

**Saturday, January 10:**

5:00 p.m. Service in Absence of Priest

**Sunday, January 11:**

9:00 a.m. Mass (K/C Corporate Communion)

11:00 a.m. Mass

**Monday, January 12: Weekday**

Hebrews 1: 1-6, Mk 1: 14-20

No Mass today

**Tuesday, January 13: Weekday, Hilary, bishop and doctor**

Heb 2: 5-12, Mk 1: 21-28

1:30 p.m. Mass @ Medical Care

**Wednesday, January 14: Weekday**

Heb 2: 14-18, Mk 1: 29-39

8:30 a.m. Mass

**Thursday, January 15: Weekday**

Heb 3: 7-14, Mk 1: 40-45

8:30 a.m. Mass

**Friday, January 16: Weekday**

Heb 4: 1-5, 11, Mk 2: 1-12

8:30 a.m. Mass

**SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

1 Sm 3: 3b-10, 19, 1 Cor 6: 13c-15a, 17-20, Jn 1: 35-42

**Saturday, January 17:**

5:00 p.m. Mass

**Sunday, January 18:**

9:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass

**K/C BREAKFAST**

Don't miss out on the scrumptious breakfast the K/C's will be serving after the Sunday Masses this weekend. Bring your family and enjoy the great food and fellowship.

**FOOD FOR THE NEEDY**

Once again we are requesting donations of non-perishable food for the needy of our area. We are all aware of the economic conditions of our area (and elsewhere). So on behalf of those who are in great need (they are young and old alike) we ask you to be generous with food

donations next weekend. May God bless you for your sharing especially at this time.

**IN APPRECIATION**

In a time of the loss of any family member, it is always comforting to know our Church family is there to assist in any way possible. We thank Janinine Klee, Mary Jane Garrison, Jane Romain, Pat Gregor, Dick & Dolly Emery, and Mike Schannon for donating their time for the funeral luncheon for Mike Sinchak.

We also thank our parishioners who worked at the funeral luncheon for Jeremy Neville: Dave & Donna Klebba, Mary Ann Papp, Joni Hall, Joyce Anderson, Lil Kolanowski, Shirley & Cass Lubaczewski, Kaye & Pete Zurek, Dale Hasenleder, Gloria Orban, Mary Ann Vandemark, and the Knights of Columbus for providing, cooking, and delivering the chicken. Thank you!

We especially remember our callers for food supplies: Dorothy Faust, Cheree Czidik, Pauline Godzinski, and Renee Brink. It takes much time on their part to get through to others. We thank you all for saying yes when called! (Christian Services)

**REMINDER:** RCIA meets this Wed. Jan. 14 @ 7:00 pm.

**SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, JANUARY 17 & 18****LECTORS:**

5:00 p.m. Mary Knoll  
9:00 a.m. Joanne Richardson  
11:00 a.m. Mark Ransford

**MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST:**

5:00 p.m. Karen Cody\*  
Art Rollend, Paul Langlois  
Lynne Petiprin, Chris Taylor  
Ann Reinelt\*  
9:00 a.m. Daniella Babcock, Andy Schlaud  
Pete & Norma Sayers  
11:00 a.m. Mary Ann Szpunar\*,  
Rich & Donna Hartman  
Rita Papp, Chris Creguer

**ALTAR SERVERS:**

5:00 p.m. Taylor Everts, Elleni Everts  
9:00 a.m. Liz Schlaud, Bailey Merz  
11:00 a.m. Nick Bauerschmidt, Tim Sabo

**GREETERS:**

5:00 p.m. Onna Lee LaPratt, Lynn, Mark Petiprin,  
Mandy Knox, Margaret Cockerill  
9:00 a.m. Bob, Pat Chisholm, Bob, Janet DeLorenzo,  
Tracy LaPratt  
11:00 a.m. Lanny, LaDonna LaFave, Bernard Lenda,  
LaBerge Family, Irene Aymer

