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Third Sunday Of Easter April 18, 2010

Bring us to the glory
of the Resurrection, Lord!

From the Desk of the Parochial Vicar,

Before the new healthcare bill was passed, I had a parishioner tell me he would not pay part of his taxes if the bill funded abortions. As we all know the bill has passed, and it will not fund abortion given the executive order from the president. However, this could easily change through legislation.

If the executive order does not hold, what would be the justification for this parishioner's alleged future actions? The Holy Word of God: **"We must obey God rather than men"**. This is what we find in our first reading this week in Chapter 5 of the book of Acts. The apostle Peter and his followers, "The Church" are thrown into prison for teaching the truth about Jesus. Though the authorities threw Peter in jail and beat him and strictly told him to stop teaching about Jesus, Peter continued to proclaim the truth. He basically told the authorities to do with him what they liked; he tells "We must obey God rather than men".

Throughout history Christians have done this, obeyed God rather than men to the point of even giving their very lives. This is how the Church first got started. All the apostles except John were martyred for the faith. We too are called to be with Peter and all the martyrs. We are called to proclaim the truth of Jesus Christ. Let us pray for courage that we would not be afraid to risk everything in obeying God rather than men.

In the Hearts of Jesus and Mary,
Father Haggerty

Sacrament of Baptism

Lily Donna Huizenga, daughter of Toby and Patricia Huizenga.

In Sympathy

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Janice Carmody**, mother of Kristin Reaves of our parish. **Joel Lee**, husband of Sharon and father of Taylor; **Eleanor Heaston**, mother of Bill Heaston. May they rest in peace.

THANK YOU!

Thank you to Father Morgan, Father Haggerty, Deacon Bates and to everyone for your prayers during my recent hospitalization and illness.
Rose Carman

Father Al's Bible Study will resume on **Wednesday, April 21st at 8:45 AM in the Fireside room.**

Finance Committee Meeting on Tuesday, April 20th at 6:30 PM in the Fireside room.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Our last class for the year is on Sunday, April 25th and Wednesday, April 28th. The year will end with a closing Mass on Wednesday, April 28th at 6:30 PM.



Please pray for our 2nd graders as they prepare to receive the Eucharist for the first time this Sunday and next Sunday, April 25th at 1:00 PM.

First Communion Prayer Service and Rehearsal will be held on Thursday, April 22nd from 7-8:30 PM for those students making their First Communion on Sunday, April 25th.

Christopher West CANCELLED

We received word from Theology of the Body Institute that **Christopher West**, effective immediately, is staking a six month sabbatical from teaching and travel for personal and professional renewal. All money will be returned in the next few weeks to those who have already purchased tickets. Please pray for Christopher West and the Institute itself during this time.

Praying during the "Year of the Priest"

In response to Pope Benedict naming June 19, 2009—June 19, 2010 the "Year of the Priest." Holy Spirit parishioners will **pray for priests every Friday in the Daily Mass Chapel at 3:00 PM for priests.** Come and pray for God's priests especially your priests here at Holy Spirit Parish.

LATIN MASS on Saturday, May 1st at 8:30 AM in the Daily Mass Chapel.

TOUR ST JOSEPH CATHEDRAL. Want to see the progress of the restoration of St. Joseph Cathedral? Take advantage of this opportunity take a "hard hat tour" of the Cathedral? Tours will be hosted three Sundays in April: April 18, 5:00-7:00 PM, April 25, 2:00-4:00 PM. You will be greeted at the Duluth Avenue lower level entrance.

Cathedral Tours. We would welcome the opportunity to host large parish groups and even buses. If your parish would like to bring a large group, please RSVP to 888-246-3386/enaroth@sfcatholic.org.

Lighthouse Catholic Media CD's at Holy Spirit

Check out our Lighthouse Catholic Media Stand. 9 CD Titles available for just a \$3 each donation. Stop by the kiosk and pick up some CDs of the best nationally recognized Catholic speakers and grow in your faith.

