

Mass Intentions**Saturday (July 16)**

4:00 PM Deceased members of the Sweeney Family

5:30 PM Frances Tholl by *Bill & Tara Stropes* - MLOP**16th Sunday in Ordinary Time (July 17)**7:00AM Phyllis Lioen by *the Fr. Jim*8:30AM Loretta Driessens by *Joan & Chet Wexell* - MLOP10:00AM Julius & Rose VandeVoorde by *Julie & Steve Bush*

11:30 No MASS during summer months

Wednesday (July 20)**9:00AM Gladys Gauker by *the parishFriday (July 22)**

10:30 AM Communion Service at Hope Creek

Saturday (July 23)4:00 PM Eric Hall by *Betty Hall*5:30 PM Iva Mae Tholl by *the Tholl Family* - MLOP*(8th Anniversary)***17th Sunday in Ordinary Time (July 24)**7:00AM Dc. Mike Reid by *the Fr. Jim*8:30AM Dorothy Martens by *J & S Ferry Family* - MLOP

10:00AM For 1st Communicant Carly Boens

July 17 - 24, 2011

Sunday - *Ws 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27;**Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30*Monday - *Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 12:38-42*Tuesday - *Ex 14:21-15:1; Ex 15:8-9, 10, 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50*Wednesday - *Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28; Mt 13:1-9*Thursday - *Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Mt 13:10-17*Friday - *Sngs 3:1-4, or 2Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18*Saturday - *Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1-2, 5-6, 14-15; Mt 13:24-30*Sunday - *1Kg 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130; Rom 8:28-30;*
Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

***Please note** limited Mass schedule this week due to Fr. Jim being out of town. Only daily Mass this week will be on Wednesday at 9:00AM with Fr. Dick Bresnahan.



Thank you to all who could join us for the Open House last weekend. What great ice cream sundaes! A special thank you to Ron Fisher for donating the wonderful home-made hot fudge sauce & fruit & honey toppings!

CALLING YOUNG FAMILIES!

Parents of children in pre-school and younger are invited to attend a Focus Group on Sunday July 31 after the 10AM Mass or Monday Aug 1 at 6:30 pm This is being organized and conducted by members of the parish Adult Faith Formation Committee.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**“Shake It Up Café”****July 25th - 29th****Registration forms are in the foyer.**

We still need help that week (men, women & teens). How about your family decorating a room on July 22 or 23? Questions call Jill Dzekunskas (309) 737-3438 or email the parish office at smg@smgcv.org. Also, there are sign up sheets for items needed for the VBS kitchen please take a minute to see what is needed & bring it back next weekend.

**COAL VALLEY COMMUNITY
FOOD PANTRY**We will be collecting **condiments****(ketsup, mustard, relish, pickles,)**

for the Coal Valley Food Pantry on the weekends of
July 23 - 24 and July 30 - 31.

As always, cash donations and other non-perishable food items are always welcome. Thank you for your support.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES will be delivered to Bicentennial School Monday, July 18th. Questions call Shirley VanDuyne 799-7438.

Parish Office Hours

Coal Valley 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Mon. - Wed. - Fri.
Orion 9AM-2PM at 526-8422 Tuesday & Thursday

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, 7/17 - Coffee & donuts after Masses

Nursery available during 10a.m. Mass

School supplies due back

Sign up for VBS and/or items to help make it a success

Sunday, 7/24 - Coffee & donuts after Masses

No Nursery this weekend

Last day to get VBS items to church

Please support our bulletin ADVERTISERS!

They help make this bulletin available each week.

This week we recognize

Larsen Klauer Builders, LTD

Paul Klauer, parishioner

Thank you to

- Parishioners who stayed to help clean up after the Ice Cream Open House last Sunday.
- Project Belize Committee for their sponsoring the play in Geneseo last week.
- Marge Behn for preparing the church for last week's funeral. BJ Keegan, John Mahon & the Resurrection Choir for the funeral music.
- Rex Scranton & John Katherman for ushering at the funeral.
- Charmaine DeCrane & Barb Herbert for organizing the funeral lunch & their servers: Sharon Scranton, Dan & Donna Tworek, Shirley VanDuyne, Claudia Saddler, Bev Demeurisse, Lois DeCoster, Judy & Al DePorter, MaryAnn Lapaczonek, Velda Greif, Sharon Young, Marge Behn & Rita Pearson.
- Donna Boens, Jean Edmondson & the callers getting food for funerals and all those who prepared food for the funerals.

