

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Rosary Cathedral:

The beginning of August each year signals that the start of another school year at Rosary Cathedral Elementary is on the horizon. We will be welcoming several new teachers and new students this year. As we prepare to open the doors to our school on the Cathedral campus Wednesday, August 22, I am reminded of the special mission entrusted to our parish. While it is true that over 90% of the students enrolled at Rosary Cathedral School are not Catholic, the education and Christian formation we provide offers an alternative to the lives of young people who will be our future leaders in society. The Christian virtues of charity and kindness, coupled with discipline and study are the hallmarks of the formation we provide at Rosary Cathedral School.

One significant change that will be noticed for the 2007-2008 academic year is a slightly altered schedule for the school day. Our school day at Rosary Cathedral will be lengthened. School will begin at 8 AM and conclude at 3:15 PM. This schedule change has also prompted a change in our regularly scheduled Wednesday morning School Mass which is celebrated in the Daily Mass Chapel. The weekly Wednesday morning School Mass that has been scheduled at 8:35 AM will now be celebrated at 8:15 AM on those days. All school Masses will be scheduled on major holydays and solemnities during the calendar year.

By way of construction update, the demolition portion of our new gym entrance project on the south side of our school facilities is now completed. Construction is well underway with the exterior entrance which will include a stairwell and wheelchair accessible ramp. Interior plumbing has been re-routed and installed for the two restroom facilities and a new double doorway into the gym itself has been cut. I have been informed by those overseeing the construction that we are on schedule with the project.

Finally, I ask your prayers this weekend for the on-going recovery of Father Bernie Boff and Deacon Bill Keran. Father Boff is convalescing at the Ursuline Center on Indian Road after a double knee replacement surgery. At the time of this writing, Deacon Bill Keran remains under the watchful care of doctors and nurses at the Heart Center at St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center after heart by-pass surgery. Both of these men have served us well at Rosary Cathedral and we pray for their continued recovery and return.

Faithfully yours in Christ,
Father Singler

Liturgies for the Week

August 6 - 12, 2007

Monday	7:00 a.m.	✠ Elmer Brandal
Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	✠ No Intention
Wednesday	7:00 a.m.	✠ Frank Tucker
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Deacon Bill Keran
Friday	7:00 a.m.	✠ Preston Tucker
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	✠ Eileene Rafferty
Saturday	2:00 p.m.	Sawers – Serda Wedding
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	✠ Edward Kosmatak
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	✠ Cathern Weissenberger
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	✠ Marilyn Kurtzman



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, Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23

A wise king gives us sound advice about life in this world. There is wisdom in accepting the things of this world as gifts from God.

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

Paul tells us to live up to our Christian vocation. Because Christ is now our life, we are to become more like him in our daily lives.

In the Gospel, Luke 12:13-21

Jesus teaches that the real meaning of life cannot be attained through possessions but only by tending to the things of God.

Next week's Readings:

August 12, 2007 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading Wisdom 18:6-9

Second Reading Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12

Gospel Luke 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

If today you hear HIS voice,
Harden not your hearts.





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.



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.

A three-day training on techniques of group facilitation and peer support ministry will be held at The 577 Foundation in Perrysburg, Ohio on Sept. 26, 27 and 28, 2007, from 9am to 4pm. Training will be both informational and experiential. Early Bird registration discount available before August 15, 2007. Space is limited. Great opportunity for those wanting to start a new support group or for enhancing skills. For more information contact Germaine Kirk, Social Ministry Program Coordinator at 419.244.6711 ext 431 or email at gkirk@toledodiocese.org.



Monday, August 6, 2007

Tuesday, August 7, 2007

Wednesday, August 8, 2007

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

Thursday, August 9, 2007

Friday, August 10, 2007

- 5:00 p.m. Rehearsal – Fr. Joseph Vamos (Cath)
- 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting (Act. Rm. II)

Saturday, August 11, 2007

- 2:00 p.m. Wedding – Fr. Vamos (Cath)

Sunday, August 12, 2007

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 Daily Mass Chapel every First Friday of the Month following

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

daily 7am Mass until 12 noon.

DAY & TIME	SAT Aug. 11 4:30 PM	SUN Aug. 12 9:00 AM	SUN Aug. 12 11:00 AM	SAT Aug. 18 4:30 PM	SUN Aug. 19 9:00 AM	SUN Aug. 19 11:00 AM
DEACON	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson	Deacon Henderson
LECTORS	1. P. Felton 2. J. Felton	1. E. Glowacki 2. B. Gackstetter	1. J. Malhoit 2. T. Desmond	1. L. Johnson 2. S. Blaskovic	1. J. McKittrick 2. B. Ankenbrandt	1. D. Lippold 2. S. Avina
EXTRA- ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	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	3. J. Zimmel 4. C. Keran	3. M. J. Snyder 4. J. Neuser	1. R. Knowles 2. M. Knowles 3. L. Nordhaus 4. M. Warrick 5. D. Tomczak 6. S. Schneider
MC's	M. Leasor	D. Hoffman	D. Hoffman	D. Hoffman	D. Demski	M. Leasor
ALTAR SERVERS	A. Dillon S. Toral	C. Gackstetter C. Lightfoot T. Taylor	J. Rodriguez M. Rodriguez M. Marquez	M. Blaskovic G. Hoffman	P. Dysard T. Dysard	K. Ramos J. Ramos
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