





## FROM YOUR PARISH PRIESTS

Dear Friends,

Many thanks to all who helped in any way to make the celebration of the Holy Days so wonderful! We are back to Ordinary Time, but we know in our hearts that for those who believe in Jesus Christ and His great love, no time is really ordinary.

The gospel story of the wedding feast at Cana reminds us of Christ's unique and all-powerful way of transforming the ordinary into the extraordinary. Faith in Jesus changes the way we look at life. What seems common (like water in the story) becomes unique and unexpected (like the good wine that Christ made). It all depends on our point of reference.

It goes without saying that life will continue to present its share of troubles and challenges. Maybe what needs to change is not life, but how we look at life. Is life a problem to be endured or an opportunity which provides us growth? Perhaps true conversion doesn't mean we will struggle less, but that the

struggles mean something different when viewed on the horizon of eternity.

A favorite phrase of mine, especially when I am dealing with something difficult, is "This too shall pass." And things do pass, and not without their share of after-effects. The question we need to ask ourselves: **How much do we trust that Jesus Christ can make even the most troubling aspects of our lives into occurrences of graceful growth?**

Maybe as we share the bread of life and the cup of salvation this Sunday, we can experience the answer that was always there, given to us later in the gospel — "I have come that you might have life, and have it to the full!"

Have a blessed week. Cheers!

Sincerely, with love,

Fr. Tim

Your Pastor

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# PARISH SCHEDULES



**SATURDAY, January 16**

**VIGIL MASS OF THE LORD'S DAY**

(HR) 4:30pm Pro Populo  
 †Johnathon Fitzgerald Niland

**SUNDAY, January 17**

**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

(HR) 7:00am †Ida Butz  
 (HR) 8:45am †Mr. Dermond  
 (SR) 10:45am †Eugene J. Dix  
 †Felice Wilbur

**MONDAY, January 18 NO MASS**

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

**TUESDAY, January 19**

(HR) 9:00am †Robert K. Halliday

**WEDNESDAY, January 20**

**ST FABIAN, POPE AND MARTYR; ST SEBASTIAN, MARTYR**

(HR) 5:30pm †Joan Jackson  
 Mother of Perpetual Help following Mass

**THURSDAY, January 21**

**ST AGNES, VIRGIN AND MARTYR**

(SR) 9:00am †Sr. Mary Michael Vitucci, SCSJA

**FRIDAY, January 22**

**ST VINCENT, DEACON AND MARTYR**

Day of Penance/Anniversary of Roe vs. Wade  
 (HR) 9:00am Special Intention of Lawrence Hartnett

**SATURDAY, January 23**

**VIGIL MASS OF THE LORD'S DAY**

(HR) 4:30pm †James R. Staut, Sr.  
 40th Wedding Anniversary of Michael and Carole Flaig

**SUNDAY, January 24**

**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Ecumenical Sunday**

(HR) 7:00am Pro Populo  
 (HR) 8:45am Pro Populo  
**Baptism:** Sydney Ann Vento  
 (SR) 10:45am †Rose Mary Purpero  
 †Marie and Filippo Balistreri  
 (HR) 1:00pm **Baptism:** Paige Martin Hanley

KEY TO MASS LOCATIONS  
 (HR)=Holy Rosary (SH)=St. Hedwig (SR)=St. Rita

**THIS WEEK**

**Monday, January 18**

- 6:30pm **Job Seekers Prayer Group**, HR
- 6:30pm **Global Solidarity**, PODR
- 7:00pm **Eat, Drink and Be Catholic**, HRH

**Tuesday, January 19**

- 7:00pm **RCIA**, OSM

**Thursday, January 21**

- 6:45pm **Parish Council Meeting**, HR/HRCR
- 7:00pm **Choir Rehearsal**, HR

**Saturday, January 23**

- 5:30pm **Uganda Trip Presentation**, HRH

**Sunday, January 24**

- 10:45am **RCIA Dismissal**, SR

**KEY TO LOCATIONS**

(SH) = St. Hedwig (SR) = St. Rita (SRH) = St. Rita Hall (HR) = Holy Rosary  
 (HRH) = Holy Rosary Hall (HRCR) = Holy Rosary Conference Room  
 (PODR) = Parish Office Dining Room (PORR) = Parish Office Resource Room  
 (SHHC) = St. Hedwig Hospitality Center (OSM) = Old Saint Mary

