

**The Weekly Mass Schedule/Calendar
January 17 through January 25, 2008**

01/17/09, Saturday

4:00PM Mass for Lu Bowersox

01/18/09, Sunday,

9:00AM Mass for Glen Daniels

10:00AM RCIA (Marcia Hamilton - The people of God and Jesus Christ)

(11:00AM Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Cole Camp)

7:00PM Life Teen Meets

01/19/09, Monday

No Mass

01/20/09, Tuesday

8:30AM Mass for our country's leaders

1/21/09, Wednesday

(10:00AM Mass at Good Samaritan and other pastoral duties in Cole Camp)

3:30PM Rainbow Colors & Edge Programs

01/22/09, Thursday

No Mass

2:00PM Church Alliance meeting

01/23/09, Friday

8:30AM Mass for Ruth Duritfeh

01/24/09, Saturday

4:00PM Mass for Marge Ordonio

01/25/09, Sunday,

9:00AM Mass for St. Ann & Sts. Peter & Paul parishes

10:00AM RCIA -Early church and History of the Church

(11:00AM Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Cole Camp)

7:00PM Life Teen Meets

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Let us pray for: Maggie Wachter, Jack Baumli, Jack Comer, Georgian Diehl, Leroy Risse, ...and all who suffer physically and mentally.

Thank you, Father!

Thank you for going to St. Andrew's in Tipton, Mo. to have the graveside service for my grandson Justin. It was comforting.

Georgiann Diehl

Thank you,

everyone for your prayers, good thoughts and cards.

Kathy Garcia

Thank you ladies!

Thank you, Altar & Rosary Society for cleaning the kitchen so thoroughly!

Altar & Rosary Society Membership

The Altar & Rosary Society invite all ladies of our parish to join this wonderful organization. They meet the second Wednesday of each month and support our parish throughout the year.

Representatives will be collecting the annual dues (\$5.00) every weekend throughout January.

Parents of Young Children

Our next gathering of Parents of Young Children is Saturday, February 7 after the 4:00PM mass at St. Ann. All parents of children age 6 and under are welcome for pizza and fellowship, and there will be activities for the kids. In case of bad weather, we'll try again the next Saturday.

YESTERDAY, TODAY & TOMORROW:

The Path of St. Paul is the theme for the Evening With the Bishop dinner and auction to support vocations.

Held on Friday, February 20, 2009, Holiday Inn Select in Columbia, it is time to start inviting others to join you at a table of 10. Please contact Jake Seifert in the Stewardship Office at (573) 635-9127 Ext: 202 or at jseifert@diojeffcity.org to purchase tickets or for more information.

Servers Schedule

Saturday, January 24, 2009

4:00PM Andrew Hardey & Gazen Whitestone

Sunday, January 25, 2009

9:00AM Naomi Thomas & Jessica Hansen

Collection for January 10 & 11, 2009

Weekly Operation Budget \$ 3,648.00

This weeks collection \$ 3,486.75

Capital Improvement \$ 275.00

These amounts reflect our **complete** weekly budget and **complete** collection amounts.

Contribution Statements

The yearly Contribution Statements are in the lobby. Please let us know if anything needs to be adjusted.

Thanks, Jeanne

Pro-Life Mass

There will be mass at 6:00PM on Tuesday, January 20, 2009 at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Jefferson City. Please join those going on the Diocesan Pro-Life march at that mass.

On Wednesday, January 21 at 6:00PM, there will be a rosary for life at the St. Peter, Jefferson City Chapel. This will happen at the same time the pro-life march pilgrims are at Mass at the Basilica of the national Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington D.C.

For more information you may contact Rev. Joseph S. Corel by phone at 573-635-9127 or by email at followme@diojeffcity.org.

YOU ARE INVITED TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Have you ever dreamed of traveling to the Holy Land and walking in the footsteps of Jesus? Would you like to see the cave where He was born in Bethlehem, wade in the Jordan river where He was baptized, and take a boat ride across the Sea of Galilee?

Can you imagine yourself walking the Via Dolorosa (the Way of the Cross) in Jerusalem? And then celebrating Mass in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher (the site of the crucifixion) and even entering His empty tomb?

We invite you to join us as we do all of this and more as we pilgrimage to the Holy Land, May 6 - 16th, 2009. Fr. Jim Betzen, C.P.P.S., Pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Sedalia, MO, will be our Spiritual Director. For more information and a free brochure call Mitzi Linsenhardt 660-826-7920 or Kathy Menefee 660-827-2831.

Hats, Coats, Dishes, etc...etc.

Is your household missing items? They may be here in the church! Please take your articles home. Thank you!

Bible Study beginning

Ted Swift will host the new Bible Study, "Gospel According to Mark" beginning on Tuesday, Feb. 3, at 9:00AM. This is a 10 week study.

If you know someone seeking help in dealing with an unplanned pregnancy, please contact:

Birthright of Sedalia, 1810 W 11th St Sedalia, MO 65301 (660) 826-9060

<http://www.birthright.org/htmlpages/index.htm>

All those wishing to make contributions of cash or resources for unwed mothers may do that also.

'Hope Floats' Team has coupon books

Coupon books filled with local discounts are available for \$10.00 through Kay Harding 438-7192 or the church office. Proceeds from this project benefit the American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Benton County.

Notes from Fr. Keith for 1/18/2009

Why reach out to fallen away Catholics? Sometimes we may wonder why we stay, or sometimes we may wonder why anyone would leave. If encountering Christ in the Sacraments is the most important experience we have, why would anyone every walk away from that?

There are many reasons people leave the Church. Some never experienced the depth of what we share, perhaps were Catholic in name only, and didn't realize what they were leaving. Some were gravely wounded, perhaps by a careless comment or action by a priest, religious or parishioner, or perhaps a deeper wound or perceived injustice pushed them away. Some may have found a dead end, feeling unfairly bound or restrained by Faith, not understanding the freedom Christ offers, and sought escape from what they thought was a prison.

It's tough for me to understand why anyone would leave the Church, even though we are far from perfect people, because we share Christ in the most profound way possible. Inviting those who have left, for whatever reason, is creating a space where a hunger for Christ can be recognized, where healing can take place, where the search for wisdom can find it. Like any other ministry in the Church, I think we are called to do this because of who we are and how Christ calls us to life in response to the Gospel.