

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / ASCENSION

MAY 24, 2009

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Monday	May 25	9:15 AM (SP)	St. Patrick C.C.W.
Tuesday	May 26	8:30 AM (SP)	+Fr. Emiliano Competente
Wednesday	May 27		NO MASS
Thursday	May 28	8:30 AM (SC)	+Fred Cross
Friday	May 29	8:30 AM (SP)	+Rollie Ryan family
Saturday	May 30	5:00 PM (SP)	+Ed & Harold Schmitt
Sunday	May 31	8:30 AM (SC)	For our parishioners, guests, & visitors
		10:30 AM (SP)	+Anna Sandey

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MAY 30 & 31, 2009

St. Patrick

Extraordinary Ministers	5/30	Dave Roach, Evelyn Scheffler, Volunteer
	5/31	Tim Sonnek, Everett Nelson, Dan Cervenka, Dan Cross
Lectors	5/30	Lynne Hoffman
	5/31	Ron McBroom
Acolytes	5/30	Jed & Will Kreuser, Andy Roach
	5/31	Amanda Bjerke, Lily Schulte, Mitch Sandey
Ushers	5/30	Steve Kreuser, Melvin Gregory
	5/31	Leo Jacques, Don Pesta
Greeters	5/31	Don & Elaine Pesta

St. Catherine

Extraordinary Ministers	5/31	Pat Schroeder, Vera Taylor, Margaret Sharkey, Jane Timm
Lector	5/31	Rosemary Hatcher
Acolytes	5/31	Cassie Timm, Kendra & Helen Korbel
Ushers	5/31	Jeff Schroeder, Joe Williamson
Greeters	5/31	Kevin & Mary Kay Mahowald

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday at noon. (notices can be mailed, faxed to 952-492-6290, or put in the black box on the side of the rectory) Save the counting ladies time: write your name & amount of donation on your Sunday envelope. Thank you! Going out of town? Won't be at mass next weekend? Call the parish office in advance and ask for a parish bulletin to be mailed to you. Keep up on parish events! Summer Office Hours: 8:00 AM—1:00 PM, Monday—Friday. The parish office will be closed Monday, May 25th (Memorial Day).

READINGS FOR MAY 31, 2009 PENTECOST SUNDAY



Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13
Gospel Reading: John 20:19-23

ST. PATRICK

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF MAY:

*Paul & Diana Schoenbauer, Daniel & Kyra Schmidt, Terrie Schoenbauer, Samuel & Kerri Schoenbauer, Michael & Kristi Schulte, Chris & Shelley Shepherd, Anthony & Mary Simek, James Simek, Mark Simek, Cyril & Natalie Simon.
Altar Linens: Agnes DeGross.

SAVE YOUR USED POSTAGE STAMPS: The C.C.W. is collecting used postage stamps. Proceeds will help to broadcast the word of God in South America. Stamps need to be trimmed leaving a 1/4 inch border of the envelope or they will not be able to peel them off properly. A box marked "Used Postage Stamps" will be left in the back of church or you may drop them off at the parish office during regular office hours.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Anyone wishing to bring fresh cut flowers for the altars is welcome to do so. Questions, call Rita Ryan @ 461-2280.

THANK YOU: Men's Club for their generous contribution towards the social hall air conditioning and concrete work.

ST. PATRICK PARISH FESTIVAL: Sunday, July 19, 2009.

Festival sign-up sheets are out. Please sign up early. If you are interested in trying something new or a second shift at a different area, please sign up twice. The gift of your time for our festival is what makes our festival a success! Let's make festival 2009 the best ever!

Festival flyers are available in the back of church or contact the parish office for the e-mail version.

Have you been to a fund raising event and seen a fun activity that we should try at the festival? We are always seeking new, fun ideas to raise money at the festival. If you have an idea to share, call Chad Sandey @ 612-799-5868.

Are you a woodworker? We are seeking the donation of some woodcraft items to sell at silent auction or at raffle. We would like to feature between one and five woodcraft items. Birdhouses, end tables, shelves, cedar chests, hutches, up to a gun cabinet are all a variety of ideas that would sell well. Call Chad & Emily Sandey or Paul & Diana Schoenbauer to donate your craft.

If you would like to donate toys for the festival, please call Cathy Theis @ 461-2636.

We are now seeking donations for bingo prizes. Call Joe & June Wallerius @ 758-8841.

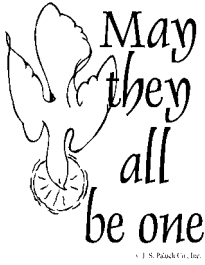
Now accepting silent auction items for the church festival. We are looking for 10-15 new items. Unique, Collectables, Finer Quality items tend to sell best. Examples are wildlife art prints, collectable dolls, weekend hotel stays, family fun baskets, etc. Please call Emily Sandey with questions or donations @ 952-492-5775.

