



SYMPATHY

Please remember in your prayers **Frank Worthington**, husband of Laura Worthington. The Memorial Service for Frank will be Friday, **January 20th at 11:00am** here at St. Patrick Church. May we remember those families and friends who have gone before us marked with this sign of faith. May they enjoy the fullness of God's love.

THANK YOU

Thank you Monsignor Dennis O'Donovan and Fr. Bob Barricks for being our presiders this weekend. We loved having you with us.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

The Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) follows the Holy Father's direction that we make good use of our digital presence in the world by making it easy to access the important ideals of the Catholic faith online and through television, radio, and print media. Please be generous in this week's Collection and support this important work. Remember, half of your donations stay in our Archdiocese to support our communication needs.

MASS AT HOPE VILLAGE

The Mass for Hope Village has been scheduled for Wednesday, **January 18 at 10:30a.m** and is held in the library of the Assisted Living portion of the facility. This is a great way to show our continued love, support and connection with the many members of our parish community who may not be able to celebrate the Sunday Mass with us. All are welcome. Visitors are asked to park on the side and back parking lots.

WINTER BAPTISMAL PREP

New parents who wish to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism with their child are required to attend a 2 session class on Baptism. Baptismal preparation classes are Tuesday, **January 24** and Tuesday, **January 31, 2011** in the Parish Center (7:00p.m.) . For more information please contact the Parish Office at 503-266-9411.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Each Thursday from 12:00pm-8:00pm. Come sit a while to pray, say the Rosary, meditate or read the scriptures. Stay for an hour or a few minutes depending upon your schedule. This will be the best part of your day!

PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office and the Pastoral Center will be closed on Monday, **January 16th** for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

REFLECTING ON THE GOSPEL

Every parent in the whole wide world wishes that their children would come promptly the first time they are called. Oh, yes, children hear the call-but they have to finish the computer game, they want just a few more minutes with their friends or toys, or they need to text a few more messages. The longer the youngsters tarry, the more persistent becomes the parent's call, and usually the louder the voice becomes. In the end, sometimes the

parent ends up going to the youngster and grabbing him or her, and pulling the child along. Too



often calling isn't enough to change us; we need a personal touch, a personal nudge, a person encounter. In this Sunday's gospel the call to Jesus' disciples comes in the form of personal encounter too. The encounter with Jesus changed the disciples' direction in life because it changed their allegiance. One cannot follow without an encounter; one cannot be a disciple who announces the Good News of the Messiah's presence without allegiance. How quickly Andrew transferred his allegiance from being a disciple of John to being a disciple of Jesus! The instant John pointed Jesus out as the "Lamb of God," Andrew followed Jesus. This encounter with Jesus was so powerful that Andrew immediately went to find his brother Peter, announced he had found the Messiah, and brought Peter to Jesus. Andrew was doing what John was doing: both John and Andrew point to Jesus and lead others to encounter him. Encounter elicits allegiance and allegiance generates action. How often do we misunderstand the Lord's call or need someone to point Jesus out to us? Following Jesus means that we must persist in listening for the call. Samuel at first misunderstood God's call, because he 'was not familiar with the Lord.'" To hear the call, we must develop an intimate relationship with Jesus. Then we must act from this relationship. Disciples are those who carry Jesus' presence and Good News to all they meet. Disciples are those who point out the "Lamb of God" with such conviction and allegiance that others are moved to encounter, follow, and take up the same allegiance. Living Liturgy - Year B

CONGRATULATIONS CANBY COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The St. Patrick Council of the Knights of Columbus is celebrating 60 years as a council! Please take a moment to offer your congratulations and thanks to your favorite Knight for all the good work they do for our church community and for the witness and spread of the Gospel through service to others.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AUCTION NEWS:

GET YOUR TICKETS NOW FOR THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CRAB DINNER AND AUCTION

Tickets for the Knights of Columbus Crab Dinner and Charity Auction fundraiser on **February 4th** are still available. But please don't hesitate to get yours. Tickets are \$35. All money raised goes to our parish and local charities. **The theme this year is "Swinging Through the Sixties". There will be 60's decor, 60's music and even some people will dress up in attire from the 60's!!** The location of the event will be the main pavilion building at the Clackamas County Fairgrounds. Doors open at 4:30pm. Silent Auction 4:30-6:30pm, Dinner 6:45-8:00pm and Oral Auction 8:00-9:30pm You can reserve a table for 8 people for \$25, but you must also buy 8 tickets at the same time. Tickets are sold at the weekend Masses, or you can contact Duane Kloser at 503-913-2895. We are always looking for additional auction items. If you have something that you would like to donate, please contact Steve Heli at 503-263-3840.



AUCTION

YOU COULD WIN A BIG TV, A SHOPPING SPREE OR. . . .

The Knights are also selling raffle tickets for \$10 as part of their fundraising. First prize is a 50 inch Panasonic HDTV. Second prize is a Three Minute Shopping Spree plus Meat Run at Cutsforth Thriftway. Third prize is a Full Color Kindle Fire. You cannot win if you don't buy a ticket! Drawing will occur on Feb. 4, 2012.

