

ST. PETER'S PARISH

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 28, 2007

			<u>MASSES</u>			
MON	JAN 29	7:00pm	INT OF TIMOTHY ZAEPFEL			
TUE	JAN 30	8:00am	INT OF JOHN POLVINALE			
WED	JAN 31	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE			
THU	FEB 1	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE			
FRI	FEB 2	9:00am	PRO-LIFE INTENTION			
SAT	FEB 3	8:00am	JULIE GILL			
		5:30pm	INT OF CARL POLVINALE			
SUN	FEB 4	7:00am	PARISHIONERS			
		8:15am	INT OF OLIVER FAMILY			
		9:30am	EARL MATLOCK			
		11:00am	INT OF KATHY KING			
		12:15pm	SYLVIA PRIETO			
				GOAL	ACTUAL	EFT FIG.
			*COLLECTION	\$15,000.00	\$14,348.85	\$1,601.92
			*POOR BOX	\$ 702.00	\$ 780.05	152.25
			*BUILDING FUND MO. Total	\$ 5,251.98		230.00
			(Sappington Hall)			
			*Catholic School Education	\$1,217.00		

		<u>MASS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>
FEB 3	5:30pm		DENNING & POLLACK	NAU	DEA MIKE/H & K FORD/C&J MILLER
FEB 4	7:00am		J & P RUBELING	LAWN & KUTLIK	KRCMA/McDERMOTT/MEUSE
	8:15am		BOLGER & REITZ	MILLER & POSKA	GRABENSTEIN/POLLOCK/POTOTSCHNIK
	9:30am		BISHOP & FEUZ	THOMPSON & SPIELMAN	SMITH/STANLEY
	11:00am		DECKERT & GORDON	WHITE & SIMONS	BISHOP/M&R TERRELL/D&S WILKS
	12:15pm		MERKEL & SCHRUMPF	ROLFS & KLINE	JONES/RUSSO/SCHABDACH/A&M WHITE
	5:45pm		NO MASS – SUPERBOWL	NO MASS-SUPERBOWL	J & V ABEL/MARLEY
					NO MASS-SUPERBOWL

THERE IS NO 5:45PM MASS NEXT SUNDAY – SUPERBOWL SUNDAY.

NEXT WEEKEND: The second collection will be for Capital Repair for Sappington Hall.

COFFEE & DONUTS will be served next weekend after all the Masses in Sappington Hall.

YOUNG MEN INTERESTED IN THE PRIESTHOOD: On Friday March 16th Msgr. John & Fr. Jerry will host a dinner at St. Peter's for those interested high school age young men who would like to know more about the priesthood and various programs and opportunities available. If you would like to attend this dinner please let Msgr. John know.

REVERENCE AT MASS: There are increasingly more cell phones going off during Mass. I am sure this is an oversight in forgetting to turn them off as you enter the Worship Area. We will post a reminder on the doors for a few weeks just to get you in the habit of turning them off as you enter.

Also, remind children to go to the restroom prior to Mass to cut down on the traffic during Mass. I know the hall has many uses so the transformation from Hall to Church is sometimes hard to make, but it is important to keep a certain decorum while it is used as a Worship space and especially when the Lord is present in the Tabernacle. Certainly polite greetings and signs of fellowship are appropriate, especially since we have no gathering area, but please be respectful of those who are trying to pray before Mass.

THIS WEEK IS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK: We are fortunate to have in Frederick County very fine Catholic

Schools from pre-school to Graduate level education. Even more fortunate is the cooperative spirit that exists among these various institutions in bringing good, strong, Catholic values and morals and quality education and a social conscience to those who avail themselves to these opportunities. Thank you for your monthly support of Catholic education through the green envelopes on the third Sunday of the month. Take a look this week at these schools as they offer open house. Tuition assistance forms are available at the Parish Office. (For St. John's Regional Catholic School apply through the school for appropriate forms.)

TICKETS FOR "AN EVENING IN NEW ORLEANS" are on sale in the foyer after all Masses this weekend. Next weekend will be the last chance to buy tickets after Masses. Deadline to purchase tickets is Monday, Feb. 5th. There will be no tickets sales at the door.

THE 9:30AM NURSERY, on the second Sundays of the month, will begin again on February 11th. Thank you to Diane Player for volunteering to take the position. The first Sundays of the month, still need a volunteer to open the 9:30am slot.

PALM – You may bring in your last year's palm so we can burn it for Ash Wednesday. There will be a collection box in the foyer.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

JER 1: 4-19; 1 COR 12: 31-13; 13; LK 4: 21-30

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

IS 6: 1-8; 1 COR 15: 1-11; LK 5: 1-11

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED: Lila Jean Clewell, grandmother of Stacy Johnston

LADIES CLUB meeting will be held Friday, Feb. 2nd at 10am in the Birch Room after Holy Hour. We will have lunch at Mallard's Restaurant in New Market after the meeting.

PLANNING COMMITTEE meets Monday, 7:45pm in Sappington Hall.

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE meets Tuesday 7pm in the Parish Office Building.

DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE meets Thursday 7pm in the Birch Library.

