

## A Word From Father Gerry

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

**Happy New Year my friends!** I hope your Christmas celebrations are full of fun and with the love of family to bring a deep joy God wants for us. The joys of the Christmas season help us remember to be grateful all year long that God is with us by our life in Christ.

At Christmas we distributed well over 1,000 copies of "Four Signs of A Dynamic Catholic" by Matthew Kelley. There may still be some copies to be had at the church exits, if you want one. This book is down to earth, practical and easy to read, as are all of Kelley's books. He says the four signs of dynamic Catholics are: they have a commitment to daily prayer, they want to continue to learn about the faith, they are generous with their time, talent and treasure, and they evangelize, or invite others to grow spiritually by sharing the love of God with them.

I believe many Catholics would say they possess these four signs to a greater or lesser degree. What we lack, too often, is the confidence to trust our knowledge and instincts, and to act on them. We say to ourselves, "Oh, that's not for me." I would say, "Why not?" and "Why deny yourself the gift of a stronger, more dynamic, confident faith?"

I hope you will get a copy of "Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic" to read and even share with your spouse, a friend or family member. In a couple of weeks we will be announcing plans for group discussions based on "Four Signs".

Finally, I will even propose that you make it a New Year resolution to read "Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic", join the group discussion or participate in one of the adult faith formation activities here at the parish.

Have a wonderful, safe, happy New Year celebration. You can be sure of my daily prayers (one of the signs of a dynamic Catholic) is for your spiritual, physical and emotional wellbeing. I also pray that we will strengthen the bonds of unity and love within our parish. God bless you and your loved ones.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Gerry Reinersman

### 2014 Diocesan / Parish Annual Appeal Update

We have received a rebate of \$4,151 for our 2014 DPAA campaign. So far, our rebates total \$7,891 thanks to the 588 households contributing to the DPAA. If all the pledges are met, we will receive rebates totaling \$32,441. These rebates are used to help pay for improvements and updates to our buildings and grounds. All contributions to the DPAA in excess of our goal are rebated to us without any Diocesan assessment.

"Thank you" to all who are meeting their 2014 DPAA pledges. By meeting our parish goal we contribute our share of the cost of the many Diocesan ministries and outreach. By completing our DPAA pledges we will contribute to the cost of keeping our facilities in good repair. This allows us to provide a safe and efficient space for our many programs and activities.

## PASTORAL STAFF

Contact the following staff members 441-1604 and extension or direct line as noted.:

<b>Pastor:</b> Rev. Gerald L. Reinersman.....	ext. 2275
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<b>Parochial Vicar:</b> Rev. Jacob E. Straub .....	ext. 2276
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<b>Office Manager:</b> Carrie Hamberg.....	ext. 2271
Barb Kling .....	ext. 2271
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<b>School Principal:</b> Melissa Holzmacher.....	ext. 2282
<b>Assistant Principal:</b> ClyDenna Hehman.....	ext. 2283
<b>School Secretary:</b> Patty Wagner.....	ext. 2281
<b>Music Director:</b> Connie Ruprich.....	ext. 2285
<b>Sacristan:</b> Laura Levermann.....	ext. 2280
<b>Facilities Manager:</b> Jim Pelgen.....	ext. 2290
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## PARISH MINISTRIES

<b>Bereavement:</b> Sylvia Uebel.....	441-0320
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<b>Welcoming Committee:</b> Joni Schabell .....	441-7833
& Darlene Sandfoss - dsandfoss@hotmail.com.or.....	781-1118
<b>Opportunities For Life:</b> .....	call 1-800-822-5824

## SOLEMNITY of MARY, MOTHER of GOD

January 1

On the 8<sup>th</sup> Day of Christmas we give our prayerful attention to Mary, the mother of Jesus. The church gave Mary the title "Mother of God" in the 5<sup>th</sup> century at the Council of Ephesus to refute those who would deny the divinity of Jesus. The Church does not mean that Jesus received his divinity from Mary. Jesus is divine from eternity with God the Father. His human nature was formed from the humanity of Mary. It was in her womb that the two natures were united in the one person, Jesus Christ. Since, Jesus Christ is the Son of God, it follows that Mary is the Mother of God.

