

IN THE SPIRIT @St. John Neumann Parish

September 23, 2012

**TWENTY-FIFTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

**FIRST EUCHARIST
And
FIRST
RECONCILIATION**

**SESSION #1
Wednesday,
September 26
6:00 pm**

We are a Catholic faith community called by God to give living witness to the gospel through encouraging an open, loving and caring environment. We strive to accomplish this by sharing in prayerful, and joyous worship, respecting individuals and serving their needs.



**Whoever receives one child such as this in my name,
receives...the One who sent me.**

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SUNDAY OFFERINGS
 Week of September 15 & 16, 2012

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 15,987.20
Loose Offerings	\$ 2,804.00
Sunday Direct Deposit	\$ 2,542.50
Facility Maintenance	\$ 541.00
Debt Reduction	\$ 90.00
Misc Income (Tuition)	\$ 15,466.00
Total Income	\$ 37,430.70
Budgeted Expenses	\$ 27,079.65

YTD Actual Income (7/1/12-9/16/12)	\$ 300,880.51
YTD Budgeted Expenses (7/1/12-9/16/12)	\$ 324,955.80

No. Sunday Envelopes Issued	2,772
No. Sunday Envelopes Used	583
No. Sunday Direct Deposits	45

On-line giving is now available.
 Visit our website for
 more information

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Friday
 in the Chapel
 from
 9:30am until 6:30pm



LITURGY SCHEDULE

Monday—Friday 9:00am
 Saturdays 4:30pm
 Sundays
 8:30, 10:30, 12:30 & 5:30pm
 Reconciliations are on Saturdays at 3:30pm
 or by appointment



SVDP BUNDLE DAY

October 6th & 7th

We will be accepting
 clothing,
 small knick-knacks,
 small working
 appliances





Hello to you all

A couple weeks ago we had the Feast of the Triumph of the Cross and I shared with the people in attendance at mass something I had stumbled upon a couple of years ago trying to answer the question, “**Why the Cross?**”

I thought I would share those insights with all of you

At the cross...

- ... We see God’s **sovereignty**—reigning with absolute control over humanity’s greatest sin.
- ... We see God’s **purpose**—making known the mystery of His will prepared before time.
- ... We see God’s **plan**—to unite all things, on heaven and on earth, in Him.
- ... We see God’s **judgment**—requiring recompense for guilt.
- ... We see God’s **holiness**—demanding the perfect sacrifice.
- ... We see God’s **power**—crushing the Son of God according to the purpose of His will.
- ... We see God’s **wrath**—punishing the wretchedness of sin.
- ... We see God’s **sorrow**—wailing as only a forsaken son can.
- ... We see God’s **mystery**—the Son, as God, separated from the Father, committing His Spirit to God.
- ... We see God’s **compassion**—pleading to the Father to forgive the ignorant.
- ... We see God’s **gift**—His one and only Son, bruised and broken on our behalf.
- ... We see God’s **mercy**—making unrighteous sinners righteous.
- ... We see God’s **love**—Christ dying for sinners.
- ... We see God’s **rescue operation**—delivering us from the domain of darkness to the kingdom of His Son.
- ... We see God’s **proposal**—pledging Himself to His bride forever.
- ... We see God’s **revelation**—the Word of God speaking His last so He might speak on behalf of many.
- ... We see God’s **victory**—disarming His enemies, putting them to shame, and triumphing over them.
- ... We see God’s **glory**—the name of the Father being magnified for the sake of all peoples.

Here’s why the cross matters. It is at the cross that we see God most clearly. If history were the vastness of space, the cross would be its brightest star. We see the fullness of God’s being most clearly at the cross. We see the fullness of His active purposes most clearly at the cross.

Peace

Fr Ron Richards



Cucchi's Corner

This weekend the Chorale is singing the famous anthem *Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring*. *Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring* is the most common English title of the 10th movement of the *Herz und Mund und Tat und Leben* (a cantata) composed by Johann Sebastian Bach. Written during his first year in Leipzig, Germany, this chorale movement is one of Bach's most enduring works. Over the years I have run across many arrangements of this piece for organ, even though that was not Bach's original scoring. This work is request widely for wedding processions. Here follows the text:

Jesu, joy of man's desiring,
Holy wisdom, love most bright;
Drawn by Thee, our souls aspiring
Soar to uncreated light.

