

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MARCH 21ST

*6:30 a.m. Doug Munson
8:00 a.m. Boyde Brown

TUESDAY, MARCH 22ND

*6:30 a.m. For Victims of Terrorist's Attacks
8:00 a.m. Lillian Billmeier

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23RD

*6:30 a.m. Ken Palmer
8:00 a.m. Julie Hatch ALL MASS

THURSDAY, MARCH 24TH

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

7:30 p.m. Robert Steele
William Palmer
Ellen Lindeman-Stalf

FRIDAY, MARCH 25

1:30 p.m. SOLEMN COMMEMORATION
OF THE LORD'S PASSION

SATURDAY, MARCH 26TH

EASTER VIGIL

7:30 p.m. For The Parish

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 27TH

7:15 a.m. Helen Hanley
9:00 a.m. Jim Fox
11:00 a.m. Harold Prell
12:45 p.m. Paul & Leo Botka

*CHAPEL



PASSION (PALM) SUNDAY

Today's blessing of the palm branches, combined with the proclamation of the Lord's Passion and Death, sets the keynote for the whole of Holy Week. May the blessed palms serve to remind us of what Christ endured for us.

MONDAY, MARCH 21

Mass schedule: *6:30 and 8:00 a.m.
Penance Service: 7:00 p.m. (13 priests hearing confessions)

TUESDAY, MARCH 22

Mass schedule: *6:30 and 8:00 a.m.
Sacrament of Penance: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Cathedral Chrim Mass at 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23

Mass schedule: *6:30 and 8:00 a.m. (ALL MASS)
Sacrament of Penance: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

* Chapel

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 24

The season of Lent ends in late afternoon. Morning prayer at 8:00 a.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. There is only one Mass scheduled, the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30 p.m. During this service, the feet of twelve persons will be washed, a reminder that we too must serve as Jesus did. A collection will be taken up for the poor by members of our St. Vincent de Paul Society. After Communion, the Blessed Sacrament will be taken to the Altar of Repose in the Spiritual Center Chapel for adoration until 11:00 p.m. Come and spend time in prayer with our Savior as He enters into His passion.

Sacrament of Penance: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 25

Morning prayer at 8:00 a.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. The Celebration of the Lord's Passion begins at 1:30 p.m. The service has three parts: the Liturgy of the Word, the Veneration of the Cross, and Holy Communion. Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence. For persons 18 to 59, only one full meal, no snacks. For persons 14 and older, no meat.

Sacrament of Penance from 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. and following Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m.

HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 26

Blessing of Easter Food Baskets in the Gathering Space at 9:00 a.m. Morning prayer at 10:00 a.m. in the Spiritual Center Chapel. The Easter Vigil Service begins at 7:30 p.m. This is the only Mass of the day, there is no 5:00 p.m. Mass. All will be invited to gather outside the church for the blessing of the new fire, weather permitting. At this service we will give great support to the men, women and children who have been preparing for many months now to be received into the Catholic Church. Following the service there will be a reception for our new Catholic Christians in the Gathering Space.

No Confessions on Holy Saturday.

EASTER SUNDAY

Mass schedule: 7:15, 9:00, 11:00 a.m. and 12:45 p.m. NO 6:00 p.m. Mass. (The adult choir will be singing at the Easter Vigil Mass only.) Baptismal promises will be renewed at each Mass followed by the sprinkling of the blessed Easter water. The Paschal Triduum ends Easter Sunday evening. The Easter season spans a period of fifty days ending with the feast of Pentecost.

EASTER SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE

For Easter Sunday only, the 12:30 p.m. Mass will be changed to 12:45 p.m. Also note that there will be no 6:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass.

ANNUAL CHRISM MASS TO BE CELEBRATED MARCH 22

The annual Chrim Mass will be held at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Fort Wayne, on Tuesday, March 22, at 7:30 p.m. Bishop John M. D'Arcy has invited all priests, sisters, brothers, deacons and lay people of the diocese to attend one of these Masses. The Bishop has indicated that this is one of the most important liturgical observances of the year and has urged all to attend. Refreshments and reception will follow the Mass.

HOLISTIC HEALTH MINISTRY NEWS

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

Free blood pressures will be taken after all Masses TODAY in the Reconciliation area.