**East Side Child & Youth Ministry**

*Cramer Bldg.—2480 N Cramer St.*

Tues	19	Middle School and High School Programs 6:30-8:00pm
Wed	20	Kindergarten through Grade 5 classes 6:15-7:30pm

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday:		NO MASS
Tuesday:	9:00am	Holy Rosary Church
Wednesday:	5:30pm	Holy Rosary Church followed by Mother of Perpetual Help
Thursday:	9:00am	St. Rita Church
Friday:	9:00am	Holy Rosary Church

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Saturday:	3:30pm	Holy Rosary Church
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**MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE LORD'S DAY**

Saturday:	4:30pm	Holy Rosary Church
Sunday:	7:00am	Holy Rosary Church
Sunday:	8:45am	Holy Rosary Church
Sunday:	10:45am	St. Rita Church

**Please Note:** If you or anyone you know has been sexually abused by church personnel and would like assistance, contact Amy Peterson, Victim Assistant Coordinator for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee (414) 758-2232. If you would like to report independent of the Archdiocese please contact The Healing Center at (414) 671-4325.



**IT'S SPAGHETTI DINNER TIME!  
Shift Workers Needed**

Our Spaghetti Dinner will be held on Sunday, January 31 from Noon to 5:30pm in St. Rita Scalabrini Hall.

**We need help in many areas.**



- On Saturday, January 30 beginning at 8:00am we need help making meatballs and setting up the church hall.
- On Sunday, our wait staff shifts are from 11:30am to 2:45pm and 2:30pm to 5:45pm. We also need help for clean-up at 5:15pm.

Please call JoAnn at 414-272-3974; Carole at 414-962-4035 [email: carolecas@wi.rr.com] or Sheeda at 262-789-6775 [email: sheeda@wi.rr.com] to volunteer for this fun event and give your name, phone number and be specific about which shift you would prefer.

**FOOD ITEM OF THE WEEK**

Tuna

*Please be as generous as you can.*



**Monday Evening Scripture Sharing  
Continues January 18!  
Journey Through the Book of Acts in  
the New Year!**

Join us as we continue our journey through the Book of Acts! In this friendly and faith-filled group we'll learn about the historical context, share our thoughts, share faith, and help one another apply the scripture to our everyday lives. All backgrounds and levels of experience are welcome!

Join us any time--Mondays, January 18, February 8, February 22, March 8, 7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. at the Old Saint Mary Parish Center. Enter through the back door of Old Saint Mary Church, 836 N. Broadway, Milwaukee.

Call Emily Kang at 414-271-6577 or ekang@threeholyywomen.org with questions.

**Parish Council Meeting  
Thursday, January 21, 2010  
6:15pm-8:45pm  
Holy Rosary Conference Room  
Adoration & Benediction at 6:15pm  
Meeting will begin at 6:45pm**

**Meeting Agenda**

1. Approve 11/19/09 Minutes
2. Pastor's Report
3. 10 Year Anniversary Planning
4. Festival Planning

**Common Ground Foreclosure Campaign**

Mark your calendars for January 25, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm at Marquette University in the Alumni Memorial Union, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor. Come to hear and learn about our Faces of Foreclosure Campaign targeting the issue of foreclosed homes in Southeastern Wisconsin.

**Job Seekers Prayer Group**

Job Seekers is a prayer, support and networking group for people who have lost their jobs, those who are fearful of losing their jobs and any others who wish to offer prayer and support. We gather each Monday evening at Holy Rosary Church beginning at 6:30 PM. Please consider joining us any Monday evening for prayer and friendship.

**2010 Ministry Day for all Liturgical Ministers**

**"A New Birth - A New Beginning -A New Adventure"**

All Liturgical Ministers are invited to attend our annual Ministry Day on Tuesday January 26th at St. Rita Scalabrini Hall beginning with a light supper at 5:45pm, followed by prayer at 6:30pm and an Evening of Reflection with Deacon Rob Goodman. Together we will explore, share, and discern how the incarnation of Christ in our lives is reborn in us at each mass, gives us a new beginning as disciples and by following the Holy Spirit, the Lord makes each day a new adventure. **RSVP to Mary** at the parish office at 414-271-6577 or mrobertson@threeholyywomen.org by Sunday January 24th.



