

All Saints Catholic Church

Sunday, June 22, 2008

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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All Saints Meal Program

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

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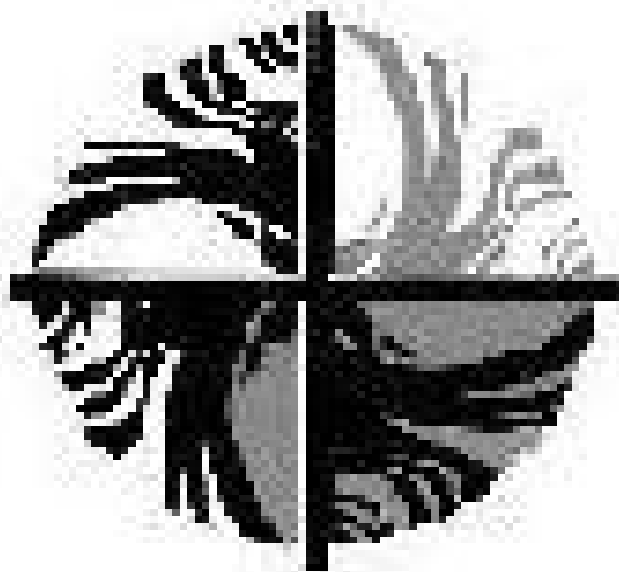
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Retha Simmons



**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.

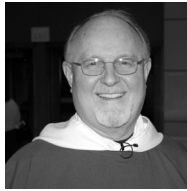
Funerals: Please contact the parish priest
as soon as a loved one dies.

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All Saints Catholic Church

Dear Sisters and Brothers,



A friend of mine gave me the book *Whose Church? A Concise Guide to Progressive Catholicism*, by Daniel C. Maguire, a theologian at Marquette University. It is a fascinating little book. Very provocative. At the end of the chapter called “War Is For Dummies” he speaks about the “wisdom of tears.” Let me quote it here:

“I was amazed, as a young Catholic boy, when I saw on the back of a Catholic prayer book, the *Missale Romanum*, a prayer begging for the gift of tears. It said, ‘Oh God, strike into the duritiam, the hardness of my heart, and bring forth a saving flood of tears.’ As a little boy, I thought, ‘Who wants tears?’ When you grow up you don’t have them anymore, especially if you are a man.’ And that precisely is the problem. If you are without tears in a world of sorrows, it is a tragedy. You are not human. And take note, Christians, you are not Christic. Jesus wept. He looked at that city and said, ‘If only you knew the things that make for your peace, but you don’t.’ And he broke down sobbing. He was like the prophet Jeremiah, who said that unless our eyes run with tears, we will come to a fearful ruin.

Let us update that Jesus text. Let us have him say, ‘America, America, if only you knew the things that make for your peace, if only you could see the answer is not in your weaponry. If only I could, like a mother hen, wrap the wings of my vision around you, wings of justice and peace and compassion, if you could use your great talent and wealth to work to end world hunger, world thirst, world illiteracy, no one would hate you, no one would crash planes into your buildings. You could then burn those war chariots in a holy fire and you would at last know the nourishing energy of peace.’”

The quote comes from the end of the chapter on the Just War Theory. He easily could have included the domestic suffering that comes from our addiction to war and the machinery of war as it sucks up the resources that should go to the poor and powerless in our country. Tears are in order.

Faithfully,



Father Carl Diederichs



No Matter Where You Begin

No matter where you begin with God's Word, if you follow it to its deepest, most radical implications, it will lead you to other people and finally to becoming the church.... I am excited about being a part of what God is doing in this world to bring faith and works together. Because it seems like, as I look back, what is happening in my lifetime, and especially in the last ten years, is that God is giving us a New Testament meaning of the church. It seems like the Spirit today is giving us an understanding of the church as the Body of Christ, the replacement of Christ's physical body in a local neighborhood.