USHERS NEEDED FOR HOLY WEEK

Ushers are needed for the Mass on Holy Thursday, the liturgy on Good Friday afternoon, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday. If you can help, please sign up in the ministries' sacristy or call the Ohlman's at 637-5377.



EASTER FLOWERS

Once again we are offering you the opportunity to donate Easter flowers in memory of a loved one. The suggested donation is \$10 per plant. We will remember the deceased at our Easter Masses. Place the money or check in an envelope along with the form below: (Please print)

Name of Loved One(s): _____

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Your Phone Number: _____

Donations: _____



**PASSOVER & EUCHARIST -
WHAT'S THE CONNECTION?**

Tune in to 'Catholic Answers Live' on AM Radio 1450 at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 25. 'Catholic Answers Live' airs each weekday at 5:00 p.m.

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

CELEBRATE ST. V – Monday, March 21, at 7:30 a.m. in the Spiritual Center
 HARVEST HOUSE – Monday, March 21, at 1:15 p.m. in the Spiritual Center
 DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY BOARD – Monday, March 21, at 7:00 p.m. in the Teachers Lounge
 TWO BY TWO BIBLE STUDY – Tuesday, March 22, at 8:30 a.m. in the East Meeting Room
 SHEPHERDS OF CHRIST – Tuesday, March 22, at 6:30 p.m. in the Reservation Chapel
 ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – Wednesday, March 23, at 8:00 a.m. in the Reservation Chapel
 WINGS – Wednesday, March 23, at 9:00 a.m. in the Spiritual Center

DIVORCED CATHOLIC SUPPORT GROUP

There will be NO MEETING on March 24. Members of the group are encouraged to meet in the Gathering Space and attend Holy Thursday Mass together.



Senior Adult Fellowship

PLANNING MEETING SCHEDULED FOR HARVEST HOUSE

St. Vincent Harvest House will meet Monday, March 21, 2005, at 1:15 p.m. at the Spiritual Center. We will plan our activities for the spring and summer. Please bring any suggestions you may have. We will

order pizza for a snack. Please RSVP to 482-2085 or 483-7252, so we will know how much to order. ALL SENIORS ARE WELCOME. Dues are \$5 per year.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – LAST SESSION – APRIL 28

Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, and Sacristans – mark your calendars for the last evening of reflection: Thursday, April 28 – Parish Hall. The reflection will be held at 7:00 p.m.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS

Attendance at two Baptismal Preparation Sessions is required before your child is baptized. They are Session I and Session II. You may attend Session II before Session I, if necessary. Each session will begin at 7:00 p.m. It is recommended that you attend before the birth of your child so that there will be no delay in setting a date for the baptism once the baby is born. Godparents, too, are welcome. Please call the church office to register for your sessions.

- SESSION I (East Meeting Room)
April 14 April 28
- SESSION II (Church Conference Room)
April 21

USHERS SCHEDULE FOR APRIL

- Saturday
 - 5:00 p.m. Tom Wood, Jay Leonard, Mark Eifert, Brian Fleming
- Sunday
 - 7:15 a.m. Larry Franck, Ken Eubank, Keith Amstutz, Tom Jones
 - 9:00 a.m. Don Miller, Marc Junk, Dennis Thelen, Joe Brown
 - 11:00 a.m. Paul Moreau, Roger Byers, Tom Osborn, Lowell Dusseau, Jesus Viduya
 - 12:45 p.m. Jim Coonan



SPECIAL COLLECTION ON GOOD FRIDAY

On Good Friday, we will be taking up a collection for the Church in Jerusalem and the Holy Land. This is the oldest standing collection in the Church's history, having been first taken up at the invitation of Paul, the Apostle. Our support will help maintain the holy shrines in the blessed land where our Lord lived and died for us.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION FOR ADULT AND TEENS



If you are of high school age or older, and have yet to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, you will need to attend the following scheduled weekly classes to prepare you for the reception of the sacrament. The classes will be held on Thursdays at 7 p.m. in the Convent Back Room beginning March 31 through May 5. Call Fr. Joe at the church office to sign up for the classes.

Bishop D'Arcy is scheduled to be at our parish on Monday, April 18, to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation.

RE-MEMBERING CHURCH

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.

