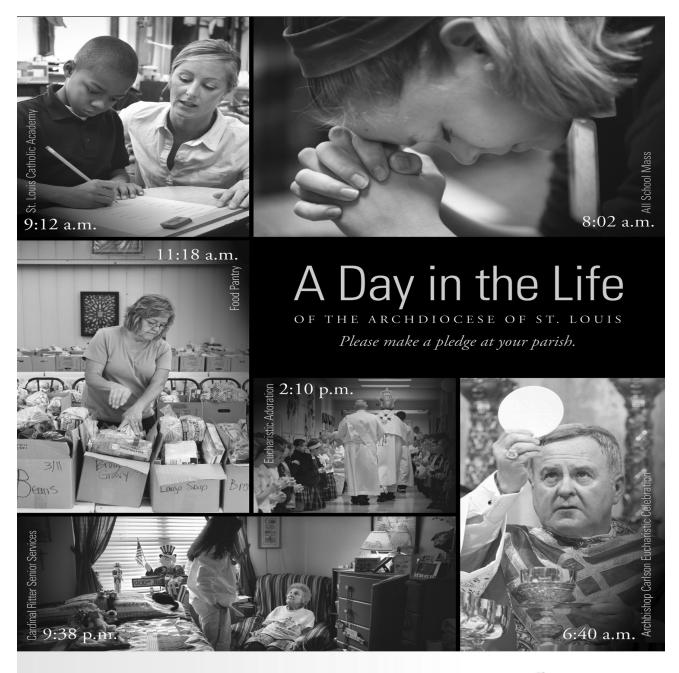
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Were not our hearts burning as he spoke to us on the road ...

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

Sunday 8:00am, 10:30am

#### **Daily Mass Schedule**

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 time call priest directly.

#### Liturgy of the Hours

7:35am Monday/Wednesday/Friday

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

7:00am Tuesday-11:00pm 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, April 29th The Fourth Sunday of Easter Annual Catholic Appeal Weekend

• Spaghetti & Meatball Dinner - 4:00pm Benefit for the Belize Mission Projects

#### Monday, April 30th

• Exercise Class

• Appreciation Dinner—Fish Fry Workers

#### Tuesday, May 1st

• Eucharistic Adoration & Visits

#### Wednesday, May 2nd

- Eucharistic Adoration & Visits
- Parish Hospitality: Coffee & Donuts
  - Parish Quilting
  - Girl Scouts Meeting

#### Thursday, May 3rd

• School Board Meeting Christ Light of the Nations School - Library

#### Friday, May 4th

Field Day

Christ Light of the Nations School

- Girl Scouts Meeting
- Christ Light of the Nations Art Fair Friday, 6:00-7:30pm

#### Saturday, May 5th Annual Catholic Appeal Weekend

• Christ Light of the Nations Art Fair Saturday, 6:00-7:00pm

#### Sunday, May 6th The Fifth Sunday of Easter Annual Catholic Appeal Weekend

• Christ Light of the Nations Art Fair Sunday, 9:00-10:30am / 11:30am-12:30pm

#### **COMING SPECIAL EVENTS**

#### LADIES GUILD SPRING LUNCHEON Saturday, May 12th, 2012, 11:30am

#### PARISH WOMEN'S RETREATS

White House Retreat Center (South St. Louis County)

Monday-Thursday, May 7th-10th
Thursday-Sunday, May 24th-27th

#### TRINITY ALUMNI GOLF EVENT

Benefit of Trinity Angel Scholarship/Assistance Fund Monday, June 11th - Winghaven

#### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Weekends for Building Strong & Healthy Marriages Friday-Sunday, August 10th-12th, 2012 Celebrating Good Shepherd Sunday

#### **Called to Witness to Human Dignity**

JESUS, THE GOOD SHEPHERD, shows us that our lives are to be loving and caring, faithful and trustworthy, patient and understanding. All our relationships with others are rooted in love. Like the Good Shepherd, we lay down our lives for others when we listen to another's opinion instead of stubbornly clinging to our own, when we sow unity instead of the seed of discord, when we gently bring others to honesty about self and how they are living, and when we build others up rather than tear them down. In these and countless others ways each day we incarnate the Father's love.

