



Dear Parishioners,

A very joyous and Happy Father's Day to all men in our parish who give life in any way. May the Lord bless and keep you with health, happiness, and peace.

Next weekend is our parish festival. This is a time for us to shine as a faith community, and to give thanks to God for all He has done for us. We will share meals, music, and ministry with families and others who come to join us. Please be gracious and welcoming hosts. Offer assistance to those who need it: directions, ways to restrooms, food areas, etc... Engage in conversation with those you do not know. Be kind to strangers, and live the gospel!!!

Also, next weekend, after all the liturgies, in the parish multi-purpose room, there will be a farewell reception for Angela Garcia, who is now leaving us after years of ministry. Please stop by to thank her for her years of service to our parish.

Enjoy your week.
Fr. Bill Wegher

RAFFLE

It's not too late to turn in your raffle tickets, the **\$1,000.00 winner will be pulled on June 28th**.
There are still **201 chances to win!!**

Congratulations to the following raffle ticket winners for
Sunday, June 14, 2009:

Bob Sifton
Connie Wright
Syd McLaughlin
Jan Helmboldt
Marge Allen
Don Baxter
Marion DeRoo

Due to the setting up of tents for our festival there will be **NO PARKING** in the Chapel Lot Thursday, June 25th through Monday, June 29th. Thank you for your cooperation!

Attn: Eucharistic Ministers

Starting the weekend of June 27th – June 28th you will be **SELF SCHEDULING** when you want to serve our St. Mary's Parish Community as an Eucharistic Minister. Don't forget to check in Meeting Room A as you come to Mass each week to see if you are needed to serve at the Mass that is about to start. Thank you for your willingness to serve and for trying this new system during the next few months.

St. Mary Catholic Parish Presents Pinckney/Hamburg Community Festival

Saturday, June 27th 6-11pm
Grillin' & Dancin' Under the Stars

Adult Vegas Night: Black Jack, Open Hold'em,
Let it Ride, Poker & More
Beer & Wine Tent
\$3 Admission
Musical Guest: "Company of Strangers"
On the grill: Burgers, Brats & Hot Dogs
Door Prizes



Attn: All Young Princesses

**Cinderella will be performing
on Sunday at 1:30pm!**

**Please wear your dress
& crown!**

Sunday, June 28th 1-4pm
Family Fun Day & Polish Polka Party

Polish Feast by our own 'Chef Fr. Bill'
Advance Tickets: \$8 RSVP (by June 21st)
TAKE OUT AVAILABLE!!

*Please call into the parish office with your dinner RSVP's. You may pay at the door on Sunday! We kindly would like to know a number count so we can prepare the food. So please call us at 734-878-3161!

Musical Guest: "Kielbasa Kings"
Vegas Games
Beer & Wine Tent
Face Painting & BubbleMania by Oddzin Ends
Magician Buddy Moorehouse
Moonwalk & Kid's Games plus Teen Events
Hourly 50/50 Raffle
Summer Picnic Drawing
On the grill: Burgers, Brats, & Hot Dogs
Admission: \$2 per person/\$5 family

Happy Father's Day

RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Do you know someone who may be interested in becoming Catholic? Have you ever invited another to explore the Catholic Faith? For more details about this process, please call Angela - 734.878.2217 ext 218 or email at agarcia@stmarypinckney.org.

Faith Formation Information

- **ALL Registration for Sunday Session 09-10 and Confirmation Preparation 09-10 (9th graders) must be completed and turned in no later than June 26th.** Any questions/concerns please contact Angela in the Faith Formation/Religious Ed. Office (734-878-2217 ext 218).
- The following forms need to be completed before your child/children can be signed up for a class/session. These forms are currently on the parish website www.stmarypinckney.org under Religious Education. If for some reason you are unable to complete the Electronic Fund Transfer form – please contact Angela. For any questions please contact Angela in the Faith Formation Office – 734-878-2217 ext 218.
Forms Needed for Registration
Electronic Fund Transfer (one/family)
Registration Form (one/family)
Health History Form (one/child)
If you choose not to participate in the electronic fund transfer, you must speak with Angela prior to having your registration for any program confirmed.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR SUMMER SESSION 2009 REGISTERED FAMILIES

