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# Friendship in Christ

Enjoying each other's company Striving to bring the best out of each other Sharing a commitment to a common good outside of ourselves





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Were not our hearts burning as he spoke to us on the road ...

And they recognized him

## IN THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Gospel of Luke 24: 13-35



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#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm Standard Time

5:00 pm Daylight Time 8:00am, 10:30am

#### **Daily Mass Schedule**

Sunday

6:30 am Tuesday/Thursday 8:00 am Monday/Wednesday/Friday 8:00 am Wednesday/Thursday Christ Light of the Nations School Check the Bulletin each week for schedule changes.

# Holy Days of Obligation

8:00 am, and 7:00 pm

Civil Holidays 9:00 am

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 2:30-3:30 (CST); 3:30-4:30 (CDT)

Advent & Lent Reconciliation Services

By appointment at any timecall priest directly.

#### Liturgy of the Hours

7:35am Monday/Wednesday/Friday

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

7:00am Tuesday-midnight Wednesday

## Becoming a Catholic Christian

The parish has a year-round/ongoing process to assist adults in becoming Catholic. It also has a special program for older unbaptized children. Both can start any time. Call Deacon George (868-2310) for further information

#### Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples begin preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage at least 6 months before their wedding. Please remember—a wedding date will not be scheduled until the assessment of their readiness for the Sacrament of Marriage has been completed. Contact the rectory for more information. Weddings are not scheduled during the Season of Lent.

#### Anointing of the Sick

The sacrament is for those having surgery, the seriously ill, the chronically ill, and those near death. If you know in advance that you are going to the hospital, call one of the priests to arrange for anointing at home or church. In addition the sacrament is celebrated at church on the first Saturday of the month after evening Mass and on the third Sunday of the month after 8:00 Mass. It may be repeated as needed.

#### A PLEDGE TO PARISH LIFE

My parish is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them.

It will do great work, if I work It will make **generous** gifts to causes, if I am a generous giver.

> It will **bring other people** into its community,

#### if I invite and bring them.

It will be a parish of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, and a parish with a noble spirit, if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things.

> Therefore, with the help of God, I shall **dedicate myself** to the task of being all the things

that I want my parish to be.



#### Highlights of Life in Our Community **Our Parish Life**

#### Good for You - Good for Others

Details in your bulletin or Parish Directory. Being involved insures the vitality of our parish.

#### Sunday, February 19th The 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time

- Sacramental Anointing of the Sick
- Women of the Gospels Day of Prayer Pallottine Renewal Center (Florissant)
  - Indoor Meat Shoot

Knights of Columbus, Santa Cruz Council Hall

Monday, February 20th Presidents Day Holiday Parish Office Closed / 9:00am Parish Mass

- Exercise Class
- World Social Justice Day Prayer Vigil 7:00pm - Holy Name of Jesus Parish Church

Tuesday, February 21st

• Eucharistic Adoration & Visits

#### Wednesday, February 22nd Ash Wednesday / Season of Lent Begins

- Eucharistic Adoration & Visits
  - Parish Quilting
    - Girl Scouts
  - · Parish Fish Fry

#### Friday, February 24th

- Girl Scouts
- Parish Fish Frv
- Stations of the Cross Prayer Service

Saturday, February 25th

• Sacrament of Penance

Sunday, February 26th The First Sunday of Lent

#### **COMING SPECIAL EVENTS**

#### DAY OF REFLECTION

Saturday, March 3rd, 11:00am - 3:45pm Preparing for the National Black Catholic Congress at Cardinal Ritter College Preparatory High School Reconciliation and Mass 4:30pm St. Elizabeth, Mother of John the Baptist Parish

#### PARISH BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, March 20th, 3:00pm - 7:00pm Holy Name of Jesus Community Center

#### CATHOLIC WOMEN FOR CHRIST

2012 Annual Conference / America's Center Saturday, March 31st, 7:30am - 4:00pm

#### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Weekends for Building Strong & Healthy Marriages Friday-Sunday, April 27th-29th, 2012 Friday-Sunday, August 10th-12th, 2012 Celebrating the Seasons of Lent and Easter

#### Our Re-Calling to Conversion and Discipleship

WE ARE CATHOLIC. WELCOME HOME! In October we began an initiative to encourage active Catholics to more deeply appreciate the gift of their faith, to invite those who have left the Church or simply drifted away to take another look at practicing their faith, and to offer the community of our faith to those who have no Church. Hospitality in words and actions - especially at Mass and parish events - is the single most important factor for the success of this initiative. Also good celebrations of the Liturgy, effective preaching, and parish members reaching out to their neighbors are necessary elements for growth and a strong sense of belonging. Our commitment in these areas must be consistent and for the long haul of years to come.

