

AUGUST 2, 2009

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH...

- MON** Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 5:00 PM
- TUES** Gathering of Widows Widowers and those suffering a loss. 11:30 AM, Wagon Wheel
- WED** Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 7:00 PM
- FRI** First Friday Communion Calls
- SAT** Rosary in the Chapel, 7:30 AM
Reconciliation, 3:00 PM
- SUN** Baptisms, 1:30 PM

Prayer Shawl Ministry

So far we have made 175 prayer shawls. We are running out of yarn. We could use donations of more yarn. Please donate in quantities of 12 to 16 ounces of the same color or you may make a cash donation to buy more yarn.

Dolores Rutherford, 116 Blossom Dr., Portland
Phone 517-647-5977



K of C Summer Picnic

Family fun on August 16, at the K of C Hall. Activities begin at 12:00 (noon). There will be games for kids and Bingo and Euchre for the Adults. Hot dogs, brats and refreshments will be available. Questions? Call Steve at 647-7741.

John Angotti Live – Thursday, August 27

This FREE concert will be held at St. Gerard Church in Lansing from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. They will collect a free will offering for the band and to raise money for the St. Gerard Youth to attend the National Catholic Youth Conference this fall.

John Angotti is a full time music missionary who travels throughout many parts of the world providing inspirational music and witness to all ages. He is a graduate of West Virginia University and the U.S. Military School of Music and was a member of the U.S. Navy Band where he was the lead vocalist.

Noelle Garcia, former St. Patrick Youth Coordinator, will also be singing.

Catholic Order of Foresters Family Day – Aug. 15

This year COF Family Day is at Air Zoo in Portage MI. This is the web site www.airzoo.org...please review it. Lunch as a group will be at 12:30 pm. The menu is Kitty Hawk's Famous Pulled Pork and grilled chicken breast with coleslaw, potato salad, baked beans, chips, dinner rolls and beverage. I need to know who is going to join us for lunch by Aug. 7th The cost is \$5 per person. Admission is Free! Rides are between \$2-\$4, unlimited \$12.95. You may get your ride tickets there. There is a free guided tour if any one is interested but I would have to know by July 31st.

Tami Rademacher – tami-n-curt@charter.net

Attention all Parish Commission/Organizations

Effective July 1, 2009 parishes with a licensed kitchen for serving food to the public must have a certified food manager. The Ionia County Health Department is offering a certification class August 25 and 27 and September 1 and 3 from 2 to 6 pm. To become certified, one must attend all four sessions. The cost is \$125. If your organization is going to be serving food to the public and use the St. Patrick Parish name, you should have a member of your organization attend this class. Please call Mike Johnson for an application or call Lacey Bull (616) 527-8230.

Mike Johnson

Business Manager, St. Patrick Parish
(517) 647-6505 Ext. 413

Because I am Catholic...

Wednesday, August 5, 7:00pm – 8:30pm or Tuesday August 6, 10:00am-11:30am at the Catholic Information Center, 360 Division S. Suite 2A, Grand Rapids. Free Parking available in the lower level of the Cathedral Square Parking Ramp.

How would you finish the sentence, “Because I am Catholic...”? In this session, Mary Vaccaro will explore some of the foundational aspects of Catholic faith and practice, illustrating them with examples from the life stories of several significant, but not necessarily well known Catholics throughout the ages.

For registration information please call the Center at 616-459-7267 or register by e-mail at register@catholicinformationcenter.org. For a full listing of all classes please visit www.catholicinformationcenter.org.
Note to Catechists: This course qualifies for the Catechist Formation Dimension = Content

Free Shamrock Basketball Clinic

- Sunday evenings through August 16
- 6:00 to 7:30 PM
- Open to all boys and girls – 7th through 12th grade
- Free of charge



This will be a skills clinic with emphasis on shooting, dribbling, passing and defense. For more information, please call

- Tim Wilcox at 517-566-7788 or 517-490-0359
- Dave Kramer at 517-647-2743 or 517-526-3529



The TK III Golf Outing is Saturday, August 15, at the Portland Country Club. There will be a 9:00 AM shot gun start. The cost is \$200 per team entry fee. Please help support our football program and help raise funds for the American Cancer Society. For more information please contact the Portland Country Club at 647-4521.

