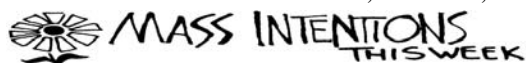


ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND CHURCH, ST. LOUIS, MO #34



Monday, October 23rd

6:30 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. James R. Green, Sr.
8:00 a.m. Herman Valli

Tuesday, October 24th

6:30 a.m. Lucille Clark
8:00 a.m. David Gau

Wednesday, October 25th

6:30 a.m. Frances Baer

Thursday, October 26th

6:30 a.m. Casey Family

Friday, October 27th

6:30 a.m. Louise Dotson
8:00 a.m. Sharon Davis

Saturday, October 28th

4:30 p.m. Parishioners

Sunday, October 29th

8:00 a.m. Elbert & Mathida Witte
10:00 a.m. Florence "Jean" Leible

Weekly Collection for FY 2007

Week of Oct. 15, 2006	\$6,204.60
Average for FY 2007	\$6,506.38
Budgeted Average FY 2007	\$6,830.76
97 Envelopes Collected	

School and Rectory closed on November 1, 2006, in observance of All Saints Day

BAPTISM



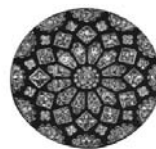
Welcome We are happy to welcome the newest baptized member of our parish., Joy Aelana Rush Garavaglia, the daughter of Bridget and Robert of our parish. May she and her family be blessed with peace and grace always.

ALL SAINTS EVE

The great Solemnity of All Saints (a holy day of obligation) is just around the corner. Masses on November 1 will be, as usual: 6:30 and 8:00 a.m. Anticipating the feast (October 31) will be a brief All Saints Eve Mass, celebrated at 5:30 p.m. Children are welcome to church in costume,(no masks or gory outfits) right before they go Trick-or-Treating. Mass will conclude by 6p.m.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

Protecting God's Children workshop will be held at SMSO Church Hall on October 25, 2006 at 7 p.m.-10 p.m. Advance registration is not required. If this time is not convenient for you, please check the Archdiocesan website, www.archstl.org for other locations and times.



As our Stewardship Reflection period comes to a close, it's good to recall this symbol we started with—the Rose Window, centered on Christ, radiating through virtues and great human figures to our everyday activities; and back into Christ. It's been good to reflect on the essence of our parish with you, and its multifaceted life, unified by our desire to be close to Christ in our community, exemplified by our gifts of time, talent, and treasure. Thanks for the strenuous work of those who helped handle the mailings and stuffings, the Festival, the return of Intention cards, and who will go on dealing with the results. And to all for your thoughtful receiving of the messages and participating. If you didn't yet return your Intention Card, please do so, whether your gift or services are changing or not. We hope to get near to full return from our parishioners. In coming years this process will be more familiar to us.

Thanks for your support and prayer for my retreat last week. It was a graced and blessed time, able to keep my mind on some basic sources I use a lot for vision and motivation. It all leads me and encourages me to work for the rebuilding of the world into the fullness of Christ, as St. Paul prays for: Eph 1:9-10, Colossians 1:12-20.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

by Tim Cook

Salvation by association?

Often in my conversations with other Catholics, I have heard people speak about how close they are to their pastor or parish clergy. I have heard many speak of their 'family priest.' They honestly speak of their own lack of involvement and participation in the church because they only need pick up the phone to get whatever sacrament or blessing they need. They seem to indicate that since they know the minister personally, they will receive salvation on his coattails.

This seems to be the attitude of James and John in today's Gospel passage. Asking to have reserved places in heaven, they seem to believe that places of honor will be the same in heaven as on earth. They believe as long as they stick by him now, then they get whatever they want in the life to come. Salvation by association.

Jesus, listening to and loving these chosen ones, directly speaks to their concern. First, informing them that places of honor and distinction are not his to give. Then comes the challenge. Any place in heaven comes from serving the needs of others. It is not just knowing Jesus, it is living Jesus. Many people feel that being cheerleaders for those who live this Gospel call is enough. Yet, we ourselves must commit to the work. To listen, to visit, to pray, to feed, to clothe, to instruct and encourage; this is the service we owe others. We enter into the suffering of Jesus and participate in the work of Jesus. It is not enough to know one who serves, we must be that one who serves. Salvation is promised us by Jesus. Through grace, we participate in that gift.

