



Saturday, July 28:

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, July 29:

9:30 a.m. Mass

Monday, July 30: Weekday, Peter Chrysologus, bp., doctor

Ex 32: 15-24, 30-34, Mt 13: 31-35
No Mass Today

Tuesday, July 31: Ignatius of Loyola

Ex 33: 7-11, 34: 5b-9, 28, Mt 13: 36-43
No Mass Today

Wednesday, August 1: Alphonsus Liguori, bp, doctor

Ex 34: 29-35, Mt 13: 44-46

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, August 2: Weekday, Eusebius of Vercelli, bishop

Ex 40: 16-21, 34-38, Mt 13: 47-53

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Friday, August 3: Weekday, Peter Julian Eymard, priest

Lv 23: 1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37, Mt 13: 54-58

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Gn 18: 20-32, Col 2: 12-14/Lk 11: 1-13

Saturday, August 4:

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, August 5:

9:30 a.m. Mass

Rest in Peace

Our prayers and sympathy to the family of Jack Stapleton who was buried from Sacred Heart this past week. May his soul find eternal peace and joy with Jesus the Lord.

CATHOLIC WEEKLY

Please note there are pink envelopes in your Church envelope packets to be used if you wish to have the Catholic Weekly sent to your home. The cost is \$7.00 per six months. (Your parish pays the remainder of the cost).

PARISH DIRECTORY UPDATE

Our parish directory is nearing completion. There is still a bit of "proofing" yet to be done. We are looking forward to having the books ready for you sometime in September.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4 & SUNDAY AUGUST 5

LECTORS:

5:00 p.m. Gerard Kolanowski
9:30 a.m. Wally Kent

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST:

5:00 p.m. Mary Knoll*
Chris Taylor, Art Rollend
Richard & Dolly Emery
9:30 a.m. Rose Putnam*
Carol Papp, Rita Papp
Sharon Vandenbossche, Chris Oakie

ALTAR SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Andrew Rollend, Alex Rollend
9:30 a.m. Steve Starling, Ann Starling

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. Dennis, Theresa, Marissa Connell,
Dorothy Faust, Marilyn Gludovatz, Brad
Hartel Family
9:30 a.m. Joan Smith, Sandy Budreau, Gloria
Orban, Mary Terbush

USHERS FOR AUGUST

5:00 p.m. David Luebbert*, Dan Monville
Richard & Dolores Emery
9:30 a.m. Dale Romain*, Paul Ellsworth
Robert Kamrad, Robert DeLorenzo

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CSA 2007

Parish Target.....	\$60,112.00
Pledges.....	\$48,898.00
Balance Needed.....	\$11,214.00

We are grateful to those who have already pledged to CSA. Our parish is still in need of \$11,214.00 to meet the target set by the diocese. Our prayer is that God will inspire each of us to realize this sacrificial work of stewardship is for the honor and glory of God, and for the service of His people.

HUNGER FOR THE JOY ONLY GOD GIVES

Why spend your money for what is not bread; your wages for what fails to satisfy? (Isaiah 55:2)

Money doesn't come easily for most of us. You could say that we spend ourselves earning it. Not only does work demand time and energy, but also initial training, staying up-to-date and conforming to the expectations of superiors and colleagues. If we are unfortunate enough to loathe our work or the workplace, or if we are addicted to work, then we become "spent" in terms of physical, mental and emotional health. The price of our employment can be severe unhappiness, affecting our relationships, domestic life and ability to see options for ourselves. Surprisingly, the money we so painstakingly earn disappears effortlessly, sometimes on necessities, sometimes on frivolities. Watching our resources dwindle, we need to ask ourselves what will really satisfy us. Are we spending ourselves on "toys" or on substance? Are we investing in that which is lasting or in the transitory? Are our hearts satisfied or do we endlessly hunger for the joy only God can provide? *Satisfy our hungry hearts, O God; invite us to feast with you.*

OUR PARISH SUPPORT

Our Weekly Need:	\$5800.00
Last Weekend	\$5619.60
Envelopes Used Last Weekend:	201

From the Pastor's Desk

VACATION-On Monday, July 30th, I will be leaving for five days of vacation/camping with my sister, her husband, daughters and friends. This should be interesting-not sure if Jane is really the "camper-type", but they got a camper, and there are some tents...so we'll see what happens.

