

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

January 30/31, 2010

Mass Intentions For The Week

Monday	Feb. 1	7:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer
Tuesday	Feb. 2	6:00 p.m.	Betty Kissel
Wednesday	Feb. 3	7:00 a.m.	Jean Lutz
Thursday	Feb. 4	7:00 a.m.	Bob May
Friday	Feb. 5	7:00 a.m.	Frank Ryan
Saturday	Feb. 6	6:00 p.m.	Millie Buckman
Sunday	Feb. 7	7:00 a.m.	Robert Ziller
		11:00 a.m.	Marge White

Sunday, Jan. 31– Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Catholic Schools Week!

- Religious Ed from 9:30 - 10:45 a.m.
- RCIA in the Celestin Center from 9:15-10:45 a.m.
- Adult Volleyball from 6-8 in Gym. All adults welcome.

Monday, Feb. 1 –

- Joseph'ines at 9:00 a.m. in the Celestin Center.

Tuesday, Feb. 2 –

- Men's Basketball at 7:00 p.m. in Gym. All men welcome.

Wednesday, Feb. 3 - Choir Rehearsal from 6:30-8 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 4 - Blessed Mothers Prayer Group 6:15 p.m. in the Chapel.

Friday, Feb. 5 -Church Cleaning Crew #5 Gail Riedford, Mary Kay Turner, Karla Wade.

Saturday, Feb. 6

- Children's Choir in Church from 1-2:30 p.m.

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Dear Folks,

Writer Tom McGrath tells this story of two brothers. It seems appropriate on the weekend when we hear St. Paul's great letter about love.

Jeffrey's brother Jesse was slow. Though Jesse was two year's older, he acted years younger than Jeffrey. He had suffered brain damage at birth and would never progress past the mental maturity of a 4-year-old.

He always wanted to hang out with Jeffrey, and Jeffrey was usually willing to have him tag along, but not this day. Some of the cool guys from school asked Jeffrey to hang out with them, and he just wanted the chance to get to know them on his own. And then Jesse showed up. And Jeffrey's new friends didn't treat him well. They were gruff to him and rude. They didn't stop to answer his questions like other friends who knew him. In fact they were mean. Jeffrey's stomach was churning as he stood with his friends.

The group was going to go sledding and didn't want Jesse to slow them down. "Let's lose the loser," said one of the guys. Another said, "Yeah, what's he good for, anyway?"

"Hey!" said Jeffrey as he went and stood next to his brother. He put an arm around him. "He's good at loving people," he said. "Unlike some, he's not rude and mean. He loves people. That's what he's good for." And the two brothers turned and left for home.

Father Ron



Gifts for God

Jan. 23/24 2010 Collection \$6,901.75
Thank you!!! Total Haiti Collection: \$3,661.81
Fiscal Year to date: \$190,554.72

Liturgical Ministers for next week:

6:00 p.m. Saturday, February 6

Lector: Joe Cochran
Hosts: Presider, Linda Jennings, Bob Gibson
Cup: Mark Wade, Terry Theys, Ary Jennings
Presenters: Emory Koberstein Family
Servers: Frank Creedon, Daniel Mayer, Adriana Davis
Head Usher: Marion Koberstein
Greeters: Alan Weiss, Jeff Binhack, Charles Ingram

7:00 a.m. Sunday, February 7

Lector: Dan Gilbert
Hosts: Presider, Wanda Stephens, Rick Coleman
Cup: Mark Wade, Ed Alldredge, Sue Alldredge
Presenters: Clarence Weber Family
Servers: Mark Turner, Kale Christy, Matthew Dove
Head Usher: Gil Karcher
Greeters: John Jaquemai, Mark Wade, Bruce Wheatley

11:00 a.m. Sunday, February 7

Lector: Ashley Shoultz
Hosts: Mark Wade, J. D. Wildt, Jennifer Schneider
Cup: Presider, Martha Wethington, Debbie Neufelder
Presenters: Confirmation Class
Servers: Justin Wildt, Hannah Tuley, Emily Fortner
Head Usher: Joseph Hurst
Greeters: Confirmation Class
CLW: Mary Collins & Debbie Bateman

SCRIPS

6:00 p.m. Mass Saturday, February 6 Tamrun Sokeland
7:00 a.m. Mass Sunday, February 7 Pat Kermode
11:00 a.m. Mass Sunday, February 7 Karen Fischer

**PLEASE CONTACT PAT KERMODE IF YOU CAN'T WORK
YOUR SCHEDULED TIME AT 664-5496.**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #1131

Large Rummage Sale, Sat. Feb. 6th from 8-2 p.m. located at the K of C Hall, 313 W. Broadway, Princeton. Remember one's trash is someone else's treasure! Food will also be available. The proceeds will help fund activities and donations for the club. For more info call 385-5732.

