

Jack's Jottings

Fr. Jack has written a catechetical piece on the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Please see the **enclosed insert**, with an update on our parish ministry to the homebound.

MISCELLANEOUS TIDBITS

PLEASE NOTE:

If you have an announcement for the January 23rd/24th bulletin please email it by Tues., Jan. 19th to Jenny Lawson at jlawson@stagneslouisville.org
Thank you!!!

For Your Reflection this week Scripture Readings for January 24th:

Reading I – Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10
Reading II – 1 Corinthians 12:12-30
Gospel – Luke 1:1-4. 4:14-21

THANK YOU

"Thanks very much to Carolyn Pape and all the ladies on the Bereavement Committee who donated and served the food following the funeral of my sister, Charlaine Hays. We were all so appreciative of your support at this very sad time.

Sincerely,
Charlaine Hays Family"

SENGA NEWS

Trip Information to New Orleans
The Senior Group at St. Raphael's has invited anyone who is interested to join them on a trip to New Orleans, March 23-28 – 6 days & 5 nights – 10 meals for \$795.00 double occupancy; \$100.00 deposit required; final payment due by Feb. 15th. For more information call Dave at 451-0723 or Ann Plamp, 491-4011 for a flyer. Insurance is available.

St. Paul UMC (corner of Bardstown Rd and Douglass Blvd) is hosting nationally recognized speaker, Kirk Martin for his "Celebrate Calm" workshop. It is geared toward parents and teachers, called – "10 Secrets to a Stress-free Home and School." Come join us on Wednesday, Jan. 20th, 6:30pm in St. Paul's gym. Free and open to the public!

Worship

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY – WEEKDAY

7:00 AM Fr. Walter Kaelin, CP
Marcella Kaelin/Pearl James
10:00 AM Communion Service

TUESDAY – WEEKDAY

7:00 AM Jack Gleason & Family
10:00 AM Charlaine Hays

WEDNESDAY – ST. FABIAN, POPE/MARTYR ST. SEBASTIAN, MARTYR

7:00 AM Charles & Ellen Summitt
10:00 AM Mary Louise Zellich

THURSDAY – ST. AGNES, VIRGIN & MARTYR

7:00 AM Nan Bishop
10:00 AM Fr. Kent Pieper, C.P.

FRIDAY – ST. VINCENT, DEACON & MARTYR

7:00 AM Jody Gates
10:00 AM Kenny McConnell

SATURDAY – BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

5:00 PM Tony Mitchell/Hampton Elliott

SUNDAY – 3rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 AM Dorothy Rushing/Margaret Dumstorf
11:30 AM Charlaine Hays/Lynn Pearson

REPAIR AFFAIR – For all of you "regulars" and those waiting for another good reason to come out in June and help the St. Agnes team work miracles on a Saturday, we have an offer for you! You may or may not have heard about Disney's "Give A Day/Get A Day" volunteer program which entitles you to a free pass to any Disney Park for a day that you give to volunteerism, but New Direction's Repair Affair is on the list! Go to www.disneyparks.com and pre-register for New Direction's Repair Affair for June 12, 2010. There are other worthy causes you can sign up for if you can't make it on that day, but we'll be looking for your "Mickey Ears" on Saturday, June 12th! Questions, call Jerry or Cherie, 339-8567. Thank you!

Kevin Skendzel representing **Diocesan Publications** (our Bulletin Publisher) will be at the parish house this week renewing present advertisements and seeking new ones. If interested, please call the parish office, 451-2220. We feel this is an excellent service and that the sponsors get good coverage with their ads. THANKS TO YOU and DIOCESAN PUBLICATIONS, the bulletin is published weekly at no cost to the parish.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

SUNDAY–JANUARY 17th

Nursery in Charity Hall during 9AM Liturgy
 Sunday Sch for Preschool in Charity Hall during 9AM Liturgy
 Children's Liturgy of the Word during 9AM Liturgy
 10:20 AM Open Prayer Day – Aloysius Hall

MONDAY – JANUARY 18th

Martin Luther King Holiday
School & Parish House closed!

