

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 11, 2009

Mass intentions may be subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances. They will be rescheduled as soon as possible.

MONDAY, Oct. 12 – Weekday

Rom 1:1-7 Lk 11:29-32

8:00 am – RL † Leon & Bernice Deppiesse (GG)

TUESDAY, Oct. 13 – Weekday

Rom 1:16-25 Lk 11:37-41

8:00 am – HR, St. Rose Chapel – Uselding/Wester Families (RF)

8:00 am – RL † Carl & Dorothy Beck (GG)

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 14 – Weekday

Rom 2:1-11 Lk 11:42-46

8:00 am – RL † Alan Mueller, † Edna Leggin (GG)

8:00 am – St. Mary, LC † William C. Lutzen (RF)

THURSDAY, Oct. 15 – Saint Teresa of Jesus, virgin and doctor of the Church

Rom 3:21-30 Lk 11:47-54

8:00 am – HR, St. Rose Chapel † Walter Swietlik (GG)

8:00 am – St. Mary, LC – Respect for Life (RF)

FRIDAY, Oct. 16 – Weekday

Rom 4:1-8 Lk 12:1-7

8:00 am – HR, St. Rose Chapel † Alois & Frances Solms (GG)

8:00 am – St. Mary, LC † Clair Kircher and

Living & Deceased of the Parish (RF)

SATURDAY, Oct. 17 – Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 53:10-11 Heb 4:14-16 Mk 10:35-45

4:30 pm – Dacada – Living & Deceased of the Parish and † Clarence & LaVerne Wetor (GG)

7:30 pm – HR, St. Rose Chapel † Bill Brey and

For Our Parishioners (RF)

SUNDAY, Oct. 18 – Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 53:10-11 Heb 4:14-16 Mk 10:35-45

8:00 am – St. Mary, LC – Living & Deceased of the Nevis & Steinhagen Families (RF)

9:30 am – HR, Holy Cross Chapel † Mayer/Schueller Families and † Theresa Weyker (RF)

10:00 am – RL † Melodie Krier and

† Herman, Marie, Gerald Mueller (JE)

11:00 am – St. Mary, LC † Miriam Johannes (GG)

Confession Times – Saturday afternoon at St. Nicholas, Dacada from 3:45-4:15 p.m. Saturday evening at St. Rose, Fredonia from 6:45-7:15 p.m. Sunday morning at St. Mary, Lake Church following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Special arrangements can be made with either priest.

Question of the Week: Key Passage – Jesus said, “It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.” (Mark 10:25) **Adult** – How can the pleasures and comforts of this world become barriers to your relationship with God? **Child** – What favorite toy, game, video, etc., of yours would you be willing to share with someone this week?



For the month of October, the **Human Concerns** committee is collecting rice mixes and Kleenex for the Food Pantry. Please drop off items in the back of church on any weekend. Thank you for your support.

ATTN: KNITTERS & CROCHETERS – Mittens, scarves and hats are needed for the Thanksgiving Ecumenical Mitten Tree. Yarn is available on the back porch of the parish office. Items are given to the Food Pantry for distribution. Items may be dropped off in the back of church by Nov. 22nd, or brought to the Thanksgiving Service. Any questions, please call Suzanne at 994-2912.

Dr. Rick Erickson's cell phone number is 920-447-2665(BOOK).

Liturgical Ministers

Dacada 4:30 pm (10/17) Servers: Brittany & Elizabeth Witters

Lector: Olivia Hess

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Pat Davis, Laura Feider, Leon Jacoby, Sarah Kawczynski

Ministers of Hospitality: Jacob & Samuel Birenbaum

RL 10:00 am (10/18) Servers: Jacob Coeur, Sarah Dahm

Lector: Mary Verhage

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Peter & Kris Bemis, Vicki Depies, Sharon Gilson

Ministers of Hospitality: Chris Birenbaum, Joe Birenbaum, Peter Birenbaum, Merlin Depies

We pray for the improved health of... David Moller, Joe/Donna Moller, Roland Klas, Mardell Binder, Don Dressel, Gladys Hagel, Regina Steffen, Brian Ramel, Dolores Schneider, Kathleen Medinger, Fanny Watry, Tom Fitzpatrick

Our Lady of the Lakes Stewardship Report – Oct. 4, 2009

Offertory Collection: \$218.00

Church Support Received: \$ 2,872.50

Need weekly to meet budget: \$ 5,750.00

Short (\$ 2,877.50)