Stewardship of Treasure

From the week of July 10, 2011

	[Last week]	[Fiscal YTD]
Building Fund	\$ 437.00	\$ 832.00
Budgeted Amount		<u>287.42</u>
Net Over <Under>		\$ 544.58
Regular Collection	\$3,490.50	\$ 9,347.50
Budgeted Amount		<u>4,713.68</u>
Over <Under>		\$ 4,633.82

Please pray for...

Those who have died, especially Gladys Gauker, mother of Sandy Bledsoe and Jerry VanDuyne brother of Denny VanDuyne.

Those who are sick...at Maria Goretti

Bob Bennett, Margaret Francescon. Rose & Leroy Glaudel, Earl Greif, Bob Gunnare, Dick Seibert, Yvonne Sherlock, Carol Solomon, Gary VanDeCastele, & Shirley Wilson.

Prayers have also been asked for....

Alden Brown, Tom & Jeff Dzekunskas, Victor Endress, Lucy Fonteyne, Kevin Francescon. Ken Hanger, Garrett Jacobs, Melissa Konrad, Fr. Paulin & his brother Sylvester, Maria Maciolek, Pam Snell, Mary Sullivan, Jennifer VandeVoorde, Bernie Weidner & Don White.

And at Mary, Our Lady of Peace...

Isla Galliard, Robert & Mary Johnson, Mary Ann Long, Stephen Sottos, Sr., Chet Wexell

And from MLOP...

Sean Arnold, Bob Ator, Jean Briggs, Kathleen Booker, Leslie Ann Carey, Gina Carlile, Robert & Rickii Carr, Lynn Chartier, Gabby Decker, Clifford Flatt, Mary Frank, Beverly Fransen, Loretta, Pam & Gus Gainey, Betty Huggler, Ken Kempen, Doris Lindquist, Reid Long, Mardell Magee, Phyllis & Grace Mitchell, Lillian Morrison, John Molburg, Gerry Moyer, Jackie Mowder, Colton Nescger, Jordan Palmer, Sharon Parks, Dorothy Peterson, Tony Pauwels, Kateland Poff, Sherri Shea, Nina Smith, Steve Stife, Toni Versluys, Patsy Wake-land, Bernie Weidner, and Bernice Ziegenhorn.

Don't forget our Military & and their families

Sgt Mark Britton (Army-U.S), AB Corbin Carlson (AF-USA), John Goebel (NG-Afghanistan), SPC Jake Gunn (Army-Afghanistan) Luke Heritage (NG-Afghanistan), LCPL Sean Keehner (Marines - Afghanistan), Cpt. Jeremy Miles (NG-USA), Sr. Airman Jeff Topham (AF-USA), Sgt. Aaron DePorter (Army-Afghanistan), E6 Amy & Stefen Huitrado (Navy - USA), Major Andy Maguire (NG - Iraq), AB Dale Shake (AF - USA) Major Luke Sustman (AF - USA), Shawn Taylor (Army) and Cpt. Adam UnderKloffler (Marines - USA).

[Names of those sick or in need of healing will remain on our prayer list for 4 weeks unless we hear otherwise.]

CAR POOL FOR WOMEN'S RETREAT

If you are interested in car pooling for the Women's Retreat at Nazareth House in Henry on July 22th thru 24th please call Jeanie Gengler at 7993632 or (309 912-4678

SUPPORT OUR SEMINARIANS!

Mark your calendar now to attend the POPS (Parents of Priests and Seminarians) Seminarian Fundraiser on Saturday August 13 at Spalding Pastoral Center in Peoria. Doors will open at 5:30 pm, with dinner at 6:30; the evening will conclude at 8:30 pm. It will be an evening of fun, including a lasagna dinner, music (by our seminarians), Vocations talks, great raffle and silent auction baskets/items. All funds are given as tuition aid for our Peoria Diocese college seminarians. Your support is needed! Donations (of baskets, raffle prizes, or money) will be gratefully accepted. Contact Char Otto ([309-274-6311](tel:309-274-6311)) or Diane Matheson ([309-263-0936](tel:309-263-0936)). **Seating by reservation only.** Please send e-mail address and donation of \$15/person to POPS Seminarian Fundraiser, P.O. Box 192, Morton IL 61550. Make checks payable to Diocese of Peoria.

