



Many Hands. One Faith.

The Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 17th, 2010

Gospel Reflection

INSTANT GRATIFICATION

Ours is a culture of instant gratification. If our efforts don't lead to immediate success we give up. If our needs aren't quickly satisfied we blow up. From fast food to news bites our culture teaches us to get what we want when we want it. We can't stand to wait or work for anything. Why should we read a six-hundred-page novel when we can watch the movie version instead? Why should we grate cheese, chop vegetables, cook sausage, and wait for dough to rise when we can buy carry-out pizza on our way home from work? Why should we undertake difficult, long-range solutions to our problems when quick fixes are so readily available? Yet instant gratification, however easy and popular, is not the way to find self-fulfillment or to build the kingdom.

PERSEVERANCE IN PRAYER AND WORK

Today's scriptures encourage us to persevere patiently and believe that, in time, God will fulfill our needs and make our efforts fruitful. Like the widow in the Gospel, we must patiently persevere in prayer and work until justice is done. Like Moses, Joshua, Aaron, and Hur, we must work together and support one another, believing that God will prevail. Like the apostle Paul, we must "proclaim the word" and "be persistent whether it is con-



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venient or inconvenient (2 Timothy 4:2). And in all things Jesus tells us "to pray always without becoming weary" (Luke 18:1). Today the Letter to Timothy reminds us of the awaited appearance of "Christ Jesus, who will judge the living and the dead" (2 Timothy 4:1). We then hear Jesus ask, "When the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?" (Luke 18:8) We must ask ourselves whether we tend to give up the struggle to build the kingdom or whether we have enough faith to persevere in prayer and work until God's victory is complete.

Today's Readings: Exodus 17:8-13; Psalm 121:1-8; 2 Timothy 3:14 — 4:2; Luke 18:1-8

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Mass Intentions for October 24, 2010

4:00 p.m.	STM	Ed Gootee, Joseph Young, All of Our Parishioners
5:30 p.m.	OLMC	Ron Tarlton, Timothy J. King
8:30 a.m.	OLMC	Special Intentions of McDonogh & Waller Families
10:30 a.m.	STM	Alma Heck (100th Birthday), Helen Cecil
12:30 p.m.	OLMC	Liz Pontrich

Daily Readings

10/16 Sat	8:15 am	..... Eph 1:15-23	..... Luke 12:8-12	..... Loretta Breitenbach
Sun Vigil	4:00 pm	..... Exodus 17:8-13	..... 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2	..... Luke 18:1-8
Sun Vigil	5:30 pm	..... Exodus 17:8-13	..... 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2	..... Luke 18:1-8
10/17 Sun	8:30 am	..... Exodus 17:8-13	..... 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2	..... Luke 18:1-8
	10:30 am	..... Exodus 17:8-13	..... 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2	..... Luke 18:1-8
	12:30 pm	..... Exodus 17:8-13	..... 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2	..... Luke 18:1-8
10/18 Mon	8:15 am	..... 2 Tm 4:10-17b	..... Luke 10:1-9	..... Mary S. Wilkerson
10/19 Tue	8:15 am	..... Eph 2:12-22	..... Luke 12:35-38	..... All Sick & Homebound Of OLMC
10/20 Wed	8:15 am	..... Eph 3:2-12	..... Luke 12:39-48	..... Christine Owen
10/21 Thur	8:15 am	..... Eph 3:14-21	..... Luke 12:49-53	..... All Sick & Homebound Of STM
10/22 Fri	8:15 am	..... Eph 4:1-6	..... Luke 12:54-59	..... Matt Bohn
10/23 Sat	8:15 am	..... Eph 4:7-16	..... Luke 13:1-9	..... All Our Parishioners

Intentions

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sun: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
National Shut-In Visitation Day;
World Mission Sunday
- Mon: St. Luke
- Tues: Ss. Isaac Jogues, John de Brébeuf, and
Their Companions
- Wed: St. Paul of the Cross
- Sat: St. John of Capistrano;
Blessed Virgin Mary

