



Christ the Good Shepherd

VIGIL

February 5, 2012

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Christ the Good Shepherd Parish rejoices in being a diverse community united in faith in Christ Jesus. Rooted in the Eucharist, we continue to be molded into the Body of Christ as we witness to the Gospel through our sharing of resources and service toward others, our commitment to Catholic education and our friendship with one another.

Wine Tasting Next Saturday - Pre-Sale Ticket Deadline Is This Wednesday
Teen Bottle Drive Next Weekend
Parish Mission - February 26 and 27

Pastor's Paragraphs

Thank you to all our volunteers. Volunteers make Christ the Good Shepherd a great place to be so please pick up your free ticket in the parish office to attend the Mardi Gras Volunteer Appreciation Day, on Sunday, February 19 beginning after the 11 a.m. mass. Thanks again to all our volunteers.

The Wine and Beer Tasting along with a Silent Auction next Saturday, February 11 after the 5 pm mass. Tickets are available in both the school and parish offices. Come and join the fun.

Lent begins shortly and it is not too early to begin thinking of ideas of how to grow spiritually through this Lenten season. One way is to attend our Parish Mission on February 26 & 27. Our guest speaker will be Patricia Hathaway Cooney from Sacred Heart Seminary. See page 5 for more information.

We will be collecting old palms next weekend, Feb. 11 & 12. They will be burned and used for ashes on Ash Wednesday, February 22nd. Look for a specially marked container in the church lobby.

Go Red Wings & Pistons!
Peace,
Fr. Tony



This Weekend - Don't forget to pick up your SuperDuper Superbowl Sunday Submarine Sandwiches after mass today!

Monday - Boy Scouts, 7 p.m.

- WGS General Meeting and Raffle, 7 p.m. - Cafeteria.

Tuesday - Choir, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday - Seniors, 10 a.m., Lobby Annex.

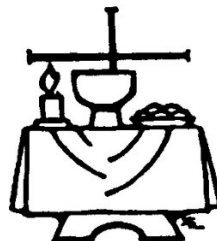
- RCIA, 7 p.m., Emmaus Room.

- Christian Service Comm., 7 p.m. Cafeteria.

- Bible Study, 7 p.m., Shepherd's Room.

Saturday - Wine Tasting and Silent Auction, 7 p.m. - Activities Bldg.

Next Weekend - Teen Bottle Drive. Bring your clean, depositable bottles and cans to the church lobby.



Announcing Fr Tony's 4th Annual Wine Tasting Fest! **Next Saturday, February 11**

The evening will feature a sampling of fine wines from many regions around the world, a strolling buffet which will include hors d'oeuvres, petite sandwich bites, tasty pastas and an exquisite dessert selection. Cost Plus Wine Warehouse, located in Eastern Market, will provide the wine samples and cater the event. Michigan beer samples will also be available.

A silent auction will be sponsored by the John Paul II Booster Club. All proceeds will be used to offset the fees of forming the new sports programs at JPPII. The Club welcomes any items you would like to donate for the silent auction.

Tickets are \$15 by this Wednesday, February 7th and \$20 at the door and are now available in the school or parish office. You may use your Visa or Mastercard to purchase your tickets in the parish office from 8 a.m. to 12 noon Monday through Friday. Hope you can make it!

John Paul II Booster Club

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 Holly Tockstein - Youth Director

Parish Pastoral Council
 Chairperson: Sue Amorose

Masses and Prayer Services
 Weekend Masses: Saturday 5 p.m., Sunday 9 a.m., 11 a.m.
 Mon. , 8:00 a.m. Mass
 Tuesday: 7 p.m. Mass (Perpetual Help Prayers at 6:50 p.m.)
 Wednesday, 8:15 a.m. Mass
 Friday: 8:00 a.m. Mass, 1st Friday Holy Hour, 8:30 a.m.
 Saturday: 8:00 a.m., Prayer Service w/Communion.
 Holydays: Masses to be announced.
 Liturgy of the Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 6:15 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
 Saturdays 3—3:30 p.m.

Baptisms and Marriages
 Please contact the parish office for initial appointment/interview.
 Marriages require six months notice (1 year if not registered). Bap-
 tisms require one month notice (3 months if not registered).