Total Rcvd. 7/1/09-10/4/09: \$ 57,591.67

Total needed to meet budget: \$ 80,500.00

Short (\$ 22,908.33)

Minimum financial support requested is as follows:

Married Couples: \$20.00 per week

Single & Mixed Religion Marriages: \$10.50 per week

*or **Tithe** – you can join the growing number of parishioners who tithe and give 5% of their gross income. **If you cannot give the requested amount, we ask that you give what you can.**

OLL Football Raffle – Week 4 – Sunday, October 4, 2009

1st Highest - \$300 - 121 pts: Mike Keagle

2nd Highest - split \$200 - 120 pts: RK Greening, Kathy Irion

3rd Highest - \$100 - 117 pts: Karen Espitia

Lowest Score - \$50 - 16 pts: Delphine Hartmann

2nd Lowest - \$25 - 17 pts: Menroy Miller

3rd Lowest - \$10 - 19 pts: Nic Bichler

A HUGE THANK YOU! - "Teamwork allows common people to attain uncommon results." (Author unknown) So many people helped to make last Sunday's Fall Festival a success! Thank you to all of the workers, bakers, raffle donors and our many patrons. Everyone's combined efforts made the day run smoothly, enjoyably and profitably. There is no better example of teamwork. We all hope you enjoyed the day. 1044 meals were served, 645 in take-outs and 399 in our dining room. That's 3 down from last year but still quite an accomplishment for our parish!

Servers, Lectors, Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Ushers... The new schedule from Nov. 21, 2009 through Ash Wednesday, Feb. 17, 2010, will be created soon. If you have dates that you will NOT be available for your ministry or if you are not currently serving in any of these ministries and you would like to be added to our schedule, please contact Susan in the parish office by Oct. 26th.

Book Study – THE SHACK. If you are interested in this study, contact Deb Hamm. This study will be held in November at dates/times/locations to be determined.

Annual Parish Meeting – Nov. 8th after the 10:00 a.m. Mass at our Random Lake Chapel. Fiscal Year accountings can be found in the back of each chapel.

Monday, October 12 – 6:15 pm – Rosary - RL

- 6:00 pm – Safeguarding God's Family Class

Tuesday, October 13 - 11:00 am – Mass – Gables on the Pond

- 6:00 pm – School Committee Mtg.

7:00 pm – Alcoholics Anonymous/Al-Anon – Fredonia (Joe 994-9827)

Wednesday, October 14 - 5:30-7:30 pm – Family Program

Friday, October 16 - 10:15 am – Mass – Beechwood Rest Home

Saturday, October 17 - 6:30-9:30 pm - Beer & Wine Tasting – Pillars

Sunday, October 18 - 11-4 – 9th/10th Gr. Mandatory Dating retreats

There will be training in **Safeguarding All God's Family** on Oct. 12 at 6:00 at Our Lady of the Lakes parish in Random Lake. Anyone who works with children in any capacity is expected to attend. For more information, contact Terry Mahler.

SURVIVING JOB LOSS - An ecumenical networking & support group focusing on "blue collar" workers. The aims of this group are to offer emotional and spiritual support, match personal needs to community resources, and network - share ideas, info, experience - during your time of job loss. Mondays, starting October 12; 9 AM in the Parish Office of Immaculate Conception, 145 W. Church St., Saukville. For more information call Mary McHugh 262-284-4266 or email afministry@hotmail.com

On Tuesday, October 13 there will be a **Daughters of Isabella** meeting at 1:00 PM at Plymouth City Hall. Election of officers; Don't forget to bring a nonperishable food item for the Food Pantry (special need for meat) For information call Judy Heimerl @ 920-564-3942

This year's topic for the Christian Education Workshop is "**What Christians Should Know.**" This year's talks are hosted by St. John's UCC in Random Lake at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays in October. **October 14—"What Christians Should Know About Sexual Ethics,"** presented by Mr. John Anderson, doctoral candidate at Loyola University. **October 21—"What Christians Should Know About Church History,"** presented by Dr. Rich Christensen, Lakeland College. *If anyone is able to provide baked goods for refreshments, please contact Deb Hamm.*

MISSION FEST Sunday, Oct. 18 from 1-5 at St. Francis Seminary. Doors open at 1 p.m. Mass begins at 1:30 p.m. From 3-5 p.m., there will be exhibits and displays that highlight mission work and organizations in our Archdiocese. From 3:30-4:30, there will be a panel discussion on "The Many Faces of Mission in Southeastern Wisconsin." Everyone welcome. For more info, call 414-758-2280.