ALASKA CRUISE TOUR MEETING is scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 4th at 1:30pm in Sullivan Hall. We will be discussing optional trips to Vancouver and Anchorage, as well as port information, please plan to attend. There are three staterooms still available for the August 27th-September 6th cruise tour. For more information call Diana Reuling at 301-663-0485.

STORE CERTIFICATES: Beginning next weekend February 3 & 4, the store certificates program will be offering \$50 gift cards for Martin's Food Store. We also offer gift cards for CVS, Food Lion, Giant, Giant Eagle, Panera, Rite Aid, Safeway, Starbuck's, Superfresh & Weis. So stop by the store certificate table and get your gift cards after Mass. Proceeds are going to the New Church campaign and the Catholic School Tuition Assistance Endowment Fund. We are also looking for more volunteers for our program. If you would like to help, please call Mary O'Connor at 301-865-3029.

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Please come pray in the Lord's Eucharistic Presence. Visiting hours 7am-7pm. **We have immediate openings for a 6pm Friday.** Call Linda 301-829-2888 or Diane 301-898-0833 if you can take an hour.

THANK YOU to all who came to the Life March. God Bless You!

PRAY WITH THE HEART PRAYER GROUP will meet this Wednesday, January 31st at 7:30pm for Adoration, Rosary and Prayer in the Adoration Chapel.

YARD SALE & AUCTION 2007: We will not be accepting any donations until the end of February for Yard Sale Items. If you have auction items they must be approved by Laura or Janice. We will not be accepting computers, exercise equipment or car seats.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Council will host a Third Degree on Friday, Feb. 2nd in our parish center. A few workers are needed to work the kitchen for the pre degree meal and the social following the degree. The time commitment is from 4pm to 10pm. Contact Jim Conko if you can help, 301-831-3167. All 2nd degree knights are encouraged to take their 3rd degree at this exemplification. You must be registered by this Wednesday the 31st. RSVP to PGK Jim Conko. ...The council is accepting nominations for leadership positions for our council and our Charity and Home Corporations. Contact DGK Marty Nau if interested in Council Leadership. At the moment the council is in need of a Warden and a Recorder for the 2007-08 elections.

K OF C VALENTINE'S DAY EVENT: On Saturday, February 10th at the 5:30pm Mass couples and their children are invited to renew their marriage vows during the Mass and attend a "reception" following the Mass in Sappington Hall. There is no cost to participants and all parishioners are invited to attend this fourth annual event. The reception will feature a Marriage Vows Renewal Certificate, ice-cream, cake, door prizes and beverages.

RAFFLE FOR APPALACHIA: Raffle tickets for an outdoor propane gas grill will be sold after masses in Sappington Hall on the first Sunday of the month February-May. Proceeds will benefit the SPY Appalachia Program and social outreach. Call Lew at 301-898-7910 for tickets at other times. The grill is a Jen-Air stainless steel, 52,000 BTU unit. Main features include four brass main burners, side and rotisserie burners, 869 sq. inches of working space, spice rack and cabinet storage.

ABOUT OUR PRAYER LIST: Our prayer list will be updated regularly. If you wish to remove or add a name, please contact the office. To protect privacy, names will be included on our prayer list only if they are submitted by a relative or by the person requesting prayers.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK- Theresa Pirrone, Robert Flaherty, Glen Morrison, Mary Hunt, Jason Bates, Joseph Pirrone, Marilyn Hall, Steve White, Orlando Rea, Harry Blanchard, Krystyna Cichocki, Anne Neher, Larry Mauceri, Fred Moxley, Tom Weedon, Louis Webb, Kenny Jordan, Kim Miller, Chris Roby, Denis Ellis, Danielle Kline, Donna Jacobs, Dolores Sperlein, Sandy O'Donnell, Anna Tomalis, Florence Bannister, Charles Guarnieri, Justin Offutt, Connor Rutledge, Karen/Jessica Connery, Robert Young, baby Mathis, William Schneehagen, Marjorie Jones, Msgr. Art Valenzano, Fr. John Carter, Tom Arnold, Fr. Wayne Funk, Lee Fregde, Dorothy Hart, Lillian Garnett, Carla Carlson, Jones Family, Faith Frazier, Myrtle Carlin, Tina Hemmer, Jim Jennelle, Georg Scott, Theresa Johnston, Carolyn Kolega, Ruth Bellamy, Arlo Cummins, Thoreson Family, Rose France, Kayla Zeillinger, Agostina Rossi, Steven Nagy, Andrew Shurney, Jim Pugh, Elizabeth Mason, Mike Drunet, Lydia Cook, David Foster, R. Humphrey Cissel, Neil Petroski, Katherine Kent, Ruth Seilhamer, Rosita Berger, Kirsten Bowman, Joey Offutt, Mary Shaw, Craig Rice, Randy Kinter, Pat Wallace, Anthony Walter, Ellen Michalski, Norman Fraley, Tom McKoy, Charles Payne, Kathy King, Ann Fowler, Isabel Adams

ATTEND LOBBY NIGHT IN ANNAPOLIS: The event is scheduled for Presidents' Day, Monday, February 19th. Lobby Night features briefings on legislation under consideration by the Maryland legislature, face-to-face meetings with state lawmakers, and a legislative reception. For more information or to register, contact Chris Santo 410-269-1155 or 301-261-1979, or register online at www.mdccathcon.org.

