


Dear Friends,

I know I wrote about it last week, but I feel it really bears repeating this weekend. The 25th Annual Garage Sale at St. Mary's will be held on July 16th & 17th! So be sure to use this week to get all the stuff you want cleared out of the house. I have to say I am always impressed by the things that end up at this sale; the adage of "one's person's trash is another person's treasure" really rings true. In the years that I have been here I cannot remember not walking away without some small treasure that I have delighted in finding. So don't forget to earmark the dates to check out what can be found at St. Mary's Garage Sale!

There are still some openings at both Vacation Bible Camps that are coming up soon so if you haven't registered your children (or grandchildren), I hope you will consider it. There are scholarships available if you need it. And the kids always have a great time. And besides, the theme for this year is Superheroes and who wouldn't want to meet a superhero at least once in your life, right?

God bless,
Fr. John

SAVE THE DATE: The Annual Parish Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 29th. Keep checking the bulletin and website for more details!!



Please pray for these couples as they begin their lives together through the Sacrament of Marriage:

Banns III: Shanna Prol & Ben Mueggenberger (7/17/2010)

Banns II—Catie Craig & Matt Kaminske (7/24/201)

Save the Date:

St. Mary's Parish Breakfast will be held on Sunday, August 15th following the 8:30 am Mass. More information to come!

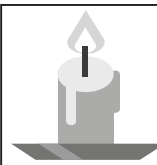
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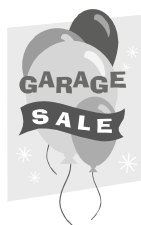
Great needs remain in the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Some parishes still need a proper place to celebrate Mass; some dioceses cannot maintain necessary social and charitable works; most cannot support basic pastoral work. Today, we ask you to donate generously to the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe (Emerging Churches). Give faith to the future!

Low gluten hosts are now available! Celiac disease affects as many as one out of every 133 people. Those suffering from this condition cannot ingest any gluten, a protein found in wheat. Eating gluten causes intestinal damage and can lead to many secondary illnesses. If you or a family member would benefit from a low gluten host at the celebration of the Eucharist, please contact either the St. Mary's (229-5007) or St. Matthew Parish Office (346-3815). You will be taught the procedure for receiving a low gluten host at the time of communion.

This host has been approved by the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith. The development of low gluten hosts that could be approved by the Congregation for the Doctrine of Faith was a long process. If you are interested in the fascinating story, go to: www.benedictinesisters.org



The Holy Family Candle at St. Matthew Church burns this week (7/11/2010-7/17/2010) in memory of Dave Connor (requested by Chris Finocchario)



This is it!

It's almost time for St. Mary's 25th Annual Garage Sale! The success of this sale depends on the helping hands of many. Please show your support and help us have a GREAT Garage Sale!!

The drop off times are as follows:

Monday, July 12	4pm - 7pm
Tuesday, July 13	4pm - 7pm
Wednesday, July 14	4pm - 7pm

Garage Sale Times:

Friday, July 16	9am - 3pm
Saturday, July 17	9am - 3pm

Spread the word and come to the sale. There is something for everyone! We will also be selling hot dogs, drinks and baked goods!!

Items that will not be accepted: bowling balls, hazardous materials, tires, food, gasoline cans, knives, guns, paints, textbooks, encyclopedias, alcohol, car seats, TV sets, computers, monitors, printers.

For special arrangements call Joe Bader at 367-8125 or Bill McGeary at 229-4695.