Word of God, our flesh that fashioned,
With the fire of life impassioned,
Striving still to truth unknown,
Soaring, dying round Thy throne.

Through the way where hope is guiding,
Hark, what peaceful music rings;
Where the flock, in Thee confiding,
Drink of joy from deathless springs.

Theirs is beauty's fairest pleasure;
Theirs is wisdom's holiest treasure.
Thou dost ever lead Thine own
In the love of joys unknown.

Do you have a Gluten allergy? We now have Gluten-Free Hosts. Contact the Parish Office for more info.

MOTHER THERESA PARISH LIBRARY is open daily.

A great variety of Titles are available for Adults and Children.

The Library Catalog is on the parish website under "Links."

Women's Spirituality Group

Please Join Us

Our meetings are a discussion format in which we seek to discover God in our lives. As a springboard for discussion, we will be reading the book *Wisdom Jesus—Transforming the Heart and the Mind, A New Perspective on Christ and His Message*, by Cynthia Bourgeault. Sr. Arlene Kosmatka, O.P will serve as facilitator.

Meetings are monthly, 7-8:30pm on the first Monday of the month. Participants are responsible for ordering their own books. Please read Chapters 1 and 2 prior to the first meeting.

Questions? Call Vicki at 734-416-9405 or Sr. Arlene at 734-451-0461.

Four million Americans are afflicted with Alzheimer's Disease. Do you have a parent, spouse, or loved one affected by this dreaded disease? Need facts or an understanding ear to listen? Facilitator Rosemarie Shim, social worker and parishioner, has 14 years experience working with Alzheimer patients and their families. The Alzheimer's Support group meets the third Thursday of each month at 7:30pm. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Rosemarie at 734-981-0556.



WEEKEND FOR THE WIDOWED, SEPERATED & DIVORCED

A healing weekend designated for widowed, separated and divorced adults who wish to let go of the past and create a peace-filled future is offered by trained teams of people who have "been there." A "Beginning Experience" weekend will be held October 19, 20, 21, 2012. All faiths are welcome. For details call Ilene (586) 747-0223 or Bob (586) 248-1643. www.beginningexperience.org



The morning book club will be meeting on Wednesday, September 26 at 10:00am to discuss the book "I'd Know You Anywhere" by Laura Lippman. We will also be recommending books for the coming year. Please join us!



FAITH WORKS

HELP WANTED:

- ALTAR SERVERS**
- CHOIR MEMBERS**
- COMMUNION MINISTERS**
- LECTORS**
- MEDIA MINISTERS**
- USHERS**

Every year at this time, we invite parishioners to come forward to serve at the Liturgy. It's something we all should do at some time in our lives. Perhaps now is your time. We have great training, supportive leadership and flexible scheduling. Have any questions? Just contact me.

BIBLE STUDY:

Reading the Gospels Again As if for the First Time - A Synoptic Study

SR. MARY JOEL, RSM, continues her presentations on Wednesdays through October 10, beginning a 7:00pm.

Come with your spouse, friends and neighbors to explore in depth the meaning of the Gospel tradition.

ADULT FAITH INQUIRY continues on Wednesdays throughout the year for those thinking about becoming Catholic and those wanting to update their Catholic faith.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION FOR ENGAGED COUPLES continues on Thursdays at 7:00pm. Please contact the Parish Office to register.

25TH ORDINARY SUNDAY / CHURCH MANAGEMENT IS SERVICE



ABIDE, O SPIRIT OF LIFE

This prayer was used before each session of Vatican I in 1869-70, and it was used before each meeting of Vatican II.

