

ST. PETER'S PARISH

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 12, 2008

		<u>MASSES</u>			
MON	OCT 13	7:00pm	JOHN & CECELIA ROCHE		
TUE	OCT 14	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
WED	OCT 15	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
THU	OCT 16	8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
FRI	OCT 17	9:00am	ANTOINETTE GILMAN		
SAT	OCT 18	8:00am	WALTER FARIOLE		
		5:30pm	BILL OLIVER		
SUN	OCT 19	7:15am	PARISHIONERS		
		9:00am	CONRAD WEIGH		
		11:00am	ROBERT LAPANNE		
		5:45pm	INT OF LIZ HUNTER		
				GOAL	COLLECTION & EFT FIG.
				*COLLECTION	\$17,060.00 \$ 15,920.00 2,069.00
				*POOR BOX	\$ 721.00 \$ 332.38 208.00
				*CHURCH MORTGAGE MO.	\$ 7,382.50 1,712.00

		<u>OCTOBER 18 & 19</u>			
	<u>MASS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>	
OCT 18	5:30pm	G & L & M MOCHI	GREGORY & LAWRENCE	DEA MIKE/GAUDINO/MALONEY/MIDDLET ON TERCERO	
OCT 19	7:15am	DECKERT/POLLAK/HUTCHINSON	POSKA & NEW LECTOR	STANLEY/KRCMA/ZARICK	
	9:00am	BISHOP/NORRIS/STURM	CLEMONS & MILLER	ABEL/BISHOP/BURR/KRUG/LAWN/NAPLES	
	11:00am	DIGREGORY/A & S SUPROCK	KINZE & GAUDLIP	WEAVER/D & S WILKS	
	5:45pm	J & P & T RUBELING	YOUTH	A&M DIGREGORY/JONES/KOEHLER/KYLE	
				PALMISANO/PUGH/D & C TURLIK	
				YOUTH	

NOTE that Tuesday morning is a Communion Service.

7:00pm. New members welcome. For more info call Theresa Conko 301-831-3167.

NEXT WEEKEND the second collection will be for Catholic School Education. An offering envelope is in your envelope packet.

PRO-LIFE SPEAKER, Friday, Oct. 17th, 10am in the Daily Mass Chapel. Fr. Thomas Koys, pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish in Chicago will be speaking about his book *The Ashes that Still Remain*+comparing 2 legal systems, one protecting slavery and the other the killing of the unborn.

THE HEARING AID DEVICES are in for our Sound System. You can pick up a set in the Ken Spielman Usher Room off the foyer prior to mass and return it there after mass. In about a month we will be taking orders for those who want to purchase your own set, but first we want you to be able to try these.

ALL SOULS ENVELOPES: Please fill out the names of those you would like remembered and return them in the collection basket or by mail by Oct. 26th. Your loved ones will be remembered at the Masses on November 2nd and all the weekday Masses of November.

A GENTLE REMINDER that the kneelers are for your knees, not your feet.

THE COLD WEATHER AND THE DAY SHELTER in Frederick are both looking for volunteers to serve at least 3 shifts from November . March. Volunteers must be 18 years or older. Call 301-631-2670 ext. 112 or ext. 108 for information and times of a training date.

THE ADORATION CHAPEL is still not complete. I am putting some pressure to get it completed soon. The opening date is pending.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

IS 25: 6-10a; PHIL 4: 12-20; MT 22: 1-14

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

IS 45: 1-6; 1 THES 1:1-5b; MT 22: 15-21

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED: Marjory Jones, mother of Kathleen Sis and Diana Bracone

WHAT ARE THE CONDITIONS ACTUALLY LIKE IN HAITI? Bill, a Haitian native, will present his compelling story and world-renowned music at our Haitian awareness dinner on Sat., Oct. 25th at 7:00pm in the Parish Center. Cost: adults \$10, children \$5, Maximum \$35 a family. Bring a dessert to share. Tickets on sale after all Masses. Call Dorothy at 301-831-7223 or the Parish Office. Please join us in this effort to help the poorest of poor in Haiti.