Religious Education Classes
 Elementary (1-8) Monday 4—5:25 p.m. and 6 to 7:25 p.m.
 Sunday School (3-5 yr. old): at 11 a.m. Mass

Bulletin Copy Deadline: Noon Tuesday (Rev. 6/22/10)

LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday, February 11		5:00 p.m.
M. Wisniewski S. Amorose	R. Daniels O. Garza D. Fry B. McNaughton D. Kushnir B. Smith G. Mayfield One volunteer needed	J. Nagy C. Papp M. Roberts
Sunday, February 12		9:00 a.m.
M. Bozzo M. LaClair	A. Jordanek L. Drabek E. Pokrzywnicki A. Quiroz C. Sandoval D.&D.Carmody P.Stone	M. Murillo A. Nagy A. Pauli
Sunday, February 12		11:00 a.m.
S. DellaPella V. Carioti	T.&F.Marshall M.Nagy E. Norscia B. Pataka N. Popowitz L. Jaime One volunteer needed	E. Reedy B. Roberts A. Pochini

Altar Servers for Tuesday, Feb. 7 at 7:00 p.m:
M. Gardiner and A. Pochini


Collection Counters for next Sunday, February 12:
Team #2 - Nancy Lewis, Sam Tortomasi, Evelyn Kovacs, Virginia Peloquin. A volunteer is needed for this team. If you can help out once a month (the 2nd Sunday of the month) and would like more information, give Joanne in the parish office a call at 313-928-1324.

Stewardship Report

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**Your Sunday Offering
 For January 29, 2012**

Total Envelopes Used.....574
 Total Collection.....\$10,505.50
 Budget Requirement...\$11,000.00
 Week Under Budget...\$494.50
 Month of January (over)...\$4,270.02
 Year to date (under).....\$7221.82



Happy are those who have died in the Lord; let them rest from their labors for their good deeds go with them” (Rev. 14:13)

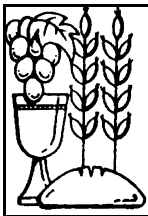
**Anna Nycz
 January 29, 2012**

**Florence Antczak
 January 30, 2012**

**Robert Page
 January 26, 2012**

**Readings for the Week of
 February 5, 2012**

Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39
Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30
Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Mk 8:1-10
Next Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/1 Cor 10:31--11:1/Mk 1:40-45



**Masses and
Prayer Services
with Communion**

Monday, February 6

8:00 a.m. - Walter Potoczny (birthday blessings) by Madelyn Potoczny.

- Billy Dodson by Al and Judy Chezick.

Tuesday, February 7

7:00 p.m. - Joe Marra by your "Tuesday" friends.

Wednesday, February 8

8:15 a.m. - Lauren Mackey (birthday blessings) by your Grandmother.

Friday, February 10

8:00 a.m. - Ron Knapik by friends at CGS.

Saturday, February 11

8:00 a.m. - Prayer Service with Communion.

5:00 p.m. - Joe Marra by Eleanor Magusin.

- Joe and Marjorie Marra by Lou and Delphine Kish.

- Mary Lou Palmer by Mary Kay Kelly.

Sunday, February 12

9:00 a.m. - Steve and Mary Fritz by the Laba Family.

- Rose Mary Smith by Michael & Judy Sullivan.

- Anna Szczerbinski by Cirila Rodriguez.

- Tom Vitale by mom and dad.

11:00 a.m. - George Ondo by family.

- Sherry Amy by Sr. Rebecca and CGS Catechists.

- Joseph Marra by CGS Ushers.

- Anastasia (Sis) Pulaski by Gregory Pulaski and family.

**A Prayer for Black
History Month
By Fr. Clarence Williams,
CPPS**

Having just celebrated Martin Luther King holiday, and as we begin a month for reflecting on how inclusive we are in our lives, it might be good to pray the following prayer occasionally.

