



SACRED HEART BEAT

May 2012

NEWSLETTER OF SACRED HEART PARISH

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MAY AT A GLANCE

May 1 ~ Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM
May 2 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
May 2 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
May 2 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM, SHS Classroom
May 5 ~ First Communion Breakfast & Practice, 9:30 AM
May 5 ~ Nuns4Fun "Bible Bingo", 7:00 PM, Community Center
May 6 ~ First Communion with the 10:30 AM Mass
May 6 ~ Children's Dismissal @ 10:30 AM Mass
May 6 ~ Parish Outreach Meeting, 11:30 AM
May 9 ~ PSR Closing/Family Night (Gr. K-12) BBQ 6:30 PM
May 9 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM, Parish Office
May 13 ~ Mother's Day
May 15 ~ Finance/Property Meeting, 12:00 Noon
May 16 ~ Adoration, 5:30 PM
May 16 ~ Baccalaureate, 7:00 PM @ Community Center
May 16 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM, Parish Office
May 17 ~ Pastoral Council Meeting, 6:30 PM
May 20 ~ Graduates' Mass, 10:30 AM
May 20 ~ After Mass Luncheon @ Peking Garden
May 28 ~ Parish Office Closed – Memorial Day
May 29 – June 1 ~ Vacation Bible School, 9:00 to 11:30 AM

MARCH FINANCES

INCOME:

Collections	17,608.78
Special Donations	1,262.00
Endowment	
Interest	3.97
Farm	
PSR	
Fundraisers	580.00
Miscellaneous	<u>959.00</u>
TOTAL	\$20,413.75

EXPENSES:

Stewardship	1,511.29
Salaries	11,756.63
Insurance	1,428.00
Utilities	4,347.18
Maintenance	2,089.76
Improvement	
Office	1,676.92
PSR	623.49
Farm	
Miscellaneous	<u>712.75</u>
TOTAL	\$24,146.02



FIRST COMMUNION MAY 6, 2012

On Sunday, May 6th during the 10:30 AM Mass, five children of the parish will be receiving their First Communion: **Brayson Bird, Braden Colglazier, Augusta Hauck, Clayton Kelty, and Jordan Turner.** A special thanks to Emily Bird their Catechist. Many blessings to these children and their families on this special occasion.

GRADUATES' MASS MAY 20, 2012

On Sunday, May 20th we invite our High School graduates of the parish to celebrate their achievements with us at our 10:30 AM Mass. We offer congratulations to and blessings upon: **Brant Colglazier, Dustin Danler, Zachary Houser, Jeret Johnson, Kayla Langdon, Joshua Larsen, Sarah Liston, Michael Orth, Jodie Skelton, Brianne Smith, Danette Unruh, Kevin VonFeldt, and Kale Whetstone** and all in our parish who are graduating this spring. We pray for success and happiness to each of you!



FINANCE/PROPERTY COUNCIL

- ❖ Met April 17th
- ❖ Members present: Bob Haymaker, G.L. VonFeldt, Dennis Wilson, Sharon Larsen, Don Jensen, Leon Sanders, Fr. Warren & Pam Hutfles. Unable to attend: Carol Jacob & Jim Damm.
- ❖ Minutes of the March 20, 2012 meeting were approved.
- ❖ The group reviewed the financial reports for March reflecting \$20,413.75 in income and \$24,146.02 in expenses for a net deficiency of \$3,732.27.
- ❖ Old Business:
 - A. Quotes were received for new office computers. Pam will follow up with the decision reached.
 - B. Pam gave an update on the V. Faye Carpenter Trust money. Two additional expenses were added to the fund giving an ending balance of \$50,096.84.
 - C. Pam reported that the Christian League Basketball Tournament netted a profit of \$3,570.53.
 - D. Following discussion regarding an irrigation system and landscaping for the parish grounds it was decided that Don Jensen will work up a map outlining where the irrigation system would possibly be installed.
- ❖ New Business:
 - A. Pam reported that beginning in May 2012 Tae Kwon Do will no longer be renting the school gym.
- ❖ Next meeting: May 15, 2012 @ 12:00 Noon.

