

**Mass Schedule & Intentions****Saturday (June 5)**

4:00 PM For Our Military & Their Families  
 5:30 PM MLOP Altar & Rosary Society Members  
 Living & Deceased

**Corpus Christi Sunday (June 6)**

7:00 AM Our Parish Families  
 8:30 AM Roger Spivey *by S, M & Logan Martens* – MLOP  
 10:00AM Velma Lee Britt *by the Fowlers*  
**\*11:30AM No Mass at this time during the Summer**

**Monday (June 7)**

9:00AM Mike Sottos *by Steve & Jackie Sottos*

**Tuesday (June 8)**

7:45AM Myrtle Versulys *by Sandy VanBesien* - MLOP

**Wednesday (June 9)**

9:00 AM Ladies of Jerusalem

**Thursday (June 10)**

7:45 AM Dean Honeywell *by the Family* - MLOP

**Friday (June 11)**

9:00 AM Harold Anderson *by Jan Anderson*  
 10:30 AM Don DeBlaey - Hope Creek

**Saturday (June 12)**

4:00 PM Living & deceased members of Sweeney Family  
 5:30 PM Alma Lesthaeghe - MLOP

**11th Sunday in Ordinary Time (June 13)**

7:00 AM Richard Dennhardt  
 8:30 AM Ralph & Jean Teerlinck *by their children* – MLOP  
 [60th Wedding Anniversary]  
 10:00AM Ronald 'Buck' Creen *by Fr. Jim*

*June 6 -13, 2010*

*Sunday - Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; 1Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11-17*

*Monday - 1Kngs 17:1-7; Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 5:1-12*

*Tuesday - 1Kngs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:13-16*

*Wednesday - 1Kngs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1-2, 4, 5, 8, 11; Mt 5:17-19*

*Thursday - 1Kngs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 5:20-26*

*Friday - Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6; Rom 5:5-11; Lk 15:3-7*

*Saturday - 1Kngs 19:19-21; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10; Mt 5:33-37*

*Sunday - 2Sm 12:7-10, 13; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 7, 11; Gal 2:16, 19-21; Lk 7:36-8:3*

*or 7:36-50*

**Parish Office Hours**

**Coal Valley** 9:00 AM – 3:30 PM Monday - Friday

**Orion** 9AM-2PM at 526-8422 Tuesday - Friday

Fr. Jim tries to be at SMG on M-W-F and  
 at MLOP on Tuesdays & Thursdays

**Today as we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi,**  
 we do well to consider these words of St. Augustine:

So now, if your want to understand the body of Christ,  
 listen to the Apostle Paul speaking to the faithful:  
***You are the body of Christ, member for member***  
***(1Corinthians 12:27).***

If *you*, therefore, are Christ's body and members,  
 It is your own mystery that is placed on the Lord's  
 table! It is your own mystery that you are receiving!

You are saying Amen to what you are— your re-  
 sponse is a personal signature, affirming your faith.  
 When you hear "The body of Christ" — you reply  
 "Amen." *Be* a member of Christ's body, then,  
 so that your Amen may ring true!

**HELP NEEDED!!**

Volunteers to help Fr. Jim rearrange tables & chairs in  
 our parish hall from time to time when we move walls  
 for Donut Sunday, funeral dinners and Religious Edu-  
 cation classes. If you can help from time to time,  
 whether you are retired or not, give Fr. Jim a call.  
 Your only requirement is strength to move things and  
 time to do it.

**"FUNNY VALENTINES"**

Last chance to purchase thicket for Funny valen-  
 tines which will be presented by the Richmond  
 Hill Players at the Barn Theater in Geneseo this  
 Wednesday, June 9. Refreshments - 6:30 pm,  
 Performance - 7:30 pm. Tickets - \$12.50 and will  
 be on sale after Mass this weekend.

**COAL VALLEY COMMUNITY****FOOD PANTRY**

**Next weekend, June 12 & 13 we will be collecting**  
**condiments** to go with those hot dogs that we col-  
 lected in May for the Coal Valley Food Pantry. What  
 do you like on your hot dogs? Mustard, ketchup,  
 pickles or relish? If you didn't have a chance to do-  
 nate hot dogs, we will continue to collect hot dogs  
 with the condiments in June. No time to shop, mone-  
 tary donations are always welcome



**CROCODILE DOCK  
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**is scheduled for**

**July 12 - 16, 2010**

If you would like to help in anyway as teachers, decorators, music, crafts, kitchen help, childcare & teen helpers please call Jill Dzekunskas at 737-3438 or find a sign up sheet in the foyer. Men, women, girls & boys welcome to help. It's a great week for our young people and WE NEED YOU to make it a success!



