

**Blessed Sacrament Parish
Quincy, Illinois**

Sunday, August 29, 2010

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PASTOR:

Monsignor Michael Kuse

PERMANENT DEACON:

Deacon Terry Ellerman (Regina)

Pastoral Associate:

Ann Gage (Glenn)

PARISH SECRETARY:

Carole Glosemeyer (Tom)

PARISH BOOKKEEPER:

Phyllis Schulte

DIRECTOR OF ADULT CHOIR:

Steve Buckman (Dottie)

GRADE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL:

Christine Reichert (Joe)

GRADE SCHOOL SECRETARY:

Lori Quevillon (Patrick)

PARISH MAINTENANCE:

Curt Goodwin

Gayle Reis (Rich)

Celebration of the Eucharist

Monday, Wednesday

& Friday: 7:00 a.m.

Tuesday at Noon with Novena

Thursday at 8:30 a.m. School Mass

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday at 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Call Fr. Mike anytime for appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

**Please call our parish office to participate in our
Preparation Class for Parents**

Sacrament of the Sick

**Please call Fr. Mike to set a time to receive
the Anointing of the Sick, especially if you
are anticipating surgery**

Parish Mission Statement

*We are a faith community of believers called to
celebrate the real presence of Jesus Christ in the
Holy Eucharist and joyfully proclaim the Word of
God. We journey in God's Love.*

Father Mike's Message

HOPE FOR THE FUTURE

On August 11th a group of 80 people met to take a look at the future of Catholic Education in our Quincy Community. It was a great session of listening and learning. Our facilitator led us through the evening and prepared us for a future meeting with a team that is called the Collaboration Team.

Concerns that were discussed at this meeting came from the ISPD Meetings (Institute for School and Parish Development). Some of the concerns are: 1) How can we address financing our schools and having tuition be affordable from Kindergarten through QND. 2) How do we work together on Development and Fundraising. 3) How can we strengthen our enrollment in all five schools. 4) How can we share our resources and purchasing. 5) How can we develop a curriculum that will enhance the learning process for all of our students. 6) How can we share our welcome for new students in all five schools?

No one has easy answers. We all realize that we are richly blessed in having Catholic Education in our midst. We want to watch our legacy continue for coming generations.

It will be important for our pastors, principals, school boards, foundation boards and families to work together to achieve this future for our children and the children who will follow them.

Please keep this process in your prayers. It involves all of us. All families have members in each school. We need to become one family and illustrate for our youth that our faith is what motivates us.

There is a saying: Vision without Action is a Day-dream; Action without Vision is a Nightmare. Our answer is to let the Holy Spirit guide us in our process of growth. We have everything that we need. We need to become more transparent and trusting that God will always bless what is done in His name.

I wonder how many Catholics in our city are still worshipping in the parish they were baptized in. Most of us have moved and become part of another parish, but we are still the Catholic community of Quincy. The same process of collaboration is taking place across our country. We need to continue to plant new seeds. When we plant a seed, we do not often enjoy the vision of the blooming flower.

We are the past, the present and the future!

Pray for Our Sick

Please pray for the following parish family members who are sick, in nursing homes or the hospital: Lester Holtschlag, Michael K. Brinkman, Marie Mudd, Louis Holtschlag and Mary Lou Alderton.

This Week in Our Parish

Mon. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Christmas Bazaar
 6:30-9:00 p.m. Work Room Is Open
 6:00-9:00 p.m. Protecting God's Children
 7:00 p.m. RCIA
Tues. 7:00 p.m. Septemberfest Meeting
Wed. 7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council
 7:00 p.m. St. Vincent DePaul
Thurs. 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Sponsor Meeting
Sun. 6:30-8:00 p.m. Bible Study

The 99th Consecutive Monthly First Friday and First Saturday Night Vigil will be held on September 3rd & 4th from 8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. St. Anthony Church, St. Anthony Road, Quincy. Celebrant will be Fr. Tom Hagstrom and Deacon Bill Neuser.

Communion Ministers To Sunset Home

September
5th & 12th Ron Prokof
19th & 26th Mike Davison

Mass Intentions

Monday 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday 12:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 a.m.
 3:00 p.m. Sunset Home
Thursday 8:30 a.m. School Mass
Friday 7:00 a.m.
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.
 10:00 a.m.