**SAINTS ISAAC JOGUES (1560-1646) AND JOHN DE BRÉBEUF (1593-1649) AND THEIR COMPANIONS
October 19**

Their mission was to New France, but these missionaries found in present day New York State and the Province of Ontario a world wildly different from the homes they left behind. Six Jesuit priests, Fathers Isaac Jogues, John de Brébeuf, Anthony Daniel, Gabriel Lalemant, Charles Garnier, and Noel Chabanel—and Jesuit lay volunteers Rene Goupil and John Lalonde—shared the gospel with the Native Americans they met, in languages they painstakingly learned, and through images they creatively adapted to the indigenous cultures (for example, John de Brebeuf’s “ ’Twas in the Moon of Wintertime: the Huron Carol”). But their evangelization was caught up in turmoil beyond their control: a smallpox epidemic, battles between French and English trading interests—the traders united only by their willingness to exploit the Native Americans—and conflict among the tribes themselves, Huron, Mohawk, Iroquois. The missionaries’ perseverance despite exhausting hardships, their steadfast courage in facing unspeakable tortures, and undaunted love even for those who martyred them, bore fruit, immediately in Kateri Tekakwitha’s sanctity, eventually in the Catholicism that still flourishes in the United States and Canada.
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NO PEW POTATOES

Catholicism is not a spectator sport.
~ Anonymous ~

HAPPY ARE THEY

Happy are they who grieve not for what they have not,
but give thanks for what they do have.
~ Anonymous ~

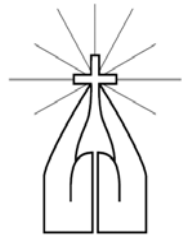
**Pope Benedict XVI Prayer Intentions
October, 2010**



General: That Catholic Universities may more and more be places where, in the light of the Gospel, it is possible to experience the harmonious unity existing between faith and reason.

Mission: That the World Mission Day may afford an occasion for understanding that the task of proclaiming Christ is an absolutely necessary service to which the Church is called

Parish FAQ’s



How do I schedule a Mass Intention?

Specific dates for Mass intentions should be requested well in advance of the anniversary or other occasion so as to ensure availability. Masses for recently deceased loved ones will be scheduled as the calendar permits. Mass Intentions for the coming week are printed in the Sunday bulletin. The main book is kept at Our Lady of Mount Carmel, but you can call either parish office or stop in during regular office hours to schedule your Masses. Requests for Intentions may also be put in the collection basket and they will be scheduled as requested. If there is a conflict, you will be notified. The suggested offering for a Mass is ten dollars.









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Four-Week Calendar of Upcoming Events

CONFESION

Saturday 4:45 p.m. (OLMC)

ROSARY RECITATION

Mon. - Sat. after 8:15 Mass (OLMC)

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS

4:00 p.m. (STM) 5:30 p.m. (OLMC)

SUNDAY MASS






8:30 a.m. (OLMC)

10:30 a.m. (STM) 12:30 p.m. (OLMC)

SCRIPTURE STUDY

Sunday, 9:30 a.m. (OLMC)

Friday, 11:00 a.m. (STM)

