

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Aug 29, 2011

Communion Service

Tuesday, Aug 30, 2011

+Mary Irwin

(Susan McGee)

Wednesday, Aug 31, 2011

+Mary Irwin

(Susan McGee)

Thursday, Sept 1, 2011

+Thomas Berry

(Mary Berry)

Friday, Sept 2, 2011

+Alberta Perkins

(Robert Perkins)

Saturday, Sept 3, 2011

+Mike Kellogg

(Beth Fredericks)

Sunday, Sept 4, 2011

8:30AM: +Paul Tran

(Mary Tran)

10:30AM-+Ed Sobolewski

(Ketty Gattman)



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, Sept 2, 2011

8:30AM-Fatima Prayer Cell

Just a Reminder: The next Baptism Class for infants will be held on Sunday, Sept 18th at 2:00 PM in the Social Room. Pre-registration for the

class and Baptism is required. Please call Beth at the Parish Center to register. Baptisms will take place on Sunday, Sept 25th at the 10:30 AM Mass.



“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.” Psalm 118:26

As I read Psalm 118:6 an image came to my mind. I was dressed as a king with royal robes, a gold ring on my finger and a shining crown on my head. An impressive sight to see if I do say so myself J! I came into the crowd that was so hungry for leadership, inspiration and hope. As king, I was coming in my own name, on my own power. What would I tell the people? What could I give? As I thought about this scene, my world became very dreary and dismal (kind of like the weather we have in Oregon for month after month after...- OK- I will stop complaining).

What could I say as king? Keep warm and well fed? Be nice? Do your best? Hang in there, buddy?

At the core, I know all the people would want hope, healing, forgiveness. I know in my own name, with my own power, that I could not offer an ounce of that. Does not get much more dreary and dismal than that, does it?

That is why we come in the name of the Lord. Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Cursed is the one who comes in their own name.

Imagine yourself as king. Are you more a blessing or a curse to each person you meet? What do you offer in each interaction you have with another human being?

Let us pray: “Jesus, teach me offer the joy, peace and justice of your Kingdom to each person I meet. Let me come in your name, in your power, revealing the life that is you. Amen. “

Wait in Trust (WIT),
+Fr. John



Confirmation

Confirmation will be offered for high school students this year. Meetings will start in Oct. Please contact Janet at the Parish Office to register. **503-761-8710.**

CAN/BOTTLE RECYCLING RETURNS SEPT 10-11

Recycling will return from summer vacation SEPT 10-11. Here is your chance to clear out your garage.

No recycling Labor Day weekend.



St Joseph's Grade School Reunion!!

Classes of 1961- 1962 - 1963

We're having a party and want to get a hold of everyone that we can. Let us know who you are - and who else you might know from these classes. Call and leave a message - 503 841-6929 Or write:

mcsadidge@comcast.net Thank you, Molly Robison Sandidge

Ministry Sunday will be held on Sept 10 & 11 after all the masses.

Please pray on which ministries you would be the best at and come sign up. **Matthew 5:16:** "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."

For more information on the Ministry Fair contact Mary at (503) 761-8710 ext. 104.

Bulletin Boards: St Joseph's will soon be hanging some new bulletin boards. There will be plenty of space for all the ministries to advertize their events. To keep these bulletin boards from becoming cluttered with items that become outdated or need to be put in the bulletin for scheduling please bring them to the Parish Center or email them to:

Beth.Fredericks@comcast.net. Deacon Mike will have final approval on all postings.



St Vincent de Paul

During the month of July St Joseph's SVDP conference delivered food to 162 families for a total of 687 individuals. We also assisted 22 families with rent and electricity at a cost of \$2,398. As you may have heard, our pantry is currently low on food. Peanut butter and canned goods such as meat stew, tuna and fruits would be especially welcome. A container for food donations is located in the main entrance to the church.

Career Opportunity Available with the Knights of Columbus:

Looking for a practical Catholic man who has some sales experience, an outgoing personality, is trustworthy, competitive, aggressive and is looking for a career serving brother knights and their families.

(Must have a good job history.)

Position includes group life, medical insurance, dental insurance, disability insurance, plus a pension plan and 401K.

Contact: Kyle Casey

Phone Number: (503) 387-5102

e-mail: kyle.casey@kofc.org



RCIA- If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, please get in touch with Fr. John at 503-761-8710. RCIA- Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is the beautiful and soul-opening process to the depth of our sacred faith. We will hold classes on Wednesday, nights in the social room starting in the fall. Now is the day of salvation!

Homeless Outreach: On Friday, Sept 9th and Sept 30th, we will host the dinner served at the Sunnyside Coffee House. We start preparing food at 4:00PM and serve at 6:00PM. The soup kitchen is located at SE 35th and Yamhill. If you are interested in volunteering contact Jan at (503) 254-2212 for more information

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

Budget amount: \$ 7,032.00

Amount collected: \$ 3,582.40

Over/under: - \$ 3,449.60

Items Needed!



The Joplin, MO fundraiser could use some items for the rummage sale. If you have some good used items you would like to donate, we would really appreciate it! All we ask is that you would please put prices on your items before you bring them to donate! We will not have the time to do this ourselves! Thank You! If you have any questions or you want to donate something please call Patti at:

503-894-8291 H

or

503-992-9121 C

P.S. We still need sellers

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Wanted: Adults (all ages) for the EDGE Core Team. Come share your faith, your time & talents while working with the EDGE Program for our Middle School Youth.

Contact Janet: 503 761-8710 x110

Altar Guild: Christmas may be four

months away, but it is truly time to start thinking about what crafts

you will be making to bring to the November 5th Annual Craft/Bake Sale.

We are certain there are many of you in the parish who are crafty. So, please get busy and make some items to bring to the Craft/Bake Sale. Only with your help can this event be the success we hope it to be. If you are interested in donating items or services please contact Geraldine@5034221177