**"We are a member of Riverbank Catholic Communities (RCC) Collaborative Group"**  
Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, Old St. Mary, Our Lady of Divine Providence, Ss. Peter and Paul, Three Holy Women, Catholic East Elementary School, East Side Child and Youth Ministry



## Events coming up At Our Parish School: Catholic East Elementary

**Did you know you'll want to mark your calendar for upcoming events?**

**Our Catholic East School Open House will be held Thursday, Feb. 4,** to attend the evening open house for Catholic East Elementary School, 2461 N. Murray Ave. Registration will begin shortly for the 2010-11 school year. The open house, from 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., is a great chance to visit with teachers, families and students and find out more about your parish school, "Where Every Student Shines!"

**Fitness for Tots:** Our free open-to-all class for children ages 2-5 and their parents will resume in the school gym at 9 a.m. on **Friday, Feb. 5.** Attendees can tour the school after class ends at 10 a.m. and check out the kindergarten rooms "in action" as we celebrate National Catholic Schools Week.

**Annual Fund:** Each year, parents bring their children to the Church seeking assistance in raising them in the Catholic faith. Catholic East Elementary is a parish partner in this important task. Please help our students shine by supporting the Catholic East Annual Fund drive. All parishioners are receiving in the mail a brochure sharing the school's proud tradition. A return envelope is enclosed for your financial gift. Your help through this Annual Fund is important to our school. Your gifts will make a real difference in the lives of our children!

Catholic East is sponsored by the five parishes of the Riverbank Catholic Communities: Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, Old St. Mary, Our Lady of Divine Providence, SS. Peter and Paul, and Three Holy Women.

*You are invited to join us to...*

## Eat, Drink and Be Catholic

*A free speaker and discussion series for young adults in their 20's and 30's*

**Monday, January 18, "Beauty is the Sign: Finding Faith Through Art" By David Kang**

How can our experiences of beauty in art deepen our experience of God? What wisdom does the Catholic faith offer us in this area? Through theology, film, music and other art forms, join David Kang of Furrow24, a Catholic foundation for the arts, as we explore these questions and more.

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. - Speaker begins at 7 p.m. v Holy Rosary Church Hall, 2011 N. Oakland Ave.

*Have any Questions? Contact Emily Kang, 414-271-6577, or ekang@threeholymen.org.*

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## Celebrate with Our Northern Uganda Pilgrims

Join us at **Holy Rosary Hall on Saturday, January 23, 2010 after the 4:30 pm Holy Rosary Mass** to experience a Ugandan meal and hear about the trip our parishioners took to visit our sister parish in Padibe, Uganda. We will have a wine and cheese reception followed by a buffet that was a typical meal in Uganda. Enjoy an entertaining power point presentation and talk presented by our parish travelers to Uganda. An RSVP is required. Please contact Bob Schuelke, Director of Social Justice Ministries at the Parish Office, 414-271-6577 or email: bschuelke@threeholymen.org.

## Adult Confirmation Preparation

**Are you an adult Catholic who has received the Sacraments of Baptism and First Communion, but who never received the Sacrament of Confirmation? You're invited to join us!**

For those already joined to Christ in Baptism and the Eucharist, the Sacrament of Confirmation deepens and strengthens our relationship with Christ through the Holy Spirit. This Sacrament imparts many spiritual gifts that help us live our Christian lives and be witnesses to Christ in the world. Preparation sessions to receive Confirmation as an adult began on Wednesday, January 13 at the Old Saint Mary Parish Center but you can still join. We meet approximately two Wednesday evenings per month, and Confirmation is celebrated on Ascension Sunday, May 16, at the Cathedral.

For more information and to sign up, contact Emily Kang, Director of Adult Formation and Evangelization, at the parish office, 414-271-6577, or ekang@threeholymen.org.

## Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

In today's Gospel, Jesus performed a miracle at the Wedding Feast of Cana. Let Jesus touch your marriage in a special way at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are January 29-31 in Milwaukee, February 12-14 in Rockford, March 12-14 in Madison, April 16-18 in Milwaukee and April 30-May 2 in Rockford. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information, visit our website at: [alifetimeoflove.org](http://alifetimeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653. For a weekend en Espanol, March 5-7, contact Hugo and Gaby at (630)690-2094.

