

Holy Rosary Messenger

Holy Rosary Parish, New Holstein, WI

August 2011

FROM THE PARISH DIRECTOR'S DESK

Greetings! Please allow me to introduce myself to you. My name is Joe Zenk and I've been appointed by Bishop Ricken as parish director here at Holy Rosary beginning July 1 upon the retirement of Fr. Harry Berryman. I'm beginning my 20th year in full-time ministry, having spent ten years as campus minister at St. Paul's Newman Center in Laramie, Wyoming, six years as pastoral associate at St. Dominic Parish in Sheboygan and three years as parish director at Ss. Peter & Paul in Kiel. I have a master's degree in ministry, a master's degree in counseling and a bachelor's degree in finance. I'm married to Renee and we have five children – Shamus, Molly, Bridget, Aileen and Thaddeus – all under the age of 15. We live in Sheboygan and aside from the fact that to live there one has to agree to like cheese and bratwurst (but, thankfully, not the Packers!), it is also where my wife grew up – so I'll always be thankful to the town for that.

I truly look forward to walking on this journey of faith with you in the days, months and years ahead. As I mentioned at all the Masses on the weekend of July 2 & 3, I will love and serve you to the best of my ability and I ask for your prayers, patience and forgiveness along the way. I look forward to learning about you, listening to your wisdom, participating in your traditions as well as inviting us as a community of faith to listen for the call of God and follow hard to where He is leading us.

I'm grateful for the assistance of Deacon Pat Knier on this journey of faith, who will be ministering to us as both deacon and full-time pastoral minister. He is a wonderful, pastoral man for whose many gifts and bits of wisdom I am grateful. I'm also grateful for Frs. Harry Berryman and Loren Nys, SDS, who will continue to help root ourselves in the sacraments. Below you will see Deacon Pat's and my schedule as to when we hope to be in each of the offices of our three parishes. But please do not hesitate to contact us no matter where we are. The office numbers are: Holy Rosary – 898-4884; St. Ann – 894-3147; Ss Peter & Paul – 894-3553. And my email is pdjoezenk@gmail.com. May God continue to bless us as we seek to live as His Body here on earth.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
St Ann		Joe-AM	Pat-AM	Pat-AM	Joe-PM
Holy Rosary	Pat-PM	Pat-AM	Joe-PM	Joe/Pat-PM	Joe-AM
SS Peter & Paul	Pat-AM	Joe/Pat-PM	Joe-AM Pat-PM	Joe-AM	



FALL FESTIVAL

The Fall Festival is coming up on Sunday, October 16. Work has already begun and we can use your help.

SPECIAL RAFFLE-If you would like to donate a prize for the Special Raffle this year, please give a call to either Anna Marie Daun at 898-5154 or Marian Mauer at 898-5080.

CRAFT BOOTH-Please consider showing off your crafty handiwork. Seasonal crafts as well as everyday decorating/household items are welcome. Also, we will again be featuring homemade jams, jellies, salsa and bakery in the booth. Please consider sharing your talents with us.

FALL FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS are available in church for you to pick. Additional tickets are also available in each wing of church or at the rectory. Sold tickets and money can be dropped off at the rectory or dropped into the marked metal boxes in each wing of church. All tickets and money need to be returned by Monday, October 17.

WORKERS AND FOOD DONATIONS-Sign up sheets will be in church in September. Workers will be needed Thursday thru Sunday (especially on Sunday). Food and cash donations are appreciated to help defray costs.

With your help, this year's Fall Festival will again be a huge success!



Please remember in your prayers the following members of our parish community who have passed away since March:

- Walter Dederig
- Peter Salm
- Ruth Boll
- Isabel Winkel
- Cora Koenen
- Robert Turba
- Dolores Binversie

May God grant them eternal rest!



RCIA ENROLLMENT

It is when we come to worship that we encounter Christ four times: in the *word, the priest, communion, and each other*. It is in the Eucharist that we receive Jesus into our bodies and He becomes one with us as we go out into the world. In a few weeks, we will begin our RCIA program to prepare those wanting to be in full "Communion" with us as members of the Catholic Church. If you know of someone who you feel may be considering joining the Catholic Church as full members or would just like to know more about our faith, have them contact Deacon Pat Knier at any of our parish offices: Holy Rosary 898-4884, St. Ann 894-3147, or SS. Peter and Paul 894-3553.



BUS TRIP TO THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF GOOD HELP

Mark you calendars for Tuesday, October 11 when we will sponsor a bus trip to the new Marian Shrine in Champion, Wisconsin. The day will begin with a tour of St. Francis Xavier Cathedral in Green Bay, lunch in Green Bay and then on to the Shrine. Our visit to the Shrine will conclude with Mass in the chapel.

Please watch the bulletin for more details and sign up.

YOUTH R.O.C.K.'S. ACTIVITIES

As our year came to a close, I wish to thank all the students and parents that helped assist with our monthly Bingo at Willowpark Residence Home; volunteering to work with the Catholic Financial Life's members on their 'Join Hands Day'; helped with our Easter Egg Hunt, Fish Boil in March and Brat Fry/Car Wash/Bake Sale, and finally a special thank you to all involved with our Youth R.O.C.K.'S. Choir, whose dedication and commitment should be applauded. I truly appreciate everyone's support.