	Week of Oct. 17 – Oct. 23	Week of Oct. 24 – Oct. 30	Week of Oct. 31—Nov. 6	Week of Nov. 7—Nov. 13
Sunday	9:30 a.m. (OLMC) Scripture Study 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Financial Peace 1:00 p.m. (STM) Gamblers Anonymous	Masses followed by Doughnut Voucher Sales 9:30 a.m. (OLMC)  Scripture Study 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Financial Peace 1:00 p.m. (STM) Gamblers Anonymous 6:30 p.m. (STM)  Trunk or Treat	9:30 a.m. (OLMC) Scripture Study 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Financial Peace 1:00 p.m. (STM) Gamblers Anonymous	Hospitality Sunday after 8:30 & 10:30 Masses 9:30 a.m. (OLMC) Scripture Study 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Financial Peace 1:00 p.m. (STM) Gamblers Anonymous
Monday	6:30 p.m. (OLMC) TOPS Meeting 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) Scripture Study	6:30 p.m. (OLMC) TOPS Meeting 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) Scripture Study	6:30 p.m. (OLMC) TOPS Meeting 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) Scripture Study	11:30 a.m. (STM) Lunch Outing 12:30 p.m. (OLMC) Golden Citizens Potluck 6:30 p.m. (OLMC) TOPS Meeting 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) Scripture Study
Tuesday	9:30 a.m. (OLMC) Over 50 Group 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Quilters 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) RCIA 7:00 p.m. (SNA) Internet Safety Meeting	9:00 a.m. (OLMC) St. Vincent DePaul Meeting 9:30 a.m. (OLMC) Over 50 Group 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Quilters 1:00 p.m. (STM) Pinochle Club 6:00 p.m. SNA Finance Meeting 7:00 p.m. SNA School Board	9:30 a.m. (OLMC) Over 50 Group 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Quilters 2:00 p.m. (STM) Altar Society Meeting 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) RCIA	9:30 a.m. (OLMC) Over 50 Group 10:00 a.m. (OLMC) Quilters 1:00 p.m. (STM) Pinochle Club 6:20, 7:00, 7:40 p.m. (STM) Parish Council Meetings 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) RCIA
Wednesday	6:00 p.m. (OLMC) Quilters 7:00 p.m. (STM) Religious Ed 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) K of C & Ladies Auxiliary 7:00 p.m. (STM) Journey of Hope Meeting Al-Anon 8:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anon.	6:00 p.m. (OLMC) Quilters 7:00 p.m. (STM) Religious Ed 7:00 p.m. (STM) Al-Anon 8:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anon.	6:00 p.m. (OLMC) Quilters 7:00 p.m. (STM) Religious Ed 7:00 p.m. (STM) Al-Anon 8:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anon.	6:00 p.m. (OLMC) Quilters 7:00 p.m. (STM) Religious Ed 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) Eucharistic Minister Training 7:00 p.m. (STM) Al-Anon 8:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anon.
Thursday	12:30 p.m. (STM) Golden Age 6:15, 7:00, 7:30 p.m. (STM) Finance Meetings 6:45 p.m. (STM) RCIA For Children 7:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anonymous 7:30 p.m. (OLMC) Prayer Meeting	12:30 p.m. (STM) Golden Age 6:45 p.m. (STM) RCIA For Children 7:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anonymous 7:00 p.m. (OLMC) Confirmation Parent/ Candidate Meeting 7:30 p.m. (OLMC) Prayer Meeting	12:30 p.m. (STM) Golden Age 6:45 p.m. (STM) RCIA For Children 7:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anonymous 7:30 p.m. (OLMC) Prayer Meeting	12:30 p.m. (STM) Golden Age 6:45 p.m. (STM) RCIA For Children 7:00 p.m. (STM) Worship Committee Mtg. 7:00 p.m. (STM) Alcoholics Anonymous 7:30 p.m. (OLMC) Prayer Meeting
Friday	11:00 a.m. (STM) Scripture Study 6:30 p.m. (STM) Pinochle Club	11:00 a.m. (STM) Scripture Study	11:00 a.m. (STM) Scripture Study	11:00 a.m. (STM) Scripture Study
Saturday		5:00 p.m. (OLMC) Halloween Dinner & Party 	9:00 a.m. (STM) Craft Fair 9:00 a.m. (OLMC) Hour Of Prayer 4:00 p.m. (OLMC) Holy Hour/ 	3:00 p.m. (STM) Monthly Raffle Drawing 5:30 p.m. (OLMC) Mass with Anointing

Weekly Message:

En Theos — Enthusiasm For The Faith

I wonder if there's anything I can do to influence my friends to get involved in church-and even go more often? Can you help?

Evangelization is always a delicate balance. Faith itself is a gift, yet it needs to be nourished. So any influence you have needs to be the kind that encourages and invites deeper commitment, stronger faith, and a desire for God. Being "preachy" or overly pious often has the exact opposite effect. In the Gospel Jesus says you will know a tree by its fruit. Show others the fruit of the church's work and ministry. Look for activities, service projects, special events, outreach programs, etc., that you can invite them to. Introduce them to the priest and pastoral staff. Use personal contact to make others feel welcome and comfortable. The best way to be a witness to the faith is by doing. When your friends, cradle Catholics or not, see what you do and what the community of faith does to live and spread the Gospel, they'll want to be part of it. People are drawn to be part of something that is good, helpful, and makes their lives better. You just have to show them that the church is more than just Sunday Mass or a stopover for Christmas. Jesus called the apostles with little more than "Come and see!" You can too.

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"Called To Be Holy Catholic Charismatic Conference"

will be held in Louisville at Flaget Center, 1936 Lewiston, the weekend of October 22-24, 2010. Archbishop Joseph Kurtz will have the welcoming, personal prayer witness and prayer meeting. Ralph Martin, President of Renewal Ministries will present 3 talks, "Called To Holiness. Who Me? Obstacles to Holiness and Called To Mission. What's That?" To download a flyer with registration form see www.cclouisville.org or call Bob Garvey (502)435-6186 for more information. Registration fee for the weekend is \$30.00. Youth under age 25 admitted free. Make Plans Now!

