

June 6, 2010

Today we remember that our God made himself food for us so that we may come together in this holy meal as the body of Christ. Today we rejoice in the lavish abundance of our God, who feeds 5,000 people with only five loaves and a couple of fish. There are those who would have us believe that there is never enough. Let us believe in God's abundance.



Eucharistic Celebrations

- Sun. 8:00 a.m. John Genovese, Sr.
 10:00 a.m. Sandy Mears
 4:00 p.m. Mass of Thanksgiving - Fr. Mike' 40th Ann.
- Tues. 5:30 p.m. Carl Varadin
- Wed. 10:30 a.m. Rosemary Gwinner (55+ Club Mass)
- Thurs. 5:30 p.m. Marie Powell
- Fri. 10:30 a.m. Paulie Bono (Willow Care Mass)
- Sat. 5:30 p.m. Jim Lampton
 People of the Parish
- Sun. 8:00 a.m. LaVergne Miller, Ann.
 10:00 a.m. Amelia McKenzie

ALTAR MINISTERS - JUNE**5:30 p.m. Ministers of Eucharist:**

Bill & Joni Albright, Bill Hatton, Pat Yount, John Mikula, Debbie Allen, Kim Johnston - alt.

Minister of the Word: John Pierceall

8:00 a.m. Ministers of Eucharist:

Meredith Voss, Don & Mary Zeiger, Hal Benedict, Harley & Evelyn Hirner, Cele Baker - alt.

Minister of the Word: Joni Karr

10:00 a.m. Ministers of Eucharist:

Gary & Barbara Broughton, Katie Rosenkrans, Pat & Rayburn Cook, Stephanie Thomeczek, Shirley Davis - alt.

Minister of the Word: Beth Anderson

Greeters - June

5:30 p.m. Chuck & Judy Spratt, Carolann Smizaski

8:00 a.m. Bruce & Dolly Athman, Fran Hays

10:00 a.m. Tom & Shelly Nelson, Sarah Pritchett

Servers - June 12-13

5:30 p.m. Trevor Conoyer, Alec Ogden, Zachary Ogden

8:00 a.m. Brittany Carroll, Sean Carroll, Kaleb White

10:00 a.m. Clare Anderson, Luke Anderson,
 Jacqueline Noonan

ST. LOUIS HISTORY MUSEUM TRIP

Holy Family parish is planning a trip to the St. Louis History Museum to see the special showing of *Vatican Splendors: A Journey Through Faith and Art*.

Experience 2000 years of Vatican art and history, presented through extraordinary works by artists such as Michelangelo, Giotto, and Bernini, and objects marking the most significant moments in the history of the papacy and the Vatican. We will be taking a bus down on Friday, June 25, leaving at 9:00 a.m. and arriving back approximately 6:00 p.m. The cost will be \$35.00 (for adults – 13 and above) and will include the bus trip and your ticket. Lunch stop at Olive Garden Restaurant **is not** included in the price. Friends of parishioners are welcome to go, you do not need to be Catholic to attend this event. **For more information call the parish office at 221-1078. There is room for only 50 people, make your reservations soon.**

SERVERS OUTING

All Servers are invited to attend the Cavemen baseball game on Wednesday, June 23, 2010. Please sign your name on the sheet at church, along with your t-shirt size. The sheet will be on the table at the back of church. Or you may call the school or parish office and give us your information. Please do this ASAP so we know how many will be coming to the game. We thank Jim O'Donnell for making this outing possible for our servers.


PRAISE JAM, 2010
SUNDAY, JUNE 27TH
6-8 P.M.

Praise God with shouts of joy, all people! Sing to the glory of His name, offer Him glorious praise! Ps 66:1-2

Holy Family Youth Group will be sponsoring this evening of fun, praise and worship for all ages. The event will take place on the parking lot behind the church (Holy Family School Gym if raining) so bring your lawn chairs and your enthusiasm and enjoy an evening of inspiration and relaxation.

Anyone wishing to offer a worship song, vocal, instrumental, poem, story or skit is welcome to participate. If you are interested please contact Cecelia Pierceall for further details or to have your name put on the evenings' schedule. Call Cecelia at 221-8620 or 573-795-7439.

