

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 31ST

- *6:30 a.m. Special Int. Neilson Family
- 8:00 a.m. George & Mary McCarthy

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1ST

- *6:30 a.m. Micae Pham Hu Pham
- 8:00 a.m. Int. Evans Family

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2ND

- *6:30 a.m. Richard Mentzer
- 8:00 a.m. John Schall

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3RD

- *6:30 a.m. Int. Remenicky Family
- 8:00 a.m. Int. St. Louis Family

FIRST FRIDAY, AUGUST 4TH

- 8:00 a.m. Dolores Kleber

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5TH

- 8:00 a.m. Int. Rosary Society
- 5:00 p.m. Robert Miller

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6TH

- 7:15 a.m. Edward R. Van Gessel
- 9:00 a.m. Clarence & Concetta Egts
- 11:00 a.m. Joel Strausborger
- 6:00 p.m. For The Parish (Life Teen Mass)

*CHAPEL



SERVERS' SCHEDULE

(It is YOUR responsibility to find a replacement)

Saturday, August 5

- 8:00 a.m. Daniel Koehl, Michael Yoder
- 5:00 p.m. Thomas Coonan, Jeremy Gladieux
Monica Thomas, Victoria Roser

Sunday, August 6

- 7:15 a.m. Hannah Wright, Erinn Wright
Mitchell Schanbacher, Alexandra Schanbacher
- 9:00 a.m. Mackenzie Helmer, Quinton Lepper
Abigail Markley, John Reecer
- 11:00 a.m. Erin Boedeker, Justin Thelen
Bronson Hillman, Erin Grutsch

WEDDING BANS

"Please pray that the Lord will abundantly bless these couples as they prepare to take their marriage vows."

- III Matt Harber and Audrey Knake
- II Jeremy High and Jenna Graham
- I Nicholas Franger and Angela Lauer
- I John Nolan and Suanne Ziegler



MAY GOD GRANT ETERNAL LIGHT AND PEACE

to Jim Leazier, father of James Leazier; Ruth Lofland, mother of Elaine Weber; Michael Biggens, brother of Mary Till; Rita Sebaugh, sister of Michael Pranger; Virginia Hunsberger, grandmother of Michael Oberley; Marie Minnick, mother of Delores Hull; Nancy Badiac; Rosemary O'Connor, spouse of Edmund O'Connor; Lawrence Little, brother of Evelyn Siegel; Roy Sordelet, spouse of Jane Sordelet and father of Matthew Sordelet.



LOST AND FOUND

Found: Medjugorje rosary in the Nursery restroom. Call the church office.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES

Pictorial directories are in. If you had your picture taken, stop by the church office Monday through Friday, 8:30 – 4:00 p.m., to pick it up. Extra directories are available for sale for \$20.

FROM THE PASTOR



Dorothy Schuerman of our parish has agreed to serve on the parish staff as a Pastoral Associate, replacing Sister Kay Jarema. She will begin her pastoral ministry on August 1, 2006.

Dorothy and her husband Tom have been faithful and active members of the parish for 29 years. They have two children, Beth and Ben, both in college. Dorothy has a degree from IPFW, having majored in sociology with a minor in psychology. She also has a Masters in Business from IPFW.

She and her husband Tom served on the original core team of our Small Christian Communities and have remained active in this parish ministry. In addition to directing our Small Christian Communities ministry, Dorothy will be volunteer coordinator, serving as the parish staff liaison to parish volunteer ministries such as liturgical ministers, task oriented parish groups and organizations. She will also direct our parish missions when scheduled and other programs of evangelization.

I am confident that Dorothy will embrace her new responsibilities with competency and enthusiasm, and I look forward to working with her as she serves on the pastoral staff. I know you will give her your full support.