ST. JOHN REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Please come to our **Open House grades pre-K-8, Wed., Jan. 31st, 9am-1pm.** Tours of the school will be provided and curriculum displayed. Applications will be accepted. For more information, call 301-695-9358 or visit the school website www.sjrccs.org.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC PREP is proud to celebrate over 175 years of providing quality Catholic education. Our upcoming schedule of events will be held Jan 28th - Feb. 2nd. Visit our website at www.saintjohnsprep.org.

MOTHER SETON SCHOOL New Student Applications for grades pre-K through 8 in 2007-08. Please call 301-447-3161 or email Terry Smith at office@mothersetonschool.org to schedule a personal tour or to inquire about application procedures for the upcoming school year. To learn more about us, go to www.mothersetonschool.org.

Don't miss our All You Can Eat **Spaghetti Dinner** on February 4th, 12-5pm, 100 Creamery Rd., Emmitsburg.

OPEN HOUSE - ST. THOMAS MORE ACADEMY Wed., Jan. 31st from 9am-2pm. We are now accepting application for grades pre K- 8 for the 2007-08 school year. For more info call 301-874-9014 or www.stmamd.org.

VISITATION ACADEMY invites you to participate in our **OPEN HOUSE** on Fri., Feb. 2nd at 200 East Second St., Frederick. Our doors will be open from 10am-2pm.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

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ADULT MINISTRY

- **BAPTISM PREP CLASSES** - For parents meets February 7 or March 14 from 7 – 9 PM in the Birch Library. You need only one godparent and this person must be Catholic; to have celebrated Confirmation; is at least 16 years of age, and is practicing the faith (attending mass each week and celebrating the sacraments). **As a reminder – there are no Baptisms beginning February 21st through April 7th due to Lent.**
- **NEW HORIZON'S** meeting for February will be held on the 15th at 11:30 a.m. in Sullivan Hall. Topic for the meeting will be announced.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**
 - January Sunday classes: 1/28.
 - January Monday classes: 1/29.
 - February Sunday classes: 2/4, 2/11 & 2/25 (No class on 2/18 President's Day)
 - February Monday classes: 2/5, 2/12 & 2/26 (No class on 2/19 President's Day)
- **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:**
 - Reconciliation Family - Saturday, February 24th from 9AM – 1PM.
 - Reconciliation Service – Tuesday, February 27th @ 7PM.
 - Eucharist Preparation – March 6 (**closed**), 13 or 20th – please call to register.

Eucharist Celebrations – Please call Stacy in the REC at 301-898-5111 ext. 18 to reserve your date & time. **Saturday, May 12th & May 19th @ 1:00PM are no longer available. Please leave your name & number & you will be contacted in the order calls are received.**

STAND TRAINING

*Is required for any individual having substantial contact with children.
Contact Anne Mason for information regarding the next available session.*

YOUTH MINISTRY

- **ALL YOUTH MINISTRY MEETS TONIGHT**
- **SUPERBOWL SUB SALE:** After all masses Super Bowl weekend. All proceeds to benefit Youth Ministry. Cost is \$5 each or 3 for \$12.
- **SOUPER BOWL OF CARING:** The Youth Group will be collecting \$ donations after all masses Super Bowl weekend to help alleviate hunger in the local area.
- **CONFIRMATION SMALL GROUP MEETING:** Wednesday, January 31st from 7:00 – 8:30. Make sure to bring your bible & confirmation book.
- **STEUBENVILLE:** Mark your calendar – June 22nd – 24th.
- **APPALACHIA:** Mark your calendar – July 15th – 20th.
- **YOUTH MINISTRY PERMISSION SLIP:** Is now available on-line @ the St Peter's web-site www.stpeter-libertytown.org/youthministry.htm download it & save it for all future events.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

- * Check the main page of our web-site www.stpeter-libertytown.org
- * If Frederick County Public Schools **are closed**...we **do not** have sessions for children / parents.
- * If FCPS **close early**...we **do not** have sessions for children or parents.
- * **Saturday & Sunday Programs** ...tune into WTTR and WFRE – decisions will be made early in the morning **for Pre-school through Grade5 & by 2PM for Grades 6-12.**
- * Announcements will also be on radio stations... WTTR and WFRE after 3PM Monday through Friday.
- * Weekend Mass will take place as usual unless otherwise noted.



Pencils and Paper for Peace

Help our soldiers spread peace and
God's love to the people of Iraq.

St. Peter's is helping the Lawrence family to
collect school supplies for their son Tim to
distribute to schools in the area where he is
stationed.

We will be collecting supplies starting
Feb. 4 through Feb. 12.

There will be boxes in the Parish Center
foyer and classrooms in the basement.

Items to donate: Pencils, paper, notebooks,
pens, crayons, markers, rulers etc.

We will not be able to accept any printed
materials.

**God bless, and thank you for
supporting our troops.**