We observe this truth of the faith as a holy day of obligation so that the entire Church can be united in its belief of God become man in Jesus, whose birth we just celebrated.

It is also a way for us to begin the New Year by professing our faith in the Son of God and giving ourselves, our families and our world to the protection of Mary, the Mother of God.

## The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

### READINGS FOR WEEK of DECEMBER 28, 2014

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph</b> Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6, 21:1-3; Ps 105; Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8; 11-12, 17-19; Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Saint Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr</b> 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96; Lk 2:22-35
<b>Tuesday</b>	1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96; Lk 2:36-40
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Saint Sylvester I, Pope</b> 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96; Jn 1:1-18
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God</b> Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church</b> 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98; Jn 1:19-28
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>The Most Holy Name of Jesus</b> 1 Jn 2:29—3:6; Ps 98; Jn 1:29-34
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>The Epiphany of the Lord</b> Is 60:1-6; Ps 72; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Due to early printing deadlines, the offering information for Dec. 21st was not available. It will be included in the Jan. 4th bulletin.

#### WELCOME SR. DENISE and SR. MARLA

We are very happy to welcome our new neighbors Sr. Denise Wagenlander and Sr. Marla Monahan. They have finished terms of leadership for the Sisters of Notre Dame and well-deserved sabbaticals. Sr. Denise was principal here at St. Joe's some years ago and Sr. Marla taught at Bishop Brossart. Both are very well known in the community and beloved in the community. Now they will be discerning ministry possibilities. There is no doubt they will contribute to the parish life, no matter what their next ministry position happens to be.

Their new address is 4021 Alexandria Pike, Cold Spring, KY 41076. Please be sure to give them both a warm welcome.



Please Welcome to the St. Joseph Community our  
"NEWEST MEMBERS"

*Colton Francis Dunlevy  
Hudson William Moeller*



We remember in Prayer Those Who Have Entered  
"NEW LIFE"

*Brittany L. Bockhorn  
Walter E. "Butch" Weber*

#### Solemnity of Mary Mass Schedule Holy Day of Obligation



##### New Year's Eve:

- \* Daily mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am only
- \* Vigil Mass for Nativity of the Lord is 5:00 pm

##### New Year's Day - Solemnity of Mary

- \* No 6:30 am daily mass
- \* Mass for the Holy Day will be at 8:30 am Only

#### NOTRE DAME HOUSE UPDATE

Sr. Dennis and Sr. Marla moved into the House on Dec 15<sup>th</sup> as planned. They are excited about their new home. The cleaning crew worked feverously to get the house looking beautiful. A Big Thanks goes to Candy Schroder, Linda Goetz, Bonnie Keller, Tina Ziegler, Terrie and Don Glossner, Diane Zink, Mary Ann Steely and Elaine Nicoletta. Jim Zilliox has taken care of the electrical upgrades. Bert Neltner has fixed the plumbing issues. Roger Keller Jr has installed a beautiful wood shelf in the Sisters' Prayer Room. The Christmas tree that you can see in the front window was donated by Bonnie Keller. Things are coming together. Thanks for everyone's help. We have collected \$2,800 of our goal of \$15,000. Please be as generous as possible. Make checks payable to St. Joseph Parish with "Service Project" in the memo field. I hope everyone had a Joyous and Blessed Christmas. Roger Keller

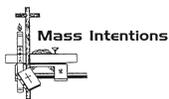
Date	Lector	Deacon & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Servers	Mass Intentions
1/3/2015 Saturday 5:00 PM		Due to early printing schedule for the holidays, the Lector and EMC Schedules were not available for this bulletin	Michelle Goderwis Mary Kruse Paul Kruse Luke Flottman	Robert Menkedick
1/4/2015 8:00 AM		Please look for an email from Jeanne Pettit or check the schedule on the sign-in table in the Sacristy.	Dylan Donnermeyer Zach Hamberg Colin Schuh Hayden Schuh	William Saelinger
9:30 AM			Maggie Finn Davis Halderman Lauren Heck Lily Traut	Bill & Bernice Neltner
11:30 AM			Trey Breen Lexy Breen Daniel Branch Catherine Branch	John Verst
7:00 PM			Joel Clines Mick Clines Marcus Villareal	Linda Ruschman