ACTIVE DUTY-It's that time again!!! I knew it was coming and thus had to plan for it. By this I mean-my yearly two weeks of ACTIVE DUTY.

I will be gone from August 5-17. I will be serving with a Marine Air Wing Control Group at Great Lakes in Chicago.

This isn't too bad!! I could be SOMEWHERE on the West Coast-playing the sand-at Camp Pendleton or Twenty-Nine Palms. Therefore, I do not have to worry about HOT WEATHER or BLOWING SAND. Ever have sand in your sleeping bag or cot!!! A lot of memories here from the Great Sandbox in Kuwait. And...I really have no need to feel the sand or heat...any time too

So, have a good time during my away-time. I will be thinking about and praying for you. Do the same for me. In Christ's Peace, Fr. Dennis

BISHOP'S CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC will be

held to raise funds for Seminarian Education. The banquet to be held Thursday evening features a silent auction, our seminarians and brief program that highlights vocations. This event is for non-golfers too.

Banquet will be held at Swan Valley Banquet Center in Saginaw on Thursday, Sept 6.

5:30 pm. Silent Auction & Social

6:45 pm Dinner and program

8:30 pm Silent Auction Closes

GOLF OUTING will be held at the Midland Country Club on Friday, September 7th.

7:00 am. Continental Breakfast and Registration

8:00 am Morning Tee Off

11:30 am to 1:00 pm Luncheon

1:30 pm Afternoon Tee Off

TICKET OPTIONS- Banquet only-\$60 per person or \$400 per table of 8. Golf only-\$110 per person or \$400 per foursome.

GIFTS-You can use the registration form if you are unable to attend but would like to share a gift:

TO DOWNLOAD A REGISTRATION FORM-
www.Saginaw.org.

More info: Call Colleen Rabine @ (989) 797-6684.



THUMBS UP FOR CHRIST

(15th Annual Thumb Area Youth Rally)

3:00-10:15 pm-Saturday, August 25, 2007 @ St. John's Parish Center Grounds in Ubly.

For all teenagers (**All Religions Welcome!**)

For Incoming 7th grade through graduated seniors.

Food, Volleyball tournaments, flag football, basketball, open gym, old-fashioned games, D.J./Karaoke, Mass with Fr. T.J., Cost: \$7.00.

Registration, medical release, and \$7.00 must be turned in by August 21. Call 673-2276 for more information.

PUMPKIN FESTIVAL FLOAT

If anyone is interested in organizing a group to construct a float for the Pumpkin Festival parade representing our parish, please call the Parish Center for more information @ 673-2276.

GARAGE SALE

The Lutheran Home Care Agency, Hospice of Hope is sponsoring a Giant Garage Sale on Thursday, August 2nd from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 pm at St. Lorenz Churchgrove Park, off Genesee St. All proceeds benefit Hospice of Hope.

A LITTLE HUMOR

PRAISE BE

A preacher was completing a temperance sermon. With great expression, he said, "If I had all the wine in the world, I'd throw it in the river." With greater emphasis, he said, "And if I had all the beer in the world, I'd throw it in the river too." And finally he yelled, "And if I had all the whiskey in the world, I'd throw it all in the river!" He then sat down. The song leader slowly stood up and announced, "And for our closing song, let us sing Hymn # 422: "Shall We Gather at the River?"

HUMOR CONTINUED

Q. What do they call pastors in Germany?

A. German Shepherds.

Q. Who is the greatest babysitter mentioned in the Bible?

A. David. He rocked Goliath to a very deep sleep.

Q. Why didn't they play cards on the Ark?

A. Because Noah was standing on the deck.

PS...Did you know it's a sin for a woman to make coffee?

Yup, it's in the bible. It says..."He-brews"