INTERESTED IN A RELIGIOUS VOCATION??? Stop by the church on Monday, April 19th at 7:00 PM in the Fireside room and visit with Therese Ivers, Vocations Promoter of our Diocese. Therese will be here to answer any questions and give information to anyone interested.

Grieving the Loss from Suicide (April 27-June 1)

Sponsored by the Diocese and Catholic Family Services. 8:30 PM at CFS, 523 N Duluth Ave. Directed by Marcie Moran. The program is non-denominational and a free will offering will be taken. This program is for families who have lost a loved one from suicide. Call 988-3775 or email: hkarow@sfcatholic.org with any questions or to register.

POSITION OPENINGS: Part time/year round (3-8PM) for Holy Spirit School. Apply by phone to: Human Resources, SF

Catholic Schools 575-3350 or e-mail: shurley@sfcscs.org



For the safety of our children and to all who use our parking lot between the hours of 7:00 AM—8:15 AM and 2:30PM-3:30 PM. PLEASE use the lower south entrance to the parking lot to enter and the upper (north) entrance to exit. The flow of traffic needs to be the same during this time. (MONDAY THRU FRIDAY ONLY DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR.)

This week the four sanctuary candles in the Eucharistic Adoration Chapel have been requested for the following intentions:

Holy Spirit Second Graders receiving their First Holy Communion this week.

Youth NEWS

April 18 - Youth Group—Jr High and High School
April 25 - Youth Group—Jr High and High School

Valley Fair Trip on Tuesday, May 25th! Registrations are available at the church and on <http://holyspiritsf.org/youth/>. Act fast, registration closes when buses fill or on deadline.

These GREAT summer trips still have openings:

Sr High DCamp: July 11-14; Jr High DCamp: July 15-18; Steubenville Conference: July 30-August 2. Please visit our website:

<http://holyspiritsf.org/youth/>

All event registration forms are available on line or at the church. And always feel free to contact youth minister, Mark Nelson at youth@holyspiritsf.org. 371-1387.

Vacation Bible School: SonQuest Rainforest. June 14-19th 9-noon. For Preschool and Kindergarten age children. \$35

TOTUS TUUS (Latin for Totally Yours) is a summer Catholic youth program dedicated to the youth. (Similar to VBS) To teach the faith of the Church and helps youth develop their relationship with Jesus. The day is filled with games, music, skits, time for learning about our faith and Mass! Cost \$35

(Kindergarten-5th grade) grades completed this spring
MONDAY, June 21st – FRIDAY, June 25th
9:00a.m. - 2:30p.m. (Please pack a sack lunch!)

(6th-12th) grades completed this spring
SUNDAY, June 20th– THURSDAY, June 24th
7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m

Registration are due by MAY 1st, we are in need of help with both, see registration form. Forms can be found on the parish website or outside the parish office or youth office!

AL-ANON. Park and enter on the West side of the building (back of the school). Enter front doors and first right to the media room. Meetings are held every Thursday at 7:00 PM. Al-Anon is for families of alcoholics and is anonymous fellowship. Call Laurie 360-6773 for additional info.

St. Lambert Parish Dinner - Sunday, April 18, 10:30-1:30 PM.
Broasted chicken dinner. Tickets at door.

19th Annual O’Gorman Golf Classic - Friday, May 14
Held at Willow Run Golf Course. Morning and afternoon session. Call Pam at 336-6354 for registration information.

Program for Parents: April 24
Dr. Thomas Phelan, clinical psychologist & author will present “More 1-2-3 Magic” for Parents of ages 2-12 via DVD with Group discussion and exercises from 9:30 am to 1PM. Come to 523 N Duluth Ave. Use 4th street door. Call 988-3775 to register. SPACE LIMITED. DONATION.



First Annual Holy Spirit School “Generations of Style” Fashion Show and Luncheon at Westward Ho Country Club on Sunday, April 25th at 12:30 PM. Styles from Hip Chip, Posh, and Chico’s. Make up demonstrations from Bare Minerals. Celebrate being a girl of any age!