PARISH OUTREACH

- ❖ Met April 1st
- ❖ Members present: Diane Dodez, Connie Mauney, Ann Ellis, Tammy Cloninger, Brian Haberman. Unable to attend: Don Kazmaier, Joy Schmidt & Fr. Warren.
- ❖ The meeting opened with prayer.
- ❖ Assigned duties for each member for "Bible Bingo" Event.
- ❖ Discussed gifts to be given for Mother's & Father's Day.
- ❖ Discussed gift ideas to give to our catechists and youth ministers in appreciation for their ministry.
- ❖ Next meeting: May 6, 2012 @ 11:30 AM

ADULT RELIGIOUS FORMATION TEAM

- ❖ Met April 10th
- ❖ Members: Sr. Irene, Sr. Rebecca, Fr. Warren, Diane Dodez, Regis Lopata. Unable to attend: Lynne Eck, Elaine Coulson.
- ❖ The minutes of the February 21, 2012 meeting were approved.
- ❖ Team members reviewed the presentation of the video on Reconciliation shown during Lent. The team also reviewed our faith-sharing sessions during Lent, using the "Disciples on the Journey" booklets. They will consider using the same program for faith-sharing sessions for the parish next year in Lent.
- ❖ The team members reviewed the charter that had been developed with Fr. Bernard Felix when he appointed this team. The team has completed some, but not all of the expected outcomes that were listed in our charter.
- ❖ The theme for the April 18th Adoration will be on vocations.
- ❖ There was considerable discussion regarding the possibility of having a parish mission or some type of speaker for the parish in the future. No specific decisions were made at this time.
- ❖ Next meeting June 12, 2012 @ 7:00 PM



PSR NEWS



I have a soft spot for kids and lemonade or Kool-Aid stands. It's fun to see them working together mixing & pouring, serving & spilling, or drinking more than they sell. The luke-warm drink (cuz the ice is in the cup, not in the pitcher) sometimes tastes just right, but more often is a little watered down. No matter what though I try to always buy a lot or pay more than they are asking cuz gosh...it's the effort that counts!!

God does that for us you know. He smiles as we go about our lives and never complains about when we goof up or about what we give Him to "taste." And He always supports us with more than we need!

I look back on this past PSR year and think of the kids in our program. Kind of like the lemonade stands there has been a lot of effort put into this endeavor. Our kids have profited in so many ways! Yes, there were ups and downs – sometimes luke-warm responses to the lessons or talking more about their day than the lesson at hand. But oh, were there smiles & giggles contagious and their peculiar responses certainly made us thank God for patience, but it was the effort that counts...right? The catechists pushed forward, allowing the interruptions...supporting the curiosity with life stories of their own and those of Jesus. Thank you for our "customers" (catechists, Fr. Warren, families & parish) for always giving more than what was needed!

Fifth-eighth grade summer camp registrations are due May 2nd. First Communion is May 6th. Our PSR classes will end May 9th with a family BBQ at 6:30 PM. Senior Sunday will be May 20th. If any adults would like to volunteer for the summer months for Sunday preschool dismissal please let me know. Otherwise it will end May 6th.

God Bless!

Brenda Johnson, DRE



BLESSING OF SOIL & SEEDS

In observance of the feast day (May 15) of St. Isidore the Patron Saint of Farmers we will again have the blessing of soil and seeds. Please watch the bulletin for further details.

