

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MARCH 1ST

*6:30 a.m. Pearl Patterson
8:00 a.m. Nikki Renaud

TUESDAY, MARCH 2ND

*6:30 a.m. Margaret Braun
8:00 a.m. James Rooney

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3RD

6:30 a.m. Vern Bradley
8:00 a.m. Helen Doyle ALL MASS

6:00 p.m. Lorraine Showell

THURSDAY, MARCH 4TH

*6:30 a.m. Elaine Wetzel
8:00 a.m. Jeffrey Schimmele

FIRST FRIDAY, MARCH 5TH

8:00 a.m. Gertrude Cote'
*5:30 p.m. Dolores Kleber

SATURDAY, MARCH 6TH

8:00 a.m. Int. Rosary Society
5:00 p.m. Richard Wisniewski

SUNDAY, MARCH 7TH

7:15 a.m. Int. of Nielson Family
9:00 a.m. Paul Maloney
11:00 a.m. Mary Bertok
6:00 p.m. For The Parish (LifeTeen Mass)

*CHAPEL



LENTEN WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

The daily 6:30 a.m. Mass will be in the Spiritual Center chapel, except on Wednesday, when it will be in the church. The 8:00 a.m. Mass will also be in the Church. On Wednesdays during Lent, we will be adding an extra Mass at 6:00 p.m. in the church.

SERVERS' SCHEDULE

(It is YOUR responsibility to find a replacement)

Saturday, March 7

8:00 a.m. Molly Coffee, Chloe Anderson
5:00 p.m. Tyler Eifert, Katie Schipkowski
Ben Woenker, Allison Colligan

Sunday, March 8

7:15 a.m. Scott Campbell, Amanda Amstutz
Carly Mirwaldt, David Huneck
9:00 a.m. James Scully, Johnathon O'Shaughnessy
Trina Manalo, Erica Norton
11:00 a.m. Patrick Brunner, Marie Boedecker
Emily Koontz, Nick Litchfield

NURSERY – SUNDAY, MARCH 8

9:00 a.m. Brian and Amy Dumford
Candidates: Andrew Piropatto, Alicia Waters

DEAL ME IN!

Join the Rosary Society Monday evening, March 1st, at 7:00 p.m. in the East Meeting Room for recitation of the rosary, followed by a social hour featuring a euchre tournament.



MAY GOD GRANT
ETERNAL LIGHT AND PEACE

to William John Kelly, father of Anne Schenkel;
Ed Van Gessel, father of Christina Van Gessel;
Julio Garcia, father of Julio Garcia; Catherine
Brink, mother of Carol Eifert; Ronald Lyttle,
spouse of Sheila Lyttle and father of Kelly and

Suzy Lyttle; Barbara Galligher, daughter of Barbara Mosshammer;
Dorothy Molitor, mother of Monica Etter; Hellen Worrell; Mildred
Chervenka, mother of Diane Oates; John Koorsen, spouse of Marjorie
Koorsen; and Robert Stier, father of Joe and Rick Stier.

RCIA AND LENT

At next week's 9:00 and 11:00 Masses, our candidates (baptized) will experience the Penitential Rite, which prepares them for the sacrament of Reconciliation. Please keep them in your prayers.



Congratulations

to
John and Betty Wood
on the
celebration of their
50th wedding
anniversary.
May they be blessed
with good health
and happiness.

FROM THE PASTOR:

Thank you very much for returning your stewardship of treasure commitment form. The stewardship of time and talent form may also be returned. By placing these in the special box (located in the Gathering Space) which is carried in the offertory procession at Mass, you clearly express your desire that your financial support of the parish and your gifts of time and talent be a sacrificial gift to God. Thank you, too, for being consistent in your financial support of the parish by using your Sunday collection envelopes. Give with gratitude and joy in your heart, knowing that God will not be outdone in generosity.

The men's Christ Renews His parish retreat is next weekend, and the women's, the following weekend. I have the greatest admiration for the formation teams that put on the weekend. Having experienced the power of CRHP weekend, they become evangelizers by sharing the good news of Christ with others. Keep CRHP in your prayers.

Enjoy the letter from Father Falzon, printed in this bulletin. I am accepting his invitation to attend the dedication of the building which we funded through our Project Solidarity. I am looking forward to it.

I saw the movie "The Passion of the Christ" along with members of one of our small Christian communities. Afterwards, we gathered at the rectory to discuss the film. The movie was a deeply moving experience. I want to see it again.

Fr. John

WELCOME HOME ERIC FAULKNER

The St. Vincent's Scouts are celebrating the homecoming of Eric Faulkner after serving on the front lines in Iraq War in Baghdad with a reception at the Scout Lodge on Tuesday, March 2, at 7:30 p.m. All welcome!

Many parishioners are catching the spirit of Disciples in Mission as meetings started this week in their groups. Please keep them all in your prayers.