A Little Liturgy:

by Chris Tolbert

Progressive Solemnity

In Catholic liturgy there is universality to our worship experience. If you attend Mass in another country, you may not speak the language, but you'll recognize the large elements of the Mass; Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, and Concluding Rites.

Within that framework, there are many elements that change at different times throughout the year. This is known as *Progressive Solemnity*.

Progressive Solemnity simply means that every liturgy should not be entirely like every other liturgy. Some elements of this are built into our liturgical calendar. For example, we do not sing the *Alleluia* during the Season of Lent. We don't sing the *Gloria* during the Seasons of Advent or Lent. We use certain colors to reflect seasons; Violet for Advent and Lent, (each with their respective Rose colored days to show us we're almost at the end); white for Christmas and Easter, and green for Ordinary Time, which we are in now. We use incense during the great feast days of the Church and throughout the seasons that follow them.

It's hard to believe while we're still having 90 degree temperatures, but we're only about a month away from the Feast of Christ the King, the last Sunday of the church year. Then, we start the new year with the first Sunday of Advent.

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ACHIEVING SANCTITY

Let us throw ourselves into the ocean of God's goodness, where every failing will be cancelled and anxiety turned into love.

~ St. Paul of the Cross ~



I lift up my eyes toward the mountains; whence shall help come to me?
My help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

~ Psalm 121:1-2 ~

Minister Schedule

Saturday, October 23, 4:00 p.m. Mass - STM

EUCH. MINISTERS Christie Atkinson, Debbie Kennedy,
Teresa Munson, Doris Tankersley
LECTOR Dolores Rautenbusch
GIFT BEARERS Mirands Atkinson, Olivia Atkinson

Saturday, October 23, 5:30 p.m. Mass - OLMC

GREETERS Jane Weber, Jim Yates
EUCH. MINISTERS Maureen Curran, Michael Martin, Carol-
Reinstedler, John Reinstedler, Aileen
Spies, Bill Weaver
LECTORS Duffy Baker, Nancy Price
CANTOR Aimee Burton
USHERS Larry Clark, John Feuerborn, Patrick
Martin, No Minister Assigned
GIFT BEARERS Kim Kolb, Wanda Yates
SERVERS Lucas Baker, Duffy Baker, III

Sunday, October 24, 8:30 a.m. Mass - OLMC

GREETERS Deana Craycroft, Judy Peak
EUCH. MINISTERS Helen Duncan, Beverly Flanery, Florence
Lanman, Ashley Mosby, Emily Preslar,
Kelly J. Smith
LECTORS Tim Hardy, Daniel Marlin
CANTOR Mary Beth Zinsius
USHERS Robert Dawson, Anita Green, Ann Marie
Hafling, Billy Jordan
GIFT BEARERS Fred Mercer, Karen Mercer
SERVERS Robby Baker, Austin Johnson

Sunday, October 24, 10:30 a.m. Mass - STM

GREETERS Kathy Cecil, Lauren Coyne, Sandra Pierce,
Mary Van Meter, Vickie Way
EUCH. MINISTERS Angela Bell, Ron Bolton, Sr., Mary Clay,
Nancy Coyne, Lee Anne Devine, Valerie
Evans, Joan Hans, William Hans, Dawn
Haydon, Susan Higdon, Mike Kramer,
Carol Mattingly, Nancy Pfaadt, Donna
Sansone
LECTORS Stephanie Cirillo, Serge Tehe
CANTOR Julia Robertson
USHERS Al Ash, Joshua Bell, Debbie Clements,
David Duffy, Joseph Duffy, John Stoller
GIFT BEARERS Brian Devine, Brandon Nelson
SERVERS Jacob Devine, Simon Devine

Sunday, October 24, 12:30 p.m. Mass - OLMC

EUCH. MINISTERS Christian Driskell, Dawn Duffy, Kelly
Fellonneau
LECTOR Pat Bradshaw, Tom Duffy
GIFT BEARERS Mary Dorner, Betty Lanham
USHERS Johnny Fellonneau, Chris Milligan, Two
Ministers Needed

