



Saturday, October 6:

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, October 7:

9:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass

Monday, October 8: Weekday

Jan 1: 1-2:2, 11, Lk 10: 25-37
No Mass Today

Tuesday, October 9: Weekday, Denis & comp., martyrs, John Leonardi, priest

Jan 3: 1-10, Lk 10: 38-42

1:30 p.m. Mass @ Medical Care

Wednesday, October 10: Weekday

Jan 4: 1-11, Lk 11: 1-4

8:30 a.m. Mass

Thursday, October 11: Weekday

Mal 3: 13-20b, Lk 11: 5-13

8:30 a.m. Mass

Friday, October 12: Weekday

Jl 1: 13-15, 2: 1-2, Lk 11: 15-26

8:30 a.m. Mass

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2 Kgs 5: 14-17, 2 Tm 2: 8-13, Lk 17: 11-19

Saturday, October 13:

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, October 14:

9:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass

ATTENTION SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

If you take communion to a sick relative or homebound parishioner-or if you would like to learn more about this ministry-Please attend a workshop that will help you carry out this special ministry prayerfully and reverently.



Date: Wednesday, October 10 @ 7:00 pm at the Parish Center. All special ministers

are expected to attend. If you cannot attend and wish to continue serving, please call 673-2276 so we can schedule another session for you.

FLU VACCINE CLINIC

A Flu Vaccine Clinic will be held here at Sacred Heart Parish Center next **Sunday, October 14, from 10:00 am-12:30 pm.** - offered through Lutheran Home Care Agency of Frankenmuth. Please bring your insurance card, as they are able to bill for Medicare Part B & Health Plus. For those without these insurances listed, the cost will be \$25.00. Stay healthy -Get a flu shot.

PARISH BREAKFAST

You're invited to a tasty breakfast next Sunday, October 14 at the Parish Center after both the Masses, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Don't miss it.

ST. PANCRATIUS BAZAAR

St. Pancratius (Cass City) Women's Council invites you to their Fall Bazaar this Saturday, Oct. 13, 9-3:00 pm-crafts, bake sale, straw draw, lunch and lots more. Join the fun!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13 & SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14

LECTORS:

5:00 p.m. Gerard Kolanowski

9:00 a.m. Diane Reed

11:00 a.m. Maria Prescott

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST:

5:00 p.m. Mary Knoll*

Dave & Donna Klebba

Irv & Ginny DeRoche

9:00 a.m. Bruce Mellendorf*

Carol Papp, Angie Campbell

Norm & Jan Daniels

11:00 a.m. Lil Guild*

Chris Creguer, Joanne Lipar

Lee & Carol Starling

ALTAR SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Bryan Cody, Thomas Bodeis

9:00 a.m. Allison Learman, Becky Learman

11:00 a.m. Ann Starling, Crystal Messing

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. Jill, Stephanie Brink, Onna Lee LaPratt, Mark & Lynn Petiprin, Margaret Cockerill

9:00 a.m. Joan Smith, Bob, Janet DeLorenzo, Maggie, Floyd Echols, Tracy LaPratt & Girls

11:00 a.m. Karlee, Vicki Neuville, Doug & Don Prosser, Linda Krohn, Keith, Lynette Baur, Mary Ann Szpunar

USHERS FOR OCTOBER:

5:00 p.m. Dan Monville*, Mark Petiprin

Dave Luebbert, Adam Rodriguez

9:00 a.m. Jim LaPratt*, Jim Will

Matt Perez, Denise Bristol

11:00 a.m. Jon Findlay*, Vic Guzman

Doug Prosser, Mark Ransford

CSA 2007

Parish Target.....\$60,112.00

Pledges.....\$50,533.00

Balance Needed.....\$ 9,579.00

Our thanks to those who have already pledged.

MARRIAGE

Our congratulations and best wishes to Beau Shaver and Emily Lamb who were united in Holy Matrimony at Sacred Heart recently. May they grow together in the light and love of Christ.

THE LORD HAS CALLED THEM HOME

Our prayers and sympathy to the family of Velma Sattler who was buried from Sacred Heart this past week. Also our prayers and sympathy to the family of Pauline LaPratt who was buried from Sacred Heart this past week. May they find eternal peace and joy with Jesus the Lord.

MOVIE NIGHT-"THE MASS EXPLAINED"

The Mass is not just a ritual; it is a relationship—a relationship with Jesus Christ and His Body! In this passionate video presentation Fr. Larry Richards invites you to enter into the greatest of all mysteries-the very presence of God on Earth-and how we can participate in His life. You think Mass is boring or not in the scripture or just some old ritual? You haven't got a clue what is about to happen! Prepare to have your heart and mind changed.

Please join us in the Parish Center **Thursday, Oct. 18 @ 7:00 pm** as we learn what really happens at MASS!

