

# All Saints Catholic Church

## Sunday, January 11, 2009

### The Baptism of the Lord

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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.

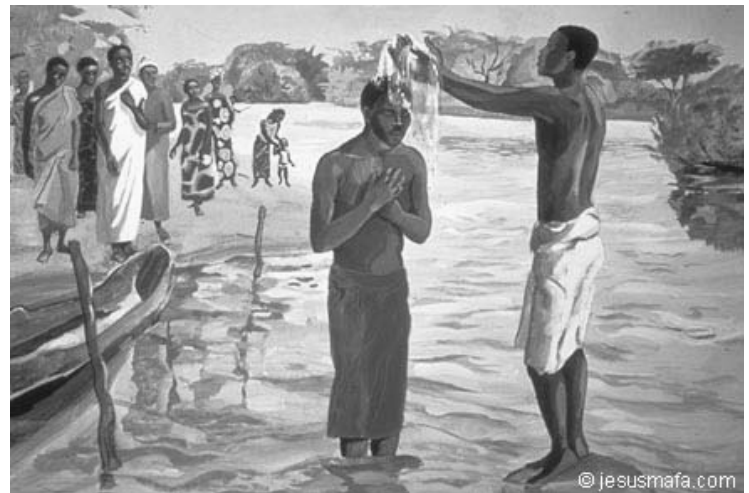
**All Saints Commons 449-1298**

Sr. Helena Ntambulwa, House Manager

**Crossroads Interfaith**

Carol Giersch, 536-7200  
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**St. Vincent de Paul 462-7837**



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.

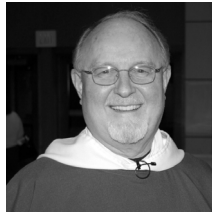
**Reconciliation, Baptism, Anointing of the Sick & Dying:** Please contact the parish office to make an appointment.

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

# All Saints Catholic Church

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

The New Year presents us with another opportunity to go deeper in our faith and love for God. At All Saints we take our faith journey very seriously. At the top of the list of important events would be the weekend masses. Here we live out our vision of church in a most powerful way. The document on the liturgy from the Second Vatican Council calls the mass the “source and summit” of our lives. It is here that we break open the Word of God, take it in, allow it to strengthen us so that what we say and do will be done according to that Word of God.



We are also still reaching out to those who may want to join our church. We are an inclusive church and we welcome everyone.

Faithfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive that reads "Fr. Carl Diederichs".

Father Carl Diederichs



## God Enters

We can't love what we won't experience.... God enters the world through those of us who are willing to let God participate fully in our lives, in our suffering as well as our celebrations.

**Nancy Mairs**

## A Way of Seeing and Being

The gospel is not primarily a set of facts but a way of seeing and a way of being in the world because of God. Jesus speaks to the heart, saying (1) God is on your side; (2) God can be trusted; (3) the universe is safe and benevolent; (4) trust yourselves, one another and God; (5) there is no reason to be afraid; (6) it's all heading toward something good.

**Richard Rohr**

We are still trying to contact all 16-19 year old students who have not been confirmed. I ask the parents or guardians to contact this office as soon as possible so that your child can be included in the sessions.

We also have bible study on Wednesday evening at 6PM in the rectory. These sessions too focus on the readings of the following Sunday. I urge you to come and see what a beautiful experience this can be.

## Caring For a Loved One and Need a Break?

We have several parishioners who are certified nursing assistants who would love to work private duty for you. We also have personal care workers who can help a person in need with chores, shopping and doctor appointments.

Please call Debbie Timko at 414.444.5610 ext 104 for a referral to our parishioners.

**On Monday, January 19<sup>th</sup>, St. Francis of Assisi Church, 1927 N. 4<sup>th</sup> Street offers two celebrations marking the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.**

**1PM – Service led by Peace Action Wisconsin**, will include an award for outstanding service in the area of social justice and a march to the statue on King Drive.