We are looking for someone to take on the petting zoo for the festival each year. For details call Chad Sandey or Diana Schoenbauer.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"
Sunday Collection May 17, 2009

Received this week.....	\$ 1,787.06
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,598.00
Catholic Services Appeal.....	\$ 4,620.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....	\$ 6,325.00



UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ST. PATRICK & ST. CATHERINE

Sunday, July 19	S.P. Festival
Tuesday, Oct. 13	S.C. Autumn Dinner

ST. CATHERINE

CHURCH CLEANING FOR THE MONTH OF MAY:

George & Cheyann Doheny, Brad & Jennifer Eller, Jody & Jane Timm, Dan & Leah Wermerskirchen.

A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL: If you are a visitor you are invited to sign the welcome book in the entry way and come and worship with us again.

NEW MARKET FOOD SHELF NEEDS OUR HELP: The Church of St. Nicholas in New Market Food Shelf has an urgent need for our help. The C.C.W. has set a basket in the back of church to collect non-perishable foods and personal & baby care items. A suggested list of items is posted by the basket.

ST. CATHERINE CHURCH DRIVEWAY/PARKING LOT: We have accepted a driveway bid of \$14,700.00. Work will start in June. Please drop your donation into the box in the back of church; there are envelopes in the back of church. Thank you for your commitment to keeping our beautiful church and grounds in good repair.

ST. CATHERINE AUTUMN DINNER: It's time to start planning for Autumn Dinner 2009 and we're looking for chairs and co-chairs. Please let Pat Schroeder @ 952-226-6293 know if you can help plan this year's event.

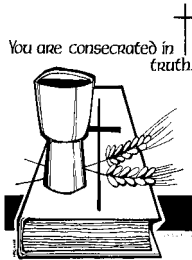
CONGRATULATIONS! Zachary Mady & Alicia Horn who will be married at St. Catherine May 24, 2009.

WEDDING BANNERS III: Jordan Heller & Molly McNamara.

Stewardship of Treasure

"Let us give back to God with Grateful Hearts"
Sunday Collection May 17, 2009

Received this week.....	\$ 728.71
Weekly budget requirement.....	\$ 1,070.00
Driveway/Parking Lot Fund.....	\$ 2,570.00
Catholic Services Appeal.....	\$ 3,660.00
Catholic Services Appeal goal.....	\$ 4,930.00



10 THINGS THAT MAKE FOR A GREAT CATHOLIC DAD: Being a Catholic dad is both a great privilege and a big responsibility. Along with their mothers, we've been entrusted to raise our kids to know and love God and to prepare them for lives as Catholic men and women. Odds are, we're good at it, we enjoy it, and we all deserve a pat on the back for the work we do raising our children in the Faith. In these bulletins you will undoubtedly see some things suggested that you're already doing. But you may also see some that serve as reminders of how to be a better and more effective Catholic dad. Pick one or two that will make a big difference for your family, and start doing them.

1. Keep Holy the Lord's Day . . . And All Those Other Days Fatherhood is the ultimate exercise in getting priorities straight. In too many households, mom is the "keeper of the Faith." She's the one who herds the family into the car on Sunday morning for mass. But this cannot be good enough for us. Our kids are watching, and they will do what we do. They're watching if we're ambivalent about getting to mass. They're watching if we're checking the time during the homily, calculating whether or not we'll make it home before kickoff. But the good news is, they're also watching when we do things right! My dad can't carry a tune in a bucket, but he sings in full voice every Sunday; our kids notice when we have our priorities straight—when we sing, pray, and actively participate with our faith communities. *To be continued . . .*

COMMUNITY EVENTS

All are invited to **Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at the Pope John Paul II Adoration Chapel at St. Nicholas in New Market. We are in need of more adorers to sign up for an hour. Please contact Dan & Lynne Soderlund @ 507-645-6012 or St. Nicholas Church office @ 952-461-2403.

St. John the Baptist Church in Jordan invites you to stop by our **Farmer's Market** Saturdays 9:00AM-noon starting June 20 and running to Oct. 31. Anyone interested in being a vendor call Helene @ 952-492-2675 for details.

Charismatic Pentecost Mass, Sun. May 31, 2:00 PM at St. Peter Church in No. St. Paul. Celebrant Harry J. Flynn. 763-571-5314

Natural Family Planning Classes begin Sun. June 7 at 2:00 PM at All Saints in Lakeville. For info, call 612-721-3791.

Marriage Day Celebration, Sat. June 13, 10:00 AM at the St. Paul Cathedral. Celebrant Archbishop Nienstedt. 651-291-4488.

Women's Retreat, June 16-18 at Franciscan Retreats in Prior Lake. For more info, call 952-447-2182.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Tue. May 26 7:00 PM Confirmation at Basilica of St. Mary

PARISHIONERS CORNER

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR PARISHES:

Tom Shea (son of Rosetta Shea), Benoit Stepka, Debbie Pfannes, Dick Chodek, Joe Scheffler, Darlene Delaney (aunt of Dan Cross), Lisa Baker (cousin of Dan Cross), Robert Lonergan (father of Vickie Cross), Christine Gregori (sister of Vickie Cross) Jennifer Lonergan (sister of Vickie Cross), Karen McClellan (sister of Dan Cross), Rita Stepka, Larry Stepka, Dorothy Snyder, Steve Nelson (brother of Ev), Lee Croatt.

Memorial Day



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