CURSILLO & TEC NEWS

Next Ultreya (short version of Cursillo) will be Saturday, July 23rd at St. John Parish in Woodhull. Theme "*Be Fruitful Where He Plants You*" Speakers: Jean Causemaker & Dc. Tom Wachtel at 7:30 pm .Mass at 8:30 followed by Social Hour. All are welcome!

August 27, 2011 is the Trivia Night and Basket Raffle. Raffle tickets at the Believers Together Center in Moline, Raffle tickets for 2011 Chevy Camaro Convertible are available with TEC (Teens Encounter Christ), Cursillo and Christ the King members.

Also, join us for the **8th Annual Cursillo Golf Outing** on Sunday, August 28 at new Fyre Lake National Golf Club in Sherrard. \$60 per person (includes golf cart & meal) All proceeds will be donated to the Believers Together Center. See kiosk for more information or sign up at www.cdopnwacursillo.org

COMMUNITY EVENTS

July 22 - 24 - Women's Retreat at Nazareth House, Henry, IL. "Your Mercy Waters the Soil of our Hearts". Retreat Master: Servants of the Pierced Hearts of Jesus & Mary. Fee: \$130. Flyer on the kiosk.

July 29 & 30 - Charismatic Renewal Conference at Holiday Inn Centre, Peoria. Bishop Jenky will offer Mass of the Holy Spirit. More information & registration at www.ccr-cdop.org or call Jan 309-274-3543

August 6 - Widowed & Divorced Diocesan Day of Reflection at St. Patrick or Merna Church , Bloomington/ See kiosk for more details.

August 6 - Catechetical Conference at Spalding Pastoral Center, Peoria . "Teaching the Faith, Part I & II"

August 20 - "Swing into School" Golf Outing at Byron Hills Golf Course, Port Byron, sponsored by Our Lady of Grace. If interested contact St. Anne Parish, east Moline or Our Lady of Grace school.

Sept. 10 - Peoria Diocese Respect Life Workshop at Spalding Pastoral Center, Peoria from 8:30 - 3pm.

Mark your calendar for **Diocesan Youth Rally on Saturday, October 8, 2011** More information to come!

Music Teacher Needed

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Academy in East Moline is looking for a part-time music teacher for the 2011-2012 school year. The hired employee would begin work on August 11. Duties would include but will not be limited to teaching music to preschool through 8th grade, playing the piano for all Religious celebrations including Mass, working with a school choir, and being music director for our school productions. The position would require the applicant to have a background in music education, an enthusiasm to work with all ages of students, and the ability to play the piano at Mass and for the musical. If you are interested in the position please submit your application online at the diocesan website, www.cdop.org. If you have any questions you may call Ms. Vander Vennet at the school office, 309-755-9771.

Always in His Peace

Dear Friends,

I found this little commentary and prayer for our readings. I think it helps to bring into focus the imagery in our readings. I thought you might like it.

“Today’s readings call for a spirit of hope and patience for ourselves and others . . . to allow gifts to flower, temptations to be overcome, and God’s forgiveness to bring strength. With this spirit, we can gradually become the loving, lenient, and lavish hearts and hands of God in the world, helping others to find hope and grow in wisdom and grace.” And so may we pray:

Prayer

Loving and lavish God, open my heart
to allow your seed of patient love to grow
in the midst of my sin;
cultivate your loving kindness in me to spring up with wisdom
in the face of weakness in myself and others;
knead my spirit and my habits
so I may rise to union with you
as nourishment for the life of the world. Amen.

I would also like to announce that Deacon Chuck Breeden was granted “Senior Status” by our Bishop Daniel Jenky, C.S.C. as of June 29, 2011. Deacon Chuck will continue to assist at Funeral Liturgies/Masses and conduct Baptismal Preparation classes and assist at various liturgical celebrations. He will not be attending as many meetings and has relinquished many of his responsibilities as Assistant Spiritual Director of Northwest Cursillo. Now, joyfully, he will be able to get away with his wife Mike on little trips to visit family. We are indebted for what he has done for the Lord among us and are thankful for what he may sow for the Lord in the future, albeit at a more leisurely pace. Thank you, Deacon Chuck and may you continue to be a blessing for us for years to come.

