

PICTURES, PICTURES, PICTURES – we have lots of them!!! For the next two weekends, we will be putting out the pictures that have been taken over the years at Holy Family. Please look through them and take any that you would like. Any pictures left on May 31st will have to be thrown out so help yourself.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL – Please send your Annual Catholic Appeal pledges or one-time gifts directly to the diocese. The envelope that came with your letter is already addressed to the diocese for your convenience.

BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL Tuition Raffle – The second annual raffle is now being held at Blessed Sacrament School. All proceeds will directly benefit the families with children attending the school this fall. Raffle tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Students from Blessed Sacrament School will be selling tickets after the Masses next weekend. If you wish to purchase raffle tickets or make a donation to the tuition fund, please contact Fred Marion at 536-5327. Thank you for your support of Blessed Sacrament School.

SEMI-ANNUAL CANDELIGHT Living Rosary Service – The Fairview Knights of Columbus #4044 will hold its Semi-Annual Candlelight Living Rosary Service this Wednesday, May 18th, at 7:00 p.m. in their banquet facility on Memorial Drive. This service will be led by Council Chaplain Rev. Roland Galipeau. This short but meaningful ceremony, which honors Mary during her month of salutation, features a live music program and light refreshments will be served afterwards. This particular devotion is dedicated to the late Pope John Paul II.

REGISTRATIONS for Blessed Sacrament School for 2005-2006 are still being accepted in PreK to grade 8 at the school at 21 Westfield Road in Holyoke (536-2236) They have a new full-day preschool and before & after school programs.

Theme: *The Church is one body but has many parts. The same Holy Spirit has been given to each of us in baptism, yet the gifts we have received are very different. Not all are called to administer, to teach, or to sing. When we act and work together all can benefit from God’s gifts. Together we will reflect the plain of God – one body giving praise, that all might see and know the glory of God..*

Readings for the Week of May 15

- Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23
- Monday: Sirach 1:1-10; Mark 9:14-29
- Tuesday: Sirach 2:1-11; Mark 9:30-37
- Wednesday: Sirach 4:11-19; Mark 9:38-40
- Thursday: Sirach 5:1-8; Mark 9:41-50
- Friday: Sirach 6:5-17; Mark 10:1-12
- Saturday: Sirach 17:1-15; Mark 10:13-16
- Next Sunday: Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9; 2 Corinthians 13:11-13; John 3:16-18

Parish Support	
WEEKEND OF MAY 7 & 8	
Adult Contributions.....	\$1,608.50
Loose Money.....	\$109.57
Total.....	\$1,718.07
Parish Fund.....	\$78.00
Ascension	\$345.00
Thank you for your support.	

MAY THE LORD BRING HOME ALL WHO HAVE DIED among them:
Ronald Coderre and Frank Poitras

HOLY FAMILY PARISH has an active **Prayer Line**. If you would like to request prayers, please call Regina Griffin at 536-8180.

Pentecost Sunday

May 15, 2005

MADE YOUR SUMMER PLANS YET? Had a retreat lately? How about a pilgrimage to the Shrines of Canada? It is said that no one leaves a pilgrimage without a blessing of some kind whether it be physical or spiritual. Come and join us August 8 to August 12. We will visit St. Anne de Beaupré, Our Lady of the Cape, Sacred Heart Shrine at Beauvoir, St. Joseph Oratory, the tomb of Kateri Tekakwitha on the Chaunawaga Reservation, Notre Dame in Montreal, Quebec City, and St. Anne at Isle de LaMotte. Five days, four nights – the price includes 11 meals, transportation, lodging and gratuities. Double occupancy is \$499 per person. \$100 extra for single rooms. Fr. Jeddie Brooks of St. Patrick's in Monson will be with us. Call Val Bernier at St. Christopher Parish in Brimfield at (413) 245-7274 for reservations. \$100 deposit with reservation, balance due in June

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

This week, we would like to thank **HOLYOKE MEMORIALS** for sponsoring an ad in our bulletin.

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STEAK & FISH NITE – The Holyoke Knights of Columbus Council #90 will be having a Steak & Fish Nite on May 13th and June 17th at 250 Westfield Road in Holyoke from 5 – 7:30 p.m. Steak \$10, Fish \$8. The menu includes choice of entrée, potato, green beans, salad, rolls/butter & coffee/tea. Entertainment will be “Off the Record” from 8 p.m. until midnight, no coverage charge. If you have any questions, call Michael Kirkpatrick at 532-4718.

BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL will hold their annual “Mary Day” Mass, in honor of our Lady, on Friday, May 27, 2005. Mass will be held at 1:30 p.m. and will include a special crowning of Mary. The Mass will be preceded by the pre-k through 8th grade students processing from the Blessed Sacrament School Primary building to the church.. Please come and help us celebrate.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, May 14

4:00 PM PAUL PELLERIN requested by his wife Claire

Sunday, May 15

10:00 AM HENRY BLANCHARD requested by his Family

Saturday, May 21

4:00 PM JOHN E. SHEEHAN requested by Shirley Sheehan

Sunday, May 22

10:00 AM MASS OF THANKSGIVING requested by Deacon Joe Badame

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Thursday, May 19

- Spirit of Joy and Love Charismatic Prayer Group at Mont Marie at 7:00 p.m.

IT'S TIME TO DONATE BLOOD – Just a reminder...One in ten people hospitalized will need a blood transfusion. This life-giving resource is needed for a number of critical medical conditions. Thank you for donating.

The Mercy Medical Center Blood Bank is located on the lower level of Mercy Medical Center and is open:

Monday & Tuesday from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Wednesday & Thursday from 8 a.m. until 7 p.m.

Friday from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Appointments are recommended. Enter a raffle to win a pair of Red Sox tickets for a game in June.

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THE NEXT Marriage Encounter Weekend will take place June 25-27. For more information call Dave & Karen Demers at 1-800-710-WWME or visit their webpage at www.wwmeMA.org