Even if you were unable to join a group, please watch the bulletin during Lent for a weekly insert on Disciples in Mission so that you may be able to share in this spiritual journey.

Please call Scott McLeish if you have any questions at 485-6481.



GOD'S LIBRARY

Make the most of Lent by becoming more familiar with the Bible. Learn the basics of Scripture from parishioner, Rae Huffman in a three-part study series: Mondays of March 1st, 8th, and 15th from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. in the Spiritual Center. Bring your Bible! Bring a friend! And get more out of Scripture than ever before.

WOMEN'S CO-SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR SOUGHT

Christ Renews His Parish is in the process of discerning a Women's Co-Spiritual Director. If you know of someone we should consider that has gone through the Christ Renews process, please send us a letter and explain why that person should be considered. Send to: Laurie Grashoff, 11625 Trade Wind Cove, Fort Wayne, 46845. Please no self-nominations.

Meetings of the Week

ROSARY SOCIETY – Monday, March 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the East Meeting Room
 DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – Monday, March 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the Teachers Lounge
 “GOD’S LIBRARY” – Monday, March 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the Spiritual Center
 TWO BY TWO BIBLE STUDY – Tuesday, March 2, at 8:30 a.m. in the East Meeting Room
 HASA – Tuesday, March 2, at 6:30 p.m. in the Teachers Lounge
 SHEPHERDS OF CHRIST – Tuesday, March 2, at 6:30 p.m. in the Reservation Chapel
 RCIA – Tuesday, March 3, at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Conference Room
 ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – Wednesday, March 3, at 8:00 a.m. in the Reservation Chapel
 WINGS – Wednesday, March 3, at 9:00 a.m. in the Spiritual Center
 SCHOOL BOARD – Wednesday, March 3, at 6:30 p.m. in the Teachers Lounge
 BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE – Wednesday, March 3, at 7:00 p.m. in the Nursery
 WINGS TOO – Thursday, March 4, at 9:00 a.m. in the Spiritual Center
 RE-MEMBERING – Thursday, March 4, at 7:00 p.m. in the Convent – Back Room
 DISABILITIES TEAM – Thursday, March 4, at 7:00 p.m. in the East Meeting Room
 RCIC PARENT/SPONSOR MEETING – Thursday, March 4, at 7:00 p.m. in the Nursery
 YOUNG ADULT LIFE – Thursday, March 4, at 7:00 p.m. in the Spiritual Center
 MEN’S CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH WEEKEND – Sat/Sun, March 6/7

CONFIRMATION RETREAT

For eighth graders who did not attend the Junior High Rally in the fall, the parish Confirmation Retreat will be held on Saturday, March 13. Students are to arrive at 11:45 a.m. at the church and will be dismissed after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Dress is casual but appropriate, keeping in mind that we will be attending Mass.

CONFIRMATION DATE SET

Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred Thursday, April 22, at 7:00 p.m. in the church.

Those to be confirmed will be strengthened by the Holy Spirit, already received at Baptism. Now serving as a Helper and Guide, the Holy Spirit bestows upon the candidates the gifts of Wisdom, Understanding, Knowledge, Right Judgment, Courage, Reverence and Wonder/awe in the presence of the Lord. Please pray for the Confirmation Candidates as well as all members of our parish community, that we may grow in the life of the Spirit.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

On Sunday, March 7, children in Religious Education grades 5-8 will attend Stations of the Cross in the church at 4:15 p.m.
 On Sunday, March 14, children in Religious Education grades 1-4 will attend Stations of the Cross in the church at 4:15 p.m.
 On Wednesday, March 17, we will have Stations of the Cross for Religious Education students grades 1-4 at 6:45 p.m. in the church.
 On Wednesday, March 24, we will have Stations of the Cross for Religious Education students grades 5-8 at 6:45 p.m. in the church.
 All parents are invited to come and pray the Stations with us.



NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3

The catechists in the Religious Education program will attend an evening of reflection on Wednesday, March 3. Wednesday classes resume March 10. That evening the children in grades 3-8 will go over to church for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

YOUTH MINISTRY CALENDAR

Feb. 29 Life Night: The Passion
 March 1-3 Cindy on retreat, please pray for me
 March 1 JHL: Planning
 Mass and Breakfast, 6:30 a.m.
 March 4 Pray at Abortion Clinic
 March 7 Life Night

WEDNESDAY LENTEN MASS AND BREAKFAST

Teens, commit to coming to 6:30 a.m. Mass in the church and Breakfast at the Life House on Wednesdays during Lent. We will begin the week after Ash Wednesday. Adults, make this part of your Lenten sacrifice by providing food for our breakfasts one of the weeks. Contact Angie Harber if you would like to help, 486-9852.