Financial Stewardship of Oct. 10, 2010

St. Thomas More Parish:

Last Week's Contributions	\$6,941.65
Weekly Budget	\$5,192.00
Year-To-Date Contributions	\$72,757.83
Year-To-Date Budget	\$77,880.00
Year-To-Date Gain or (Shortfall)	(\$5,122.17)

Our Lady of Mount Carmel:

Last Week's Contributions	\$7,646.93
Weekly Budget	\$8,089.00
Year-To-Date Contributions	\$105,637.91
Year-To-Date Budget	\$105,157.00
Year-To-Date Gain or (Shortfall)	\$480.91

VOCATION VIEW:

God will answer the prayers of those who cry out. Ask for men and women to respond to the call to service as priests and religious. (Luke 18:1-8)





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The Senior Connection

Alcoholism and Aging

Did you know that an older body has more difficulty processing alcohol? As one advances in years, the same amount of alcohol packs more of a wallop and its effects last longer, because the older individual's tolerance level has dropped.

What about medication and alcohol? Many older people take a variety of medications that should not be combined with alcohol. And, an older person may be more likely to rely on the numbing effect of alcohol to deal with pain.

It's also more difficult to detect if an older person has a drinking problem because he or she is most likely retired from a job and doesn't have to get up in the morning and face an employer. And, a widow doesn't have anyone else in the house or apartment to raise a question or an eyebrow as, day by day, the bottle is brought out earlier and earlier.

The temptation for adult children is to ignore the situation. But experts on alcoholism say that if you as a caregiver suspect a problem, there probably is one—and it will only get worse. So if you suspect that your elderly mom or dad are drinking excessively, you need to keep an eye out for warning signs of alcohol abuse, which are: mood swings; general confusion; increasing isolation; bruises from bumping into furniture or falling; burns from falling asleep with a lit cigarette; a lot of empty bottles leaving the house; and “nesting,” making one spot, usually a comfortable lounge chair, an entire world, with cigarettes, ashtray TV remote, glass, and bottle within reach.

What can you do if you suspect your loved one has a drinking problem? The first thing you can do is to become educated. Do some research and learn all you can about alcoholism. Go to an Al-anon meeting and gather material about aging and alcoholism. Contact your loved one's physician.



“Feed the Hungry”

is the Second Grade Stewardship Project. We are sponsoring a food drive for our local food pantries at St. Thomas More and Sts. Simon and Jude. Please join us and be a part of the stewardship project by sending in food items. Be mindful to include items that contain protein. Please support our stewardship project by donating any of the following items: **Peanut Butter, Crackers, Toothpaste, Cereal, Soups, Canned vegetables, Canned fruit, Canned meats/tuna, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Rice, Packaged pasta/macaroni/noodles and Spaghetti/sauce.** We will be collecting from October 25th — 29th! Please bring donations to one the above parish offices or SNA School Office for the Food Drive.



SNA Basketball Tryouts

**Mon.	10/25	Boys	3rd and 4th	6:00 - 7:30 PM
**Tues.	10/26	Boys	3rd and 4th	6:00 - 7:00 PM
Tues.	10/26	Girls	3rd and 4th	6:45 - 8:30 PM
Tues.	11/2	Girls	5th and 6th	6:00 - 7:30 PM
Tues.	11/2	Girls	7th and 8th	7:15 - 9:00 PM
Mon.	11/8	Boys	5th and 6th	6:00 - 7:30 PM
Mon.	11/8	Boys	7th and 8th	7:15 - 9:00 PM
Tues.	11/9	Boys	5th and 6th	6:00 - 7:30 PM
Tues.	11/9	Boys	7th and 8th	7:15 - 9:00 PM

**Subject to change if volleyball teams are still playing Please note: All tryouts are being held in the OLMC Gymnasium. All boy tryouts will be two nights due to the number of participants. Boys are expected to attend both nights. Every player will be given at tryout t-shirt. The t-shirt should be worn to each tryout to identify the participants. Coaches are still needed for 3rd & 4th and 5th & 6th Boys teams. Contact Greg at 777-3187

Open House

St. Nicholas Academy will host an Open House on Tuesday, October 26th from 9:00—11:00 AM and 5:30—7:30 PM. Let's spread the good news and be proud! Encourage anyone who is interested in an outstanding Catholic education to come by for a visit.