John Perkins

Unity in Christ Fund

Please consider giving 10% of your economic stimulus check to the Unity in Christ Fund. The money was not expected in the family income and budgets. It's a wonderful way to contribute if you have not yet pledged and a way to reach your goal if you have already pledged but have not yet completed the pledge fulfillment.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

**"WE ARE ALL SAINTS!" AFTER SCHOOL
SUMMER TUTORING PROGRAM:**

During the summer on Thursdays from 4 pm - 5:30 pm, All Saints will host an after school tutoring program for all students ages 6 - 18. Starting June 12, the program will provide students with a staff of professional teachers and high school students from St. Francis Borgia Parish in Cedarburg to help with any subject that might need some fine tuning before the start of the new school year. It is the hope of the community that once the program takes off, we can offer students a diverse list of fun activities in addition to tutoring. Some ideas include music, creating art, writing workshops, reading groups, and discussing politics or other important social issues. If you have any other ideas about additional activities we could try and implement into the program, please don't hesitate to bring them to the table! Each activity would be tailored as much as possible to the particular age, ability, and desire of each and every student in the program. Encourage all grade schoolers and high schoolers you know to get involved with this program. We would love for this to really take off, so that all of our children and teens this summer can proudly shout, "We are All Saints!"

Peace,
Bob Spoerl.

Youth News:

The St. Martin de Porres/Central City Catholic Parishes Scholarship Fund is now accepting applications for the 2008-2009 school year for families from St. Martin's or All Saints parishes who have students enrolled in Catholic elementary or high schools in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. Forms and eligibility requirements are available in the back of the church. The application deadline is August 31.

Franciscan Prayer and Sharing Meeting

Our Secular Franciscan Order (SFO) meetings use formless centering or contemplative prayer that brings quiet and peace to mind and body. The sharing part involves learning to follow Jesus in the "way" of St. Francis of Assisi.

Our next SFO meeting (formerly called the 3rd Order of St. Francis) will be held in the narthex of the church from 2:00 PM to 3:15 PM on Sunday, June 29, 2008. If you want to enrich your prayer life, please join us.

Greetings All Saints Community!

During the summer months on Tuesday and Friday nights, St. Catherine's Church on 51st and Center will host a citywide basketball league for up to 100 teens ages 14 - 19. The league starts on June 17 and runs from 5:30 - 9:30. We'd love to have you volunteer there if even for just a few hours. There is no weekly commitment or anything. Any time you can give is valuable and appreciated. Volunteers are need at the door, in the gym, in the locker room, at the concession stand, or at the score keeping table. **NO B-BALL ABILITY OR KNOWLEDGE REQUIRED** for these slots. Also, a few coaches may be needed. If anyone is willing to fill these roles and be a role model for some wonderful high school kids, please call Bob Spoerl at the All Saints office, 444 - 5610 , extension 106. Many thanks and I look forward to seeing some of you on the court!

Peace,

your friend Bob Spoerl.

QUOTABLE

I love Abraham, that old weather-beaten
unwavering nomad; when God called to him
no tender hand wedged time into his stay.
His faith erupted him into a way
far-off and strange. How many miles are there
from Ur to Haran? Where does Canaan lie
or slow mysterious Egypt sit and wait?
How could he think his aged thigh would bear
nations or how consent that Isaac die,
without an answer, much less an ado?
I think, alas, how I manipulate dates and decisions,
pull apart the dark,
dally with doubts here and with counsel there,
take out old maps and stare.
Was there a call at all, my fears remark.
I cry out: Abraham, old nomad you.
Are you my father? Come to me in pity.
Mine is a far and lonely journey, too.

Jessica Powers

2 Opportunities to Train With The Brewers This Week

The Brewers are offering two trainings this week.
Monday, June 23rd from 6:00pm to 7:30pm
Tuesday, June 24th from 6:00pm to 7:30pm

You must go thru the training in order to work the games with us. Our next games are July 4th, 5th, 7th and 8th. We just completed our first 3 games in our contract and had a wonderful time! Great thanks to those parishioners who made our weekend a success: Bob Spoerl, Joyce and Ken Gilgenbach, Bertha Eggleston, Brunetta Matthews, Sandy Thomas, Debbie Timko, Lori and Tone Troop, Patrick Hughes, Ricky Lewis and Davon Coleman.

Please contact Debbie Timko at 414.444.5610 ext 104 to join us.

Invitation to the Opening of the Year of St. Paul

Date: Sunday, June 29
Time: 8:00 a.m. Mass
Where: Cathedral of Saint John the Evangelist, 812 N. Jackson St., Milwaukee.

Pope Benedict XVI has announced June 28, 2008-June 29, 2009 will be celebrated universally as the Year of St. Paul.

This year marks the two thousandth anniversary of the birth of St. Paul, the Apostle of the Gentiles. On Sunday, June 28, Archbishop Timothy Dolan will open the Pauline Year locally at the 8:00 a. m. Mass at the Cathedral of Saint John the Evangelist, Milwaukee.