Father Jonas Benson Okoye gave a mission appeal two weekends ago, preaching at all of the Masses. Speaking on behalf of the Diocese of Awka in Nigeria, Africa, of which he is a priest, Father Jonas asked for our financial help and prayers. Your response to this appeal was most generous: \$21,888.12 has been collected to date. Thank you very much! Fr. John

GOSPEL OF JOHN CATECHESIS

For those who are interested, I will be leading a study of the Gospel of John. We will examine the symbolism (how the sacraments of Baptism and Eucharist are shown throughout, etc.), history, teachings and various other elements of this gospel. We will meet in the Gathering Space of the church from 7 – 8:30 p.m. If you didn't make the first two you can still join us for the remaining session. The date of the meeting will be Tuesday, August 1. Please join us if you are able for what should prove to be a fruitful time for us all. Deacon Jason Freiburger

COFFEE & DONUTS COORDINATOR NEEDED

St. Vincent's is in need of a new coffee and donuts coordinator for the fall. Coffee and donuts will begin in September after Labor Day and end in the spring. The coordinator will need to organize the schedule. It is not necessary to work every weekend; there are plenty of volunteers to help you. This is a great hospitality ministry for any Small Christian Community or for a family. If interested, please call the church office at 489-3537.

CHILDREN'S WORKERS NEEDED **CHILDCARE NEEDED FOR WINGS**



WINGS (Women In God's Service) is looking for childcare teachers/substitute teachers. We meet on Wednesday's from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. The pay is \$15 per Wednesday. If you would like to help, please call Carrie Adams at 627-3208.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday, 12 – 6 p.m. and Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. "Jesus transforms a white particle into Himself everyday in order to communicate His life to you. What's more, with a love that is greater still, He wants to transform you into Himself!" –St. Therese of Lisieux

WHY GIVE BLOOD?

Blood availability is a preparedness issue. Blood must be on the shelf, ready and available for every day personal emergencies and large-scale man made or natural disasters. The key to community preparedness is regular donation.

CATHOLIC ANSWERS LIVE

Tune in July 31st at 7:00 p.m. to hear Fr. John Amsberry and Bob Schrimpf discuss and answer your questions about Catholic Youth Ministry. The encore will be rebroadcast the next morning at 7:00 a.m. Tune in and listen to Catholic Answers every weekday from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Redeemer Radio – Catholic Radio 1450 AM WLYV.

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY – Monday, July 31, at 7:00 p.m. in the East Room
 SHEPHERDS OF CHRIST – Tuesday, August 1, at 6:30 p.m. in the Reservation Chapel
 GOSPEL OF JOHN STUDY – Tuesday, August 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the Gathering Space
 ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – Wednesday, August 2, at 8:00 a.m. in the Reservation Chapel
 SCHOOL BOARD – Wednesday, August 2, at 6:30 p.m. in the Activity Center Room
 ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – Sunday, August 6, at 12:00 p.m. in the Reservation Chapel
 REKINDLE THE FIRE – Sunday, August 6, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall

REKINDLE THE FIRE

Parishioners Eric Parlin and Derek Pillie will teach us about the Sacrament of Holy Orders on Sunday, July 30th, from 7 – 9:30 p.m., in the Parish Hall. All men of the parish are welcome for bible study, sacraments and a personal reflection.



HASA MEETING REMINDER

HASA (St. Vincent School's Home and School Association) is having its first meeting of the school year on Tuesday, August 8 at 7:00 p.m. in the teachers' lounge. HASA is a great way to get involved in your child's school. Let's get together and plan an exciting time for our kids for the upcoming school year. Hope to see you then!

Fall Trip for Seniors



HARVEST HOUSE TRIP TO MISSOURI

Harvest House Seniors are sponsoring a motor coach trip...it will be from September 11 to September 15, 2006. This five day trip is to Branson, Missouri. We will see Andy Williams and Petula Clark, along with other shows and sights. If you are interested in joining us, please call Jane Smith at 637-8889 for more information.

