



**MASSES FOR THIS WEEK**

**Monday, February 21-St. Peter Damian**  
 7:00 am Christopher Gehrke by Family

**Tuesday, February 22-The Chair of St. Peter**  
 4:30-5 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation  
 5:00 pm Thomas Fedor by Joe & Peggy Fitzpatrick  
 (followed with Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena)

**Wednesday, February 23-St. Polycarp**  
 7:00 am Josephine Andrews by Gini Higgins  
 8:30 am Paul Verderber by Carroll School Students & Staff

**Thursday, February 24**  
 7:00 am Dorothy Ruenzi by Bev Bryan  
 9 am-6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
 (with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 9-11 am and 2-6:00 pm only)  
 12 Noon Recitation of the Rosary  
 6:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet Meditation

**Friday, February 25**  
 7:00 am Richard R. Connolley by Bobbie Connolley

**Saturday, February 26**  
 3:45-4:30 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation  
 5:00 pm Emil "Bud" Moos by Joe & Carrie Schonauer

**Sunday, February 27-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 am Pauline Brinkmeyer by Family  
 10:00 am John "Rod" Hartman by Ronald & Mary Hipsher

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THIS WEEK**

Mon., Feb. 21 Sirach 1:1-10 / Psalm 93:1-2,5 / Mark 9:14-29

Tue., Feb. 22 1 Peter 5:1-4 / Psalm 23:1-6 / Matthew 16:13-19

Wed., Feb. 23 Sirach 4:11-19 / Psalm 119:165,168,171-172,174-175 / Mark 9:38-40

Thu., Feb. 24 Sirach 5:1-8 / Psalm 1:1-4,6 / Mark 9:41-50

Fri., Feb. 25 Sirach 6:5-17 / Psalm 119:12,16,18,27,34-35 / Mark 10:1-12

Sat., Feb. 26 Sirach 17:1-15 / Psalm 103:13-18 / Mark 10:13-16

Sun., Feb. 27 Isaiah 49:14-15 / Psalm 62:2-3,6-9 / 1 Corinthians 4:1-5 / Matthew 6:24-34

NOTE: Adoration will end at 6 pm and Divine Mercy Chaplet will begin at 6 pm this Thursday.

Weekly Parish Support from Feb. 12/13 Collections	
Adults, Young Adults & Children	\$ 6,861.39
Loose	\$ 336.65
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 7,198.04</b>

**NEXT SUNDAY IS FOOD SUNDAY**

Please bring non-perishable food items for the food pantry to the main entrance of the church and place your food donations in the shopping cart provided. Items that are always needed include: \*\*canned fruit, canned vegetables, spaghetti & egg noodles, spaghetti sauce, saltine crackers, cereal, jello, tuna, soups, navy or pinto beans, pancake mix & syrup, macaroni & cheese and toilet paper. This last month 150 families were served with 271 bags of groceries. **Sum totals for the Holy Family Food Pantry for the 2010 year were: 1,778 families served with 3,154 bags of food.** Thank you for your past and continued support.



**Catholic Social Teaching**

On Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm there will be a presentation on **Catholic Social Teaching** given at Holy Family Parish Church, in Lincoln, by Sister Marcelline Koch O.P. Sister Marcelline, a Springfield Dominican for many years has been an educator as well as an administrator for over 30 years.

In July, 1996, after completing a two-year program at Boston College Institute of Religious Education and Pastoral Ministry, Sister Marcelline became the first director of PROJECT IRENE. PROJECT IRENE, which means Illinois Religious Engaging in Nonviolent Endeavors, is an initiative of the Leadership Conference of Women Religious, Region 8, which includes the congregations of sisters in Illinois. Its goal is to promote the welfare and empowerment of children and women in the state of Illinois.

Recently, Sister Marcelline spent 3 1/2 months as a volunteer at the United Nations with the Dominican NGO representative. Sister Marcelline comes well qualified to address the needs and responsibilities of Catholic Social Teaching. Come and avail yourself this wonderful opportunity!!



It's not too late to ensure home delivery of The Catholic Post with a contribution to the newspaper's "Delivering Unity Campaign" now under way. While \$25 is the traditional subscription price, larger gifts to the campaign also contribute toward the goal of sharing the newspaper's vital news and

information - both in print and digitally - with the entire diocese as often as possible. Contributions may also be made via credit card online at thecatholicpost.com or by calling (800) 340-5630.