May Birthdays

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| (01) Mary Ann Haynes | (21) Julie Schartz |
| (02) Darlene Fox | (22) Dr. Bill Brenner |
| (03) Camden Bird | Joe Garcia |
| Sue Hickel | Dallas Munden |
| Caden Kelty | Justin Smith |
| Trenton Wright | (23) Rebecca Hulsey |
| (04) Stephen Schartz | Darlene Orth |
| (05) Jo Molleker | Ralph Streit |
| (06) Rita Schaller | G.L. VonFeldt |
| (07) Scott Burd | (24) Jeanette Johnson |
| Ann Ellis | (25) Megan Hall |
| Faith Kelty | Gary Hulsey |
| (08) Roberta Grant | Jerry Johnson |
| Todd Keenan | Bodie Millan |
| (09) Isabella Bailey | Caleb Sanger |
| (11) Kristen Snodgrass | (26) Faye Hogan |
| (12) Clint Millan | (27) Anthony Sell |
| Jordan Turner | (28) Kylee Reece |
| (13) Tammy Cloninger | Khloe Smith |
| Robert Lemuz | (29) Lonnie Fehrenbacher |
| (14) Braden Colglazier | (30) Shawn Couch |
| Larry Skelton | Mary Kerns |
| Colton Turner | Brenda Langdon |
| (16) Nina Barker | (31) Maggie Butler |
| William Brennan | Jenae Skelton |
| (17) Bailey Schartz | Brianne Smith |
| Tyler Smith | Lauryn Snodgrass |
| (18) Theresa Kreutzer | |
| Kasie Rector | |
| (20) Julie Snyder | |



May Anniversaries

- (10) Jim and Judy Damm
- (11) Leonard and Agnes Finger
- (14) Phil and Becky Martin
- (15) Joe and Julie Schartz
- (18) George and Evelyn Youngers
- (22) Bud and Brenda Johnson
- Jeff and Lucy Sickles
- (23) Charlie and Linda Befort
- (24) Mike and Julie Martel
- (25) Scott and Beverly Burd
- (26) Steve and Terry Martin
- (29) Norman and Karen Kuntz
- (30) Dustin and Ally Turner
- (31) Roger and Dee Myers

If your birthday or anniversary is not listed, call 285-2035. We want to include everyone.



Parish Elections

Parish elections for council/committees will take place in June. If you are interested in serving on any council/committee, please contact Pam at the parish office or any Pastoral Council member with your request. Please consider serving on one of the following:

Pastoral Council

Liturgy Committee

Endowment Board

Outreach Committee



CONGRATULATIONS!

Leonard & Agnes Finger ~ married 64 years
George & Evelyn Youngers ~ married 63 years



DIED IN CHRIST

Agnes Ohnmacht ~ March 31, 2012



UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Joel Kelty & Morgan Riedl

April 21, 2012

BAPTIZED IN CHRIST

Alexauna Rae, the daughter of
Bradley & Layla (Perez) Nightingale
April 28, 2012



Celebrating 100 years ~ 1912-2012 *Dates to Remember*

Saturday, June 2nd – The Saturday evening Mass will be celebrated at Fort Larned National Historic Site at 5:30 PM
Sunday, October 28th – Centennial Celebration

KNIGHTS MAY EVENTS

May 1 Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM
May 19 . . . Graduation Reception (R)
May 26 . . . Class Reunion (G)

Remember with Prayer

Roberta Strobel
Marjorie Vratil
Lucille Fox
Mary Schartz
Curtis Smith
Armella Dechant
Calvin Blattner
Grace Perez
Phyllis Neidig
Kindra Perez
Ed Haremza
Jayden Waller



Elora Robinson
Grace Sloan
Roberta Grant
Pat Thompson
Georgia Bauer
Tyson Sanders
Mickey Perez
Clayton Kelty
Sr. Mary Ann Klein
Elsie Jones
Joyce Greathouse

All of our men and women serving in the
United States military



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**Sacred Heart Parish, United Methodist Church &
the Presbyterian Church**

Presents

Sonlight Express Vacation Bible School

For children in grades K-4

When: May 29 – June 1

Where: Methodist Church, 701 Main Street

Time: 9:00 to 11:30 AM

Games, Crafts, Music, Bible Lessons & Snacks