ALL FAMILY ROSARY

The first Sunday rosary for All Families will be at MacDougal Chapel on Sunday, August 6, from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. with Father Tom Kodakassery from St. John's New Haven and Sister Rita Musante from Victory Noll attending. All are welcome.

END OF SUMMER FEST

St. Joseph Parish, Fort Wayne, Friday, August 18, beginning with our Teen Open Mic/Coffee House Nite. On Saturday, August 19, there will be lots of great food, games for all ages, raffles, and a rock and roll dance with the Junk Yard Band, a great way to wrap up the end of summer. Call the St. Joe parish office at 432-5113 for more information or to purchase tickets for the dance.

UNIVERSITY OF SAINT FRANCIS HOLDS

OPENING CONVOCATION MASS

The University of Saint Francis will hold its Opening Convocation and Mass on Wednesday, August 30, at 11 a.m. in Hutzell Athletic Center. Students, faculty and staff will be in attendance at this annual event that inaugurates the beginning of the academic year. The celebrant will be Bishop John D'Arcy, along with the university's new Chaplain, Father John Stecher. Following the Convocation and Mass, the campus community will join in a picnic lunch together on the lawn outside Hutzell. For more information, call the President's Office at 434-3297.



CHRISTOPHER WEST TO SPEAK IN VAN WERT

Come hear Christopher West's discussion about "God, Sex, and the Meaning of Life, an Introduction to Pope John Paul II's Theology of the Body". Christopher West will be at St. Mary of the Assumption Church in Van Wert, Ohio, on September 18, from 7 – 9:30 p.m. This seminar is free. Please contact the St. Mary's Rectory at 419-238-3979 for more information. You may also learn more about Christopher West at his website: www.christopherswest.com.

YOUTH MINISTRY

July 30 Return from CYX
 No Life Night



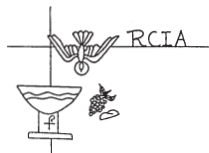
CATHOLIC CONCERT

Frankie and the Holy Rollers open for Pople at St. Aloysius Summerfest in Yoder. The event is from 7 – 11 p.m. on Friday, August 11, at the St. Aloysius Activity Center. Presale tickets for \$6 each are available with a limited number of t-shirts to the first 200 callers by contacting Christy Gunkel at 260-638-4960. Tickets will also be available at the door. St. Aloysius is located south of I-469, exit 6, on State Road 1, Yoder.

AMARE VITAM ROCK-N-SOUL FEST

Saturday, August 19, Michigan City. Fr. Stan Fortuna, Crispin and more. It will rock, so be there or be square! This is an all-day (11 a.m. to 11 p.m. CST) Catholic music festival and will include events for the entire family, featuring a Vigil Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, opportunity for Confession, speakers, and some of the best Catholic recording artists. For those interested in registering for the event, tickets are available online at <http://www.catholicyouthconcert.org>. If you would like to order via mail, please download the ticket order form from the website, and mail your form and a check to Amare Vitam, 61850 Crumstown Trail, North Liberty, IN 46554, or just send a note with the number of tickets, mailing information, check or money order. Order early and save (\$10 per adult – 11 and up; \$5 for 3 to 11). Purchase 10 and receive one free ticket. If you have any questions, call 574-232-7047 or contact Rachel at 574-210-3104 or leave a message.

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



RCIA

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church, its teachings and traditions, you may want to consider the RCIA. For more information, please call the church office at 489-3537, and ask for Judy.

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)
 August 23
 Session II (Church Conference Room)
 August 17

CALLING ALL PARISHIONERS!

GOD wants YOU to be all you can be. Come join us for a weekend of reaching out and getting closer to God at the Women's or Men's Christ Renews His Parish retreat being held on September 23/24 and September 9/10. While renewing your faith and spirituality you will also enjoy fun, food and fellowship. Contact Tammy Barger at 341-3021 to make reservations for the Women's retreat and Tom Loogman at 490-7158 to make reservations for the Men's retreat.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR CHILDREN (RCIC)

If your child is over the age of eight years old and not baptized or baptized in another faith and interested in the Catholic faith, please contact Cyndi Wolf at 489-3537. We welcome inquiries about the program year-round. If your child is over the age of eight and baptized Catholic, but in need of the sacraments of First Communion and/or Confirmation, we are enrolling now for next year's program.