**2010 GRADUATES**

Congratulations to all who are graduating in the year 2010. Pictures are being collected for the display case to honor you. Those graduating from high school, college or other learning institution are asked to bring a photo with their name and school name on the back and put them in the envelope marked "GRADUATES" on the table near the door.

**UPCOMING WEDDINGS**

Please pray for the following couple preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony.

Abby Venker & Kenny Howell at St. Maria Goretti, June 12th.

Tom Crider & Megan Waters in Chicago on June 19th. Tom's parents are Mike & Mary Crider.

LeAnn Mourisse & Dan Osborn at Sacred Heart, June 19th. Leann's parents are Gene & Rosemary Mourisse.

**ADOPTION OPTION RACE**

**1st Annual 5K Run/Walk in Coal Valley**

**on Saturday, June 26, 2010**

**at 7:30 am.**

**Organized by our young parishioner, Eric White.**

**Get ready, get healthy & join other**

**SMG parishioners in the walk!**



**THIS WEEK AT ST. MARIA GORETTI**

**Saturday, 6/5** – *Funny Valentine* play tickets on sale

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Coffee & donuts after Mass

**Wednesday, 6/9** - *Funny Valentine* in Geneseo at 6:30 pm

**Thursday 6/10** - Parish Council meeting 7 pm

**Friday 6/11** - Wedding Rehearsal 5 PM

**Saturday, 6/12** – Nice - Howell Wedding 1 PM

**Stewardship "Sharing Our Gifts"**

**Thank you to....**

- Thanks to Jack & Mary Knepp for their service to St. Maria Goretti over the past years. Jack was chairman of the Finance Committee, a collection counter, lector, usher, cross-bearer and Communion minister. Mary sang with the choir at Saturday Masses as well as helped organize the Fair Trade Sales. While Jack & Mary have purchased a home in Chicago near family members, they intend to continue their presence in the Quad-Cities also. We will always be happy to see them!
- Also thank you to Chris & Henry Hicks as they leave our parish to take care of their aging parents in Christ the King parish. Chris has been secretary for the Liturgy Committee, designed our liturgical ministers' brochures, was also a lector & Communion minister. Henry trained our altar servers the past several years, was an usher, cross-bearer, communion minister and server at Mass & at funerals. Henry also did some wood working projects for us

**Stewardship of Treasure**

*From the week of May 30, 2010*

|                    | [Last week] | [Fiscal YTD]         |
|--------------------|-------------|----------------------|
| Building Fund      | \$ 45.00    | \$ 9,189.74          |
| Budgeted Amount    |             | <u>13,833.33</u>     |
| Net Over <Under>   |             | \$ < 4,643.59 >      |
| Regular Collection | \$ 2,678.05 | \$ 175,426.05        |
| Budgeted Amount    |             | \$ <u>165,077.81</u> |
| Net Over <Under>   |             | \$ 10,613.24         |

2009-2010 Budget includes \$24,000 deficit

Income to date (49 weeks) will result in an anticipated deficit of -\$13,386.76 for the current fiscal year.

*Always in the Peace of the Risen Lord*

*“Take this, all of you, and eat it: this is my body which will be given up for you.*

*Take this, all of you, and drink from it: this is the cup of my blood,  
the blood of the new and everlasting covenant.*

*It will be shed for you and for all so that sins may be forgiven.*

*Do this in memory of me.”*

*The Words of Institution from the Eucharistic Prayer*

*Brothers and Sisters in the Body of Christ,*

*Today we celebrate the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ, or Corpus Christi Sunday as it has been traditionally named in the past. A beautiful gift given, with deep love is always appreciated and valued, by Jesus, at the Last Supper on the night before he suffered and died for each of us. A gift given to his Apostles and to his church—to all of us—of his very life—of his divinity. Jesus took the sacrifice of the Passover, a lamb, and made himself the Lamb of Sacrifice that takes away the just punishment of our sin, death, and imparts to us life—life everlasting.*