TICKETS ON SALE NOW IN THE SCHOOL OFFICE!
\$20 EACH OR \$160 PER TABLE. Mothers, daughters, aunts, cousins, friends and neighbors. Come and enjoy our mothers and students model. Limited tickets available.

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 19

8:00 a.m. +Carol Miller

Tuesday, April 20

8:00 a.m. +Melvin Berens

Wednesday, April 21

7:00 a.m. +Gerald Burke

8:00 a.m. +Madelyn Gaspar

Thursday, April 22

8:00 a.m. +Al Schreck

5:15 p.m. +Leo Gaspar

Friday, April 23

7:00 a.m. +Patsy O’Connor

8:00 a.m. +Ray Virnig

Saturday, April 24

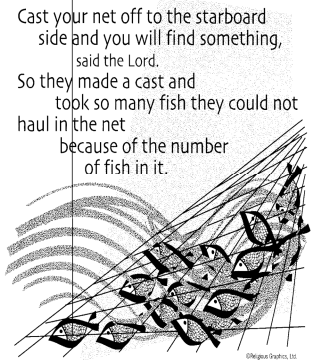
5:00 p.m. +Matthew Rutten

Sunday, April 25

7:30 a.m. Holy Spirit Parish

9:00 a.m. +Lydia Kosecka

11:00 a.m. +Henry Billion



MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/ Ps 119:23-24, 26-27,29-30/ Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1/ Ps 31:3-4, 6-8, 17, 21/ Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1-8/ Ps 66:1-7/ Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:2:6-40/ Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/ Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/ Ps 117:1-2/ Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/ Ps 116:12-17/ Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/ Ps 100:1-3,5/ Rev f7:9, 14-17/ Jn 10:27-30

LITURGICAL STEWARDS ROLES

For the weekend of April 24/25 2010

Servers: 5:00 PM – William Murphy, Emma Ward, Tiana Rausch

7:30 – Morgan Beaner, Andrew Nygaard, Austyn Nygaard

9:00 – John Donovan, Sophie Holtz, Grant Kolb

11:00 – Brittan Murphy, Avery Cleberg, Aryn Cleberg

Lectors: 5:00 PM – Gary Weisbrich, Dwight Vondra, Theresa Wallace

7:30 – Melinda Winter, Pat Albers

9:00 – Julia Deis, Shirley Donovan, Angeline Willers

11:00 – Jason Nerland, Charles Gaetze, Tim Koch

Greeters: 5:00 PM – Sheryl Oliver, Bruce/Diane Prouse

7:30 – Jeff/Katie Heavlin, Danna Januschka Family

9:00 – William/Carlotta Schoemer, Mark Sechser, Mark Shlanta

11:00 – Sharon Morgans, Janelle/Mike Nerland, Jodi/Jim Rysavy

Gift Bearers: 5:00 PM – Joe and Barb Burns Family

7:30 – Max and Carol Dreier

9:00 – Steve Morgans Family

11:00 – Julie Alton Family

Ministers of Communion: 5:00 – Pat Erpenbach, Theresa Gaspar **7:30** – Pat/Bonnie McCue

9:00 – Michele Weber **11:00** – Judy/Jim Kent, Josh McQuade

Ministers of the Precious Blood: 5:00 – M Jones, J Hassel, S Haffeman, M/

B Kolbeck, B Anderson, B Kubat, D Madsen **7:30** – C Olson, B O’Connor, M Ruff,

9:00 – B Brennan, M Cota, R Arends, L Barck, P Benson, N Burns, J/R Daniels **11:00** – S/M McQuade, J Lubeck, M Heisey, J/C/P Michels, M Koch, J/D Motz

Sacristans: 5:00 – Mary Kolbeck **7:30** – Maureen Evans **9:00** – Lyle/

Marya Leber **11:00** – Shannon Johnson

SFCS Certificate Sellers: 5:00 – Kevin/Patti Vaska **7:30** – John Mallek

9:00 – Mary Beatch, Paul Clinton **11:00** – Jan Motz, Sheila Casiello

ROSARY LEADER SCHEDULE: Vicki Kolb

ALL MINISTRY SCHEDULES ON LINE

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