CHILDREN'S STEWARDSHIP

"I helped pack and unpack for our vacation." Sydney N.
"Helping to watch our new dog, Jack." Danielle S.
"I helped my sister with breakfast." Courtney C.
"I set the tent." Logan B.
"I helped my mom babysit the twins." Samantha M.
"I was patient." Kyle N.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

SUMMER VACATION

Religious Education classes will resume in September. Watch the bulletin for dates and meeting times in the fall. Attend Mass and pray regularly with your family during the summer months.

SEEKING NEW CATECHISTS

Now that the catechetical year is finished, we begin looking ahead to the fall when classes resume. Several catechists who have shared their love of our Catholic faith for a number of years are retiring or taking a well-deserved respite from Religious Education. Replacements are needed. Please begin to pray about and consider teaching a class. Sunday classes meet from 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. and Wednesdays from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. Call Beth at 489-3537 ext. 204.

FIRST COMMUNION PICTURES

The pictures of the First Communicants taken by Lifetouch photographers have arrived. They are in the East Room off the Gathering Space on the counter. Read the labels carefully and take only the envelope belonging to you. The photos are separated according to attendance on Wednesday or Sunday Religious Ed.



NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA

Wanted: Part-time kitchen help.
Apply at the church office.

Kitchen Help

PART-TIME HELP WANTED MAINTENANCE DEPT.

To clean church. Flexible hours.
Apply at the Church Office.



SCHOOL NEWS

We have openings in all grades except 2nd for the 2006-2007 school year. If you are interested in sending your student(s) to St. Vincent's, please call the school office at 489-3537, ext. 212.

Orientation Day will be August 14 from 9 – 2 p.m. Stop by anytime that day to see class lists. First Day for Students is August 16 from 7:45 – 11:30 a.m.

School Office Summer Hours:
July 31 Office Closed
August 1 Office Reopens

TOOLS FOR YOUR SCHOOL

Jefferson Pointe is excited to announce its first annual Tools for your School Program. Your school can win up to \$5,000. All you have to do is bring your receipts dated July 30 – September 30 to the management office. Each dollar you spend counts as a point. The management office will record all the school points. At the end of the program the top three schools with the highest dollar per student ratio will win prizes.

SCRIP SALE NOTICE

Scrip will be available every Saturday at the 5:00 p.m. Mass and Sunday from 8 a.m. – 11 a.m. and after the Life Teen Mass. Thanks for your support!

SUMMER TUTOR AVAILABLE

Does your child need help with reading, spelling, penmanship or math? Experienced. Call Maurine at 489-8397.

CROSS COUNTRY RUNNERS WANTED

An invitation for all 5th – 8th grade St. Vincent students, not participating in a fall sport, but want some athletic conditioning for winter or spring sports: Try cross country. It builds endurance and gives you a sense of accomplishment. If you want to sign up, call Paul Cassabon at 750-3001 or at the school, 489-3537, ext. 218.



FALL SPORTS REGISTRATION

All 5th – 8th grade students at St. Vincent's, planning on participating in a fall sport, must have their forms, physicals and fees turned in by August 1. The sports fees are \$30 for football and volleyball, \$15 for cross country, and \$45 for cheerleading (check payable to St. Vincent Athletics). The CYO consent form, the St. Vincent Athletic consent form and the physical form (to be signed by your doctor) are available in the school office. These forms and fees must be sent to Mary DePrez at 12924 Columa Bay, 46845 by August 1. If you have any questions, call 471-1113.