*When we partake of Holy Communion we as Catholic Christians believe that we truly, really and substantially receive the very life, the essence, the divinity of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is not just symbolic. It is not a reenactment. It is not just something nice that we do. It is the crux of our faith. It is the core of our belief. It is the axis on which our entire faith life rests. Our faith life is centered in the Eucharist. It is our prayer of Thanksgiving. It is how we live our lives of faith. It is who we are. We are to be the body of Christ as we fulfill our baptismal promises. As members of his church we are to be his church. We do this when we come forward in humility and forgiveness (of our sins) to share in Holy Communion. We do this when we share our faith with each other and when we build up his body the church by our acts of Christ like charity and faithfulness.*

*I pray that we all may realize the necessity preparing ourselves adequately for receiving Holy Communion. I pray that we all may come to church every Sunday so that we may receive this nourishment of our soul to be our strength in our lives. I pray that we may seek, as members of his body, the church, to be His presence to everyone with whom we share our daily lives.*

*Always, Fr. Jim*

*P.S. During the summer, for the 15 weeks of June, July and August, there will be no 11:30 Mass at Mary, Our Lady of Peace. On Sunday, August 15, is their Burger, Brat and Beer Bash, there will be a 10:30 Mass only, with no 8:30 Mass. Their Gala's 2nd Early Bird Drawing is also held at that time. Mark your calendars now!*

*P.S.S. Don't forget to send in your ADA pledge forms ASAP!*

**ARE YOU WEB-SAVVY?**

Our web-site committee could use a boost! We would love to find a person or two with the ability and interest and time to devote to maintaining and developing our parish website. If you are interested--or know someone you would like to recommend--please contact Sister Sandra in the parish office.

**MEMORIAL & HISTORY BOOK**

Under Father Jim's direction, we are preparing a memorial book covering the history and contributions to St. Maria Goretti Parish. Yet, our parish records may not be complete. If you or your family have made a memorial contribution to SMG, please call Crystal Arnold (309)738-5117 to confirm that we have your family's memorial recorded. Thank you

### **Diocesan Summer Institute**

Celebrating the Life of the Faithful Servant of God  
Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

Theme: "Let My People Come"

**Dates: Friday, June 11 and Saturday, June 12**

Place: St. Vincent DePaul Parish, Peoria, IL

More information on the kiosk or go to [www.cdop.org](http://www.cdop.org)

### **FOR TRAVELING CATHOLICS**

[www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) or call 1-800-Mass times

Help to find churches and Mass times  
when you are on vacation.

**Maintenance Person Needed...** part time person for St. Ambrose Parish, Milan, IL. If you are interested, please call Fr. Tony Ego for more information at 787-4593

### **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**Sunday, June 6 - Golden Jubilee** of Fr. Mirabelli of Al-leman High School. Reception at Believers Together Center in Moline from 1 - 4PM.

**Thursday & Friday June 10 & 11 - St. Pius X Annual Flea Market** from 7AM - 4PM and Saturday from 8AM - noon.

**Thursday, June 10—CV Lion's Club** hosting a **Free Diabetic Retinopathy/Macular Degeneration Screening** at the 1st Presbyterian church from 9—noon.

**Thursday - Saturday, June 10 - 12 - Second Hand Rummage and Bake Sale** at Culeman Hall, Sacred Heart Parish from 7AM - 4PM.

Saturday, June 12 - **EPIC, A Journey Through Church History** at St. Vincent DePaul School gym, Peoria from 8:30—4. See kiosk for more information.

**June 12 - 14 - Girls T.E.C.** (Teens Encounter Christ) weekend at the Believers Together Center in Moline. Applications on the kiosk.

**July 3 - The Faithful Feet** (5K Charity Run/Walk) sponsored by St. Malachy Church and benefiting the Geneseo Food Pantry. See kiosk for more info.

### **IS GOD CALLING YOU?**

"You give them something to eat." Do these words of Christ challenge you to give your all for Him in the priesthood or consecrated life? Call Father Brian Brownsey (309) 671-1550 or write: [frbrownsey@cdop.org](mailto:frbrownsey@cdop.org)

### **Diocesan Conference for Widowed & Divorced**

**Saturday, June 26, 2010**

from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Spalding Pastoral Center, Peoria, IL

The Conference will include workshops on grief, single-parenting, and prayer. Bishop Jenky will celebrate our 4:00 p.m. Mass. Continental breakfast, lunch and materials will be provided. Additional information : Office of Family Life (309) 671-1550

Will also include a session on "New Catholic Support Group Program".

### **St. Anne Parish BIX Jazz Mass**

Please feel welcome to join the BIX Choir. Practice for the BIX Mass will be held at St. Anne Church in East Moline starting on June 9th at 6:30 p.m. and will continue every Wednesday. We will be singing at the Masses on the 24th & 25th of July at St. Anne Parish in East Moline. Hope to see you all there.