ADULT ED - READING THROUGH GENESIS

Our Fall Adult Ed program continues this morning with the story of Isaac and Jacob. Next week (Oct 29) our program concludes with the story of Joseph and his brothers. Our program is being led by SMOS parishioner and frequent Adult Ed leader Dr. Steve Werner. We are meeting in the small chapel in the front of church on the five Sundays in October, from 9:00 to 9:50 am. Come and join us as we take a fresh look at some of the most familiar stories in the Bible. Please pick up a detailed flyer from the back of church. Agnes McKernan

SVDP NEWS



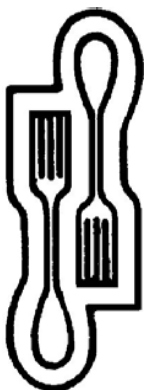
SMOS SVDP will host its annual **Coats and Costume** party on Sunday, October 29, 2006. We are in need of donations to purchase coats and volunteers to help with the party. Also, we need new or gently used costumes. Please place the costumes in the SVDP box in the back of the church. Let's help the less fortunate by making donations and volunteering your time by calling Carmela Garza at 772-6880.

PANTRY NEEDS

Right now, our SVDP pantry is in extreme need of toilet tissue, canned fruit, and soups. If you can purchase a few packages or cans on your next trip to the grocery store for the friends and neighbors we serve, we would be most grateful. Just drop them off in the SVDP bins at the back of church.

CHURCH BASEMENT KITCHEN

When the basement was remodeled, parishioners and the parish bought new items. Please check at your house to see if you have taken home items to be cleaned and forgot to return. Some items missing are table cloths, water pitchers and serving dishes. Just put them on the kitchen counter and they will be put away.



SCHOOL NEWS

On Thursday October 26, 2006, the school children will begin to sell Sally Foster items, which include wrapping paper, candies, candles, etc. For more information call the school office (776-7837) or contact a school family.



All 2nd grade parents—1st. Reconciliation Meeting to be held on November 6, 2006 at 7p.m. in the school cafeteria for all parents.

HIGHLANDER DINNER DANCE

We hope each of you has received in the mail your invitation to the annual Highlander Dinner Dance



“MOONLIGHT ON THE MOORS” on November 11, 2006. Once again this year the decorations will be delightful and spectacular. There will be a Full Dinner again by LoChirco's with desserts provided by Cravings. Dancing till 11:30 p.m. with music by Those Guys! Cocktails and light appetizers will begin at 6:30 p.m. with dinner at 7:30 p.m. All this for only \$35 per person. Reservations are required and may be returned in the Sunday collection, by mail or turned into the rectory or school. All proceeds benefit St. Margaret of Scotland Parish community. For more information contact Cindy Martin at 487-3102.

HIGHLANDER RAFFLE

This year the raffle tickets are \$10 each or 6 for \$50 or 12 for \$100. First prize is \$500; Second prize is a 3-night stay at the Lake of the Ozarks Condo; and Third prize is a basket of electronic items. The Highlander Committee would like to challenge every parish family to sell at least \$100 in tickets. This is a SMOS parish wide fundraiser and we really want it to be a big success. Please help in supporting the parish. All raffle tickets may be returned in the Sunday collection, by mail or turned into the rectory or school.

NEWS FROM THE NURSE

Cathy White, RN

It's that time of the year!

FLU SHOTS will be given by the Visiting Nurse Association on Wed., Nov. 1 from 8:30am until 4pm at St. Anthony of Padua Church on Meramec Street. No appt. needed. Bring your Medicare and health insurance cards. Or you may pay \$30 cash or check. Enter the hall under the blue awning off of the parking lot. If you need a ride, call Cathy at 314-776-0363.



SMOS Christmas bazaar will be held on Sunday, December 3, 2006 in the church hall after the 8 am and 10:00 am masses. If you or your organization would like to have a table to sell things, please call Peggy Redfearn at 664-5895 or Gerry Rauch at 664-5770.



Calendar of Events

Monday, 10/23—Youth Chorus, 7p, Church Parish Council. 7p-8:30p, RMR
Tuesday, 10/24—Friendship & Justice 7p, TV room in Rectory
Wednesday, 10/25—Choir, 7p, Church & CH Athletic Assoc., 7p, RMR
Thursday, 10/26—Eucharistic Adoration, 9a-10p
Friday, 10/27—All School Mass, 8 a.m.
 Girl Scouts-bonfire at park, (in case of rain CH)
Saturday, 10/28—SVDP Gathering Place, 9a-Noon
Sunday, 10/29—RCIA, 11:30a to 1p, RMR
 SVDP Coats & Costume Party, 1p-3-, CH
 DuBourg Swing Dancers, 6:30p, CH

GET READY FOR THE BIGGEST SHOPPING DAY OF THE YEAR!