People from throughout the archdiocese are invited to attend this special celebration. In the near future, programs being sponsored throughout the Archdiocese of Milwaukee during the Year of St. Paul will appear on the www.archmil.org website.

Carpenter Needed

A parishioner has donated a complete set of appliances for the rectory kitchen. We would like to update the kitchen and need the help of a carpenter to do the work. If you know anyone who would be willing to donate his/her time to help us remodel, please call Father Carl at 414.444.5610. Thank you.

Human Concerns Corner: Attention All Moms:

Moms' Chat
Every Tuesday
10:00 am until 11:30 am
St. Joseph Hospital (51st and Chambers)

On Tuesdays at St. Joseph Hospital a Registered Nurse answers any questions you may have about your baby and then does a one-hour class on a topic related to the baby. Some of the classes are: Protecting Your Child in the Summer; Traveling With Your Child; Feeding Your Child; Baby Sign Language, etc. This is an informal class and you are welcome to bring your baby. Babies up to the age of 2 are allowed to attend with you. Older children cannot attend the class. Parishioners who have/are attended/attending are Wairimu Mwaura, Jackie Walker and Debbie Timko. When you enter the hospital ask the information desk where the Mom's Chat is meeting.

Thank You!

Thank You! To all of our teen catechists and volunteers from SMdP and All Saints, for your great work on last weekend's Sisterhood/Brotherhood Retreats: Margaret Lee, Steve and Carma Teasley, Cynthia Blaze, Rocksand Byrd-Rhymes, Toni Massingale, Cecilia Smith-Robertson, Bruce Words, Sr., Sean Lansing, Willie Sykes, Floyd Pham, Kendall Heard and Father John.

God Bless
Carma Lee Teasley

Leroy's Catch

Time: 4:00 p.m.– 8:00 p.m. on Fridays
Date: June 27th
Price: Adults- \$8.00
age 5 to 10 -\$5.00
and under age 5- free.

Leroy will be serving catfish and cod with delicious side dishes. Come enjoy the dinner. Ice cream for dessert included. Remember our hall is handicap accessible. The fish fry is provided by Leroy's Catering. Please support this parish fundraiser.

Mass Intentions

Sunday: Sunday, June 22
 8:00 a.m. For the People (AS)
 10:30 a.m. †Waldemar Thrasher (AS)

Monday: Monday, June 23
 8:30 a.m. Velois Lathon (C)

Tuesday: Tuesday, June 24
 8:30 a.m. William Sims (C)

Wednesday: Wednesday, June 25
 8:30 a.m. Jim Becker (C)

Thursday: Thursday, June 26
 8:30 a.m. Lucinda Adams (C)

Friday: Friday, June 27
 8:30 a.m. Unis Matthews (C)

Saturday: Saturday, June 28
 4:00 p.m. Gloria Mason (C)

Sunday: Sunday, June 29
 8:00 a.m. For the People (AS)
 10:30 a.m. David Xavier (AS)

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



Jerry Adams, Lucinda Adams, Ken and Marge Ameden, Louise Ashley, 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, Robert Owens, Rose Perkins, Lucille Richter, Anita Rooney, Marjorie Schoenauer, 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 † June 15th Contributions

136 Envelopes:	\$ 5,855.25
Offertory:	\$ 300.75
Visitor Contributions:	\$ 95.00
For the Poor:	\$ 72.00
EFT Contributions:	\$ 1,050.00
07 Children's Envelopes:	\$ 15.00
Total	\$ 7,388.00

Unity in Christ Fund for this week ~ \$923.57
 Have you remembered All Saints in your Will?

Sunday, June 22nd Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Mass (AS)
 10:30 a.m. Mass (AS)
 12:30 p.m. Town Hall Meeting (AS)

Monday, June 23rd

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

Tuesday, June 24th

The Nativity of John the Baptist

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)

Wednesday, June 25th

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)
 10:30 a.m. N.A. Meeting (AS)

Thursday, June 26th

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

Friday, June 27th

8:30 a.m. Mass (C)
 4:00 p.m. Leroy's Catch Fish Fry (AS)

Saturday, June 28th

4:00 p.m. Mass (C)

Sunday, June 29th

Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

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 June 22, 2008

Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33
 Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Mt 7:1-5
 Tuesday: **Vigil:** Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17
Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80
 Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Mt 7:15-20
 Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17/Mt 7:21-29
 Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12/Mt 8:1-4
 Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Mt 8:5-17
 Next Sunday: **Vigil:** Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19
Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/
 Mt 16:13-19

Lord, in your great love, answer me.

Psalm 69

