

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm
Sunday, 8:30 & 11:00 am & 5:30 pm

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday 12:10 pm
Saturday 9:30 am
Wildflower Court Friday 9:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00 - 5:00 pm or by appt.

January 17, 2010



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We welcome you to the Cathedral of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Wherever you may be in your spiritual journey, we hope you will feel at home here as part of our parish family. The parish staff stands ready to assist you. Please call the parish office if you have any questions.

Marriage Preparation: Congratulations! We stand ready to assist you in marriage preparation. Please contact parish office for more information.

Baptismal Preparation: Congratulations on the new life in your family! Contact parish office for more information and times of preparation classes.

Christian Initiation: Unbaptized adults and children (seven years and older) and baptized Christians desiring to join the Catholic Church please contact Sr. Marie Lucek, RCIA Coordinator 586-1340

Rosary: Monday - Friday after 12:10pm Mass & Saturdays at 9:15am

Prayer Chain: Call Beth Crawford to request prayers 523-9311

Victim Assistance Coordinator: Robbie Izzard 586-2227 ext. 25

Twin Hearts Charismatic Prayer Group meets Sundays at 1:00 pm in the Cathedral worship space. **Holy Trinity Charismatic Prayer Mtg.**, contact Naida James

Childcare available during the 11:00am Mass in the parish hall.

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 17, 2010

A Message from Bishop Burns

In light of the earthquake in **Haiti**, there will be a **second collection** in all the parishes and missions in the Diocese of Juneau. Information regarding the relief efforts are below. We received word that Archbishop Milot, the Archbishop of Port-au-Prince was found dead in the rubble of the Archbishops residence. Their cathedral was ruined, their seminary was totally destroyed and many of their churches no longer exist. In addition to our prayers for the people in Haiti, I am asking that we be generous in responding to our Haitian brothers and sisters in need.

Catholic Relief Services (CRS), the official international humanitarian agency of the U.S. Catholic Church, is responding to victims of the massive earthquake in Haiti. To donate, please call **1-877-HELP-CRS**, donate online at www.crs.org or send a check to Catholic Relief Services, P.O. Box 17090, Baltimore, MD 21203-7090. In the memo portion of your check, please write: Haiti Earthquake



The Gospel of Life

During the month of January, Anchorage Dominican Br. Dominic David Maichrowicz will be presenting a series of four talks on Pope John Paul II's landmark encyclical letter, *The Gospel of Life*, from 7:00pm-8:30pm at the Cathedral Parish Hall. Attend one or all of the sessions.

Thursday, January 14th: "The Principles of the Gospel of Life: Life, Dignity and the Person"

Friday, January 15th: "The Culture of Death"

Thursday, January 21st: "The Being of the Unborn Child"

Friday, January 22nd: "Common Misconceptions about the Catholic Position on Life"

This event is sponsored by the Diocese of Juneau. Everyone is welcome.

Martin Luther King Jr

Mass will be at **9:30am** on **Monday, January 18th** in observance of Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

FOR PARENTS OF INFANTS & YOUNG CHILDREN

There will be a Baptismal Preparation class offered at **6:30pm, Sunday, January 31st** for parents who wish to have an infant or child (younger than 5) baptized. Please contact Pat or Katy at 586-1317 or cathedraldre@acsalaska.net to register. If you are expecting a child soon, this would be the class for you to attend.

FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION

Children in second grade and older are eligible to prepare for 1st Communion. There will be a parent meeting on **January 24th at 9:45am** in the large classroom with the first class starting on January 31st. To enroll your child in prep classes contact Pat or Katy at 586-1317.

An Evening of Food and Sharing in celebration of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.

St. Brendan's Episcopal Church on Mendenhall Loop Road **Thursday, January 21st, 6:00pm-7:30pm**. Dinner followed by a short worship and roundtable sharing. Open to everyone. Please bring a dish to share as we get to know each other better across denominational lines.

Shrine Endowment Evening Extravaganza

Save the date: February 6, 2010! Doors open at 6:00pm at St. Ann's Parish Hall. \$35 tickets are available. Come join Bishop Burns and the Shrine of St. Therese Board Members for an evening of fun, hors d'oeuvres and auction.

To help make this FUNdraiser benefitting the Shrine of St. Therese a success, would you be willing to donate a "theme basket"? Contact Mary Brockett, 790-1997 or Heather Johnson-Smith, 321-8588 for more info and ideas.

Thank You

On behalf of the staff, volunteers and the families who participated in the St. Vincent de Paul Holiday Food Baskets, I want to express our gratitude to all who donated money and/or food to our program.. Your generosity enabled us to give out over 600 food baskets for Thanksgiving and Christmas. We are deeply grateful. Mary Fitterer, President, St. Vincent de Paul Board.

Women's ACTS Monthly Gathering

Join your ACTS Sisters for an evening of fellowship, prayer and sharing as we begin a new year on Sunday, January 24 at 6:30PM in St. Paul's hall. Please bring finger food to share. If you have any questions call Cathy @ 209-7891. Hope to see you there!

RCIA

Welcome, **Robert and Dee Pearson** and **Janet D'Amore!** Last Sunday we formally welcomed them into the first step of becoming full members of the Catholic Church. They have been attending catechical sessions for several months already; this ritual formally accepted them into the parish community. We join them in prayer as they take this important step on their faith journey.