"Everyone is **obliged to follow this law**, which makes itself heard in conscience and is fulfilled in the love of God and of neighbor. Living **a moral life** bears witness to **the dignity of the person**."

Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1706

EVERY HOUR OF EVERY DAY giving of ourselves changes lives. The unborn child is spared. A fatherless child finds a safe home. Children are provided the opportunity to attend a Catholic school. The homeless and the hungry find refuge. Our retired priests who poured out their lives for their people are cared for and men are formed as our next generation of priests. These charitable activities - most of all support for the poor - are a bold witness to the love of Jesus, the Good Shepherd. Join me in welcoming to our parish this weekend Ms. Susan Meyer from Cardinal Ritter College Prep High School. She will speak with us about how the Annual Catholic Appeal everyday supports the programs, ministries, and services of the Church of St. Louis. Again this weekend you can make your gift or pledge in support of the Appeal before or after Mass in the Community Center.

WE ARE NOW RECRUITING NEW SERVERS for the celebration of Mass in our parish. I encourage all students now completing the 4th grade through high school to consider this ministry as good way to more actively participate in the Mass as well as to be of service to your parish. I ask all parents and parish members to encourage their children and the young people you know to become servers. We provide training, on-going support, and flexible scheduling. For more information contact Father Mike (314-868-2310) or Linda Brand (314-388-1244).

WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING NOMINATIONS for our School Board. Information in today's bulletin describes the responsibility of Board members and the needs of our school that nominees will need to address as Board members. Self-nominations are encouraged.

IN OUR CATHOLIC TRADITION the members of a parish freely take responsibility for the needs of every person living within the territory they have been formed to serve. The work of our St. Vincent de Paul Society is one way in which this commitment is being fulfilled in our parish.

Recently I asked **Rita Kemna** to summarize the work that has been done to relocate our **Jennings Food Pantry**. Look for her article in today's bulletin. Continue to pray for the poor in our parish and that God will show us what our next steps might be in caring for the basic human needs of the neighbors who live so close to us. As St. Vincent said,

"It is our duty to help the poor know they are friends of God."

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

MONDAY April 30 8:00am Bud Ferrell

TUESDAY May 1

**6:30am** Joseph Malon

**10:00am** Mass at Missouri Veterans Home

**WEDNESDAY May 2** 

**8:00am** Mary Agnes Tebeau

**8:00am** School Mass at Our Lady of the

Rosary

**THURSDAY May 3** 

**6:30am** Delores Lang

FRIDAY May 4

8:00am Stella & Michael Mierzwinski

**SATURDAY May 5** 

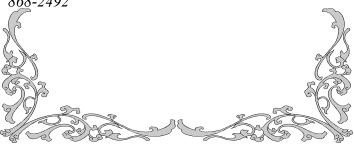
**5:00pm** Homer Zigler

SUNDAY May 6

**8:00am** Walter Zuchowski **10:30am** Janet Marie Barylski



Save the date, May 12th for Holy Name of Jesus Ladies Guild Spring Luncheon! Doors open at 11am, cocktails till noon when lunch is served. Ticket cost is \$15. The entertainment will be Helen Gannon's St. Louis Irish Dancers & Musicians in full costume. For tickets call Mary Masterson 868-2492





#### **Eucharistic Ministers**

Saturday, May 5

5:00pm

Marilyn Gittemeier\*
Dee Hooser
Mary Migliazzo
Eileen Mills
Laura Lucido-D

Mary Krsul\*
Judy Mantych
Tony Migliazzo
Linda Schneider

Sunday, May 6

8:00am

Laura Petroff\* Bob Ritter\*
Karen Kulla Shirley Loy
Merry Marquart Debbie Maue
Sr. Rose Bernice Parciak
Anne Schwanz-D

10:30am

Jeanne Field\* Lori Garner\*
Linda Byrns Jim Cuidon
Minnie Huston Mary Nogalski
Ken Kleinberg-D