**We stand firm, here before you
With our weakness and longing for you
We are bound to love one another
Abide, O Spirit of life!**

Refrain:

**Let peace fill our hearts
Let love fill our minds
Make us loving disciples of Christ
May we be one
May we be yours
Abide, O Spirit of Life!**

**We ask you to guide all our actions
And to show the path we should walk
We desire to know what will please you
Abide, O Spirit of life!**

**May you be our sole inspiration
May you see whatever we do
May we act in your name forever,
Abide, O Spirit of life!**

**May we walk together in justice
Teach us wisdom, unite all our hearts
May your grace be here now to guide us
Abide, O Spirit of life!**

**United in your name forever
May our work reflect your desires
May your mercy and love always fill us
Abide, O Spirit of life!**

Did You Know about Vatican II...



The bishops at Vatican II working with the Pope passed a total of 16 Council Documents.

HOW DID YOU SHARE YOUR FAITH THIS WEEK?

CONTACT GENE gkijek@stjohnneumann.us



FAITH FORMATION

BY DONNA FRANKE

In today's Gospel (Mark 9: 30-37) Jesus invites us to be the servant of all. He asks us to receive children into our life. He is asking us not to be concerned with a person's status; but to be a servant to whom-ever comes into our life. We are to receive people as we would a little child, a person who needs a lot of service. Then we will be receiving Jesus himself, along with his Father in heaven, who sent Jesus.

Jesus says, "If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Early Christians called following Jesus "the Way." Jesus showed us the "way" to live, as servants to others. It is good for us to keep our eyes on Jesus and learn the "way" to live.

This week we started our first session of weekly classes for the young people of our parish. Many thanks to all the catechists, assistants, hall monitors, and office helpers who are serving our children.

Soon we will begin our Faith UNwrapped sessions for all parishioners. Our focus this year will be on the Vision of Vatican II. This year is the 50th anniversary of this wonderful Council that has meant so much to us as the people of God today! Many thanks to all those who help make Faith UNwrapped happen!

Religious Formation

THIS WEEK

SECOND WEEK OF CLASS

First Eucharist and Reconciliation Preparation- Session 1



Remember: No class for Communion candidates this week. Attend Sacrament Preparation instead

NEXT WEEK

THIRD WEEK OF CLASS

CONTACT DONNA

dfranke@stjohnneumann.us

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN WORKSHOP

**THURSDAY OCTOBER 11:
6:00 – 9:00 P.M.**

(Light Meal will be served at 5:30 p.m.)

Attention:

**CATECHISTS, ASSISTANTS,
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION VOLUNTEERS,
SACRAMENT PREPARATION,
VOLUNTEERS, COACHES,
FAITH UNWRAPPED VOLUNTEERS**

Anyone who ministers to children is required to attend a **Protecting God's Children Workshop**. This workshop focuses on creating a safe environment for children to whom we minister.

PARENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND AS WELL.

PLEASE REGISTER Online at

www.virtus.org

or by calling the

Religious Formation Office

455-5986



**First Communion/
First Reconciliation
Preparation Session 1
Wednesday, September 26th
6:00 p.m.**



MIDDLESCHOOL NEWS

Greetings and Salutations,

In today's Gospel the disciples are arguing about which one of them is most important. Life is filled with opportunities for first place or being number 1: to graduate at the top of the class, to be the star athlete, to be the captain of the cheerleading squad, to be the teacher's pet or the family favorite, to be first in line for the new cell phone, and so on, you get the picture. Many times we receive outside pressures to be #1, but Christ reminds us to be selfless and place our desires of being the favorite aside and place others before ourselves. This means we encourage and assist others to be the best they can be. How do you serve others and place their needs before yours?

Speaking of serving... SVDP is looking for some of our wonderful Middle School students to volunteer to help at the upcoming BUNDLE DAY. Bundle Day will take place here at SJN on Saturday, October 6 and Sunday, October 7. Volunteers are needed fifteen minutes prior to Mass and fifteen minutes after Mass. Please call me in the Religious Formation Office if you are interesting in helping. This would be a great service OPP for our incoming Confirmation Class.