- + June 15th – June 26th - 9:00am – 12:00noon. *Please be prompt on arrival and dismissal. Students will enter and exit through the main Educational space door.*
 - Please enter parking lot from the SOUTH drive proceed to the circular entrance to the main Educational entry for your child/ren to exit the car and enter the building. PLEASE leave the lot by the NORTH drive.
 - If you choose to park – please escort your child/ren to the building.
 - Dismissal is at 12 noon! Please be prompt on retrieving your child/ren.
 - NO children are to be unattended at anytime for entrance in the morning or dismissal in the afternoon.
- + There will be a break/recess daily. Please send daily a nutritious snack and a drink with your child. Candy and soda pop are not allowed.
- + Students must be appropriately dressed. Shorts and skirts are to be no shorter than three inches above the knee. Shoulders, stomach, and waist for both girls and boys must be covered at all times.

Therefore, no tank tops, tube tops, belly shirts, etc is allowed. *Any student inappropriately dressed will call their parent to bring a change of appropriate attire.*

- + *All Summer Religious Education tuition and fees must be paid in full by Friday, June 19th. If unable to pay the amount by this date please contact Angela.*

Any questions/concerns please contact Angela in the Faith Formation/Religious Ed. Office (734-878-2217 ext 218).

Borrowed Items from Angela

Over the past 12 ½ years I have lent many of you various books, videos, dvds, etc. If any of you still have any items that I let you borrow please return them to me as soon as possible. I will not be charging any of you with borrowed items a 'late fee'. ☺ Some of these items belong to me personally and some belong to St. Mary Parish. I would like to make sure all is organized for my successor and would like to take some of these items with me as I depart from my St. Mary family. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation with this request. ☺
Pax, Angela

YOUNG ADULTS 18 – 35: THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!

Did you know that the Pastors from the eight Catholic parishes in Livingston County think so much of you that they have hired a Young Adult Minister to help respond to your needs? Let them know they made the right move by contacting Shannon Scherba LivingstonYAM@gmail.com. Get plugged in to the latest news and information about upcoming events! Let your voice be heard! A core team is now forming to organize opportunities for social, spiritual and service gatherings. **JUMP IN!** The water's great! You can also reach Shannon by phone at (810)229-9863 x221 **SAVE THESE DATES & contact LivingstonYAM@gmail.com for more info:**
*Saturday, June 20: "Fanning the Flame 09: Change you can Believe in – Jesus Christ and His church" 11am
FTF@YOUTHARK.NET
*Saturday, June 27: "Scythian" Live in Ann Arbor!
*Saturday, July 19: YA Mass and Picnic in the Park Independence Lake

SUMMER SCRIPTURE DAYS

The 16th Annual Summer Scripture Days are scheduled for August 11 – 13, 2009 in Bethany House at St. Francis Retreat Center, DeWitt. Rev. Dwight Ezop will present "The Gospel of John, Ch. 1 thru 10". Brochures and registration information are available by contacting Catholic Charities at 517-342-2465.

3rd Annual B-A-R Memorial Golf Outing

(Barbara Ann Robson)

Benefiting Ovarian Cancer Research
at University of Michigan

Date: Saturday, July 11, 2009

Place: Reddeman Farms Golf Club

Time: 7am Registration, 7:30am Coffee & Rolls,
8am Shotgun Start

Cost per player: \$100 (includes cart, golf, coffee &
rolls, lunch at the turn, drinks, dinner, & prizes)

- Field limited to the first 40 teams
- Hole sponsorship signs available at \$75
- Contact Mike at 734-475-3020 or 734-216-0506
- All proceeds will be donated to the University of Michigan Ovarian Cancer Research.
- Donations will be accepted.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

There is so much shame, guilt, betrayal, unforgiveness, and intense grief associated with abortion. God's grace, mercy, forgiveness, and unconditional love is available to all who seek Him. If you or someone you know is hurting from an abortion, please consider attending the June 26-28 healing retreat. All contacts are confidential. Call Beth at 734-369-3470 or lpbbauer@yahoo.com.

