

O.L.F. Year For The Eucharist June 20, 2010 - June 19, 2011

Mon. 9/13 victims of Cancer
 Feast St. John Chrysostom, bp, doc of Church
 8:00 AM Mass Al Sienkeiwicz, M/M Tim Sheehan

Tues. 9/14 victims of Cardiovascular Disease
 Feast Exaltation of the Holy Cross
 8:00 AM Mass Don Shuma, Joe & Jonathyn Crossman

Wed. 9/15 victims of Arthritis
 Feast Our Lady of Sorrows
 8:00 AM Mass Denise Keagy, Mrs. Marjorie Andrews

Thur. 9/16 victims of Neuromuscular Disorders
 Feast St. Cornelius, pope & martyr
 8:00 AM Mass Sally Colledge, Children

Fri. 9/17 victims of Emotional Disorders
 Feast St. Robert Bellarmine, bp, doc of Church
 8:00 AM Mass Frances Kasun, Bea Silveri

Sat. 9/18 victims of Diabetes and Obesity
 Feast Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:30 PM Mass Debbie Shuma, b-day, Mother & Family

Sun. 9/19 victims of Addictions and Obesity
 Feast Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:00 AM Mass Al Sienkiewicz, M/M Charles Hennigan
 11:00 AM Mass Clair G. Hoover, Mary Bettwy

MONEY MATTERS

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 5, 2010
 242 people Celebrated Liturgy at O.L.F. contributing \$2,164.31
 of which \$207.01 accounted for visitor contributions.
 # Envelopes In Circulation 224 # Used 96 # Unused 128
Contributions to date for Theresa McCall = \$1205.00

O.L.F. ACA Goal = \$12,830

Pledged to date = \$11,586



MASS OF THANKSGIVING

Bishop Joseph will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving on September 12, 2010, at 4:00 p.m., at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona. All are welcome to participate as the Bishop offers praise and glory to God for the recent milestones in his life, including the 50th anniversary of his Priestly Ordination and his recent 75th birthday, which occasioned his tendering his resignation to be acted upon by the Holy Father.

A Lingerin Voice

Listed below are the names of deceased persons whom our parishioners have requested be remembered in our daily prayers.

Frances D. Kasun Husband & Sons	Herbert E. Summers, Sr. Herbert E. Summers Jr.	Theresa M. Bruno Tony, MaryAnn & Anthony	M/M Austin Weakland Bernadette Weakland	Shirley A. Smithmyer Friend
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To: Pastors
From: Chris Ringkamp, Director of Development
Re: Special Collection for Diocesan Priests' Medical Care/Retirement
 Since September 2005, the Faithful of our Diocesan Church have given \$275,000 through a special annual collection to offset the medical insurance and retirement expenses of both active and senior Diocesan priests. This year, the collection is scheduled to occur on Sunday, September 26.

A Lifetime of Service, A Moment of Thanks

We will take up a special collection to help subsidize medical insurance and retirement expenses for our active and senior Diocesan priests. While parishes subsidize these expenses already, the increases in health care and retirement continue to exceed the current level of funding. To make a gift in gratitude for all priests who serve our Church, please use the special envelope you will receive next week. Thank you for your generosity and concern for me and my brother priests!

What the Catechism of the Catholic Church says about **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** *Outside of Mass*

1417 The Church warmly recommends that the faithful receive Holy Communion when they participate in the celebration of the Eucharist; she obliges them to do so at least once a year.

1418 Because Christ himself is present in the sacrament of the altar, he is to be honored with the worship of adoration. **"To visit the Blessed Sacrament is . . . a proof of gratitude, an expression of love, and a duty of adoration toward Christ our Lord"** (Paul VI, *MF 66*).

1419 Having passed from this world to the Father, Christ gives us in the Eucharist the pledge of glory with him. Participation in the Holy Sacrifice identifies us with his Heart, sustains our strength along the pilgrimage of this life, makes us long for eternal life, and unites us even now to the Church in heaven, the Blessed Virgin Mary, and all the saints.

1378 *Worship of the Eucharist.* In the liturgy of the Mass we express our faith in the real presence of Christ under the species of bread and wine by, among other ways, genuflecting or bowing deeply as a sign of adoration of the Lord. **"The Catholic Church has always offered and still offers to the sacrament of the Eucharist the cult of adoration, not only during Mass, but also outside of it, reserving the consecrated hosts with the utmost care, exposing them to the solemn veneration of the faithful, and carrying them in procession."**

1379 The tabernacle was first intended for the reservation of the Eucharist in a worthy place so that it could be brought to the sick and those absent outside of Mass. As faith in the real presence of Christ in his Eucharist deepened, the Church became conscious of the meaning of silent adoration of the Lord present under the Eucharistic species. It is for this reason that the tabernacle should be located in an especially worthy place in the church and should be constructed in such a way that it emphasizes and manifests the truth of the real presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.

1380 It is highly fitting that Christ should have wanted to remain present to his Church in this unique way. Since Christ was about to take his departure from his own in his visible form, he wanted to give us his sacramental presence; since he was about to offer himself on the cross to save us, he wanted us to have the memorial of the love with which he loved us to the end, even to the giving of his life. In his Eucharistic presence he remains mysteriously in our midst as the one who loved us and gave himself up for us, and he remains under signs that express and communicate this love. The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease.

MK 14:37 When he returned he found them asleep. He said to Peter, "Simon, are you asleep? Could you not keep watch for one hour?"

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