

All Saints Catholic Church

Sunday, March 16, 2008

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

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Milwaukee, WI 53209

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All Saints Meal Program

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

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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,



Today we celebrate Passion (Palm) Sunday. It is the first day of a very holy week. I urge you to be with us for the celebrations on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The schedule is in this bulletin.

We had a Festival of Faith last Saturday. I want to thank the leaders for an impressive job. The Faith Formation Core Team of Sean Lansing, Cecilia Smith-Robertson, Beverly Guy, Marjorie Morgan, Margaret Lee, and Moira Sennett have worked hard to make our Festivals of Faith meaningful for all who attend. We also had Heather Hathaway, Antoine Miller, Laura Lofton, Tonya Johnson join us to give presentations. They did a wonderful job. I am also grateful to Kenneth Walker for making some of the best chili I have ever had. Thanks to Bea Frazier, Doris Cahn, Iesha Frazier and Tina Benson for serving lunch.

Those who attended came away with a much richer understanding of the sacrament of baptism and its power to transform our lives. We will be having another Festival very soon. Watch for details.

My blessings on all of you who have been contributing to our Unity in Christ Fund. Your contribution is so very important to us. Our monthly mortgage is \$9,000. Your faithfulness has made it possible for us to continue to meet our financial obligations. We are also planning to begin to ask members who have not yet committed to the Unity in Christ Fund to do so now. If you are ready to make a pledge, please contact Debbie Timko at the parish office. If you are contributing but have not yet pledged, I thank you for that. Our total pledge is \$404,000.00. We have another \$600,000.00 to go! Every time I come into our renovated church and hall I am grateful to God. It is so beautiful. You can take great pride in helping to make it all possible.

As we enter the holy season of Easter, I would like to ask you to renew your commitment

to the Church. The covenant we are asked to make with each other is to pray daily, to worship together every weekend and to have a specific ministry that helps the poor and lonely. If we keep this covenant, we will be a real Beloved Community.

I hope I see you many times during the coming week. I wish you a blessed and peace-filled Holy Week.

Faithfully,

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

Father Carl Diederichs



A Promise to the Universe

In our faithful listening to God's Word, we often neglect his first word to us---the gift of ourselves to ourselves: our existence, our temperament, our personal history, our uniqueness, our flaws and foibles, our identity. Our very existence is one of the never-to-be-repeated ways God has chosen to express himself in space and time. Because we are made in God's image and likeness, you and I are yet another promise that he has made to the universe that he will continue to love it and care for it.

Brennan Manning

Leroy's Catch

Time: 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. on Fridays

Date: March 28th

**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.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Scrip News

We received a check for \$50.87, dated 2/20/08 From the Roundy's Pick & Save We Care Program. This money is earned when people use their Pick & Save Advantage Card each time they shop--if it is registered for our church. Please ascertain that your card is registered to All Saints Catholic Church (formerly Central City Catholic Churches). Our ID number is 108500. Feel free to call Shirley Browne with questions: 871-7179.

We received \$8.08 from the Burger King (V J Foods) Community Buyback program. To participate, all we have to do is eat at a V J Foods owned BK the third week of each month and save the receipt. We receive 10% of what we spend for All Saints. Feel free to call Shirley Browne with questions: 871-7179.

We are in need of Volunteers

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 (414) 444-5610.

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

Every Third Tuesday we have meatloaf at the Meal Program. We would like volunteers to cook a meatloaf and bring it to the church hall on Tuesday by 4 PM. We also need help with our Food Pantry. The days and hours are as follows

Tuesdays and Fridays from 9:30 AM until 12 PM.

Thank you. We appreciate all of your help.

All Saints Catholic Church Lenten and Holy Week Activities

Holy Thursday

March 20th **NO** morning Mass at Chapel
Mass of the Lord's Supper at 6:00 p.m. (AS)

Good Friday

March 21st **NO** morning Mass at Chapel
Good Friday Liturgy at 6:00 p.m. (AS)
KLPC Good Friday Fish Fry
11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (AS)

Easter Vigil

Saturday, March 22nd 7:30 p.m. (AS)
NO evening Mass at Chapel

Easter Sunday

March 23rd at 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. (AS)

Requesting Email Addresses

Please send us an email to this address so that we can add it to our contacts for your household. The address is allsaints@ameritech.net.

Just a Reminder

We have Mass every Saturday at St. John Chapel at 4:00 p.m. If you cannot attend Mass on Sunday, please consider coming Saturday!

Also, there is **NO** town hall meeting for the month of March. The next meeting will be April 20 at 12:30 p.m. in the church hall.

Franciscan Prayer and Sharing Meeting

Our Secular Franciscan Order (SFO) meetings focus on formless centering or contemplative prayer that brings quiet and peace to mind and body. The sharing part concerns how we can learn to follow Jesus according to the "way" of St. Francis of Assisi.