SHOPPING ADVENTURE

St. Vincent's Home and School Association is sponsoring a bus trip to Chicago's Magnificent Mile to "Shop 'til we Drop!" The trip will be Saturday, November 11, and is for adults only. Cost per person is \$40 and includes a continental breakfast. We will leave St. Vincent's at 6:00 a.m. and return by 11:00 p.m. Any questions call Ann Gray, Beth Kleber or Rhonda Noll. Please email reservation requests to TheNollFamily@verizon.net. Be sure to make your reservations NOW - seating is limited!



PARKVIEW YMCA PRESCHOOL

The Parkview YMCA is now offering morning and afternoon options for Preschool. The YMCA utilizes the "Creative Curriculum", a nationally developed program that offers preschoolers learning through spirit, mind, and body. Four and five year olds can meet on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday in either the morning or afternoon. The two and three year olds meet Tuesdays and Thursdays. Enroll now for the 2006-2007 Parkview YMCA Preschool. For more information pick up a brochure at the YMCA or contact Tina Finet at 497-9996 or tina_finet@fwymca.org.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY



If you have a family member who is serving or working 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
Sgt. Andrew Christman
PSC Anthony G. Schuckel
Travis Davis
PFC Justin Harber
Staff Sgt. Matthew R. Stier
Staff Sgt. Thomas Pettit
Adam Niemic
Sgt. Jerum Madarang
Sgt. Eric Derheimer
Sgt. Michael Dixon
Sgt. Keith Koch
Scott Krieg, Air Guard
PO1 Jeremy Waldschmidt
PFC Justin Harber
LTJG Brandon Flores
PFC Matthew Clarke

Ensign Brandon Brooks
Lt. Teresa Frantz
Spc. Tony Christman
Cpl. Jon Till
Sgt. Ben Hermann
Spc. Derrick C. McCann
Cpl. Chad H. Pollitt
Staff Sgt. Thomas Putman
Pvt. Bradley Trowbridge
Staff Sgt. Ryan C. Puckett
Major Martin L. Fair
Sgt. Rob Niemeyer
Lance Cpl. Jason Day
Lance Cpl. Matt Vincent, Jr.
Lt. Col. Scott Gmitter
Sgt. Joshua Wolfgram
1st Lt. (LTJG) Spencer Seufert
LTJG Melissa Flores

JOIN ST. CHARLES BRIDGE GROUP

St. Charles Bridge is looking for bridge players for 2006-07 for fun and fellowship. Couples and singles welcome - both regular players and substitutes. We play once a month between September and November and January and May. For additional information call Ralph Violette, 490-9957 or 414-9503.

August



CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR AUGUST

August 1	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
August 1	7:00 p.m.	Gospel of John Study
August 2	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 2	6:30 p.m.	School Board
August 2	6:00 p.m.	RCIC
August 6	12:00 p.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 8	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
August 8	7:00 p.m.	A.D.O.P.T.
August 8	7:00 p.m.	HASA
August 9	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 9	6:00 p.m.	RCIC
August 14	9:00 a.m.	School Orientation Day
August 15	7:00 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
August 16	7:45 a.m.	First Day of School
August 16	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 16	6:00 p.m.	RCIC
August 16	7:00 p.m.	Christ Renews His Parish Continuation
August 17	7:00 p.m.	Baptismal Preparation II
August 18	6:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast
August 20	12:00 p.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 20	7:00 p.m.	Rekindle the Fire
August 21	7:00 p.m.	Buildings & Grounds
August 22	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
August 23	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 23	6:00 p.m.	RCIC
August 23	7:00 p.m.	Parish Nurse
August 23	7:00 p.m.	Baptismal Preparation I
August 24	7:00 p.m.	Back to School Night
August 26	9:00 a.m.	NFP Class #1
August 27	12:00 p.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 28	7:00 p.m.	St. Vincent de Paul Society
August 29	6:30 p.m.	Shepherds of Christ
August 29	6:45 p.m.	RCIA
August 30	8:00 a.m.	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
August 30	6:00 p.m.	RCIC

