

# All Saints Catholic Church

Sunday, August 31, 2008

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Church**  
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Milwaukee, WI 53209

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Milwaukee, WI 53209

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## Outreach Ministries

### **All Saints Food Pantry 875-9601**

Tuesdays and Fridays: 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

### **All Saints Meal Program**

Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays: 5:30 p.m.

### **All Saints Commons 449-1298**

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### **Crossroads Interfaith**

Carol Giersch, 536-7200  
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Retha Simmons



With the help of God, we the members of All Saints Catholic Church:

- *Commit to celebrate the Death and Resurrection of Jesus in Word and Eucharist.*
- *Commit to bring the Good News of Christ to the people of Milwaukee's central city and beyond.*
- *Commit to work for justice for the poor and the powerless.*
- *Commit to build up and foster a multi-racial, multi-cultural community of faith, hope and love.*

**Reconciliation, Baptism, Anointing of the Sick & Dying:** Please contact the parish office to make an appointment.

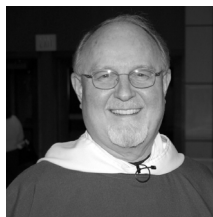
**Funerals:** Please contact the parish priest as soon as a loved one dies.

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Dear Sisters and Brothers,



I would like to address a number of issues today. First of all, thank you all for your generous financial contributions even during the summer months when attendance is typically down. Thank you especially if you are one of those using the EFT method of giving. If you are not using this efficient method of support for our ministries, please consider starting this fall. Forms are available in the back of church.

As you noticed, we have changed the style of our contribution envelopes. The price is the same as the old style. Please use the envelopes and consider them as “wrapping paper” for your gifts to God made through the Church. As you also know we have put the offertory procession/collection immediately after the Prayers of the Faithful and the Rite of Peace now follows the Lord’s Prayer. This seems to work better since we do ask people to come forward with their gifts at the offertory. The Rite of Peace comes to a conclusion when the choir starts singing the “Lamb of God.” We still need to concentrate on the purpose for the Rite of Peace—it is not a time for chatter but a time to reverently give a sign of Christ’s peace to those around you. We need to work on this.

Someone sent an anonymous letter suggesting that we get rid of St. John Chapel and the other buildings we own on 38<sup>th</sup> and Keefe Avenue. The reason given was that they cost us too much money to keep up. The reality is that the rent we receive from the Notre Dame Sisters and The Way and the Truth Ministries covers the ordinary expenses. And recently we have been given back the school building on 38<sup>th</sup> Street that we sold some 15 years ago for one dollar! We are planning for this beautiful building to be used to help provide income to the parish. We are negotiating now with a group wanting to use the building.

Last but not least, we are working hard on organizing our Sunday school to be able to minister to all our children—K through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. These sessions will be held every Sunday from 9:00 to 10:15 in the morning. Bible study for adults will be held simultaneously in the same place—the Ministry Center.

I am so grateful to God for allowing me to be your pastor. I am enjoying this assignment very much. I thank you for your support and your great patience with me.

Faithfully,

Father Carl Diederichs

inward/outward

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## Settle Down in the Quiet

It is useless to try to make peace with ourselves by being pleased with everything we have done. In order to settle down in the quiet of our own being we must learn to be detached from the results of our own activity. We must withdraw ourselves, to some extent, from effects that are beyond our control and be content with the good will and the work that are the quiet expression of our inner life. We must be content to live without watching ourselves live, to work without expecting an immediate reward, to love without an instantaneous satisfaction, and to exist without any special recognition.

**Thomas Merton**



You can now enjoy All Saints on the radio. Every Monday @ 3:30 p.m. We have 30 minutes of air time for your listening pleasure. The radio station is WGLB 1560 AM.

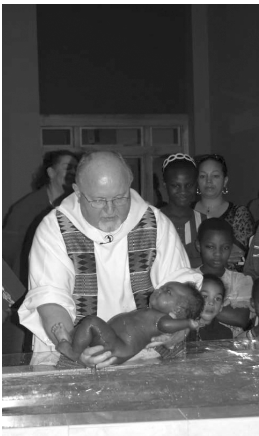
## Human Concerns Corner:

Advancing Wisconsin is currently hiring team leaders, phone bankers and door to door canvassers for the fall election. You would begin work immediately and work thru the election. If you are interested in working part time or full time you can go directly to their office at 706 S 5th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53204 to apply. You do not need a resume. They are located one block south of National Avenue on 5th Street. Their phone number is 414.382.7166. When you get there, please tell them that All Saints Catholic Church sent you. You must be 18 years of age or older. Call Debbie Timko if you have any questions at 414.534.0949.