Congratulations and praise to the following high school students for their outstanding Christian Service at our parish: Brandon Balazs, Ronald Balazs, Jacob Berchem, Christopher Greuel, Ashley Gulig, Kevin Kutz, Emily Heus, Jaime Langenfeld, Kari Meyers, Joshua Nisler, Gregory Parker, Marty Pleviak, Kelly Schmitz, Melissa Schmitz, Denise Wiley, and Erin Wiley. Let us recognize and praise our future Christians leaders for their participation in greeting, ushering, singing in our Youth R.O.C.K.' S. Choir, cantoring, and serving at Mass, as well as, assisting with the Food Pantry, New Community Shelter, Bingo, and/or as a Religious Ed. Catechist or by going well beyond the normal service requirements with service activities in the parish. Way to go, Students!

Vital Youth Ministry continues to impact our parish with prayers for our students and our Vital Planning Team. Your prayers and kind words are appreciated, as we continue to implement our goals into action and involve more adults to help in our Vital Focus Areas of Youth Ministry. The following items are needed in our program: heavy duty 4-drawer filing cabinet, camcorder for videos, heavy duty book shelf, and our small Rel. Ed. Room's carpet needs to be replaced due to water damage, please call me at 898-4334, if you can assist in anyway.

Service Trip: Seven people from our community took part in a *Youth Neighbors* event in Chicago, working to help children and families in need, the week of July 17-23. *Young Neighbors in Action* is a Catholic Program which engages participants in Catholic Social Teaching and takes a Catholic approach to service. Thank you to those parishioners and organizations that helped financially to sponsor our students' costs.

Coming Soon: **Youth Walk/Run for Hunger** will be Sunday, September 18, beginning at 1:00 pm. Again, students Grades 7 through 12 will be required to participate and collect pledges for this worthwhile cause to assist our local Helping Hands Food Pantry. A great way to help out our local pantry with funds they need to do their work. **St. John Bosco's Youth Day** will be held at Holy Hill, Hubertus, WI on Saturday, October 1. Admission is Free. It's an awesome day with students enjoying this day of faith and fellowship while they experience the presence of Jesus.

Thank you to those parishioners who have donated financially to our YOUTH R.O.C.K.'S. Youth Ministry. Your support is greatly appreciated. God Bless You!
Carla Nennig, Youth Minister

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Registration forms for the 2011-12 school year have been mailed out to all families who were in the program last year. For those families who are new to the program or if you did not get a form in the mail, please call the Rel Ed. office at 898-9248 or you stop by the parish office to pick one up. Registrations are due by August 26.



✠ CATHOLIC TRIVIA ✠

1. God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit are called _____.
 - a. The Communion of Saints
 - b. The Most Holy Trinity
 - c. The Beatitudes

2. The kingdom of God belongs to _____.
 - a. The rich and the famous
 - b. The rules of the world
 - c. The poor and lowly

3. What does the Church celebrate on the feast of the Assumption?
 - a. Mary's visit to Elizabeth
 - b. Mary's going to heaven
 - c. The angel asking Mary to be the Mother of Jesus

4. What does the first commandment require of us?
 - a. To pray often
 - b. To love the one God above all else
 - c. To keep holy the Sabbath

5. Who did Jesus name the "rock" of the Church?
 - a. Peter
 - b. Judas
 - c. Joseph



UPCOMING EVENTS

- September 1 – First Day of School
- September 14 – Salad Luncheon from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM
- September 14 – Rel Ed Parent/Student Meeting
- October 11 – Bus Trip to the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help & Cathedral
- October 13-15 – Fall Festival Set Up
- October 16 – Fall Festival
- October 22 – Fall Festival Raffle Drawing
- November 5 – Women's Morning of Reflection
- November 12 – Confirmation

Catholic Trivia Answers: 1. b, 2. c, 3. b, 4. b, 5. a

4 th QUARTER FINANCIAL REPORT	BUILDING & GROUNDS IMPROVEMENT FUND
Revenues (Year to Date):	
Church support: \$ 291,456.97	•April Receipts \$ 1,623.74
Fund Raising: \$ 36,626.41	•April Expenses \$ 0.00
Restricted & Unrestricted	
Donations: \$ 60,899.11	•May Receipts \$ 1,006.00
Miscellaneous: \$ 25,285.62	•May Expenses \$ 328.06
TOTAL INCOME: \$ 414,268.11	
	•June Receipts \$ 2,098.50
Disbursements:	•June Expenses \$ 6,232.45
Personnel: \$ 143,185.36	
Purchased Services/Supplies \$ 24,008.66	•B & G Fund Balance \$ 79,827.96
Building & Grounds \$ 62,274.55	
General & Office Supplies \$ 13,518.41	
School Subsidy \$ 135,000.00	
Other: \$ 56,911.10	
TOTAL EXPENSES: \$ 434,898.08	
•Income Over Expenses: \$ (20,629.97)	
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•Borrowed from Restricted	
Accounts to meet expenses	
(from 2004/05 - 2008/09)-- \$ (91,025.71)	
Borrowed 2010/11-- \$ (29,594.32)	
Total Borrowed-- \$(120,620.03)	