**USHERS FOR JANUARY:**

5:00 p.m. Doug Lagos\*, Dave Lagos  
Adam Rodriguez, Dave Kolacz  
9:00 a.m. John Papp Sr\*, Jason Kappen  
Floyd Echols, Robert Kamrad  
11:00 a.m. Jack Generous\*, Pete O'Brien  
Joe Fessler, Mark Ransford

**BLOODMOBILE**

Once again a bloodmobile will be offered at Caro United Methodist Church on Gilford Rd. **When:** Thursday, January 22. **Time:** 12:00 noon until 5:45 pm. Walk-Ins are most welcome. The **Bloodmobile** has a new sponsor-Michigan Community Blood Center. More info: Leona Trisch @ Caro Comm.Hosp. 673-3141.



Give Blood.  
Give Life.

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

Our appreciation to Col. Fred & Alyce Haase for the beautiful flowers that adorn our altar this weekend. Thank you for sharing this very special time (67<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary!) with your church family.

**OUR APPRECIATION**

Christian Services sincerely thank all who gave their time for the funeral luncheon of Jack Cole: Michelle Quick, Shirley & Ben Sizemore, Maureen Fealko, Sharon Vandebossche, Norbert Jankowski. Also our thanks to the Knights of Columbus who provided & cooked the ham and chicken. Bless you!

**CATHOLIC WEEKLY**

Please note the pink envelopes which are enclosed in your Church envelope packets, for a subscription to the Catholic Weekly. Cost for the subscription is \$7.00 for six months. (Your parish pays the remaining amount of the subscription.)

**TAX CONTRIBUTIONS**

Your Church contributions may be tax deductible. If you wish to have a copy of your contributions mailed to you, to be used in preparing your income tax returns for 2008, please call the office @ 673-2346. Please make your request known by Jan 28 so we can have your tax info by the end of January.

**PARISH SUPPORT**

Our Weekly Need.....\$5800.00  
 Last Weekend.....\$6096.60  
 476 Envelope Holders...245 Envelopes used last weekend

*From the Pastor's Desk*

**WELCOME TO ELYSE-**As we continue to reflect upon and enhance our parish music, we would like to extend a warm welcome to **ELYSE MEYETTE**. Elyse has been invited to join our music team and will join us in the next few weeks. She is excited to be a part of our parish music team.

Elyse comes to us with many musical gifts and talents. She is a very accomplished music person, playing keyboard (piano and organ), guitar and other instruments. She also has a very good singing voice.

Elyse comes from the Elkton area. At the present time she works with her uncle, who owns a funeral business in Elkton. She has also worked in other parishes and dioceses-Gaylord and Chicago. Over the past couple of years she was the Liturgist at a large parish in Chicago.

I have worked with her prior to coming to Sacred Heart – at both Caseville (St. Roch) and Pinnebog (St. Felix). Therefore, I know of and can speak well of her many musical talents. We are excited to have her in our parish. Please extend a warm welcome to Elyse and help her to feel welcomed at Sacred Heart. As she works with our music team, she will also share with us her “style of music”, and assist our parish as we continue to develop our music program.

Elyse, welcome to Sacred Heart!!  
 In Christ's Peace, Fr. Dennis

**IN SYMPATHY**

Our heartfelt sympathy to the family of Jeremy Neville who was buried under Sacred Heart this past week. May the knowledge that he is in the arms of Our Blessed Lord be a comfort to his grieving family.

**POINSETTIAS**

Our church was decorated with some beautiful poinsettias for the Christmas season. Now that the season has passed you are welcome to take home and enjoy any poinsettia plants that are still available.