OUR PARISH SUPPORT

Our Weekly Need.....	\$5800.00
Last Weekend.....	\$5584.00
<u>482</u> Envelopes Holders	<u>205</u> Envelopes Used Last Weekend

From the Pastor's Desk

ENVELOPE HOLDERS/USAGE-Once again we would like to highlight the use of envelopes among our envelope holders. As you may have noticed in the weekly bulletin HOW MANY envelope holders there are and HOW MANY envelopes are actually used per week. The number is usually HALF the amount. We know that parishioners use their envelopes in various ways-weekly contributions, bi-weekly contributions, once a month. It is important that all parishioners understand the fact that ALL DIOCESAN ASSESSMENTS (CSA and PRIEST RETIREMENT) is based upon the NUMBER OF ENVELOPE HOLDERS in the parish. Over the past years the number of envelope holders has been HIGH, while the use of envelopes has been much lower. Over the past months we have REDUCED the number of envelope holders. This has been based upon those who no longer attend our church, those who have died, those who are living in Nursing Homes and Foster Homes, those who no longer contribute to the parish. We have been very careful in the removal of people from our envelope list. Please understand that the parish pays for the printing and mailing of parish envelopes and the yearly EXPENSE is rather High/Expensive.

A timely **Q & A** from our *Catholic Weekly* follows:

Question-We came back to our parish after many years of assignment in another state. It's great to be back except for the way this new pastor runs the parish. If anyone doesn't contribute one parish envelope over 12 months he's crossed off the parish list. Don't free-will offerings count? What about Jesus' story of the widow's two cents worth?

Answer-If your pastor is holding you to a minimum of one out of 52 weeks he is obviously remiss in his duty. That's a batting average of .01 percent. The most sensitive part of human anatomy is not the heart, liver or lungs. It's that six-inch patch of skin on the hip surrounding the wallet. My that's sensitive. Don't touch that. Jesus devoted about one-fourth of his parables to the tacky topic of money and the responsibilities that come with it. He kept insisting we are merely stewards who are held accountable for what we do with what we have been given by God. We really don't own anything. We get to use things for a while, even years upon years, and then we are told, "Give an account of your stewardship." We want receipts for every expenditure. We get slips at the checkout counter, receipts for taxes, car payments, mortgages, clothes and food. It's the accepted way of doing business. Is there some reason you want your parish expenditures to be no-trace money? Your parish envelope system will provide you with a receipt and an annual statement for an income tax deduction. An experienced pastor told a young associate, "There are only two kinds of people who want to remain anonymous-the very generous and the very cheap-each for good reason. Since you're surely in the first group, get your parish envelopes.

RCIA REMINDER- The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults classes begin this Wednesday, October 10 @ 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. Everyone is welcome.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

- Oct. 9-S.P.R.E.D.** Friends & Leaders meet @ 7:00 p.m.
Oct. 13-Intro to the Bible 10:00-12:00 in the Parish Center
Oct. 14-K of C Breakfast
Oct. 14-High School Youth Mass @ Cathedral and pizza dinner
Oct. 15-No Faith Formation Classes
Oct. 17-After school social 3:30-5:00 grades 4-8
Oct. 17-Sacramental session 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 20-Make a Difference Day
Oct. 20/21-After Mass coffee/donut social
Oct. 21-Children's Mass @ 9:00
Oct. 21-High School youth meet 7:00-9:00 p.m.
Oct. 27-Intro to the Bible 10:00-12:00 in the Parish Center
Oct. 28-Youth Mass @ 11:00
Oct. 28-Trunk or Treat @ 5:00 pm

Disciples in action:

Thank you to Mrs. Cody's 5th grade disciples who created some decorative containers in the Parish Center for recycling. Thank you for being stewards of creation!

Thank you St. Francis (aka Mariann Saenen) for blessing our pets as we celebrated the feast of St. Francis of Assisi this week.

High School Youth-If you plan to go to the Cathedral and out for pizza on October 14, you must be signed up by October 12!!!

After School Socials-The next social for 4th-8th grade youth is Wednesday, October 17th. The butterfly bus will NOT be dropping the kids off. Your child will need a note to take a bus to the McComb School, and walk over. Questions -call the Parish Center @ 673-2276.



A two-week course, "Introduction to the Bible" is being offered on Saturday, October 13th and 27th from 10:00 am-12:00 noon in the Parish Center. This two-part class will cover topics such as: "How to choose a Bible, How to read the Bible, Gospels, Birth of Jesus, Mary, Paul's letters..." Bring your bible and nurture your faith!

MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY

When: Saturday, October 20

Where: Camp Fowler (leave from Parish)

Time: Leave @ 9:30am & return @ 2 pm

Who: All youth 6th grade and up

What: Clean & set-up for the Fowler Center's Fall Fling
 It's a time for being a "helping hand" and also a time for fun! We'll have rock climbing, hot dog roast, s'mores. Call the Parish Center @ 673-2276 to register.

TRUNK OR TREAT

Our parish is having its 3rd annual Trunk or Treat! We are looking for parish members to decorate their vehicle trunks (or back of vehicle) for Halloween and hand out candy to our "trunk or treaters". Our



High School youth will be selling hot dogs, snacks and running games in the Parish Center.

When: Sunday, October 28th @ 5:00 pm

Where: Sacred Heart Parish Center and parking lot

Why: To have a fun & safe All Hallows Eve

Who: All are invited to decorate a trunk & all are invited to "trunk or treat". **Cost:** Free (no reason not to attend!)

To be part of the evening: Call Karen @ 673-2276 .