

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
FEBRUARY 21, 2010

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

7:30 am Morning Prayer at St. Paul

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

7:00 am Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Floyd Park+

7:30 am Communion Service at St. Paul

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

7:00 am Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Bob Speirs+

10:00 am Mass at BF Nursing Home

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

7:30 am Mass at St. Paul

12:15 pm Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Bob Speirs+

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

10:00 am Communion Service
at Spf Nursing Home

12:15 pm Mass at St. Paul

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

9:00 am Mass at St. Joseph

Extraordinary Form (Latin Mass)

Intention: Bill Vansicke

5:30 pm Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: John Whalen

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: For the people of our parishes

10:30 am Mass at St. Paul

1:00 Mass at St. Joseph

Extraordinary Form (Latin Mass)

Intention: End to Abortion

4:00 pm Spanish Mass at St. Paul

5:30 pm Mass at St. Joseph

Intention: Gene Fujan+

CONFESSIONS TIMES:

St. Joseph: 4:00—5:00 pm on Saturday & Sunday
11:30—12:30 pm on Thursday.

St. Paul: 2:00—3:00 pm on Saturday.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Judy & Bob Camp, Dorothy Mahloch, Tim Barrett, Evelyn Harr, Becky Wickenhagen, Delores Hoffman, Judy Tishmack, Charles Cerney, Henry Schumacher, Jr., Wyatt Harmon, Kenadi Jean Weis, Mike Nauman, Cindy Steele, Kent Wince, Marilyn Mead, Edith Messier. and Bob Sisson

PRAYERS FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Tony Donovan, James Lasser, Larry Zimmerman, Matthew Charles Langenfeld, Christi & Shilo Apland, Cory Carlson, Don & Jennifer Meek, Mark Jensen, Tony Silvernagel, Joseph Winkleman, Tanner Baird, and Steven Apland.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES

Bless you! Catholic Social Services (CSS) thanks you for your generosity during this year's Ash Wednesday Appeal. Your gift is an overwhelming statement that Christ's compassion is present in our diocese. Please continue to pray for the poor among us and for those suffering from addiction, family conflict and anxiety. Pray also for CSS staff members who provide services that help strengthen individuals and families. Together, we are making a difference in the lives of so many.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE FOR SINGLE CATHOLICS

Fr. Timothy Castor will be serving as chaplain for a pilgrimage to the Holy Land with *Ave Maria Singles* this fall! You do not need to be a member of AMS to participate, but you do need to be Catholic and single. The dates are **November 3 - 13, 2010**. The cost (including round-trip airfare from New York, transportation and lodging in Israel with daily breakfast and dinner) is \$2,899. For more information, visit <http://www.avemariasingles.comand> click on the "Holy Land Pilgrimage" link at the top of the page; or contact Fr. Castor.

WORLD YOUTH DAY

World Youth Day is August 9-22, 2011 in Madrid Spain and is for youth between the ages of 18-35. This will be an unforgettable event in your life and may change it forever! The estimated cost is \$3795, and a \$250 deposit is required with the application. There is only space for 40 pilgrims, and an application must be completed, so let Shari know ASAP if you want to apply!

LIFE TEEN MEALS

Thank you to all the parents who cook for Life Teen, especially Marcia Olson & Laurie Driscoll, who are providing a meal this Sunday. Below are the upcoming nights:

Feb. 28 Jeanet Nicholas & Susan Burr

March 7 Susan Hupp & Leslie Kaitfors

March 14 Deb Kullerd & Lydia Hughes

NEWMAN CENTER

Thank you to all the generous parishioners who provide meals for the BHSU college students at the Newman Center. A special thank you to Susan Hupp for cooking a meal this Sunday, Feb. 21. Also thank you to:

Feb. 28 Leah & Brian Rafferty

March 7 & 14 No meals, Spring Break

March 21 Doris Ziegler

NEWMAN CENTER MIDTERM WEEK

Newman Center will be open 24 hours a day during finals week, March 1-5 for all BHSU students.

SNACKS WANTED

If any parishioners would like to bake snacks or provide munchies during mid-term week feel free to drop them off at the Newman Center for the students. I know they will appreciate it!

DIOCESAN AND COMMUNITY INFORMATION

DIOCESAN PRO-LIFE COMMISSION

"In this Year for Priests, my thoughts turn in particular to you, dear priests, "ministers of the sick", signs and instruments of Christ's compassion who must reach out to every person marked by suffering. I ask you, dear presbyters, to spare no effort in giving them care and comfort. Time spent beside those who are put to the test may bear fruits of grace for all the other dimensions of pastoral care. Lastly I address you, dear sick people and I ask you to pray and to offer your suffering up for priests, so that they may continue to be faithful to their vocation and that their ministry may be rich in spiritual fruits for the benefit of the whole Church."

Pope Benedict XVI, Message for the 18th World Day of the Sick, Feb. 11, 2010. www.vatican.va

ENGAGED ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

The next Engaged Encounter Weekend for engaged or newly married couples will be held March 12-14, 2010 at *Terra Sancta* (formerly St. Martin Monastery), Rapid City. The weekend gives the couple an opportunity to look at themselves first as individuals, then as a couple, and finally to examine their relationship with God, the Church, and the world. To register for the weekend or for more information, contact Greg & Connie Forstner, 605-341-6032.