Advancing Wisconsin is an issue based organization for working people.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

## The Baptism of Immaculate Uwezo at All Saints Catholic Church on August 24th @ 10:30 am Mass.



Five Priests of the Sacred Heart and 1 Deacon who will be ordained in the Congo on September 26. All are studying English at Sacred Heart School of Theology for 3 months. They will return to Congo for ministry upon completing the ESL Program At SHST. The Fathers were very warmed by the Liturgy of Eucharist, fine sermon, exuberant singing, and the welcome by Fr Carl and the Beloved Community of Faith at All Saints on Sunday morning, August 24.

## JUSTICE BULLETIN BOARD Labor Day 2008

"The Church fully supports the right of workers to form unions to secure their rights to fair wages and working conditions. No one may deny the right to organize without attacking human dignity itself. Migrant agricultural workers today are particularly in need of the protection, including the right to organize and bargain collectively. U.S. labor law reform is needed to provide timely and effective remedies for unfair labor practices. (US Catholic Bishops, Economic Justice for All)

### Did you know?

North Carolina is the least unionized state in the country.

FLOC (Farm Labor Organizing Committee) is both a social movement and a labor union. Their immediate constituency is migrant workers in the agricultural industry, but they are also involved with immigrant workers, our local communities, and national and international coalitions concerned with justice. The FLOC vision emphasizes human rights as the standard and self-determination as the process for achieving these rights. FLOC struggles for full justice for those who have been marginalized and exploited for the benefit of others, and is seeking to change the structures of society to enable all workers to have a direct voice in determining their working conditions.

ACORN, the is the nation's largest community organization of low- and moderate-income families, working together for social justice and stronger communities. ACORN has taken a leadership role in more than a dozen jobs and living wage campaigns. ACORN has secured "First Source" agreements, which require developers to hire low-income unemployed residents in many cities. Now they have an active Raleigh office. You can read about their local work at: <http://www.acorn.org/index.php?id=9424>

### What can I do?

1. Pray for those who labor. Pray for employers and for legislators, owners and managers that they will act with justice and provide living wages, affordable benefits and the freedom of association to their employees.
2. Read about the conditions of migrant workers and FLOC's new campaign on their behalf especially in it its work to get justice from RJ Reynolds Tobacco. <http://www.floc.com/>
3. Read more about ACORN's work for justice at: <http://www.acorn.org/index.php?id=2703>

*(Submitted by Anne and Bill Werdel, from the parish bulletin of Sacred Heart Cathedral, Raleigh, NC)*

## Rites to Christian Initiation for Adults All Saints Sponsors Ministry

Currently All Saints have some wonderful people ready to accept their faith journey called the Rite to Christian Initiation for Adults. Our new faith participants will need a partner, a fellow traveler to journey their faith walk with them. Sometimes, the road may seem difficult, not easy to see where it's leading. Our new faith partners need a companion, a guide, a friend who knows the way!

These Catholic sponsors from our parish community act as spiritual companions, providing personal support, sharing their experience of Christian life and welcoming the catechumens and candidates to All Saints as a family to celebrate their newly found home at All Saints.

Who should be an RCIA sponsor?

- Anyone with a desire to be a friend and companion during a very important time in someone's life.
- Anyone with an eagerness to offer companionship on the faith journey.
- Anyone in full communion with the Catholic Church, committed to the Word, eager to walk with Christ to fulfill His ministry.
- Anyone willing to serve with a dedicated commitment, to attend and participate, supporting their candidates to learn about their Catholic faith on their faith walk journey.

***You do not have to be an expert on Catholic faith, just a willingness to share your values about your Catholic faith and share it with others.***

What are the sponsor's responsibilities?

- Maintain regular contact with the candidates to encourage, to listen to their faith stories and to their doubts,
- Share time and experiences in a friendly manner,
- Participate fully in the RCIA session and Rites,
- Pray with and for the candidates,
- Introduce the candidate (s) to other members in our Beloved Community.

A sponsor's role is a privilege, and a responsibility in the parish community. Recall the apostles who were vital to the building and growth of the Body of Christ, His Church. You are special to the candidate or catechumen, to Jesus the author and finisher of our faith.

