

EUCHARIST INTENTIONS

Among the intentions for those who gather for the Eucharist this week will be:

MONDAY, JUNE 5, 2006

9:15AM SETH NORTON – Pat & Dick Kaufman

TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2006

7:00AM DANIEL SASSONE –
Terry & Tony Fearmonte
9:15AM MORNING PRAYER

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2006

9:15AM ST. RITA SCHOOL LITURGY
FOR THE 6th GRADERS AND THEIR FAMILIES
St. Rita School Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 2006

9:15AM REGINA CATANISE –
Patty & Joe Janiak & Sons

FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 2006

9:15AM RICHARD SIEBERT – Michaela Siebert

SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2006

2:00PM **Wedding:**
Denise Hachey & Kenneth Kindberg
5:00PM LOIS BUTLER – Carol & Bob Murawski

SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2006

7:30AM DONALD EVANGELISTA –
Wife & Children
9:00AM OTTO REISCH – Family
10:30AM EDWARD LANGEN – Thelma Benwitz

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**This week the Tabernacle Light
will burn for John Risio**

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Wedding Banns

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Denise Hachey & Kenneth Kindberg

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Andria Paul & Allan Mutrie

Stephanie Devoy & Ryan Ehmann

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We welcome the newest member of our parish family who was baptized this weekend:

Dante Agostino Mazzuli

Pastor's Perspective

On this 50th and final day of Eastertide, we celebrate the great feast of Pentecost . . . the birthday of the Church. As Jesus prepared his friends for his Ascension, he promised to send the Holy Spirit who would help them, and us, understand all he had said and done and “set our hearts on fire with love.”

An old hymn says it well . . .

Father, Lord of earth and heaven, King to whom all gifts belong, Give your greatest Gift, your Spirit, God the holy, God the strong.

Son of God, enthroned in glory, Send your promised Gift of grace, Make your Church your holy Temple, God the Spirit's dwelling-place.

Spirit, come, in peace descending as at Jordan, heav'nly Dove, Seal your Church as God's anointed, Set our hearts on fire with love.

Stay among us, God the Father, Stay among us, God the Son, Stay among us, Holy Spirit: Dwell within us, make us one.

Liturgy of the Hours

These days of Pentecost are special to Fr. Bob and me. We were both ordained on June 1, 1968 by Bishop Fulton Sheen. It was Pentecost weekend and so we celebrated our first Masses on the Feast of Pentecost. I know we are both grateful for the marvelous things the Spirit continues to work in the life of our Church.

Father, you still send your Spirit into our lives with the power of a mighty wind. By the flame of your wisdom continue to open the horizons of our minds to your will.

Happy Pentecost ~ Happy Birthday!

Fr. Chuck

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At our Pentecost Masses this weekend, the following parishioners proclaimed the 2nd reading from the first Letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians in their native language.

5:00pm	Fr. Bob, Italian
7:30am	Renate Maciejewski, German
9:00am	Basia Klimek, Polish
10:30am	Sandy Rotolo, Italian

On this feast day we celebrate those early disciples in all the languages of humankind. It has been our custom to use multiple languages to reflect that experience as well as the rich diversity of the Church, which indeed extends to “the ends of the earth”.

JUNE 4, 2006

Stepping Stones to Stewardship

Perhaps it may be harder now than it ever has been to practice Christian Stewardship. With the increasing efforts to create a consumer need for material things, we must remember our primary need to share our good fortune.

Stewardship Live It!

**SACRAMENTAL REGISTRATION
FOR 2006-2007**

Registration for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation is underway now. Registration forms are available in the back of church, parish office and Religious Education Office. Sacramental preparation is a parish-based process which means it does not take place in the Catholic School or the Religious Education Program. Once you have registered, you will receive a letter letting you know when the parent meeting will take place. Children who are seven years old are eligible for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation.

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**ATTENTION ALL VOLUNTEERS
CREATING A SAFE ENVIRONMENT
(CASE) WORKSHOP!**

It is a policy of the Diocese of Rochester that **all volunteers (in a parish or school) who work with children, teens and vulnerable adults need to attend a mandatory workshop entitled, "Creating a Safe Environment."** In the month of June, the Webster/Penfield parishes are hosting this workshop on the following two dates:

**Wednesday, June 7 from 7:00 – 8:30pm
St. Rita Church in Room 1**

**Monday, June 19 from 7:00 – 8:30pm
Holy Trinity's parish center**

If you have attended this workshop in the past, **you do not need to attend this workshop again.** If you have any questions about this issue, please call Drew at 671-1100 (ext 15).

BAKED FOOD SALE – NEXT SUNDAY

Stop in the greeting area and pick up some goodies! Our **choir** will be holding a baked food sale following all Masses **next Sunday, June 11.**

RCIA ~ RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. It is a process that begins in the fall and it is designed for people who have interest in the Catholic Church. If you were baptized in another faith and are questioning if you want to become full members of the Catholic Church, this process is for you. If you have never been baptized and are questioning whether you want to be baptized into the Catholic Church, this process is for you. The process itself involves attending Sunday scripture sessions, attending special parish education programs and meeting with a mentor periodically to discuss a specific RCIA text. The process helps you discern what God is calling you to in your journey of faith. Call Drew at 671-1100, ext 15 if you have interest or questions about the RCIA process.

