

ST. PETER'S PARISH

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 19, 2008

		<u>MASSES</u>		
MON	OCT 20 7:00pm	REDMOND FAMILY LIVING & DECEASED		
TUE	OCT 21 8:00am	EILEEN BURNS		
WED	OCT 22 8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
THU	OCT 23 8:00am	COMMUNION SERVICE		
FRI	OCT 24 9:00am	GILLESPIE FAMILY LIVING & DECEASED	GOAL	COLLECTION & EFT FIG.
SAT	OCT 25 8:00am	INT OF KIM PFAFF	*COLLECTION	\$17,060.00 \$ 19,292.65 2,069.00
	5:30pm	DORIS SAVAGE	*POOR BOX	\$ 721.00 \$ 437.90 208.00
SUN	OCT 26 7:15am	PARISHIONERS	*CHURCH MORTGAGE MO.	\$ 8,406.50 1,712.00
	9:00am	JIM LEE		
	11:00am	INT OF LINDA YOUNG		

OCTOBER 25 & 26

		<u>MASS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>
OCT 25	5:30pm		E & P GILL, GORDON	LEVASSEUR & FORD	DEA MIKE/HOEHL/H&KFORD/KENNEDY
OCT 26	7:15am		M & P DuBOYCE/SHERRICK	SMELLER & NEW LECTOR	J & K HAYES/VAUGHAN
	9:00am		BOLGER & WORTEN	NEW LECTOR & KLINE	DORSCH/GRABENSTEIN/GRANT/GRUODIS
					OHDE/POLLAK/POTOTSCHNIK/ROAN
					WOODCOCK
	11:00am		J & L & T MOXLEY	LILLY & MOXLEY	C&D DOUDS/DeCARLO/GORDON/MOXLEY
					POOLE/J & E SADLER/SIMON

THERE IS NO 5:45PM MASS NEXT SUNDAY EVENING, OCT. 26TH.

NEXT WEEKEND the second collection will be for World Missions. An offering envelope is in your envelope packet.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

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

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

EX 22: 20-26; 1 THES 1: 5c-10; MT 22: 34-40

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

LITURGY COMMITTEE meets Monday, Oct. 20th at 7:30pm in the Parish Office Building.

LADIES CLUB MEETING will be held Oct. 31st, 10:00am in the Birch Library. Date change because of Christmas Bazaar. Lunch will be after the meeting at Mountain Gate Restaurant.

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.

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.

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.

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!

CROSSING GUARD VOLUNTEERS: We are still in need of crossing guards before and after Mass times for our new church.. The plan is to have 2 crossing guards controlling traffic at the crosswalk 20 minutes before and about 15 minutes after each new mass time. So far we have 27 volunteers that have signed up, **BUT** we really need about 13 more church members to make this crossing guard idea work smoothly. We especially need volunteers for the 5:30pm Saturday evening and Sunday evening at 5:45pm. We will reschedule training as needed. Stop sign and safety vest will be provided. We would like to get enough volunteers so a ~~once~~ once a month+ rotating schedule could be implemented. Please volunteer by calling Phil Burr 443-604-0508 or Rick Gaudino 301-865-1457 if you could donate your time.

NOTE: When writing an on-line check to St. Peter's, please remember to designate the purpose of the check (envelope #, Building Fund, etc.).

DONATIONS ARE STILL NEEDED FOR THE SILENT AUCTION at this year's Christmas in the Country+ Holiday Festival. If you plan to give a donation, please do so as soon as possible. The event is just a few weeks away. Call Laura at 301-898-5111 ext. 13 with any questions.

ALSO: Christmas Around the World+ Theme Basket is in need of donated items of packaged foods, ornaments and other gift items from around the world. .

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

PERPETUAL EUCCHARISTIC 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 Chapel's visiting hours are 7am-9pm daylight savings time (but closed the hour of daily Mass or Communion Services). We plan to open our new Chapel in November. We will keep you posted. Thanks for your understanding and patience.

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. 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 next weekend, 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 22nd, 7:30pm for Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary and Prayer in the Adoration Chapel.

HEALING PRAYER TEAM – Whether it is spiritual, physical or emotional, we all have times we need to ask the Lord to bring us to wholeness. St. Peter's parish has a trained and dedicated prayer team available to pray with individuals seeking the Lord's healing presence. Confidentiality is strictly maintained. For more information or to schedule an appointment please contact Rose Grimes at 301-606-6419. The prayer team is accountable to Msgr. John Dietzenbach.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Council meeting this Tuesday the 21st, 4th degree recruitment will be a feature of the meeting; 7:30pm Sappington Hall. • District meeting at 11631 on November 1st, 9am. • Fr. McGivney Assembly meets on Thursday the 23rd at St. Michael's, 7:30pm. • NEW TO OUR PARISH? **Become a member of the Knights of Columbus**. 1.7 million Catholic men strong and growing worldwide. Help our parish and community through unity in prayer and charity. 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, Anne Morrissey, Liz Hunter, Kerry Santullo, Denis Roos, Benjamin Larrick, Adam Berlin, Kathy King, Joe Good, Laura Anne Luszenski, Robert Lapanne, Joanne Racheff, Penny Best, George & Dina Strauss, Regina Moran, Carla Carlson, Kim Hildebrand, Mary Catherine White, Nancy Hanel, Mildred Merski, Ben Bache, Kyla Zeilinger, Gabby Cannella, Beth Mason

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.