Mass attendance is one way for us to measure the success of our efforts. We have just completed our second Mass Count, assessing the practice of attending Sunday Mass among our parish members. Over a three week period in January/February we found that our parish had on average 522 people attending weekend Masses here, a 10.7% increase from our count in October (466) - roughly 32.9% of our total number of members (1589) from 959 registered households. Over this period actual Mass attendance ranged from a high of 204 persons to a low of 143, with each particular Mass averaging 190 (4:00pm), 153 (8:00am) and 179 (10:30am).

I find this very encouraging. Please do all you can to continue to participate in the celebration of Mass with our community! Encourage your family, friends, and neighbors. Practice hospitality with each other and especially with anyone who may be a stranger to you.

WE BEGIN THE SEASON OF LENT this week - our annual parish retreat in preparation for the renewal of our baptismal promises on Easter. I encourage you to use this time for personal prayer, study, and works of charity that will enliven you in Christ. After Ash Wednesday I will be on a week-long retreat. During the First Week of Lent there will be changes in our Mass schedule. These will be published in next week's bulletin. Please pray for me and I will for you and all who depend on our parish being here.

# CATHOLICISM

Every Sunday morning during Lent **CATHOLICISM** will help you to: beginning next week (February 26th) Deacon Matt will lead the viewing and discussion of this acclaimed documentary film series on the passion and glory of our Catholic faith.

**CATHOLICISM** was created by Father Robert Barron, a priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago and professor of faith and culture for their seminary. Mr. Mike Leonard, NBC Today Show correspondent served as

**Meeting Place:** 

A Vision for the Truth, Beauty, & Goodness of Our Catholic Faith

- Journey across the planet and see how the Catholic Church's influence on humanity has created a truly global culture
- See the artistic and architectural splendor of the Catholic Faith interpreted in light of the mystery of God revealed in Jesus Christ
- Hear for yourself from one of the great spiritual teachers of our time Executive Producer for the series. precisely what the Church believes and whv
- Parish Office Center / The Commons Feel the depths of conviction that **Meeting Time:** touch the heart, illumine the mind, 9:15am - 10:15am and stir the soul

#### MASS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY** February 20 Mildred Harbke 9:00am

TUESDAY February 21

Gus & Phyllis Mercurio 6:30am

Mass at Missouri Veterans Home 10:00am

**WEDNESDAY February 22** 

6:30am Dan Graville 8:00am Andrew Maixner

8:00am School Mass at Our Lady of the

Rosary

7:00pm Jerry Cronin

**THURSDAY February 23** 

**Delore Jones** 6:30am

**FRIDAY** February 24

Catherine Nischbach 8:00am

**SATURDAY February 25** 

4:00pm John Horan

**SUNDAY** February 26

8:00am Ralph Ellerbrock

Herman Krueger, Sr. 10:30am



Saturday, February 25

4:00pm Denise Wellman & Victor Caravello

Sunday, February 26

8:00am Kulla Family 10:30am Youth Group



Monday is President's Day. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am. The Parish Office Will be closed.



# Eucharistic Ministers

Wednesday, February 22

6:30am

Barb Arnett\* Linda Schneider\*

Laura Petroff

7:00pm Anne Schwanz\* Karen Kulla\*

Mary Migliazzo Judy Mantych

Saturday, February 25

Tony Migliazzo

4:00pm

Lynda Brand\* Dee Hooser\* Linda Schneider Larry Cooke Barb Ellington Marilyn Gittemeier Laura Lucido Judy Mantych Nancy Cooke-D

Sunday, February 26

8:00am

Josephine Bono\* Martin Audrain\* Larry Colombo Diana Goddwin Sandy Hamm Betty Kondracki Karen Kulla Shirley Loy