New this year, the Confirmation Class is being asked to help support the RED WAGON LITERACY PROGRAM. The Red Wagon Literacy program was started at St. Simon and Jude Parish in Westland, MI. This program helps provide elementary and middle school students books to read over the summer. This will be an ongoing service project for our entire Formation year. We will begin collecting new and gently used books from September to December. Starting in January and through April we will ask the students to collect other items such as: coloring books, crayons, sidewalk chalk, bubbles, toothbrushes and toothpaste. Our students are then invited to participate in the Red Wagon delivery and attend the St. Simon and Jude picnic in June to celebrate their efforts. Students who participate every month well be entered in a drawing to win a Barnes and Noble gift card valued at \$50. We have a RED WAGON display in the Religious Formation Office to drop off all donations.

Middle School Halloween Extravaganza permission slips due 9/28!

Have a great week everyone and remember... It's cool to be Catholic.

Peace and Prayers,

Sabrina Queen

squeen@stjohnneumann.us

Join us as we walk in solidarity as Friends of the Poor on Saturday, September 29th.

What: Friends of the Poor Walk

When: Saturday, September 29th

Where: Milliken State Park—1900 Atwater St., Detroit, MI. 48207

Time: Registration at 9:00am; Walk begins at 10:00am

Who: YOU!

Register on line at http://www.svdpsusa.net/pledgeathon/public/index.php

Or

Contact your local SVDP Conference President for information on registering



St. Theodore's Annual Fall Craft Show
Crafters Wanted
Table Rental \$25
Call Mary: 734-425-4421 (vm #10)
No Vendors Please
Saturday, October 13, 2012
9am - 3pm
St. Theodore Parish Social Hall
8200 N. Wayne Road Westland
70 Crafters
Hourly 50/50 Raffle
Large Raffle
Baked Goods
Food & Beverages Available
Free Admission
Sponsored by St. Theodore of Canterbury Confraternity of Christian Women
License #113476

BULLETIN ARTICLE DEADLINES

If you have an article you would like in the bulletin, please submit it to Liz at lhorca@stjohnneumann.us or drop off in the Parish office. All articles must be submitted at least 10 days prior to the date of the publication. Every attempt will be made to honor all requests, however, the paper is now smaller in size so there could occasionally be a space issue.

If you have any questions, please contact the front office.



"We, the youth of St. John Neumann, strive to be Christ to others.
By reaching out and welcoming all teens, We hope to foster a unique and open environment
In which we promote the morals and teachings of the Catholic church."



HIGH SCHOOL WITH MARY WILKERSON

I told you that we have done a lot of great work as a Leadership Team to ensure a spectacular year. Now, I wanted to show you why teens would be willing to spend countless hours serving the needs of others...I asked them why being a member of SJN Youth Leadership was important, here are some of their answers:

"Leadership is important to me because other teenagers get to see that being Catholic is cool, and it helps bring people closer to God. It helps me to stay responsible and accountable. It helps me to try to live more like Christ did (i.e. more like a true Christian)." - Hannah, Junior

"Leadership is important to me because faith is important to me. I want to be able to share that with others, and a great way to do that is to plan meetings for the youth group. Also, it almost forces me to strive to live like a true Christian, which can be so hard in today's world." - Jason, Senior

"Being on leadership is personally important to me because I want to be able to reach out to other underclassmen and get them to feel as amazing as youth group has made me feel about myself and about my ability to interact with people." Nate, Sophomore

If you forgot to come to our Youth Group kick-off, no big deal!!! You can come THIS Wednesday, from 7:00-9:00 pm. Feel free to bring a friend.

SJN Youth Ministry Mission Statement 2012

"We the people of the United Youth Group, in order to form a more Christian Society, establish equality, insure domestic role-modeling, provide for the common friendship, make a positive change in people's lives, we do declare a safe and involved youth group. One youth group, under God, indivisible, with equality and friendship for all!"

2012 Leadership Mission Statement

Source: United States Constitution preamble

Resurrection Wine-Tasting and Silent Auction

Friday, September 28 at 7:30 PM

Resurrection Parish will be hosting our 5th Wine-Tasting Event on Friday, September 28, 2012, at St. John Neumann Social Hall from 7:30-9:30pm. Food and wine will be provided Holiday Market of Canton.