If you have any questions concerning the RCIA process as a sponsor, please contact leave your name and number for Mabel Johnson, George Esther or Vivian McLemore at All Saints Administration office at 414-444-5610.

## Contribution Envelopes

We are asking for people to please use their correct envelopes. And if you could please separate your Contributions.

1. Church Contributions
2. For the Poor
3. Unity Fund

## BBQ Ribs + Chicken Dinner

When: Sunday, October 5, 2008

Where: All Saints Church Hall

Time: 10 am until 3 pm

Prices are as follows:

Adults, \$9

Children 5-9, \$5

Children under 5, \$2

More information will be available soon.

## Save the Date!

**October 3 – 5, 2008**

All Saints Women's Retreat at the Siena Center in Racine. Watch for more information and registration forms in the bulletin in early September. \$115 fee will be due on September 21.

We are still in need for volunteers to help out.

If you are interested please call the Parish office and speak with Nicole.

Thank You

**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday:** **Sunday, August 31**  
 8:00 a.m. For the People (AS)  
 10:30 a.m. †Sarah Maison (AS)  
**Monday:** **Monday, September 1**  
 8:30 a.m. Dr. Anthony Mensah (C)  
**Tuesday:** **Tuesday, September 2**  
 8:30 a.m. Louise Ashley (C)  
**Wednesday:** **Wednesday, September 3**  
 8:30 a.m. Essie Haney (C)  
**Thursday:** **Thursday, September 4**  
 8:30 a.m. †Norman Gavin (C)  
**Friday:** **Friday, September 5**  
 8:30 a.m. Larry Woods (C)  
**Saturday:** **Saturday, September 6**  
 4:00 p.m. †Frank & Marie Herre (C)  
**Sunday:** **Sunday, September 7**  
 8:00 a.m. For the People (AS)  
 10:30 a.m. Shawn Bost & Family (AS)

(C) St. John Chapel (AS) All Saints

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**Tuesday, September 2nd**  
 8:30 a.m. Mass (C)  
**Wednesday, September 3rd**  
 8:30 a.m. Mass (C)  
 10:30 a.m. N.A. Meeting (AS)  
**Thursday, September 4th**  
 8:30 a.m. Mass (C)  
 6:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (MC)  
 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice (AS)



**Friday, September 5th**

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)  
**Saturday, September 6th**

4:00 p.m. Mass (C)  
**Sunday, September 7th**

*Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00 a.m. Mass (AS)  
 10:30 a.m. Mass (AS)

**Location Key:**

(AS) All Saints (C) Chapel (MC) Ministry Center

**Readings for the Week of August 31, 2008**

Sunday: Jer 20:7-9/Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27  
 Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5/Lk 4:16-30  
 Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16/Lk 4:31-37  
 Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9/Lk 4:38-44  
 Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23/Lk 5:1-11  
 Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5/Lk 5:33-39  
 Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15/Lk 6:1-5  
 Next Sunday: Ez 33:7-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20

My soul is thirsting for you,  
 O Lord my God.

Psalm 138



Jerry Adams, Lucinda Adams, Ken and Marge Ameden, Louise Ashley, Gloria Baus, Jim Becker, Shawn

Bost, Frances Buchanan, Vera Campbell, Edna Collier, Edith Fails, Raymond Faison, Laurie Griep, Essie Haney, Reuben Harpole, Laura Hayward, Susan Hefner, Jerry Herbstreit, Ernie Herre, Jane Kaminsky, Fred Knudten, Thomas E Ladky, Velois Lathon, Gloria Mason, Unis Matthews, Daniel Morgan, Marjorie Morgan, James, Cordalia, and Louise Nwagbaraocha, Victor Nwagbaraocha, Ernest Obey, Robert Owens, Rose Perkins, Lucille Richter, Anita Rooney, Marjorie Schoenauer, Maxine Seidl, William Sims, Hazel Smith, Obreilla Smith, Antonio Vivians, Rodney Walker, Jessica Ware, Claudette Williams, Larry Woods and David Xavier.

**Homebound and Sick**

Please inform the parish office when someone is physically unable to come to church, is going to the hospital, or is moving into a nursing home.

† **Financial Stewardship** †  
**August 24th Contributions**

118 Envelopes:	\$ 4,149.30
Offertory:	\$ 260.00
Visitor Contributions:	\$ 109.00
05 Children's Envelopes:	\$ 4.25
Total	\$ 4,522.55

**Unity in Christ Fund for this week ~ \$1,709.07**  
**Have you remembered All Saints in your Will?**