DATE CHANGE: MARCH 13

Our 8th graders are preparing for their Confirmation and we need high school teens to help out on a retreat for them. Please contact Cindy Black at 637-7445 or Cblack@SaintV.org if you're interested in being part of the team to put on the retreat.

LIFETEEN SPRING RETREAT DATE

Friday, March 19 – Sunday, March 21. Registration forms available at the back of church or on the website: www.saintv.org.

LIFETEEN LUNCH-BUNCH - Cindy would love to come have lunch with you at your school. I just need to know what time you eat and where to meet you, so get with me so we can set a day.

Advertisers of the Week

Please patronize the companies that support our bulletin.

MEL GIBSON’S

“PASSION OF THE CHRIST”

I have had many teens and parents ask me about LIFETEEN’s plans for this movie. Because it is difficult to find a time when everyone can see it and because of it being R-rated (based on graphic violence), we will not be seeing it as a group. I encourage families to experience it together after carefully discerning if their child should see it. Fr. Mark and the core team will discuss it with the teens during our Life Night on Lent.

JUNIOR HIGH LIFE — “LET’S FACE IT”

The next JHL night: “Let’s Face It” in the Gathering Space, Monday, March 8 at 7:00 – 8:30. Featuring, by popular demand, guest speaker, Reverend Whitfield.

BAGS OF BLESSINGS’ GIRL SCOUT PROJECT

Bags of Blessings and the St. Vincent’s Girls Scouts are working together on a Lenten Project. The girls will be making by hand and preparing bags for over 100 local residents who are in need of some essential items. Please bring to the west vestibule and place in the marked box any of the following items to be used for this project: hotel-size shampoo, lotion, conditioner, mouthwash, toothpaste, etc. We are in SPECIAL need of feminine products and deodorant. Please make sure that the containers have not been opened. If you have any questions, or would like to have your items picked up, please call Terri at 637-1400 or Kellie at 637-6041.

COACHES NEEDED AT ST. VINCENT’S

The St. Vincent’s Athletic Director is in need of a 7th & 8th grade girls softball coach, a 7th & 8th grade boys golf coach, a 5th grade girls soccer coach, and a 5th grade cheerleading coach immediately for the March session. If you are interested, please contact Paul Cassabon at 489-3537.

LAST CHANCE FOR THE GIRLS SCOUT LENTEN RETREAT

If you have not turned in a registration form for the annual Girl Scout Lenten Retreat but still wish to attend, please contact Monica GlouDEMANS (627-3439) by Monday, March 1.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH

March 1	7:00 p.m.	Development Committee
March 1	7:00 p.m.	Rosary Society
March 1	7:00 p.m.	"God's Library"
March 2	8:30 a.m.	Two by Two Bible Study
March 2	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
March 2	6:30 p.m.	HASA Meeting
March 2	7:30 p.m.	RCIA
March 3	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
March 3	9:00 a.m.	WINGS
March 3	6:30 p.m.	School Board
March 3	7:00 p.m.	Bereavement Committee
March 4	9:00 a.m.	WINGS TOO
March 4	7:00 p.m.	Re-Membering Church
March 4	7:00 p.m.	Disabilities
March 4	7:00 p.m.	RCIC Parent & Sponsor Meeting
March 4	7:00 p.m.	Young Adult Life
March 6/7		Men's Christ Renews His Parish Weekend
March 8	7:00 p.m.	Jr.High Life
March 8	7:00 p.m.	"God's Library"
March 9	8:30 a.m.	Two by Two Bible Study
March 9	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
March 9	7:00 p.m.	RCIA
March 10	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
March 10	9:00 a.m.	WINGS
March 10	6:30 p.m.	Pastoral Council
March 11	9:00 a.m.	WINGS TOO
March 11	5:15 p.m.	Market Day
March 11	7:00 p.m.	Baptismal Preparation I
March 11	7:00 p.m.	Divorced Catholic Support Group
March 11	7:00 p.m.	Re-Membering Church
March 13	9:00 a.m.	Marriage Preparation
March 13	10:00 a.m.	Confirmation Retreat
March 13/14		Women's Christ Renews His Parish Weekend
March 15	1:15 p.m.	Harvest House
March 15	7:00 p.m.	Building and Grounds
March 15	7:00 p.m.	"God's Library"
March 15	7:00 p.m.	Ministers Reflection
March 16	8:30 a.m.	Two by Two Bible Study
March 16	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
March 16	7:00 p.m.	RCIA
March 17	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
March 17	9:00 a.m.	WINGS
March 18	9:00 a.m.	WINGS TOO
March 18	6:30 p.m.	MOMS
March 18	7:00 p.m.	Baptismal Preparation II
March 18	7:00 p.m.	RCIC Parent & Sponsor Meeting
March 18	7:00 p.m.	Re-Membering Church
March 19	6:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast
March 20	9:00 a.m.	Ministers Reflection
March 21		John Angotti Concert
March 22	7:00 p.m.	Little Rock Scripture Series
March 22	7:00 p.m.	Technology Committee
March 22	7:00 p.m.	Jr. High Life
March 23	8:30 a.m.	Two by Two Bible Study
March 23	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
March 23	7:00 p.m.	Lenten Penance Service
March 23	7:00 p.m.	RCIA
March 24	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
March 24	9:00 a.m.	WINGS
March 24	6:30 p.m.	Finance Committee
March 24	7:00 p.m.	Parish Nurse
March 25	9:00 a.m.	WINGS TOO
March 25	7:00 p.m.	Divorced Catholic Support Group
March 25	7:00 p.m.	Baptismal Preparation I
March 25	7:00 p.m.	Re-Membering Church
March 26	7:30 p.m.	XLT
March 27	9:00 a.m.	Disabilities Retreat
March 29	7:00 p.m.	Little Rock Scripture Series
March 29	7:00 p.m.	St. Vincent de Paul Society
March 30	8:30 a.m.	Two by Two Bible Study
March 30	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
March 30	7:00 p.m.	RCIA
March 31	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
March 31	9:00 a.m.	WINGS



WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS OF ST. VINCENT'S PARISH

Todd and Lisa Sorg, 3520 Winding River Court
 Mark and Kimberly Pohovey, 9812 Wellesley Boulevard
 Maureen and Paul Bietz, 10321 River Rapids Run
 Bruce and Mary Tierney, 217 W. Albion St., Avilla
 Stephen Santilli, 8106-3B Lakeside Court
 Lonnie Lothamer, 17319 Platter Parkway, New Haven
 Peter Anctoberger, 10210 Avalon Way #1
 Stephen and Amanda Thomas, 9723 Ballymore Drive
 Rob and Lynn Hanes, 1806 North Dewey Street, Auburn
 Jonathan and Melissa Thomas, 8103 Victoria Woods Place
 Theresa Hulbert, 10004 Dupont Lakes Dr., Apt. 2A
 Amy and Erik Herstad, 2823 Jacobs Creek Run
 Joe and Kristen Bader, 3521 Winding River Court
 Brian and Amy Dumford, 13808 Piedmont Cove
 Leslie and Scott Druhot, 2409 Sugar Tree Drive
 Nathan Proulx, 8808 Conway Court
 Joseph Girardot, 1515 Woodside, Apt. 8
 Ellah Lingao, 10029 Monticello Boulevard
 Peter and Denise Costello, 3223 Limerick Place
 Gary and Melissa Komrska, 1927 Falconview
 David and Amanda Keister, 6504 Squires Place
 Michael and Amy Marra, 5203 Chablis Court
 Sean Fosnaugh, 9828 Dupont Lakes Drive

BAPTIZED DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY

Mallory Marie DeWald, daughter of
 Joseph and Gina (Dilger) DeWald
 Megan Elise Wendt, daughter of
 Michael and Amy (Lawlor) Wendt
 William Lawrence Maciejewski, son of
 Michael and Teresa (Smethers) Maciejewski
 Sydney Taylor Spilker, daughter of
 Steven and Cristina (Cly) Spilker
 Alyssa Marie Mertz, daughter of
 Darrin and Susan (Hensler) Mertz



RE-MEMBERING CHURCH

at our St. Vincent parish is for inactive Catholics who are interested in exploring a return to active participation in the church, but it can also help active Catholics remember the roots of their faith. On 5 Thursdays during Lent (March 4, 11, 18, 25 & April 1), we will conduct Re-Membering sessions focusing on the Catholic Mass. No one who really understands the Mass would ever want to avoid full participation in the Mass. Come join us in the convent house meeting room at 7:00 p.m. each Thursday noted above. We will have a 30-minute presentation focused on a particular aspect of the Mass followed by time for discussion and questions about material presented. We will even have time to explore other questions you may have about the church and hear about the faith journey of a parishioner who was away from the church but has become an active Catholic again. Pray that the Holy Spirit will send a witness to touch the heart of each inactive Catholic. Pray for the courage to be the witness that will encourage an inactive Catholic to come back to the church. Call Tim Werling at 484-0067 or the church office at 489-3537 if you have questions about Re-Membering Church.

ATTN: CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH TEAMS 12-17-21-24

There will be a reunion on Saturday, March 6, beginning with Mass at 8:00 a.m. followed by reflection, breakfast and fellowship at 8:45 a.m. at the Old Country Buffet, Coldwater Crossing. RSVP – Keston Smith 490-7171.

MEN'S AGAPE

The Men's Agape Service will be this Friday, March 5th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH NEWSLETTER

Please pick up your Christ Renews newsletters in the Gathering Space after Mass today. Please note change in time for Holy Hour Saturday night. It will be from 8:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.