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

## Monday, Dec 29

6:30 a.m. Mary Lou Berling

8:30 a.m. Kent Kaufman



## Tuesday, Dec 30

6:30 a.m. Robert Menkedick

8:30 a.m. Ray A. Muench, Sr.

## Wednesday, Dec 31 Vigil for Solemnity of Mary

*No 6:30 a.m. mass*

9:00 a.m. Tom Schmidt

5:00 p.m. Schwab Family

## Thursday, Jan 1 Solemnity of Mary

*No 6:30 a.m. mass*

8:30 a.m. Mary Lou Berling

## Friday, Jan 2

6:30 a.m. Carleen Niehaus

9:00 a.m. Marianne Herms Siegel

## Saturday, Jan 3

8:30 a.m. For People Affected by Addiction

## SERVER'S WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

**Mon. Dec 29 8:30** Carena Bhola, Nick Vennamann**Tues. Dec 30 8:30** Matthew Obert, Jenna Planeaux**Wed. Dec 31 9:00** Ross Klocke, Maria Klocke**New Years Eve:****5:00 p.m.** Jeff Kahmann, Peter Kahmann,  
Carena Bhola**Thurs. Jan 1 New Years Day****8:30 a.m.** Brandon Moloney, Grace Moloney,  
Daniel Vogel**Fri. Jan 2 9:00** Brett Rottinghaus, Trey Rottinghaus**Sat. Jan 3 8:30** Carena Bhola, Hope Borchers

## SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

What is in families' control is the grace and task of imparting and embodying the faith of which Paul speaks in the second reading. What is in their control are the courtesies and respect that should exist between and among the generations. Much is learned by osmosis. Families learn as they go along. Family members start out as novices. Strong families are all amateurs who never cease growing and learning. Members sometimes do the right thing and sometimes the wrong thing. Members sometimes know what to do and sometimes they don't. Members sometimes amaze each other and sometimes they fail terribly.

After all is said and done, family members do what they do for the love of the doing. In the sacrament of marriage, love is assumed, and faithfulness is promised. The rest is worked out in the living out of love and faith. The family that is underfoot is exactly the family we need. It has everything necessary to be a genuine holy family.

The season of Christmas does remind us of this enduring gift of family. Continue Christmas by celebrating with your family. Parents might consider writing a note to their children letting them know how much they cherish them. Children might get together and plan a simple, inexpensive way to say thanks to parents. These simple gifts remind us of what is so easy to forget or take for granted—that family, such as it is, remains an irreplaceable gift.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

## Monday, Dec 29

7:00 p.m. Drama Club - Memorial Hall

## Saturday, Jan 3

7:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship - Activity Center

*The Parish Offices will be closed  
through Thursday, January 1st.  
School Resumes Monday, January 5th.*

*Have a Happy New Year!*

## ST. JOSEPH PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

**FORESTERS NEWS.....** . At our last meeting 2 of our members received awards for their service and dedication to the Catholic Order of Foresters. Jim Pelgen received the Merit Award and Doug Jordan received the Legion of Honor Award. Congratulations to these members!!! Our next Youth/Family event will be an NKU Basketball game on January 3<sup>rd</sup> at 4:00PM. Please RSVP to Amy for this event. Our next Pancake Breakfast will be on Sunday January 25<sup>th</sup> 8:30-11:30. Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast and feed your whole family for \$22.00. All the pancakes you can eat and don't forget our new menu item "Glier's Goetta". Amy will also be doing a Valentine craft with the kids. The Foresters would like to wish everyone a "Very Happy, Healthy and Safe New Year!!