**Save the dates
for Vacation Bible Camp**
St. Matthew—July 12-16
St. Mary's—August 2-6

Absolute Registration deadlines:
July 19, 2010 for St. Mary's

Readings, Gospel and Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 10

Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

5 p.m. (St. Matthew) Mena Mangano (Ray & Nancy White)

Sunday, July 11 –15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

8:30 a.m. (St. Mary's) The People of the Faith Community

10:30 a.m. (St. Matthew) James S. Szczesniak (Family)

Monday, July 12

Is 1:10-17/Mt 10:34---11:1

9 a.m. (St. Mary's) Dolores Schreckenberger (Lou & Family)

Tuesday, July 13—St. Henry

Is 7:1-9/Mt 11:20-24

9 a.m. (St. Matthew) Ed Miller (Ray & Nancy White)

Wednesday, July 14—Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha

Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Mt 11:25-27

9 a.m. (St. Mary's) Bill Guminski (Joe Kwiatkowski)

Thursday, July 15—St. Bonaventure

Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Mt 11:28-30

9 am (St. Matthew) Pierce Schwendy (LCS Kitchen Girls)

Friday, July 16—Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Mt 12:1-8

(St. Matthew) Joseph & Margaret Cicero (Family)

Saturday, July 17

Gn 18:1-10a/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

5 p.m. (St. Matthew) In Celebration of Don & Jane

Windsor's 60th Wedding Anniversary (Family)

Sunday, July 18—16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Gn 18:1-10a/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

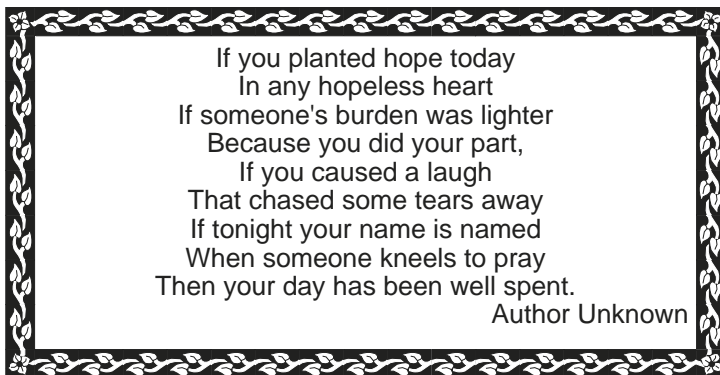
8:30 a.m. (St. Mary's) Clint Gotham (Wife & Family)

10:30 a.m. (St. Matthew) Linda Murphy (Dave & MaryJo Dussault)

If a funeral is scheduled for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday, there will be NO daily Mass. As long as Fr. Schifferli is willing and able, there will be daily Mass on Thursdays whether a funeral is scheduled that day or not.

Sunday Offering - Thank you for your gifts to God!

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The Livonia Rotary supplies medical equipment for those in the community who have a temporary need. If you have any unused medical equipment stored in a closet or attic, consider sharing it with those in need. Call Cal Lathan at 346-5519 to make a donation.



Prayer for Servicemen & Women

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

In acknowledgement of and with thanks to the military service people from our families

Sgt. 1st Class Jacob Allison, Gunnery Sgt. Robert Beauchamp, Capts. Brian & Maria Beecher, Gunnery Sgt. Roy Beecher, T Sgt. Daniel Beecher, SPC Joshua Beecher, S. Sgt. Ryan Beikirch, PFC Steven Bland, HN Adam Bock, George Boyd, Nicholas Buker, SSGs Ramiro & Melanie Carrasco, Major Alanna (Parrinello) Cook, Lt. Colonel Steven Cook, PFC Jaimeson Coons; Sgt. Scott Cunningham, LCDR Jeff Czerewko, POFC Kevin DeCillis, Spc. David Dumont, AGs Patrick & Diane Gagle, Capt. Levi Gangi, Brig. Gen. Walter M. Golden Jr., SPC Peter Gommel, CDR Jack F. Greco, Nathan Gutridge, Emily Hill, Fred Hill, Jeffrey Holevinski, SSG. Edward Hynes, SSG Jason Junot, AR Samantha Knapp, PFC Stephen Knapp, Sgt. Mario Kovach, Nicholas Krenzer, CMDR Matt McGlynn, Lt. Col. Stephen P. Melroy, Sgt. Richard Miller, Ryan Mothorpe, Major Jeffrey B. Murphy, Sgt. Dustin Newman, Frankie Parra E6 Sgt., Lt. Raymond Paul, Jon Quint, Staff Sergeant 1st Class Phil Ranck, Cpt. Michael S. Redman, IT3 Christopher Redman, Lt. Col. Gregory Reese, 1st Lt. John Rossiter, Gerald Ruf, Airman 1st Class Kenneth A. Shelton, Lt. John T. Slagle, LCPL Brian Smith, Sr. Airman Josh Smith, 1st Lt 101st Airborne Ryan Stewart, Christopher Taber, Casey Tice, William Tice, Capt. Robert S. Tompkins, Private Brandon Tuttle, Sr. Chief Petty Officer Dean Vanderbush, Sgt. Natasha Woodburn, Sgt. Aaron Woodburn, PFC Justin Woodburn, Doug Young