## HOLY FAMILY AND ST. MARY'S Church Directory



If you have not yet signed up to have your picture taken for the Holy Family/ St. Mary's Church Directory, please do so as soon as possible! Spread the word . . . tell other parishioners about the Church Directory. The goal

is to get as many families represented in the directory as possible. Parishioners of . . .

**Holy Family** may call Kathy Buse at 671-4127 after 2 pm, Monday thru Friday, to make a picture appointment or with questions OR you can go to <http://signup.olanmills.com> and use password 2177324019 to make an appointment on line **St. Mary's** can sign up after the Sunday Masses.

**REMEMBER: Talk to all your fellow parishioners to get the word out about the Church Directory!!!**

Dear Father Laible:

On behalf of the Dominican Sisters of Springfield, IL, I thank you and your parishioners of Holy Family Church for the most generous donation of \$1,142.00 (one check) and also your parishioners of St. Mary's Church for the generous donations for \$65.00 and \$23.00 (two checks) for our sisters' retirement fund, the Charitable Trust. How very kind of you and both parishes to remember our retired sisters.

You and your parish families have a special remembrance in our daily prayers. May you experience God's lavish blessings of hope, peace and joy in this new year.

Sincerely,  
Sister Rose Marie Riley OP  
Prioress General



## Senior Citizen Mass & Luncheon!

The next Senior Citizen Mass and Luncheon will be held on Thursday, March 10. The Mass will be at 11:15 am with a lunch following in the Carroll Catholic School cafeteria. Menu for the luncheon is: Hot Roast Beef Sandwich, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Lettuce Salad, Fruit and Cake. For an accurate food count, call the School Office (732-7518) if you plan to attend the luncheon.

### PRICE INCREASE FOR GRAVE SPACES

Due to the Logan County Cemetery Association increasing its price for grave spaces to \$700 each, prices at Holy Cross Cemetery and St. Mary's Cemetery will increase (from \$400) to \$550 per grave space effective June 1, 2011. This will help us offset the increased expenses caused by the new Illinois mandates and fees effective March 1, 2010.



**Pray the Rosary daily.**

**The Rosary is recited each Thursday at Holy Family Church at 12 Noon.**



It's time to start planning for the Art & Environment for Lent, Holy Week and Easter. A meeting will be held this Tuesday, February 22 at 6:30 pm in the church to put together our plans. We welcome anyone who would like to help with decorating the church. We can really use more help, so please consider this easy and fun way of working for our Lord. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Jane Sheley at 737-5230. Thanks!

Lent



## FIRST SUNDAY DINNER INFO

A meeting to discuss the First Sunday Dinners will take place this Tuesday, February 22, at 6:30 pm, at the Knight of Columbus Hall. Everyone presently involved with the "dinners" is invited to attend and anyone interested in getting involved with the "dinners" is invited to attend.

The next First Sunday Dinner will be held on March 6, at the Knights of Columbus Hall with serving time from 11 am-1:30 pm. Menu will be announced in future bulletins. If you wish to make a donation you may donate a nonperishable food item for the Holy Family Food Pantry

## Prayer-Chain Information

To request a prayer - send an email to:  
[prayer@holymfamilylincoln.com](mailto:prayer@holymfamilylincoln.com)

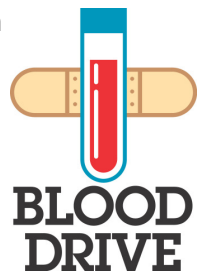
To subscribe to the email prayer chain - send a blank email to:  
[prayerchain-subscribe@holymfamilylincoln.com](mailto:prayerchain-subscribe@holymfamilylincoln.com)

If you do not have e-mail, you may call the parish office to be included in the Prayer Chain.

The 9th Annual Conference for Caregivers will be held on Saturday, July 23, sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging for Lincolnland. For more information call (217) 787-9234 or (800) 252-2918 or go to [www.aginglinc.org](http://www.aginglinc.org)

## Help Save Lives!!!

If you would be interested in volunteering to help at a blood drive that Holy Family Parish would sponsor, please call Mary Kay Lohrenz at the Parish Office (217) 732-4019. We would like to sponsor one blood drive a year, if possible. It only takes six volunteers. Three volunteers to work from 12 Noon-3 pm and three volunteers to work from 3-6 pm. No previous training necessary. Please consider helping with this life saving project.