All proceeds will help provide medical care at the LaMora Medical Clinic in El Salvador. The clinic serves over 25,000 people in a poor, rural community.

Tickets will be for sale in the Gathering Area after all Masses on **Saturday and Sunday, September 22/23**. Tickets are \$35/each or 2 for \$50 in advance. (They will be \$40/each at the door.) Contact Jim Robertson (ejrobertsonii@gmail.com) for further information.

Tickets are also available online at www.LocalWineEvents.com.

We have over 35 items for the Silent Auction, ranging from original works of art, jewelry and hand-crafted items to four condo/time-share rentals. We will have a special live auction for 2 of the condo/time-share rentals. One is in Puerto Vallarta and the other could be just about anywhere in the world.

Remember: Wine a little - you will feel better!

The La Mora Medical Clinic Committee

Resurrection Parish





What exactly is Grief Support? It is an opportunity to talk about your loss, to express your grief, ask questions, and support through your grieving process. It is for people who have lost someone in their lives. All are welcome regardless of church affiliation.

FOR AN APPOINTMENT:

1st and 3rd Thursday mornings at 10:00am, please call Dee O'Flynn at 734-453-0829.

2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm, please call Cindy Pronze at 734-416-9914.

For special programs for children and teens, please call Regina Adams for an appointment at 313-268-6951.



RIGHT-TO-LIFE

Will be in the Gathering Area this weekend and next weekend selling the 2013 Entertainment Books. Be sure to pick one up today!



Dear Friends at St. John Neumann Parish,

We at St. Patrick Church are extremely grateful for the recent bounty of food you provided for our pantry. Among our clients are people who are temporarily out of work, physically or mentally-disabled adults—including veterans, grandparents on a limited income who are trying to raise grandchildren, and many others who need a helping hand. We have made a commitment to helping the poor and marginalized in our area of the Cass Corridor. Thanks for helping us keep that promise. Fondly,

Your friends at St. Pat's

Baptisms
September 16, 2012

Nino Victor Manuel Barrera
Son of Jose and Fallon (Vazquez) Barrera

Myla Karen Funelas
Romel and Ioana (Ciucurel) Funelas

Joel A. Gonzalez
Son of Moises and Alicia (Paredones) Gonzalez

Marely Gonzalez
Daughter of Moises and Alicia (Paredones) Gonzalez

Gabriella Ana Manriquez
Daughter of Eduardo and Lorena (Medellin) Manriquez

Sophia Marie Smith
Daughter of James and Katelyn (Hyde) Smith

Itzel Vega
Daughter of Jesus and Selena (Monge) Vega

Lilly Marie Zumstein
Matthew and Cristina (Bodiu) Zumstein



The Peace & Justice Committee is starting its new year and is looking for additional members. The group meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month. If you are interested in joining the group or would like more information, please call Randy Martin at 455-7662 or email at rem7662@aol.com.

The P&J Committee wants to extend a special thanks to the SJN Picnic Committee for donating the Picnic Raffle proceeds to the SJN College Grant Fund. The amount donated was \$208.00 and is most appreciated.



UPCOMING WEDDINGS

Lyndsay Ellingsworth
and
Branden Cummins



SQUARE DANCING

New classes beginning.
Join us on Mondays at
St. John Neumann

6:30-9:00pm

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Sunday, September 23
Liturgy: 8:30AM; 10:30AM; 12:30PM; 5:30pm

Monday, September 24
9:00am Liturgy
4:30 pm Religious Ed
6:10 pm Religious Ed
6:30 pm Square Dance

Tuesday, September 25
9:00am Liturgy
9:30 am Women's Spirituality (Spanish)
4:30 pm Religious Ed
6:10 pm Religious Ed
7:00 pm Altar Servers Meeting
7:30 pm Neumann's Needlers

