

# This Week at OLA....

**Sunday:** Mass –8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM  
 Youth Group- 9:00AM-Noon St. Gabriel Hall

**Monday:** Healthy Bones- 10:30-12:00 St. Gabriel Hall  
 Bridge Club-7:00-10:00 PM St. Gabriel Hall

**Tuesday** Parish Council-7:00PM St. Gabriel Hall  
 St. Vincent DePaul-7:00PM Parish Center  
 RCIA-7:00-St. Gabriel Hall

**Wednesday:** Peace Mass- 6:15PM  
 Confirmation Session-7:00-8:15 PM Hall

**Thursday:** Bridge Club-12:30PM St. Gabriel Hall

**Friday:** Family Night-6:00-8:30PM St. Gabriel Hall

**Saturday:** Mass-8 AM, 5:00 PM  
 Confession-4:00-4:30 PM  
 First Penance Retreat-9:00-11:00 Church

# PASTOR'S CORNER

St. Paul, in today's second reading, reminds the Corinthians and us that our God has a palette of colors. Through the gift of one Spirit, each of us has been artfully, differently endowed with a charisma that is ours to tend and develop. We are a wonderful and unique "piece of work". These gifts have not been given for our sake but for the good of others and for the honor of the one Spirit.

Our first reading offers an intimate way of appreciating the relationship God wishes to extend to all human beings. It says: God espouses you! God espouses you with a love that chooses to be committed unconditionally. Unlike human love, which sometime grows less passionate after the honeymoon, God's spousal love does not diminish but grows stronger despite our straying and despite our sins. God the Creator of the universe chooses to be our partner in life: In sickness and in health, for richer, for poorer, in good times and in bad.

God loves us. In the Gospel we see how much Jesus enjoys being with people and being invited to every occasion, He is the wine of gladness, the wine of fulfillment, the wine of plenty, yet so often people think they can live without His blessing.

This mind set was clearly developed at the Council of Baltimore in the late 1800's when our Bishops emphasized the need for each parish to have its own Catholic School. They recognized that secularism and the desire of Catholics to "mainstream" themselves was destroying their relationship with the Trinitarian God and making them very susceptible to the "isms" of the world. Their concerns and the self-sacrifice of millions of Catholics made the Catholic School System in America the greatest educational force the world had ever seen. Times have changed and our school system has suffered many setbacks. It is just one more sign that we have succeeded in "mainstreaming" ourselves, to the detriment of all of society.

It is with extraordinarily heavy heart that I witness the closing of Wildwood Catholic and the many Catholic grammar schools in our diocese. As we begin to prepare to celebrate Catholic Schools Week I ask you to reexamine your view of Catholic Schools, profess your pride in being Catholic and support our schools as best you can. Our children are our "love letters" to the future. It would be a great tragedy if "Jesus" was missing from them!



*NicolasDzury...RonJost...CatherineCornell...JaredKerr...EdythBecmer...BabyDelaney...MichaelLogan...JaneT.Miller...TheresaCappuzi...ElaineToth...JosephineSmith...BabyJames...MaryJaneTyrell...Sr.GraceParker...AlyssaRoller...AdrianaDzury...CharlesAddis...Sr...LorettaDyer...DeePeterson...JohnHee...MariaBiggs...MarylouMatter...CharlesDougherty...SamuelHart...VincenzoAngelucci...SteveDzury...DianeMcIntyre...JennyOliver...CamilleFerruzzi...RichardMahoney...KathyFerguson...JenniferMansfield...LarryGadaleta...FredDurst...JacqueYoung...PatriciaYoung...BobMcGowan...DoloresFlannagan...MaryMcMullin...HelenPulaski...RobertJenkins...TerryLucadema...BobJones...WalterKult...LorettaDreyer...BillRevenkamp...BillSmith...RandyMason...TomPikulinski,Sr...BrielleRoller...MarieFenton...EliseRector...DominicDeFlavis...EliseLector...KatieElia...JessicaSelah...LurettaDramisUndercuffler...DanaDramisSimpson...JamesSwitzer...PatrickTracey...Richard&ValerieCirucci...CarolChirik...MatthewMcGee...BeckyLawrence...*

*To add or remove a name to the sick list, after 30 days please call the Parish Center at 465-5432.*



## THANK YOU OUR LADY OF ANGELS

*As 2009 passes away I can't help reflect on all the sad, challenging and upsetting times my husband and I have experienced this past year because of my stroke and other physical ailments. Were there Blessings and good times? Absolutely! I have truly experienced the scripture that says God will make all things work for His greater honor and glory and that He will always make good out of any evil.*

*During this time of recovery and healing I have discovered new Christian friends, prayer partners, eager servants and delicious food provided by our Parish Outreach Program. I don't know what 2010 will bring, I do know that if we continue to pray for one another and our parish we will continue to find that God is eager to help us find the good in the bad.*

*What a joy and blessing this is going to be! Thank you Our Lady of the Angels.*

*One of the ways I can thank you is to be prayer warrior for you. Remember that God will always give you what you need, not necessarily what you want. Place your prayer requests in a sealed envelope, you may sign it if you wish. Put the envelope in the collection basket, turn it in at the Parish Center or give it to Fr. John.*

*Thank you, June Condon*

From the Office of Faith Formation

Remember the parent/child retreat for First Penance families on Saturday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> from 9-11AM. Call Mary Joan in the Parish Center at 465-5432 if you have questions.