THE FOLLOWING WERE WELCOMED INTO THE CHURCH THROUGH BAPTISM:

Anthony James Poska, Peter Matthew Starvaggi, Jacquelyn Helen Cole, Wyatt Evan Tressler and Francesca Lorris Braus

FLOWERS- We will be needing flowers on a regular basis to beautify our church. To enable us to do this we will be offering Flower Memorials to honor special occasions for the living and the deceased, ranging from \$75-\$100. Please call Rose Grimes at 301-606-6419 or Diane Rolfs at 301-898-0833 if you have any questions or want to schedule a weekend. Thanks!

OCTOBER IS Respect Life Month and the Month of the Rosary.

REMINDER: Last time to register to vote is October 14th in Winchester Hall.

GREETERS NEEDED: With the opening of the new church, there is a need for additional greeters for our Hospitality Ministry. There is a particular need for greeters at the 5:30pm Saturday evening and 7:15am Sunday Masses, in addition to

THE LITURGY COMMITTEE meeting has been changed from the Oct. 13th to Oct. 20th

"KNIGHT LIGHTS" - St. Peter's Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary meet this Wed., October 15th in the Birch Library at

the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses. Please call Sheila Thompson 301-845-8269 if you can volunteer for this ministry once every month or two.

EVENT RENTALS-Please visit our new rental website at www.stpetersrental.com

MEALS FOR FAMILIES IN CRISIS: If you are in need or if you know of anyone in need of temporary help with meals because of childbirth, illness, accident, surgery or an unexpected tragedy please call Rose Grimes 301-606-6419. Also, please call if you'd like your name added to our list of volunteers who prepare the meals.

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Hours are now available for an occasional sub for 1am or 2:00am Sunday into Monday morning. We can always use more people to sub for both day and night hours. Please call Linda 301-829-2888 or Diane 301-898-0833 to take an hour or for more information. Our new chapel's opening will be delayed until November. Thanks for your continued patience.

16TH INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER & FASTING: Eucharistic Prayer Vigil at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, D.C., on Mon, Oct. 13th 9am-5pm, many good speakers and Mass. For more information call (888)-478-PRAY. Please continue to remember the pro-life intention.

PRO-LIFE - 40 DAYS FOR LIFE (Now thru Nov. 2) Archbishop O'Brien has strongly endorsed this nationwide prayer effort to end abortion which spans 175 cities. He asks all parishes to participate and information for us is at: 40daysforlife.com/frederick. Last year, St. Peter's inspired the community with their prayer vigil at the abortion clinic. This year, efforts are underway to cover all 40 days there. Our parish is asked to be a prayerful witness on the Saturdays of Oct. 18, 25 and Nov. 1 from 7am-7pm, needing 24 people each Saturday, 2 per hour. We will be taking sign-ups for our Saturdays. We also encourage all to pray for the success of these 40 days and will be taking pledges for this. Kathy Baer (301-845-0243) and Catherine Martin (301-865-9089) will be the coordinator's for St. Peter's. Thanks to those who are participating.

PRO-LIFE ACTION NEEDED: There are more than 40 pregnancy resource centers in Maryland that provide life-affirming, free support to pregnant women in need. The abortion industry has launched a nation-wide campaign to eliminate its competition by shutting down pregnancy resource centers. The Maryland General Assembly will likely consider legislation during the 2009 session that would seriously hinder the ability of these centers to provide assistance to women experiencing a crisis pregnancy. Our parish will hold an electronic letter-writing campaign after Masses on October 18-19 and again October 25-26 to enable parishioners to contact their lawmakers about this and other life-related issues. Please plan now to participate. This is something easy and simple that you can do to promote the culture of life. See the Knights of Columbus in the Gathering Space to find out more.