## St. Mary's Ladies Society Annual Raffle

Raffle proceeds are used to provide for needs in the rectory and sacristy. \$500.00 will be awarded in six prizes. For tickets (\$1.00 each), contact Helen Fehr 441-2633.

**MEN'S RETREAT** - All men of the parish are invited to attend the Men's Retreat at St. Anne Retreat Center the weekend of January 30th -February 1st 2015. The Retreat Master will be Fr. Michael Barth. This is a good opportunity to relax, reflect and renew your personal relationship with God. For reservations or if you have any questions, please call Bob Lauer at 781-7939 or send an email to [sjholyname@yahoo.com](mailto:sjholyname@yahoo.com).

**St. Joseph Federal Credit Union:** Please note that the credit union office will remain open through the month of December. Beginning January 1, 2015 all credit union transactions must be completed through COVE Federal Credit Union. COVE Federal Credit Union is located at 577 Dudley Road, Edgewood, KY 41017. The phone number for COVE is [859-292-9000](tel:859-292-9000).

The office at St. Joseph will be open on the following nights: December 29<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Thank you for your years of patronage of the St. Joseph Federal Credit Union. It has been a pleasure to serve you.

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

*"He who does not progress, loses ground."*

A copy of the book, **The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic** by Matthew Kelly was provided to the parish at the Christmas Masses. If you did not receive a copy at Christmas, extra copies, if available, will be in the vestibule this weekend. We will be scheduling parish-based discussion groups to provide further insight into the book. Please watch the bulletin in January for details. If you prefer, you may form your own discussion group or discuss the book in existing faith-sharing groups. Visit <http://dynamiccatholic.com/free-resources/study-guides/> to download a copy of the study guide to assist in your discussions.

### It's always a good time to inquire about the Catholic Church.

. . . If you or someone you know has been thinking about becoming Catholic, there is no time like the present. Call Vicki Klocke, Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation and RCIA at 927-2291 or email [vklocke1024@stjoeparish.net](mailto:vklocke1024@stjoeparish.net)



### Saint of the Week

#### St. Thomas Becket

(1118-1170)

Memorial: December 29



Thomas Becket lived in England during the reign of King Henry VIII. At the age of 36, while he was archdeacon of Canterbury, King Henry made him chancellor of England. King Henry wanted him to be named archbishop of Canterbury, thinking it would be helpful to have his chancellor and friend in the position of archbishop. In 1162 Thomas Becket was named archbishop of Canterbury. He resigned his position as chancellor of England and reformed his life. When King Henry began usurping Church rights, Thomas at first approved the Constitutions of Clarendon, which denied some rights of the clergy in England, but later rejected the Constitutions and fled to France for seven years, fearing that his return to England would bring certain death for defying the King. At last, frustrated with Thomas Becket's refusal to cooperate with him, King Henry asked, "Will no one rid me of this troublesome priest?" Four Knights took this request literally and killed him in the Canterbury Cathedral.

At the moment of his death Thomas Becket declared, "Willingly I die for the name of Jesus and in defense of the Church."

The above information was excerpted "Saint of the Day" at [www.americancatholic.org](http://www.americancatholic.org). Check out this website for more information on the saints. Quote from Thomas Becket taken from Our Sunday Visitor's Encyclopedia of Saints.

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*Our Best Wishes to all for a  
Happy & Healthy New Year  
May God Bless you all!*

*Fr. Gerry Reinersman, Fr. Matthias Wamala, Fr. Jacob Straub,  
Deacon Tim Schabell, Deacon Stephen Bennett,  
And the entire Rectory Staff*

## ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS

From Mrs. Melissa Holzmacher, School Principal

Here at St. Joe's we not only focus on the academic education of our students, we want our students to learn real life lessons that they are able to take with them when they leave St. Joe's Bluejay Bank is one of the ways we are able to accomplish this goal. Bluejay Bank is one of the most exciting opportunities St. Joe's have to offer the students.