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1	Sat	Rosary, 7:30 AM Wedding: Nicole Densmore and Corey Stedman, 1:00 PM Reconciliation, 3:00 PM Mass, 4:30 PM	Chapel Church Church Church
2	Sun	Masses: 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM Baptisms, 1:30 PM	Church Church
3	Mon	Communion Service, 7:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 5:00 PM	Church Chapel
4	Tues	Gathering of Widows, Widowers and those suffering a loss, 11:30 AM Mass, 6:00 PM	Wagon Wheel Church
5	Wed	Mass, 7:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 7:00 PM Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00 PM	Church Church Church
6	Thurs	Mass, 7:30 AM	Church
7	Fri	Mass, 7:30 AM First Friday Communion Calls	Church

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8	Sat	Wedding Pre-Rehearsal and Rehearsal, 4:30 PM Rosary, 7:30 AM Wedding—Brandon Trierweiler & Michelle Kissane, 1:00 PM Reconciliation, 3:00 PM Mass, 4:30 PM	Church Chapel Church Church Church
9	Sun	Masses: 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM Baptisms at 1:30 PM	Church Church

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10	Mon	Communion Service, 7:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 5:00 PM	Church Chapel
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11	Tues	Prayer Shawl Ministry, 1:00 PM Mass, 6:00 PM Finance Commission Meeting, 7:00 PM	Church Parish Hall
12	Wed	Mass, 7:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 7:00 PM Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00 PM	Church Church Church

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13	Thurs	Mass, 7:30 AM Healing Ministry Prayer Group, 7:00 PM	Church Chapel
14	Fri	Mass, 7:30 AM Wedding Pre-Rehearsal and Rehearsal, 4:30 PM	Church Church

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15	Sat	<i>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (not a holyday of obligation)</i> Rosary, 7:30 AM Mass, 9:30 AM Wedding: Ashley Theis and Kyle Kline, 1:00 PM Reconciliation, 3:00 PM Mass, 4:30 PM (Baptisms at Mass)	Chapel Church Church Church Church
16	Sun	Masses: 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM Baptisms at 11:30 Mass or at 1:30 PM	Church Church

17	Mon	Communion Service, 7:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 5:00 PM	Church Chapel
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18	Tues	Mass, 6:00 PM	Church
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19	Wed	Mass, 7:30 AM	Church
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		Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 7:00 PM	Church
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		Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00 PM	Church
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20	Thurs	Mass, 7:30 AM	Church
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21	Fri	Mass, 7:30 AM	Church
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		Third Friday Communion Calls	
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		Wedding Pre-Rehearsal and Rehearsal, 5:00 PM	Church
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22	Sat	Rosary, 7:30 AM	Chapel
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		Wedding: Joan Catellier and Kevin Tichvon, 1:00 PM	Church
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		Reconciliation, 3:00 PM	Church
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		Mass, 4:30 PM	Church
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23	Sun	Masses: 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM	Church
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A	24	Mon	Communication and Spirituality Workshop, 2:00 to 4:00 PM Communion Service, 7:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 5:00 PM	Parish Hall Church Chapel
U	25	Tues	SPS Staff Development, 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM Mass, 6:00 PM	Parish Hall Church
G	26	Wed	Mass, 7:30 AM SPS Staff Development, 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 7:00 PM Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00 PM	Church Parish Hall Church Church
U	27	Thurs	Mass, 7:30 AM SPS Staff Development, 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM	Church Parish Hall
S	28	Fri	Mass, 7:30 AM	Church
S	29	Sat	Rosary, 7:30 AM Reconciliation, 3:00 PM Mass, 4:30 PM	Chapel Church Church
T	30	Sun	Masses: 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM	Church
	31	Mon	Communion Service, 7:30 AM Eucharistic Adoration, Noon to 5:00 PM Welcome Back Open House	Church Chapel SPS

On behalf of the St. Patrick Festival chair committee, we wish to share with you the following breakdown of income & expenses for the 2009 Parish Festival. We are very pleased with the bottom line profit of \$53,633.15, especially considering the current economic times. If anyone is interested in more detailed revenue and expense information, please contact Teresa Schneider at 647-4079.

Due to the volunteer efforts of hundreds of St. Pats parishioners and the support of our community we had a very successful festival measured by the outstanding level of participation we had and the financial contribution we are able to provide the Parish. This festival with all of its activities, coordination, and volunteer efforts is something that very few organizations could be successful with. Our parish does it year after year thanks to the volunteer efforts and participation of our parishioners. This is something we should all be proud of.