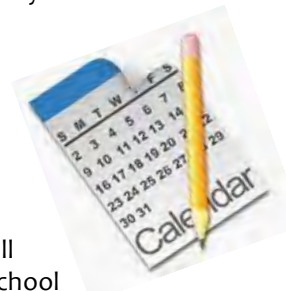
Wednesday, September 26
9:00am Liturgy
10:00 am Book Club
10:00 am Bible Study
6:00 pm 1st Communion Prep Mtg
7:00 pm Faith Inquiry
7:00 pm Sr. Joel
7:00 pm OA
7:00 pm FA
8:00 pm AA

Thursday, September 27
9:00am Liturgy
10:00 am WBS
6:00 -9:30pm Volley Ball
6:30 pm Middle School
7:00 pm Marriage Prep Class
7:30 pm Women's AA

Friday, September 28
9:00am Liturgy

Saturday, September 29
4:30pm Liturgy

Sunday, September 30
Liturgy: 8:30AM; 10:30AM; 12:30PM; 5:30pm



Mass Intentions 
FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 24, 9:00 a.m.
Homer Myers (Family)
Int. Sumar & Christian Salazar (Family)
Special Intention
Ray Steslicki (Carrie Saliba)

Tuesday, September 25, 9:00 a.m.
Ray & Florence Frame (JoAnn & Bill Waara)
Matthew Najmowicz (Family)
Special Intention

Wednesday, September 26, 9:00 a.m.
Int. of Nick McCarthy (Kelly Boda)
Mary Lou Powell (SJN Parish Family)
Special Intention

Thursday, September 27, 9:00 a.m.
Thomas Morehead (Linda Morehead)
Special Intention

Friday, September 28, 9:00 a.m.
Int. of the Bean Family (Kelly Boda)
Special Intention

Saturday, September 29, 4:30 p.m.
Larry Candela (Family)
Ada Marie Dupont (Frances Dupont)
Janet Kelly (Mary & Syl Noetzel)
Elizabeth Rizak (Family)
Natalie Salazar (Family)
Int. of Sr. Michael Paul
Special Intention

Sunday, September 30, 2012

8:30a.m.
Carl Peterson (Ann Burke)

10:30 a.m.
John Fielding (Jim & Lori Rice)
Special Intention

12:30 p.m.
Helen Wyderko (SJN Parish Family)
Special Intention

5:30 p.m.
St. John Neumann Parish Family

Monday, September 24
Proverbs 3:27-34
Luke 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 25
Proverbs 21:1-6,10-13
Luke 8:19-21

Wednesday, September 26
Proverbs 30:5-9
Luke 9:1-6

Thursday, September 27
Ecclesiastes 1:2-11
Luke 9:7-9

Friday, September 28
Ecclesiastes 3:1-11
Luke 9:18-22

Saturday, September 29
Daniel 7:9-10,13-14
John 1:47-51

Sunday, September 30, 2012
Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Numbers 11:25-29 James 5:1-6 Mark 9:38-43,44,47-48

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ANNIVERSARIES OF DECEASED PARISHIONERS

- September 24 Arthur Valade (1983)
Mary Mecklenborg (1986)
John Assalone (1986)
Norma Cleveland (1990)
Kathleen Davidge (2003)
Jennie Kmicinski (2005)
Rose Vratny (2009)
- September 25 Joseph Washnock (1986)
Sjirley Keil (2011)
- September 26 Wilbur Danaher (1985)
- September 27 Alice Popp (1984)
Fern Tapper (1991)
Veronica Alekson (1994)
Mabel Anderle (1994)
Casimer Polanski (2006)
- September 28 Joseph Bonk (1990)
Joseph Rubino (2001)
Estelle Bednarczyk (2004)
- September 29 Edward Gruchala (1998)
John Mahn (2006)
- September 30 Joseph Matauch (1980)
Marie Petz (2002)