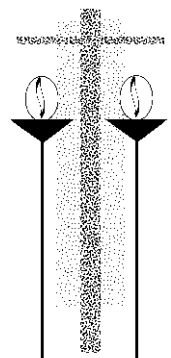
REQUEST FOR THEMED AUCTION BASKETS

The Knights are asking parishioners to again volunteer to create themed baskets for their Charitable Auction. These baskets are very popular each year. Please see one of the Knights in the back of the church after Mass **TODAY**. They have a list of basket theme ideas you can choose from. They ask that you choose a theme today and record it on their sign up sheet. Then return the completed basket by Sunday, **January 22**. If you have any questions, contact Paul Crawford at 503-266-6149.

LIVING THE PASCHAL MYSTERY

As baptized Christians, our basic call is to follow Jesus by living the paschal mystery. By paschal mystery, we refer to Christ's own dying and rising as well as to our own daily dying to self and rising with Christ. To answer our baptismal call is to embrace this mystery, enter into a more profound relationship with Jesus, and express our new identity and allegiance through all our daily actions. Fidelity to our baptismal call makes a difference in how we live.

Really, two challenges present themselves here. First, to know Jesus well enough to hear the call and faithfully follow in Jesus' footsteps of dying and rising. Second, to see this dying and rising in all the ordinary, "un-divine" circumstances of life. For example, money may be tight for the family. This means that everyone must "die" to their wants and make do with less. But it can also mean that the family must take time to talk together, work things out, and perhaps spend more time together, which can lead to the "rising" of a new family life of stronger relationships. Hearing the call is seeing through the little deaths we meet every day to the opportunities for new life that are always offered.



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Parish Happenings

January 15-21, 2012

Sunday

9:45am REP 4yr-5th Gr.
11:00am Nursery
3:00pm Baptismal prep class
3:00pm Sacramental Prep
5:00pm Bible Study

Monday

9:15am Bible Study
6:00pm Intercessory Pr.
7:00pm Charismatic Pr.

Tuesday

7:00pm Tuesday evening Mass
7:00pm Hispanic Prayer choir pr.
7:00pm Knights of Columbus

Wednesday

10:30am Mass at Hope Village
7:00pm Journey in Faith, Youth in Action, Confirmation prep, Confirmed and Growing, RCIA

Thursday

12:00pm Eucharistic Ad.
6:30pm Religious Education -Spanish
7:00pm Bible Study
8:00pm Benediction

Friday

7:00am Marian Prayer Gr.
7:00pm Hispanic Pr. Gr.

Saturday

1:00pm First Reconciliation [English]
5:00pm Music Prep [Hispanic comm]

PARISH NEWS

OUR PRIVILEGE, OUR RIGHT, AND OUR DUTY

As it is written 'even if these forget, yet I will not forget you.' (Is 49:15):

We in the Catholic Church in the Community of St.

Patrick remember, hold in our memory, and pray for the men and women who serve in the Armed Forces especially: *Cody Amick,*

Ryan Thomas Blackwood, Ryan

Bridges, Aaron Burch, Isaiah

Creel, Tanner Cushing, David

Davis, Loyd Davis, Kenny Doleac,

Brad Dunn, Bill Ellis, Adam

Ferrell, David Hannon, Joe Hauck, April Kennedy,

Patrick Kirsch, Mike Krzmarzick, Sarah Losson,

William Losson, Johnny Lugo, Adam Lulay, Alonzo

Maronilla, Jordan Martinez, Jordan Morelli, Joey

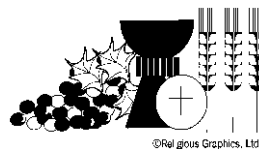
Nikkirk, Daniel Olsen, Keith Schantin, Matthew

Schmader, Kristian Spencer, Tarl Spencer, John

Suchanek, Brian Thomas, CJ Trillo, William Walsh,

Ivan Wilson. May they be servants of Christ through

service to those in need, and may they be kept safe from all harm.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

January 17-22 2012

Tuesday, January 17, 2012

Intention of the parishioners

Wednesday, January 18, 2012

Special Intention for Larry Shelton by Clair & Pat Kuppenbender

Thursday, January 19, 2012

+Joan Reilly by Michael Reilly

Friday, January 20, 2012

+Eileen Hilgren by Donna Reeder

Saturday, January 21, 2012

5:30p.m. Intention of the parishioners

Sunday, January 22, 2012

8:30am +Pfc Matthew Colin by Dawson family

11:00am Intention of the parishioners

4:00pm Intention of the parishioners

PARISH SUPPORT - January 8, 2012

Funds collected for others:

Cemetery: \$5.00

St. Vincent de Paul \$35.00

Total \$40.00

Collection-Parish Operating Expenses:

Envelopes? \$9883.00

Loose \$484.56

Children's \$1.00

Poor \$26.00

Unemployment \$177.00

Building Fund \$

Total \$10,571.56

RACKLEFF PLACE

Rackleff Place Assisted Living has two apartments that have just opened up. They will have new carpet and new paint. If you or someone you know is seeking assisted living in a small community close to shopping and church, give Nicki Harold a call at 503-266-9555.