7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul mtg. – Aloysius Hall
 7:00 PM Scouts – MR-A&B

TUESDAY – JANUARY 19th

11:00 AM Recovery – Aloysius Hall
 3:00 PM Children's Bell Choir – School
 3:00 PM Governor's Cup Competition – Parish Ctr.
 6:30 PM Finance mtg. – Staff lunchroom
 7:00 PM PTO Board mtg. – Parish Center
 7:00 PM Baptism Rehearsal – Church
 7:30 PM Adult Bell – School

WEDNESDAY – JANUARY 20th

9:00 AM School Open House for prospective parents
 1:00 PM Staff mtg. – Staff lunchroom
 2:30 PM BFH Campaign Event – PC & MR-C
 3:00 PM Children's Bell Choir – School
 3:15 PM Gr2 Brwn/Gr1 Daisies – MR-A&B
 6:30 PM Religious Education – St. S. Martyr
 7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul District mtg. – Staff lunchroom
 7:00 PM AFF mtg. – MR-A
 7:00 PM Contemporary Choir – Church

THURSDAY – JANUARY 21st – FEAST OF ST. AGNES!

10:00 AM All School Liturgy – Church
 1:00 PM Ladies Bridge – Aloysius Hall
 5:30 PM School Event – Church
 6:30 PM School Event – Parish Center
 6:30 PM Audit Committee mtg. – MR-A
 7:00 PM RCIA mtg. – Aloysius Hall
 7:00 PM Traditional Choir – Church

FRIDAY – JANUARY 22nd

7:30 AM Men's Prayer Group – Staff lunchroom
 3:15 PM Gr. 3 Brownies – MR-A&B

SATURDAY–JANUARY 23rd – BAPTISM WEEKEND

District Governor's Cup Competition in the Parish Center
 8:00 AM VDP Ozanam Orientation – Aloysius Hall

SUNDAY – JANUARY 24th - BAPTISM WEEKEND

Nursery in Charity Hall during 9AM Liturgy
 Nursery Volunteers: Kim & Todd Meehan
 Sunday Sch for Preschool in Charity Hall during 9AM Liturgy
 Teachers: Sarah & John Murrow Topic: "God Gave Us Water"
 Children's Liturgy of the Word during 9AM Liturgy
 Teachers:
 7:00 PM Justice Sunday – Aloysius Hall

MIN. OF COMMUNION– JANUARY 23rd/24th

5:00 PM Terri Kurtz CB, Suzanne Feller MB,
 Penny McTighe MW1, Beth Stuber MW2,
 Chris Banta JB, Phyllis Dries JW1, Ann
 Peterson JW2
 9:00 AM Effie Goodwin CB, Mary Pt Sexton MB,
 Peggy Byrne MW1, Marlene Wolf MW2,
 Jerry Hettinger JB, Cherie Hettinger
 JW1, Marilyn Rose JW2, Michelle
 Schaefer CHB, Michael Rueff CHW
 11:30 AM Joe Pfeifer CB, David Lohr MB, Doris
 Sostarich MW1, Jennifer Ackerman
 MW2, Joe Sostarich JB, Ann Thornberry
 JW1, Michael Ackerman JW2

LECTORS – JANUARY 23rd/24th

5:00 PM Rich Pape & Lou Conkling
 9:00 AM Ben Jackey & Naomirose Paulin
 11:30 AM Tom Ording & Betty Arnett

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY–JANUARY 23rd/24th

5:00 PM Mary Bohler & Russ Dages
 9:00 AM Ed Kimmel or Nancy Kimmel, Joseph
 Bisig, Tim Niehoff, and Mike Helline
 11:30 AM Jack Abby, Jackie Grimes, & Vince
 Lucchese

GREETERS – JANUARY 23rd/24th

5:00 PM Clem & Rose Russell
 9:00 AM The John Harris Family
 11:30 AM The Tony Murphy Family

MINISTERS OF MUSIC – JANUARY 23rd/24th

5:00 PM Gina Schneider, Joe Edlin
 9:00 AM Beverly Bisig, Joe Edlin
 11:30 AM tba, Joe Edlin/Marilyn Cross, Advanced
 Youth & Children's Choir

WEEKDAY SERVERS–JANUARY 19th-22nd

10:00 AM (TU) Rachel Fenton & Nicole Karem
 10:00 AM (WED) Jack Ervin & Benjamin Fultz
 10:00 AM (THURS) Kathryn Jury & Jenny Lohr
 10:00 AM (FRI) Connor Barnes & Lowell Brown

WEEKEND HIGH SCH. SERVERS–JAN. 23rd/24th

5:00 PM Jake Ford & Sophie Ford
 9:00 AM Hunter Fischer & Annie Nash
 11:30 AM Dylan Kupper & Adrian Bauscher