Next Confirmation Session will be on Wednesday, January 20, from 7:00-8:15 PM.

Parish Outreach

Our supply of casserole dishes went very quickly! Thank you!

Please be sure to return a cooked casserole on the weekend of February 6 & 7. Label it clearly with contents and the number of people it will feed. Empty casseroles will be available again that weekend.

Youth Choir

We are looking to add a youth choir (grades 5 -12) to our music ministry starting in January. Rehearsals will be once a week with time yet to be set depending on everyone's schedule and availability of OLA facilities. Anyone interested in singing in our new Youth Choir please contact Clare Herm, 463-1867 or jchermo01@aol.com.



The Senior Club of Our Lady of the Angels.

All seniors are encouraged to join our group! Meetings are held on the second Monday of the month at 1:00 PM. For information call Frank Angelone 463-0939, A.Cornell 465-7997, P. Eaves 465-3370. Blood Pressure screening will be available at meetings.

Tropicana Trip on Tuesday, February 16, 2010 to see "Crocodyle Rock" with songs from the 60's, 70's & 80's. Depart Church Parking Lot 10:30 AM. Cost \$15.00 per person. Call Frank or Arline at 463-0939.



Our Lady of the Angels Knights of Columbus Council #12184...

Our Lady of the Angels Council #12184 extends a most cordial welcome to all men, 18 and up, to join fellow parishioners in our dedication to charity. Meetings are held on the second Monday of the month in St. Gabriel Hall at 7:00 pm. For additional information, call Kelly Keppel at 463-9182.

K of C Breakfast



Knights of Columbus Breakfast will be held next Sunday, January 24<sup>th</sup> in St. Gabriel Hall from 8:00-11:00AM. Please join us for a delicious Breakfast.

Scrip Gift Card

Thank You parishioners for purchasing scrip. Your support has made this effort a success. Special thanks to the scrip team for volunteering their time to sell scrip, and of course, the office staff. Checks are most welcome. Your continued support is appreciated and an easy way to aid in our parish's financial health.

St. Vincent De Paul Society

Sincere thanks to everyone who helped in any way to make our visit to the United Way Food Kitchen, First Baptist Church, Wildwood such a success. Thank you to all who shopped for the groceries, prepared the casseroles, and took the time out from their busy schedule to come and help serve the people. It was a very special day and one that we plan to repeat as often as they need us.

We continue to support Holy Redeemer food bank. Last visit, showed that their shelves needed to be replenished. (Cereals, spaghetti and sauce, macaroni, soups, peanut butter, jelly and canned fruits and vegetables. Also, any contributions to the poor box go to purchase the foods that they are in need of.

If you would like to join us in helping to support families in need, please come to our next meeting on Tuesday, January 19 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center.

Social Justice

Catholic Social Teaching call for old and generous action on behalf of the common good. Pope John Paul II

Please remember to deposit your used cell phones and ink cartridges in the container in back of Church to benefit the Haiti Education Fund.

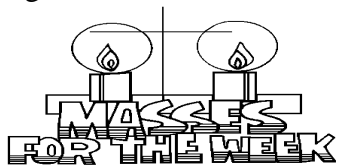
The Children Art Show coming soon. The next Social Justice meeting will be on Monday, January 18, 2010 in the Parish Center.

Respect Life

Sign up sheets are in the Gathering Space for anyone interested in attending this year's annual March for Life. NO charge for bus transportation, but Meals are not included. Please bring a bag lunch. We will be stopping at a restaurant for dinner on the way home. If you cannot attend, please pray for the safety of everyone traveling to Washington, D.C. and for an end to abortion. Thank you and God bless.

Youth Group

Family Night will be January 22<sup>nd</sup> from 6:00-8:30PM. Mexican Pot Luck Dinner, Giant Twister game, Dictionary, Trivial Pursuit and Nerf Gun Mania. Please call or e-mail Chris Conley at 602-2525 or [ConleyFam@gmail.com](mailto:ConleyFam@gmail.com) for more information and plans regarding dinner.