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ELEMENTARY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration 2006-2007

Registration forms for all new students are available in:

- Church (on the right side table by the Chapel)
- Parish Office
- Religious Education Office (located in School)

A pilot Kindergarten program will be offered on Mondays and Tuesdays at the 4:30 class time only. Kindergarten will be open to the first 15 registrants per day.

Also, please note, 6th grade will be taught on Mondays at 4:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. only. If this time frame is inconvenient for you please consider having your 6th grader participate in our Youth Group which is open to students in grades 6-12.

Parish registration is required prior to registering for Religious Education and Sacrament Preparation Programs. If you have not registered with the Parish please meet Betsy McDermott on any Sunday morning before or after the 9:00 or 10:30 Masses in the Church library.

We have openings for catechists at these times:

- Monday at 4:30 – Grade 2
- Tuesday at 4:30 – Grade 1
- Tuesday at 4:30 – Grade 2
- Tuesday at 4:30 – Grade 3
- Tuesday at 4:30 – Grade 5

Please consider joining our fabulous team of teachers!

If you have any questions about our Elementary Religious Education Program please contact Anita Wagner at 671-2079.

**COMPANIONS IN GRIEF
SUPPORT GROUP**

**Wednesday, June 14
at 7:30pm
in Room 3**

All who have experienced the loss of a loved one through death are invited to attend. All are most welcome

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**ADULT FORMATION NEWS
E-MAIL NEWSLETTER**

Once a month Drew puts together a newsletter with a summary of articles from Catholic publications such as **America, Origins, St. Anthony Messenger, Theology Today**. The summary of the article in the newsletter is concise and therefore an advantage for very busy people to keep up on current developments in the Catholic faith through the convenience of e-mail. If you are interested in receiving this monthly newsletter from Drew, contact him at his e-mail address: ddesmarais@dor.org. If you have any questions about this newsletter, call Drew at 671-1100 x 15.

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STRESS-PROOF YOUR FAMILY! Go on a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend! Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—and focus only on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth, and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can make! The next Marriage Encounter weekends are June 23-25 and August 25-27 at Notre Dame Retreat House, Canandaigua. For more information or to register, contact John & Belinda Brasley, 585-719-9848, e-mail: johnandbel@aol.com

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The Youth Group is in need of a **DVD player**. If anyone would like to make a tax-deductible donation, the Youth Group would be very appreciative.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

**St. Paul's Church
Wednesday June 7 from Noon to 7:00pm
West Webster Fire Hall
Thursday, June 8 from Noon to 7:00pm
Give the Gift of Life!**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD
Offered during the 9:00am & 10:30am Masses
NEEDS YOU!**

Due to a variety of circumstances, the Children's Liturgy of the Word program is in need of additional catechists (leaders). Otherwise we will not be able to provide this program every weekend. If you can help or would like information contact Ellen Smith, 671-9637 or Teri Bucks, 265-0984.

From the desk of Mary Jo DiDia, Youth Minister

671-1100 ext. 18 ~ mdidia@dor.org 

Discount Cards For Sale ~ The Youth Group is selling discount cards for use at area businesses. The cards are \$10.00 each. The proceeds will help fund our Youth Retreats and Programs. Please stop by the parish office to purchase a card. Cards may be used over and over for each business - 1 visit per day – good through May of 2007.

Our 2005-2006 year was a great success thanks to the faith and commitment of so many of our Youth. **Our next formal Youth Group gathering will be in September 2006.** I will keep in touch through the summer through e-mails and watch the website at saintrita.org to let you know of any social events that come up. If you would like to receive e-mail notices please e-mail me at mdidia@dor.org.

**Sunday, June 11 at 10:30am
MASS celebrated with the YOUTH**

Needed: 2 Lectors, 1 Leader, 8 Eucharistic Ministers and greeters and all youth members to attend. Please call me to sign up for a part in this celebration.

Upcoming Graduations Ceremonies:

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| Sunday, June 11 | McQuaid Jesuit |
| Saturday, June 17 | Aquinas Institute |
| Sunday, June 18 | Bishop Kearney |
| Wednesday, June 21 | Our Lady of Mercy |
| Sunday, June 25 | Webster Schroeder |
| Sunday, June 25 | Webster Thomas |
| Monday, June 26 | Nazareth Academy |

PLEASE JOIN ME IN WISHING ALL OUR SENIORS THE BEST OF LUCK!!!!

Tour Italy with Fr. Joe Catanise

Fr. Joe lived in Italy for two years and has visited many times since. If you would like to experience Italy through the eyes of an expert, now is your chance. From Thursday, September 28 - October 6, we will visit Naples and Sorrento, including the Amalfi Drive; the Cinque Terra of Northern Italy; and Rome with an audience with our new Pope, Benedict the XVI. There are optional tours at each stop. The cost from Rochester is \$2699.00. For more information, please call Betty Murphy at 585-392-2710. Ext. 2.

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