PRAY WITH THE HEART PRAYER GROUP will meet this Wednesday, October 15th, 7:30pm for Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary and Prayer in the Adoration Chapel.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: First Degree at St. Katharine Drexel on Monday the 13th at 7:30pm; Candidates by 7pm. • Thanks to all that helped with our color Fest event. • Council meeting next week on Tuesday the 21st, 7:30pm Sappington Hall. • Council First Degree Team. We are in need of non speaking rolls such as a prompter, guards of honor and a CD music technician. We also need back-up speaking parts. Contact team captain Jim Conko, 301-865-4565. • Our parish tootsie roll event will be next weekend. Helpers are needed for

all Masses to hand out tootsie rolls after Mass. Contact Mike Bir if you can help us help the special population of Frederick County, 301-865-3119. • **Family Night at the Movies**—Our council is sponsoring the 3rd Family Night on Saturday the 18th at 7pm; Sappington Hall. The movie is **NEVER ENDING STORY-1**+no cost; soda and popcorn provided. • **Become a Knight, join 1.7 million Catholic men** world wide as we work to extend the kingship+of our Lord to all of Mankind through works of Charity and prayer. Call Grand Knight Jim Zik, 301-829-2872. ...+ WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE+

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK - Mary Unglesbee, Tom McKoy, Victoria Gruodis, Barbara Slick, Hunter Pugh, John Seifert, Kathy King, Chris Brighoff, Donald Boyd, Marj Jones, Anne Morrissey, Liz Hunter, Kerry Santullo, Denis Roos, Benjamin Larrick, Adam Berlin, Kathy King, Joe Good, Laura Anne Luscenski, Robert Lapanne, Joanne Racheff, Penny Best, George & Dina Strauss, Regina Moran, Carla Carlson, Kim Hildebrand, Mary Catherine White, Nancy Hanel, Mildred Merski, Ben Bache

Names will be kept on the prayer list for 1 month from the time they are requested. At the end of that time, you may renew your prayer request by calling the Parish Office. Anyone wishing to receive Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the Parish Office.

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT GATHERING: Come to the Carroll St. Café, 124 S. Carroll St. in Frederick on Thurs., Oct. 16th, 7-9pm. The topic will be **our Faith! Your Vote!**

ST. JOHN REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL will hold its annual book fair Oct. 13-17 from 8am-3pm in the media center. A special community book fair event will be held Sunday, Oct. 12th from 10am-12:30pm. Start your Christmas shopping early!

OPEN HOUSE at Our Lady of Good Counsel High School for all 7th & 8th grade students and their families at our new campus (17301 Old Vic Blvd., Olney, MD 20832) with guided tours on Sunday, Oct. 19th, 10am -1pm. Questions call Kevin Collins 240-283-3230.

OPEN HOUSE at St. Maria Goretti High School in Hagerstown on Sunday, Oct. 19th. Registration begins at 1pm. Please call 301-739-4266 x132 for more information.

OPEN HOUSE at Visitation Academy, Tuesday, October 28th, 10am - 2pm. The Academy is an all girl Catholic school from PreK3 to 8th grade. For more information call 301-662-2814 or visit our website www.thevisitationacademy.org

GIRLS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS! If you attend a Catholic School or Catholic Parish in Frederick County you are eligible to play for St. John's Vikings in the Mid-Maryland League. We have a Varsity & JV Squad open to all 6th, 7th and 8th grade girls. Tryout Thursday, Oct. 16th at 8:00pm, Whittier Elementary School Recreation Center, 2400 Whittier Dr. Questions . contact Mike Middeke @mmiddeke@bww.com.

ROSARY FOR PEACE at the Washington Monument on Sunday, Oct. 12th at 7:45pm, sponsored by the Workers of St. Joseph. For more information call 703-323-7582.

CASH BASH – Sat., Oct. 18th at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Ctr., Thurmont, MD. Doors open 2pm, tickets \$25, none sold at the door. Call the Parish Office 301-447-2367/John Dowling 301-271-4439 to purchase tickets or for more information.

FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP AND VOTING presented by Dr. Steven Miles Professor of Moral Theology from St. Mary's Seminary and University.. What are some of the moral issues to consider as you make your choice to vote in the up coming election? How are you as a Catholic called to form your decision in the light of Catholic teachings on moral and social justice issues? What are the pertinent teachings of the Church that might help us make a decision as we vote for the next leader of the free world? Join us for a lecture on Tues., Oct. 21st at 7:30pm at St. Joseph-on-Carrollton Manor Parish Center, 5843 Manor Woods Rd., Frederick. For more information call 301-663-0907.

