

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. HEDWIG CHURCH

PARISH PRAYER

January 20 thru January 24, 2010

Wednesday 7:00 PM Special Intention
Greg & Mary Ann Marciniak
Saturday 5:00 PM Stanley & Clara Lerczak
Sunday 10:00 AM Parish Family
Worship Aid Dedication: In celebration of 65th
Wedding Anniversary of Stan & Jean Madziar

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE

Saturday, January 23, 5:00 PM Mass

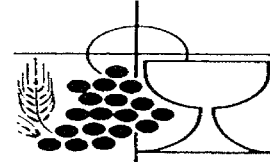
Mass Server: Tim Wolter
Lector: Kathy Bigelow
E. Ministers: Paul Mrozinski
Mary Pake
Cathy Wachowiak
Greeters: Martha Rex
Joan Petcher

Sunday, January 24, 10:00 AM Mass

Mass Servers: Jamie Middleton
Seth Taylor
Lectors: Steve Krakowski
Diane Middleton
E. Ministers: George Thomas, Crystal
Troy & Sandy, Houghtaling
Crystal Houghtaling
Greeters: Ray & Kathy Brown
Dave & Michelle Wade
Shut-in- Minister: Marsha Thomas

Liturgies for the Week

St. Mary's -Tue. - Fri. Mass 8:00 AM, Sat. 4:00
PM Sun. 8:30 AM & 11:00AM
St. Hedwig - Wed. 7:00 PM, Sat. 5:00 PM &
Sun.10:00 AM
Holy Trinity -Tue. Noon, Sat. 4:30 PM, Sun. 8:30
& 10:30 AM



Stewardship Thought: In today's second reading, St. Paul tells the Corinthians (and us) that all of our gifts are from God and that they are given, not for ourselves alone, but for the common good. But the generosity of God knows no limits – the miracle at Cana reminds us that whenever we faithfully do as God asks, He can change our gifts of water into wine!

Today's Reading

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Isaiah 62:1-5
1 Corinthians 12:4-11
John 2:1-11

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Next Week's Readings
Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10
1 Corinthians 12:12-30
Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Weekly Parish Collection...\$ 3,060.50

-30% BAC's Assessment . . . \$ 918.00
-1% Tithing 31.00
Parish Total \$ 2,111.50
Children's Collection . . 16.40
Extra Expense: Orkin Pest Control \$140.67

Special prayers or intentions:
Rose Marie 684-1052

Sponsor of the Week

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This Week in the Parish

Monday, Jan. 18 –NO Faith Formation or
Good Shepherd classes.
Wednesday, Jan. 20– Mass 7:00 PM
Take Note.....CANCELED Soup Supper on
January 20th.

From Sr. Joann, You will notice by Father Kevin's green vestments that we are back in Ordinary Time. ("Ordinary" meaning ordered rather than normal.) We will continue to be in "Ordered Time" until the Season of Lent begins in a month with Ash Wednesday on February 17th.

In the next two weeks you will have the opportunity to sign up for the **Disciples in Mission** program. Those who participated in **Disciples** last year gave it rave reviews. This can be accredited not only to the excellent material presented but also the tireless dedication of our parish committee. A sign-up sheet appears as an insert in today's bulletin. Completed sheets may be dropped in the collection basket or placed next weekend on a table which will be set up in our Gathering Space. I encourage everyone not only to commit themselves to this opportunity to grow in their faith but also to invite others to do the same. They will thank you for it, believe me!

This Monday the nation celebrates the birthday of Martin Luther King. It is a good time to remind each of us of the work that still needs to be done to achieve racial harmony in our nation. Let us keep in our prayers all who by their race or poverty are trapped in situations which are demeaning to our common humanity.

Wednesday very early (5:18AM) I will be taking a plane out of Flint headed for New Orleans in order to make my annual retreat at a Dominican House of Retreat. I will be spending three extra days visiting with Adrian Dominicans, friends of mine, who live nearby and returning late on Friday, January 29. I find the warmth and ability to walk outside such an advantage when getting away from the daily routine to spend quality time with the Lord. I promise to keep each of you in my prayers and ask that you do the same for me.

2009 Contribution Report

If you would like a copy of your 2009 parish contributions please drop a self addressed stamped envelope in the collection. This will save the parish time and postage.

CSA tax receipts for the 2009 tax year will be sent automatically to all donors who have given a one time gift of \$250 or more. All other CSA tax receipts are available upon request by contacting the CSA office at 797-6683.

Faith Formation

NO Faith Formation or Good Shepherd classes on Monday, January 18 because of a Vicariate IV presentation by Bishop Cistone for Catechists. It will take place at the St. Stanislaus Parish Center.

In His Hands Ministry - A healing service for families with children with special needs-- There will be a prayer service at 3:00 PM on January 17 at St. Hedwig Church. For more information contact Phyllis Madziar at work 893-0508 or home 894-5363.

Congratulations to Sharon Kowalski and Elaine Strzelecki the first and second place winners in our Euchre Tournament. Also, congratulations to Pat Wenglikowski. She took first place in the Smear Tournament.

Raffle Ticket Returns; Total receipts turned in to date is \$ 7,400. Additional tickets are available at the parish office during business hours. The first drawing will be held February 6. We ask all tickets, sold or unsold, be returned to the parish office by Wednesday, January 20. Thank you.

5th Annual Dinner to Benefit the **Robert J. Carson Seminarian Endowment Fund;** February 3, 2010 at Swan Valley Banquet Center, 9521 Highland Green Dr. Saginaw. Social hour at 6PM. Dinner at 7PM. Cost is \$50 per person and \$350 per table. Keynote speaker Bishop Joseph Cistone - Mistress of Ceremonies Katie O'Mara of WNEM TV5. For more information, please call Marian Moll at 751-2228.

League of Catholic Women and Men

Membership dues are \$2 per person. There is an envelope in your February packet for these dues. Please make the check payable to League of Catholic Women and Men. Thank You.

Bishop Launches Blog

Bishop Cistone has launched his own web blog, "Father of Mercy and Love" as a means to share video recorded homilies and messages. The blog is accessible through the Diocese's Internet homepage, www.saginaw.org.

Cluster Corner

St. Mary's – Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 8:30AM & 11:00AM

Holy Trinity – Saturday: 4:30PM

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