

PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE

Fr. Buersmeyer's column appears on page 6.

SAVE THESE DATES!

June 7 Mass for Graduates

June 12 is Movie Night

June 28 is the Parish Picnic

September 18 is the golf outing

SSJP WEARABLES

Polos, sweatshirts, T-shirts and hats with the SSJP logo are now available.

Purchase yours now so you can wear it at the picnic!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Our next blood drive is Sunday, June 14, from 8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Save a life — give blood.

CHECK US OUT ON THE WEB

See what's "New and Noteworthy", read past issues of our bulletin, find links to other sites. Go online and see for yourself —www.ssjohnandpaul.org. Please visit our website weekly to keep abreast of what's new and noteworthy.



Mass for Graduates Class of 2009 June 7, 2009 — 9:30 a.m.

SS. John & Paul will proudly acknowledge all our graduating seniors—high school and college—at a Graduation Mass on Sunday, June 7, at 9:30 a.m. The mass will be followed immediately by a breakfast for the graduates and their families in the Activities Center. Invitations have been mailed out, so if you did not receive one and would like to attend, please call the parish office. We'll have much to celebrate and would like to include you in the festivities!

Here's what's happening this week!

Monday, June 1:

- *11:30 Senior Cards
- *7:00 p.m. Mass
- *7:45 p.m. Last Adult Bells
- *7:45 p.m. Worship Meeting
- *7:45 p.m. Retirement Series

Tuesday, June 2:

- *9:00 a.m. Mass
- *6:30 p.m. Scripture Study

Wednesday, June 3:

- *9:00 a.m. Mass

Saturday, June 6 :

- *1:00 p.m. Special Needs Gathering
- *3:00 p.m. Confessions
- *5:00 p.m. Mass

Regular Parish Office Hours

- Mon. - Wed. — 9 :00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
- Thursday — 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Friday — 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- Saturday—12:00 to 3:00 p.m.
- Sunday — 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.



**Movie Night – Friday, June 12
8:00 p.m. – ??**

- ◆ Join us under the pavilion for a series of shorts: cartoons, old TV series, etc.
- ◆ We ask that you bring a non-perishable food donation to help stock our local food pantries for the summer.
- ◆ Bring your own blankets, lawn chairs, and snacks. There will be something for every age group (all G rated material).

Pray for our Nominees

Through the help of the Holy Spirit, we will select the new members to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council. Please pray for our nominees: Gerard Bawol, Martha Catalano, Barbara Harden, Angelo Lanni, Kevin McBride, Donna Michalski, Susan Rowley and Steven Schaller. They will be selected at the 9:30 a.m. Mass this weekend.

Care Packages for Our Troops in Iraq

Bishop Schoenherr Assembly #3057 (Knights of Columbus), comprised of members from Romeo/Washington/Armada, is pleased to provide you with the opportunity to help make “care packages” for our troops in Iraq.

The weekend of June 13, bags will be available in the hallway to the Activities Center. A soldiers “Needs List” will be attached to the bag. Please take one home and fill it with as many items as you can. Items must be in their original container.

Return the bags to the Activities Center hallway thru Sunday, June 21. Our members will then package and ship your donated items to our soldiers serving in Iraq. Thank you for your generosity and support of this worthwhile endeavor.

CSA 2009

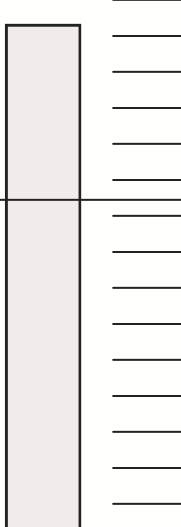
Diocesan Obligation: \$93,715.00
Total as of 5/17/09: \$143,030.00

Participating Families:
370

Gifts: \$93,715.00
358

Participation Percentage:
31.9%

Average Gift:
\$399.53



On Sale Now!



Orders are being taken for T-Shirts, sweatshirts, polos and hats. Purchase yours now so you can have it in time for our parish picnic on June 28. Orders placed after June 12 may not be ready by June 28. Order forms and samples are in the hallway to the Activities Center.

**2009-2010
Religious Formation Program**

G.R.A.C.E.

Parish Formation Program
For all ages
September—May

EARLY CHILDHOOD

3 1/2 to 5 yrs. old
Sundays 9:30 a.m.
October—April

For more information on either programs above, or for any other adult formation or preparation for sacraments please call the Formation Office at 586.781.9488.