ABC's OF GRIEF SUPPORT - This workshop will explore what happens during grief, the needs of those who grieve, and what to say and NOT to say to one who grieves. Come learn to be a comforting, supportive presence to a friend or loved one who may be experiencing the challenges of a grief journey or come learn more about your own grief journey. Immaculate Conception Church, Saukville. Friday, Oct 23, 9 - 11 AM or Saturday, Oct. 24. 10 AM - noon. FREE. Please register by Oct. 21st with Mary McHugh 262-284-4266 or email afministry@hotmail.com

Praying with the Psalms -- Prayers for Every Moment of Your Life - Just as there are many different moments in life, good or bad, joyous or devastating, there are psalms for all parts of our life. That is why we pray with the psalms at every Mass. In this 4 session class, Tim Jacobs will present keys to help unlock the images and lead discussions to help discover the profound beauty of these prayer poems. We'll explore psalms of praise, despair, distress and thanksgiving, and how praying with the psalms can bring you closer to God and your neighbors. After the first meeting, each 90 minute session stands alone, so feel free to sign up, even if you can't attend every one. Classes begin on Tuesday, October 27, at 7pm at Holy Rosary Parish. There is no charge or materials required. Please contact 262-692-9994 to register. Mr. Jacobs studied the Psalms at St. Francis Seminary in Milwaukee, where he received his Master's Degree in Theology in 2008.

Pastoral Column

"I prayed, and prudence was given me; I pleaded, and the spirit of wisdom came to me (Wis. 7:7)."

This passage from today's first reading is a good beginning for talking about a program that our Parish Councils have decided to bring to our cluster. The Parish Assessment and Renewal Program (PAR) is a program run by Fr. Tom Sweetser, S.J. and Sr. Peg Bishop. This is a Milwaukee-based program, during which Fr. Tom and Sr. Peg visit parishes and evaluate them (including administration, staff, the workings of the Parish Councils and Committees, liturgies, programs, etc.). Following the evaluation process, the program offers concrete suggestions on improving and revitalizing all aspects of parish life and liturgy. The most intensive part of this program is a 17-day on-site stay by Fr. Tom and Sr. Peg (ours will happen this coming April). Several weeks later, they will issue a report to our cluster and a follow-up visit takes place several months later. On-going follow-up support is also offered.

A few months ago, Fr. Tom gave a presentation at our Tri-Parish Planning Committee meeting. After receiving more information on the program in the past two months, our three councils voted to bring the pair to our cluster. Fr. Tom and Sr. Peg will begin the process with an initial day of meetings on Nov. 10 or 11. They will meet with the co-pastors and Pastoral Associate, staff members from all three parishes and a group of 2 or 3 representatives from each of our parishes. The group of representatives will be members of a committee called the POC (PAR Oversight Committee). Some of you may be asked to be a part of this committee. There will also be many other opportunities to get involved in this parish renewal program in coming months. More information will be in future bulletins.

We ask each of you to pray for prudence and wisdom as our cluster moves into this assessment and renewal process. Each of us – co-pastors, staff members, volunteer leaders, adults and children – need prudence and wisdom as we work together to help our parishes bring about the "kingdom of God." It isn't always easy, but if we can work together, (accepting the variety of gifts each one of us has to offer, respecting differences and celebrating diversity while working for a common goal) we will be more able to carry out Christ's mission here on earth.
Deb Hamm, Pastoral Associate

ADULT FAITH FORMATION FLYERS are available in the back of our chapels that list all the opportunities for adults in our cluster and in District 10. Please pick one up.

Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic School Beer and Wine Tasting - Saturday, October 17th - 6:30-9:30 pm - Five Pillars Supper Club - \$25/person advance; all proceeds to benefit OLL School. Tickets are now available - please call Jamie or Lina Vorpahl at 994-2389.

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a "LifeSavers for Life" collection at all of our Masses next weekend, October 17th and 18th. All money collected will be donated to our local Respect Life Committee and state-wide Respect Life causes. Please be generous in your donations.

The Random Lake area churches are sponsoring the **Crop Walk** on Oct. 25. Registration at 12:30 at Lakeview Park with a 2 or 3 mile walk at 1:00. Please support this event by raising money and/or walking. Hungry people in developing countries typically walk as much as six miles a day to get food, water and fuel, and to take their goods to market. We walk to be in solidarity with their struggle for existence. We walk because they walk. High School students are encouraged to participate in this event. Donation forms are located in the back of church.