Always in the Peace of the Risen Lord, Father Jim

P.S. Father Nimorous is at Saint Patrick Church,
437 S. Orange Street,
Havana, IL 62644.
1.309.543.6373.

Scholarship for Fr. Nimo’s Pygmie students
\$250 Scholarship for tuition & room & board for one academic year. \$50 will help provide uniforms & other proper clothing for one student.

P.S. Thank you for those who supported the Project Belize fundraiser and Richmond this past week. It was quite successful (though we had room for more) and was enjoyed by all. Another opportunity to enjoy a play at the Barn in Geneseo will be August 17 when the Richmond Players will perform “*Spitfire Grill*”.

P.S. Thanks to SMG Parishioners for exceeding their ADA goal by about \$1600. MOLOP is about 1200 dollars short. Come on MOLOP!

2011 ADA Goal	Mary, Our Lady of Peace	\$ 22,648	Saint Maria Goretti	\$ 42,354
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****There will be no morning Masses in Orion next week and Mass only on Wednesday morning in Coal Valley, because Fr. Jim will be out of town from Sunday afternoon until Friday evening. In case of an emergency, call Fr. Mike Schaab, 793-7375 or Fr. Dick Bresnahan, 762-3168.****

SPITFIRE GRILL

Richmond Hills Theater
Wednesday, August 17, 2011

Desserts 6:30 pm

Play 7:30 pm

Tickets \$ 12.50

A fund raiser for

Fr. "Nimo" Nimorious'

Children's Scholarships

Send Notes To Senior Parishioners

If you 'd like to send a card or note to those who are homebound or in a Nursing Home: Julia Achs (Hope Creek Center, 4343 Kennedy Dr., East Moline 61244), Rose (home) & Leroy Glaudel (St. Anthony's Continuing Care, 767-30th St, Rock Island), Angela Idoux and Roberta O'Brien (Kahl Home, 1101W. 9th St., Davenport 52804) Eileen McKenzie (573 N. Walden Dr., Palatine, IL 60067), Dorothy Moross (home), Olga Jordan (home), Dorie Jeffrey (Friendship Manor), 1209-21st Ave., Rock Island), Margaret Piskorik (home), Ann Toney (Heartland,) Ray Tschopp (1900-10th St. Apt. 254, Silvis, 61282), Mary Vogelbaugh (home) & Shirley Wilson (home). For home addresses please contact the parish office.

NO NURSERY

JULY 24th

There will not be nursery care next weekend due to the hall be set up for Vacation Bible School. We will be back in business on July 31st during the 10 o'clock Mass.

Advantages of donating electronically to your parish family

Electronic giving replaces 52 decisions to give weekly. 38% of Catholics decide what they will give on the basis of what is in their checkbook on a given Sunday. Stewardship giving is thoughtful, planned, proportionate and sacrificial. Donating electronically automatically makes you a thoughtful giver.

More important than frequency is faithfulness. You are 100% faithful when you give with your weekly envelope or electronically make an offering. You also provide a more steady flow of income for your parish.

Giving is a public expression of faith. Dropping an envelope into the basket at offertory time shows your participation in your parish. You may write "I give electronically" on your envelope. Your gift still comes from your heart. [as found in Catholic Messenger, Sept. 17]

Contact the parish office about giving electronically at SMG contact Nancy & at MLOP contact Kay.

THANK YOU

Thanks to all who attended Wednesday night's performance at the Barn!! It was a delightful evening! Thanks to the Project Belize Committee for the treats and organizing the evening.

Our total profits for Project Belize is \$1104. And thanks to Mary Schoeve of Sacred Heart Parish, Moline who contributed her 50/50 winnings to our cause!

"Statement by the Most Reverend Jenky, Bishop of the Diocese of Peoria, Regarding the Court Decision Made by Judge John Schmidt in Sangamon County"

The Most Reverend Jenky, Bishop of the Diocese of Peoria stated he was "encouraged by the judge's recognition of the grave harm that would result if Catholic Charities was forced out of its longstanding mission of serving children in foster care and adoption. He continues by stating. "We continue to believe we can adhere to our religious principles and operate within Illinois law. Our focus has always been on living the gospel mission by serving and protecting vulnerable children living throughout our communities and will continue our faithful mission of building a future filled with hope."

*See flyer from the Chicago Tribune website in bulletin...