



Saturday,	October 21, 2006
4:30 PM	Brianna McNaboe by her parents
Sunday,	October 22, 2006
7:30 AM	Rudolph Royko by his wife & family
9:30 AM	Elaine Bretemps by Pauline & Ed Verhoosky & family
11:00 AM	Kenneth T. Macdonald, Jr. by his family
Monday,	October 23, 2006
7:45 AM	Special Intention – Paul Buckley by Peter & Jane Peterson
Tuesday,	October 24, 2006
7:45 AM	Dora Cromack by her family
Wednesday,	October 25, 2006
7:45 AM	Marilyn Cody Erickson by James D. Killian
Thursday,	October 26, 2006
7:45 AM	Elaine Bretemps by Pauline & Ed Verhoosky & family
Friday,	October 27, 2006
7:45 AM	Eileen Ruddy by the Daly family
Saturday,	October 28, 2006
11:00 AM	Wedding – Matthew Silansky – Rachel Twardy
4:30 AM	AnnMarie Sardilli by the Sardilli family
Sunday,	October 29, 2006
7:30 AM	Ruth Shimeld by Sally Ryan
9:30 AM	Romauld Harasimowicz by a friend
11:00 AM	Alfred & Jeannette Breau by family

Readings for the Week of October 22, 2006	
Sunday:	Is 53:10-11/ Heb 4:14-16/ Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
Monday:	Eph 2:1-10/ Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	Eph 2:12-22/ Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	Eph 3:2-12/ Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Eph 3:14-21/ Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Eph 4:1-6/ Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Eph 2:19-22/ Lk 6:12-16
Next Sunday:	Jer 31:7-9/ Heb 5:1-6/ Mk 10:46-52

Parish Support October 15, 2006

Weekly \$10,166.00

Today, World Mission Sunday, with Catholics of the world, we are called to offer at this Eucharistic celebration, our prayers and our financial support, through the Propagation of the Faith, to continue the mission of our Lord – to help the poor and suffering experience the healing love and peace of Jesus. Thank you for your support.

The sanctuary candle will burn this week in memory of:

Ed Welcome

This is a venerable tradition and we ask you to keep him in your prayers.

CALENDAR

10/22	6:00 PM 10 th Gr. Confirmation Class – Gath. Space
10/23	9:30 AM Legion of Mary – Hart House 7:30 PM Legion of Mary – Hospitality Room
10/24	6:30 PM Jr. Legion of Mary – Hospitality Room
10/25	5:00 PM Pasta Supper – Marinelli’s
10/28/29	Return Baby bottles
10/28/29	Blood drive sign-up – Gathering space
10/29	1:00 PM Bereavement Program – Gathering Space
10/30	9:30 AM Legion of Mary – Hart House 6:00 PM Second Grade Parent Mtg. – Worship Space 7:30 PM Legion of Mary – Hospitality Room
11/1	6:30 PM Operation Christmas Child
11/2	7:00 PM Human Needs Mtg. – Hart House 7:00 PM Women’s Guild Cook Book Mtg. – Gath. Space 7:00 PM Book Club – Hospitality Room
11/3	7:30 PM First Friday Fun Night – Gathering Space

From Fr. Golas,

The month of November approaches and the Church’s time dedicated to prayers for the deceased. Three Masses will be offered for the deceased members of our parish and parish family on the feasts of All Saints and All Souls. If you’d like to remember your deceased loved ones by name, please fill out the All Souls Envelopes (donation optional) and return to the rectory by October 30. The envelopes will be placed on the altar throughout the month of November and we will remember your intentions at all the Masses.

CHILDREN’S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

Rehearsals for “The Light of the World” will begin November 12. Children of all ages are encouraged to join in this delightful event. Singers, actors, readers and musicians are needed. Rehearsals will be held Sunday afternoons from 3:45 – 5:15. The pageant will take place on Sunday, December 17. It’s a wonderful way to celebrate the birth of Christ. To register, please contact Lori Bizzozero at 673-7831 *no later than November 10.*

FUN COMMITTEE HAS A COW

The Parish FUN Committee will once again offer a “COW” – that is, a “Christmas Ornament Workshop” for those children of our parish, ages 12 and under, on Sunday, November 26 from 2 – 4 PM in the gathering space. Committee members, along with 10th grade volunteers from our Confirmation Class, will be on hand to assist the children with creating ornaments for the holiday season. All materials (and refreshments) will be provided. There will be a sign-up sheet next weekend in the gathering space. We hope your child can participate.

FIRST FRIDAY FAMILY FUN

Beginning Friday, November 3, the FUN Committee will host a “Family Fun Night” on the first Friday of each month at 7:30 PM in the gathering space. Families/parishioners of all ages are invited to attend and participate in the playing of card/board games, chess charades, etc. This is an exceptional opportunity to make new acquaintances. Mark your calendar and plan to be part of the fun.