#### **LECTORS**

Saturday, May 5

**5:00pm** Lynda Brand

Sunday, May 6

**8:00am** Gina Keppler

**10:30am** Sr. Charlene Zeisset

Mass Servers

April 30—May 4

8:00am

Saturday, May 5

**5:00pm** Nicole Williams & Michael Brooks

Sunday, May 6

**8:00am** Grace & Andrew Gerhart

**10:30am** Alanna Lottmann, Juliana & Libby

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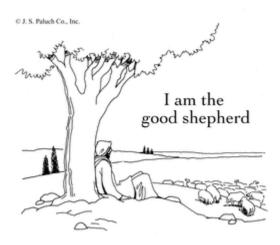
Saturday, May 5

5:00pm VOLUNTEERS

Sunday, May 6

**8:00am** Mike & Steve Paro

**10:30am** Mary Ann Harris & Minnie Huston



#### TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — There is no other name under heaven by which we are to be saved than the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene (Acts 4:8-12).

**Psalm** — The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone (Psalm 118).

**Second Reading** — See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God (1 John 3:1-2).

**Gospel** — I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep (John 10:11-18).

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30 or, for the

memorial, Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or Col 3:14-15,

17, 23-34; Mt 13:54-58

Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Jn 14:6-14 Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6 Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14

Sunday: Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22; 1 Jn 3:18-24;

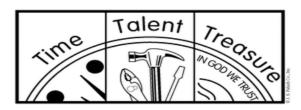
Jn 15:1-8

RATI—Room At The Inn is in need of a driver. The job consist of picking up guest at the RATI shelter, which is located on McKelvey Road across the street from DePaul Hospital, and bringing them to Holy Name. Then the next morning, driving the guest back to the RATI shelter. You DO NOT need to stay all night. At present we have the use of the shelter's van. Guest need to be picked up between 5pm and 5:30pm and taken back to the shelter the next morning by 7am. Holy Name host guest on the second Wednesday of the month. If you are interested in driving or would like more information please contact Sr. Rose 868-2310 or Joan Aslin 838-5574, coordinator of the RATI program at Holy Name.

#### 4th Sunday of Easter

"It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in man. It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in princes." PSALM118: 8-9

Too often our society trains us to take refuge in man-made riches. Yet Thomas Merton once wrote, "There is no poverty so great as that of the prosperous." Too many possessions can leave us empty—always questing for more things that do not really matter—while we ignore Our Lord.



#### LITTLE THINGS MEAN A LOT

When it comes to Stewardship it is the little things that mean a lot. We do not have to do great or wonderful things to be 'Good Stewards of God's Gifts'. Simple and small things, like being an usher during Mass, donating our pennies for 'Pennies from Heaven', serve coffee and donuts during our parish Hospitality Weekends or simply praying for one another, are ways that we can demonstrate what it means to practice Stewardship. It is the little things that, when added together, makes for a vital parish. We all can do something small for Stewardship. So, what is your small gift? Share that it with your parish family and see how it grows into something great.

## A Call for Nominations for Our School's BOARD OF EDUCATION WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR BOARD MEMBERSHIP?

All **registered members** of Holy Name of Jesus Parish and Our Lady of the Rosary Parish as well as all **parents/guardians of children** currently registered in Christ Light of the Nations School are invited to **nominate themselves** or **other registered parish members or other school parents/guardians**. All nominations will be confirmed by a call from one of the members of our current School Board.

If you have **experience** or **expertise** in any of the following areas, please consider nominating yourself or someone you know to be so qualified: past or present experience as a **Catholic elementary school parent or guardian**, a professional background and experience in **education** (teaching or administration), **finance** and **administration**, **public relations**, **marketing** or **development** and **fundraising**.

All nominees will be invited to a meeting on May 15 to meet with Sister Mary and some board members and hear more about the responsibilities of a board member. They will also be able to ask questions.

#### HOW MANY BOARD POSITIONS NEED TO BE FILLED?

From among all who are nominated three **persons** will be **appointed** to the Board by the Pastoral Leadership Team of the School (Father Mike, Father Tom, Sister Mary, and Karen Dafflitto)

#### WHEN DOES BOARD MEMBERSHIP BEGIN?

The newly selected Board members will meet and begin their service to our school community on August 9, at 7:00pm.