**Celebration of the
Sacrament of
First Eucharist**

The following children will be celebrating the Sacrament of First Eucharist at the following Masses. Please keep them and their families in prayer as they eagerly join us at the table of the Lord.

May 30—5:00 p.m. Mass
Adam Sebastian IV

May 31—9:30 a.m. Mass
*Michela Hein
Nicholas Maue
Rachel Schmidt*

May 31—11:30 p.m. Mass
*Daniel Angeli
Michael Angeli
Michael Bouthillet
Nathan McKay
Noah McKay
Peyton Medovarsky
Natalie Molotky*



Summer Son Shine VBS

Coming this summer

DISCOVERY CANYON

**Monday—Friday, August 3rd – 7th
9:00 a.m.—12:00 Noon**

The Wonders of the Word await you...

**Summer is almost here and it's filled to the rim with
Gully Games, Cavern Crafts, Shadow Science,
Sagebrush Storytelling and Red Rock Rhythm!**

**For you and your friends
Kindergarteners thru 5th graders**

**Call 586.781.9488 for information or stop by the parish
office to register or pick up a registration form**

See you at the Canyon!!



**P.S. We are looking for volunteers of all ages to
help! Give Ms. Bauer a call!**

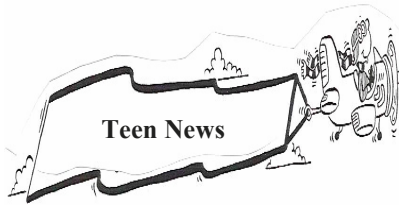
Growing
Responding
As
Catholicism
Everyday

**Register Now
for 2009-2010**

**All registrations are due
June 15th**

**For: Adults, Senior Citizens,
Married without children,
Single adults, Families**

**Families please note: If the fee is a
financial difficulty, contact us, but still
register. Scholarships are available.**



◆ Cedar Point Trip — June 25

All teens and altar servers are welcome to join us for our Cedar Point outing. The cost for each of you will be \$25 and all altar servers must be with a chaperone at all times during this outing. If you would like to bring a sibling or a friend, the cost would be \$40 for them. Each sibling or friend would be put on a waiting list to see if there is room on the bus and then will be added on a first come first served basis. **All permission slips must be turned in no later than Tuesday, June 16.** If you have any questions, please give Mrs. Peters a call at 586.781.9488. Join us for this exciting, fun-filled day!



Called to Serve Workshop June 17 —6:00-9:00 p.m. For all 9-12 Graders

This 3 hour workshop invites teens to explore the many dimensions of safety needed as employees and volunteers in the parish as well as the greater community. This workshop focuses on and enhances teen skills in:

- Working with & role modeling for children
- Communicating & working with adults
- Interacting appropriately with peers
- Recognizing & responding to inappropriate behaviors

All teens MUST have a permission slip completed in order to attend this workshop. There is NO cost to you. The evening does include a light dinner and an RSVP is requested by June 13 so that we can better plan for the dinner. If you are planning on helping with Vacation Bible School or any other parish event you really need to take this workshop. Please call Mrs. Peters at 586-781-9488 if you have any questions.



A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

Today, on Pentecost, we remember Christ gave us the Holy Spirit to assist us in raising our family and He expects us to use this gift. Let's turn off the distractions and tune into the Holy Spirit who "will guide us to the truth." Let us "testify" to our children that true happiness is found in service, forgiveness and love for one another.



Parish Picnic Sunday, June 28 2:00-6:00 p.m.

The annual parish picnic will be held on Sunday, June 28, from 2:00-6:00 p.m. There will be games, music, karaoke, and all sorts of food. Please sign up on the bulletin board to bring either a salad or dessert. There are also sign up sheets on the bulletin board to volunteer in different areas of the picnic.

Again this year, we ask that everyone pitch in to clean up. It really helps, even if all you do is bring one chair down the hill when you leave.

There will be some tables and chairs set up, but please feel free to bring lawn chairs or a blanket if you wish.

ALL ARE WELCOME!!!

Signs of Abuse

There are many signs of an abusive relationship. The most significant sign is fear of your partner. Other signs include a partner who belittles you or tries to control you. Do you:

- Feel afraid of your partner much of the time?
- Avoid certain topics out of fear of angering your partner?
- Feel that you can't do anything right for your partner?
- Believe that you deserve to be hurt or mistreated?
- Wonder if you're the one who is crazy?
- Feel emotionally numb or helpless?