**THIS WEEK 
IN OUR PARISH**

Sun. 6/6

8 a.m. & 10 a.m. Mass - all welcome!
4 p.m. Fr. Mike's 40th Anniversary Thanksgiving Mass in church - Barbecue to follow at the Knights of Columbus Hall (casual dress)

Tues. 6/8

10 a.m. "Rock of Faith" youth praise band practice in church
5:30 p.m. Mass in the chapel - all are welcome!
7 p.m. Lourdes Rosary and Perpetual Help Devotions - Ilasco-Holy Cross chapel

Wed. 6/9

10:30 a.m. 55+ Club Mass at the K of C Hall - all welcome!

Thurs. 6/10

5:00 p.m. Women's CRHP - St. Michael's Hall
5:30 p.m. Mass - chapel - all welcome!
6:30 p.m. Men's CRHP - St. Elizabeth Room

Fri. 6/11

9:00 a.m. Fri. to 8:30 a.m. Sat. - Eucharistic Adoration in the chapel
10:30 a.m. Mass at Willow Care - all are welcome!

Sat. 6/12 5:30 p.m. Mass - all are welcome!

Sun. 6/13 8 & 10 a.m. Masses - all are welcome!

MRL THANK YOU NOTE...

Missouri Right to Life (MRL), Hannibal Chapter, would like to thank the members of Holy Family who volunteered and shopped at our 30th Annual Right to Life Giant Yard Sale.

Your support of this event helps to educate citizens about pro-life issues, and pass legislation that promotes and defends the sanctity of innocent human life from the inception of biological development through natural death.

Congratulations to Kathy Vessell & Bob Rucker, who were married in the church on May 20, 2010. We ask God's special blessings upon you as you seek and serve Him with and through each other.



**Your Gifts To God
And Parish...**

Offeritory Budget	52 wks.	\$ 1,041,248.00
Needed to Date	48 wks.	984,720.00
Received to Date		960,601.30
Over (Under) for Year		(24,118.70)
Needed Each Week		20,515.00
Received May 29-30		11,287.72
The total for May 29-30 is comprised of:		
Regular Envelopes & Loose		10,920.82
Youth Envelopes		29.90
Memorials		25.00
Masses		60.00
Catholic Missourian		39.00
Votive		18.00
School Support		40.00
Registration		20.00
Bldg. Rental		25.00
First Offering		100.00
Holy Days (Ascension)		10.00

Building Fund	115.00
Communication/Education	80.00

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

"This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." 1 Cor. 11:23-26

Adults Are there particular moments when the Eucharist clearly became the decisive and life-giving sustenance of my life, enabling me to go forward?

Children How do I show gratitude and thanks in my life?

Holy Family Men's Softball

Next game - June 14 - Immanuel Baptist at 6 p.m. Come out and cheer on the team.

Ilasco Holy Cross Chapel Board

Meeting...will be held on Monday, June 14th at 7 p.m. at the chapel. All are welcome to attend the meeting!



Thanks to...

Bill and Joni Albright for their donation of flowers for the cross outside the church. We are thankful for your generosity and in helping to make our church exterior colorful for the summer season.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Let's take a journey to Egypt!

Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace

Vacation Bible School--Aug. 4-7, evenings!

ATTENTION LAST CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS!!! WE REALLY NEED MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH!!!



Family Life Committee is planning an awesome new adventure for the families of our parish!! This VBS will be taking place on the Knights of Columbus grounds during the evenings of Aug. 4-7.

Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace is a great way for families to spend quality time together as they learn more about Joseph and enjoy a trip back in time to ancient Egypt! All ages are welcome at this VBS, even if you have very small children you may bring them to participate with you! Families without children are needed! Senior Citizens are needed! Middle School and High School youth are needed! We have roles for everyone!!

Assistant Shopkeepers (need 5 more)--youth who have completed grades 6 through 8 to help adult shopkeepers

Egyptian Family Leaders(need 3 more)--adults and high school youth to lead groups of 10 children to all the stations

Assistant Family leaders(need 8 more)--youth who have completed grades 6 through 8 to assist each Egyptian Family
Decorations and Set-up Chairperson--anyone that loves to decorate! Decorating can be as easy or elaborate as you'd like to make it--we have access to idea videos

Decorations and Setup Committee members--people to help with decorating and setting up on Aug. 1-4

Promotions Director--to help with promoting this VBS within our parish

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE THAT HAS VOLUNTEERED SO FAR! WE ARE CLOSE TO FILLING ALL THE POSITIONS!