Bake Sale table at the Rummage Sale with the proceeds going to Haiti 3 Angels Children's Relief Fund. To donate to the Bake Sale or for more information call Tina Riley at 385-4608 or bring donations to the Club on Friday 2-5 p.m.

Lenten Fish Fry's February 19, 26, March 5 beginning at 5:00 p.m. at the K of C. Carry-outs available.

PRE-ORDERED SANDY'S PIZZAS will be available for pick-up on Monday, February 1st from 3:00 p.m. till 6:00 p.m. in the Celestin Center. If you are not able to pick up your pizzas at this time, you must call the Parish Office at 385-2617 to arrange another time. Thank You! Thank You! to all those who participated in this fundraiser. Students raised over \$1200.00 to support a variety of youth activities and projects. If you missed placing your order for delicious Sandy's Pizza, stop by the Celestin Center on Monday between 3:00 and 6:00 p.m. We ordered extras!!

MISSION TRIP TO APPALACHIA

Nineteen students and five adults from St. Joseph and Blessed Sacrament parishes have offered their energy and expertise this summer to assist the people of Appalachia. Please begin to pray now for the success of this Mission Trip scheduled for June 13-18.

The next Mission Trip meeting for all those planning to attend is February 7th at 5:00 p.m. in the Celestin Center. Plans for the "That's Italian!" fundraiser will be discussed.

BAPTISM PREP

Parents preparing for their child(ren)'s Baptism must attend a Baptism Prep class offered by the parish. The next class is Sunday, February 7th at 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Call the Parish Office at 385-2617 to register.

SHARE A RIDE MINISTRY

We currently have an opening for the month of August. If you can pick up 1 person who lives in Princeton to bring to Church during that month, please call the Parish Center at 385-2617 to volunteer. (It doesn't matter what Mass you attend) This ministry has 12 families who share their ride to Church and are assigned one month out of the year. Thank you to all those helping with this important ministry.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Jan. 31-Feb. 5 Catholic Schools Week

- Monday** - Can you find the Wildcat Spirit Stick? Wear your favorite Hoosier team sportswear.
- Tuesday** - Get up and move day! Music will be played periodically throughout the day.
- Wednesday** - Pajama Day! Make your dreams come true with a Catholic School Education.
- Thursday** - Community Service Day! Student Council will deliver cookie trays to our community.
- Friday** - Dress up for Mass! Holy Cross School in Ft. Branch is the host school for the Deanery Mass attended by K-5 students. Mass is at 9:00 a.m.

Our celebration will conclude with a school dance in the school cafeteria at 1:30 p.m. Refreshments served.

Don't forget to buy your *Scripts Cards!* You can get them at the School Office during the week and before and after all the Masses on the weekend in the School Library.

CHURCH & SCHOOL WEBSITE:

www.stjosephprinceton.com

Check out our calendar of events anytime on line!



February 13, 2010

ST. JOSEPH DINNER/DANCE/AUCTION

Dinner catered by The Schnitzelbank includes smoked pork chops, grilled chicken, garden salad, German fries, baked potato, corn, green beans, and Schnitzelbank's famous biscuits with apple butter. There will be a cash bar. Dessert Auction is at 5:30 p.m. Dinner at 6:00 p.m. Silent & Live Auction after Dinner and the Dance will close out the evening. Tickets on sale now until January 28th after all the Masses. Cost is \$25.00 each

Mass will be at 4:00 p.m.

(No 6:00 p.m. Mass on Feb. 13)

for questions, to volunteer or donate call Jennifer Schneider at 385-0124.

PICTORAL DIRECTORIES ARE READY TO BE PICKED UP FROM THE SCHOOL LIBRARY.