Monthly Support to St. Nicholas Academy

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Support for September	\$3,446.00	\$6,311.00
Support year-to-date	\$10,338.00	\$18,933.00

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WE, THOUGH MANY, ARE ONE BODY IN CHRIST.

ROMANS 12-5

"But when the Son of Man comes, will he find any faith on the earth?" Luke 18:8

Yes, in the actions of good stewards.

On With Life

A Catholic support group for the widowed, meets on the first Monday and third Tuesday of each month. The next meeting will be held on Tues., October 19th at 7:30 PM at **Mary Queen of Peace** (Brick house behind church) 4205 Cane Run Rd. For information, call Family Ministries at 636-0296.

For Your Prayers

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel

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Please notify the office if you know someone who needs to be on or OFF our lists.

PARISH CONDOLENCES

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Please remember in your prayers the repose of the souls of the sister of Teresa Munson; and Andrew Elliott, son of Kim Jarboe and grandson of Anne & Richard Keene. May they rest in peace.



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Coming Together in Faith

Notes From Tom Morton:

Join us for a Pot Luck and the Oldie but Goodie,
Movie Thriller, "The Bad Seed",
starring Patty McCormack.



Everyone Welcome!

St Thomas More Parish Life Center,
Wednesday, October 20th.

Pot luck at NOON, movie will follow!

Questions??? - call Tom at 366-1463.

Confirmation - Candidate/Sponsor Session, Thursday,
October 28, in the OLMC Cafeteria at 7:00 PM.

HELP!! -- We have quite a group in RCIA preparing to be baptized and come into the church. This year, we have a Tuesday evening session and a Sunday morning session. We need some willing people to help as sponsors and team members. Please call or email me as soon as you get that inkling from the Spirit that this is something you can do.

CD Of The Week from our Lighthouse rack: **How to Keep Your Kids Catholic - Ken Hensley** In a heartfelt and truly practical presentation, former Baptist minister Ken Hensley reveals effective strategies to help keep our kids within the fold of the Catholic Church. Drawing on personal experience and centuries of Catholic spiritual wisdom, he shares timeless, real-world advice we can readily use. His insights set us on the road to more effective and successful parenting. "Lord! It helped me realize so much about the way I am seen by my children and the things I need to change. Thank you!" Diana

Family Table Talk: What is something that would likely be difficult for you to do or to learn, but that you'd like to try if you could?)

Read The Bible In A Year: Ezech 27-43, Heb 11-13, James 1-3, Ps 111-118, Prov 27

Question of the Week: Jesus teaches us to trust God. How does God help you in your daily life?

WEBSITE OF THE WEEK:

Another website about Mary – the Association of the Miraculous Medal www.amm.org

You can contact Tom at the Religious Formation Center by calling 366-1463 or e-mail SouthendCatholic@hotmail.com

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Sundays 11:30 AM—1:30 PM



Priesthood Sunday Is October 31, 2010

This is a special day to celebrate our priests' ministry in our parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Louisville. World Wide Marriage Encounter now celebrates World Priest Day concurrently with the International Serra Club Priesthood Sunday, and



both organizations offer several suggestions to show your appreciation for the priests that serve your parish.

These suggestions include: Send or give him a 'thank you' card, note, or email saying how much you appreciate his ministry. Offer to take him to lunch or dinner. Offer your Rosary for him; ask Our Lady to strengthen Father in his priestly ministry. Host a reception for him after one of the Masses on Priesthood Sunday or a future Sunday. Give him a gift certificate to one of his favorite stores or restaurants. Offer a few kind words like, "Thank you, Father, for being our pastor." Or, if you have an associate pastor, tell him: "Thank you, Father, for serving in our parish."



Louisville Serra Club President, Mr. Ray Schlader

The Saint Vincent dePaul Meeting

will be held on Thursday, October 21 following the 8:15 AM Mass at OLMC. Everyone is invited; we need your help. Come get information about the services provided by the St. Vincent dePaul Chapter at OLMC and see if you would like to help.

Just A Reminder: It's Time To Get Your Card Ready For The Card Shower Planned For STM Parishioner, Alma Heck Who Will Turn 100 Years Old Next Sunday, October 24th, 2010.