Consider attending Thursday evening sessions during this Easter Season for catechesis and discussion about Catholicism. Father Joe and Marilyn Fech will host six Thursday evening sessions (March 31 – May 5) from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. in the Convent House meeting room. Session topics will include, but not be limited to: Jesus, Sacraments of the Church, Morality, the Bible, Church Tradition/History, and the Mass. Your questions will direct the sessions too. Call Tim Werling at 484-0067 or the church office at 489-3537 if you have questions about these Re-Membering Church sessions.

Note: Young adults in high school and other adults who want to be confirmed this Easter Season need to attend our Easter Season Re-Membering Church catechesis sessions. Contact Fr. Joe at 489-3537 if you want to be confirmed this Easter Season.

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Group Leaders

ATTENTION:
 LEADERS
 OF DISCIPLES
 IN MISSION

You should have received a packet in the mail with

- one 1-page diocesan survey for you the leader
- copies of a 1-page diocesan survey for each member (this can be filled individually or as a group)

Please return your responses to the parish office c/o Scott McLeish by April 2.

DISCIPLES IN MISSION GROUPS

In just a few weeks our third year will come to a close. We hope you have grown in insight and in devotion as you have explored the Scriptures each Lent.

INVITATION

If small group participation has been a moving experience for you and you would like to continue: YOU ARE INVITED to form a SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY with your DISCIPLES members, OR, Call my office to BE PLACED IN A COMMUNITY... a new one or an existing one ready for new members.

TRAINING

The leader of a Small Christian Community is called the pastoral facilitator. A training morning is scheduled for Saturday, April 23. Our training team, Tom Schuerman, Karen Reinhart and Keston Smith, are ready to help you start you and your community's SCC experience off well.

Sister Kay Jarema SSND, Pastoral Staff Liaison to Small Christian Communities (kjarema@yahoo.com) or 489-3537 Ext. 207

ATTENTION: CONTRACTORS

St. Vincent's is in need of clean fill dirt. Contact Jay at 750-3129.

ARE YOU MISSING YOUR FAVORITE DISH???

If you brought food to any function and are missing a dish, please pick it up in the Spiritual Center in the room across from the kitchen. If you find the Spiritual Center locked, stop by the Church Office. Also, if the dinner was in the Parish Hall, you will need to go there to pick up your dish. Thank you.

YOUTH MINISTRY CALENDAR

- March 20 Life Night
- March 22 Mass and Breakfast, 6:30 a.m.
Chrism Mass
- March 23 Ministry Hour, 7:15 p.m.
- March 24 Pray at Abortion clinic, 7 a.m.
Mass of the Lord's Supper w/dinner
before at the Life House
- March 25 Good Friday
- March 27 Easter, NO LIFE TEEN MASS or Life Night

"LAST SUPPER" DINNER

All High School Teens are invited to dinner at the Life House at 6:15 p.m. prior to going to Holy Thursday's Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30 p.m.

SCRAPBOOK MARATHON

Thank you to all the teens who helped with the Hatch Family memories. AND thank you, Dr. Hatch, for the opportunity and generous donation.

LIFE TEEN WEB SITE

Check out our own Life Teen web site: www.saintlifeteen.com thanks to Drew Westrick, our webmaster.

For information about St. Vincent Youth Ministry, contact Cindy Black at 637-7445 or Cblack@SaintV.org.

ENGLISH TUTOR/PROOFREADER AVAILABLE

English tutoring available for students of all ages. Proofreader looking for a position with a company, but also available on an individual basis. Please contact Greg at 485-4763.

HEALTH CAREERS OPEN HOUSE AT UNIV. OF ST. FRANCIS

The University of St. Francis will hold a Health Careers Open House on Saturday, April 9, from 9 a.m. to noon at the Doermer Family Center for health Science Education at the corner of Spring Street and Leesburg Road. Prospective students and their families will have the opportunity to talk with faculty, tour healthcare simulation labs, have transcripts evaluated for transfer credit, obtain financial aid information, and learn more about the many health care majors offered by the University of St. Francis. For further information, contact the Office of Admissions at 260-434-3279 or 800-729-4732.

BABYSITTING OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENT

I am looking for a student, high school or late junior high that lives around the St. Joe Township area for the occasional babysitting opportunity. I have two children, 11 and 2. If interested, please call Theresa at 486-9625.

