

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sunday, October 14 ♦
Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m. Robert Carter, Daniel Dury & Ty Tomson
 (Jack Balogh & Veronica Wolfe)
 11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
 2 Kgs 5:14-17; 2 Tim 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19
Monday, October 15 ♦ St. Teresa of Jesus
 11:30 a.m. Mary Judith (Callahan) Creedon
 (Terrence Creedon)
 Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday, October 16 ♦ Weekday
 11:30 a.m. David Earl Westenberger
 (His Sister "Boots" Green)
 Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday, October 17 ♦ St. Ignatius of Antioch
 11:30 a.m. Kathleen O'Neill (Our Lady's Rosary Guild)
 Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday, October 18 ♦ St. Luke
 11:30 a.m. Michael Connaughton – Seminarian
 (Veronica Wolfe & Jack Balogh)
 2 Tim 4:10-17; Lk 10:1-9
Friday, October 19 ♦ St. John de Brebeuf
 11:30 a.m. Catherine Fisher [deceased] (Bequest)
 Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday, October 20 ♦ Weekday
 11:30 a.m. James Manley (Bill Morbitzer Family)
 Rom 4:13, 16-18; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday, October 21 ♦
Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m. Special Intention (Richard & Shirley Lumpe)
 11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
 Ex 17:8-13; 2 Tim 3:14-4:2; Lk 18:1-8

MASS SCHEDULING POLICY: In order to accommodate as many requests for specific dates as possible, we cannot schedule more than five at one time. Requests without a specific date are scheduled as openings permit. Please include the suggested offering of \$10.00 (for each Mass) when the request is made. Thank You!

+ **Please remember in your prayers** our home-bound parishioners, and those who are ill: Hilda Barrett, Charles "Sonny" Bellamy, Rosemary Fee, Sara Fingerlin, Marianne Garrison, Chris Igel, Jestina Jones, Edith Kowalsky, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Mary Miller, Jim Scanlon, Mary Scholl, Marilyn Scott, Sheila Shirey, Margaret Trainor, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

THANKS!	
OCTOBER 7, 2007 OFFERINGS	
Designated Collections	Offertory \$2,284.00
(Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)	Votives \$ 60.75
	Novena/1st Friday... \$ 126.57
Mass Attendance	Repair \$3,030.00
9:00 a.m. = 99	Less Tax (\$ 275.08)
11:00 a.m. = 83	Net to Parish \$5,226.42



October is Respect Life Month

During October, we will show respect for and celebration of life on several different occasions:

October 14

Today, after the homily (at each Mass), we will have the Sacrament of the the Anointing of the Sick. As those to be anointed approach the altar:

- the chronically ill (physically, mentally and emotionally)
- those facing surgery
- those weakened by illness or advanced age

all of us will join in prayer that their suffering may be joined with that of Christ and that the healing power of Christ may strengthen them.

October 21 – Mission Sunday

Special prayers will be offered for those whose lives are in danger from natural or human-caused disasters.

Farewell, Ron

Due to a scheduling conflict with his other parish commitments, Ron Barrett will no longer be able to assist at our 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass. Ron has been faithful organist here for many years and will continue to assist with our funerals and weddings. **Thank You, Ron.**

Welcome, Dan

Dan DiSanto, our 11:00 a.m. Mass organist, will also assist at our 9:00 a.m. Mass beginning October 28, while continuing as our Parish Choir Director and 11:00 a.m. Mass organist. **Thank you, Dan.**

**Catholic Women
62nd Annual Convention**

The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women of Columbus is sponsoring their 62nd Annual Convention at St. Mary, Delaware, on Saturday, November 17, 2007, beginning with registration at 8:30 a.m. The theme this year is "Yes! Lord," and the speaker is Fr. Emmanuel Bertrand, O.P. Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. by Bishop Campbell. New officers will be installed. The Convention fee is \$25.00. Deadline for reservations is November 10, 2007. For more information, please contact DCCW Office at 614-228-8601.

Work Continues

The front entrance to the church will be blocked Monday through Saturday for tuck-pointing by the Cisco Company, but will reopen for Sunday Masses. Thank you for your patience during this project.