Bluejay Bank is our school bank that allows all students to open a savings account and gain interest on the money they save. The Bank is open once a month for students of any age to make a deposit. Students are able to withdraw money from their accounts in the months of December and May. Saving accounts are able to stay open through the student's eighth grade year, this way they can watch their accounts grow and grow!

The sixth grade students proudly run Bluejay Bank. The sixth grade curriculum includes learning about Simple Interest. What a better way to put their knowledge of interest to good use, than helping run a bank! The sixth graders work throughout the year with Mrs. Patty Anthony, an employee from Citizen's Bank, to promote, organize and coordinate Bluejay Bank.

This educational opportunity is a great way for the sixth grade students to receive hands on experience and get the whole school involved while doing it. Sounds like a winning equation to me!

## BISHOP BROSSART HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

**HSPT RESULTS NIGHTS...** District 8th graders who took the Diocesan Placement Exam will be returning to BBHS on Tuesday, January 13th at 7:00 p.m. in the Munninghoff Performing Arts Center to pick up their test results. The evening's events will include brief presentations on review of test results, academic information and course options for freshmen, registration, announcement of scholarships, and financial aid.

**16<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL JACK MCGARR MEMORIAL EUCHRE TOURNAMENT...** Saturday, January 31st will be the 16<sup>th</sup> annual Jack McGarr Memorial Euchre Tournament in BBHS Hegenauer Hall. The \$25 entry fee includes food and soft drinks. Beer is available for purchase. The optional "Skins Game" is an additional \$10 per person. Doors open at 5:30 pm and all players must check in at door by 6:15 pm. For questions/reservations please contact Amanda Henry at 859-635-1699 or email to [jackmcgarreuchre@gmail.com](mailto:jackmcgarreuchre@gmail.com). All proceeds benefit the Jack McGarr Scholarship fund at BBHS.



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- NKY Family Life
- Diocese of Covington – Youth Ministry
- Diocese of Covington Young Adult Ministry Community

**PRO-LIFE NEWS**  
*Families For Life*



**Project Rachel** – Are you or someone you know suffering from an abortion decision? Project Rachel offers hope and healing. Call 859-392-1547 or email [projectrachel@covdio.org](mailto:projectrachel@covdio.org) for confidential information.

**Is Your Marriage Hurting In Anyway?**

Has your marriage grown cold, distant, unloving or uncaring? Then please consider Retrouvaille - a program designed to help heal and renew marriages. Retrouvaille is for marriages that have lost some of their spark, for marriages having difficulties in communication and even those on the edge of separation or divorce.

The next program begins January 9, 10, 11, 2015

For more information call (800) 470-2230 or

[Retrouvaille.org](http://Retrouvaille.org)

Other weekends and locations are available-call for details.

**Financial Peace Class**

**St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Wilder.**

Dave Ramey's Financial Peace class will again be offered at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Wilder. Join us as we start the new year with the goal of living debt free. This is a 9 week class starting Saturday, January 17th (10:30 am-Noon) that will guide you through the financial principles needed to change your life. For more information, please call Frank Littrell at [859-802-7000](tel:859-802-7000). The cost of the class is \$93.

**New Beginnings**

**Support Group for Divorced / Separated Persons**

An eight-week session of New Beginnings, a support group for divorced and separated persons, sponsored by the Diocese of Covington and hosted by the Dept. of Catechesis and Formation, will begin January 8, 2015. Meetings will be held on Thursday evenings from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. through February 26 and will provide the opportunity for healing and growth. In this faith-based group, participants will find new understanding of themselves and their relationships and gain courage to discover new life. Registration is required. For more information or to register, call 859-392-1500 ext. 1533.

