

OUR LADY OF NAZARETH CATHOLIC CHURCH, ROANOKE, VA

LITURGY SCHEDULE
&
MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Eucharist 5:30 pm (✠) Mike Kienlen

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Eucharist 7:30 am Our Parish Family

Eucharist 9:30 am (✠) Clarence "Pete" Petri

Eucharist 11:30 am (✠) Catherine Karle

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Eucharist 6:45 am (✠) Teresa

Eucharist 12:10 pm (✠) Clyde Stultz

Eucharistic Adoration 1:00-7:00 pm

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Eucharist 6:45 am (✠) Susan Madden

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Eucharist 6:45 am (✠) Madeline Collins

Morning Prayer & Eucharist 8:30 am

(✠) Deceased of the Parish

Evening Prayer 5:30 pm

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Eucharist 6:45 am (✠) Intention of
Annette Ollsen

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

NO EUCHARISTIC LITURGY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Eucharist 5:30 pm (✠) Bridget Keeney

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Eucharist 7:30 (✠) Paul Tulusso

Eucharist 9:30 am (✠) Deceased Members of
The Angermeier Family

Eucharist 11:30 am Our Parish Family

REGULAR COLLECTION 02/14/10

..... \$25,718.15

PAPAYE NORMALE SCHOOL 02/14/10

..... \$17,413.57

SCRIPTURE PASSAGES
FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

Readings for February 21

1st Deuteronomy 26: 4-10

2nd Romans 10: 8-13

Gospel Luke 4: 1-13

Readings for February 28

1st Genesis 15: 5-12, 17-18

2nd Philippians 3:17-4:1

Gospel Luke 9: 28b-36

Question of the Week

Luke 4: 1-13

What are my temptations? How will I open myself to be "led by the Spirit" to face them?

Family Question: How will we as a family celebrate Lent? What Lenten practices (fasting, alms giving, and prayer) seem to have the most meaning? How can we encourage each other in this season?

ST. FRANCIS HOUSE is in need of **JEFFY MIX OR PACKAGE BISCUIT MIX.** Please be generous in helping those less fortunate in our valley

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR CANDIDATES

Last Sunday, February 14th, at the 9:30 mass the following baptized Christians were received into full communion of the Catholic Church through the Profession of Faith and the Sacrament of Confirmation: **Ryan Anthony Capps & David Patrick Callahan.** Please keep them in your prayers.

LENTEN NOTES

LENTEN READING!

It's not too soon to begin to make your Lenten plans! "Living with Passion; Reflections, Reminders & Requests" by Fr. Joseph Sica will be available for Lenten reading this year. This book may be used individually or in small groups. Books are available in the front office or on a table located in the Commons.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be OLN on Friday, February 19th at 7:00 pm.

RECONCILIATION SERVICES WITH
CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Thursday, March 25th at 7:00 pm at OLN
(Final Mission Session)

SAVE THE DATE:

Be sure you have your calendars marked for the Valley Wide Mission, March 21-25, 2010. The Mission will begin. Sunday, March 20th, at St. Andrews Parish. Session 1 will be from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. See the Valley-Wide Lenten Schedule in your Lenten mailing for complete details.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

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CALENDAR

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry
9:30-11:30 am Children's Catechumenate

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium
3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium
6:30-7:30 pm Elementary Catechesis
7:00-9:00 pm Town Hall Meeting *

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium
3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium
3:30-5:30 pm Golden Thread Atrium
4:00-5:00 pm Elementary Catechesis

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

10:00-12:00 pm Adult Bible Study
3:30-4:45 pm Mustard Seed Atrium
3:30-5:30 pm True Vine Atrium
3:30-5:30 pm Golden Thread Atrium
7:00 pm Young Life Capernaum *
7:00-8:30 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry *
7:00-9:00 pm Adult Bible Study

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

10:00-2:00 pm Crafty Ladies
3:30-5:00 pm Mustard Seed Atrium
4:00-5:00 pm Elementary Catechesis
7:00-9:00 pm Parish Choir
7:00-9:00 pm Poverty Meal *
7:00-9:00 pm Inquiry

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

30 Hour Famine

9:30-11:00 am Mustard Seed Atrium

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

30 Hour Famine

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

9:30-11:30 pm Inquiry
9:30-11:30 am Children's Catechumenate
4:00-5:30 pm Single Now

PARISH TOWN HALL MEETING

The Parish Town Hall Meeting has been rescheduled for **THIS Monday, February 22nd from 7:00-9:00 pm** in the Fellowship Hall. Come spend some quality time with your fellow parishioners and tell us what is on your mind. Light refreshments will be provided as well as nursery upon request. Please contact Rita in the parish office if you need the nursery.

* PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY will meet on **Wednesday, February 24th at 7:00 pm** in the library. Please bring your currant shawl project as well as any finished ones you may have. All are welcome and invited.

Youth Ministry News

February 21

11:00-1:00 pm— 1st Year Confirmation
6:30-8:00 pm—The Edge

February 28

11:00-1:00 pm— 2nd Year Confirmation
6:30-8:00 pm—The Edge

30 HOUR FAMINE

30 Hour Famine will be held February 26-27. 30 Hour Famine is open to grades 6-12 and adult help is needed especially overnight on February 26th. To volunteer, please contact Victoria at youth@oln-parish.com. Sign-up by contacting Victoria.

