ministering as a Certified Chaplain in the hospital setting for the past 16 years. If you would be interested in pursuing Spiritual Direction, I would be happy to meet with you with an attentive ear to God's presence in your life. I can be reached at 737.7969 or Fr. Terry Smith, Pastor of St Maximilian Parish at 777. 4322.

The printing of this monthly newsletter and our weekly bulletin is provided at no extra cost to our parish through those who advertise on the back of our bulletin. If you use any of their services, please take a moment to thank them for their support of St. Julie's.

The "Jewels of St. Julie" is printed once a month, 12 times a year. Comments, inquiries and articles may be submitted to the parish office. No anonymous articles will be printed, but names may be withheld on request. Please mail or drop off articles by the 4th of each month to:
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CONGRATULATIONS FOR HIGH ACADEMIC MARKS!

Listed below are St. Julie Billiard students who attend various high schools and have earned high academic marks for third quarter grading period.

St. Xavier High School FIRST - Cory Ochs
Bishop Fenwick HS SECOND - Catherine Brink
Mount Notre Dame HS FIRST - Christina Ochs
Badin HS FIRST - Kristen Collier, Rosemary Mignery, Benjamin Motley, Jacob Clear, Adam Ingram, Amanda Schwarz, Alexandra Schneider and Megan Burlew;
Badin HS SECOND - Nicholas Ingram, Sophie Rich, Rachel Schultz, Kelly Currier, Tyler Motley, Sara Pyles, Amanda Kramb and Courtney Gray;
Badin HS HONORABLE MENTION - Jonathan Zinn, Sarah Currier, Timothy Kramb and Chad Beatty

ATTENTION ALL GRADUATES

Sunday, June 18th, at the 11:00 mass the parish community will celebrate all high school, college, technical schools, and advanced degree students who are graduating in 2008.

Please send a picture, along with your name and a short paragraph listing school, degree and future plans to the office by June 5th. We would like to share this information with the faith community by placing it in the bulletin.

If you plan on being present at the mass please contact Sr. Andre at 863.1040 x 17.



TO GET YOUR BABY BAPTIZED

Classes for parents of infants to be baptized are held the second Monday of each month at the parish office at 224 Dayton Street. The next class will be Monday, June 9th, at 7:00 PM. Classes must be taken before baptism of the first child, and again, if two years has elapsed since the last child was baptized. Families must be registered parishioners and actively practicing the Catholic faith at St. Julie's.

If you are expecting a child or have an infant to be baptized, please call the office to register for the class at 863.1040.


WE WELCOME THESE NEWLY BAPTIZED MEMBERS

Nicolai Abiel SALGADO URCIA, born June 2, 2006; Estrella Faviola VILLAFANA, born May 13, 2006; Ariana Marlin MAGALLAN SANCHEZ, born April 26, 2007; Mariant SOLORZANO GOMEZ, born July 5, 2007 were baptized April 20, 2008.

Brandt Ryerson BOWLING, born February 12, 2008; Caden Allen GRONOSTAJ, born January 18, 2008; Kathleen Carol HOSKINS, born December 18, 2007; Brady Austin MARSH, January 18, 2008; and Alexander Michael PATE, born January 17, 2008 were baptized April 27, 2008.

Oscar Cole GARRETT, born January 12, 2008 was baptized May 4, 2008.

EVENTS AT ST. JULIE BILLIART

| DATE | EVENT | HOW TO PARTICIPATE |
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| Friday, May 30 7:00 pm | Celebration and Thanksgiving for Catholic Education over the years at St. Julie and the parishes that came together to form St. Julie | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Share a memory of an event or teacher • Invite family who may have moved away • Attend |
| Saturday and Sunday May 31 and June 1 | Young Catholic Musicians from St. Louis provide music ministry for 4:30 and 8:30 Masses | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide hospitality in your home Saturday evening • Attend Mass |
| Monday, June 2 7:00 pm | 8th Grade Graduation of St. Julie Billiart Teresa Burch Rebecca Creed Maurene Daniels Wallis Daniels Susan Gillespie Abigail Krabacher Andrea Schuler Cody Smith | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Give thanks to God for the long history of Catholic Education that continues in collaboration with St. Peter in Chains • Attend |
| Sunday, June 8 At 11:00 am Mass | Graduates of High School, College or Technical Institutes are honored at the mass | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offer personal congratulations for their achievement • Attend Mass |
| Saturday, June 28 after 4:30 pm Mass | Celebration of Anniversaries of Ordination: 25 years Deacon Bill Renneker 10 years Deacon Tom Strodtbeck | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Express personal thanks for their ministry • Attend |
| Friday, August 1 & Saturday, August 2 5:00 to 11:00 Nightly |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend • Volunteer in some way to help • Purchase main raffle tickets or donate to sponsorship of booth |

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS:

Going away from the "norm," we will have the Covered Dish Dinner and meeting on Monday, June 9th, starting at 6:00 PM, in the Fenmont Center. Just bring a covered dish to share and your appetite. All are welcome to attend. Any questions call Charlotte Kuhl, 895.7726; Patricia Buelter, 895.6730; Ann Ohlhauser, 360.0398 or Virgie Schick, 895.2876.

'ACES' AND FRIENDS:

"A Trip to the Country" is planned for Sunday, June 22nd, to Michaela Farm in Oldenburg, Indiana. Reservations: call Rosemarie Arlinghaus at 856.8872 before June 18th. We will car pool from the Ohio Casualty lot on Dayton Street at 8:00 AM, go to Mass in the Convent Chapel, have tea with the sisters, visit the farm (\$3 charge), and dine at the Brau Haus at 1:15 PM (purchase own meal). Leave or stay to visit.