CHILDREN'S STEWARDSHIP

- "Playing with and helping my baby sister." Madeline F.
- "I helped take out cans." Nicholas H.
- "I said sorry when I hurt someone." Joshua S.
- "Helped clean house." Elizabeth P.
- "Cleaned my room up without being asked." Rachel F.
- "Praying with my brother." Lilly M.
- "I saved money for my rice bowl." Samantha F.
- "Put my clothes away." Kate T.
- "Took care of the dogs." Katie B.
- "I was good at my friend's birthday party." Sam L.
- "Cleaned the upstairs." Kara C.
- "Helped take out trash." Justin R.

PARKVIEW YMCA

ANNUAL EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA

Don't miss out on this afternoon of fun! On March 26, from 2 - 4 p.m., we'll splash around the pool, play games, eat ice cream, & get a visit from the Easter Bunny! Join us for a hoppin' good time. All children under the age of 6 AND all non-swimmers must be accompanied in the water by an adult. YMCA members: \$10/first child, \$8/second + child. Non-YMCA members: \$13/child, \$8/second + child. Register now at the Parkview YMCA's front desk. For additional information, call Tina Smith at 497-9996 ext. 306.



CONFIRMATION RETREAT DATE SCHEDULED FOR TODAY

A retreat will be held for the Confirmation candidates who did not attend the fall youth rally. We will meet in the Spiritual Center on Sunday, March 20, at 2:00 p.m. The day will end with the Life Teen Mass at 6:00 p.m.

CONFIRMATION DATE SET

Confirmation will be Monday, April 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the church.

RELIGIOUS ED YEAR-END SCHEDULE

Sunday morning Preschool will meet for two more classes: March 20 and April 17.

Sunday afternoon Religious Ed year-end schedule for March, April, and May: March 20; April 17 and 24, and May 1, 8 and 15 (last class).

Wednesday evening Religious Ed year-end schedule for March, April, and May: March 30, April 13, 20, 27, and May 4, and 11 (last class).

COMMUNITY IN CHRIST: FLEXIBILITY

"A large portion of success is derived from flexibility."
— Alice Forte MacDougall

SCHOOL BOARD SEEKING CANDIDATES

The School Board serves as an advisory group to the Pastor and Principal. The Board meets the first Wednesday of each month August through June. Through prayer and the discernment of gifts, the Holy Spirit guides us in choosing parishioners who are called to this leadership position in our school community. If you are interested in serving a three-year term on the Board or can recommend someone, please call Ken Sorg, 637-4023, before April 20th to submit your name or nomination.



NOMINATIONS

TUITION ASSISTANCE FOR THE 2005-2006 SCHOOL YEAR

We are again using FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment to process and evaluate financial aid applications for the 2005-2006 school year. If you are interested in applying for Tuition Assistance, please pick up an application from the church or school office. Deadline for Tuition Assistance applications is March 31. Financial assistance is available to parents seeking a Catholic education for their child. However, it is necessary that the family demonstrate financial need.

SUNDAY SCRIP SALES SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, March 19-20, Scrip will be sold after Masses only. NO Scrip sales Easter Sunday, March 26-27, Spring Break, April 2-3, and Saturday, April 9. Sales will resume Sunday, April 10. Thank you for your support.

ST. VINCENT'S GARAGE SALE



The HASA-sponsored garage sale will be April 8th and 9th. Please start saving gently used clothes and toys for us. We will be putting the money toward a new mixer for the school kitchen. If you will be gone for spring break, you may drop items off on the Friday before. Any questions, please call Theresa Hughes at 484-7014.

CHEERLEADING COACH NEEDED

We are in need of a 6th grade cheerleading coach. If you can help, call Paul Cassabon at 750-3011 or 489-3537 Ext. 218.

JOHN ANGOTTI IN CONCERT - MAY 7TH

On May 7, at 7 p.m., John Angotti will be coming to St. Vincent's to perform his music in a concert in the church. John is a gifted songwriter and pianist. Mark your calendars now to attend!

YOUNG ADULT LIFE (21-40 Married/Single)

Our mission is to provide a social and spiritual setting for young adults (21-40, married and single) to meet others with similar interests and grow in our Catholic Faith through contemporary and engaging activities.

DISCIPLES IN MISSION

March 20 3:00 p.m. in the Life House
(We will study the Easter Readings)

MASS AND BREAKFAST

Join us at 9:00 a.m. Mass on March 20th. Afterwards we will meet for brunch at Cebollas by the Dupont Library.