* POVERTY MEAL

You are invited to participate in a Poverty Meal on **Friday, February 25th at 7:00 pm**. This event is sponsored by the parish Justice and Peace Committee in coordination with RCIA. We will share a meal from one of the countries being highlighted in this year's Operation Rice Bowl campaign. The meal will be followed by a presentation on Haiti by Shane Barnett. Please call the Parish Office by **February 22nd** at 774-0066 to reserve your place.

* YOUNG LIFE CAPERNAUM

You are invited to attend an informational meeting about a program for teens with intellectual and physical disabilities. Young Life Capernaum gives young people with mental and physical disabilities the chance to experience fun and adventure, to develop fulfilling friendships and to challenge their limits while building self-esteem through club, camp and other exciting activities. We would like to start one here in the Roanoke Valley! Please attend a parent interest and informational meeting on **Wednesday, February 24th at 7:00 pm** in the Centrum. We hope to be able to answer some questions about the Capernaum program and begin to form a Capernaum group for the Roanoke Valley. Please RSVP to Victoria at 774-0066 x20.

THE OLN COUPLES' BOOK GROUP will meet on **Thursday, February 25th at 7:00 pm** the home of Zip and Vince Basile to discuss *The Help* by Kathryn Stockett.

ADULT CHRISTIAN FORMATION SERIES

Israel And The Occupied Territories

Join us on **Monday, March 1st** (rescheduled from February 22nd) at **7:00 pm** for another of our Adult Christian Formation Series. Karen Carter and Joy McNabb members of the 2008 delegation with Christian Peacemaker Teams guide us on a journey through Israel & Occupied Palestinian Territories. Find out what the Christian Peacemakers Teams do and how their Christian witness helps in this war torn region of the world.

Christian Peacemaker Teams provides organizational support to persons committed to faith-based, nonviolent alternatives in situations where lethal conflict is an immediate reality or supported by public policy. **YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!**

ADORATION: A LENTEN DISCIPLINE

What could be better as a Lenten observance than to spend time with Our Lord Jesus Christ, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament? Please come and join us on **Mondays** - any hour (or half hour) from after the **12:10 Mass until 7:00 pm**. Make a commitment by signing up for the hour (or half hour) of your choice. You will find great peace and love waiting for you in the chapel! To sign up call Maggie at 342-4047 and leave your name and number

YOU ARE INVITED TO PRAY WITH US

every **Wednesday** evening, from **5:30 pm to 6:00 pm** in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Our Lady of Nazareth Church. We will be praying the "Liturgy of the Hours", a traditional Christian Prayer based on passages from the Bible and spiritual meditations of great Christians throughout history. All materials will be provided. There is no commitment necessary to participate- Come and see!

BANNER CARRIERS NEEDED

We need 19 banner carriers for Easter Sunday. If you have a child in 5th grade or older who would be able to carry a banner (they are large), please contact Rita at 774-0066 ext. 10. There will be a mandatory practice on **Saturday, April 3rd at 2:00 pm at the Salem Civic Center.**

DONATIONS FOR EASTER FLOWERS are now



being accepted. If you would like to make a donation in memory of living or deceased loved ones, you can place your donation in either the Easter flowers envelope found in your box of collection envelopes or a regular envelope. **Please**

make sure that your name, phone, and name of person to be remembered is written on the envelope. Drop the envelope in the collection on the weekend or bring it to the parish office.

The Justice & Peace Journal

1) Operation Rice Bowl is now underway so please pick up and utilize the Rice Bowl packages that were handed out on Ash Wednesday and all Masses this weekend. Information concerning the countries highlighted throughout Lent will be provided during the next 6 weeks. More information to come.



2) Justice and Peace Book Discussion - Justice and Peace joins the Big Read in reading A Lesson Before Dying by Ernest Gaines. The group will meet on Wednesday, March 10th upstairs in Room 6. Please join us.

3) Support Justice for Immigrants: The Catholic Bishops of the United States have called for the passage of comprehensive immigration reform. Legislation on immigration reform may soon be considered by congress. Go to www.justiceforimmigrants.org (take action) to contact your senators and representatives and let them know that you want your elected officials to enact meaningful compassionate immigration reform.

STOP HUNGER NOW

Volunteers are needed on Sunday, **March 14th from 11:00-7:00 pm** at Patrick Henry High School to pack dehydrated meals for Haiti through Stop Hunger Now, an international food relief organization. Roanoke area churches, colleges and civic groups are soliciting donations and volunteers for this event.—a project to package 140,000 meals to send to Haiti in the aftermath of the recent earthquake.

Working in shifts of an hour and a half, volunteers of all ages will assemble packets of rice, soy, dehydrated vegetables and flavoring mix with vitamins and minerals. These packets will be shipped to Haiti in April. Between 500—700 volunteers are needed. Contact Jenny Fife, Coordinator at 797-8174 or register at: www.stophungernowroanoke.wordpress.com

THE MEN'S ADULT CHURCH SOFTBALL

LEAGUE games will begin **Monday, April 12th.** Practices begin (weather permitting) **Sundays, March 14, 21, 28 and April 11 at 1:00 pm** at Wasena Park. To be a part of the OLN team, please contact Gary Jones at 989-7787 or 330-8134.