**SQUARE DANCE FUN**

You're invited to try square dancing for fun and exercise at the Caro United Methodist Church, 670 Gilford Rd., Starting January 20, on Saturday mornings during January, February, and March. New dancers; 9:30-11:30 a.m. Dancers with some experience 11:30 am-12:30 pm. Taught and led by Bill TerBush. FREE. FREE. FREE. (Just take turns with snacks). Register: Bill TerBush @ 979-737-7142 or Bob & Norma Berry 989-673-3502.

**ANNUAL SANCTITY OF LIFE DAY MEMORIAL**

You are invited to join others for a memorial service in remembrance of the more than 50 million infants that have been denied access to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness because of abortion. In this county alone, we lost seventy-nine babies last year to abortion.

The Memorial Service will be held: January 22, 2009 from 7:00-8:00 pm @ Providence Church, 1230 E. Caro Rd.(across from Country Carriage Floral). Sponsored by Tuscola Right to Life.

**†FAITH FORMATION NEWS†**

- Jan. 11-Confirmation Inscription Service 9:00 Mass
- Jan. 11-High School youth group meets 12:00 noon
- Jan. 13-S.P.R.E.D. Friends & Leaders meet 7:00 pm
- Jan. 14-After School social 3:30-5:00
- Jan. 17-Jesus Experience Day 10:00 a.m.
- Jan 18-Confirmation @ 9:00 a.m. Mass
- Jan. 18-High School youth group meets 12:00 noon
- Jan. 21-24 March for Life Washington D.C.
- Jan. 31-High School Mass in Freeland FEED THE FIRE
- Feb. 8-H.S. Youth Group will attend Mass @ S.V.S.U.
- Feb. 11-After School Social 3:30-5:00

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP** meets January 11-09 from 12:00-1:30 pm in Rectory basement.

**JESUS EXPERIENCE DAY** for Confirmation candidates, sponsors and parents will be held on Saturday, Jan 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Center.

**SWEATSHIRTS**-Sacred Heart sweatshirts are for sale in the Parish Center. We have a variety of sizes and colors to choose from. Cost is \$20.00 each.

**SKI TRIP TO TREETOPS**

**Who:** Youth in grades 7-12

**What:** Skiing, snowboarding, Tubing and Swimming

**When:** Leave Monday, February 16 @ 8:00 a.m. and return Tuesday, February 17 around 3:00 p.m.

**Cost:** \$25.00 for the room and a pizza dinner. Additional money for food, rental, and lift tickets will be needed. Rental is \$20.00, tubing is \$8.00, lift ticket is \$30.00 for Monday, and \$10.00 for Tuesday. Call the Parish Center (673-2276) to sign up. Deadline is January 15.

**Sunday By Sunday** meets on Mondays

@ 6:15. This is an informal gathering and a fun group to be part of. Join us as we read and discuss the upcoming Sunday readings. Info: Lynne Petiprin @ 673-3795.

**SPIRIT HOCKEY**

Thank you to all who attended the Saginaw Spirit hockey game on January 2<sup>nd</sup>. We had a great time. Also, thank you to Mark & Lynne Petiprin for driving our S.P.R.E.D. friends. Our parish of Sacred Heart is blessed to have such a supportive family!

**WINTER FUN NIGHT**

Be sure to join us as we celebrate **summer** in the middle of winter! Bring your picnic basket (or fast food), beach blanket and dress for summer fun. We will have fun activities for all to enjoy.

**When:** Wednesday, January 28<sup>th</sup>. **Time:**

6:00 p.m. **Where:** Parish Center. **Who:** All parish members, friends and families. **Why:** To break up the winter blahs. We'll provide drinks, desserts, activities. You provide the fun! Sign up: Karen @ 673-2276.

**NATIVITY SET IS BEAUTIFUL**

The Faith Formation Disciples wish to thank Emily Czelada for the beautiful Nativity set she donated to the Parish Center. Originally it came from St. Jude's Church in Fairgrove. Also, a huge thank you to Maggie Langlois who used her painting talents to refurbish the set. We appreciate and are grateful to have this special Nativity set with us!

