

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Rosary Cathedral:

I am reminded this weekend with the arrival of July's end that the summer now points its direction to the activities of fall (with the understanding, of course, that the re-creative opportunities of August are still to be experienced). A few items might be of interest to you this coming fall.

Planning is underway to inaugurate a monthly gathering for Cathedral parishioners 50 years old and over to socialize on our campus. Initially, this effort will likely take the form of a monthly luncheon and some type of activity during daytime hours. Other possible activities for the group might include short day trips to area landmarks and places of interest. Watch the parish bulletin in the coming weeks for more details.

In addition to the scheduled liturgical events at the Cathedral during the fall season, i.e. CYO Mass, 25/50 Wedding Anniversary Mass, Rosary Cathedral will be hosting a Blue Mass and Red Mass this year. Local police, fire and military personnel will be gathering for the "Blue Mass" on Tuesday, September 11 at 6PM. On Thursday, September 13 at 6PM a "Red Mass" will be celebrated for those serving in the legal profession. Judges, attorneys, law professors and law students from Northwest Ohio will be invited.

Mr. Paul Monachino, director of Music at Rosary Cathedral, has arranged a very fine Cathedral Concert Series for 2007-2008. Seven musical events in Rosary Cathedral have been planned for this year. The concerts are free and open to the public. Look for brochures in the mail.

I am pleased to announce that a number of ecclesiastical wares and photographs of the Cathedral's construction will be on exhibit at the Toledo Museum of Art this fall. Entitled *Foundation of Faith: Building Toledo's Rosary Cathedral*, this exhibit will be open to the public on October 19, 2007 and close January 20, 2008.

Rosary Cathedral has been invited and has accepted to be one of the venues for the 2007 holiday Tour de Noel sponsored by the Old West End Association. This event will coincide with our annual Advent Lessons and Carols Service on Sunday, December 2, 2007 at 3 PM. Guided tours of the Cathedral will precede and follow the Lessons and Carols Service.

It promises to be a busy and lively fall season this year. There will be need to involve more of our parishioners in these activities to make them happen. I hope you will want to join us.

God bless you these summer days,
Father Singler

Liturgies for the Week

July 30 – August 5, 2007

Monday	7:00 a.m.	✠ No Intention
Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	✠ Eileene Rafferty
Wednesday	7:00 a.m.	Deacon Bill Keran
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	✠ Joseph Flores
Friday	7:00 a.m.	✠ No Intention
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	✠ Jack Maher
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	✠ Vera Dyko
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	✠ For The Parish
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	✠ Frank Tucker



Please Pray For

The following have asked for our prayers:

Fr. Bernard Boff, Timothy Bohland, Enrique Canales, Sheila D., Augustine Escobar, Jason Greener, Deacon Bill Keran, Alice Marie King, John F. King, Judith Lerner, Robert McDonagh, Grace Nasser, Lydia Ramirez, Mabel Rice, David Rodriguez, Ronald Rodriguez, Frank Sniadecki and Tess Stallkamp.

READINGS FOR TODAY

In the First Reading, Genesis 18:20-32

Abraham seeks a special favor from God. He intercedes for the lives of the innocent.

In the Second Reading, Colossians 2:12-14

Paul reminds us that faith and baptism united us to Christ. By dying for us, Christ freed us from sin.

In the Gospel, Luke 11:1-13

We are given a small catechism on prayer. It centers on the Lord's Prayer and emphasizes persistence and effectiveness.

Next week's Readings:

August 5, 2007 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23

Second Reading Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Gospel Luke 12:13-21

*Lord, on the day I called for help
you answered me.*

**Offertory Report for
July 21 & 22, 2007**

100 Offertory Envelopes	\$ 3,429.00
Loose	\$ 296.56
Total	\$ 3,725.56
Mailed Offertory	\$ 368.65
Total Offertory	\$ 4,094.21
Average 4 weeks	\$ 4,405.69
Weekly Needed	\$ 9,480.35
Total Year to Date Needed	\$ 37,921.38
Total Year to Date Received	\$ 17,622.77
Shortfall Year to Date	\$ 20,298.61
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 250.00