For information and help call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 1.800.799.7233.



Congratulations Pat!

Pat Sagert, Soup Kitchen Coordinator and Mt. Clemen's Salvation Army's Volunteer of the Year

The Soup Kitchen Ministry of SS. John & Paul began in 2001 with a small group of volunteers, including Pat Sagert. Shortly after it began, this ministry found itself in need of a new coordinator. Pat, being familiar with the ins and outs of this ministry, agreed to keep it going by volunteering to coordinate it. That was seven years ago and thanks to Pat and her volunteers, this ministry is still going strong!

Our group is consistently a favorite with Salvation Army administrators due to Pat's strict adherence to Health Department guidelines, her cooperative and dependable nature and the delicious spaghetti lunch we serve that has become our trademark. Thanks Pat, for so admirably serving our neighbors in need—you and our volunteers do us proud!



Why Give?

Every two seconds, someone in the United States needs blood. That's a lot of blood. But only 5% of the eligible U.S. population donates blood in any given year. Healthy donors are the only source of blood. Currently there is no substitute. Blood is needed for emergencies and for people who have cancer, blood disorders, sickle cell, anemia and other illnesses. Some people need regular blood transfusions to live.

Please consider donating blood at our next American Red Cross blood drive on Sunday, June 14 from 8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.. You must be in general good health, over 17 years of age and at least 110 pounds. "The need is constant, the gratification is instant. Give blood."



Food Drive Next Weekend June 6 & 7



Please bring your non-perishable, unexpired food donations!
Requested pantry items for the month of June are:

Dried beans, coffee, flour, sugar, cereal, cooking oil, canned fruit, canned meats, pancake mix and syrup, Hamburger Helper, baby body wash and lotion, shampoo and conditioner, tooth paste, laundry soap

All other non-perishable food items, including low sodium and sugar-free food, toiletries, health and hygiene items are gladly accepted!

Thank you for your generosity!

Pastor's Perspective



*The Feast of Pentecost

As we close off the Easter season on this feast of Pentecost, we are once again reminded in the day's Scripture readings how important it is to be open to and guided by the Spirit of God. God is not part of our material world, only "bigger" or "more powerful." Rather, the material world exists because God "holds" it all in existence. The divine love (which our Tradition names the Holy Spirit, the bond of love between Father and Son) "overflows" into that which is not God but does not exist apart from God, endowing the material universe with a freedom that allows it to evolve in non-controlled ways but also with almost unfathomable potential. Wondrously, amazingly, this freedom has evolved a universe that has material creatures who are not simply defined by the material elements which they are composed of. Living beings, not simply inert combinations of elements. Even more wondrously and amazingly, that freedom has evolved within those living creatures, material beings who are capable of free and conscious relationship with the very One who started it all in motion. And most wondrously and amazingly, not just a conscious relationship but an actual participation in the very life of God.

How is a relationship with God, who is not material, possible? Only through beings who know themselves endowed with a spirit that can be shaped by the Spirit of God. We are capable of and offered a participation in the very life of God. In freedom we have been given an ability to reject, distort and

harm that relationship or to deny that participation completely. But the feast of Pentecost celebrates the fulfillment of that awesome potential of the universe. The very Spirit of God, now united to the life, death and resurrection of Jesus, is poured out on the community of disciples of Jesus, the Church, who are conscious of the relationship that is possible in that Spirit and who experience an empowerment to share the meaning of this universe with the whole world. Calling one of the persons of God the "Holy Spirit" helps us to recognize the awesome reality that God's very life can guide and shape and sustain us.

*Prayer for Hope in Uncertain Times

The Stewardship Commission has been trying to surface ways to address the difficult and, for some, dire, economic situation we are going through. They asked for suggestions from the parish pastoral council and all commissions at the combined May meeting earlier this month. These suggestions are being given to the Vicariate subcommittee tasked with creating some helpful outreach to people going through job loss and job transition. The Stewardship Commission also recommended to the parish council a parish budget that was reduced by 5% for next year, trying to keep costs in line and to spend your donations wisely for the good of the parish and its ministries. And, one of its subcommittees crafted a prayer to be prayed by the whole parish during these times.

The prayer is below. The Worship Commission decided to pray it at all Masses on the first weekend of every month, as a way to conclude the prayers of the faithful (the intercessions). It is the type of prayer that can be prayed by individuals or families at home as well. Our faith calls us to courage and trust, perseverance and hope in these uncertain times. Let's be guided by our faith and not fall into despair or fear.