**Saturday, January 16, 2010**

8:00 AM: Adele O'Such by O'Such Family  
 5:00 PM: William JG Dean by Dean Family

**Sunday, January 17, 2010**

8:00 AM: Loleda Rutkowski by Pam Eaves  
 9:30 AM: Rita Daniszewski by Len & Gladys Jurczykowski  
 11:00AM: Peter Flick by Michael & Kathleen McInnes

**Monday, January 18, 2010**

8:00 AM: James Durkin, Jr. by Tony & Mary Durkin

**Tuesday, January 19, 2010**

8:00 AM: Anthony Olivieri by Philip & Carol Fiore

**Wednesday, January 20, 2010**

8:00 AM: Joan Kelley DeIBuono by Husband

**Thursday, January 21, 2010**

8:00 AM: T.J. McGugan by Ralph & Jane DeShan

**Friday, January 22, 2010**

8:00 AM: Jerry Lengyel by OLA K of C Council#12184

**Saturday, January 23, 2010**

8:00 AM :Joe Belz by Nancy Polt  
 5:00 PM: Vistenzo Family by Kathleen Vistenzo

**Sunday, January 24, 2010**

8:00 AM Alberta O'Leary by MaryAnn and Norman Krusen  
 9:30 AM: Maria Gallo-Macri by Family  
 11:00AM: Harry Kane by Steve & Mary Ellen Atzert

**LECTORS**

**Saturday, January 23, 2010**

5:00 PM: R. Jost, G. Arnold

**Sunday, January 24, 2010**

8:00 AM :MJ Piechocki, M. Durkin  
 9:30 AM: A. Herron, M. Sharp  
 11:00 AM: M. Hogan, B. Ravenkamp

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**Saturday, January 23, 2010**

5:00 PM: (C): B. Goetaski, M. Budd, J. Dyer, G. Wade,  
 B. Noel, P. Arnold, S. Jost

**Sunday, January 24, 2010**

8:00 AM: (C): C & D Rodriguez, J & G Collins, G. Harry,  
 T. Lucadema, ME Atzert  
 9:30 AM: (C): G. Sicilia, T. Vodges, D. Watson, E. Moffit,  
 MA Alulis, J. Newman, N. Pearson  
 11:00AM: (C): A. Pakruda, B & L Behl, D. Liptock, M. Levering, T.  
 Bartleson, B. Paggao

**ALTAR SERVERS**

**Saturday, January 23, 2010**

5:00 PM: I. Giampetro, Z. Hurtado

**Sunday, January 24, 2010**

8:00 AM: M. Ellis, N. McKenna  
 9:30 AM: M. Conte, A. Sarmiento  
 11:00AM: A. Sullivan, K. Whitehead

**Weekly Contribution Analysis**  
 Fiscal Year 2010 – Week of 01/10/10

	Last Year	This Year
<b><u>Current Week</u></b>	8,635	9,662

**Fiscal Year to Date 07/01/09 to 01/10/10**

	Last Year	This Year
<b><u>Ordinary</u></b>	246,350	238,844
	<u>25,143</u>	<u>20,442</u>
	271,493	259,286

**Compared to Budget Year to Date**

<b><u>Ordinary</u></b>	261,283	238,844
	<u>25,000</u>	<u>20,442</u>
	286,283	259,286

FY 2010 which began on July 1, 2009 is currently 12,207 lower than FY 2009. Please note: the budgeted fiscal year 2010 offertory is approximately 5.8% higher than fiscal year 2009 actual results. We are currently \$26,997 lower than 2010 budget. Your continued generosity is required to meet our growing parish.

**Debt. Reduction Analysis**

To review Fr. John's challenge to reduce the outstanding debt, by requesting each family to include in their monthly offering \$30/month using a combination of the debt collection envelope and the scrip program, the following analysis will be provided monthly. Interest on our debt. is \$68,000 a year, please be generous.

	<u>Monthly Contribution</u>	<u>Scrip Program</u>	<u>Total</u>
Dec.	6271	1,472	7,743
2009 Calendar Yr. To Date	56,609	16,112	72,721

**IRS Statements for 2009 Contributions**

Parishioners who would like a statement of weekly contributions to Our Lady of the Angels for the year 2009 are asked to complete the form below and return it in a collection envelope during the month of January. According to the Revenue Reconciliation Act of 1993, contributions of \$250 or more require proof as charitable deductions for tax purposes. We record donations according to envelope numbers and are prepared to send statements early in the new year to parishioners who wish them.

Please mail me a statement of my 2006 weekly contributions for IRS purposes.

PLEASE PRINT:

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

ENVELOPE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADORATION DEVOTION**

Take time out to talk with HIM. Pour your heart out to the LORD, and dedicate your future fulfillment to HIM. Have faith as each chapter of your story is written. Register for your one half hour for the ADORATION DEVOTION February 5<sup>th</sup> in the Chapel.