The Annual Rosary Cathedral Parish Picnic will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 following the 4:30 p.m. Mass in the Monsignor Bernard E. Smith Auditorium (Gym). Free to all parishioners. Mark your calendars for this fun annual event. *Volunteers are needed to help prepare food, serve, and clean up. If you are available to volunteer please call the parish office at 419-244-9575.*



Bishop Leonard P. Blair invites couples across the Diocese who have celebrated or are celebrating their 25th, 50th, 60th or more year wedding anniversary in 2007 to a special Mass and reception in their honor. This event will take place on **Sunday, September 30, 2007, at 3:00 p.m.** at Rosary Cathedral. Each celebrating couple will have reserved seats. They will receive a certificate signed by Bishop Leonard P. Blair recognizing their commitment to each other in their marriage. A reception will follow in the Msgr. Bernard E. Smith Auditorium (Gym). If this is your special anniversary year, please come and celebrate your marriage. Deadline for reservations is **Wednesday, August 22**, so please respond today! To make your reservation, call Chris Toral, Parish Secretary at 419-244-9575.

A Family Perspective: Today's gospel began with Jesus "praying in a certain place." He prayed where he was, among his friends. Pausing to pray in our homes, a parent "gives a good gift" to their children teaching them to turn to the Lord as a partner and friend.

**FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION OF
THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be held on **Friday, August 3, 2007** in the Bishop's Daily Mass Chapel at Rosary Cathedral. Exposition will follow the 7AM morning Mass and will conclude with a brief benediction service at 12NOON.

Liturgical protocol requires that a person or persons maintain a prayer vigil before the Blessed Sacrament when it is exposed for adoration. **To be able to schedule exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, we will need the assistance of people to pray during the morning hours every first Friday. If you are willing and able to spend time in prayer before our Eucharistic Lord each first Friday, please call the Parish Office today and indicate your time of prayer.**

Come and Join Us

The Bereavement Action Committee of Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo is offering a training session for any bereavement minister or bereavement support group facilitator interested in hosting a ***Holidays and Everyday*** program at their respective parish, church or organization. This program is designed for those who are going through the holiday season after experiencing the loss of a loved one. This year the training will take place on **Saturday, August 11, 2007, 10 a.m. to Noon** in Monsignor Doyle Hall at the Catholic Center (wheelchair accessible), 1933 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo. There is no fee, but registration is mandatory for planning purposes. Call Germaine Kirk, Catholic Charities, 419-244-6711, ext. 431 or email at gkirk@toledodiocese.org. Registration deadline is August 6, 2007.

St. Thomas Aquinas/Good Shepherd Emmaus Community will sponsor a Senior [50+yrs] Day of Reflection on **Thursday, August 16th, 9a.m.-2p.m.** at St Charles Hospital. Sr. Brigid O'Shea Merriman OSF will present "Sowing and Reaping: A Spiritual Harvest". \$8:00 at the door. Reservations before August 10th to Alice Hochradel 419-698-0405 or Jean Huskisson 419-691-9868.

Marriage Help – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information about or to register for the next program beginning with a weekend on **August 17-19** call 800-470-2230 or 419-874-1914 (Toledo area). Visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com <<http://www.helpourmarriage.com/>>



Independence Day

"Our nation celebrated its independence earlier this month. I celebrate my independence and freedom from the burden of my abortion on the day I called the Project Rachel helpline. God healed my pain and brought new joy to my heart." Mary

If you are seeking confidential support to find your freedom, call 419-260-5811, or email projectrachel@toledodiocese.org.
New groups are forming.

Parishioners ~ Families ~ Friends of St. Hyacinth Church
Come home to celebrate our 80th Anniversary, **Friday, August 17, 2007**. Mass of Thanksgiving at 5:00 p.m.
Dinner: 7:00 p.m. at The Inverness Club, 4601 Dorr Street. Dinner Ticket: \$25.00 each (Cash bar) Music by the Duane Malinowski Orchestra. For dinner tickets call St. Hyacinth Church at 419-535-7077.