August 30, 2010
 Roy Hummelsheim, Sr.
August 31, 2010
 Greg Buckman
September 1, 2010
 Sandra McGrury
 Gertrude Simpson
September 2, 2010
 Anne Heckenkamp Leistiko
September 3, 2010
 First Friday Memorials
September 4, 2010
 Charles Newkirk
September 5, 2010
 Parish Family
 Betty Grant

Eucharistic Ministers for Homebound

	Group A	Group B
Sept. 5	Elizabeth Ginos	Beth Hayes
Sept. 12	Brenda Phillips	Linda Hinkamper
Sept. 19	Brad Morrison	John McDowell
Sept. 26	Debbie Franke	Jill Mason
	Jeanne Smith	

LITURGICAL ROLES FOR SEPTEMBER 4TH & 5TH

	Altar Server	Communion Minister - Mass	Gift Bearer	Greeter	Lector	Usher
Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Anna Crimm Eden Klauser	Curtiss Beebe (Tabernacle) Bonnie Haubrich Ronald Haubrich Tim Sheely Mary Jo Terwelp	Terri Zaerr Rick Zaerr Elizabeth Zaerr	Kelsi Zaerr (South Door) Chandler Beebe (North Door) Claudia Beebe (West Door)	Bill Schodroski	Jason Ebbing Glen Ebbing Robert Hemmer Larry Steinkamp
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Shelby Beckman Katie Zbornak	Brad Morrison (Tabernacle) Linda Morrison Mike Bernhardt Nancy Bernhardt Annette Johnson	Karen Finson Sam Finson Eli Finson	Kathy Beckman (South Door) Gary Beckman (North Door) Leroy Holtschlag (West Door)	Ann Gage	Ed Duesterhaus Terry Duesterhaus Ted Johnson Mike Moening
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Raymond Price Bob Schmitt	Kathy Liesen (Tabernacle) Jeff Liesen Donna Vogel Jim Vogel Jerry Grant	Joyce Kuse Greg Kuse	Greg Young (South Door) Mary Beth Young (North Door) Nancy Weede (West Door)	Charlotte Buckman	Bill Awerkamp Gena Awerkamp Ernie Buckman Greg Wittland

SERVERS FOR MONDAY--FRIDAY FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 30TH-SEPTEMBER 3RD
EMMA CUNNINGHAM & SAM HOLTSCHLAG
THE VOCATION CANDLE WILL BE LIT ON SEPTEMBER 4TH
AT THE 5:00 P.M. MASS BY THE SECKMAN FAMILY

PARISH GIVING – JULY 1, 2010 THRU AUGUST 22, 2010

Sunday Contributions
 \$65,972.08

School Support
 \$8,752.00

Electronic Giving-Church
 \$1,905.00

Electronic Giving-School
 \$303.00



Blessed Sacrament Catholic School

“Providing a Christ centered environment that nourishes the spiritual, physical, and educational growth of every child.”

1115 South 7th Street 217-228-1477 School Web Page: www.blessedscs.org

Back To School Bash—August 21st



Blessed Sacrament hosted its annual Back to School Bash last Saturday evening. It was a wonderful event to kick-off the new school year for our parish school children. It was a beautiful night with good food, fun friends, and wonderful memories.

Statement of Nondiscriminatory Policy

BSCS admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admission policies, scholarships, loan programs, and athletic and school administered programs.

BSCS Market Day

Tuesday, August 31st is the pick-up date for this past month's orders. Please pick up your items at 7:00 p.m. Each month a flyer is put in the bulletin showcasing high quality frozen food items. By purchasing these items the money raised is used to benefit our computer lab. Each year we purchase anti virus licenses, Office licenses, and so much more. Thank you for your support of this project.

School Calendar

- Aug. 30—Protecting God's Children, 6:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria
- Aug. 31—Septemberfest Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- Sept. 1—First School Mass, 8:30 a.m. by 8th Grade
- Sept. 1—Confirmation Sponsor/Candidate Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Cafeteria
- Sept. 6—Labor Day, No School
- Sept. 8—School Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- Sept. 9—School Mass by 7th Grade

YOUTH PAGE



Life Teen—August 22

Life Teen participants learned about the early church, participated in prayer, snacks, and a friendly game of washers. Fun was had by all.