Prayer for Hope in Uncertain Times

Dear Lord,

Please ease our hearts in this world of uncertainty.

As we balance what we desire with our true need, we rejoice that you are with us each step of the way.

As we look for higher values in the midst of material loss, we turn to you, God of hope. Help us to move from fear to love. Lead us closer to you. Give us peace and courage.

As we remember the wealth and abundance born of your creation, teach us to appreciate our daily blessings, for you give meaning and purpose to life. We thank you, dear God, for all the gifts you have given us.

All praise and honor is yours, forever and ever.

Amen.

*Understanding the Eucharist (continued)

In preparation for this year's Teaching Masses (Corpus Christi weekend, June 13/14) I am writing about the difference between "doing" Eucharist and simply "getting" communion. I mentioned in the May 17th bulletin that I am convinced that until we recognize the difference between Eucharist and a communion service we will never really "get" what it is that Jesus is doing at Eucharist. What do I mean?

One of the certainties of our Catholic faith is the true, real, substantial presence of the risen Jesus—body and blood, soul and divinity, as the tradition puts it—in the transformed Eucharistic elements of bread and wine. Searching for a way to name that belief, western theologians in the middle ages coined the term "transubstantiation," in order to highlight that something substantial had

changed. Gathered in the name of the Lord, doing what he asked the disciples to do, led by a properly ordained priest, the bread and wine, though still materially in the form of bread and wine, can no longer be appropriately called bread and wine. It has become the substantial presence of the risen Lord, his body and blood, his real presence.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church talks about his real presence in this way: *“This presence is called ‘real’—by which is not intended to exclude the other types of presences as if they could not be ‘real’ too, but because it is the presence in the fullest sense: that is to say, it is a substantial presence by which Christ, God and man, makes himself wholly and entirely present.”* (#1374). This alerts us to the fact that the Lord is also truly present in many other ways, among which the Church highlights are his presence in the assembly of faithful gathered, in his proclaimed Word, and in ministry of the priest celebrant. But clearly our Tradition has especially focused on and even cherished that real, sacramental presence in his body and blood under the form of consecrated bread and wine.

As a result, we have tended to see the consecration of the elements during the Eucharistic prayer as “the” moment when such substantial change takes place. And, once consecrated, as though the reason for the Mass is fulfilled—the risen Jesus is now present to us, really and substantially in the consecrated bread and wine. And so we pay more attention to making sure that everyone treats the consecrated bread and wine with care, how it is disposed of if there is extra left after communion, focusing on the tabernacle until the remaining communion is secure there, and so forth, then the fact that the Lord has invited us, spoken his word to us, offered what we have brought to the Father, has given us a share in his body and blood and thereby uniting those into a visible body of Christ.

As a result, in the pre-Vatican II days of 45 and more years ago, many Catholics would approach for communion only if they had gone to confession the same day or the day

before. And if you ever wonder where the habit of leaving right when communion begins started, it was due to this excessive focus on the consecration. Or where the practice of ringing a bell at the consecration started, so that people would look up from their private prayer and “see” the consecrated host or chalice of consecrated wine, which the priest lifted over his head, since his back was to the people. Or the practice of priest and ushers looking at the tabernacle and sitting down only when the tabernacle doors were shut. Or the belief that the Offertory (Presentation of the gifts of bread and wine) part of the Mass was more important than the liturgy of the word. You could miss the whole liturgy of the Word and still only commit a “venial” sin but miss the Offertory and it turned “mortal”. Or, not receive communion and leave early and again a “venial” sin but miss the consecration and it was mortal.

In other words, due to the focus on the consecration, there has come into Catholic faith a dead-certain faith in the risen Lord’s presence when we come together at Eucharist and offer bread and wine. That is a gain and gift to Christian faith that Catholics have to offer. But, unless properly understood and lived, such a belief in the real presence can distort how we understand what Eucharist is.

We don’t gather for and do Eucharist so that we can consecrate bread and wine and then have that consecrated bread and wine available for communion. No! We gather for and do Eucharist because that is the pre-eminent way that the risen Lord made his presence known to the Church from the earliest times on. It so happens that he chose the setting of a meal and it so happens that he gave special significance to the blessing with the bread and the blessing with the cup of wine. But these blessings (our consecration) are part of a larger whole in which the Lord is fitting us together as a people, forming us by his Word, praying with us and offering our lives to the Father, feeding us with the gift of his body and blood, and sending us forth as his body and blood to be broken and poured out for others.