"La Comedia" Dinner Theatre trip to see "The Miracle on 34th Street" on November 12th. This is a matinee performance with dinner. For information or reservations please call Jerry & Pat Gordon at 895.4601. Seating is limited and reservations are needed by October 1, 2008. Sounds like fun!

WE PRAISE GOD WITH THE WORD

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

4:30 Chris Buelter and Pam Long

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

8:30 Pamela Andorn and Jerry Gordon

11:00 Jeri Brennan and Phyllis Tuley

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

4:30 Frances Janz and Rick LoBuono

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

8:30 Dick Dowd and Jack Weisenberger

11:00 Jim Reboulet and Peg Wooten

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

4:30 Bill Groth and Dorothy Herrlein

SUNDAY, JUNE 22

8:30 Scott Whittlesey and Bonnie Whittlesey

11:00 Diane Miller and Pat Engels

SATURDAY, JUNE 28

4:30 Carl Necaie and David Bonner

SUNDAY, JUNE 29

8:30 Cleo Ketay and Lori Dowd

11:00 Andrew Richter and Jeri Brennan

SATURDAY, JULY 5

4:30 Pam Long and Chris Buelter

SUNDAY, JULY 6

8:30 Dick Dowd and Pamela Andorn

11:00 Phyllis Tuley and Jim Reboulet

WE GIVE THE LORD TO OTHERS IN COMMUNION

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

4:30 David Bonner, Carl Necaie, Lynn Isaacs, Mary Ann Shaver, Mary Jo Briggs, Frances Janz, Jean Rhoten, Tony Schutte

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

8:30 James Coning, Kathy Hennekes, Pat Gordon, Merle Ferry, Diana Ferry, Susan Delp, Dick Dowd, Lori Dowd

11:00 Ann Coombs, Irwin Mercer, Peg Wooten, Betty Cunningham, Catherine Brink, Hazel Zeis, Diane Miller, Wyvonne Sandlin, Norbert Rolfsen, Julie Joyce-Smith

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

4:30 June Fening, Tom Fening, Pat Cepluch, Tom Weber, Carl Necaie, Charlotte Kuhl, David Bonner, Liz Maus

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

8:30 Earl Scheidler, Gladys Scheidler, Emily Scheidler, Connie Riegert, Jeri Brennan, Nick Hosmer, Jennifer Hosmer, Donna Weisenberger

11:00 Andrew Richter, Nancy Elliott, Linda Pate, Linda Reboulet, Phyllis Terry, Millie Kuth, Ann Coombs, Irwin Mercer, Betty Cunningham, Catherine Brink

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

4:30 Lynn Isaacs, Mary Ann Shaver, Mary Jo Briggs, Jean Rhoten, June Fening, Tom Fening, Tony Schutte, Pat Cepluch

SUNDAY, JUNE 22

8:30 Sue Coning, Jennifer Maggard, Pamela Andorn, James Coning, Kathy Hennekes, Susan Delp, Merle Ferry, Diana Ferry

11:00 Peg Wooten, Hazel Zeis, Wyvonne Sandlin, Norbert Rolfsen, Julie Joyce-Smith, Andrew Richter, Nancy Elliott, Linda Pate, Linda Reboulet, Phyllis Terry

SATURDAY, JUNE 28

4:30 Tom Weber, Charlotte, Kuhl, Bill Groth, Liz Maus, Lynn Isaacs, Mary Ann Shaver, Mary Jo Briggs, Frances Janz

SUNDAY, JUNE 29

8:30 Donna Weisenberger, Dick Dowd, Earl Scheidler, Gladys Scheidler, Emily Scheidler, Connie Riegert, Nick Hosmer, Jennifer Hosmer

11:00 Millie Kuth, Ann Coombs, Irwin Mercer, Peg Wooten, Betty Cunningham, Catherine Brink, Hazel Zeis, Diane Miller, Wyvonne Sandlin, Norbert Rolfsen

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4:30 Jean Rhoten, June Fening, Tom Fening, Tony Schutte, Pat Cepluch, Tom Weber, Carl Necaie, Charlotte Kuhl

SUNDAY, JULY 6

8:30 Jeri Brennan, Sue Coning, Jennifer Maggard, James Coning, Kathy Hennekes, Merle Ferry, Diana Ferry, Susan Delp

11:00 Julie Joyce-Smith, Andrew Richter, Nancy Elliott, Linda Pate, Linda Reboulet, Phyllis Terry, Millie Kuth, Ann Coombs, Irwin Mercer, Peg Wooten

WE SERVE GOD AND PARISH AT THE ALTAR

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

4:30 Tommy Richter, Grant Geigle, Lynn Schutte, Joshua Tyree

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

8:30 Marie Adkins, Trisha Kalkhof, Alex Niehaus, James Adkins

11:00 Ben Motley, Carson Hampton, Susan Gillespie, Stephanie Clark

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

4:30 Abby Krabacher, Matthew Krabacher, Josh Richter

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

8:30 Sadie Schwarz, Amanda Schwarz, Steven Randall, Christopher Randall

11:00 Maurene Daniels, Wallis Daniels, Cody Smith

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

4:30 Adam Ingram, Nick Ingram, Noah Rich, John Donahue

SUNDAY, JUNE 22

8:30 Alex Randall, Alex Moulvi

11:00 Sam Brink, Matthew Jeffries, Elizabeth Brink, Jack Brink

SATURDAY, JUNE 28

4:30 Rosemary Mignery, Becca Creed, Grace Mignery, James Mignery

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