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS OF ST. VINCENT'S PARISH

Susan Smith, 632 Northwest Passage Trl.
Doris Eiden, 2355 Woodland Trail
Sean Kirk, 2649 Northgate Blvd.
Christine Jasper, 10518 Lone Eagle Way
George Ndungu, 9836-1B Dupont Lakes Drive
Kevin and Jamie Mann, 815 Island Cove Court
John and Lori Hoover, 11128 Rockaway Drive
Paul and Jennifer Muschell, 17407 Juniper Lane
Thomas and Jennifer Harning, 4541 Craftsby Circle
Dian Sullivan, 12149 Cross Winds Way
Sarah Laib, 516-2 Wallen Hills Dr.
Giles and Traci Eke, 2710-8 Northgate Blvd.
Betsy Sullivan, 404 Wallen Hills Dr.
Margaret Metzinger, 925 Sailors Cove



CHILDCARE NEEDED

Childcare needed for twin boys, 8 months old, one day a week (preferably Thursdays) from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Starting September 7th. References required. Please contact Kim at 416-0224 (evenings), 497-8101 (daytime work), or 705-2465 (cell anytime).

IN NEED OF CHILDCARE?

Accepting children for a full time childcare in a positive, safe, Christian environment. Previously experienced from infants to 9 years old. CPR certified. References available upon request. Call Stacey at 637-3308.

CARPENTERS FOR HIRE

Need a new roof, siding, deck or room addition? Experienced father and son team. Reasonable rates. Call Bob at 489-8397 or 416-4014.

BAPTIZED DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE

Lindsey Ping Xia Pesa, daughter of Paul C. and Jennifer L. (Augustine) Pesa
Madison Elaine Shelburne, daughter of Jeffery B. and Stacy D. (Michael) Shelburne
Anna Caroline Wright, daughter of Chad V. and Lesley N. (Bloom) Wright
Derek Kyle Franke, son of Kyle M. and Kim T. (Nguyen) Franke
Marlee Laine Brimner, daughter of John M. and Michelle R. (Wyss) Brimner
Vincent Joseph Derheimer, son of Eric T. and Jacqueline A. (Biggs) Derheimer
Eric Stanley Dumford, son of Brian G. and Amy L. (Bohart) Dumford
Jordyn Hailey Fech, daughter of Christopher B. Fech and Samantha Jo Coleman
Emma Pauline Fruchey, daughter of Ryan S. and Gretchen A. (Uphoff) Fruchey
Marissa Grace GeRue, daughter of Michael G. and Angela K. (Wozniak) GeRue

A MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND IS FOR ALL MARRIED COUPLES!



A common misconception is that a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is for couples who are having difficulty in their marriage. In actuality, it is for couples who want to make good marriages into great marriages! Want a great marriage? Call Mike & Julia Roszkowski at 574-243-0743 for more information or visit our website at www.wwme-ni.org for more information. There is still room available for the September 22-24 weekend in South Bend and for the November 17-19 weekend in Fort Wayne.

A WOMEN'S RETREAT WITH JULIAN OF NORWICH

Presented by Sister Rosellyn Theisen, SND
Need a boost? A little time to yourself? Direction? Meet Lady Julian, an anchoress, a spiritual guide and counselor. She comforted the sorrowing and discomfited the complacent. Julian's influence became a river of faith for those seeking God. She is a warm and approachable companion for the mystical journey.

Date: August 25 -27, 2006

Place: Lial Retreat Center for the Sisters of Notre Dame, Toledo, Ohio, a sacred space and place of natural beauty located 85 miles from Fort Wayne near White House, Ohio.

Cost: \$125 includes program and materials, 2 nights lodging and all meals

Register: \$40 Deposit by August 18th. Check made payable to Michelle Lallow 489-6921 or Pam Vincent 489-6276. Call with questions. Don't miss this time away!!