If the Eucharist was mainly about consecrating enough communion to have available, then I could gather a humongous amount of hosts at one Mass, consecrate them all, reserve them in the tabernacle (we would have to buy a big tabernacle), and then go on vacation for a few months until the parish needed more. You could have daily communion services at which people receive communion.

More next week.

Isn’t, then, the consecration the high point of the Mass, when such a transformation takes place?

If not the consecration, then what is the ‘high point’ or climax of the Mass? Communion.

Then, isn’t any time we receive communion, whether at Mass or outside of Mass the same? Sick, yes, rest, no.

What it means that the Lord takes the stuff of our lives and forms us and it into the bread of life and cup of salvation right there, etc.

***Catholic Services Appeal**

The Archdiocese of Detroit’s annual C.S.A. is beginning to wind down. If you have not yet made a pledge, please do so, no matter the amount, great or small. It is one of the testaments to the generosity and faith of this parish that you have responded so well thus far. Thank you to all who have done so. Your response guarantees that we will meet our mandatory target and receive the rest back for parish use. This, in turn, helps to guarantee that our budget for the coming fiscal year (begins in July) is on solid ground. You are a parish that makes a pastor’s job so much easier than it otherwise could be. Thank you.

Fr. Buersmeyer



A Stewardship Reflection — Pentecost

For fifty days, the Church celebrates the Easter season and then caps it off with Pentecost, the birthday of the Church. The great feast of Easter celebrates one of God’s precious gifts – the gift of salvation in Christ’s victory over death. Another of God’s treasured gifts, Pentecost, is the gift of the Holy Spirit. Most of us are pretty conscientious about observing Lent and Easter, but what will you do to celebrate Pentecost? Receiving these very special gifts makes us stewards of the Church as well as of the more familiar gifts of time, talent, and treasure.

Called into relationship by the Risen Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we are called to be good stewards of the gift of faith. Religious educators, Youth Ministers, RCIA sponsors, members of the Stewardship, Worship, or Christian Service commissions, Parish Pastoral Council, ministers of hospitality, volunteers at soup kitchens or outreach ministry, Eucharistic ministers, those who visit nursing homes or hospitals, lectors, cantors, sacristans are ways to be good stewards and are as many and varied as the individual gifts we bring.

What is God calling you in this joyous time of celebration? How are you demonstrating good stewardship of the Church and of your faith?



STEWARDSHIP REPORT May 23-24, 2009

Figures unavailable. They will be posted in next week’s bulletin

Weekly budget\$11,700.00
 Offertory
 No. Sunday envelopes used.....
Total Offertory

Other Monies / (# Envelopes)

Capital Imprv. / ().....
 Children’s Env. / ().....

St. Paul reminds us today that all of our gifts have their source in the Holy Spirit and that those gifts are given “for the common good.” What gifts are ours to share?



Readings for the Week of May 31, 2009

Sunday, May 31:

Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Monday, June 1:

Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8; Ps 112; Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday, June 2:

Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112; Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday, June 3:

Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Ps 25; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday, June 4:

Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a; Ps 128; Mk 12:28-34

Friday, June 5:

Tb 11:5-17; Ps 146; Mk 12:35-37

Saturday, June 6:

Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Tb 13:2, 6; Mk 12:38-44

Sunday, June 7:

Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

Pray for our sick

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| Mary Angelosante | Lois Nelson |
| Jennie Barla | Samantha Nelson |
| Rita Bayer | Tom O’Donnell |
| Mary Burcar | Eugene Ondrizek |
| Charles Cappellano | Leo Osantoske, Sr. |
| Helen Chmielewski | Carl Pallas |
| Ralph Cleary | Pat Palonis |
| Luigi Cocco | Patricia Petriches |
| John Patrick Cuttle | Ken Petty |
| Timothy J. Cuttle | Alex Polzin |
| Gloria Dean | Doris C. Procopio |
| Chris Del Pappa | Dorothy Puffpaff |
| Lauren DeNio | Anthony Randazzo |
| Vincent Eterno | Pat Rea |
| Blanche Fredal | Marie Richard |
| Danielle Giffin | Theresa Romero |
| Geri Hammer | Angelina Russo |
| Lora Hardin | Albert Sabbe |
| Lloyd Hunsucker | Jeff Simpson |
| Ruth Hunsucker | Camille Smith |
| Yolanda Kaufman | Michelle Smith |
| Molly Keffalo | Tommasina Smith |
| John Kerr | Mary Sorrow |
| Hayden Kroll | Steven St. John |
| John LaCroix | Barbara Supina |
| Jillian Lentine | Shirley Taylor |
| Vito Loconte | Donna Theisen |
| Jacob Main | Jerry Thomas |
| Bernice Mayer | Charlie Trombly |
| Rodney Mayer | Richard Waluk |
| Antoinette McBain | Betty Waligore |
| Debbie McMahon | Patricia Wyatt |
| Agnes Mehlick | |
| Linda Murphy | |
| Lynn Morocco | |