### **CURSILLO**

Special Cursillo Renewal Weekend this summer. Men - June 25 - 27 and Women - July 15 - 18.

Next Ultreya at Mary Our Lady of Peace, in Orion on Saturday, June 19. Sharing at 7:30pm followed by Mass and social hour. This is open to everyone.

### **RETREAT FOR THOSE**

**FACING LIFE-THREATING ILLNESSES:**

**FAITH, LOVE & LAUGHTER**

Join a chaplain and others dealing with the challenges of serious illness for a time apart to reconnect with the powerful resources of faith and community. Caregivers or companions may also wish to attend. Presenter, Chaplain Lynn Batcher, Trinity Medical Center. Thursday, June 24 from 1—4 p.m. Free will donation

## **Advantages of donating electronically**

### **to your parish family**

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Contact the parish office about giving electronically.

at SMG contact Nancy & at MLOP contact Kay.

**Mass Intentions...**Do you want to remember a deceased loved one in prayer? Do you want to remember the prayer intention of a friend or family or one of your own prayer intentions? Do you want to remember a special occasion with prayer? Then offering a Mass Intention may be what you would like to do.

Simply call Nancy at the parish office or drop a note and request a Mass Intention for your particular need. The usual offering is \$10.

You do not have to be present at the Mass when the intention is offered, but it is appropriate.

Thank you for remember your loved ones or for seeking God's grace in the beautiful prayer of the Mass.

### **Please support our bulletin ADVERTISERS!**

They help make this bulletin available to you each week

### ***Please pray for...***

***Those who have died***, especially Virginia E. Cooke step-mother of John (Kay) Cooke.

### ***Those who are sick and in need of healing...***

#### **at Maria Goretti**

Bob Bennett, Pat Bitel, Donald Cleary, Samantha Corelis, Rose & Leroy Glaudel, Earl Greif, Bob Gunnare, Eileen McKenzie, Martha Radsoevich, Gary Schnell, Yvonne Sherlock, Carol Solomon, Ann Toney, Richard Verscha, Mary Vogelbaugh, Anne Weber, Bill & Shirley Wilson and Roy Yeater.

### **And at Mary, Our Lady of Peace...**

Derrick Andrae, Irene Conklen, Robert Dryoel, Alice Isaacson, Blondie Jackson, Robert & Mary Johnson, Betty Mielke, Keith Robinson, Stephen Sottos, Elle Weber, and Chet Wexell

### **Prayers have also been asked for....**

Alice Bonche, Dick Brown, Virginia E. Cooke, Steve Cronkleton, Leah Crouch, Luis Gonzales, Doug Hollmer, Marcella & Joan Keller, Sr. Phyllis McMurray OSB, Kay Murphy, Shirley & Leonard Nelson, Judy & Craig Reaktenwalt, Ann Weber, Abby Scott, Elaine Siebers, Kris Sommers, Jerry Sottos, Ann Tillman and Kathy Watson.

**from MLOP...**Kathy Anderson, Jennifer Bergstrom, Kathleen Booker Alice Bouche, Karla Carlson, Leslie Ann Carey, Gina Carlile, Robert & Ricki Carr, Lynn Chartier, Katie Dagget, Ralph Dantino, Gabby Decker, Darrell DeMont, Charlie Faoro, Larry Fitzwater, Beverly Fransen, Loretta Gainey, Janetta Hawkins, Ken Kempen and Carol Klauer. Fr. James King, Sylvester Kouassi, Brent Laleman, Michelle Leander, Matthew Lee, Nancy Leonard, Phyllis & Grace Mitchell, Lillian Morrison, Gerry Moyer, Jackie Mowder, Don Nelson, Jordan Palmer, Sue Peterson, Kateland Poff, Tony Powell, Leslie Sandau, Linda saunders, Emma Schnerre, Donna Schultz, Toni Versluys, 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-U.S.), Michael Gravitt (Marines-Japan), Luke Heritage (NG-U.S.), Major Andy Maguire (NG - Iraq), Sr. Airman Jeff Topham (AF - US), Sgt. Aaron DePorter (Army - Afghanistan), E6 Amy Rogan (Navy - USA), Major Luke Sustman (AF - Afghanistan), Shawn Taylor (Army), Cpt. Adam UnderKloffler (Marines - So. Africa), Austin VanDuyne (Air Force - US)

*[Names of those sick or in need of healing will remain on our prayer*