## It's Around the Corner - SPRING CLEANING!

Keep our Parish Garage Sale in mind when you do

your spring cleaning!!! The garage sale will be held on June 9 and 10. While going through closets, drawers, attics and basements, consider setting aside any items you can part with. Please start your "contribution boxes" with these items. Donation drop-off will begin on June 7. We are looking forward to another successful, fun-filled sale this year. Begin thinking about the time you will share in helping with this project.

Pat Berger and Inez Mitchell, co-chairs

## PRINCIPAL & TEACHER APPLICATIONS!

The Catholic Diocese of Peoria is seeking applicants for anticipated principal and anticipated teacher openings for the 2011-2012 school year in its 37 elementary and 5 secondary schools and two PreK-12 academies, all located in Central Illinois. Application materials are available at [www.cdop.org](http://www.cdop.org) [highlight *Education*, highlight *Office of Catholic Schools*, click on drop-down list and highlight *Application Packets and School Openings*] or call the Office of Catholic Schools at (309) 671-1550.

## Recycling Your Old Palms

For those who would like to recycle their old, blessed palms from last year, or other years, you may place them in the marked box located under the literature table in back of Holy Family church (where the old confessionals used to be located). The blessed palms are burnt down to use as ashes each year on Ash Wednesday.

Through the mercy of God, may she rest in peace.

Corla Hagenbruch (mother of Louis Hagenbruch)

**DRAW 4**  
**Carroll Catholic**

Congratulations to our most recent winners of the February 9th Draw 4 Carroll Drawing: \$1,000/ Bill Gober with Seller/Carolyn Gober; \$500/Phyllis Webster with Seller/Mary Kelley; \$250/Amy Peyres with Seller/Amy Peyres & \$100/Paul Hengel with Seller/Bobbie Connolley. The last Draw 4 Carroll drawing, to finish out the April 2010-March 2011 tickets, will take place at Carroll School during the students' lunch time on Wednesday, March 9.

**Baptism Story:** After the Baptism of his baby brother in Church, little Johnny sobbed all the way home in the back seat of the car. His father asked him three times what was wrong. Finally, the boy replied, "The priest said he wanted us brought up in a Christian home, but I want to stay with you guys."



- ◇ **Carroll Catholic School registration** for the 2011-2012 school year will take place on Tuesday, April 5, from 8 am-6 pm and again on Wednesday, April 6, from 8 am-3:30 pm at Carroll Catholic School. As occurred last year, parents will be asked to pay registration fees for each of their children at the time of registration. If a parent is unable to pay the entire cost at registration, contact Mr. Link to make other arrangements. The tuition rates and registration fees have not yet been determined for next year.
- ◇ Save the date of **Saturday, July 16, 2011**. This will be the date of the **Crusader Reunion** at the Lincoln Knights of Columbus Hall. More information will soon follow in future bulletins. If you, or any family member, is a graduate of St. Patrick's School, St. Mary's School or Carroll Catholic School, we are in need of your current address. You can either call Carroll Catholic School at (217) 732-7518 or email [vanessatibbs@holyfamilylincoln.com](mailto:vanessatibbs@holyfamilylincoln.com) Thank you for your time and help. We are looking forward to hearing from you and seeing you in July.
- ◇ **The 4th Annual Carroll Catholic School Golf Outing** is scheduled for Friday, May 6 at 1 pm at the Lincoln Elks Club. Entry forms and raffle tickets will be available March 1.

## ST. MARY'S CHURCH ATLANTA, ILLINOIS



### Weekly Parish Support from February 13 Collection

Adults	\$ 469.10
Loose	\$ 115.00
Total	\$ 584.10

#### Reader

February 27 - Ed Jodlowski

#### Servers

January 27 - Jared Nicholas & Zachary Craig

**Mass on Sunday, February 27**, at 9:00 am - will be offered for Bill Bottoms at the request of the Bottoms Family

# Around the Diocese!

Save the dates . . .