DRIVERS NEEDED

St. Vincent dePaul Food Bank is still in need of 2 drivers just **one Wednesday a month**. Please contact Karen Sadoff if you can help. (503)-266-9416

COOKBOOK

St. Patrick Women's Club is collecting recipes for a new parish cookbook! We are looking for your favorite recipes-new or traditional, comfort food to holiday fare, breakfast to dessert, and everything in between! You can submit your favorite recipes to stpatcookbook@gmail.com for inclusion in the cookbook. Please make sure that the instruction and any notes are in your own words so as to not violate copyright laws.

NOTICE FROM OREGON RIGHT TO LIFE

Sunday, January 22, 2012

Rally: 2:30-3:30pm with Memorial Walk to Follow
Pioneer Courthouse Square, Portland

Archbishop Vlasny has been one of the speakers in the past. Since the US Supreme Court's Roe v Wade ruling in January 1973, more than 54 million babies have been lost to abortion. These innocent little ones received no funeral or burial, yet their shortened lives are precious and they deserve to be remembered. Please join us Sunday, January 22 at Portland Pioneer Courthouse Square from 2:30-3:30pm as we honor their memories and call upon our nation and its leaders to give children the protection they deserve. www.portlandproliferally.org or call 503-463-8563.

Religious Education News

EPIPHANY PLAY

Thanks to all our elementary students who participated in this year's Epiphany Play. You did a terrific job with the performance! We would like to thank Lora Heli for leading the music for the play, and to Chris Phan for helping with practices and organizing the children. A special thank you to Adriana Baurer and Sydney Baurer, for all the work and hours they gave to make this play possible. For the past several years, Adriana has used her gifts and talents to lead, organize and write the Christmas Plays for our religious education program. Thank you so much Adriana. We appreciate all your hard work!

WE HAVE A WINNER

We would like to say thank you to our Second Grade Elementary class here at St. Patrick for entering in the Catholic Charities Annual Christmas Card Contest. The Christmas cards that each one of you made were beautiful! We are pleased to say that Haven Tamimi won an Honorable Mention for this year's contest and was awarded a \$15 Fred Meyer gift certificate. Great job kids!

FIRST RECONCILIATION

Please keep in prayer the following students as they prepare to make their First Reconciliation next weekend: Katie Anderson, Titus Baurer, Kody Giger, Grace Cacka, Anthony Cacka, Robert Cacka, Cobie Daly, Mitchell Doubrava, Zach Goldbeck, Lee Hepler, Sydney Marsh, Ahna Petersen, Sophia Reed, Haven Tamimi and Gonzalo Rodriguez.

First Reconciliation will take place on Saturday, **January 21st at 1:00p.m.** Please arrive no later than 12:45pm and remember to bring the following items: Baptismal Candle, decorated red hearts, and cameras.

I have waited, waited for the Lord,
and he stooped toward me
and heard my cry.
Psalm 40:2

EVENTS AROUND THE AREA:

CANBY ADULT CENTER NEWS FLASH

If you are 55+ years old and want to share your experience and compassion-you have what it takes to be a Senior Companion. By becoming a companion to a frail individual, you help that person stay in their own home. Activities can include helping with errands, appointments or just a friendly visit. Senior Companions serve up to 40 hours a week. Some volunteers may qualify to earn a tax free hourly stipend. If you would like more information, please contact Wendy May at 503-266-2970.

Substitute Meals on Wheels drivers needed.

This is a very unique opportunity that works with your schedule. Call Bev Vandecouvering for further details.

Bingo Every Tuesday!

Join us, sign doors open at 12:00pm and games start promptly at 1:00pm. Regular packets-\$6.00 & Special Packets-\$4.00. We are looking for players and volunteers. For more information on Bingo opportunities, contact Linda Brooks, Kathy Robinson or Sherley Rasmussen.

SHALOM PRAYER CENTER PRESENTS:

The Shalom Prayer Center in Mt. Angel will offer two February workshops for individuals of or nearing retirement age:

February 10: *Aging with Grace in a World of Wonder*, a faith based workshop for exploring passionate purpose in later life. 9:30am - 3:30pm. Cost is \$45, \$25 deposit; bring a lunch or buy lunch for \$6.50. Register by February 9. Early registration special: \$30. Register by January 26. Registration forms available in the Parish Office.

Shalom Prayer Center

840 S. Main St.

Mt. Angel, OR 97363 503-845-6773 or

www.benedictine-srs.org/shalom or shalom@mtangel.net

February 11: *Exploring Your Calling, Enriching Your Career*, a workshop for people in or approaching retirement years, who desire to pursue meaningful work paid or unpaid. 9:30-3:30pm. Cost is \$45, \$25 deposit; bring a lunch or buy lunch for \$6.50. Register by February 9th. Early registration special: \$30. Register by January 26. Registration forms available in the Parish Office.

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