Alma was an active member of STM for 50 years, and although she has lived in Florida with her daughter, Lillian, for some time now she still considers herself a member of STM. Lillian has let us know that her mom loves to read the STM bulletins and speaks of how she misses her friends and the activities she used to do. It is our hope that many parishioners will participate in the card shower for Alma! Remember, her birthday is on Sunday, so be sure to mail your card so she will receive it on the Saturday before. Her address is:

Ms. Alma Heck
96 Westchester Lane
Palm Coast, Florida 32164



She will be remembered in intentions at the 10:30 Mass on October 24th for those who care to attend.

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OLMC HALLOWEN DINNER & PARTY

On Saturday, October 30 the parish will be having a Halloween Dinner in the cafeteria with fun activities in the gym with a contest for best costume, boys, girls and adults. All festivities will begin at 5:00 PM. Watch future bulletins. For more information!!



Knights Of Columbus News

From October 16 through October 31, the Knights of Columbus will be selling Pumpkins. They will be on the grounds every day starting at 1:30 until 7:30 p.m. including weekends. There will be small & large pumpkins, gourds, straw and hay. All proceeds will go towards the Knights Charities.

Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Trivia Night

November 6th, 2010,

Doors open at 6:00 PM—7:00 PM Start Time

At OLMC Gym

\$10 per person paid in advance – \$15 at the door

To Reserve Tables or for more information call

Patrick Martin– 639-0847

An Open Forum Parent Meeting On Internet Safety

sponsored by the St. Nicholas Academy PVO will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 19th at 7:00 PM in the school library. Dr. Tom Robbins from the Archdiocese will be the featured speaker. Parents, grandparents and any interested parishioners are invited. This is an excellent opportunity to educate yourself about the hidden dangers that the Internet possesses.

A Community Education Session

As part of a senior service project, a presentation will be made about refugees and immigration in America and how people can get involved. Presenter: Kasey Glasgow. This session will be held on October 23, 2010 at 3:00 PM at the Main Branch of the Free Public Library, 301 York St. All are invited to attend!

**Everyone Is Invited To Join Us For The
4th Annual St. Thomas More
Trunk-or Treat,**

**Sunday, October 24th, 6:30
PM till 8:00 PM.**

**There will be crafts for the
kids, Costume Contests,
Best Decorated Car Contest,
Food and Drinks available
from the Concession Stand,
and of course**

Trick or Treating!

**Load up the kids in their
costumes, get your goodies to hand
out and join us for an evening of
Lots Of Fun!!**

Admission-\$2.00 per child (to cover cost of crafts)



STM's Fall Craft Fair

will be held Saturday, November 6th from 9:00 AM till 3:00 PM. The beautiful, 2nd place winning, handmade "Log Cabin" quilt quilted by the Carmel Quilters will be raffled off as well as other small item raffles! There will be a cake wheel, duck pond, pull tabs and more! Come see what the arts and crafts vendors offer! If interested in renting booth space, please contact the parish office at 366-1463! A light breakfast and concession lunch will be offered as well as concessions that will be available all day! Come on out and bring family and friends to enjoy the day and help our parish community!



Diaconate Formation Class Information Session Oct. 17th

The application submission period for the next class will continue through May 2011. The five year program begins on July 23rd, 2011. Those men and their wives, who are interested in exploring a call to the Diaconate are encouraged to attend an information session. There is one this Sunday, Oct. 17th from 2:00—4:00 PM at St. Edward, 9608 Sue Helen Dr., Jefferson-town, KY.

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Sacraments

Baptism (preparation required)

MONTHLY INFANT BAPTISM

1st Sunday of the month during Mass (Fr.)
2nd Sunday of the month after Mass (Deacon)

ANNUAL ADULT BAPTISM

Through RICA at the Easter Vigil

Confirmation (preparation required)

Annual celebration

Eucharist

Saturday Vigil	4:00 p.m.	STM
Saturday Vigil	5:30 p.m.	OLMC
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	OLMC
	10:30 a.m.	STM
	12:30 p.m.	OLMC

Holy Days	8:15 a.m.	OLMC
	Noon	STM
	7:00 p.m.	STM

Weekday (Mon-Sat)	8:15 a.m.	OLMC
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Exposition & Benediction	4:00-5:00 p.m.	OLMC
1st Saturday of the Month		

Penance (confession)

Saturday, 4:45 p.m., or by appointment (OLMC)

Anointing of the Sick

Available twice a year or by request

Marriage

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