**7PM – King Memorial Celebration**, sponsored by the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and the Sacred Heart School of Theology Musical program at 6:30 p.m. Featured Speaker: Br. Bob Smith, OFM Capuchin of Messmer Schools

**Free Tax Preparation Program at St. Francis of Assisi Parish, 1927 N. 4<sup>th</sup> Street**

Beginning January 26<sup>th</sup> until Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, **FREE** preparation of state and federal taxes will be offered at St. Francis of Assisi Church.

Hours of operation: Mondays, 3-9PM and Saturdays, 9AM-3PM. This service is completely free and open to all.

Please enter by way of the backside [the 5<sup>th</sup> Street side] of the old monastery at 1927 N. 4<sup>th</sup> Street. Any questions, call 374-5750.

## Hats, Gloves, and Scarves

The Catholic Herald & The Society of St. Vincent De Paul are collecting new hats, gloves and scarves for children of all ages to keep people warm this winter. Please put items in the basket in the rear of the church, and we will get them out to everyone in need ASAP. Thank you for your generosity. (Although the focus is on children, adult items will be accepted and distributed). The Third Annual Caps for Kids drives runs through February 1, 2008.

The two Milwaukee drop off sites are 2320 W. Lincoln Avenue (The Thrift Store) and 9701 W. Silver Spring Drive (The Council office).

Please call 414-462-7837 for more information. Thanks for keeping those hearts and hands warm!

## Foster Care

In Milwaukee County, there is a shortage of foster homes. Because of the limited number of homes, children may have to travel as far as two hours away from Milwaukee in order to find a safe and loving foster home placement. Bethany Christian Services, in conjunction with Children's Service Society, is looking for assessment foster homes for children, ages newborn to eleven years. These children require temporary care, thirty to forty days, until their cases are adjudicated and it is determined whether they will be placed in long-term foster care or returned to their parents.

This is an ideal ministry for an assessment home provider who works part-time or is a stay at home parent. This ministry provides financial compensation and support from Bethany Christian Services.

For more information, please call Marina Thompson or Georgia Mixdorf at Bethany Christian Services, 262-547-6557 or 262-302-9315, [mthompson@bethany.org](mailto:mthompson@bethany.org).

## Car Donation

We have a number of parishioners in need of used automobiles. The biggest barrier to a good paying job is transportation. Many of the jobs we can place our parishioners in, are not on a bus line.

If you are willing to donate a used car as a tax write off or know of anyone who has a used car to sell please contact Debbie Timko at 414.444.5610. ext 104.

## Calendars Available

Spoken Word Artists Muhibb Dyer and Kwabena Antoine Nixon have produced their 7<sup>th</sup> annual edition of "The Children Are Crying" calendar. Each month of the calendar features a poem about life in our city. The poems are emotionally charged and powerful. Available for \$10 each, the proceeds from the calendars benefit the victims of gun violence in our city with scholarships to keep their memories alive.

Please purchase one in the back of the church or call Debbie Timko at 414.444.5610 ext. 104.

# HIGH SCHOOL FAIR

Hosted by  
**St. Charles Borromeo**  
**3100 W. Parnell Ave.**  
**Milwaukee, WI 53221**  
**414-282-0767**

**Wednesday, January 7,**  
**2009**  
**6:30PM-8:30PM**

It's never too early to start planning your child's High School Education. The following local schools will be present to assist students and their families in choosing a high school that is right for them. Each school will give a short presentation to enlighten you on their academic and extracurricular offerings as well as inform you of scholarships, aid and long term saving goals.

**Pius XI**

**St. Joan Antida**

**St. Thomas More**

**Catholic Memorial**

**Divine Savior Holy Angels**

## 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

## Monthly Meetings

St. Vincent De Paul every 1st Tuesday @ 12 pm

Sociable Singles every 2nd Saturday @ 1 pm

Parish Council every 4th Tuesday @ 6:30 pm  
*(Jan meeting will be on the third Tues.)*

Finance Committee every 4th Tuesday  
@ 5:30 pm *(Jan meeting will be on the third Tues.)*

Catholic Prayer Ministry of the Holy Spirit  
every 1st Friday @ 7 pm

Open Forum every 4th Sunday @ 12:30 pm

Secular Franciscan Prayer and Sharing Meeting  
every last Sunday of the month from 2:00 pm to  
3:15 pm in the Narthex.