Internet Safety Presentation

Investigator Elias Joven with the Internet Crimes division of the JPD will lead the presentation. Learn how to keep your child and your identity safe from online predators. Investigator Joven will discuss the ways that sexual predators and other criminals use the internet to target potential victims. If your child is using MySpace, Facebook, Bebo or online gaming sites you should attend this presentation at St. Paul's Parish on Thursday, January 21st from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in St. Peter's Hall. All parents and anyone owning a computer are encouraged to attend! Due to the subject matter this presentation is for adults only. Childcare will be provided.

M.O.M.S.

There will be a new "Ministry of Mothers Sharing" 8-week session beginning Tuesday, January 26th and concluding March 16th. These sessions meet weekly from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon at St. Paul's Parish Hall and are open to moms of all ages. The cost is \$30.00 and upon registration you will receive a M.O.M.S. journal to use in preparation for each weekly session. Scholarships and childcare are available. To register, pick up a form from the back of the church, or stop by the Religious Education office at St. Paul's. Session sizes are limited, so register early! If you would like a form sent to you by email contact Marilyn Monagle at stpcath@ptialaska.net. This session will be led by Suzanne Baker, Stephanie Forbes, and Melissa Kenny.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

to the following parishioners who will be celebrating their birthdays this week:

January 17: **Kathee Hays (1944!), Hezekiah Bodine & Tristin Fortin**

January 18: **Marco Shipley-Pacheco**

January 19: **Greta Thibodeau**

January 20: **Wendell Wassman**

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

to the following parishioners who will be celebrating their wedding anniversary this week: **Resnick & Rhiannon Duong**, January 23rd (5 years).

WELCOME

to the following new parishioners: **Kyle Cuzzort, Cathlynn Morse** and the **Briscoe Family (Scott, Katie and William)**.

BIRTHS

Barry and Eileen Begenyi welcomed **Charles Patrick** on January 4th.

Faith In Action

You did it! With all the donations tallied, you surpassed our goal. Thank you to all who made monetary donations as well as those volunteering your time. It truly makes us such a great parish. You **raised \$51,082.01** and our goal was \$42,000.00. **99 participated** and our goal was 200.

The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER GROUPS

Downtown: Sundays, 4:00pm, Cathedral Parish Library

Valley: Thursdays, 7:00pm, St. Paul's Day Chapel.

Join with others who practice Centering Prayer to pray and learn more about the process. **New people always welcome.** For more information contact Fr. Thomas @586-1513.

CATHEDRAL LIBRARY CATALOG IS ON-LINE

If you are interested in finding out what is available in the Cathedral library you can now go on-line to:

[www.http://juneaucathedralibrary.blogspot.com/](http://www.juneaucathedralibrary.blogspot.com/). or go to the link on the parish website at: www.juneaucathedral.org

ELECTRONIC GIVING

You can give to support the mission of the church and to special collections using your credit card, or an electronic transfer from your checking or savings account. If you currently pay any of your bills on-line or by electronic transfer, this process and convenience will make a lot of sense to you. If you need a form or have any questions, email the parish office: cathedral@acsalaska.net or call 586-1513.

FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

You are invited for a time of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, followed by Benediction on the first Fridays of the month from 5:30pm - 6:30pm.

CATHEDRAL HOMILIES ON THE WEB!

If you would like to hear the homilies preached at the Cathedral or share them with a friend, go to the Cathedral website at www.juneaucathedral.org and click on Weekly Homily Podcasts.

CATHEDRAL PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

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Religious Education

GODLY PLAY (Preschool-5th grade) meets on Sundays at 9:45 am in the parish hall classrooms.

CATHEDRAL YOUTH MINISTRY (6th gr-HS) meets on Wednesdays, 7:00pm-8:30pm, parish hall during the school year.

RCIA, Call Sr. Marie, Pastoral Associate @ 586-1340 or 209-3577 for more information.

Meetings

CARMELITES: St. Therese of the Child Jesus Carmelites meet on the 3rd Saturday of the month, 1:30pm, Cathedral Parish Hall classroom. For more info call Cathy Price @463-3981.

GOSPEL REFLECTIONS: Tuesdays, meet at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall Library.

CATHEDRAL YOUNG ADULT GROUP (ages 18-40yrs): Meets weekly. Contact Hilary at 364-3781 to be added to mailing list for activities.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, 1st Thursday of the month and the last Monday before the 1st Thursday, 7pm, Mary Joyce Room.

ALASKANS FOR LIFE: 2nd Tues. of the month. For information call Sid 789-9858 or Ida 789-9622

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY: People who knit, crochet or who want to learn are welcome to join us at 6:30pm, Thursdays in the parish library. If you have questions, please contact Rhiannon Jensen @ (503) 505-6895.

ACOA: Monday, 5:30pm to 7:30pm in the library.

AA: Monday - Friday, 6:45am - 7:30am, 12:05pm - 12:55pm and 5:00pm - 6:00pm in the Mary Joyce room.

PARISH LIBRARY: Stop by and check out all the material available. The library is located on the 1st floor of the parish hall, Room #1.

Donations for Sunday, January 10th:
\$4,440.50 & S.O.M.E.: \$1,631.70
Thank you!