

TWELVETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ JUNE 21, 2009

OUR LADY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Weekly Mass Schedule

Wed. June 24
Sun. June 28

Mass Intentions

Al Schneider
June Bundy

ATTENDANCE

June 14

Adults

173

Children

28 (201)



Knights of Columbus will meet on Wednesday, June 24th.

A Note to the Knights from Catholic Charities:

*On behalf of Catholic Charities Community Services we thank the Knights of Columbus of Our Lady of the Holy Spirit for organizing a food drive during the month of May in support of the Food Pantry. 47 boxes and bags of non-perishables were delivered to our pantry on June 10, 2009. These items will be used to supplement and fill our food bags that we distribute to those in need in our community. Demand for our services is at an all time high and this food donation is greatly appreciated.
~ Thank you again from all of us at Catholic Charities ~*

ST. ISIDORE CHURCH

Weekly Mass Schedule

Thurs. June 18
Sun. June 21

Mass Intentions

Faithful Departed
Tom Reedy

ATTENDANCE

June 14

Adults

~ unknown ~

Children



This year, 2009, St. Isidore will be celebrating its 145th Anniversary as an active parish. There will be a special Mass on August 23, 2009 at 2:00 pm at St. Isidore Church with a dinner and reception to follow. There is a special committee to help plan this day and

other events and activities throughout the year. If you would like to be a part of that committee, please call Deacon Jim (864-3467) We will be looking for stories or tales of St. Isidore to publish in the bulletin throughout the year. If you have a story or memory, please let us know. We are also looking for the "loan" of St. Isidore memorabilia to display as well. We have a great heritage here at St. Isidore. You've made it a time worth celebrating.



A BIG THANK YOU

To everyone at St. Isidore for the nice celebration for my 10th anniversary as a deacon. Thanks for the wonderful gift and most especially, thank you all for being there with me.



We are planning a "pilgrimage" to Six Flags on August 13th for junior high and high school students. There are permission forms in the back of church due back by August 1st.

Individuals and families are encouraged to take part. Chaperones and drivers are needed, also. It can be a day of fun and faith at the same time. A picnic lunch will be provided that day to save some \$\$\$ (stimulus??). Come on along!!!

Mt. Zion Community Ice Cream Social

Monday June 22nd

5:00- 8:30 pm – Rain or Shine

Mt. Zion United Methodist Church

Parking Lot

1220 W. Main Street in Mt. Zion, Illinois

*This event is sponsored by all churches in the Mt. Zion area, please consider supporting this event, see flyer in this week's bulletin for more info.



**TO
DEACON DENNY BAKER
ON HIS RECENT ORDINATION!**

What is a Deacon?

continued

Part 3 of a 3 part series.

As I stated last week, a Deacon's Ministry is 3 fold. Ministry of Liturgy (his service at liturgical celebrations), Ministry of Word (his proclamation and preaching of the Good News) and thirdly Ministry of Charity.

Ministry of Charity: This ministry of love and justice is the heart of the diaconate. In addition to parish work, many deacons are involved in hospital and prison ministry, assist the homeless on the streets and in soup kitchens, minister to the divorced and widowed, advance pro-life causes, counsel and serve, particularly those who are in the margins of society. Deacons are also involved in the teaching and instruction of faith and morals for children, teens and adults of all ages.

A deacon's primary ministry is that of service to the poor. Not just those who are poor financially but also those who are poor in spirit, poor in faith and poor in love for the Lord. The deacon's response to service is not to move away from the secular world, but to become more involved in it, bringing the love of Christ wherever he goes. A Deacon's manner of living demonstrates a sincere caring for others and a living out of the Gospel of Jesus. Pope John Paul II said, "the office of the Deacon is the servant hood of Christ sacramentalized."

This concludes this 3 part series on "What is a Deacon" I hope it has been helpful. If there are any men who think they may be called to the diaconate or anyone who would just like more information, please give me a call at 864-3467.

Sincerely in Christ's Service
Deacon Jim

FINANCIAL FACTS

Our Lady of the Holy Spirit

Monthly Expenses

Salary / Benefits		\$9,195.75
Utilities / Maint		\$4,609.59
Worship / Rel. Ed.		\$2,279.16
Total		\$16,084.50

?? HOW ARE WE DOING ??

	Budgeted	Actual
Year to Date	\$ 202,417.	\$ 186,310.
Month of June	\$ 16,084.	\$ 9,230.

Thank You for your generosity

St. Isidore

Monthly Expenses

Salary / Benefits		\$ 1,886.43
Utilities / Maint		\$ 1,064.16
Worship / Rel. Ed.		\$ 561.66
Total		\$ 3,512.25

?? HOW ARE WE DOING ??

	Budgeted	Actual
Year to Date	\$ 30,841.	\$ 29,140.
Month of June	\$ 3,512.	\$ 1,378.

Thank You for your generosity

The above reports reflect the previous week's contributions. The amount "budgeted" in the above report is the amount that is required to meet the expected needs and services provided by the parish. Please help out in whatever way you can. Thank You