

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ JULY 5, 2009

OUR LADY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Weekly Mass Schedule

Wed.	July	8
Sun.	July	12

Mass Intentions

Faithful Departed
Art Morgan

ATTENDANCE

June	28	<u>Adults</u>	186	<u>Children</u>	34	(220)
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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!!!

ST. ISIDORE CHURCH

Weekly Mass Schedule

Thurs.	July	9
Sun.	July	12

Mass Intentions

Faithful Departed
Tom Reedy

ATTENDANCE

June	28	<u>Adults</u>	~ unknown ~	<u>Children</u>	
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St. Isidore has been invited to participate in the Praise and Glory evening at the United Methodist Church, Bethany. This event is planned for Sunday, July 19th with the time to be announced soon. Parishioners are wanted to participate! If you would be interested, there is a sign up sheet in the back of the church. There may be a practice or two involved to prepare a song, watch and listen for more details!



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)

Dear Friends:

In only a few short days, Archbishop-designate George J. Lucas will leave the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois for his new assignment. It is a time of mixed emotions for us — sadness for our loss as well as pride that our own bishop has been chosen to lead the church in the Archdiocese of Omaha. Archbishop-designate Lucas will be honored for his service to this diocese at a farewell reception on Thursday, July 16, at Christ the King Parish in Springfield, beginning with evening prayer at 6:30 p.m. Although all are invited, we know that only a fraction of the diocese's 60,000 Catholics will be able to attend. For the many Catholics who will be unable to offer their personal best wishes, we are providing an e-mail address, bestwishesbishoplucas@dio.org. You can send your personal message, congratulations and farewell to Archbishop-designate Lucas. Please sign with your name, address and parish. Some of the messages may be reprinted in *Catholic Times*. Most will be compiled and presented to Archbishop-designate Lucas so that as he departs our diocese, he will know that he takes our love and affection with him.

Thank you in advance for helping to make the farewell to our departing bishop a memorable one.

Yours in Christ,
Msgr. Carl Kemme
Moderator of the Curia

Just In Case You're Interested

- **July 6th**
7:00-8:30 pm
Our Lady of Lourdes Enrichment Center Living room
"Living with Loss Sessions"
Grief support sessions

What is Faith in Action?

Faith in Action serves homebound people over 55 years of age. We help with transportation to medical appointments, grocery store and many other places. We also provide friendly visiting, minor yard maintenance, telephone reassurance, letter writing and reading, and in home exercise programs. Do you know anyone who could use some assistance or would you like to volunteer? Call Faith in Action at 428-0013.



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Archbishop George Lucas is seen in the picture receiving his pallium from Pope Benedict XVI on June 29, 2009, at St. Peter's in Rome.

The sign of an archbishop's authority is not a scepter, but a circular stole made of lamb's wool to evoke the idea that he is, first of all, a shepherd. The stole, called a *pallium*, goes around the archbishop's neck and is worn over his chasuble when he celebrates the Eucharist. It has a 12-inch strip of material hanging down the front and back. Every year on June 29, the feast of Sts. Peter and Paul, the pope places a *pallium* around the neck of each prelate named in the past year to head an archdiocese.

Prelates from the U.S. and Canada scheduled to receive a *pallium* from Pope Benedict XVI this year are: Archbishops Allen H. Vigneron of Detroit; George J. Lucas of Omaha, Neb.; Robert J. Carlson of St. Louis; Timothy M. Dolan of New York; Gregory M. Aymond of New Orleans; J. Michael Miller of Vancouver, British Columbia; and Pierre-Andre Fournier of Rimouski, Quebec. As the church's chief pastor, Pope Benedict also wears a *pallium*. But while an archbishop's is made from the wool of lambs blessed by the pope on the feast of St. Agnes (January 21), the pope's is made of the wool of both lambs and sheep to reflect Jesus telling Peter "Feed my lambs" and "Feed my sheep."

The *pallium*, in its present Western form, is a narrow band, "three fingers broad," woven of white lamb's wool from sheep raised by Trappist monks, with a loop in the centre resting on the shoulders over the chasuble, which is the outer garment worn by the priest at Mass, and two dependent lappets, before and behind; so that when seen from front or back the ornament resembles the letter Y. It is decorated with six black crosses, one on each tail and four on the loop, is doubled on the left shoulder, and sometimes is garnished, back and front, with three jewelled gold pins. The two latter characteristics seem to be survivals of the time when the Roman *pallium* was a simple scarf doubled and pinned on the left shoulder.

'Be kinder than necessary, for everyone you meet is fighting some kind of battle.'

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

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	Budgeted	Actual
Year to Date	\$ 210,000.	\$ 191,662.
Month of June	\$ 16,084.	\$ 14,733.

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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	\$ 32,000.	\$ 30,114.
Month of June	\$ 3,512.	\$ 2,507.

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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