#### QUALITIES OF A BOARD MEMBER

Candidates for Board membership should be:

eighteen year old or older,

a registered parish member or parent of a child in our school program,

supportive of our school's educational program, financially and attitudinally,

sincerely interested in Catholic education,

willing and able to spend the time for meetings.

capable of a broad vision and not having a specific issue to settle through the school,

able to express oneself in a group,

a good listener,

capable of reaching a consensus on controversial issues, possessing an open mind,

willing to be loyal to board decisions even though personally opposed to the final recommendation.

Return the ballot below in person or by mail to your **Parish Office** or to the **School Office**, or simply place it in the **Sunday Collection Basket**.

ALL BALLOTS	MUST BE RETURNED BY FRIDAY, May 11th
Based on the qualities noted above I w <b>Board of Education</b> of <b>Christ Light</b> of	ould like to nominate the following persons for membership on the <b>f the Nations School</b> .
NAME (Please Print Clearly) the Board:	STRENGTH / EXPERTISE this person would bring to

## CHIRONIC PAIN HOW TO BEAT IT: PART 2

Let's continue our discussion on chronic pain. We already know that having chronic pain can affect all aspects of our lives, work, activities, sleep, mood, and even relationships. We also know that having the right doctor, being on the right medicine and seeing a physical therapist is the start any person needs when dealing with chronic pain. There are more ways to beat chronic pain, and let's talk about them now.

#### 4. Take a Load Off:

Joint pain is directly affected by pressure from physical activities, which means they can't heal if they are repeatedly subject to the same pressures that caused the injury in the first place. You may need an ergonomic consultation for your work desk or station. This will make sure your desk or work station is organized in a manner so you will not be reaching or stretching beyond your joints abilities. Also, use elastic braces or bandages or even flexible athletic tape to support joints that need stabilized.

#### 5. Dial Down Your Diet:

Many chronic pains we experience, such as arthritis, are inflammatory diseases. Our diet can contribute to inflammation according to many health gurus. They suggest cutting sugar, white flour and chips out of the diet. These foods are high on the glycemic index, which means they flood the bloodstream with sugar which fuels the inflammatory process. Eat foods high in antioxidants, fruits, vegetables and some spices. The richer the color the better. Include with this diet of fruits and vegetables, lean protein and healthful fats and you may get a grip on your chronic pain.

#### 6. Listen to Your Body:

One mistake many people make is to continue, "business as usual" and not realize that our aches, pains and twinges are trying to tell us something. I'm not telling you to stop moving or to stop exercising. Ask your physical therapist to help make adjustments so you don't experience pain with exercise. Maybe you could use a better pair of shoes, or sleep with support pillows at night. Consult with them, they are the experts.

Look for the last part on CHRONIC PAIN in 2 weeks.

#### 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 Sr. Pat Mueller, Lucille Strutman, Mary Arnold, Henry Twardowski, Irene Rohde, Roy Moyers Sr., Edgar Mayhew 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.

#### 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



## In Appreciation...

to our New Life (Funeral) Choir who is ever faithful in leading the music for Funeral and Memorial Masses here at Holy Name of Jesus. They take time out of their busy days, on short notice, to provide music

ministry for our grieving families. Thank you for sharing your gifts of song and compassion with our parish. Thanks also to our faithful Adult Servers who assist at these Masses. God bless all of you who participate in these corporal works of mercy!



# Remembering Our Work as Christ the Good Shepherd Closing Our 'Corpus Christi' Food Pantry

**OUR PROBLEMS BEGAN** in April 2011. Spring storm winds damaged the roof of the school building we were using at the former Corpus Christi parish now being developed by the Alexian Brothers Health System.

We were unaware of the amount damage since the construction team working on the new senior apartments patched the roof the best they could. During the summer after about a week of rain we realized the problem was much worse then we thought.

In September we met with the CEO of Alexian Brothers PACE Program who told us there was no money in their program to repair the roof and that the building was due to be demolished. Clearly it would be a waste of money for anyone to repair it. We were also told that we would need to close down our pantry as soon as possible and they offered to work with us to find an alternative location.

"The laity should visualize their lives with charity and, to the extent of each person's capability, give concrete expression to it in works."