VOLLEYBALL

Join us for Volleyball at St. Charles on Sunday, March 20th, at 7:00 p.m.

MEETING DATE CHANGE FOR

F.A.I.T.H. (FINDING ANSWERS IN THE HOLY SPIRIT)

Is a group which meets monthly for support and discussion regarding infertility. We will be discussing the Church's teaching on treatments, options and alternatives and support for this stressful journey. Our next meeting is March 30 at 7 p.m. at the Convent. Contact Amy Bartee 497-8257 or Julie Perkins at 416-0837 with questions.

NEEDED: MEN TO SERVE OTHERS

The Knights of Columbus is looking for Catholic men wanting to serve God and wanting to help others. St. Vincent's Knights of Columbus is committed to helping the parish, its priests, parishioners and community. Join the Knights of Columbus. Come to the meetings and volunteer in projects to serve others. God will bless you. For more information, call Joshua Burkhart at 486-0996.

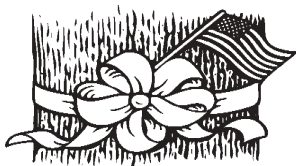


Men in Ministry

HELP US UPDATE OUR MILITARY SERVICE BULLETIN BOARD

We are asking for information for all our military service personnel. This will be used to update our military service bulletin board.

Please pick up one of the questionnaires located on the table by the church office.



PRAYERS FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY

If you have a family member who is serving in Iraq/Afghanistan or anywhere in the military and would like prayers for their intention, let the church office know - 489-3537. Their names will be published in the bulletin weekly.

Keep in your prayers:

HM3 Nicole Frantz Brooks
Tech Sgt. Andrew Frantz
Lance Cpl. Brian Crooks Spc.
Spc. Andrew Christman
Captain J. J. Ferguson
Travis Davis
Spc. Derrick C. McCann
Cpl Chad H. Pollitt
Staff Sgt. Thomas Putman
Pvt. Bradley Trowbridge
SR Donald Barge II
Sgt. Aaron Barton
Sgt. Joseph H. Sorg
Cpl. Jason Day
Sgt. Ryan Wenk
SRA Andrew Grashoff
Sgt. Tom Mason

Ensign Brandon Brooks
Lt. Teresa Frantz
Tony Christman
Lance Cpl. Jon Till
Pvt. Allen Callender
Spc. Sara McGinnis, Iraq
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Staff Sgt. Thomas Pettit
Adam Niemic
Sgt. Jerum Madarang
Sgt. Levi P. Sorg
Sgt. Michael Dixon
Travis Jaakkola, Iraq
Scott Krieg, Air Guard
Sfc Daniel McCrady
Sgt. Brian Mockenhaupt

CEMETERY NOTICE

All seasonal (winter) grave decorations are to be removed by March 28. The Maintenance Department will throw any remaining decorations away.



"COME TO THE WATER: THE ADULT JOURNEY TO BAPTISM"

Tune-in to "Come to the Water: The Adult Journey to Baptism," a one-hour documentary that follows both catechumens and candidates in the year-round RCIA process of adult education and initiation into the Catholic community, culminating with their baptism and reception into full communion with the Church at the Easter Vigil. Filmed on location in the Pacific Northwest and in the breath-taking interior of St. James Cathedral, the program is a vibrant and moving experience of the adult spiritual journey. Filmed by New Group Media, South Bend, who does video work throughout our diocese, the program is a part of the outstanding ABC "Vision and Values" series offered by the Interfaith Broadcasting Commission (IBC), which includes the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. Brought to you by the Catholic Communication Campaign, the program will air on WPTA-TV, Channel 21, from 12 noon to 1:00 p.m. on Easter Sunday.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY CELEBRATIONS AND MUCH MORE!

Divine Mercy devotions will be offered at St. Jude on Mercy Sunday, April 3. The Litany of Divine Mercy, a scripture reading and homily and Benediction will take place at 3:00 p.m. Confessions will be offered from 1:00 until 3:00.

OR

Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration will be held at Immaculate Conception Church, Auburn, Indiana

on April 3, 2005 at 2:00 p.m. Fr. Balzer and Fr. Schmitt will hear confessions from 2 - 3 p.m. Fr. Balzer will officiate the service of Divine Mercy. Refreshments and social hour will follow Divine Mercy in Parish Hall. For more information, contact John and Madeline Walburn at 260-925-0216 or 260-433-1791. Divine Mercy Nine-Day Novena will start on March 25 ending April 2.