Father of creation,
Whose Son Jesus incarnated in time
And whose Spirit enlivens our lives today,

May we honor the height of your creation, the Human Family
In every hue that you chose to give each person of our family human

Jesus, brother of us all
Your prayer to the Father "that they all may be one"

Through the Holy Spirit
May we witness this Unity of One

Each people with its history of your love

Each people created in your earthly garden seen from above

A people's story woven in struggle and triumph

Tears of pain and shouts of joy

The journey of a people in its history's flow

The divine weaver's loom hand does show

Spirit of God in the month of appreciating

The gift of your children of African descent

May we be inspired to see your kingdom mystery

In one facet of the jewel of our Human Family's descent

Unity the prayer of your incarnate Son

Disciples praying the Our Father that we may all be one

One in love of the family human

One in hope for the family human

One in faith in the family human

This month, next week and every-day

Henceforth.

Amen.



Volunteer Appreciation

Thank you, parish volunteers! Do you give of your time and talent as a volunteer in our parish? Whatever you volunteer for in any way to help make this parish such a vibrant community of Christ's people, we would like to thank you in a special way. All volunteers are invited to attend the 11:00 a.m. mass on Sunday, February 19th. Afterwards, we will have a Mardi Gras Volunteer Appreciation Celebration in the Activities Building.

In order for the count to be as accurate as possible, it is important that you receive a FREE TICKET (This is so we know how much to prepare for). You can do this by stopping in the parish office during normal hours.

We hope you can attend and we thank you for all your hard work and dedication.



End of Year Contributions

Your end of year contribution statements for 2011 are now available. The statements are not pre-printed. If you want us to send it to you or if you want to pick it up, please call the parish office at 313-928-1324 or e-mail bookkeeper@christgoodshepherd.org Or fill out the form below and drop it in the offertory basket.

Name _____
Phone _____
Env. # _____
Mail _____
I will pick it up _____

HELP WANTED-LOBBY PHOTO PANELS



If you would like your parish organization featured on the panels in the Lobby, please see Sister Rebecca. You provide the photos with an explanation of the event, and Sister will give you the materials/and or help to make a display possible. It is very hard to keep the panels current, and your help would be most appreciated. The panels attract many visitors and regular parishioners who just want to see what's going on here at Good Shepherd.

LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS



This Lent ,it will be very easy to pray the Stations of the Cross being helped with the beautiful new Stations that have recently been mounted in our church. Again, various groups will lead us in our prayer. Join us each Friday in Lent at 6:30 P.M. for this beautiful way of praying the Passion of Jesus.
 Feb. 24- Fr. Tony/Deacon Jerry
 March 2nd -Bible Study Group
 March 9th- Catechists
 March 16th- High School Teens
 March 23rd-RCIA Team
 March 30th- Christian Service
 April 6th (Good Friday)-Fr. Tony/Deacon

Women of Good Shepherd Altar Care

Week of February 6

Team #6 - Mary Pauze, Mary Kay Kelly, Jean Schweikhart.

Week of February 13

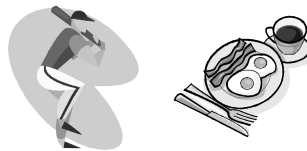
Week of Team #1 - Gloria Morelli, Maureen O'Brian.

Mark Your Calendars!

Our annual Evening of Reflection will take place on Wednesday, March 13 at 7:00 p.m.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS



Downriver Vicariate

Downriver Vicariate invites men of all ages to attend breakfast and a reflection on "Bases of Life". An intimate look inside the faith, prayer and sacramental lives of some of baseball's biggest stars.

Date: Saturday, February 25, 2012

Time: 9:30-12:30 P.M.

Where: St. Constance Parish
 21555 Kinyon
 Taylor, Michigan

9:30-10:30.....Breakfast

10:30-12:30.....Program

Register by: February 10, 23012 with Stacey sshurtz@stcyprian.com or 734-283-1366x118

CATHOLICISM #101

The response to our first attempt to try to address some of the questions in the hearts of our parishioners was so encouraging. With over thirty participants of all ages it was evident that many among the community want to continue this forum with some small adjustments. So...the box for submitting questions will return to the Lobby, and we will try to provide another opportunity in the future to share by soliciting people who will research, pray and share their insights into our questions about the faith.