ST. MARY ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

The Rosary Altar Society is having a Summer Bazaar on July 25th, 2009. We are looking for donated craft items or slightly used items for our craft table. Please contact Eileen Avery at 734-878-9025 to donate. We are also in need of Crafters & Vendors on this day. Please call Mary Press at 734-878-6563 to be in the show. Thank you for your help.

MILITARY CARE PACKAGES

The Knights of Columbus will be preparing care packages for our military men and women. We have compiled a list of the most desired items and difficult items to find. If you would like for us to forward a care package to your loved one please contact the parish office with their name and address. Please keep our military in your prayers! Thank you.

<u>Report for</u>		<u>Year To Date</u>
<u>June 15, 2009</u>	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>07/01/08-06/15/09</u>
Offertory	\$ 15,149.78	\$ 724,076.19
FaithScape/FaithQuest	\$ <u>774.00</u>	\$ <u>124,206.22</u>
	\$ 15,923.78	\$ 848,282.41
Operating Budget Reqmnt	\$ 14,373.41	\$ 727,697.09
Mortgage Pymt Reqmnt	\$ <u>8,657.31</u>	\$ <u>424,208.19</u>
Variance	\$ (7,106.94)	\$ (303,622.87)

Thank you for your generous donations!

LIFE TEEN MUSIC DIRECTOR POSITION

Christ the King Catholic Church, Ann Arbor, has an opening for a Life Teen Music Director. This is a part-time position requiring about 10 hours per week. Job responsibilities include, among other tasks, leading music at weekly Life Teen Liturgies, weekly prayer meetings, and semi-annual Life Teen retreats. The job posting and application are available via the Christ the King website (www.ctkcc.net), at the parish office, or upon request via e-mail to Brad Schmidt (Brad.Schmidt@emich.edu).

If you are interested in this position please submit a résumé and application to the parish office at your earliest convenience. The deadline for applications is 5 PM Friday, July 17, 2009. Applications may be submitted in person, via US Mail, or via e-mail to Dorothy Babcock at dbabcock@rc.net. Questions? Contact Brad Schmidt.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Immaculate Heart of Mary-St. Casimir School
Lansing, Michigan

We are seeking a K-5 Principal for our 120 student IHM site. The preferred candidate will be a strong Roman Catholic who has demonstrated leadership, strong parent/teacher relations, good technology skills, and at least 5-7 years of successful elementary teaching/administrative experience. A Masters Degree in education/administration or equivalent is preferred. Michigan Teacher certification is required. To apply please send a letter of interest and resume before July 1st to: Fr. John Byers, Pastor, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, 3815 South Cedar St., Lansing, MI 48910 or by mail to frjbyers@ihmlansing.org. To learn more about our parish and school visit our website at <http://immaculateheartofmarylansing.catholicweb.com>

YFU EXCHANGE STUDENT FAMILIES

Youth for Understanding (YFU) still needs families willing to share their home and family with a Catholic high school student coming in mid/late August for the school year. Students who need a host family include a girl from Austria who does volunteer work helping cheer up sick children and plays the flute, a lively boy from Germany who likes tennis, singing and doing things with his younger brothers, a girl from Brazil who enjoys soccer and hopes to be a doctor, and a girl from Germany who teaches younger kids to dance, and plays saxophone. Families can be one or two parent, with or without children, as long as they can provide a safe and caring home, and open their hearts to another child.

For more information e-mail Vickie Gaynor at vbgaynor@umich.edu or call Stephanie Gunther at the YFU office at 1-800-872-0200 ext. 243. You may also visit www.yfu-usa.org to read biographies of additional students or apply.

THANK YOU

Thank you to Therese Redpath, the Casserole Crew, and our other St. Mary friends for caring for our family during Lori's surgery and recovery. We appreciated the food, phone calls, flowers, vacuuming, and more food! With our extended family all living out of state, it was wonderful to have our St. Mary family to lean on.

With Gratitude, Phil, Lori, Sophie and Sam Peterson

Farewell to Angela Garcia

As a way of thanking Angela for her many years of service to St. Mary and the lives she's touched through all her ministries, we are planning a farewell gift. For those wishing to donate towards the gift please send in an envelope to the parish office or through the collection basket marked 'Farewell for Angela'.

*Please make checks payable to St. Mary Parish.