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LINDENWOOD PROGRAMS AND RETREATS

For more information about upcoming events, call (574) 935-1780 weekdays, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., e-mail: lw@lindenwood.org; or website is www.Lindenwood.org.

March 22	Lenten Series
March 24-27	Triduum Retreat
April 8 - 10	12-Step Retreat - AA/AI-Anon
April 11	Quiet Day of Reflection
April 15-17	Beginning Experience
April 16	Seeds of the Spirit
April 17-22	Spring Elderhostel
April 22-24	Sent to Heal and Anoint: Advanced

PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL, SPAIN AND FRANCE

Join Father Daryl Rybicki, Pastor of St. John the Baptist Parish, Fort Wayne, and others on a 14-day pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes, and other shrines in Portugal, Spain, and France, April 8 - 21, 2005. Cost from Chicago is \$2,499 and includes travel expenses, accommodations in superior tourist class hotels (with private facilities), and two meals daily. Visit Santarem, Fatima, Avila, Zaragoza, Lourdes, Montserrat, Barcelona, and Madrid. For a tour brochure, please call 744-4393.

PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS MONASTERY

This pilgrimage is scheduled for May 17, 18, 19 and 20 to Our Lady of the Angels Monastery, Irondale, Alabama. We will be attending the EWTN live show on Wednesday evening. We will also be spending time at Mother Angelica's Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama. Breathtaking!! We are very blessed to have 4 priests traveling with us. For more details, call Charlene Derickson 639-3788 or Helen Hemrick 639-3895. Costs: 4 in room, \$203 each; 3 in room, \$216 each; 2 in Room, \$244 each; and 1 in room, \$326. Price includes bus and room.

RELIGIOUS PILGRIMAGE

On October 24, 2005, a 10-day Pilgrimage of Biblical Discovery to the Holy Land has been planned with Fr. Christopher Smith and Fr. John Cramer as co-hosts with Warren and Suzie Wilhelm. For more information, please call Warren and Suzie at (260) 485-0900.

MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD PRESCHOOL 2005-06 SCHOOL YEAR

Most Precious Blood Preschool is currently enrolling students for the 2005-2006 school year. Our Preschool offers programs for ages 3, 4, and 5. There are part-time and full-time openings. We also have latch key services for before and after school. Please call 424-4832 to receive additional information or stop in at the school.

QUEEN OF ANGELS SCHOOL ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS FOR PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN

Queen of Angels School is accepting registrations for both Preschool and Kindergarten for the 2005-2006 school year. Students may be registered for 3 year old, or 4 year old half day preschool and must have reached their 3rd or 4th birthday by September 1. Students may be registered for either a full day or half day kindergarten program and must have reached their 5th birthday by September 1. Please call 483-8214 for more information.



UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME CELEBRATION CHOIR

will perform a concert of sacred music for the Easter Season on Saturday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in downtown Fort Wayne. The concert is free and open to the public.

The concert will include variations on traditional hymns (with congregation participation), along with the music of Pergolesi, Bach, Farlee and others.

Strings, flute and trumpet will join with the Choir and the Notre Dame Hand Bell Choir for an uplifting Easter concert.

KEEPING IN SHAPE

Are you exercising and dieting, jogging, swimming, and playing tennis to stay fit and trim? What are you doing to keep your marriage in good shape? Why not try a Marriage Encounter weekend? For more information call Mike and Julie Roszkowski at 574-243-0743 or visit our web site at www.wme-ni.org. Upcoming weekends in April and June!

ENJOY SOME JAZZ DANCING

St. John the Baptist, 4500 Fairfield Ave., will host a Jazz Dance on Saturday, April 2, from 7 - 11 p.m. Music will be provided by "Bob Green Jazz." Free babysitting will be available (please call to register how many children will be coming); as well as a free ½ hour Fox Trot dance lesson provided by "American Style". Presale tickets are \$8 per person. Tickets at the door are \$10 per person. The price includes entertainment, food and soft drinks. Cash bar. Tickets can be purchased through St. John the Baptist office, 456-3321.