10:30am

Jeanne Field\* Lori Garner Gina Keppler Bill Krenn Pat Edgar-D

Minnie Huston\* Mary Harris Ken Kleinberg Mary Nogalski

Betty Easley-D

#### **LECTORS**

Wednesday, February 22

7:00pm Sr. Rose

Saturday, February 25

4:00pm Diane Merz

Sunday, February 26

Lois Albers 8:00am 10:30am Youth Group

**Mass Servers** 



February 20-24

8:00am Katy Moran & Joann Dougherty

**Saturday February 25** 

4:00pm Lauren Whittington, Juliana Modde

& Abby Herl

Sunday, February 26

8:00am Andrew & Grace Gerhart & David

**Bober** 

10:30am Hannah Sullivan, Kelsey Keppler &

George Bond



#### TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God's covenant with Noah when he was delivered from the flood (Genesis 9: 8-15).

Psalm — Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant (Psalm 25).

Second Reading — The water of the flood Prefigured baptism, which saves you now (1 Peter 3:18-22).

Gospel — This is the time of fulfillment. The Kingdom of God is at hand (Mark 1:12-15).

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15 Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Mt 7:7-12

Friday: Ez 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26 Saturday: Dt 26:16-19; Mt 5:43-48

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116;

Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

The Mass times and Distribution of Ashes for Ash Wednesday will be 6:30 and 8am and also 7pm. Stations of the Cross each Friday during Lent at 7pm

#### **FYI**

Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish in Ferguson will have a Mass and distribution of Ashes at 12noon.

#### "Amazing Grace"

An inspirational story of survival, faith, and hope on America's Death Row

Juan Melendez spent nearly 18 years on Death Row for a crime he did not commit. Had it not been for the extremely fortunate discovery of a taped confession of the real killer, sixteen years after Mr. Melendez had been sentenced to death, he almost certainly would have been executed. Join us to hear his remarkable story.

Tuesday, February 21st @ 7:00pm Sts. Joachim & Ann Care Service Celebration Room 4116 McClay Road St. Charles, Mo

Free-will donations accepted.
No reservations needed.

#### **Health Advisory**

You commitment to Mass is a sign of the vitality of our parish. However, for the health of our whole community, **if you are not feeling well,** be attentive to these recommendations:

#### Don't Come To Church...

With a fever—be fever free for 24 hrs.

When you're not feeling well—achy, tired, sore throat, no energy

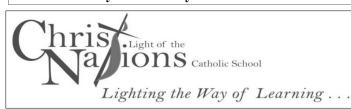
When you're coughing and sneezing a lot with a runny nose or headache.

#### When You Do Come To Church...

Use hand sanitizer at church entrances With slight symptoms of cold or flu-

Don't take communion from the cup Offer the sign of peace with a friendly Wave or simple bow

Thank you for your cooperation in **taking responsibility for the health of our community.** Remember, it's **sad** to miss Mass when you're sick or taking care of someone who's sick, but **not sinful.** 



#### CHRIST LIGHT DANCE CLUB PERFORMS AT TRINITY

Last Thursday, February 9<sup>th</sup>, the CLN Dance Club rocked the house during half time with an awesome performance to "Who Woke Snow White Up" and "The Cupid Shuffle!" Students from kindergarten up to 8<sup>th</sup> grade cheered on the Trinity Titan's varsity basketball team, and then performed during half time. The dancers did a great job with their performance and also representing out school!







#### PRAYER CHAIN

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please call either Betty Kondracki @ 868-0176 or Pat Edgar @ 868-4143

## **Scholarship**

St. Norbert's Knights of Columbus Council #11635 will be Awarding one \$500 scholarship to individuals entering or attending a Catholic High School as a Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, or Senior for 2012. Please contact St. Norbert's rectory at 831-3874 (x221) for an application. They can either mail it to you or send it by e-mail.

All applications MUST be postmarked by April 1, 2012.

Any <u>Catholic</u> family wishing to apply for tuition assistance through the Archdiocese for the 2012-13 school year must obtain a "FACTS" application from the office. Students must attend an Archdiocesan or Parochial Elementary School or an Archdiocesan or Parochial High School to be eligible. The due date for the application is <u>April, 2012</u> and <u>must</u> Include a copy of your <u>2011</u> Income Tax Return. The Catholic Education Office appreciates the support of the ACA and all of its donors.

There will be no Together We're Better Certificate sales on the weekends, until further notice. You can still purchase them at school.