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

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| Carol Aren | Norm Mientkiewicz |
| Richard Bargowski | Don Mills |
| Gordon Bickle | Jill Murinas |
| Kenneth Birecki | Mary Murray |
| Tommy Bohn | Justin Paffenroth |
| Lisa Bowman | Carol Perrault |
| Rick Cigile | James Polcyn |
| Mario David | John Predmesky |
| Marie Davis | Dan Prichard |
| Ronald Dellamielleure | Joshua Thomas Retherford |
| Diane Flowers | Cheri Sasena |
| Patricia Goonis | Delmar Schindler |
| Henry "Hank" Granowicz | George Shea |
| Nancy Gregory | Lillianna Shull |
| Bob Grenier | Beverly Smith |
| Krystal Guzman | Patricia Solodon |
| Linda Harms | Peter Tarchinski |
| Dan Hiltz | Tom Tipi |
| Jodi Klucevik | Jennifer VanHorn-Bargowski |
| Lisa Kozakowski | Nicholas Womac |
| Tammi Lang | William Womac |
| Jesse Lindlbauer | Kevin Zuchnik |
| Ellen Lindner | |
| Lisa McMaster | |



Having trouble getting to Sunday Mass or know of someone who is?

Contact the Peace & Justice Committee at rem7662@aol.com or 455-7662 and we will arrange to pick you up.

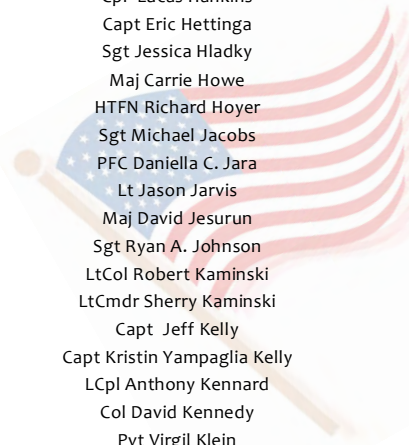
Please pray for Parishioners and Family Members Serving in the Armed Forces

- SSgt Leonard Adams
1st Lt David Anderson
SSgt Lawrence Anderson
LtCol Dave Bares
A1C Paige C. Bauer
Col Robert Benning
Capt James R. Bernthal
Capt Geno Berta
LCpl Devin A. Boersma
SSgt Eric Brooks
LTJG Jennifer Brooks
Cpl Rebecca Brooks
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CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION

Registration is now underway for the St. John Neumann 2012-13 CYO basketball season. All children 5th-8th grade are eligible to register. Cost for the season is \$100.00. The season runs early November through early March. You must be a member of SJN or Resurrection parish to register. You may register in the Gathering Area after all Masses or by

contacting Athletic Director Walt Marek at 734-455-5910.

Neumann's Needlers

Knitters and crocheters—you are invited to share an evening of creativity and conversation. We meet every second and fourth Tuesday, January through November. Everyone is welcome--men and women, young and old, beginners and advanced. We are now working on lap blankets/shawls for older adults, baby hats and blankets, hats and scarves, and chemo caps. Yarn and patterns are available for your use. We meet next on September 25, 7:30- 9 PM.

Questions? Contact Bev Polcyn
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Men and Women's Retreats

"Keep the Change"

The women of St. John Neumann Parish are invited to participate in a weekend retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center.

Our retreat theme for this year is "Keep the Change." We deal with change in almost every aspect of our lives, from relationships and work, to church and society. Some changes we undertake ourselves, but much of the time we don't like change, and we often wish that those who initiated the changes would have kept them to themselves.

But as is symbolized by the image of a butterfly with a cross, our faith can give us a different perspective on change. We often find that God is present in the changes we undergo. In fact, these changes can be for us moments of transformation, just like the change that transforms a caterpillar into a butterfly.

Our retreat will lead us to reflect on how we respond to change in faith, and how we might even be called to enter into change, so that we may become more and like the Son of God, Jesus Christ, who underwent various changes in order to bring us to salvation. Instead of resisting change, we may find ourselves willing to "keep" it.

Women's Retreat – October 19-21, 2012

Please contact your co-captain for information and/or to make a reservation.

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"There is gold, a multitude of rubies: but the lips of knowledge are a precious jewel" Proverbs 20:15



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