WELCOME TO BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

January 31, 2010

Mass Intentions For The Week

Sunday	January 31	9:00 a.m.	Blessed Sacrament & St. Joseph Parishes
Thursday	February 04	7:00 p.m.	Jerad McConnell
Sunday	February 07	9:00 a.m.	Blessed Sacrament & St. Joseph Parishes

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Friday before the following week.



Gifts for God

WEEKLY GIVING Jan. 24, 2010

35- Adults \$1294.00 - Loose \$157.00

Total - \$1441.00 Last Week -\$1001.00

Liturgical Ministers:

9:00 a.m. Sunday, February 7, 2010

Lector:	Cindy Fuhs
Euch. Mins.:	Presider
Host:	Mary Sives
Cup:	David Memmer & Lori Stolz
Gift Bearers:	Doug Meiring Family
Greeter:	Roy & Becky Freudenberg
Ushers:	Greg Schulten, Ray Sforza Don Retter & Troy Elmore
Servers:	Mark Schulten & David Anderson

Weekly Readings

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19, Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17

1 Corinthians 12:31--13:13 or 13:4-13

Luke 4:21-30

Monday: 2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13

Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, Mark 5:1-20

Tuesday: Presentation of the Lord - Feast

Malachi 3:1-4, Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10

Hebrews 2:14-18, Luke 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Wednesday: 2 Samuel 24:2, 9-17, Ps 32:1-2, 5-7

Mark 6:1-6

Thursday: 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12, Ps: 1Chronicles 29:10-12

Mark 6:7-13

Friday: Sirach 47:2-11, Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51

Mark 6:14-29

Saturday: 1 Kings 3:4-13, Ps 119:9 - 14

Mark 6:30-34

MASS INTENTIONS – HUH???

Did you know there are several reasons why an individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass? The most common reason to have a Mass offered is, of course, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died; however, did you know that you can request a Mass in thanksgiving for blessings received or for the intentions of another person, such as on their birthday? When a priest offers Holy Mass, he has three intentions: 1) to offer the Mass reverently and validly in accord with the norms of the Church; 2) to offer the Mass in *union with the whole Church and for the good of the whole Church*; and 3) to offer the Mass for a particular intention, such as the repose of the soul of someone who has died. Although this practice dates back to the early Church, we clearly recognize its importance today. When we face the death of someone we know and love, even a person who is not Catholic, to have a Mass offered for the repose of his/her soul and to offer our prayers, in union with the prayers of the whole Church, is more beneficial and comforting than any sympathy card or bouquet of flowers. To have a Mass offered on the occasion of a birthday, anniversary or special need is also appropriate, beneficial and appreciated. So, I invite you to offer a Mass for someone you have loved that has gone before you or perhaps for that couple you know who is celebrating 50 years of marriage. To offer a Mass, please call the parish office.

YOUR PARISH FAMILY NEEDS YOUR HELP!

As with any family, as a parish family, we all need to pull together to help out with the “chores.” Well, we at Blessed Sacrament need help taking out the trash! If you can help out with this family “chore,” contact Mary at the parish office at 749-4474. Thank you to all who already help out in so many ways!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS’ DAY OF RENEWAL AND RETREAT

LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, USHERS, GREETERS, GIFT BEARERS, SERVERS, and all those who help with **MASS SET-UP**: Mark your calendars for Blessed Sacrament’s First-Ever Liturgical Ministers’ Day of Renewal and Retreat, **Saturday, February 20, 2010 from 9:00 a.m. until Noon**. We will begin our day at 9:00 with a light breakfast in the church basement. If you are presently involved in one (or more) of the ministries above, it is strongly recommended that you attend this day of formation and information. Please contact Sr. Kim Mandelkow, OSB with any questions: 749-4474 or kmandelkow@evdio.org.

MANY THANKS to all those who were able to contribute to the Haiti relief efforts. We at Blessed Sacrament collected a total of \$1,307.00! Please continue to keep the people of Haiti in your prayers.

SANDY'S PIZZA PICKUP

Monday, February 1 from 3-6 p.m. in the Church Basement.

DEANERY AND DIOCESAN NEWS & EVENTS

ST. WENDEL ATHLETICS PRESENTS:

MARDI GRAS MADNESS Sat. Feb 6, 2010 Dinner 6-7:30 Dance 'til midnight (DJ Mark Elpers) at the Knights of St. John Tickets \$20/person Carry-out available Contact Michele @ 963-1158 for more information.