Please call: **Gina Rodenbaugh** at 221-5457 or e-mail rodenbaugh@rallstech.com

Regina Clark at 221-1436 or


e-mail morsclark@aol.com

Cherrie Allen at 795-6021 or

e-mail sallen@rallstech.com

9th Annual Raider Classic 5K Run or Walk, 10K

Run and 1 mile Youth Run is being held on Saturday, June 26, 2010, beginning and ending at Quincy Notre Dame High School. For more information and to register - email: raiderclassic@hotmail.com or call Andy Edgar at 217-222-5529.

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the LORD  *OF: Edith Tetrus*, grandmother of Eric Lamb, of our parish

READINGS FOR THE WEEK - June 6-13

Sunday: Gn 14:18-20 Ps 110:1-4 Cor 11:23-26
Lk 9:11b-17

Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6 Ps 121:1b-8 Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16 Ps 4:2-5,7b-8
Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39 Ps 16:1-2ab,4-5ab,
8,11 Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46 Ps 65:10-13
Mt 5:20-26

Friday: Ez 34:11-16 Ps 23:1-6 Rom 5:5b-11
Lk 15:3-7

Saturday: 1 Kgs 19:19-21 Ps 16:1b-2a,5,7-10
Lk 2:41-51 Is 61:9-11

Sunday: 2 Sm 12:7-10,13 Ps 32:1-2,5,7,11
Gal 2:16,19-21 Lk 7:36-8:3

HAPPY 40TH ANNIVERSARY FR. MIKE!

May God bless you as you continue in loving service and faithful commitment to His call for your life.

WE LOVE YOU!!! Your Parish Family

Prayer for Vocations... May Mary ensure, in our times, an increase in the number of consecrated persons, who go against the current; living the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience, and giving witness in a prophetic way to Christ and His liberating message of salvation. Amen.

2007 World Day of Prayer for Vocations

WEBSITE UPDATES

Need to learn more about upcoming church events? Please visit the Holy Family Parish website at www.myholysfamily.com and check out the online calendar. Please contact the parish office if you wish to add items to the online calendar.

Liturgical schedules are available from the homepage of the church website at www.myholysfamily.com.

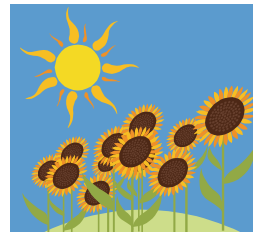
The website is full of Parish event information, activities, and key school information, including a link to Option C. Check it out! If you have something to add to the website, please send an email to Tony White at webmaster@myholysfamily.com to get it posted.

H.S. YOUTH SCHEDULE

June 16 - 6 p.m. Meeting at Taco Bell - come share food & fun

July 9, 10, 11 - Steubenville

Aug. 11 - Back to School Pool Party, Welcome Freshmen



H.S. Youth Group... is meeting Wednesday, June 16 at 6:00 p.m. at Taco Bell. Be sure to come and share some good food and summer fun with friends. We will also finalize plans for the Praise Jam! Any questions, call Cecelia at 573-795-7439.



Holy Family Congratulates all who are receiving their First Eucharist:

June 5 - Vanessa Kamrowski

June 6 - Alexis Ruba

June 6 - Travis Wilson

Cemetery Note... All flowers not in permanent vases will be removed from the cemetery on Monday, June 7th. So if you have flowers and decorations that are not in permanent vases that you wish to keep, please pick them up before Monday, June 7th. Thanks!

CEMETERY NEWS

The fees for right to burial in Holy Family Cemetery will increase on July 1, 2010 from \$400.00 to \$500.00. If you are planning to be buried in our cemetery, you may wish to purchase right to burial before these fees increase.

The opening and closing fees (paid at the time of burial) will increase from \$400.00 to \$500.00 for weekday burials. The Saturday burial opening and closing fee will be \$550.00.

If you have any questions about this, please call the parish office at 221-1078.

