

Twenty-ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time October 18, 2009

Hide me Lord,
in the shadow of your wing!

Offertory

Sacred Heart	\$ 5393
St. John's	\$ 788

IT'S A CELEBRATION for Deacon John Davis on the occasion of his ordination!!! Please come and celebrate with John at a Parish reception on Sunday, October 25, from 4-6 p.m. in the Church Hall.

Exposition and Solemn Benediction takes in the main church on Fridays. Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament begins at 7 p.m. with sacred silence until 8 p.m. at which point we will pray as a community for an increase in vocations in the world, our own diocese and in our parish. Our time of prayer and contemplation concludes with Solemn Benediction.

If you have not spent time in adoration in a long while, perhaps this is your opportunity to revisit this very worthy prayer form. If you have never

experienced the peace that can come from spending time in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, please ask a member of the parish staff what it's all about, or join us this Friday at 7 p.m. Come and see!

P.R.E.P.

Parish Religious Education Program

Sacrament of First Reconciliation Parent Meeting:
Sunday, October 18 at 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel.

First Tuesday Luncheon/Lecture Series continues November 3rd with a presentation by Mary An Love on the Social Teachings of the Church. Mary An was previously a member of the Diocesan Social Ministry Office. She currently is involved in the ministry of Pastoral Care and Counseling, and Spiritual Direction.

All Saints Day Prayer Service – The children will be celebrating All Saints' Day with a Procession of the Saints and prayer service in church on Sunday, November 1st, beginning at 10:30 a.m... Plan to celebrate with us!

Children's Stewardship Efforts

Time & Talents

- Caroline baby-sat for free so a family could attend a class
- Ana visited an older person
- Michael picked up trash on the playground
- Ryan did extra credit homework

Treasure: \$16.57

YTD: \$61.34

TRAVELING CHALICE FOR VOCATIONS. Beginning October 25, 2009 our parish is beginning a program called the "Traveling Chalice". This program of prayer and reflection is designed to increase vocation awareness and prayer in the home. The program involves a chalice which will travel from home to home within the parish. There are simple prayers for each day of the week that accompany the chalice along with "conversation starters" related to religious vocations. If you would be interested in hosting the chalice in your home for one week, please contact John L. Davis by email at johnl.davis@gmail.com or call the church office between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Monday through Friday, 410.778.3160.

Pastoral Care Training Opportunity for Eucharistic Ministers and Ministers to the Sick:
On Friday October 23, 2009 the Chester River

Hospital Center will be offering a free pastoral care training session from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Topics will include "Hospital Ministry", "Confidentiality in the Hospital Setting", "Infection Control & H1N1", and "Emergency Preparedness". There is no charge for this event and a complementary lunch will be provided. To register please call Cindy Bussells at 410.778.7668 ext. 4044, or you can email her at cbussells@chesterriverhealth.org

K of C Ladies Auxiliary Information - The Ladies Auxiliary is once again planning to offer the nuts and chocolates from the Terri Lynn Co. Orders will be taken starting the month of September. This year we have new products we are sure you will enjoy. For more information or to place an order please call Carolyn Spray at 410.778.0208.

DO YOU WANT TO BE A CANTOR ? Would you like some training? There will be a cantor training workshop at St. Joseph's in Middletown, Delaware on Sat Nov.14th from 8:30-3:30. The program will include three major topics. If you would like to attend, please call Pat Gatto at 410.778.1197.

The second collection this week is World Mission Sunday, which helps the Holy Father to assist missions around the world.

The second collection next week will be The Good Samaritan Fund. The proceeds help to provide rent, electric and temporary shelter in our county for those in emergency situations.

Eucharistic Ministers -- For information on Ministry reminders visit our new website www.sacredparish.org

Visit our new Parish Website! Have you visited www.sacredparish.org lately? If not, you have not seen all of the new features that our website has to offer. It's our goal to make the website the definitive source for up-to-date announcements and the most current parish news and information. It can also be a source for outreach and evangelization!

News from the Food Pantry-- Yes, Kent County Food Pantry is still very active and helping more and more local families. I have been remiss in reporting all that the Sacred Heart Parishioners continue to do for the Pantry. Since it has been

awhile, I will recap the past several months: April we served 196 families, 22 of which were new and Sacred Heart donated 342 pounds to assist; May we served 174 families, 15 of which were new and your contribution was 214 pounds of food; June we served 207 families, 20 of which were new and Sacred Heart Parishioners donated 87 pounds of food. For the first half of 2009, the Pantry has helped 1174 families and 129 of them are new families needing our assistance. Through June, the Parishioners of Sacred Heart have contributed 1,782 pounds of food to help those in need in Kent County. The Pantry is ever so grateful and more importantly our clients you have helped are thankful for your kindness.

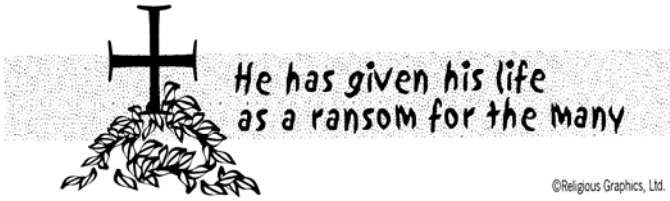
Any non-perishable food that you can donate is greatly needed. Please be sure to check the expiration dates as we cannot serve expired food. Many thanks and bless you for your kindness.

Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence and Washington College Students would like to thank Father Paul Campbell for agreeing to participate in a Domestic Violence Awareness Month Memorial Service on October 22, 2009. The service will be held at 4:00 in the Casey Academic Center located on the campus of Washington College. The service is being held to remember those who have died as a result of domestic violence and to show support for victims and those who work with victims. The public is welcome to attend this event. For more information

Masses for the Week

Saturday, October 17th	
5:00 p.m.	Harry D. Frank, Jr.
Sunday, October 18th	
7:30 a.m.	Ray and Becky Brilz (50 th anniversary)
9:15 a.m.	Jack Shearer
11:30 a.m.	Frederick and Mary Green
Monday, October 19th	
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
Tuesday, October 20th	
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
Wednesday, October 21st	
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
Thursday, October 22nd	
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday, October 23rd	
8:30 a.m.	Anita Gelderman

contact Jeanne Yeager at jyeager@mscfv.org or 410.479.1149.



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