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Third Sunday Ordinary Time

January 26, 2014

DEAR YOUNG PEOPLE, DO NOT BURY YOUR TALENTS, THE GIFTS THAT GOD HAS GIVEN YOU! DO NOT BE AFRAID TO DREAM OF GREAT THINGS!
 POPE FRANCIS



Next Weekend is BIG #1 "Soup-er Bowl Weekend" National Weekend of Collecting Food and Funds for the Pantry
 Of late, our donations have been meager. Can we "beef them up" next weekend?

Next weekend PLS don't forget

Our pantry needs

- All kinds of soups (excluding cream of mushroom)
- Canned Tuna Egg Noodles Spaghetti
- Spaghetti Sauce Macaroni and Cheese
- Peanut Butter Jelly
- Ramen Noodles Canned/Instant Potatoes
- Apple Sauce Oatmeal
- AND/OR for the AIDS Ministry**
- Detergent and Personal Supplies
- AND/OR NCM Emergency Fund**
- Cash

- #2 Saturday after Mass Meet and Greet Super Bowl Party**
 There will be great food and friendship Plan on staying... No need to bring anything... but you can if you want fingerfood!
- #3 Sunday Formation /Skiing/ Big Game**

WE GATHER

- Sunday 10AM Eucharist
- 11AM K-6 Gathering
- Tuesday 10 AM Adult Home Communion Service
- 8PM AA Jaracz Hall
- Thursday 12N AA Jaracz Hall
- Friday 4PM RCIA Convent
- Sat Super Bowl Vigil— Tail Gait Party Narthex
- 2/11 6-7P Ministers of Care
- 2/12 6:30-8:30P Pastoral Council
- 7P Women's Spirituality
- 2/15 9A-3P Tax Prep
- 3/5 ASH WEDNESDAY!!
- 3/30 "Wing Off" for Youth in Mission
- 4/26 Gala for Mito Hope and Help
- 5/2 NCM Gala

WE TEACH

- K-6 Schedule for January and February**
- 1/26 "Whaddaya' Know! God's here all along!"
 - 2/2 "God Has Chosen Me!"
 - 2/9 "We are all on a journey."
 - 2/23 "Food for the Journey"
- 7-12 Schedule 4-7PM**
- 2/16; 3/16; 4/13; 5/18



FEBRUARY 1—AFTER EUCHARIST
 NEXT SATURDAY
 MEET/GREET RETURNS!
SUPER BOWL VIGIL!!
 "TAIL GATE VIGIL PARTY!"
 PLAN ON IT.

WE WORSHIP

Mass Intentions

- Saturday 1/25 4:30PM **MARY TARANTELLI - 1st Anniversary**
 Req. Ed & Ann Tarantelli
- Sunday 1/26 **TOM HAVENS - 2nd Anniversary**
 Req by Renate Elber
- Saturday, 2/1 4:30PM **ROY SLATTERY**
 Req. by Slattery Family
- Sun, 2/2, 10AM **CHRISTOPHER BENCIVENGA**
 Req. by Bob & Sue Shepler

Available Mass Dates - February & March
 Saturdays 2/8, 2/15, 3/1, 3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29
 Sundays 2/16, 3/2, 3/9, 3/23, 3/30



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 Every Wednesday, 8:30am – 9pm
 Sacred Heart Church, Lake George
 Chaplet Divine Mercy - Wednesdays 3pm

Prayer Chain: Contact Alice Damp
 623-3618 or edaldamp@yahoo.com

In January, the "Tabernacle Candle" burns in memory of **George Smith**, requested by his daughter, Marianne Carroll.



SOUP

This is "win-win!"
 We have a healthy fresh meal and St. C's benefits from each sale!



This Weekend, **Betty Kusky**, Soup-Maker_ Par Excellent, \$5/pint donation suggested. First come, first served.

"Start up Menu"

- #2 January 25/26 Classic Chicken Noodle Soup
- #3 February 1/2 Curried Butternut Squash Apple and Onion Bisque
- #4 February 8/9 Vegetable Beef Barley

THANK YOU, BETTY!!!

And don't forget.....

10% BACK!!! When you bring this bulletin to dinner at Lizzy Keyes, 10% of the cost of the entrees will be donated back to St. Cecilia's Church, kindness of Tom and Amber Grace.

The bulletin insert is important... Please check out both sides of it.

Do you like digital photography?

- 1) Our parish "Facebook" on the stand inside the door of the narthex needs to be completed! Plenty of folks provided pictures that never made it! Want to help? Speak to Sister Linda.
- 2) Our bulletin cover could change every six weeks if only someone would make a collage of our pictures and forward it! YOU?

TNK TNK TNK TNK TNK
 Say only what is True, Necessary, and Kind.

Try it for a week. It is harder than you think!



Welcome to **Meghan Siergiey**, student at St. Mary's/St. Alphonsus' School. Meghan will speak to us about Catholic Education. Four St. C families send their children to St. Mary's: Siletti, LaRose, Swan-Scott, and the Millers.

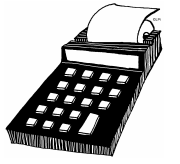
WE SERVE

SHARING TREASURE

Last Sunday: \$1,293.03 Make-Up = \$93
 Gifts = \$332 Fuel = \$260
 Parishioners Needs = \$120 Mito = \$5
 Youth Mission Trip = \$105
 Bottles/Cans = \$95.70

Thanks so much !

Finance Report and Letters are ready. Thanks to Linda Gaiotti. Questions? Ask Linda G!



THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

A huge thank you to **Jane Skorko** who offered to be our "Music Librarian" - a big job! Thank you to all who attended the Craft Fair Meeting: Co Chairs **John Cleveland** and **Linda Gaiotti** and Committee Members **Donna Emerson, Ann Murphy, Regina Porter, Johanna Morin, Suzanne Glebus, and Sister Linda.** (Please see the bull insert for further info.)

Thank you to **Ann Rubin** for the wonderful "Special Project" for the K-6 kids and to **Emily Kladis** for the interesting high school class on "virtue" last weekend. Thanks to **Clark Orton, Mike Glebus, and Ed Gaiotti** for thawing the frozen pipes in the Hall, wrapping them in heat tape, and solving the mystery as to why it was happening. Solved!. They saved the day! Thank you **Gail Lawson** who worked for hours putting data into the census, and to **Linda Gaiotti** for single-handedly producing the personal financial letters. Thank you to **Tina Gosselin** for vacuuming the church again this week.

LITTLE KIDS IN WBG ARE COLD!!

Spread the word...put it on Facebook... make a call...that Warm Clothing for Babies to Toddlers is desperately needed at 'North Country Clothing Outlet' at the Center on Main Street across from the Post Office, Also desperately needed is disposable diapers size 5 and 6. Drop them at the Center or in the Narthex...whichever works best for you! Thanks.

PRAYER FOR PEACE IN SYRIA

(Did you see the recent report about torture? It is being compared to the Holocaust!!!)

God of Compassion, hear the cries of the people of Syria. Bring healing to those suffering from the violence, bring comfort to those mourning the dead, strengthen Syria's neighbors in their care and welcome for refugees, convert the hearts of those who have taken up arms, and protect those committed to peace.


God of Hope, inspire leaders to choose peace over violence and to seek reconciliation with enemies, Inspire the Church around the world with compassion for the people of Syria, and give us hope for a future of peace built on justice for all.

We ask t his through Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace and Light of the World.
 Amen

Free!


Federal and State Tax Return Preparation

If you earn less than \$51,000



Do Your Own Taxes online or make an appointment with a Certified Trained IRS Volunteer

Go to www.tcuwny.org for more information on VITA and the link to My Free Taxes



To MAKE an appointment call 1-800-211-5128 Warren County ext 200

At St. C's Saturdays, 9A –3P, February 15 and March 1

At United Methodist Church, February 22 and March 8

At Cornell Cooperative Extension, Most Wednesdays in February and March

Make Super Bowl 2014 A Big Win. . . Against Human Trafficking

There are more slaves now than at any time in human history – an estimated 21 million people in every country of the world including the United States. Women and men, girls and boys are trafficked for commercial sex or forced labor.

Often traffickers take advantage of large sporting events, like the Super Bowl, as an opportunity for a lucrative market. Many religious and civic organizations in the tri-state area have been very active in educating about this often hidden reality. But the problem doesn't disappear with the end of the game. Become informed and active in the fight against modern day slavery.

Polaris Project:
Combating Human Trafficking
and Modern-day Slavery
www.polarisproject.org

PRAYER TO END HUMAN TRAFFICKING

God of freedom, beauty and truth
we believe that your deepest desire,
your most powerful energy,
is that all creation might know abundant life.

We raise our voices in anguished prayer
for our sisters and brothers,
women and girls, men and boys,
who are modern day slaves;
They are your beloved daughters and sons,
exploited sexually or forced to work
because of human violence and greed.



Fill us with your holy anger and your sacred passion
that those who are trafficked might know healing
and justice;
that traffickers will come to repentance and conversion;
that all of us might live in such a way
that others are not made to pay the price
for our comfort and convenience.

Hasten the coming of the day when all people
and our precious Earth itself
will be treated, not as a commodity,
but as radiant images of your freedom, beauty and truth.
Amen. May it be so.



Super Bowl Sunday

Include this petition in your Sunday
worship on February 2, 2014

For all victims of human trafficking
throughout the world, especially for
those for whom the Super Bowl might
be a time of abuse and entrapment,
that they may know freedom and
fullness of life, we pray...

Trafficking Information & Referral Hotline 1-888-373-7888

SISTERS OF CHARITY OF SAINT ELIZABETH/LADIES OF CHARITY, USA

2014 Christmas Craft Fair

St. Cecilia Weekend
11/21-22
Thanksgiving Weekend
11/29-30



Help needed / welcome.

*MEN....
We need you.!!!
Read on!*

3 ways to help:

- 1) **Check your stash** and donate any.... Just leave in narthex, anytime.
raffia / lace / paper doilies / Christmas Cotton Fabric/
 $\frac{3}{4}$ " wood (nice wood, clean, various sizes from 6" to 12" by 6" to 12") / Small and medium wooden spheres (for heads!) / Christmas Cotton Fabric / Quart Mason Jars (in great shape with total cap) / Christmas Ribbon (not the paper "curley" kind) / Red/White/Green tapers / Christmas candles (short pillars) / Wine glasses / tumblers or rock glasses / Small round pine cones / Large pine cones / New rolls of Christmas paper
- 2) **Offer to help!**
 - a) Sooner than later, there will be a few parties to "glue-glitter-ribbon-paint" etc. assembly line It will be fun!
 - b) Maybe you have a craft to offer. Let a committee member know.
 - c) We need quite a bit of wood cut into specific shapes... and sizes for signs. ... half circles... Rectangles... easy shapes. Do you have the equipment and time? We need your help.
- 3) **No Time? No Talent? We need your "treasure!"**

The committee cannot buy all the materials. What is not donated will be purchased. Can you offer money? Put the donation in the green basket - Use your regular envelop and describe your donation under "other" or just put it in a regular envelop, mark it, and toss it in the green basket.

THANKS!

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