Please pray for those who are serving in the Armed Forces, especially:

William V. Backlund III, Tim Begley, Christopher Bullion, Gabe Campbell, Jason (Hennigan) Cecchetti, Fred Dehn, Matt Ducummon, Jeff Gabel,

Michael Ganzak, Erik Hennigan, Kevin Martin, Michael McInerney, Sean Rooker, Anthony Sparks, Jonathon Stepp, Kenneth & Sherri Streu, Jesse Sutton, Kurt Whitlow



Sixty people feel the impact of every soldier who is deployed to and returns from a war zone. For soldiers themselves, routine activities seem meaningless after the experience of combat. They are trained warriors who no longer have an enemy to fight. About two-thirds of the returning military

work through their return without major problems, but no one comes back unaffected according to Mike Colson of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Washington. If you are a soldier or a family member, friend, or co-worker of a soldier & are experiencing difficulty or concerns about the transition you can request a Befriender. Call the parish office at 734-878-3161.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND CLEAN OUT YOUR CLOSETS!

The annual rummage is on its way! We will start collecting your treasures August 10th and 11th from 9:30am – 7:00pm. The sale runs Aug. 12th-15th. We cannot take the following items: **Furniture, televisions, records/tapes, curtain rods, trophies, hard cover books, shoes/boots, infant car seats.**

Holy Spirit, you are the comforter of all people. In your mercy, call us back to the heart of our Lord, the source of all comfort. Lead us each day into the sacred heart of Jesus, where we can find rest from all our weariness and burdens. May we lose ourselves in the endless mercy of his heart!

Youth Ministry

Website: <http://youth.stmarypinckney.org/>

HS Youth Group Schedule

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Time:</u>	<u>Event:</u>
06/24	TBD	Cedar Point! (no evening meeting)
06/27	11pm-Sun	Serve at the Festival
07/01-03	TBD	Retreat
07/10	7-10pm	Friday Night Party
07/11	TBD	Summerfest Triple R Ranch

Stay tuned for summer events! Youth Group will continue to meet on most Wednesday nights but watch the bulletin for details!

*****NO Friday Night Party in June because of the Dance, will resume on July 10, 2009*****

(Note: MS=Middle School Event and HS=High School Event)

If you have any questions please call Rebecca at 734-878-2217 ext. 203 or email rkeiser@stmarypinckney.org

Middle School Youth Group!

Middle School Youth Group regular meetings will resume in the fall. Graduating 8th graders you are now High Schoolers! Middle School youth are 6-8th grade so stay tuned for summer events!

Call or email Rebecca Keiser with questions.

Youth Quilt and Baptismal Gown Raffle!

ONLY ONE MORE WEEK!

You can still purchase a ticket or more in the Parish Office or from Rebecca!

The final drawing will be at the Parish Picnic.



CEDAR POINT! JUNE 24, 2009 Still a few spots Left!!!

St. Mary Youth will be joining up with St. Joseph's Youth from Dexter for Diocesan Days at Cedar Point! Enjoy a comfy ride on a bus full of young people. Relax on the way and get ready to conquer THE POINT!

NO you don't have to come to regular youth nights to join us you just **have to be in High School in the fall or just graduated this year.** We are also looking for Chaperones...Not a mission for the faint hearted! Due to limited seating you are not registered until your paperwork is turned in and you pay or make arrangements with me as to when you will pay. We only have 25 seats to start and then there will be a waiting list! So register soon! **Cost: \$60. Seating is limited contact Rebecca ASAP!** (rkeiser@stmarypinckney.org or 734-878-2217 ext 203).

MASS INTENTIONS – June 21 - 28

Sunday, June 21 – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am: In Honor of all the Fathers of our Parish by R.A.S.