ST. MARY'S WOMEN'S GUILD NEWS

All You Can Eat *Pasta Supper* at Marinelli's on Wednesday, October 25 from 5-8:00 PM. Adults \$8.00; Children under 10 \$3.50. No charge for children under 3. Tickets will be available at the door. Call Carole Charette 673-7508 or Kathleen Ruzbasan 673-2038 for more information.

Frozen pies from Lyman Orchard will be sold in the gathering space after all weekend masses in October to benefit the scholarship fund. 9", high top apple, pecan, pumpkin, mincemeat will be offered for \$10.00 and a new item this year, fudge (candy), Payment for items is due when ordered. Pick-up date is November 18 from 12 – 2:00 PM in the gathering space. Pies not picked up will be donated to charity.

The Women's Guild is planning to publish a **cook book** which will include recipes from our parishioners. If you would like to place a recipe (s) in the cookbook, feel free to place them in the basket provided in the Gathering space. Please remember to put your name and telephone number on the recipe. Anyone who is interested in helping to type the recipes after they have been submitted, please join us for a meeting on November 2 in the gathering space.

HOPE FOR THE HOLIDAYS

A program to help those dealing with the loss of a loved one, especially with the stresses of the holidays approaching, will be held here at St. Mary's in the Gathering space on October 29 from 1:00 PM to 3:30 PM. For registration and further information, call Barbara Wolf at 673-0273. Refreshments will be served following the program.

HUMAN NEEDS

The Human Needs Committee will meet on Thursday, November 2 at 7:00 PM at the Hart House.

Wreaths are available for purchase through the weekend of November 5 - \$12.00 for undecorated and \$17.00 for decorated. Sign-up sheets are available in the gathering space. Call Paul Robotham 673-3435 with questions.

During the month of November the Human Needs Committee will collect food to replenish the Farmington Food Pantry. This year, as well as all nonperishable items, the following items have been requested by the food pantry: cooking oil, coffee, tea, hot chocolate, children's lunch snacks, jelly, sandwich and gallon size plastic bags, toothpaste, dental floss, tooth brushes, one or two ingredient meal mixes, cake mixes & frosting, brownie mixes and spices appropriate for the season. The collection will begin the weekend of November 4 and end November 26th.

St. Mary parish welcomes through the sacrament of baptism:

*Gabriel Patrick Carrier
Andrew Michael Mugno*

LOST & FOUND

Please check the Lost & Found box on the table in the worship space near the Usher Room for items you may have left in the church. Items not reclaimed by the end of each month will be donated.

BOOK CLUB

St. Mary's Adult Education Committee with the help of Kathryn Lowry (facilitator) is presenting a Book Club series. Meetings will be held on Thursday nights from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM in the hospitality room. The first Book Club meeting will be on November 2, 2006 and will end on November 30, 2006 (excluding the Thanksgiving Holiday.) Our first Book Club reading is : *"Catholics and the New Age"* by Mitch Pacwa, S. J. Please contact Kathryn Lowry at (860) 673-9259 for more information or to sign up.

Wedding Banns

III Matthew Silansky – Rachel Twardy

FROM BUILDING & GROUNDS

We would like to ask your cooperation while dropping off or picking up your children from Religious Education classes. We request that you park on the right side of the driveway rather than the left side where new grass has been planted and sprinkler system installed. The driveway is wide enough for another car to get by if you park where we are requesting. There should be no parking on the smaller strip going past the Rectory exiting onto Bidwell Square. We are aware it gets pretty hectic those few minutes when dropping off and picking up is happening and we ask again for your help in keeping our properties looking good by following these guidelines.

ANGEL VOICES CD

The CD of "Angel Voices", our children's choir will be available in the near future. If you are interested in purchasing a CD, please list your name on the sign-up sheets in the gathering space. The price is \$15.00. Call Donna LeBlanc 482-1638 with questions.

BLOOD DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Red Cross Blood Drive on Monday, October 30 from 1:30 – 6:15 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on New Britain Avenue. Please call GIVE-A-LIFE to make an appointment.

BAPTISM PREPARATION PROGRAM

As you prepare for the birth of your child, please plan to attend the pre-baptism program scheduled for the third Monday of each month at 7:00 PM in the rectory. The date of the baptism can be scheduled after attendance at the program. Parents must be registered parishioners. For more information and to register, please call the rectory.

GETTING READY

A minister waited in line to have his car filled with gas just before a long holiday weekend. The attendant worked quickly, but there were many cars ahead of him. Finally, the attendant motioned him toward a vacant pump. "Reverend," said the young man, "sorry about the delay. It seems as if everyone waits until the last minute to get ready for a long trip." The minister chuckled, "I know what you mean. It's the same in my business."