Vatican Council II

The day after this meeting Karen and Kathy Uhlenbrock went to Jennings City Hall to see if they could help us locate a new building. Father Mike and Marty Bligh, president of North County St. Vincent de Paul were notified about the closure. They were very supportive and called for a meeting to explore what next steps we might take including the possibility of property being donated on which we might construct a new building.

We had several meetings with the mayor of Jennings and the Building Commissioner. We followed up on about 20 different sites by phone and by onsite visits. We needed a building that was large enough to store quantities of canned, frozen, and dry foods. Also, we needed adequate space to distribute the food. With one third of our clients walking to the pantry, we needed to be on a major bus line. The other two thirds (about 40 to 50 people) would be driving, so we would need a large parking space.

Most of the buildings in Jennings are located on Jennings Station Road or West Florissant. These are small store fronts with limited space inside. The major buildings – the old Schnuck's store, the old St. Jacob's school, and Hill Behan's old store – were all approached and we were refused.

When talking with the Food Bank we found out that there were 6 other pantries in the Jennings area. We would have to locate our new pantry in an area that was not "too close" to another pantry. On a map these other pantries formed a ring around the Jennings area. Our only possibility would be south of West Florissant towards Interstate 70 and the buildings in that area were not suitable. It was with great disappointment that we were forced to close our pantry permanently at the end of February.

The Jennings Building Commissioner still informs Karen when a building is vacant and she still contacts the owner. We are looking for a very low or rent free site, suitable to the needs previously described. If a site can be found both our parish and the Archdiocesan St. Vincent de Paul Office will actively contribute towards it development. We very much want to do all that is possible to serve the basic human needs of the people living in our parish community.



Christ, Light of the Nations Athletic Association will be having a car wash on Sunday, May 6 from

9:00am to 1:00pm. Bring your cars to the CLN parking lot and let us make them sparkle for spring!!! Thanks for you support!!

# Do you watch EWTN's "The Journey Home" with Marcus Grodi?

Then don't miss the show on Monday, April 30th. At 7pm—a member of our St. Louis Archdiocese, Shane Kapler, will share stories from his conversion to Catholicism as a teen and college student. You can learn more about Shane and find links to his books, articles, and radio interviews at www.explainingchristianity.com

#### **YOU Can Help Your Marriage -**

25% of surveyed couples say they are "Happily Married". For everyone else, there is Retrouvaille. Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Does talking only make it worse? For info on the Retrouvaille Program, visit the website

at <u>www.HelpOurMarriage.org</u> or call 314-283-5055. The next program begins the weekend of June 8-10<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

# FEDERATION LEARNING CONSULTANTS PUBLISH ONLINE RESOURCE PAGE FOR PARENTS

Is my child ready for Kindergarten? My child has special educational needs, where do I go for help? Does my child have ADHD? How can I help my child with study skills and homework issues? These are just a few common questions parents may have about their children's education. Members of the Federation's Learning Consultant Professional Learning Team (PLT) have researched some of the best online resources for parents and compiled them in a new special section on the Federation of Catholic Schools Web Site. Links to other informative websites in the areas of:

- Kindergarten Readiness
- Homework Helps
- Learning Disabilities
- ADHD
- Special Education Resources
- Gifted Education Resources
- Featured Videos

Members of the Federation Learning Consultant PLT will continue to evaluate online resources that would be helpful to parents and add them to the <u>resources page</u> on a regular basis. All parents are invited to bookmark this page, add it to your favorites and share it with other parents who may find the information useful.



## Federation Schools are <u>NOW EN-</u> ROLLING for 2012-13

## **Alive in Christ Scholarships**

The Archdiocese of St. Louis has announced a new scholarship program for Catholic elementary school tuition. These <u>Alive in Christ Scholarships</u> ranging from \$1,000-\$2,000 are available to families who qualify (based on household income), on a first-come first served basis. All families who meet the income eligibility requirements and have students currently enrolled at one of our Federation schools are encouraged to <u>submit an application</u> as soon as possible. Eligible families who will have a new student entering Kindergarten through 4th grade at one of our schools in the 2012-13 school year are also encouraged to apply for these generous scholarships. For more information, contact your school principal or visit the <u>Today and Tomorrow Educational</u> Foundation website.