11:30am: For Our Parish

Monday, June 22 – St. Paulineus of Nola, St. John Fisher, St. Thomas More

9:00am: Communion Service

Tuesday, June 23

9:00am: Communion Service

5:00pm: In Memory of Dorothy Wetherbee by Dick & Gladys Dettling

Wednesday, June 24 – The Nativity of John the Baptist

9:00am: In Memory of Ron Bozek by K of C

Thursday, June 25

9:00am: In Memory of Bernice Hoeft by Roy Hoeft Family

Friday, June 26

9:00am: In Memory of Bob Spaulding by Men's Club

Saturday, June 27 – St. Cyril of Alexandria

8:30am: In Memory of Patrick Regan by Mary Ann Hibner

5:00pm: In Memory of Al Hoard by Men's Club

Sunday, June 28 – 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am: For Our Parish

11:30am: In Memory of Guenther Fritzsich by Family

COMMUNION SERVICE LEADERS

June 22-23: D. Denome, T. Burke

June 29-30: B. Rea, J. Wilson

WEEKLY READINGS – June 21 - 27

Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41/Ps 107

Monday: Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5/Ps 33

Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14/Ps 15

Wednesday: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80/Ps 139

Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16/Mt 7:21-29/Ps 106

Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Mt 8: 1-4/Ps 128

Saturday: Gn 18:1-15/Mt 8:5-17/Ps (Lk 1)

OUR PRAYER LIST

May God's healing hand reach out and hold you:

Ron Bartek, Ed Cheesman, Fred Czaja, Marie Denome, Sr. Gretchen Elliott, Rachel Good, Mike Hardin, Linda Landau, Chuck Murphy, Christine Osmialowski, Sharon Reynolds, Eugene Sobolewski, Margaret Tucker, Cyndra Wilson

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?” What a powerful question this is for all of us. We can read the accounts of God's faithfulness towards His children, in the Old Testament, and the miracles of Jesus in the New Testament. More personally, we can trace the hand of God in our own lives; how He has taken us through trials, deaths, struggles, challenges, and disaster, and has blessed us with new hope and life. Let us choose to live by faith and not fear – believing in the power of God in all circumstances of our lives. Let us step out daily to reach out for our Lord and Savior and receive His power and presence in our lives.

LAY MINISTERS – June 27 - 28

ATTENTION: Lay Ministers

The new Lay Ministry Schedule is available as of 6/6/09. This schedule begins on the weekend of 6/27-28/09 and extends through the 10/24-25/09 weekend.

Eucharistic Ministers will be **SELF SCHEDULING** throughout this 16 week period. So if you are a Eucharistic Minister you will not need a Lay Ministry Schedule but you will need the top sheet that **EXPLAINS HOW YOU CAN SCHEDULE YOURSELF TO SERVE AS A EUCHARISTIC MINISTER.**

Keep using the same Liturgical Ministry Roster. It is only updated annually and so the one you received last fall is still active. If you are a new Lay Minister or if you have misplaced your Liturgical Ministry Roster you can get one from the Parish Office. You will need the phone number listing if you have to find a substitute. Blessings on all who are serving our faith community as Lay Ministers!

Thanks, Peggy Clough

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

5:00pm: Please sign up before the Mass you want to serve.

9:00am: Please sign up before the Mass you want to serve.

11:30am: Please sign up before the Mass you want to serve.

Proclaimers of the Word

5:00pm: K. Hinkle, M. Vroman

9:00am: P. Hohl, J. Weiland

11:30am: B. Corwin, R. Gonze

Ushers

5:00pm: B. Beck, P. Carney, T. Kenny, P. Meilak, B. Outwater, R. Denome

9:00am: J. Muller, T. Wilson, D. Aten, N. Rickelmann, P. Gabli, B. Wetzel

11:30am: M. Charboneau, M. Corwin, J. Kukalis, B. Sabo, J. Streu, B. Tinlin

Greeters

5:00pm: M. Hinkle

9:00am: W. Stevens

11:30am: W. Brown

Altar Servers

5:00pm: C. O'Brien (Cross), J. Nickels, J. Nickels

9:00am: A. Claffey (Cross), A. Weiland, M. Woods

11:30am: M. Gabel (Cross), M. Gabel, J. Callaghan

Offertory Gifts

5:00pm: Please sign up.

9:00am: Conquest Family

11:30am: Morris Family

Home Chalice Program

9:00am: Conquest Family

Linens - June: J. Helmboldt, L. Wack

Cleaning the Altar – June: J. Helmboldt

Collection Counters

June 22: D. Eggleston, B. Zielinski

June 29: A. Martin, M. Ulman, H. Menosky

Bulletin articles are due Tuesday at 12 noon!