#### Also

If you have Box Tops or Campbell's labels, please turn in as soon as possible, the labels have to be mailed at the end of the month.

#### ZUMBA CLASSES

Christ Light of the Nations Cafeteria Tuesday evenings 6:30—7:30pm

#### **CORRECTION**

\$5 per week or pay \$25 for six weeks (The cost for classes was incorrect in last week's bulletin)

For more information call Lisa Feltes 636-288-2615



#### Healthy Habits

The holidays are behind us, we have given up on our new years resolutions and warmer weather is quietly approaching. Yet, there is still time to shed some unwanted pounds that are caused by holiday celebrations and family traditions. Let's get ready for that warm weather, and you don't have to diet to get there. Just make a few simple changes in your eating habits and you will get there.

Have 3 balanced meals per day, with a snack between meals. Balanced meals should consist of 25% protein/meat, 25% starch/carbohydrates and 50% fruits and vegetables. This can be applied to each meal of the day. Fats should be no more than 30% of your total daily calories, and all sweetened/sugared foods should be eliminated, or at least try to eliminate them.

Fiber is very important in our diet. The best way to consume the recommended daily dose of fiber is to eat fresh fruits and vegetables and eat Whole Grain breads, pasta and rice. If you have difficulty eating fresh vegetables, steam them slightly to make them a little easier to chew, but the tougher the better. Whole grain pasta and rice are also going to be a little tougher, but a few extra minutes in boiling water may help.

Snacks between meals should be no more than 100 calories. Examples may be; a banana, JELL-O sugarfree pudding, 1 stick of string cheese, 30 grapes, 3 ginger snaps, and for the chocolate lover, 4 Hershey's kisses. Having a snack between meals, keeps our insulin production at a constant level, we are less likely to feel that midafternoon slump if we have a snack 2-3 hours after we have had lunch. Having balanced meals and snacks will keep us from over-eating at dinner or late evening.

One last thing to change would be to eliminate one sugary drink per day. Liquid calories do not satisfy our appetite or control our hunger, but they can increase our production of insulin, which puts us in that midafternoon slump. Replace your sugary drink with a large glass of water. It gives us a full feeling if it is taken in before the meal and it has no calories.

It takes 21 days for a something to become a habit. Let's start forming those habits today!

#### IMPORTANT HOSPITAL NEWS

Hospitals, because they are going paperless, are no longer listing the parishes of patients. So, PLEASE, be sure to let us know if you are a friend, relative, neighbor, etc. are being admitted to a hospital. We want to support you in your illness. Just call the Parish Office and give us your information.

# Rest in Peace &

In your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Vita Bono, Janet Barylski, Mildred Woelfle, Viola Ryan and all who have died this week. We pray that they may now enjoy the great blessings of eternal life and that their family and friends may find peace in the promises of Christ.

COME HEAR ABOUT AND SEE THE BEAUTY OF BELIZE.

Judy and Bill Krenn and Sister Rose are eager to share with you the blessings of their recent Mission Trip to the Toledo District of Belize. Come join them on SUNDAY, MARCH 4<sup>TH</sup> AT 3:00 P.M. IN THE HOLY NAME OF JESUS COMMUNITY CENTER.

Come see beautiful pictures and hear wonderful stories. You don't want to miss it.

Do you know someone who is a shut-in and would enjoy receiving cards from our community? Please send their name and address to Sr. Rose.

#### FISH FRY

Fish Frys are here to stay for awhile! We will start on Ash Wednesday, February 22 and every Friday, including Good Friday. As you might imagine, it takes a lot of people and preparation to pull this off every Friday during Lent. For that reason we need anyone who would be willing to help, we have jobs for everyone no matter what your age or ability. There are two shifts for serving the food: 3:30-5:30 and 5:15-7:00. The second shift is covered by the school parents from Christ Light of The Nations, and the school receives a portion of the profits. Here is a list of duties we need volunteers for:

- \*Wednesday nights we make spaghetti sauce and cut up veggies.
- \*Thursday afternoon we cook the spaghetti
- \*Thursday night we wash potatoes, pull out the fish to thaw and setup the dining area.
- \*Early Friday morning we cook and peel potatoes, make potato salad and cole slaw We also pull out the baked fish to prepare for later.
- \*Friday afternoon we cut and bread the fish and cut the desserts to be served.