The Federation of Catholic

Schools wants to keep you informed of accomplishments as a result of our schools and parishes working together. Newsletters are published monthly in each parish bulletin, and <u>past</u> issues are available to view on the Federation website.

Resources for Parents

Know of someone who would be interested in staying in touch with the Federation? Forward this message to a friend and invite them to join our e-mail list.



Stewardship of Treasure Your Gifts of Support for Our Parish Mission

#### Report on Parish Collections

Envelope Offerings April 1, 2012 \$5,958.22

Loose Offerings \$210.41

Total Sunday Collection: Parish Support \$6,168.63



Theresa Coker, Cheryl Elder, Sr. Pat Mueller, Mary Jane Niemann, Betty Palmer, Jamie Kuehner, Joan Kleinberg,

# In The Hospital...

Betty Mueller, Joan Geerling

#### WHITE HOUSE WOMEN'S RETREATS—SPRING 2012

"Come aside and rest awhile" and enjoy three days of peace surrounded by the beauty of White House Retreat as you learn the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius that are the keystone of the White House experience. The fatigue of everyday life is something we do not recognize until we allow ourselves the luxury of uninterrupted rest. You owe it to yourself to let go of the demands and distractions of the world and spend some quality time with our Lord. Please contact Cyndi Barton at White House Retreat 314-416-6400 x 230 or visit Www.whretreat.org.

Monday, May 7—Thursday, May 10 Rev. Ralph Huse, SJ, Director Thursday, May 24—Sunday, May 27 Rev. Ralph Huse, SJ, Director



#### Cinco De Mayo

Thursday, May 3rd Bellefontaine Recreation Center 9669 Bellefontaine Rd St. Louis, MO. 63137

Doors open at 4:30pm Dinner buffet served at 5:30pm \$11.00

Last Day to Purchase Tickets: Monday, April 30



#### SPRING Wii BOWLING LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Monday afternoons 1:30-3:30pm

- April 30 Blessed Teresa of Calcutta
- May 7 St. Catherine Retirement Community
- May 14 Blessed Teresa of Calcutta
- May 21 St. Martin De Porres

Please contact Kara at 664-9700 with any questions or concerns!

Ladies Guild Meeting is Monday, May 14th at 7:00pm in the Community Center. A guest speaker will be there to talk about the "Shroud of Turin". Refreshments will be served. All ladies welcome!



Wed 2nd	9:00am 9:00am 5:30pm	Coffee/Donuts Quilting Girl Scouts	CC CC CC
Fri 4	5:30pm	Girl Scouts	CC
Sat/Sun 5/6		d to sign your ACA cards day—Anointing of the Sick	CC C
Mon 7	9:00am 1:00pm	Exercise Class Pinochle Club	CC CC
Tues 8	7:00pm 7:00pm	Women's Prayer Group Men's Club Meeting	C CC
Wed 9	9:00am 4:00pm 5:30pm 6:30pm	Quilting Room At The Inn Girl Scouts Health and Wellness Meeting	CC POC CC POC
Fri 11	11:00am 5:30pm	Grief Support Girl Scouts	POC CC
Sat 12 Sun 13	11:00am Noon NO BLOOD	Doors open for Ladies Guild Spring Lunche Luncheon served PRESSURE SCREENING IN MAY	eon CC
Mon 14	9:00am 7:00pm	Exercise Class Ladies Guild Meeting	CC CC
Wed 16	9:00am 5:30pm	Quilting Girl Scouts	CC CC
Thurs 17	6:30-9:30am	Mostaccioli Casseroles for St. Patrick Ctr.	C
Fri 18	5:30pm	Girl Scouts	CC
Sat 19	9:00am-1:00p	m BLOOD DRIVE	CC
Sun 20	9:00am	Anointing of the Sick	C
Mon 21	9:00am	Exercise Class	CC
Sat/Sun/Mon 26/27/28	MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND PARISH OFFICE CLOSED—MONDAY MASS AT 9:00am		







#### **Bellefontaine Automotive**

Come See Our New and Improved Repair Center "Free Hot Dogs & Condiments Every 1st Saturday"

9309 Bellefontaine Rd. 314-867-9701





867-2870 10016 Bellefontaine Rd. Keith & Buffy Modde **Parishioners** 



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