From the evaluations of the evening:

Some of the positive responses:

- I learned a lot I did not know.
- Great overview of the Catholic faith
- Gives us motivation to pray and study
- It was a good start and can only get better


-Do it again in the future
 -The Holy Spirit truly had in hand in guiding me to the meeting. The questions are very relevant to my life.

-The more you know. The more you don't know.

Some Suggestions to improve the evening

- Larger venue
- Smaller groups with opportunity for interaction and questions.
- Like to see "Question of the week" in the Vigil.

Keep attune to more opportunities to share and learn.



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Christ the Good Shepherd Parish invites you to fill out and return the form below. The form will be used so that we can meet your needs. Please drop the form in the offertory collection or to the parish office.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Phone _____

- I would like to enroll as an active parishioner

- Please change my address to that shown above.

- I would like to learn more about school or parish activities.

- I would like to offer the name of a Catholic who is homebound or seriously ill and is not being visited.

- I would like to speak to someone about becoming Catholic.

"Life's Interruptions: Frustrating Disturbances or Holy Gifts?"

Can you set aside the weekend of March 2-4 2012 to gather at St. Mary's Retreat House in Oxford, MI with Sr. Janet Schaeffler, O.P. to search for the answers to this question? Sr. Janet writes for the Michigan Catholic and Catechist Magazine and does several retreats every year. She is well known in the Tri-County area. Several women from our Parish are already planning to attend and we invite you to join us.

A deposit of \$40.00 will reserve your room, deadline is Feb.17th. The balance of \$120.00 is not due until March 2nd when you arrive around 7pm. Carpooling is available.

For more information please call Diane Smith 734-285-9124 or Genny Beaudrie 313-841-0361

Please help us keep our Activities Building Kitchen Clean!



If you use the activities building kitchen and cafeteria, please remember to clean up when you are done. Please:

- **Mop up spills and sweep floors**
- **Wipe down all tables, countertops, stovetops, and refrigerator doors**
- **Wipe up spills from oven interiors**
- **Empty the trash**
- **Put all dishes, flatware and cookware away**
- **Remove all food items from refrigerators. Leftover food cannot be stored in refrigerators**
- **Make sure all burners, ovens, deep fryer, griddle and warmers are turned off**

There is a checklist in the kitchen to be completed each time the kitchen and/or cafeteria is used. Please complete and return the checklist to the Parish Office on the day of use.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR PARISH MISSION

Making Every Day Holy

Christ the Good Shepherd Parish Mission

"Do you ever feel that your life is off-kilter? Do the challenges of everyday living, at times, seem overwhelming and certainly not related to "holiness"? What does "holiness" mean anyway? Is it possible to have a relationship with God in the midst of the stresses and joys of every day life? If you have ever found yourself asking these questions, then our parish mission is for you! Please come to hear Dr. Patricia Cooney Hathaway as she explores with us what it means to find God in all the facets of our life.

Pat is highly respected by the priests and many lay ministers who have had the privilege of having her for class at Sacred Heart. She has accompanied many on their journeys of faith as a spiritual director. And, with all of that she is foremost wife, and mother as well. Surely she will have something for all of us.

Parish Lenten Mission: February 26,27

7:00 P.M. each evening

"Making Every Day Holy"

Speaker: Patricia Hathaway Cooney (Sacred Heart Seminary)

Following our journey with Pat, there will be a Communal Reconciliation celebration on Tuesday that can help us prepare for Easter .

Childcare will be provided. during the Mission, however, registration is necessary so that sufficient supervision is provided. **Notify the Religious Ed. Office no later than Thursday, February 23rd (313-382-1818 with number and ages of the children).** Children sixth grade and older can surely benefit from the Mission.



Pray
for the
Sick



CGS Youth Ministry Corner

SouperBowl of Caring This Weekend!

This weekend, you will see teens standing outside all of the Church entrances after Mass with soup pots. We ask that you simply give a dollar as you leave, which will be used to tackle hunger both in the Detroit area and in Abuja, Nigeria. More than 20 years ago, the SouperBowl of Caring began with a simple prayer from a single youth group:

“Lord, as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us to be mindful of those without even a bowl of soup to eat.”