Thanks again for all of your support in 2009-

Rick & Tammy Bengel
Mike & Deb Coyne
Kevin & Teresa Schneider
Keith & Shayla Schneider

<u>2008 PARISH FESTIVAL</u>	<u>INCOME</u>	<u>EXPENSE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
3 on 3 Basketball	\$ 4,432.87	\$ 1,700.01	\$ 2,732.86
5K Run	\$ 1,290.00	\$ 624.50	\$ 665.50
Chicken Dinner	\$ 6,425.49	\$ 5,139.50	\$ 1,285.99
Late Nite Catechism	\$ 9,310.87	\$ 6,023.14	\$ 3,287.73
Food	\$10,617.44	\$ 6,348.88	\$ 4,268.56
Gathering Tent	\$11,161.37	\$ 5,786.71	\$ 5,374.66
Golf	\$ 7,540.10	\$ 3,825.23	\$ 3,714.87
Kids Games & Activities	\$ 4,879.72	\$ 3,666.08	\$ 1,213.64
Raffle	\$33,982.91	\$ 7,140.52	\$26,842.39
Softball	\$ 2,970.00	\$ 954.00	\$ 2,016.00
Texas Hold'em, Euchre, Guitar Hero	\$ 520.50	\$ 50.00	\$ 470.50
Miscellaneous & PR	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,314.55	\$ -1,314.55
Merchant Contributions	\$ 2,825.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,825.00
Raffle Winnings Donations	\$ 250.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 250.00
		TOTAL:	\$53,633.15

Caught in the Act of Stewardship

PARISH FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS

Many thanks to the following people who graciously volunteered their time at the Parish Festival...many of whom worked more than one shift or activity. **We apologize for any names that may have been omitted in error.**

Chloe Alberta	Paul Carley	Kaity Goodrich	Kevin Lay
Josie Alberta	Christine Cassell	Linda Goodwin	Kim Lay
Ted Alberta	Denny Cassell	Jessika Grapentien	Mike Lay
Tracey Alberta	Jason Chamberlain	Rachel Gross	Pat Lay
Kendra Amman	Kathie Chamberlain	Scott Gross	Romayne Lay
Bruce Barber	Joe Christian	Carol Gunderman	Sharon Lay
Cameron Bartlett	Ronnie Christmas	Don Gunderman	Terri Lay
Lisa Bartlett	Amelia Cook	Holly Gunderman	Gen Lehman
Mark Bartlett	Bruce Cook	Savanna Hager	Shawn Lehman
Sydney Bartlett	Dale Cook	Jean Hengesbach	Craig Lehnert
Chris Battley	Ken Cook	Kathy Hengesbach	Lisa Lehnert
Christy Bauer	Khristie Cook	Sharon Hengesbach	Brenda Leonard
Jane Bauer	Marie Cook	Steve Hengesbach	Jan Livingston
Amanda Beachnau	Mary Cook	Deanna Hodge	Doug Logel
Dan Beachnau	Royce Cook	Michelle Hodge	Chris Lufkin
Diane Beachnau	Deb Coyne	Randy Hodge	Nancy Lufkin
Elizabeth Beachnau	Mike Coyne	Savannah Hodge	Jill Manning
Kurt Beachnau	Nick Coyne	Bill Hoffman	John Manning
Patricia Beachnau	Ben Cross	Sharon Hoffman	Kathy Mauren
Phyllis Beard	Tricia Cross	Keelie Honsowitz	Mike Mauren
Angie Beckhold	Laura Davis	Scott Honsowitz	Charlotte Maurer
Mari Behovitz	Mark Davis	Luisa Huhn	Elaine Maurer
Brandy Bengel	Donna Doll	Theresa Jandernoa	Eugene Maurer
Emily Bengel	Fred Doll	Carol Kahn	Gene Maurer
Morgan Bengel	Greg Doll	Barry Kemmis	Kris McCollor
Nick Bengel	Ann Eddy	Lisa Kemmis	David Meredith
Rick Bengel	Mary Eddy	Justin Kerr	Jennifer Meredith
Tammy Bengel	Al Fedewa	Marianne Kerr	Ann Miller
Eric Berry	Becca Fedewa	John Kmetz	Jacob Miller
Mary Berry	Brad Fedewa	Knights of Columbus	Deb Miros
Diane Bissell	Char Fedewa	John Knoop	Emily Miros
Gary Bond	Craig Fedewa	Liz Kolarik	Neil Miros
Lindsey Bos	Judy Fedewa	Tony Kolarik	Rachel Miros
Stacy Bosworth	Coral Fish	Carol Kramer	Stephanie Miros
Sue Bosworth	Jackie Fitzsimmons	Dale Kramer	Violet Moore
Jason Boyd	Pat Fitzsimmons	Nathan Kramer	Andy Mosser
Jan Bozung	Judy Fleischer	Joe Kransz	Nicole Mosser
Alex Brown	Bob Fox	Joe Kreiner	Rose Mosser
Brian Brown	Emilee Fox	John Kreiner	Jacob Moyer
Cindy Brown	Joe Fox	Katie Kreiner	Susie Moyer
Doug Brown	Michelle Fox	Kim Kreiner	Kathy Parsons
Gary Brown	Sharon Fox	Michael Kreiner	Grace Pearson
Janet Brown	Delores Frazee	Sue Kreiner	Rob Pearson
Nikki Brown	Jill Frazee	Tessa Kreiner	Sandy Pearson
Scott Brown	Ron Frazee	Tom Kreiner	Lindsey Pettit
Sharon Brown	Colin Gensterblum	Debbie Lange	Al Pline
Stephanie Brown	Randy Gensterblum	Dan Lawless	Audra Pline
Tom Brown	Sherri Gensterblum	Dick Lawless	Dave Pline
Emily Burns	Colleen Gladding	Shirley Lawless	Doug Pline
Dave Campbell	Betty Goodman	Chris Lay	Roxie Pline
Mary Campbell	Chuck Goodman	Denny Lay	Scott Pline
John Carley	Denny Goodman	Ivan Lay	Dick Pohl