Read and discuss John's Kavanaugh's "Following Christ in a Consumer Society" in a Justice book circle this November. The circle will meet from 7-8:15 p.m. on the 3 Mondays leading up to Thanksgiving (and that fateful Friday) at John Wiedmann's house at 3928 Russell in Shaw neighbor. RSVP to Mary Lisa at 322-3228. Starts Monday, November 6, 2006

Community News

St. Cronan Church Annual Auction-Please plan to join the St. Cronan Church Community at their Annual Auction on Sat. Nov. 4th at St. Margaret of Scotland Church Hall. The evening begins at 6:30 pm with Silent Auction, live music, light refreshments & libations and ends with an Oral Auction around 9:45 pm. There are some wonderful items and anyone wishing to attend can **contact Gina Heagney, 314-367-8983 or Kathy Hunn, 314-962-0383**. Cost is \$25 per person. Proceeds help to support St. Cronan's mission of Social Justice and service to the poor. **We hope to see you there!**

A service of Remembrance and Hope

You are invited to gather with all of us who are affected by HIV/AIDS - family members, spouses, partners, friends, professional caregivers, and all caring persons. As we remember those who have died, we are reminded of God's unconditional love and work to rekindle hope for the future. Please join us on Thursday, November 2, 2006 at 7:00 PM, Central Reform Congregation, 5020 Waterman (at Kingshwy.) In celebrating All Souls Day, you are encouraged to bring a picture, symbol, or other item that reminds you of someone who has died of AIDS. These items will be placed on the altar and through silence, liturgy, and reflection, your loved one will be remembered and honored. For information, call (314) 754-0132.

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. October 28th—4:30 p.m.
 Christian Blouin-Weers, Ryan Kiernan

Sun. October 29th—8:00 a.m.
 David Mitchell, Kieran Connolly

Sun. October 29th—10:00 a.m.
 Sonya McCanna, Darby Reynolds, Emily Mulligan



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat. October 28th—4:30 p.m.

Irv Engelmann, Carmela Garza

Sun. October 29th—8:00 a.m.
 Bob Herleth, Joyce Herleth, Patty Duffy, Gregory Kehr

Sun. October 29th— 10:00 a.m.

Betty Andrews, Bridget Blaes, Rick Blaes, Deb Halter, Dorothy Wamser, Duke Dummerth, Gerry Rauch, Mary Jo Rhoda, Joe Hagen



LECTORS

Sat. October 28th—4:30 p.m.

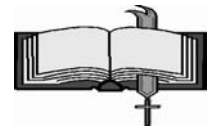
Patrick Bittick, Ginger Purcell

Sun. October 29th—8:00 a.m.

Don Burrus, Joe Iovanna

Sun. October 29th—10:00 a.m.

Alice Benga, John Merideth



GREETERS FOR OCTOBER

4:30 p.m. Lucille Shirley,

Donna Schumacher

8:00 a.m. Earl & Martha Brake

10:00 a.m. Duke Dummerth, Patty

Hendrickson



DONUTS & COFFEE 10/29/06

Donut Pick-up: Bob & Joyce Herleth

Coffee for October: Mary Ann & Mark Gadell

Donut Clean-up: Jerrod Gerstner



DRIVERS

10/28/06 John Lenzini

10/29/06 Kevin Farrell

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

October 22 through October 29, 2006

Sunday: Is 53:10-11 Ps 33:4-5,18-20,22
 Heb 4:14-16 Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
 Monday: Eph 2:1-10 Ps 100:2-5 Lk 12:13-21
 Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22 Ps 85:9-14 Lk 12:35-38
 Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12 (Ps) Is 12:2-6 Lk 12:39-48
 Thursday: Eph 3:14-21 Ps 33:1-2,4-5,11-12,18-19
 Lk 12:49-53
 Friday: Eph 4:1-6 Ps 24:1-6 Lk 12:54-59
 Saturday: Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16
 Sunday: Jer 31:7-9 Ps 126:1-6 Heb 5:1-6
 Mk 10:46-52