

# All Saints Catholic Church

**Sunday, December 30, 2007**  
**Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus,  
Mary and Joseph**

**Church**  
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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. in  
Church Hall

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

Sr. Helena Ntambulwa, House Manager

### **Crossroads Interfaith**

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## **Our Church Mission**

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 Brother,

I wish you all a Happy New Year, one filled with the blessings of the Lord Jesus.



Faithfully,



Father Carl Diederichs

*Sweet little Jesus Boy,  
They made you be born in a manger.*

*Dear little holy child,  
And they didn't know who you was.*

*Didn't know you came to save us, Lord.*

*To take our sins away.  
Our eyes were blind, we could not see.*

*We didn't know who you was.*

*Long time ago, you was born,*

*Born in a manger low,  
Sweet little Jesus Boy.*

*The world treat you mean, Lord.*

*Treat me mean too,  
But that's how things is done here.*

*We didn't know 'twas you!*

*Sweet little Jesus Boy,  
Born long time ago,  
Dear little holy child,  
And we didn't know who you was!*

*(Robert Macgimsey)*



## Don't You Sense Me?

I am, you anxious one.

Don't you sense me, ready to break into being at your touch?

My murmurings surround you like shadowy wings.

Can't you see me standing before you cloaked in stillness?

Hasn't my longing ripened in you from the beginning as fruit ripens on a branch?

I am the dream you are dreaming.

When you want to awaken, I am that wanting.

I grow strong in the beauty you behold. And with the silence of stars I enfold your cities made by time.

**Rainer Maria Rilke**

## Franciscan Prayer and Sharing Meeting

We now offer Secular Franciscan Order (SFO) Prayer and Sharing Meetings. We use some form prayer like the "Our Father" and some formless centering or contemplative prayer. Our sharing concerns how we can understand St. Francis and follow his "way" in prayer and action. Our next meeting will be held in the narthex of the church from 2:00 PM until 3:15 PM on Sunday, January 20, 2008. If you are interested, please join us.

## Come and Join Us !! RCIA Sessions

*Are you a Catholic with questions about our faith, our Church, its teachings and history?*

**Dates: January 10th & 24th**

**Where: All Saints Church**

**Time: 6:30 p.m.**

We have more sessions that will be announced in future bulletins.

*All are Welcome!*

## A Small Window to make a large tax-exempt charitable contribution.

Congress has provided an excellent tax incentive for charitable contributions, but you must act soon. The Pension Protection Act of 2006 allows individuals 70 1/2 and older to make tax-exempt charitable contributions up to \$100,000 directly from their IRA assets to an eligible charity. The transaction must be made by December 31, 2007, as it is not certain that this provision will be extended.

This legislation is good news for many IRA account holders 70 1/2 and older because this Qualified Charitable Distribution rule. In addition, QCD monies are excluded from adjusted gross income and, therefore, are tax exempt. Married couples may donate up to \$200,000 provided each spouse owns at least one IRA and make a \$100,000 QCD.

You could benefit from a QCD if you fit into one of the following categories:

- You are a high –income taxpayer who itemizes deductions. Higher income taxpayers have to reduce their allowable itemized deductions once their adjusted gross income exceeds a certain threshold (\$150,000 in 2006). By utilizing this tax incentive, the donated amount is not included in adjusted gross income, thereby permitting the taxpayer to take more itemized deductions.
- You donate a substantial portion of your income to charity. QCDs are not subject to the 50% of adjusted gross income limitation for charitable contributions. QCDs may allow you to give more than you otherwise could, while still receiving tax benefits for charitable contributions.
- You are a tax payer who doesn't itemize deductions. A QCD is attractive to a taxpayer who otherwise could not deduct a charitable contribution because he or she takes a standard deduction.

While most public charities are eligible to receive QCDs, private foundations, donor—advised funds and split interest gifts (for example, charitable remainder trusts or charitable lead trusts) are not. Talk to your financial or tax adviser to see if this option is appropriate for you.

## We are in need of Volunteers

Please, we have various areas where we need help with volunteering. If there is a specific area you would like to volunteer for please call the parish office.

Here are a few areas you may be able to assist us with:

- *The Commons*
- *The Food Pantry*
- *The Meal Program*
- *The Parish Office*
- *To pick up and or drop off donations*
- *Church or Community Ministries*
- *Transportation for Parish Members to get back and fourth to Church on Sunday.*

*Thank you and we appreciate all of your help.*

## Entertainment Books

We are selling Entertainment Books for \$35 a book if you would like to purchase one contact the parish office. They really have great coupons that might come in handy.

## *Scrip News:*

Effective January, 2008, the All Saints Scrip Program will be suspended until further notice in order to change the bank's + supplier's name + number.

## Leroy's Catch

**Time:** 4:00 p.m.– 8:00 p.m. on Fridays.  
**Dates :** January 11th and 25th.  
**Price:** Adults \$8.00, age 10 and under \$5.00 age 5 and under free.

Leroy will be serving catfish and cod with delicious side dishes. Come enjoy the dinner and ice cream for dessert included!