PRAYER AND CONTEMPLATION WITH CLAY - AUG. 14-18

Spend a week working with clay and with contemplation. You do not need to have experience with clay to make this retreat. Jerry Lapp who has taught art at Eastern Mennonite University for a number of years will be your presenter for this week. For more information or for registration call John XXIII Center in Hartford City (765) 348-4008.

TOO BUSY TO PRAY - AUG. 24

Come together with a group of people two Thursday afternoons or evenings a month to journey together in prayer. Afternoon sessions are from 1:30 - 3:30, evening sessions are from 7 - 9 p.m. There will be opportunities for faith sharing, shared prayer and suggestions for praying based on Scripture. Various methods of prayer will be presented as well as a chance to experience different prayer rituals. You will go home each week with ideas on how to pray while you are in your own environment. This is a 20-week session lead by Sr. Joetta Huelsmann, PHJC. Call John XXIII Center for more information or registration (765) 348-4008.

UPDATED LIST OF PANTRY ITEMS

A food box for St. Vincent de Paul Society's pantry is placed in the west wing of the Gathering Space. We will continue to regularly post items needed to supply the pantry. Our current needs are JELLY, PEANUT BUTTER, CRACKERS, SPAGHETTI SAUCE, CANNED FRUIT, and CANNED MEATS: although, any donations are appreciated. We cannot accept perishable items, e.g. fresh vegetables. Again, we wish to thank you for your support in helping us feed the poor of our community. Your response has been GREAT!

HANDS OF HOPE UKRAINE ORPHAN HOSTING PROJECT

Host Families urgently needed for 13 Ukrainian Orphans ages 7 – 12 who will arrive in Fort Wayne on around August 16th and depart on early September. If your family is interested in adopting then this is the opportunity of a lifetime – giving a child a chance at a future! We are also needing Host Homes and help with entertainment for Orphanage directors and translators. For more information, please contact Lydia Tarr, 317-332-9411 or go to www.adoptionadventure.com.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

St. Vincent de Paul Store needs several volunteers to cashier Monday's, Tuesday's, and Wednesday's. Store hours are 9 – 5 p.m. Choose your own hours. Call 456-3561 or stop in at 1600 South Calhoun Street.

PARISHIONERS SEEKING EMPLOYMENT

We, at St. Vincent's, would like to assist active, registered members in their search for employment in these difficult economic times. We ask employers who could use someone with the specific trades noted to give consideration to the following individual: Male, 52, looking for full-time employment. Have over 20 years of restaurant experience and can also run a cash register. If you can help, please call Tim at 490-2291.

This is a service to assist and not an endorsement from St. Vincent de Paul Church.

BISHOP DWENGER CLASS OF 1986 20TH REUNION

Committee is now planning events for class of '86 reunion, scheduled for the weekend of **August 12, 2006** (revised date). We need current addresses/email of graduates! Please email your updated information to us at Kmb5119@gmail.com. Please pass this information on to any family members or friends from the class of '86!

CLASS OF '71 REUNION

Central Catholic High School Class of '71 reunion is August 19. Contact Sam & Sue Ann Till, 482-9623.

CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

ALL CLASS GOLF OUTING

The Central Catholic High School Class of 1961 is hosting an All Class Golf Outing on Friday, September 22, at Brookwood Golf Course on the corner of Ferguson Road and Bluffton Road. Tee time will be at noon. Please arrive by 11 a.m. Price is \$35 per person. It includes 18 holes of golf and golf cart. Beverage cart will be available. Pair up your own foursome or we will place you. Of course, ladies are welcome! To make reservations, call Bill Sorg at 638-4554.

CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1961

will celebrate their 45th class reunion on September 23rd at the Grand Wayne Center in Fort Wayne at 6:00 p.m. Loren "Klemm" Connell, OFM, will celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 5:00 p.m. for the deceased members of our class at St. Mary's Catholic Church. If a class member has not received their invitation or may have any questions regarding the reunion, please call Rita Jansen King at 747-5049.