Pray for our military



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| Noel & Greg Ales | Teija Kinnunen |
| Nick Bassett | Paul McGowan |
| Augie Biache III | Matthew McLocklin |
| Mike Boback | David Newberry |
| Tony Gentilia | Ryan Ribant |
| Michael Kaminski | Thomas Schmidt |
| David Krzycki | Vincent Titeriga |
| Jonathon Krusinski | Daniel Trendell |
| Chris Krusinski | |

Sponsor of the Week

This week’s sponsor is **J & J Roofing**. Please see their full ad on the back of the bulletin. And remember to patronize all of our sponsors because they make this bulletin possible!



Eucharistic Prayer Requests

Saturday and Sunday May 30-31, 2009

Grazia DePalma by T. Maltese
 Scott Ragni by Family
 Marcus Guitar by Wyatt Family
 Leona M. Klingkammer by D. Nelson Fam.
 Francesca Pittiglio by Family
 Olga Recchia & Anna Catenascci by V. Recchia

Monday, June 1, 2009

Ted & Patricia Bieleniewicz by R. Poli

Tuesday, June 2, 2009

Kitty Storen by Dobbs Family

Wednesday, June 3, 2009

William Ware by T. Klakulak Family

Saturday and Sunday June 6-7, 2009

Clemente Truden by A. Truden
 Norman VanDenBrouck by Family
 Ted Kuchar by Partyka Family
 Stanley Tasky by Family

Liturgical appointments for June 6-7, 2009				
Mass	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Celebrant/Homilist	Fr. Sayes	Fr. Buersmeyer	Fr. Beursmeyer	Fr. Sayes
Lectors	B. Conlon S. Dickens	S. Bawol J. Giffin	P. Raleigh M. Greenway	S. Darga-Martino L. Hester
Communion Ministers *Captain	Deacon John F. Perna* M. Klakulak T. Klakulak M. McCann	C. Andrighetti* J. Fannon K. Fannon B. Huellmantel A. Ferrario	Deacon John S. Zellen* L. Zellen M. Adkins M. Bonaudo B. Hellebuyck P. Fields	S. Goble* E. Goble J. Martino M. Catalano J. Gilbertson
Altar Servers	E. Bytner	—Open—	J. Drobek J. Ozella S. Ozella	O. Becker G. Gaglio G. Avolio
Greeters	M. McCann K. Hessler	J. Fannon K. Fannon	J. Kaiser P. Fields	D. Jiannuzzi R. Jiannuzzi
Ushers	Team #2 M. LaRaia M. Hendershot J. Krieg	Team #4 R. Giffin K. Grunewald B. Huellmantel H. Susalla J. Rutkowski	Team #6 B. Burcar B. Cammarata J. Pospiech B. Schulz J. Gerds A. Valente	Team #8 L. LePage C. Klapeck R. Kopera K. McBride J. Pyke D. Waligore
Collection Counters	Team #2 — Trudy Amore, Marcia Capp, Jeanette Casteels, Bill Herman, Jerry Pospiech, John Sabina, Christine Winde			

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Weekend Masses	Weekday Masses
Saturday at 5:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m. Monday
Sunday at 8:00 a.m.,	9:00 a.m. Tuesday
9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.	and Wednesday

Parish Registration
 New parishioners may register after each weekend Mass or Monday through Friday at the parish office

Sacrament of Reconciliation
 Saturday from 3:00-3:30 p.m. of after 5:00 p.m. Mass

Baptisms
 Please call the parish office for arrangements and parental preparation dates. Contact office at least 3 months prior to Baptism

Weddings
 Please notify office at least six months (one year if not registered) prior to wedding date to arrange for marriage preparation

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