

Twenty - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. HEDWIG CHURCH

PARISH PRAYER

September 9 thru September 13, 2009

Wednesday 7:00 PM Jack Flasinski
Saturday 5:00 PM Parish Family
Sunday 10:00 AM Jimmy Horner
Worship Aid Dedication: In Memory of
John & Dorothy Sielinski

IN THE LORD'S SERVICE

Saturday, September 12, 5:00 PM Mass

Mass Server: Kathy Bigelow
Lector: Martha Rex
E. Ministers: Susan Kendall
Mary Pake
Greeters: Jean Opperman
Pat Long

Sunday, September 13, 10:00 AM Mass

Mass Server: Jamie Middleton
Lectors: Justin Radlinski
Diane Middleton
E. Ministers: Nathan Nelsen
Troy & Sandy Houghtaling
Crystal Houghtaling
Greeters: Jim & Eleanor Horner
Sue Dieter
Kathi Ayotte
Minister to the Homebound: Marsha Thomas

Last Week's Collection....\$3,647.50

-30% Bay Area Catholic Schools

Assessment . . . 1,094.00

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Parish Total 2,517.50

Children's Collection . . 7.70

Recent Expense: Lacross Glass, Inc. \$289.10

Sponsor of the Week

Vienna Pastry & Bakery

Baked Fresh Daily
205 Columbus Ave.
Phone: 891-0203



Thomas Quinn

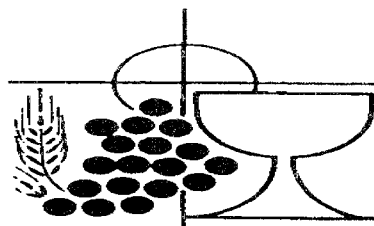
Owner/ Parishioner

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. 10AM

Holy Trinity -Sat. 4:30 PM, Sun. 8:30 & 10:30AM



Stewardship Thought: The good steward must show no favoritism. The rich may have many material gifts to share, but St. James reminds us in the second reading that God has chosen the world's poor to be rich in faith and inheritors of God's kingdom.

Today's Reading

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Isaiah 35:4-7a

James 2:1-5

Mark 7: 31-37

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Isaiah 50: 5-9a

James 2:14-18

Mark 8: 27-35

Special Prayers or Intentions:

Rose Marie 684-1052

This Week in the Parish

Sun. Sept. 6 – Mass 10:00 AM

Mon. Sept. 7- Labor Day

Tue. Sept. 8 - Kiesel's Pearls @ Noon

Wed. Sept. 9 - Mass 7:00 PM

Thu. Sept. 10 - Liturgy & Stewardship 6:30 PM
Leadership 7:30 PM

Sat. Sept. 12 – Mass 5:00 PM

From Sr. Joann, Our readings today remind us of the compassionate concern Jesus showed for the sick and disabled. It is a good time to remind ourselves of the need for all of us to reach out to the homebound and nursing home residents in our parish. I would like to acknowledge the faithful way our own Kathy Bigelow has for years carried out this ministry for our parish. Thank You Kathy!

Monday is Labor Day here in the United States, a day to honor workers and reaffirm our commitment to workers rights and dignity. We pray that all workers will be given a just wage and respected for the contributions they make.

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News from the Choir

If you don't want to wait a year for a Mass intention why not do a worship aid dedication? Have you noticed the box on the back of our worship aids? This space is reserved for dedications, not only to remember a loved one, or a special occasion, but to help defray the cost of the aids to the parish. The cost is \$15, and can be reserved by calling the parish office. The dedication is also listed each week in the bulletin under parish prayer. Worship aids are made at least a couple weeks in advance, so please call early.

Tuesday, September 22 the choir will have a short meeting/rehearsal for cantors. New cantors are needed and welcomed. This meeting will be done in time to attend the euchre game.

Thank You

We would like to thank the choir for their beautiful music, all those who provided and served food for the luncheon, Fr. Kevin and Sister Joann for their kind words of comfort and hope. Also, all who kept us in their thoughts and prayers.

The family of Robert "Bob" Burzynski

I would like to thank everyone who sent flowers, cards, prayers and get well messages to me after my surgery and recovery at home. God's blessings on all of you, He has truly blessed me with wonderful friends. Lori O'Shea

Rummage Sale . . .

WOW! Thank you. The rummage sale was a big success. A big thanks to all the workers (too many workers to name) but especially Geri Westover for organization of this project. The profit of \$1,488 was donated to the general fund.

Faith Formation

Mark your calendar for Monday, September 21 from 6:15 - 7:30PM in the Parish Center. An orientation evening for all Faith Formation families, Good Shepherd, Elementary & Jr. High. Please join us for an evening of prayer, information, registration and celebration. I hope everyone can make it.

Area News

BACSlapper, a fun new event, is seeking family or business sponsors. Call Bonnie at 893-5646.

The Most Rev. Joseph R. Cistone, Sixth Bishop of Saginaw, will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving, Thursday, September 10, at 7:00 P.M., at St. Stanislaus Kostka Church, Bay City. A social will follow. Please plan to attend, celebrate with, and meet our new bishop and help make him feel welcome!

Euchre/Smear tournament Tuesday, September 22 at 6:30 p.m. in our Parish Center. Cost is \$5 to play and .10¢ a set. Everyone is welcome!

A Felician Sisters Auxiliary Meeting is Monday, September 14th at 6:30 PM in St. Stans's Parish Center.

The Saginaw Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will hold their fall Annual Meeting on Thursday, September 17, at the Diocesan Center for Ministry in Saginaw. All women of the diocese are invited to attend. Cost is \$12, which includes lunch. Attendees are asked to bring a toiletry item for Emmaus House if they are able. RSVP to Betty @ 792-6090.

Saginaw Diocese Charismatic Conference September 18th & 19th, at Visitation Church, in Bay City. Theme: *Enter and Find Hope*. Closing Liturgy Presider will be Bishop Joseph Cistone. For more information call 684-4640. Everyone is welcome.

Cluster Corner

St. Mary's: Golf Outing is September 20. For information call Stan Delorge @ 684-4250.

Holy Trinity: Our Fall Bazaar is Saturday, October 3rd. For table rental call 686-8061.