**Tuesday, February 22** - "Theology on Tap" is a discussion series for young adults and their friends, where relevant faith issues are explored from a Catholic perspective in the relaxed setting of a bar and grill. Next session will be held at 6:30 pm at The Medici, 120 W. North Street, Normal, IL. The discussion title will be "New Evangelization: Elevating & Transforming the World" with Sister Silvia Maria, SCTJM. For more info call (309) 671-1550. Retreats Held at Nazareth House, Henry, IL

**Friday-Sunday, March 4-6** - a Women's and Men's Retreat will be led by the Sisters, the *Servants of the Pierced Hearts of Jesus and Mary* at Nazareth Retreat House, Henry, IL. The theme of the retreat will be: "Your Mercy Waters the Soil of our Hearts." The cost of both retreats is \$130. For more information contact Nazareth Retreat House, PO Box 165, Henry, Illinois 61537 or call (309) 364-2783

**Saturday, March 5** - All women are invited for a day of reflection and fellowship from 8 am-4:30 pm at Five Points in Washington, IL. The Behold: A Conference on the Dignity & Vocation of Women aims to support all women in their vocation (working in or out of the home), to challenge them to seek God's will, and inspire them to better serve those around them. There will be guest speakers, music, Mass, Adoration, Confession and two meals. Visit [www.beholdconference.com](http://www.beholdconference.com) for more info and to print a registration form. Cost is \$45/adults and \$25/high school students.

**Friday, March 11** - "Let My People Come" will be featured at a demonstration Mass held at St. Patrick Church, 1209 W. Locust, Bloomington, IL, at 5:15 pm. Begin your Lenten season by participating in a special Mass. Come and learn about the vestments, sacred vessels, and most importantly, the Mass itself. Each will be explained in detail by Father Brian Brownsey, Director of Vocations for the Diocese of Peoria and Chaplain and Director of St. Joseph Newman Center in Peoria. This is open to all catechists and teachers, as well as all parish members and those participating in the RCIA.

**Saturday, March 12** - How do you integrate your faith into your work? The Diocese will be hosting the "Faith-Based Leadership Seminar" at the Spaulding Pastoral Center, Peoria, featuring:

- \* Jim DeRose, Head Soccer Coach at Bradley University
- \* Mike Seghetti of Elias, Meginnnes, Riffle & Seghetti, PC
- \* Dr. Lisa Feeney, Feeney Consulting

Join with others in prayer, interaction & Mass, and hear the insights & experiences of how local business professionals have striven to incorporate their faith into their work. For more info & registration form, go to [www.faithbasedleadership.org](http://www.faithbasedleadership.org) or call (309) 671-1550.

**Saturday, May 14** - Join Bishop Jenky for the 8th Annual Diocesan Men's March & Mass. The Men's March is a public witness to our faith in Christ. In unity and solidarity, we are publicly standing in defense of faith, family and the priesthood. The march begins at Liberty Park at the Peoria riverfront and is about one mile in length. Schedule is as follows:

- \* 9 am - Gathering at the Peoria riverfront
- \* 9:45 am - Silent march to The Cathedral of St. Mary
- \* 10:30 am - The Rosary
- \* 11:00 am - Mass with Bishop Jenky with lunch & fellowship following.

For more information call the Office of Family Life at (309) 671-1550 or go to [www.cdop.org](http://www.cdop.org)

**Sunday, June 19** - A Family Day will be held on Father's Day for all families of the diocese to come and enjoy a day of relaxation with their families. This will be held at Nazareth Retreat House, Henry, IL. Lunch will be provided. The cost is \$25 per family. For more information call (309) 364-2783.

## Cold and Flu Season!

We are again beginning the season when sniffles and colds and other viruses are in the air. Some people are much more at risk from these than the vast majority of us. So, they may choose to offer a simple bow or smile instead of the handshake at the sign of peace; may also choose to abstain from the Eucharistic cup; may sit in a somewhat more protected spot (if available). Do not presume they are being unfriendly. They are taking appropriate cautions.

If someone has a cold, common sense and courtesy would suggest that they refrain from the Eucharistic cup until they have recovered. In every instance, courtesy and sensitivity to others will help us knit together in charity and worship as a community. Let us continue to strengthen the bonds of charity between us and accord one another the maximum of freedom and respect in the Lord.



## Looking for Good Reading Material?

Check out the display table behind the last row of pews in the church. There is a great choice of Catholic reading materials including daily meditation & scripture booklets and several magazines with excellent articles. These materials are free to you. However, if you wish to make a donation, envelopes are inserted in the display stands for this purpose.

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