ST. JOHN REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL will be hosting an Archdiocese of Baltimore Regional Catholic High School Fair on Wed., Oct. 22nd, 6:30pm-8:30pm in McElroy Hall. This is an opportunity for 6th-8th grade students and their families to learn more about the high schools in the Archdiocese of Baltimore.

ALSO: OPEN HOUSE –for Pre-K-8th Grade, Wed., Nov. 12th at 7pm. Applications for the 2009-10 school year will be accepted. Forms will be available at www.sjrco.org beginning Nov. 1st.

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

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 upcoming 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

79th HAM & TURKEY DINNER at St. Mary's Church, Barnesville, MD on Sat., Oct. 25th from noon-7:00pm, adults & carryout \$12, under 12 eat for free (dine-in only). For more info. call 301-972-8660.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS council 1622 are sponsoring a Chili Dinner, Sat., Nov. 1st, 5pm-7pm, at St. John's Parish Community Center cafeteria, Frederick, tickets \$10 adults; \$9 seniors and youth 13-18; children 5 & under eat free.

THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR will hold their Annual Ceramic Bazaar and Bake Sale at St. Martin's Home, 601 Maiden Choice Lane, Catonsville, MD on Saturday, October 25th from 9am to 4pm. For more info call 410-744-9367.

RETREAT: In the year of St. Paul, meet him at The Retreat at Seton Center, Emmitsburg, MD December 5-7. Fr. Jack Lombardi, Chaplain of the Grotto at Emmitsburg will guide participants through the life, message and permanence of his mission in our world of today. For more info contact Fr. Jack Lombardi at Lombardi@msmarry.edu

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER is a weekend full of fresh love, rebirth and new beginnings. All married couples deserve a richer, fuller life together. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and find out how. Upcoming weekend is Nov. 7-9. For more information call toll free 1-877-558-5683 or visit our Web Site at <http://wwme.net>.

A RACHEL'S VINEYARD WEEKEND RETREAT for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held in Sparks, MD on October 24-26th. The retreat is a confidential and emotionally safe environment for those struggling after abortion. Contact Project Rachel at 410-354-6900 or email projectrachel@archbalt.org. Please visit www.project-rachel.net or www.rachelsvineyard.org or call the toll-free national hotline, 1-877-HOPE-4-ME.

VOCATION WEBSITE: Check out the Archdiocese of Baltimore Vocation Office website at www.becomeapriest.org. Learn more about becoming a priest from the seminarians by viewing their blogs on the seminarian pages. Check the calendar of events involved with discernment activities.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

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ADULT MINISTRY

Marriage Tip of the Week: Who is the more patient of the two of you? If you're the less patient one, study your spouse's ways and learn. If you're the more patient one, resist the urge to feel superior. You have other faults.

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 Fr. Gene Room in the upper hall of the Parish Center. 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.)

ADULT CLASSES

- **10 GREAT DATES** – Do something really great for your marriage and make a date with your spouse! The next date is Saturday, November 15 at 7 pm at St. John's, Frederick in the school building. The topic is *Learning to Talk*. Cost is \$15/book/couple. Contact Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14 for more information.
- **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.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

OCTOBER CALENDAR:

- Monday : Oct. 20th & 27th
- Tuesday 21st & 28th
- **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

Spy E-mail is now
hford@archbalt.org

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. There is no 5:45 Mass next Sunday, Oct 26th World Youth Day.**
- **World Youth Day** is Sunday Oct. 26th from Noon-3PM in the Pavilion at St. Peter's . Food and Games for all youth ministry teens. Cost is \$4. for JC's Gang/Jr. SPY and \$8.00 for SPY.
- **Jr. SPY** parents are asked to sign-up for bringing snacks. You only need to do one time during the year, sign-up sheets are available at Jr.SPY.
- **All parents!** Please sign up to help at one youth ministry session. Sign-up sheets are available at each youth ministry session.
- **SPY Parents!** We need your help driving to and from Summit Lake for the SPY Retreat on Nov 14-16. Please sign up early so you can get your drivers approval. Call Harry
- **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.

The following adults celebrated the Rite of Acceptance into the Order of Catechumens in preparation for their baptisms at the Easter Vigil:

Charles Orbin
Wesley Pastorfield

The following adults celebrated the Rite of Welcoming Baptized but Previously Un-Catechized Adults who are preparing for their Confirmation and/or Eucharist or Reception into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil:

Candace Archer
Kimberly Curry
Kelly Hereth
Brian Miller
Clarence Orbin
Melissa Pfaff
David Price
Paul Sparks
Chad Jressler

Please keep our catechumens and candidates in your prayers each week that the Holy Spirit will guide them as they study our Catholic faith and lead them closer to Jesus Christ.