Our goal is to raise \$500 for the Home Visitors of Mary Sisters in Abuja, Nigeria, and, if possible, to give about that much to All Saints Soup Kitchen in Detroit. Please help us to tackle hunger and be the change in Detroit and the world!

Teen Forum Upcoming Events . . .

- **Rembrandt’s Face of Jesus Exhibit:** This Sunday the teens will share in a sub lunch and then make our way to the DIA to see Rembrandt’s “Face of Jesus” exhibit. We plan to leave about 12:45pm from the Church lobby. Permission slips are required.
- **Teen Forum Leadership Council Meeting:** Monday, February 13th, 7pm in the Parish Center
- **Youth Mass: Sunday, February, 19th, at the 9am Mass,** CGS parish teens will be taking the ministry roles of music, lector, EM, and presentation of the gifts. Please sign up to take part.
- **Young Vincentian Festival:** The St. Vincent de Paul Organization will be holding this annual festival for all youth groups in the vicariate at Gabriel Richard, beginning at 10:00am. We will leave after the Youth Mass and may be in need of parent drivers. All are welcome!

Super Duper Superbowl Super Submarine Sandwich Sale!

A million thank you’s to all of our parishioners and CGS family and friends for supporting the Teen Forum with your submarine sandwich purchases! All sub orders will be ready for pick-up this weekend after each of the Masses. We worked very hard on Saturday to assemble the subs from the freshest ingredients, and we know that you will be very happy! All proceeds will go toward this summer’s Kentucky/Appalachia mission trip (look for more information on this in the near future), the “Be the Change in Detroit” service project, and other Teen Forum activities. We should have a profit total to report next week!

Junior High Youth Group

The next Junior High Youth Group meeting will take place on Thursday, February 16th, from 6-7:30pm in the Parish Center. Girls, please bring a drink to share, and boys, please bring a snack. Thank you!
“Everybody can be great...because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love.” ~ Martin Luther King Jr.

Leona LaBadie
Verna Kurdziel
Helen Cenknor
William Elbe
Shirley Yipe
Annette Parsons
Elizabeth Vitie
Debbie Straub
Peter LaFramboise
Evelyn Donaldson
Bernard Pernia
Gloria Rodriguez
Gerald Rompel
Charlie Batronie
Lucas Jenkins
Del Butler
Carolyn Gagnon-
March
Lorainne Davis
John Elsey
Sarah Ledford
Barbara Nemeth
Edith Vallar
Hank Renner
Mary Lou Williams
Steven Ariginello
Mary Antonceu
Dolores Bohne
Joseph Bellok
Helen Cibor
Brooke Mezzo
Catherine Liberacki
Ray Kress
Augusto Mallqui
Wayne Lettieri
Sammy Garcia
Rita Frederick
Earl Frederick
John Fitzpatrick
Wayne Huber
Eugene Sorice
Gwen Buber
Arturo Barcnas
Tony & Pat Gronos
Steven Wolschrager
James Johnson
Clara Kilyk
Lori Stanley
Walter Sutowski
Pamela Potter

Loraine Bryan
Helen Sulik
David A. Kivlin
Terrence Somers
Nick Duran, Sr.
Josephine Brian
Robert Fellrath
Mike McInchak
Frank
Romatowski
Yvette Taylor
Josephine Mallia
Robert Elbe
Rose Brandt
Jan McCoy
Collin Acromite
Keaton Acromite
Sesinando Nazareno
Scott Sanderson
Peter Silveri
Walter Potoczny
Carol Sollinger
Dennis Duvall
Helen Burchfield
Ann Marie Sturgis
Claire Boliver
Helen Sordyl
Kathleen Kilpatrick
Sophie Zima
Mary Schwartz
Helen Suess
Julius Kish
Clyde Bruley
Dolores Karnes
Bill Benedict
Mary Banish
Tara Spiteri
Ricardo & Nancy
Berrocal
Marie Zilka
Leonard Lesicki
Paula Shurtz
Steven Belletini
Ron Emmons
Geri King
Aggie Wiegand
David Spaight



Peace!
The Youth Ministry Team