ANNUAL SUPER BOWL SUNDAY BARBECUE SALE! Sunday, February 7th. St. Anthony Church (First Avenue) Start planning your party now! Barbecue Ribs, \$20 per slab, Whole Pork Butts, \$25 and Sauce \$6 per quart. Pre Orders a must! Order by calling Phyllis at 867-1440.

HOLY CROSS CHURCH FAMILY STYLE

"ALL YOU CAN EAT" CHICKEN DINNER

Sunday, Feb. 7, 2010, Holy Cross School Cafeteria. Serving begins at 10:45 am until 1 p.m. Adults: \$8.50 and Children: \$4. Carry-Outs are available

SAINT WENDEL KNIGHTS OF SAINT JOHN FISH

FRY at the Knight of Saint John's Home in Saint Wendel February 12 & March 19, 2010 from 5 pm to 7 p.m. Menu will include: Fried Cod, Potatoe Salad, Cole Slaw, Baked Beans, Mac & Cheese, & Drink. Carry outs welcome.

FREE REIGN DANCE

The annual "Free Reign" dinner/dance will be held at the Vanderburgh 4H Center on February 13 with dinner at 6 p.m. & dance at 7 p.m.. Tickets are \$25 per person. Contact Don Rhodes at 768-6461. Proceeds benefit the American Legion & Haubstadt Little League. Must be 21 years old.

ST. JAMES CARD PARTY

Come enjoy an afternoon of fun for all! Sunday, February 14, 2010 @ St. James Madden Hall. Doors open at 12 noon. Card Party starts at 1 p.m. Admission is \$5.00. For reservations, please call; Sayelle Rexing (867-3402) or email her (Sayelle@sit-co.net) Door Prizes ~ Chinese Auction ~ Raffle ~ Bake Sale, Sandwiches, Chips & Drinks will be served. St. James Church is located south of Haubstadt. Proceeds will benefit the St. James PTA.

LENTEN FRIDAYS FISH FRY'S starting February 19th thru March 26th at Nativity Catholic Church, 3635 Pollack Ave. Fried Catfish Fillet, Baked Grouper or Chicken Tenders Dinner with all the fixins. Serving 4:30 pm – 7:00 p.m. Dinners are \$8.50. Free 1/2 order for Children 8 yrs. or under with an adult dinner purchase.

A FRANCISCAN COME AND SEE WEEKEND

A Come and See Weekend for single, Catholic women ages 18-45 interested in learning more about Franciscan religious life on Saturday and Sunday, March 20 -21 at the convent of the Sisters of St. Francis, Oldenburg, IN. The convent is located 3 mi. off I-74E at exit 149 half way between Indianapolis and Cincinnati. no charge; Come, pray, meet the sisters and learn about their lives For more info or to register, contact Sr. Joan Miller, PO Box 100 Oldenburg, IN 47036; phone: 812-455-9348; email joanm@oldenburgosf.com

SUNDAY IS MESSAGE SUNDAY

In recent months, hundreds of people from parishes throughout the diocese expressed their hopes and concerns for our Church – and what they have said about our parishes and schools and our future is now being analyzed. Plans will emerge from this effort in the next several months – and the Message will be a primary means of getting the word to you.

The Message is published every week, with news and inspiration, award winning commentaries and features.

Envelopes for new and renewed subscription will be in the Message this Friday, delivered to every registered household in the diocese.

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PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY NEWS

The Prayer Shawl Ministry at St. Joe is going strong! Thanks to all who have given their time, talent, and treasure to this ministry. We have given out several prayer shawls to people struggling with illness and grief as well as to newly baptized infants and in every situation, both "creator" and recipient have been blessed by the experience. We are currently in need of BLUE and GREEN Lion Brand (c) Homespun Yarn as well as Red Heart Brand, Worsted Weight RED. Also, beginning on Tuesday, February 9th at 3:30 p.m. the Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet on the second Tuesday of the month in the Celestin Center. We will meet for approximately an hour. Bring your current projects and prayer requests. For more information, please call Sr. Kim Mandelkow at 812-385-2617, ext. 211.