Jacob Pohl
Jane Pohl
Julie Pohl
City of Portland
Portland Police Dept
Portland Recreation Dept
Dan Price
Dawn Price
Laura Price
Lily Pung
Jocelyn Rockey
Caitlin Rommel
Tim Rumfield
Anne Russman
Brad Russman
Dan Russman
Diane Russman
Fritz Russman
Joe Russman
Kathy Russman
Kim Russman
Pat Russman
Steve Russman
Wendy Rutherford
St. Pats Varsity Football Team
Julie Schafer
Bryan Scheurer
Heather Scheurer
Jeff Scheurer
Mark Scheurer
Ann Marie Schneider
Annette Schneider
Bailey Schneider
Darcy Schneider
Jake Schneider
Josh Schneider
Keith Schneider
Ken Schneider
Kevin Schneider
Kiah Schneider
Nicole Schneider
Pat Schneider
Shayla Schneider
Teresa Schneider
Al Schrauben
Courtney Schrauben
Dan Schrauben
Donna Schrauben
Greg Schrauben
Karla Schrauben
Kathy Schrauben
Katie Schrauben
Katrina Schrauben
Kendall Schrauben
Kevin Schrauben
Kim Schrauben
Kris Schrauben
Kristen Schrauben
Linda Schrauben
Marti Schrauben
Randy Schrauben
Liz Seal

Sheila Seitz
Clara Shattuck
Jean Shattuck
John Shattuck
Kellie Shattuck
Kelly Shaw
Kelsey Sheaffer
Ben Simon
Dan Simon
Danielle Simon
Diane Simon
Jake Simon
Jan Simon
Jeff Simon
Jessie Simon
Jim Simon
Katie Simon
Kevin Simon
Leanne Simon
Mark Simon
Robin Simon
Ryan Simon
Tony Simon
Terry Sines
Brenda Smith
Cortney Smith
Doug Smith
Kenzie Smith
Riley Smith
Shelly Smith
Troy Smith
Bob Spedoske
Stacy Spedoske
Joanne Spitzley
Doreen Spohn
Jim Spohn
Karen Stevens
Clayton Stiffler
Cristin Stiffler
Jeff Sutton
Beth Theis
Mike Theis
Arlene Thelen
Carol Thelen
Gayle Thelen
Germaine Thelen
Hannah Thelen
Jim Thelen
Jon Thelen
Lori Thelen
Matt Thelen
Morgan Thelen
Russ Thelen
Tom Thelen
Tony Thelen
Angie Thompson
Jake Thompson
Jenny Thompson
Josh Thompson
Chris Trierweiler
Jamie Trierweiler
Linda Trierweiler

Steve Trierweiler
Beth Vallier
Bill Vallier
Connie Vallier
John Vallier
Richelle Vallier
Bob VanLente
Sue VanLente
Amy Weems
Bob Weller
Joan Weller
Jon Weller
Leslie Weller
Mike Weller
Nick Weller
Pat Weller
Toots Weller
Zac White
Casey Wilcox
Christine Wilcox
Jackie Wilcox
Luke Wilcox
Shannon Wilcox
Steve Wilcox
Taylor Wilcox
Tim Wilcox
Mary Willemin
Ralph Willemin
Tangela Willemin
Bill Witt
Brian Wohlschied
Nancy Wohlschied
Tom Zimmerman

FESTIVAL LOST & FOUND: *Several items were found on the parish grounds during the Festival weekend. If you lost something, please be sure to stop by the Parish Office to claim it.*