Please keep them in your prayers!



**New Date for
St. Mary's Annual Garage Sale
July 16 & 17**

Confirmation 2010

The date for this year's confirmation is Wednesday, November 10th.

For more information, call Erin Ebersold (346-0428) or Courtney Crabb (229-5007).



Are you ready to take the next step in your education? Are you ready to discover more about your faith and become a leading voice in the Church? Now is the time to plan your fall with St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry. We offer flexible class schedules that work with your life and financial aid packages that will help you achieve your goals. Call Laura Smith, Director of Admissions and Financial Aid for more information at 585-271-3657 x289 or email Admissions@stbernards.edu.



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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

One of the classic images in a catalogue of stained glass art is that of the good Samaritan. Along with the prodigal son, and Jesus blessing the children, the good Samaritan is one of the most commonly reproduced artistic scenes. Within 125 years of the first printed English Bibles the term "good Samaritan" came to have the figurative sense referring to anyone who helped a stranger in distress. Interestingly, the biblical text never uses the word "good" to describe the Samaritan. He is referred to as "neighbor" to the man who fell victim to robbers. Yet if someone refers to a person as a good Samaritan, we know instantly what is meant.

As we've all heard before, Samaritans were considered outcasts by Jews at the time of Jesus. Because they worshipped on Mt. Gerizim rather than in Jerusalem there were tensions between Jews and Samaritans that even escalated to violence that had to be quelled by the Roman occupiers. So it was a very pretty picture when the lawyer who questioned Jesus finds himself having to admit that it was the Samaritan who treated the robbers' victim with mercy.

What is our own understanding of who is our neighbor in the present day? The parable is such an enduring tale that its meaning has slipped into our common language. But that has happened at the expense of the story's punch line, and it is one that packs a real punch! Who are the outcasts or the despised in our day? What class of people have we found it difficult to accept? Or who might we find it easy to denigrate? The homeless? Immigrants? Muslims? Someone else? What if they were the Samaritan? Would we love the story as much if Jesus asked us today, "Which of these, in your opinion, was neighbor?" How would we answer?

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Liturgical Schedule for July 17th & 18th

5 p.m. at St. Matthew: *Sacristans:* Barb Domuracki, Pat Gillen; *Lectors:* Patrick Cope, Ed Gillin; *Altar Servers:* Billy Harmon, Nate Rogalskyj, Louis Jarzabek; *Eucharistic Ministers:* Pat Beshures, Mary Gillin, Barb Bland, Bob & Monica Cope, Jim & Judy Hynes; *Greeters:* Margie & Jeanne Enright; *Ushers:* Don Windsor, Sam West, Don Marozas, Dan Jones, Mike & Dan Vallone

8:30 a.m. at St. Mary's: *Sacristan:* Patti Krueger; *Lector:* Harry Hawes, Adam Vickers; *Altar Servers:* Andrew Taylor, Trevor Healy; *Eucharistic Ministers:* Patti Krueger, Joan Madigan, Harry Hawes, Gail Powell, Donna Tricamo, Joe & Joeanna DeBlaere, Mary Ann Hipp; *Greeters/Ushers:* Robert & Laurie Gleason, Tom & Phyllis Quinn, Peggy Taylor; *Parking Attendant:* Fran Tricamo, Kurt Taylor