THE DAUGHTERS OF CHARITY are offering a Come and See+retreat weekend November 7-9, 2008. Single women ages 18-35 interested in a vocation as a Sister are invited to attend. The retreat will be held in Emmitsburg, MD. If interested please contact Sr. Denise LaRock, D.C. at 410-646-2074 or devoc@doc.org. www.thedaughtersofcharity.org

COUNTRY BREAKFAST at Libertytown Volunteer Fire Dept. next Sunday, Oct. 19th, 7am-11:30am. Proceeds to benefit two local families (Mrs.ARGE Henderson & Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Harding) to help them rebuild after house fire on July 14th.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

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ADULT MINISTRY

Marriage Tip of the Week: "If a married couple with children has 15 minutes of uninterrupted, nonlogistical, non-problem solving talk every day, I would put them in the top 5% of all married couples" (Bill Doherty, Take Back Your Marriage). Try it for a week. A great way to start is by participating in the **Ten Great Dates program being offered in the parish. Make your marriage a high priority!**

- **Baptism Prep Classes** - For parents meets on Tuesday, Oct. 21 or Nov 18 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.)
- **NEW HORIZON:** Will have their annual Halloween Party on October, 16th @ 11AM. Come join the fun! Costume encouraged, prizes given for best, most original and funniest costume. Bring a dish to share for the pot-luck lunch.
- **ADULT CLASSES**
- **TIM 4** – Young Adult Ministry meets on Oct 19 from 3-5:30 pm at Dawn's house. If you are a young adult between the ages of 18 and 30ish, come and join us.
- **Annulments** – If you would like information on annulments, contact Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14.
- **10 GREAT DATES** – Do something really great for your marriage and make a date with your spouse! The first date is October 17 at 7 pm in the Parish Center. The topic *Choosing a High Priority Marriage*. Cost is \$15/book/couple. Contact Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14 for more information.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

CLASS SESSION INFORMATION:

- Monday 5:00PM – Session Closed
- Monday 6:45PM – Limited Space
- Tuesday 6:15PM – All Classes Open
- **Needed for Religious Ed project:** Empty Pringles Cans – please leave downstairs in PC.
- **Advent/Christmas Program:** Please see the sign up sheet downstairs in the PC if you are able to donate cupcakes or juice for our Advent programs on December 15th & 16th.
- **Home Program Model:** Please contact the office to set up a time for material pick up between 9 and 3 Monday – Friday.
- **Family Life Program**
Don't forget – please send in your Permission Slips

- **Sacramental Preparation**
 - ❖ **Parent & Child Night:** Thursday, October 16th @ 7PM in Sullivan Hall. Any child preparing for Reconciliation & First Eucharist should attend this session.
- **All Saints Celebration:** Check your child's folder for information concerning our annual "All Saints" celebration on November 3 -4 in the classrooms.

YOUTH MINISTRY

As a reminder, SPY now meets upstairs in the Parish Center and Jr. SPY meets in Sappington Hall.

Any teen interested in being a lector for the 5:45 youth Mass or any Confirmed teen interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of the cup, please contact Harry in the Youth Ministry Office as soon as possible.

- **All Youth Ministry meets tonight @ 7PM.**
- **5:45PM Youth Mass tonight.**
- **SPY Fun Lock-in is Oct 17th-18th** starting at 7PM Friday and ending 9AM Sat. Cost will be about \$5. Details at SPY.
- **Teens are needed to help serve at the Haitian Awareness Dinner night.** Hours are from 6:30-10:30PM. You can earn service hours for Confirmation or school for helping. Sign up at SPY.
- **Jr. SPY & SPY:** Several opportunities to earn money towards retreats and other events are coming up. Information will be at youth ministry this weekend.
- **Teens: Are any of your friends interested in learning about the Catholic Faith?** We will be offering RCIA for teens this year beginning in November. Classes will be on Sundays from 4PM-5PM. Call Harry for further information.
- **Confirmation program begins in January.** You must be in 10th grade or beyond to participate. Please register now, so that we can begin to recruit small group leaders. There is an additional fee of \$75.00 for the program to cover the cost of the retreat and materials. Call Harry in the Rel. Ed. office with any questions.
- **Interested in becoming a Youth Minister?** Call Harry for further information.