Pray For Our Priests... Fr. Tom Alber, Fr. Don Antweiler, Fr. Wayne Boyer, Fr. Frank Bussman, Fr. Mike Coleman, Fr. Chris Cordes, Fr. Joe Corel, Msgr. Dave Cox, Fr. Bill Debo, Fr. Pat Dolan, Fr. Lou Dorn, Fr. Pat Dowling, Fr. Brendan Doyle, Fr. Bob Duesdieker, Fr. Fred Elskamp, Fr. Rob Fields, Fr. James Finder, Msgr. Mike Flanagan, Fr. Rich Frank, Most Rev. John R. Gaydos, Fr. Kevin Gormley, Fr. Brendan Griffey, Fr. John Groner, Fr. Paul Hartley, Fr. John Henderson, Msgr. Greg Higley, Fr. Joe Hoi, Fr. Russ Judge, Fr. Gerry Kaimann, Fr. Phil Kane, Msgr. Ralph Keyes, Fr. Bill Korte

MARK YOUR CALENDAR... Monday, July 12, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. - CCW will be hosting Mr. W.T. Johnson, Vice Principle of Veterans School. Mr. Johnson will give his presentation of Father Augustine Tolton - The first full blooded African American priest in the U.S. This presentation will be held in church and all are welcome to come...bring friends from other churches for this event!

Stewardship... "They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets." The crowds that gathered were fed. Jesus asked the disciples to gather the crowds into smaller groups of about fifty and it is in these smaller groups that people were fed." Gathering parish members into smaller groups to carry out the ministry of the church is a way stewardship feeds the soul and builds community.

WEDNESDAY MORNING CONNECTION...

A flotilla of six ships headed to the Gaza Strip this past week, purportedly carrying relief supplies. Some Turkish agencies felt that the only way they could respond to the humanitarian problems in Gaza would be to attempt to run the Israeli naval blockade that currently prevents any boats from reaching the shore in Gaza. Israel instituted the blockade after Hamas gained power in Gaza two years ago following local elections in the Palestinian Authority.

The result of the attempt to run the blockade and deliver goods to Gaza has been all over the news. A firefight ensued on one of the ships and nine were killed. The United Nations Security Council condemned the actions on all sides, and the fragile peace process in the Middle East is once again in jeopardy.

There is much that is problematic about the initiative by İnsani Yardım Vakfı, the Turkish organization that attempted the landing. For example, there was no provision made for the inspection of supplies to ensure that no weapons were being smuggled in as well. Even in Israel, the handling of the affair is being scrutinized. The distress among the people of Gaza is extreme, as it is in many other places throughout the world. While the Turkish group was using the auspices of a relief effort to make a political point, one has to admire their zeal-while not their actions-to deliver help to people in desperate straits.

Other groups are just as passionate about helping those in need, while setting aside any political agenda. The [Catholic Near East Welfare Association](#) cares for people throughout the Middle East. [Catholic Relief Services](#) reaches out around the world. [Médecins San Frontières](#) provides medical care to people on all sides of a conflict. What is undeniable with the members of each of these groups is that they are willing to help others in any way they can. And their zeal burns like a fire of love in their hearts.

Just like Christ-who gave his life for us by his sacrifice on the cross, and who continues to give himself to us through his Body and Blood which we share. He nourishes us in this great sacrament which we celebrate this weekend. He comes to us in our need and feeds us and cares for us.

It is easy to dismiss the words of Jesus to his disciples in that deserted place surrounded by the crowds. But I think he really meant it when he said to them, “Give them some food yourselves.” The Twelve just didn’t think that they could do it. But Jesus showed them that even when all you have is five loaves and a couple of fish, it can be enough.

With all the people in need and all the problems in the world, it can be easy to get discouraged, to be ready to give up.

But as Christians, we are fed by Christ with his very Body and Blood, strength to see us through. His presence is real to us. And FOR us. The Eucharist we share each Sunday draws us into a communion of love with Christ and with one another. That nourishment, medicine, and sacrament helps us go out into the world, not with a political agenda, but with an agenda of love.

If five loaves and a couple of fish could feed so many on a Galilean hillside, what do you think Christ might say to us today, who are blessed with so much? His words to the disciples, “Give them some food yourselves,” can be just as readily spoken to us. And with what zeal will we respond? **Paul Michaels**

Prayer Loving God, your Son gave us the sacrament of his Body and Blood to nourish and strengthen us on our pilgrim way. May the Eucharist we share draw us together in your love. Fill us with every good gift that comes from your hand, so that we may be a blessing to our brothers and sisters in need. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.