## Archdiocese of Milwaukee

Archbishop Dolan will host his annual "State of the Archdiocese" meetings this month for clergy, lay ministers, parish staff, parish council members and parish trustees. There are three meeting dates.

- January 19, 2-4 p.m., at Cousins Center, for parish staff;
- January 20, 6-8 p.m., at Cousins Center, for parish council members and trustees;
- January 27, 10-noon, at Cousins Center, for priests, deacons and parish directors.

**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday: Sunday, January 11**  
 8:00 a.m. For the People (AS)  
 10:30 a.m. Ken and Marge Ameden (AS)  
**Monday: Monday, January 12**  
 8:30 a.m. For All Firefighters (C)  
**Tuesday: Tuesday, January 13**  
 8:30 a.m. For the Children (C)  
**Wednesday: Wednesday, January 14**  
 8:30 a.m. For All Teachers (C)  
**Thursday: Thursday, January 15**  
 8:30 a.m. Jerry Adams (C)  
**Friday: Friday, January 16**  
 8:30 a.m. For the Nuns (C)  
**Saturday: Saturday, January 17**  
 4:00 p.m. †Arthur, †Mary & Laurie Griep (C)  
**Sunday: Sunday, January 18**  
 8:00 a.m. For the People (AS)  
 10:30 a.m. Frances Buchanan (AS)

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

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**Wednesday, January 14th**

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)  
 10:30 a.m. N.A. Meeting (AS)  
 6:00 p.m. Bible Study (Church Rectory)

**Thursday, January 15th**

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)  
 6:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (MC)  
 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice (AS)

**Friday, January 16th**

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

**Saturday, January 17th**

4:00 p.m. Mass (C)

**Sunday, January 18th**

***Second Sunday in Ordinary Time***

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



Jerry Adams, Lucinda Adams, Ken and Marge Ameden, Louise Ashley, Gloria Baus, Jim Becker, Shawn Bost, Frances Buchanan, Vera Campbell, Edna Collier, Ann Cowan, Edith Fails, Raymond Faison, Laurie Griep, Essie Haney, Laura Hayward, Susan Hefner, Jerry Herbstreit, Ernie Herre, Jane Kaminsky, Fred Knudten, Thomas E Ladky, Gloria Mason, Unis Matthews, Daniel Morgan, James, Cordalia, and Louise Nwagbaraocha, Victor Nwagbaraocha, Ernest Oby, Rose Perkins, Lucille Richter, Anita Rooney, Marjorie Schoenauer, Maxine Seidl, William Sims, Hazel Smith, Obreilla Smith, 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** †  
**January 4th Contributions**

162 Envelopes:	\$ 9,619.30
Offertory:	\$ 431.65
Visitor Contributions:	\$ 77.00
Christmas Contributions:	\$ 60.00
For the Poor:	\$ 60.00
EFT Contributions:	\$ 845.00
<u>07 Children's Envelopes:</u>	<u>\$ 9.00</u>
Total:	\$ 11,101.95

**Unity in Christ Fund for this week ~ \$3,092.00**  
**Have you remembered All Saints in your Will?**

**Readings for the Week of January 11th, 2009.**

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11/Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11  
 Monday: Heb 1:1-6/Mk 1:14-20  
 Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12/Mk 1:21-28  
 Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18/Mk 1:29-39  
 Thursday: Heb 3:7-14/Mk 1:40-45  
 Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11/Mk 2:1-12  
 Saturday: Heb 4:12-16/Mk 2:13-17  
 Next Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

The Lord will bless his people with  
 peace.  
 Psalm 128

