

Ministry of Spiritual Support

The month of JULY is dedicated to the MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD. The intentions for the Ministry of Spiritual Support are:

That we the Most Precious Blood of Christ instill in our hearts sincere contrition for our sins and wash us clean of our sins...

That the trials of this world never allow us to stray from Christ or refuse His compassion and provident care...

FOOD *for the* NEEDY

For JULY, the schedule for bringing in Food Items is as follows:

- A through G Bring a personal care item such as soap, deodorant, or toothpaste
- H through N Bring pasta and sauce, or rice or crackers, cookies, etc.
- O through T Bring a can of vegetables.
- U through Z Bring a can of fruit.



In your kindness please pray for the repose of the soul of Paul Kacmar who was buried from our parish on Tuesday, July 20, 2010. May God grant him eternal rest and generously give peace and comfort to his family.

Meeting Scheduled

There will be a meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council on Monday, July 26th in the Rectory at 6:30 PM. Please try to be there for this meeting.

Faith Formation

Registration for Children's Faith Formation classes will be conducted in August for youngsters not attending the Regional Catholic School. Classes are held on Monday evenings from 6:00 PM – 7:15 PM Please keep this time in mind as you schedule other activities for your child. As your child's primary educators in the faith, parents assume an obligation to see that their children in kindergarten through eighth grade are registered and attending Faith Formation classes.

50th Wedding Anniversary

Our Bishop continues the annual custom of recognizing couples celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary at a Liturgy at Our Lady of Grace Parish on Sunday, September 20, 2010 at 3:00 PM. Those couples from St. Mary (Nativity) Church who are celebrating their 50th Anniversary should contact the parish office by Wednesday, August 4th so that the information could be sent to the Diocese. Even if you can not go to the special Mass, you will receive a scroll signed by the Bishop commemorating your anniversary.

FOOD BOOTH AT THE COUNTY FAIR

St. Aloysius' Food Booth will be open once again at the Fayette County Fair – Thursday, July 29th thru Saturday, August 7th - great food variety and a dinner daily special are featured each day and evening. All are welcome to come and share in the food and fun.

Marriage Encounter

There are 52 weekends in a year. Doesn't your marriage deserve one of them? Join us September 24-25 for a World Wide Marriage Encounter weekend, where you can focus on your marriage like never before. For more information or to register please contact Jay and Judy at (412) 636-7775 or visit us on the web at www.wwme-pittsburgh.org.

Natural Family Planning

CM-BBT is a medically based, highly effective NFP method that can be used to avoid, postpone or plan pregnancy.

The next CM-BBT Method of Family Planning Session is scheduled for Monday, August 9, 2010 at 6:00 PM at the Catholic Charities Office in Greensburg. Participants are required to attend only ONE session. The instruction, continued support and follow-up are provided by a medically certified CM-BBT Professional. Pre-registration is required. Contact Mary Ann Newhouse at Catholic Charities at 724-837-1840, ext. 658 for additional information or to register for this or an upcoming class. For more information www.dioceseofgreensburg.org open the home page. Once there, choose the following links: Catholic Charities, Natural Family Planning and CM-BBT.

Religious Tours Planned

“In the Footsteps of Jesus” Holy Land tour of the Holy Land, visiting Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Cana, the tomb of Christ, Mt. Tabor, Dead Sea, etc. October 22 – 29, 2010 will be a tour of Poland “in the footsteps of Pope John Paul and St. Faustine.” Participants will visit Warsaw, Krakow, Zakopane, etc. An “Alpine Christmas Market” tour will take place December 2 – 9, 2010 visiting Munich, Innsbruck, Salzburg and other parts of Germany and Austria as they display their hand-crafted items in various villages. March 28, 2010 will be a pilgrimage tour to two of the most famous shrines to the Blessed Mother; Fatima, Portugal and Lourdes, France. A brochure and a packet of details is available for any of the tours. Call 724-722-3141 or e-mail padre16201@yahoo.com. Write: Church of the Seven Dolors, P. O. Box 308, Yukon, PA 15698. Seating is limited on all tours.

Holy Rosary Street Fair

Holy Rosary Church in Republic is hosting their annual Parish Street Fair on Saturday, August 7th and Sunday, August 8th (4:00 PM – 10:00 PM). Features of this year’s event include: live music and DJ; bingo, games of skill and chance; Chinese auction; local dancers; children’s games; homemade ethnic foods; bake sale; and a chance to win \$3,500. Kitchen opens at 2:00 PM on Sunday.

St. Mary Golden Club

St. Mary Golden Club will be celebrating an August “Dine Out” Meeting on August 9th, 2010 at 1:00 PM at the Pechin Firehouse Restaurant. The cost is \$16.00 for the event. The deadline for making reservations is August 2nd. For reservations and information please call Rita at 724-438-6852 or Loretta at 724-437-7250.

Extend An Invitation

Have you ever asked a non-catholic family member or friend if they would be interested in joining the Catholic Church? Often someone just needs an invitation to come and join us. The RCIA program progresses in stages from October through the Easter season of the following year and is intended for:

- 1) Those who have never been baptized and would like to investigate what the Catholic Faith is all about. After that they may choose to continue towards full membership.
- 2) Those who have been baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition and would like to come and learn what the Catholic community believes to see if they would like to belong.
- 3) Catholics who were baptized but never brought up in the Faith and would like to get back to their roots and prepare themselves for the other sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

Consider inviting someone to continue their Journey of Faith by contacting Mrs. Blake at the Parish Office for additional information about the RCIA program.

Mass Servers

SATURDAY July 31

4:30 P.M. Brandon Kushnar, Amber Pisano

SUNDAY August 1

7:30 A.M. Matthew Zekir, Amber Pisano

10:00 A.M. Drake Aesoph, Joshua & Emily
Buckel

Liturgical Roles

SATURDAY July 31

4:30 P.M. Bro. Bill Spond, OFM / M Kosco, M
McClintock, C Ostrosky, L Kushnar,
A J Gasparatz, B Blake, N Blake

Sunday August 1

7:30 A.M. David Dunaway / L Noche, D
Centofanti, L Constantine, D Gmitter,
L Baran, B Pillar, E Miller

10:00 A.M. Michael Aesoph / Jacob, Paul, Jullian
Buckel, D Braum, G Saluga, S
Conley, R Blycheck

MONEY COUNTERS

Sunday, August 1 – Counting Team 5

Sunday, August 8– Counting Team 6

† STEWARDSHIP

Giving is an act of the heart. You
may give without loving, but
you cannot love without giving.

THE COLLECTION REPORTS

Sixteenth Sunday in O.T.

Adults: \$5,173.52 Youth: \$23.00

Cemetery: \$45.00 Energy: \$20.00