

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

May 18, 2008

### ADULT MINISTRY

- **Baptism Prep Classes** - For parents meets on Tuesday, May 20<sup>th</sup> or June 17 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.)

**Marriage Tip of the Week:** "Couples with two jobs, two cars and two kids say they're often too tired, too stressed and too bored when they do manage to find one-on-one time" (Dr. John Friel). Do you have the courage to simplify your life?

- **Catholic 101** – Is a refresher class for adults to re-learn all the significant parts of the Mass and why we do what we do when we gather for worship. This is a great way to prepare for worship in our new church! Class offerings will run concurrent with children's religious education classes. Select from one of three options: Mondays 5 - 6:15 pm; Monday 6:45 - 8 pm or Tuesday 6:15 - 7:30 pm. Because each class builds on the previous week, it is recommended that you attend each weekly session. Cost is \$50 (if you have a bible and the Catechism of the Catholic church, your class fee is \$36.) The second half of the year we will be studying, *Men and Women are from Eden, God's Plan for Human Sexuality* from JPPI's *Theology of the Body*. Classes are open to all adults.

- **Annulments** –If you would like information on annulments, contact Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14.
- **THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC?** We would love to meet with you to discuss any questions you may have and to help you along the journey through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Our informal gathering will be on Tuesday, June 10 at 7 pm in the Birch Library. Call Carolyn if you have any questions or would like to RSVP – 301-898-5111 x 14.

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

#### 2008-2008 Religious Education:

- **Registration** – see form in today's bulletin or register on-line @ [www.stpeter-libertytown.org](http://www.stpeter-libertytown.org)
- **Volunteers are needed to help support our program next year.** These are the areas: Tuesday 6:15 pm – PreK, Kindergarten, Grade 1 catechists. *You will be trained and supported throughout the year. Call Anne Mason for details 301-898-5111 ext. 17 or [amason@archbalt.org](mailto:amason@archbalt.org) re: Rel Ed.*



**Vacation Bible School:** Join us at the Beach Party June 23 – June 27. See flyer & registration form in today's bulletin or register on-line

**Team Meeting- June 16 @ 7 pm in Sullivan Hall.**

### YOUTH MINISTRY

- **Confirmation Reunion Picnic** is Sunday, May 18 from 5-8 pm in the pavilion. Chili dogs & drinks will be provided. Come and enjoy food, fun, games & time with your friends! All new Confirmandi, adult team & peer ministers are invited.
- **Appalachia** Is July 13th-18th. Any adult interested in helping please contact Harry in the Religious Education office. Cost for teens will be \$85, please pay by May 26.
- **Steubenville/Appalachia Orientation Meeting** is 7 pm Thursday, June 5 in the parish center. All involved need to attend. All unpaid money is due at this meeting.
- **Interested in becoming a Youth Minister?** We are in need of several volunteers for the upcoming year. Call Harry for further information.
- **Know Web-Site design?** We need someone to revitalize our Youth Ministry site for the upcoming year. Contact Harry if interested.

**STAND &  
WORTHY OF THE CALL  
June 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 7PM  
Classrooms 2-4 & 3-5  
Call Stacy to register & get your paperwork!  
Teens volunteering as peer ministers need to attend!**