**Handicap Accessible**

**Catering by Leroy**

## Bulletin News:

**If you have something that needs to go into the bulletin it has to be in no later than Tuesday Morning. If you have an insert for the bulletin that has to be in no later than Wednesday morning. Except on holiday weeks they need to be in by that Friday before. Please to insure that your article or insert is put in that week.**

**Thank You,  
Nicole**

## Youth news:

In January we will meet for Large Group, at All Saints, on the 13<sup>th</sup>. We will be discussing Black in the Bible with Cynthia Blaze. Our small group meetings will be on the 20<sup>th</sup> and the 27<sup>th</sup>, at St. Martin. We will have several visiting youth groups in January as well. On the 20<sup>th</sup>, the 8<sup>th</sup> graders from St. James will come to our youth mass at St. Martin and then participate in the small group session. On the 27<sup>th</sup>, the Confirmation group from St. Leonard, Muskego, will be attending mass and participating in our Confirmation class. Following class the groups will go to St. Bens and do community service together.

## **TYME OUT Youth Center Offers Camps and Summer Employment**

This summer, TYME OUT Youth Center will provide a variety of one week camps for middle school students. This summer's specialty focus areas include: art, soccer, leadership, dance, theatre, praise & worship music/choir, stewardship, creative writing, and Brainbusters. We hire a team of creative and dedicated teachers and coaches to facilitate the specialty area of each week. A group of caring and energetic Camp Staff are also hired to provide the camp fun and supervision of the campers. If you may be interested in sending your son or daughter to camp or if you are interested in becoming Camp Staff, please call or email us at [camp@tymeout.org](mailto:camp@tymeout.org) +++ (262) 966-1800



Mass Intentions

**Sunday:** **Sunday, December 30**  
 8:00 a.m. For the Homeless (AS)  
 10:30 a.m. For the People (AS)

**Monday:** **Monday, December 31**  
 8:30 a.m. For the Poor (C)

**Tuesday:** **Tuesday, January 1**  
 8:30 a.m. For All the Out Reach Ministries (C)

**Wednesday:** **Wednesday, January 2**  
 8:30 a.m. For the Homebound (C)

**Thursday:** **Thursday, January 3**  
 8:30 a.m. For the Catholics (C)

**Friday:** **Friday, January 4**  
 8:30 a.m. For All Families (C)

**Saturday:** **Saturday, January 5**  
 4:00 p.m. For All Saints (C)

**Sunday:** **Sunday, January 6**  
 8:00 a.m. For Our Priests (AS)  
 10:30 a.m. For the People (AS)

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

**Sunday, December 30th**

*Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph*

8 a.m. Mass (AS)

10:30 a.m. Mass (AS)

**Monday, December 31st**

*The Seventh Day in the Octave of Christmas*

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

**Tuesday, January 1st**

*The Octave Day of Christmas Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God*

*Happy New Year!!*

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

**Wednesday, January 2nd**

*Memorial of Saint Basil the Great and Saint Gregory Nazianzen, bishops and doctors of the Church*

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

10:30 a.m. N.A. Meeting (AS)

**Thursday, January 3rd**

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

6 p.m. Praise Movement Ministry Rehearsal (AS)

6 p.m. Legion of Mary (MC)

7 p.m. Choir Practice (AS)

**Friday, January 4th**

*Memorial of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, religious*

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

**Saturday, January 5th**

*Memorial of Saint John Neumann, bishop*

4 p.m. Mass (C)

**Sunday, January 6th**

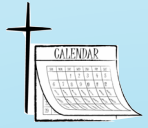
*The Epiphany of the Lord*

8 a.m. Mass (AS)

10:30 a.m. Mass (AS)

**Location Key:**

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



Jerry Adams, Lucinda Adams, Ken and Marge Ameden, Louise Ashley, Jim Becker, Helena Benson, Shawn Bost, Frances Buchanan, Betty Burks, Vera Campbell, Edith Fails, Raymond Faison, Laurie Griep, Essie Haney, Laura Hayward, Steve Haywood, Jerry Herbstreit, Ernie Herre, Jane Kaminsky, Thomas E Ladky, Velois Lathon, Gloria Mason, Unis Matthews, James, Cordalia, and Louise Nwagbaraocha, Mary O'Brien, Robert Owens, Lucille Richter, Anita Rooney, Marjorie Schoenauer, William Sims, Hazel Smith, Nellie Thomas, Antonio Vivians, Rodney Walker, Jessica Ware, Claudette Williams, Larry Woods, Valerie Woods, and David Zinkevz.



**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.

Due to the Holidays I can not show the contributions for Christmas and New Year holidays. Sorry about any inconvenience this may cause. It will resume in January when the printing schedule is back to normal. Thank You.

**Readings for the Week of December 30, 2007**

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14, Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17  
 Mt 2:13-15, 19-23

Monday: 1 Jn 2:18-21, Jn 1:1-18

Tuesday: Nm 6:22-27, Gal 4:4-7, Lk 2:16-21

Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:22-28, Jn 1:19-28

Thursday: 1 Jn 2:29-3:6, Jn 1:29-34

Friday: 1 Jn 3:7-10, Jn 1:35-42

Saturday: 1 Jn 3:11-21, Jn 1:43-51

Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6, Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6, Mt 2:1-12

Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.

Psalm 24