Community

Please pray for our sick

Helen Schmidt	Jenny Robinson Sass
Marce & Bernie Trager	Edward Stauble
Mary Masterson	Shirley Renders
Herman Karrer	Jim & Marlene Ryan
Margaret Reed	Phil & Ann Meisel
Damion Kline	Pat Lega
John Johnson	Bill Buchart
Jesse & Wanda Johnson	Nancy Bowling Thompson
Jennifer Lee	Andrew McKinley
Irene Walsh	David Smucker
Amanda Bern	Mary Joann Taylor
Serena Summers	Jane Wagner
Helen M. Krebs	Terry Powell
Anna Maria Beck	Pat Sheehan
Robert Coury	Barbara Yates
Michelle McCoy	Sandee Schweickart
Karen Cocker	Karen Wright
Kevin Lamkin	Emily Deutsch Schmitt
Lisa Whitus	Doris Ward
Cisi Burlew	Clarence Schreck
Susan Masters	Tommy Gutierrez
Tina Bittel	Daphne Herzog
Martha Spalding	Steve Stout
Jim Hall	Sr. Jane Hall, SCN
Dick Hall	Pat Vincent
Suzanne Bischoff	Jerome & Jean Raque
Lois Hunn	John Tarter
Jane Ekart	Mary Starr
Jeanie Durbin	George Herbig
Patrick Hanley	Ron Powers
Janie Duggins	Riley Pfeiffer
Chris Ising	Marge Spalding
Linda & Rich Jeskel	Dennis Orf
Grace Sternberg	

Rest In Peace

Please remember in your prayers loved ones of our parish family who have died:

Nan Bishop

Mary Louise Zellich (102 years old)

Lucy Ryan (Mother of Jim Ryan)

Dick Monroe (Brother of Bobbie Johnson)

Herbert Overly (Father of David Overly)

May God grant them eternal joy and peace.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH, SERVICE, COMPASSION AND ACTION OPPORTUNITIES AND NEWS

Those interested in joining SVdP – St. Vincent de Paul will be having their monthly meeting on Monday, Jan. 18th at 7pm in Aloysius Hall. Please feel free to come by and join us. We are always accepting new members, and welcome visitors interested but undecided. There are many types of jobs in our organization. Find one that fits you! Call Kate Harney at 708-1227 or email her at: harney.katherine@insightbb.com with any questions.

SILENT PRAYER FOR RESPECT FOR LIFE AND AN END TO ABORTION *TODAY, SUNDAY, JANUARY 17*

You are invited to be part of our monthly silent prayer service on an area of life concern, celebrating the beauty of all God's creation. Please join us today, **Sunday, January 17th, to pray specifically for an end to abortion.** Come and stay for a moment or as long as you can between masses, from 10:20 – 11:20am in Aloysius Hall. Light a candle for all people (mothers, family members, healthcare workers) struggling with decisions involving unborn babies. This event is cosponsored by the St. Agnes Compassion and Action Committee and the Parish Social Ministry Department of Catholic Charities.

A CELEBRATION OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN RELIGIOUS IN OUR COMMUNITY: *The Next "Justice Sunday"*

The next Justice Sunday will be **Jan 24th from 6:30 to 9pm at Aloysius Hall.** We will have the opportunity to learn about some of the fine current ministries of the Dominican Sisters of Peace (seven newly merged Dominican communities including the Kentucky Dominicans), the Ursuline Sisters, the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth and the Sisters of Mercy. Come celebrate, hear and tell stories of the many ministries (past and present) that have shaped the Catholic Church of Louisville for two centuries. Refreshments at 6:30 with presentations and discussion following at 7pm.

2010 CARNIVAL CORNER

ST. AGNES 2010 CARNIVAL will be July 16th & 17th. Lots of volunteers are needed – so please plan your vacation around it. More information available on the parish website.



NEEDED: CARNIVAL CO-CHAIR(S), 2010-2012

A couple or individual is needed to join the Carnival Leadership Team as Carnival Co-Chair(s). This three-year commitment will begin in 2010, shadowing the current co-chairs, and will continue through summer 2012. This year's volunteer(s) will specifically learn to administer the "Financial" aspects of the Carnival, including promotion & publicity, sponsorships, major prize, gaming, and money room. (Please be assured that all those subcommittee chairmanships are already staffed by returning volunteers; the co-chair's job is simply to learn and coordinate.) **This is a very fulfilling and rewarding opportunity, and an excellent way to express your commitment to the success of our annual Carnival!** Please consider your interest, and contact any of the current co-chairs for more information: Chris Mueller at 451-0007 or cnajm@insightbb.com or Corinne & Jason Greenberg at 459-8638 or jbgcmg@bellsouth.net. Thank you for your prayerful consideration of this calling!