SAINTS ON THE SEAS

The second annual cruise departs from Fort Lauderdale on November 12th and sails to Grand Cayman and Jamaica. The cabin price starts at \$990 per couple. Space is limited. Don't miss out on the fun fund raiser for Bishop Dwenger High School. Contact Carol Cornell at Covington Travel at 432-5995.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT FOR HEALING AFTER ABORTION

If you or a loved one is suffering from an abortion, experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on a Rachel's Vineyard weekend. Our next retreat is offered April 8 - 10, 2005. It will be held in Bridgman, Michigan.

The weekend retreat will combine discussions, spiritual exercises, the sacrament of reconciliation, a memorial service and Mass. Participation is strictly confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness and compassion. For more information or registration, contact Sue at (269) 687-1581 or (269) 683-7831. E-mail: ndsue33@hotmail.com. The cost is \$160 for all meals, room, and all retreat materials. If you have a financial burden, financial assistance is available. The Holy Spirit really is fully present at these retreats and you will not leave the weekend without being spiritually affected. For a complete listing of retreat dates and locations, contact 1-877-HOPE-4M3 or visit the Rachel's Vineyard website at www.rachelsvineyard.org.

RETRouvaille...

A CHRISTIAN PEER MINISTRY FOR MARRIAGES

Is your marriage breaking your heart? Are you frustrated, hurt, angry? Are you constantly arguing or fighting? Do you feel cold, alone, distant? Do you feel disillusioned or bored? Are you thinking about separation or divorce? Have you given up on talking it out? RETROUVAILLE can help. For more information, call (800) 470-2230 or (260) 485-1944. All inquiries are confidential.

"ONCE UPON A TREE"

St. Charles Borromeo Adult Choir presents "Once Upon a Tree": a cantata on the Passion of Christ by Pepper Choplin on Wednesday, March 23, at 7:30 p.m. The performance will be in the church at 3700 Reed Road. Please join us for this musical reflection on Christ's Passion. For more information, please contact Ms. Karen Hope at 484-6570.

HARVEST HOUSE FALL TRIP

Harvest House seniors are sponsoring a motor coach trip. It will be September 12 thru September 15, 2005. This four-day trip goes to Lancaster, PA. Our main event is the sights and sound theater productions. This theater is well known for its awesome entertainment. For more information, call Jane Smith at 637-8889.

CUBS TRIP

A bus trip to see Chicago Cubs on July 17, 2005 has openings. If interested, please call Marlow Gump at 489-4811.



ALUMNI BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The Bishop Dwenger Alumni Assoc. is seeking teams for the inaugural Alumni Basketball League. Anyone interested should contact Shib Neddeff at 489-2485, ext. 480 or 493-2068 or e-mail at shibn@comcast.net. Cost is \$45 per person and each team must have at least four graduates from either Bishop Dwenger or Central Catholic. The season will begin on May 15, 2005.

ALL-CENTRAL CATHOLIC REUNION

The next meeting for the all-Central Catholic reunion will be Monday, March 28, at 7 p.m. in the Bishop Dwenger High School library, 1300 E. Washington Center Road in Fort Wayne. The reunion is scheduled for June 25, 2005. Cost is \$25 per person. For more information, contact Mary Lou (Thieme) Morris at (260) 485-6164 or Sylvia (Allen) Tjaden (260) 493-7499.

DAYTIME OFFICE CLEANING

Call Brenda at 373-0292.

ST. VINCENT EMPLOYERS-UNEMPLOYED LINK

Realizing that many people in our parish and area have lost their jobs and are looking, we want to help. We are asking you, as owners and managers of businesses in the area to:

— Send by TUESDAY MORNING, IN WRITING OR E-MAIL
(stvincentchurch@hotmail.com)

1. An open position you are aware of
 2. The name of the company and address
 3. The contact person and how to reach him or her
- God is in every part of our journey!

FULL-TIME, PART-TIME AND SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

Do you enjoy working with children and assisting them with their development? Lead Teacher and assistant teaching positions available. Qualifications: high school diploma; CDA required for full time Lead Teachers only. Stop by the Kiddie Prep School office for an application. Applications welcome Monday - Friday from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Located at 8611 Mayhew Road or contact Melanie at 485-7951.

NANNY POSITION AVAILABLE

We are in need of a nanny in our home for two boys, ages 6 and 2. This is a full-time, 40 hours per week, position. Qualifications: Non-smoker, reliable transportation and past childcare experience. References preferred. If you are interested, please call Heidi at 489-0268 or 705.5055.