THE WORD

In the days that followed the horror of death that cascaded from the collapsing towers of the World Trade Center, most of us found ourselves trying to untangle our emotional snarl of anger and grief and fear and desire for revenge. Somewhere in the fog of those days, a friend reminded me how important it is not to allow our anger and hunger for revenge to obscure our spirit's very human need for beauty. More than revenge, what our spirits need is everything that lifts us up to life's wonder and awe – not so that we forget the horror, but that we remember life's beauty.

It is at that point, the point of remembering, that gratitude also begins. More than anything, we need people in our lives who cast beauty upon us. We need them so that we remember what life is really called to be, or else we will forget, and that will be the ultimate tragedy.

In Jewish culture, it took ten individuals to make a community. So when the ten lepers cast their plea for pity like a fish net over Jesus passing by, it was an outcast community of fringe dwellers who remembered the beauty of life and love and longed to be drawn back into its mainstream, physically as well as socially. In the end, the healing with which they were blessed moved the non-Jew, the Samaritan, to return not only with an armful of gratitude for the new life, but also with a new way of looking at the powers of life. His gratitude moved him to faith.

– from "Living the Word"

† **14 October 2007** †

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

❖ **Hymns are not announced** ❖

The first reading begins on page 51

9:00 a.m. – Ron Barrett, organist
11:00 a.m. – Dan Di Santo, organist

Gathering Hymn	<i>Let All Things Now Living</i> (#932)
Responsorial Psalm	<i>The Lord Has Revealed to the Nations His Saving Power.</i> (#33, page 52)
Gospel Acclamation	(#34, page 53)
Offertory Hymn	<i>For the Fruits of All Creation</i> (#939)
Communion Hymn	<i>Give Thanks and Remember</i> (#647)
Closing Hymn	<i>Thank We All Our God</i> (#938)

Special Parish Dates

Mark your calendars for the following important dates for the parish:

- 1) Sunday, October 14, 2007 – Anointing Service for the Sick at each Mass. Annual Parish Spaghetti Dinner following the 11:00 a.m. Mass to 3:00 p.m.
- 2) **CORRECTION:** Sunday, November 5, 2007, Remembrance Service for our parishioners who have died.

Repair Fund Collection – Today!

A second collection will be taken up for the repairs on the church and rectory today. We thank you in advance for your continuous support of this program.

World Mission Sunday – October 21

Next week, with Catholics of the world, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. We are called to offer our prayers and financial support, through the Propagation of the Faith, to continue the mission of our Lord. By our prayers and by what we offer through the Propagation of the Faith, we support mission priests, Religious Sisters and Brothers and lay catechists as they proclaim the Gospel to the poorest of our human family, helping them come to know the great love of Jesus.

FREE FLU SHOTS

Mount Carmel Outreach Unit will be providing free flu shots to patrons 50 and over, or anyone in a high risk category. This mobile unit will be parked on Fifth Street on Tuesday, October 30, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Columbus Marathon – October 21st

On Sunday, October 21st, Columbus will host its annual Marathon event starting between 7:00-8:00 a.m. (same course setup as 2006). E. Broad Street will be blocked from High Street to Bexley. E. Town will be blocked from Third Street to Bryden Road. Third Street will be blocked from E. Town to Reinhard. North High Street will be blocked from Dodridge to S. High Street (Deshler-German Village). It appears the best way to Holy Cross is I-71 South to E. Main Street exit or I-70 West to Fourth Street exit.

**Iraq and Afghanistan
Veterans Retreat**

The Spiritual Center of Maria Stein is offering a retreat November 30th to December 2nd for veterans of the Iraq and Afghanistan Wars. The purpose of this retreat is to help heal the emotional and spiritual wounds from combat. A highly qualified team of Army, Air Force and V. A. Chaplains will lead the retreat, which is free of charge thanks to a generous grant from the Sisters and Fathers of the Precious Blood. For a brochure or further information, call the Spiritual Center at 877-925-7625. Please share this information with veterans you may know.