The next meeting will be held in the narthex of the church from 2:00 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. on Sunday, March 30, 2008. If you want to enrich your prayer life, please join us.

Human Concerns Corner

We have a parishioner who is willing to use her skills to help our members with things they are struggling with. Some of the items include:

- *Worker's Comp Claims
- *Unemployment Claims
- *Job Referrals
- *Child Support Claims
- *Chapter 7 Bankruptcy
- *Help with paperwork on healthcare bills
- *Applying for Foodshare, Medicaid, W2, etc.

Did you know that you could qualify for state Medicaid even if you are receiving Social Security and Medicare if you meet income guidelines? Medicaid will then pay for your prescription drugs and your Medicare deductibles and co-pays.

There is no charge for the help. Please call Fr. Carl at 444-5610 for a referral.

All Saints Fundraising Opportunity

Work the Brewer's Games!

We have an opportunity to raise money for our parish by working the Brewer's baseball games this year. We are looking for volunteers to help with this project. We have to commit to 10 games and have 6 people at each game. The only other requirement is that each volunteer must attend a 2-3 hour training on safe serving of alcohol and customer service.

This is an exciting fundraiser that will provide the church with approximately \$500.00 per event.

If you like baseball, like serving people and want to help the church please contact Debbie Timko at the parish office or at 414-534-0949.

First Reconciliation and First Communion Classes 2nd - 6th grades

2008 Schedule

Saturdays, from 10 :00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

First Reconciliation

March 22nd

Sacrament Service March 29th

First Communion

April 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th

Sacrament Service May 4th
at the 10:30 a.m. Mass

To register or for more information please call the parish office at 444-5610.

Come and Join Us !!

R.C.I.A. Sessions

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

Date: April 10th

Where: All Saints Church

Time: 6:30 p.m.

All are Welcome!

Youth News:

March 26th is our water park outing. We will be hosting another pancake breakfast at All Saints on April 6. Please buy tickets. We will be donating a percentage of the proceeds to Repairers of the Breech and St. Ben's Meal Program.

Mass Intentions

Sunday: Sunday, March 16
 8:00 a.m. †John and †Eva Greiner (AS)
 10:30 a.m. For the People (AS)
Monday: Monday, March 17
 8:30 a.m. For the Poor (C)
Tuesday: Tuesday, March 18
 8:30 a.m. †Madam Georgina F. Quansah (C)
Wednesday: Wednesday, March 19
 8:30 a.m. For All the Single Parents (C)
Thursday: Thursday, March 20
 6:00 p.m. Holy Thursday (AS)
Friday: Friday, March 21
 6:00 p.m. Good Friday Liturgy (AS)
Saturday: Saturday, March 22
 7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil (AS)
Sunday: Sunday, March 23
 8:00 a.m. †Thomas Brown Jr. (AS)
 10:30 a.m. For the People (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, Laura
 Hayward, Jerry Herbstreit, Ernie Herre, Jane
 Kaminsky, Thomas E Ladky, Velois Lathon,
 Gloria Mason, Unis Matthews, Daniel 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 Zinkevcz.

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 † March 9th Contributions

127 Envelopes:	\$ 4,933.25
Offertory:	\$ 277.30
Visitor Contributions:	\$ 80.00
For the Poor:	\$ 708.80
9 Children's Envelopes:	\$ 16.00
Total	\$ 6,015.35

Unity in Christ Fund for this week ~ \$633.07
Have you remembered All Saints in your Will?

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8:00 a.m. Mass (AS)
 10:30 a.m. Mass (AS)
Monday, March 17th
 8:30 a.m. Mass (C)
Tuesday, March 18th
 8:30 a.m. Mass (C)
 6:00 p.m. Prayer and Worship (AS)
Wednesday, March 19th
 8:30 a.m. Mass (C)
 10:30 a.m. N.A. Meeting (AS)
Thursday, March 20th
Holy Thursday
No morning Mass (C)
 6:00 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper (AS)
Friday, March 21st
Good Friday of the Lord's Passion
No morning Mass (C)
 6:00 p.m. Good Friday Liturgy (AS)
Saturday, March 22nd
Holy Saturday
No evening Mass (C)
 7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil (AS)
Sunday, March 23rd
The Resurrection of the Lord
 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 March 16, 2007

Sunday: Mt 21:1-11/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Mt
 26:14--27:66 or 27:11-54
Monday: Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25
Thursday: *Chrism Mass:* Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Rv
 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21
Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex
 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
Friday: Is 52:13-53:12/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/
 Jn 18:1-19:42
Saturday Vigil: Gn 1:1-2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Gn 22:1-18
 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ex 14:15-
 15:1/Is 54:5-14/Is 55:1-11/Bar 3:9-15,
 32-4:4/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Rom 6:3-
 11/Mt 28:1-10
Next Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor
 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10