LIFE TEEN SCHEDULE

ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WELCOME

Aug. 28 * Steve Angrisano Concert

*We will have Life Teen on Saturday instead of Sunday, so that students can go to the concert.

Sept. 5 Service Project

Sept. 12 1+1+1=1 (Trinity)

Sept. 19 Fun Night

Sept. 26 Both And (Incarnation)

TIME: 6:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.

PLACE: Life Teen House

EDGE UPCOMNG SCHEDULE

ALL 6TH, 7TH, & 8TH GRADERS
WELCOME

Sept. 5 Welcome Back Gathering

Sept. 19 Service Project

TIME: 4:30 p.m.-5:45 p.m.

PLACE: Life Teen House

COME JOIN IN THE FUN

YOUTH DAY CELEBRATION 2010

National Shrine

Our Lady of the Snows, Belleville, IL



Junior high students grades 6-8 are invited to participate in **Youth Day Celebration 2010** (Sept. 25, 2010), at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows, in Belleville, Illinois. The cost for this event is \$50, which includes: round trip bus transportation to Belleville, Illinois, the registration fee for the Youth Day, and dinner. This is a great opportunity for a fun, Spirit-filled day. If interested, you can pick up an application/parent permission form in the Church Office. The sign-up deadline is Friday, September 3, 2010. Preference is given to Confirmation Students (grade 8). Space is limited, availability will be on a first come, first serve basis. Contact Deacon Terry Ellerman, if you would like more information (242-2467).

SIGN UP TODAY

CONFIRMATION CLASS

“MAP IT OUT MEETING”

There will be a required meeting, on Thursday, September 2nd, for **present eighth grade students and their Confirmation sponsor**. This meeting will be held in the school cafeteria at 7:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to review the importance of receiving the sacrament and the role the candidate/sponsor has in this preparation. If you cannot attend, please call Deacon Terry Ellerman.

PSR CLASSES

The Parish School of Religion will start on September 13th. Classes meet on Monday evenings from 6:45 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Students who attend a public school (K-8) should attend. If you did not receive a registration form in the mail, please call the parish office (222-2759) to obtain one. The registration form and the \$35 PSR fee should be returned to the Parish Office no later than August 27th.



COMPUTERS FOR OUR GRADE SCHOOL

Recently we enclosed an envelope in our parish bulletin for your support to upgrade the computers in our grade school computer lab. Our goal for this technology upgrade is \$17,500.00. With people responding we have \$15,575.00 toward our goal. Please give some thought to your response to this special need for our students. A \$500.00 gift would purchase one of the computers. A \$1,000.00 will purchase one of the three new projectors. I would hope that each family that has children in our school would make a gift regardless of the amount of the gift to show their support. Listed below are those who have given their gift. Thanks for your support!