10:30 a.m. at St. Matthew: *Sacristans:* Joe LaGreca; *Lectors:* Bob Vogel, Barb Dougherty; *Altar Servers:* Morgan Stanton, Dan Bogel, Shannon Dougherty; *Eucharistic Ministers:* Mary Pat Vogel, Deirdre Antalek, Jamie Kahn, Ann Holevinski, Pam Rice, Joe & Marcia Rausch; *Greeters:* The Randy Smith Family; *Ushers:* George Hynes, Roy Scardilla, Joe Eberwein, Steve Bacon, Jerry & Rae Brol, Brian Antalek, Pete Dougherty, Bob Rice

St. Matthew Eucharistic Ministers for Conesus Lake Nursing Home: Cathy Stein, Mariellen Finster

This Week in Our Faith Community

Saturday, 7/10:

St. Matthew: Reconciliation, 4 pm; 5 pm Mass; Collection for Emerging Churches

Sunday, 7/11:

St. Mary's: Choir Practice, 7:45 am; 8:30 am Mass; Collection for Emerging Churches

St. Matthew: 10:30 am Mass; Collection for Emerging Churches, Kayak Retreat, Canadice Lake, 3 pm

Monday, 7/12:

St. Mary's: 9 am Mass; Garage Sale Drop Off, 4-7 pm

St. Matthew: Hero Headquarters Vacation Bible Camp, 9 am –12 noon, Hagerty Hall; Eucharistic Adoration, 10 am—6:30 pm; Rosary, 6:30 pm

Tuesday, 7/13:

St. Mary's: Garage Sale Drop Off, 4-7 pm

St. Matthew: 9 am Mass; Hero Headquarters Vacation Bible Camp, 9 am –12 noon, Hagerty Hall; Baptism Class, 6:45 pm, Church

Wednesday, 7/14:

St. Mary's: 9 am Mass; Garage Sale Drop Off, 4-7 pm

St. Matthew: Hero Headquarters Vacation Bible Camp, 9 am –12 noon, Hagerty Hall

Thursday, 7/15:

St. Matthew: 9 am Mass; Hero Headquarters Vacation Bible Camp, 9 am –12 noon, Hagerty Hall

Friday, 7/16:

St. Mary's: Garage Sale, 9 am—3 pm

St. Matthew: 9 am Mass; Hero Headquarters Vacation Bible Camp, 9 am –12 noon, Hagerty Hall

Saturday, 7/17:

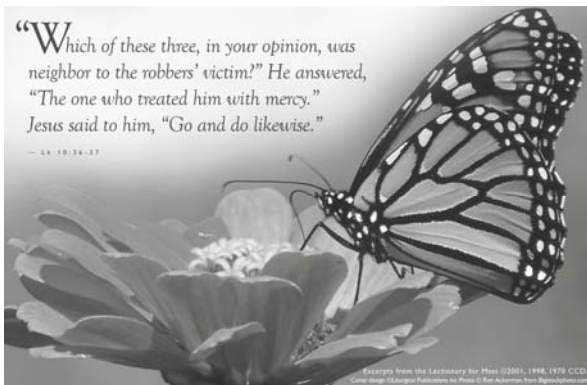
St. Mary's: Garage Sale, 9 am—3 pm

St. Matthew: Reconciliation, 4 pm; 5 pm Mass

Sunday, 7/18:

St. Mary's: Choir Practice, 7:45 am; 8:30 am Mass

St. Matthew: 10:30 am Mass



Sacrament of Baptism: Call the office for arrangements. Baptism classes are offered the 2nd Tuesday each month at St. Matthew Church. Baptisms are scheduled on Sundays during the 8:30 am Mass at St. Mary's or the 10:30 am Mass at St. Matthew Church and also at St. Matthew Church on the 4th Sunday of the month at 12 noon.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays at St. Matthew Church: 11/1—3/31 at 3 p.m. 4/1—10/31 at 4 p.m. Call the office (St. Mary's—229-5007; St. Matthew—346-3815) for an appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Notify the office 6 months in advance and attend Marriage Preparation.

Anointing of the Sick: Please notify the office if anyone is sick at home or in the hospital.