CARNIVAL 2010

Open position needing to be filled on the Carnival Team! The **Spirit Wear Procurement** Team Member is essential to one of our most popular booths! Someone that is familiar with or willing to learn purchasing is required. This is not a job soliciting donations, but if you are good at getting a great price and great inventory, **WE NEED YOU!** This job may be good for someone with pre-High School kids who would enjoy seeing the Parochial High Schools. Contact Kate Harney at 708-1227 or Harney.katherine@insightbb.com if you are interested!

Education

ST. AGNES PARISH SCHOOL

- There will be an Open House for Prospective Parents on Wednesday, January 20th from 9:00 – 11:00. Personal tours may also be arranged at other times by calling the school office at 458-2850.
- Applications for Kindergarten 2010-2011 should be turned into the school office by February 1st. Applications for other grades may be turned in at any time.
- St. Agnes will host the District Level Governor's Cup Competition on Tuesday, January 19th and Saturday, January 23rd.
- The entire school will celebrate the Feast of St. Agnes at the 10:00 liturgy on Thursday, January 21st.

YOUTH MINISTRY

THIS Sunday, Jan. 17th, we will be joining St. Aloysius and St. Margaret Mary to plan the social portion and design the T-shirt for Food Fast 2010, which will be March 6-7th. We will meet at St. Margaret Mary from 1-2:30 p.m. – we will meet after 11:30 Mass to carpool there.

Drop-in is Tuesday, Jan. 19th, from 7-9 p.m. We will be working on props for the Wizard of Oz Father/Daughter Dance.

Mission Trip 2010 information update – The low cost of \$350 (including a \$50 deposit, many fundraising opportunities are available) gets you: **50 hours of service in the urban setting of Atlanta, GA, whitewater rafting, an Atlanta Braves game, and more.** Trip dates are June 25th -July 2nd, and **the absolute last date to sign up is Sunday, Feb. 7th.** The trip is open to anyone currently in high school. Contact Mary Furmanek if interested.

Calling parents and adults of the parish who care about the spiritual lives of our youth – we are always willing to welcome new people to minister and share their gifts with the youth of the parish. If this is a stewardship opportunity that interests you, contact Mary (mfurmanek@stagneslouisville.org) and stop by a youth ministry gathering to see what we are about!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

As we begin a New Year with a new President – Kate Harney – and Vice-President – Dick Scherrer – we will continue to reach out. Your St. Agnes St. VDP Conference has been and will be a viable resource to those in **NEED**. This year we delivered 183 Christmas Baskets. Although there were a couple of glitches in the delivery process, for the most part it went well. Sending a **GREAT BIG THANK YOU** to everyone who helped. We cannot do this without all of the wonderful donations and volunteers. God Bless You,
Judy Seidt

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

2nd SUNDAY IN ORD TIME – JANUARY 17, 2010

“There are different gifts but the same Spirit; there are different ministries but the same Lord; there are different works but the same God who accomplishes all of them in everyone.” I Corinthians 12:4-6

A thankful steward knows that all our possessions are a result of God's grace. What we make of our lives depends on our hard work, but what talents we possess are all gifts from God.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR 2010!

Catholic Faith Café in Aloysius Hall

Eucharist Spirituality – How our deepening and developing understanding of Eucharist impacts our spirituality and prayer life.

Instructor: Ms. Virginia Brown, Educational and Ministry Consultant

Sundays, Once Monthly, from 10:15 until 11:25 a.m.

February 14th, and March 14th

2010 Walk for Life

Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Louisville Youth Ministry Office

On Friday, January 22nd, youth and families from around the Archdiocese will gather for a walk around downtown Louisville to pray for life and justice issues of all types. Prayer stops will include the court house, an abortion clinic, and hospital junction. The group will meet in the Cathedral Undercroft at 5 p.m. and will return by 7 p.m.

This event is geared toward high school and junior high youth, but families are welcome to participate as a unit.

To sign up as an individual (teenager) or as a family, contact Mary Furmanek at 452-2502 no later than Wednesday, January 20th with the number that will be attending

Health & Hope, a support group for Catholics struggling with mental health issues will have its monthly meeting on Thursday, January 21st at 7:00 PM at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Center, 508 Breckenridge Lane. Discussions, spiritual readings and refreshments are included. For more information call Steve at 895-1184.

CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS

Donated by:

Jack & Marlene Will

Carol Kline Thompson

Doris & John Trimble

Codey Family

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Tom & Shirley Renders

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In Memory of:

Peggy & John Will

Charles Garry Clayton

Norman & Louise Kline

Stauble & Trimble Fams.

Natalie Thompson

William & Jane Renders

William & Helen Gruner

Louis Perry Family

Administration

This section will be updated in next week's bulletin.

Collection from

01/10/10

\$11,308.32

Envelopes	\$10,816.32
Loose	490.75
Children's Envelopes	1.25
ACTUAL	11,308.32

Thank you for your generous gift of Treasure!

PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY

Tech. Sgt. Mary Atkinson & Mast. Sgt. Rob Atkinson, U.S. Air Force

Major Todd Knights, U.S. Air Force, Afghanistan

Sgt. Randall "Randy" Pike, Kandahar, Afghanistan

Gen. Christopher Tucker, Army, Saudi Arabia

LCPL Joe Sabel, Marine, Iraq

Spec. 4 Leigh Anne Moffatt, Army, Ft. Sam, Houston, TX

Brian Silverstein, US Navy

Sgt. John R. Reid, Army

LCPL Joshua Johnson, Camp Le Jeune, North Carolina

Major Will Kepley, Iraq

Spec. Benjamin Wing, 101st Airborne, Afghanistan

1st Lt. Maria Borders, US Air Force, Iraq

Major Michael Borders, Jr., US Air Force, Arizona

Cpt. Julie Hurst, Army, Iraq

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Honor Thy Children

2010 Safe Environment Training Schedule

1/26/10	6:30 p.m.	St. Michael, Griner Hall
2/ 4/10	6:30 p.m.	Holy Trinity, Cafeteria

Archbishop Joseph Kurtz invites you to attend a Mass of Thanksgiving for the appointment of Bishop-elect William F. Medley, a priest of the Archdiocese of Louisville, as the fourth Bishop of Owensboro. The Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated at the Cathedral of the Assumption, 433 S. Fifth Street, on Tuesday, January 19th.

The 2010 Catholic Directory for the Archdiocese of Louisville is now available at the office of *The Record*, Maloney Center, 1200 South Shelby Street. The Directory includes the following: Sunday and holy day Masses at all churches; a listing of all parishes, schools, archdiocesan agencies, priests, deacons, and religious; and other information of interest. The cost is \$20.00 per book if picked up and \$22.50 each by mail. Make checks payable to *The Record*. Credit cards are also accepted.

Stand Up in Defense of Human Life

**Attend the Annual Archdiocesan Pro-Life Mass
Sunday, January 17, 2010
3:00 p.m.**

**Saint Martin of Tours Church, 639 South Shelby
Street**

Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz, Celebrant

**Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus; Ancient Order of
Hibernians; and Knights of St. John**

MEDITATION COURSES

A ten-week series of classes is offered every fall and spring. Each series teaches the basic skills and practices of meditation from a different vantage point – using the insights from Christian and Jewish mystics, Eastern spiritual traditions, transpersonal psychology and current studies in human consciousness. The study includes an investigation of the levels of human consciousness, the psycho-spiritual dynamics of inner growth, and the foundations of an integral spirituality which honors and includes all aspects of life. These classes are for experienced meditators who wish to deepen and mature their practice.

MEDITATION FOR BEGINNERS

This class is for those interested in learning or becoming re-familiar with the practice of meditation. It includes: basic instructions in a method of Christian insight meditation; the psychological and scriptural underpinnings of the practice; a map of the inner world; and guidance for applying these teachings in daily life. Meditation is taught as a way of self discovery and accessing the Kingdom of Heaven within.

Current Offering for Beginners – Encountering the Inner Christ

Saturday, Feb. 6th – 9am-3:30pm

Orientation of Meditation (prerequisite for Wednesday classes)

Ten Wednesday classes: beginning Feb. 10, 17, 24, Mar.

3, 10, 17, 31, Apr. 7, 14, 21, 10-11:30am or 7-8:30pm

The same class will be presented mornings and evenings.

Participants can arrange to attend either session.

Text: *The Kingdom Within* by John Sanford

For more information: contact Beth Zangari at the Earth & Spirit Center, 452-2749 weekdays, 9am-3pm or email earthandspirit@passionist.org. Suggested donation: \$140. No one will be refused for lack of funds.