DR. SCOTT HAHN

Dr. Scott Hahn in Aberdeen, SD next August 13 & 14th, 2010. Cost: \$30-40. Reserve your spots now and sign up to receive email updates about the event as we get them. We will be keeping the most up-to-date information at www.eventsinsd.com. Right now we have a poll available on the site allowing people to vote on which talks will be given. Sponsored by Sacred Heart Church of Aberdeen. For more information call Eric: 605-225-7065.

AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE COLLEGE STUDENT SUMMIT

May 16-21, 2010

St. Malo's in Estes Park, Colorado

CALLING ALL UNDERGRADUATES: Register now for this summer's College Student Summit, a Catholic worldview leadership course with intellectual formation and virtue development; spiritual enrichment; and fellowship and adventure in the Rocky Mountains! SPACE IS LIMITED -- REGISTER TODAY!

STEUBENVILLE ROCHESTER

July 16-18, 2010. Cost: \$285. Registration is now open. Experience Christ in the Mass, reconciliation, and adoration. For those entering 9th grade in 2010 through college age students. Host: Ennie Hickman Band: Sonar. Conference location at the Mayo Civic Center, Rochester, MN. Contact Provatia Potvin 343-3541. Registration instructions and forms at www.rapidcitydiocese.org.

ST. LOUIS MISSION TRIP

July 24-August 1, 2010. St. Louis, MO. Cost: \$500. Deposit: \$100. For those entering 9th grade in 2010 and up. Work can include renewing homes (cleaning, painting, yard work, minor repairs), helping at day care centers, homeless shelters, or food pantries. Space is limited to 45 teens and 10 adults. Contact Lisa Fahey 605-224-8969.

RACHEL'S CORNER

"O Lord, my god, inspire the hearts of your people with your word and your teaching. Protect them under the shadow of your wings. . ." - St Cyril and Methodius, Feast Day: February 14

Pray to Sts. Cyril and Methodius, the apostles to the Slavs, and ask them to inspire you with the courage and faith to find and accept God's great mercy and love. If you are struggling with the emotional pain of an abortion, the mercy of Christ is waiting for you at a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat. Upcoming Rachel's Vineyard Retreats: April 23-25, 2010 in Bismarck, ND and May 21-23, 2010 in Rapid City, SD.

Contact Carol Kling for information about area retreats at 605-374-5639 or ckling@sdplains.com or go to the diocesan website: www.rapidcitydiocese.org/Ministries/FamilyLife.htm. For more information, contact the national office at 877-467-3463 or www.rachelsvineyard.org.

ST. JOSEPH INFORMATION

ST. JOSEPH PARISH HAPPENINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

6:30 pm Finance class

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

2:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration Rosary

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

6:30 pm RCIA

9:00 pm Benediction

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

5:00 pm Praise Group practice

6:30 pm First Communion class

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

7:00 pm Latin Schola

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

5:00 pm Faith & Fish Series

7:15 pm Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

**For Mass & Confession times refer to the first page.*

St. Joseph Weekly Collection 2/14/10

INCOME:

General Collection	\$3,944.63
Children's Collection	\$50.01
Building Fund	\$332.00
Joseph Fund	\$80.00
Seminarian	\$25.00
Black & Indian Mission	\$495.00

Today's first reading describes the offering of first fruits the people of Israel were to present to the Lord in thanksgiving for their deliverance from Egypt and the gift of the promised land.

Is my offering at today's Mass appropriate response to my many blessings the Lord has given me?

December Renovation Donations: \$5,972.00
 Renovation Monthly Payment \$5,000.00
 Renovation Loan Balance: \$220,431.29
 Newman/Parking lot Monthly Payment: \$1,100.00
 Newman/Parking lot Loan Balance: \$86,854.63

EXPENSES:

BHP&L	\$1,817.15
A&B copier	\$2,468.78
Root- Easter candle	\$271.03
OCP-missels	\$109.90
Kolbe Media-Newman Web site	\$63.60
Diocese of RC-Insurance	\$12,984.00
Office Depot-paper	\$232.50

DONUTS

The Altar Society is serving donuts downstairs Sunday, February 21st after the 8:30 am Mass.

LATIN CHOIR

A small choir, or "schola", is being formed to sing the High Mass in the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite for Easter Sunday. Everyone is welcome to join this choir--men, women and young people--even if you don't go to the traditional Latin Mass. If you've ever been fascinated by Gregorian Chant and would like to learn a little more about it and how to sing it, then this choir is for you. Contact Fr. Timothy Castor for more information. Rehearsals will be on Thursdays and will begin right after Ash Wednesday.

LIGHTHOUSE CDs FOR LENT

Would you like to grow closer to Christ this Lent? Pick up a Lenten bundle of 7 faith-filled Catholic CDs at the church office and listen to one CD a week during Lent. Celebrate Easter knowing that your simple efforts during the Season of Lent have helped you truly grow closer to Christ. (Suggested donation is \$20.)

BAPTISMAL CLASS

Baptismal classes are offered once a month. The next class is at St. Joseph on February 21 at 9:30 am. If you are planning on baptizing your baby soon, please contact your church office to register for the class. *There are no baptisms during Lent.*

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ROSARY

Every Tuesday is Eucharistic Adoration Rosary from 2-3 pm in the chapel. Everyone is welcome.

ROSARY

The rosary is said every Saturday night at 5:00 p.m. before the 5:30 p.m. Mass.

YEAR FOR PRIESTS

"Being deeply loved by someone gives you strength, while deeply loving someone gives you courage."