Bruce & Kathy Albright, Norma Ancell, Ruth Bange, Tom Behrens, Betty & George Belker, Bob Bergman, Mark Bernbrock, Mr. & Mrs. William Birchfield, Mary Bissell, Marge Blair, Carlene Bliven, Dick & Kay Boll, John & Paulette Bozarth, Velma Bruening, Phyllis Cameron, Joan Cannady, Tim & Shay Cassidy, Rose Christ, Janet Conover, James & Barb Daggett, Mary Ann Doellman, G. L. Duesterhaus, Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Ebbing, Rita Eberle, Erich & Norma Elligsen, Terry & Regina Ellerman, Patsy Emerick, Gene & Rita Esselman, Frank & Kailee Flesch, Flo Freels, Glenn & Ann Gage, Fran Georges, Patrick & Sue Gerveler, Ben & Phyllis Giannell, Jeff Goerlich, Ken & Claire Goerlich, Ron & Bonnie Haubrich, Frank Hays, Mr. & Mrs. Don Heckenkamp, Brian & Amber Hendrian, Robert & Clara Hessling, Joy Hessling, Mr. & Mrs. Mike Hoener, Thomas L. Holck, Ed & Linda Holthaus, Audrey E. Holtschlag, Don Holtschlag, Jack & Lori Holtschlag, Leroy & Evelyn Holtschlag, Sally Howlett, Mr. & Mrs. Mark Hummelsheim, Sue Kelley, Don & Nancy Kelly, Richard Keppner, Kathy Kerker, Marie Kinney, Fr. Don Knuffman, Faylene Knuffman, Richard Krigbaum, Sr. Florence Kuhn, Fr. Michael Kuse, Tom & Sara Lepper, Mary Lovell, Jim & Connie McDowell, John & Rose Maguire, Jack & Gina Martin, Jill Mason, Mr. & Mrs. A.O. Mathew, Connie Meyer, Arlene Middendorf, Mary Ann Middendorf, Mrs. Rita Niemann, Delores O'Neal, Robert Orr, Ed & Linda Peters, Ron & Ann Peters, Kevin & Brenda Phillips, Norma Pieper, Mary Powers, Eugene & Patricia Reagan, Pauline Richmiller, Russ & Terri Rohrer, Denise & Anand Sangoi, Lucille Schachtsiek, Roger & Jeanette Schinderling, Bob & Ruth Schmitt, Will Schodroski, Virginia Schuering, Phyllis Schulte, Marian Schutte, Terry & Linda Simons, Jeanne Smith & Debbie Franke, Michael & Debbie Smith, H. R. Stroot, John & Ellen Stice, Harry Terstegge, Frederick Thomas, Joan VandenBoom, Jan Wallace, Tom & Roberta Wienhoff, Kathleen Xamis, David & Michelle Young, Greg & Mary Young, Michael Young, Harold & Dorothy Zopf and Anonymous Donors (4).

SCHOOL BUDGET 2010-2011

Salaries	\$493,360
Fringe Benefits	
A. Employer's Social Security & Medicare	36,500
B. Health Insurance	71,040
C. Workers' Compensation	3,500
D. Employees Pension Plan	27,000
E. Unemployment Compensation	1,000
F. Development Director	12,000
Contractual Services	5,425
Utilities	16,500
Telephone	2,300
Insurance	8,000
Repairs	20,000
Equipment & Furniture	2,000
Supplies	
A. Office	6,000
B. Maintenance	600
C. Education	21,000
School Subsidies	19,500
Books & School Supplies	2,000
Tuition Loan Default Payments	3,600
Staff Formation	1,800
Total School Disbursements	\$753,125

Church Cleaners Needed



The church cleaning crew could use a few more helpers to fill out their ranks so teams can continue rotating on a one weekend per month basis. If you have a few hours a month to spare and would like to help make sure the church is always weekend-ready for worship, give the church cleaning ministry coordinator, Dan Meade, a call at 223-5117, to let him know you're interested or to learn more information.

Circle of Caring

If you or someone you know has had a baby, returned home from a hospital stay, is unable to drive, or has some other need to which the **Circle of Caring** may respond, call the contact person for **August, Ann Gage, 222-2759**. Volunteers are ready to carry in meals, provide rides, do housekeeping tasks, or otherwise lend a helping hand.



BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSION REMINDER: this Sunday evening, Aug. 29, 7 p.m., Leo Amen Room.

Sacrament Preparation

Families with children entering 2nd grade should have received a letter this week about the preparation process for First Reconciliation and First Communion this year. Our first gathering for parents and children will be **Tuesday, September 28, at 6:30 p.m.** in the **Leo Amen Room** of the school. Child care will be available for other children in the family. If you are new to the parish school or PSR program and/or have other children who have not been baptized or have not received Reconciliation or Eucharist, please call Ann at 222-2759.

Faith Enrichment Opportunities

Mark your calendars for these upcoming opportunities to continue growing in faith:

Morning Bible Study: meeting Mondays (Gathering Space) after 7 a.m. Mass beginning September 13.

Parish Mission: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday evening, October 3-5.

Why Catholic: "Life in Christ", 6 weekly sessions in small faith sharing groups meeting from the week of October 10 through the week of November 14

Diocesan Adult Enrichment Conference: Sunday & Monday, Nov. 7 & 8, Decatur Conference Center.