If you are able to volunteer for any of the above duties, please call Mari @583-1551 or Donna @780-2417. Volunteering is a way to meet your fellow parishioners and have a little fun!

Unable to volunteer some time—how about baking some desserts?! Many pies, cakes, and brownies are need for each Fish Fry. We are also in need of bacon grease.

#### FISH FRY DATES

Wednesday, February 22 Friday, February 24 Friday, March 2 Friday, March 9 Friday, March 16 Friday, March 23 Friday, March 30

Friday, April 6

FISH DINNER (fried or baked) with 2 sides \$7.50

#### FISH SANDWICH \$4

PINT SIDES (spaghetti, cole slaw, green beans, French fries, potato salad) \$2

1/4 CHEESE PIZZA \$3

#### **Church in Central & Eastern** Europe

Wednesday, February 22 we will take up the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This Collection supports Catholic organizations that provide food, shelter, medical care, catechesis, and companionship for the lonely in a region still struggling in the aftermath of atheistic Soviet rule. Your donation help to restore the strength of the Church in the region. Please give generously to the Collection this week. Visit www.usccb.org/ national collections to learn more.

#### TAP INTO YOUR FAITH Tuesday, February 28th, 2012

Sponsor - Aquinas Institute of Theology AN EVENING

2100 Locust Street (Downtown St. Louis) WITH ARCHBISHOP CARLSON Presentation - 7:00pm Sharp Young adults are invited to spend a Arrive early for food & drink - And to find a seat

This is the fourth of a series of popular programs designed to engaged Catholics of any age - but especially young adult Catholics - in conversations about the practice of our faith. Plan now to attend. Be sure to come early. Tell your friends. Let your children and Seating is limited in the Schlafly Tap grandchildren know about this and Room to 200 guests. encourage them to participate.

WITH THE ARCHBISHOP: Location - Schlafly Tap Room A Q&A SESSION FOR YOUNG ADULTS

> convivial evening with St. Louis' Archbishop Robert Carlson.

Come with your questions. He will be there to hear from you and to share his thought with you.



Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Our Lady of Guadalupe St. Angela Merici St. Norbert Christ Light of the Nations Sacred Heart - Florissant St. Ferdinand St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

#### NORTHEAST DEANERY

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On February 2nd, Archbishop Robert Carlson shared his priorities for Catholic Education through Alive in Christ! the Mission Advancement

Initiative for Catholic Education in the Archdiocese of St. Louis. Among other priorities is the Archbishop's desire for parishes and schools to engage in Deanery-based planning, something that the Northeast Deanery has been most recently working on since the 2009 Education Summit and the establishment of the Federation of Catholic Schools in 2010.

To learn more about Alive in Christ, visit <a href="https://www.FederationofCatholicSchools.org">www.FederationofCatholicSchools.org</a> for a link to a video and summary of the priorities. Please continue to pray for the continued success of the mission and ministry of Catholic Education in our Northeast Deanery and throughout the Archdiocese.

# SCHOOLS FIND CREATIVE WAYS TO CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Catholic Schools Week was celebrated Jan. 29 through Feb. 4 this year, and our North County Federation schools celebrated in a variety of ways. During the Community Open House on Sunday, Jan. 29th over 200 families combined visited their neighborhood Catholic school to learn more about how a Catholic Education could benefit their child.

On Jan. 30, eighth grade students and teachers participated in the celebration of a special regional Mass with Archbishop Carlson at Holy Trinity Parish. Throughout the week, students had fun with everything from crazy hats and socks, wacky tacky dress down days and donuts for parents to special assemblies with visits from Fredbird, dance performers—even an eagle from the World Bird Sanctuary.

To read more about specific ways our Federation schools celebrated, visit www.FederationofCatholicSchools.org.

Join us for an Evening of Music and Arts Showcasing the work and talents of our Catholic Elementary School students



# Fine arts Night

### Thursday, March 1, 2012 7:00-8:30 PM

Trinity Catholic High School 1720 Redman Road St. Louis, MO 63138

Program includes performance by 3rd and 4th grade students from all eight of our Federation Schools, as well as instrumental band music, speech team presentations, and a display of artwork from students of all grade levels.

#### **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

For more information, please contact Cara Koen, Director of Advancement at advancement@FederationofCatholicSchools.org or (314) 537-3174.

#### SEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS TO GIVE HIGH SCHOOL A TRY

On Wednesday, February 29th seventh grade students will have the opportunity to spend a day as a high school student through the "Titan for the Day" program at Trinity Catholic High School. Current Trinity students get the day off while the school opens its doors and classrooms for the seventh grade students, who will experience a day of high school core and elective classes with Trinity faculty, complete with lunch periods and a school assembly.

"This day is a great opportunity for our students to encounter the high school experience and interact with other students from the Catholic elementary schools in our area," says Miss Jeanne Gearon, Principal at St. Ferdinand School. "We appreciate the fantastic efforts of the teachers and staff at Trinity."

Connect with the Federation online to get regular updates about our schools in your e-mail inbox. Learn more at www.FederationofCatholicSchools.org or contact us by e-mail at advancement@FederationofCatholicSchools.org.



Stewardship of Treasure
Your Gifts of Support for
Our Parish Mission

#### Report on Parish Collections

Envelope Offerings \$6,577.22

Loose Offerings \$89.00

Total Sunday Collection: Parish Support \$6,666.22

Join us for a Day of Reflection in preparation for the 2012 National Black Catholic Congress Saturday, March 3rd

From 11am—3:45pm in Cardinal Ritter College Preparatory High School,

701N. Spring Ave, in mid-town St. Louis Continuing with Reconciliation at 4, Rosary at 4:30 and Mass at 5 in St. Elizabeth, Mother of John the Baptist Catholic Church, 4330 Shreve at Carter Aves.

Please R.S.V.P to the St. Charles Lwanga Center at 367-7929

#### Our youth group is doing the 30 HOUR FAMINE

Our youth group is planning to do a 30 Hour Famine with the youth group at Blessed Teresa of Calcutta youth group. We will be staying at their youth house and fasting from Friday Feb. 24 to Sat. at 6pm while doing many activities to help teach us about the starving poor in our world. Please help us to raise money for those who are working to alleviate hunger through World Vision by pledging any amount per hour that we fast. You can pledge by calling Judy Krenn 761-6570. Thanks so much for helping us to make our faith more alive by getting in touch with the poor.

Our YOUTH MASS is next Sunday the 26th. If you would like to volunteer to help bring up the gifts, read or sing please call Mrs. Krenn.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR: Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner HNJ Cafeteria Sunday, March 11th More info to follow Dinner prepared by Don Merz & Friends



Theresa Coker, Cheryl Elder, Sr. Pat Mueller, Martha Rehagen, Mary Jane Niemann, Betty Palmer, Jamie Kuehner, Sharon Schoenberger, Rich Nieters, Grace Lohman

# In The Hospital...

Martha Rehagen, Joan Kleinberg

Save the date! Leap Year Day, Wednesday, Feb. 29<sup>th</sup> "Leap Of Faith"! is coming! We will explore how to use our "Leap of Faith" to fully rely on God. We will also explore how to use compassion with our families, friends, parish community and especially, ourselves!

Holy Name of Jesus Church Community Center

10235 Ashbrook Dr. Bissell Hills, 63137 9:00 AM till 2:30 PM

Please call to **register** as lunch entrée will be provided. (**Parish office-868-2310 or Betty Kondracki-868-0176.**"

Bring a salad or dessert if you can!

Join us to jump start your Lenten Season!

The Eucharistic Adoration Chapel is open from 7:00am Tuesday until 11:00pm Wednesday. Anyone is welcomed to make a visit, become a substitute, or sign up for one hour each week. If you have any questions regarding this devotion, please contact Linda Schneider at 868-2374, Joan Geerling at 868-9431 or Ray Gawedzinski at 261-2655. What a wonderful opportunity to be in His presence with no distractions. Would this be something extra for the season of Lent or throughout the entire year that you may want to consider?

# WORLD SOCIAL JUSTICE DAY PRAYER VIGIL FEBRUARY 20, 2012

7:00 pm

HOLY NAME OF JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

10235 Ashbrook Dr.

St. Louis, MO 63137

Guest speaker: Sr. Genevieve Cassani, SSND

ALL ARE WELCOME!



"The greatest challenge of the day is: how to bring about a revolution of the heart."

Dorothy Day

"A nation that continues year after year to spend more money on military defense than on programs of social uplift is approaching spiritual doom."

Martin Luther King

"No culture can live if it attempts to be exclusive."

Mahatma Gandhi

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