**Catholics @ The Capitol**

Bishop Foy's invites all parishioners, priests and religious from across the Diocese of Covington to attend Catholics @ The Capitol, a regional meeting with our State Representatives and Senators on Saturday, January 31, 2015 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The meeting will take place at the Diocese of Covington Curia, Howard Hall, 1125 Madison Ave., Covington, KY 41011. The purpose of this meeting is to be a Catholic witness to the lawmaking process by learning about upcoming issues that may be voted on in the upcoming session, as well as be a voice in this process. Cost is \$20 for lunch and materials. For reservations, please contact Vicky Bauerle, Catholic Charities at [859-581-8974 x116](tel:859-581-8974) or [vbauerle@covingtoncharities.org](mailto:vbauerle@covingtoncharities.org), or [www.covingtoncharities.org](http://www.covingtoncharities.org) before January 27, 2015.

**YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT  
ACTIVITY CORNER**

**ATTENTION ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IN CAMPBELL COUNTY** The Campbell County Life Teen youth group meets at St. Philip Parish Center every Thursday from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. and is open to all high school students. Activities of the group include volunteering at the Giving Fields in Melbourne and CareNet in Cold Spring, as well as other community outreach opportunities, mass, adoration, confession, social nights, teachings and more. Feel free to stop in any Thursday evening, new members are always welcome! If you have any questions, feel free to contact us at [teenlife@stphilipky.org](mailto:teenlife@stphilipky.org).

**St. Mary's Alexandria - BINGO**

BINGO: Come join us @St. Mary's undercroft (license. #143) every Friday night. Jitney's start @7:00 p.m. and regular games @ 8:00 p.m. Hope to see you there.

**NEWPORT CENTRAL CATHOLIC NEWS**

**NEWPORT CENTRAL CATHOLIC  
TO HOST ANNUAL STAG**

The Newport Central Catholic High School Parent, Alumni, Booster Organization will hold their annual STAG on Sunday, January 18, 2015 from 2:00–6:00 pm in the school gymnasium, with the doors opening at 1:00 pm. The proceeds will benefit NCC athletics and extracurricular activities.

The admission price of \$25.00 will include beer, soft drinks, dinner, and snacks, and a chance to win a LED HDTV. There will be football on the big screen TV, Split-the Pot, and other raffles.

This is a smoke-free event.



**GRADE SCHOOL  
BASKETBALL NIGHT**

Be our guest at the Newport Central Catholic High School  
Grade School Basketball Night  
Friday, February 6, 2015  
NCC Gym  
NCC vs. Walton Verona  
Girls Basketball Game  
Junior Varsity 6:00 PM      Varsity 7:30 PM  
Free Admission with flyer that can be downloaded at [nccchs.com](http://nccchs.com).

**VIRTUS USERS:** To remain compliant and active at St. Joe's please make sure to complete your monthly bulletins. ***December's bulletin has been posted and is due Tuesday, Jan. 6th.***

# The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

## PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CHAIRPERSON

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**Boy Scouts:** Paul Gabis.....781-6130  
**Girl Scouts:** Ceil Gubser.....441-0120  
**Seniors:** Jim Pelgen.....760-0400

**E-mail Bulletin info to:**  
**Bulletin@stjoeeparish.net**  
**Bulletin Deadline: Friday at 12:00 p.m. for**  
**the following week's bulletin**

## PARISH SERVICES

**Exposition every Wednesday:** 10:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

**Baptisms:** Sundays by Appointment, 1:00 p.m. Baptismal Preparation Program required. Class held the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Please call rectory 441-1604 to reserve date.

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Call at least 6 months in advance. No date will be set without consulting one of the parish priests.

**Sacrament of Penance:** Saturdays, before and after the 8:30 a.m. Mass, Saturday afternoon between 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. (unless there is a 3:00 p.m. Wedding) and by appointment.

**Rosary:** Monday thru Friday at 7:05 a.m. and after 8:30 a.m. Mass. Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. before Benediction. Saturday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass and on Sunday morning before the 9:30 a.m. Mass. The Patriotic Rosary every Wednesday at 3:00 p.m.



**Communion to the sick and/or shut-ins:** Call the rectory.



### FOOD BASKET IN CHURCH

Your donations of non-perishable food items are appreciated. Please check the expiration date on any food donated. Thank you for your generosity.