Are you someone who has been attending Mass, but is not a member of the Catholic Church? Would you like to find out more about the Church? Have you felt the desire to be a disciple of Christ? Do you know of anyone who has expressed interest in joining the Catholic Church? If you have answered "yes" to any of these questions, please contact the parish office at 419-244-9575. RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) sessions will begin in September. This past year, Rosary Cathedral joined with St. Martin de Porres, St. Hedwig, St. Adalbert and Historic St. Patrick's churches to experience the mysteries of the Catholic faith. We will be coordinating our programs again this year and know that it will be a wonderful journey for all.



"Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers, you do unto me."

The Rosary Cathedral St. Vincent de Paul Conference is looking for new members to help parishioners and other families in our area. A monthly meeting

is held on the first Tuesday of every month. If you are interested in helping others and would like to learn more

about the ministry of the St. Vincent de Paul Conference please call us at 419-245-6563.



Monday, July 30, 2007

Tuesday, July 31, 2007

Wednesday, August 1, 2007

- 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Café)

Thursday, August 2, 2007

Friday, August 3, 2007

- 7:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
- 12:00 p.m. Benediction (Chapel)

Saturday, August 4, 2007

Sunday, August 5, 2007

- 12:15 p.m. Baptismal Prep. Class (Act. Rm. II)

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Please notify the Parish Office at 419-244-9575 when you have a telephone number and/or address change so we can keep our records current. New members are always welcome and can register in person or by calling the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptisms are celebrated at Rosary Cathedral on the third Sundays of the month at 12:15 p.m. Parents of first-born children are required to attend a one-hour preparation conference before the baptism. Call the parish office at 419-244-9575 for more information and to register for the conference.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Marriages at Rosary Cathedral are celebrated on Fridays at 5pm or 6pm, Saturdays at 10am, 12 noon, and 2pm. Engaged couples should contact the parish office a minimum of six months in advance in order to complete the necessary preparation. At least one member of the couple MUST be in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Confessions are heard each Saturday from 3-4pm in the Cathedral. Communal Reconciliation services are also held during the seasons of Advent and Lent.

HOSPITAL VISITATION:

When admitted to an area hospital, parishioners should contact the Parish Office in order to receive a pastoral visit, the Sacrament of the Sick or Holy Communion.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is held in the Bishop's

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Daily Mass Chapel every First Friday of the Month following daily 7am Mass until 12 noon.

DAY & TIME	SAT Aug. 4 4:30 PM	SUN Aug. 5 9:00 AM	SUN Aug. 5 11:00 AM	SAT Aug. 11 4:30 PM	SUN Aug. 12 9:00 AM	SUN Aug. 12 11:00 AM
DEACON	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson
LECTORS	1. S. Blaskovic 2. L. Johnson	1. J. McKittrick 2. B. Ankenbrandt	1. R. Knowles 2. D. Lippold	1. P. Felton 2. J. Felton	1. E. Glowacki 2. B. Gackstetter	1. J. Malhoit 2. T. Desmond
EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	3. C. Keran 4. J. Zimmer	3. B. J. Stevens 4. T. Marciniak	1. L. Nordhaus 2. E. Salazar 3. M. Warrick 4. D. Tomczak 5. S. Schneider 6. M. Knowles	3. M. Canales 4. T. Wevers	3. K. Wielfaert 4. R. Gackstetter	1. Master of Ceremonies 2. S. Avina 3. M. Tran 4. D. Pribor 5. I. Angelo 6. R. Angelo
MC's	D. Hoffman	D. Demski	D. Demski	M. Leasor	D. Hoffman	D. Hoffman
ALTAR SERVERS	M. Blaskovic G. Hoffman	P. Dysard T. Dysard	K. Ramos J. Ramos	A. Dillon S. Toral	C. Gackstetter C. Lightfoot T. Taylor	J. Rodriguez M. Rodriguez M. Marquez
USHERS	H. Hanley M. Coleman B. Johnson L. Hemmelgarn	R. Snyder J. Ibarra E. Ibarra V. Fantozzi	C. Dyko C. Toral V. Olvera J. Blaskovic	H. Hanley M. Coleman B. Johnson L. Hemmelgarn	R. Snyder J. Ibarra E. Ibarra V. Fantozzi	C. Dyko C. Toral V. Olvera J. Blaskovic