

This Sunday, August 30

8:30 am Mass
11:00 am Mass

Monday, August 31

7:30 am Mass
7:00 pm Scouts
7:00 pm Spirituality for Everyday Life

Tuesday, September 1

9:15 am Avalon Nursing Home and Northpointe Assisted Living Ministries
7:00 pm Pastoral Council

Wednesday, September 2

7:30 am Mass
Women's Guild Day of Devotion
6:30 pm Jr. High Volunteer Meeting

Thursday, September 3

7:00 pm Knights of Columbus
7:00 pm Sr. High Core Team Meeting

Friday, September 4

9:30 am Mass
10:00 am Women's Faith Sharing
5:30 pm Yoga

Saturday, September 5

4:30 pm Reconciliation
5:30 pm Mass
Blood Pressures / Religious Goods Sale
6:30 pm Religious Education Registration

Next Sunday, September 6

8:30 am Mass
11:00 am Mass
Blood Pressures / Religious Goods Sale
12 Noon Religious Education Registration



Finance Council Report

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP INCOME

\$ 3,793.50 Envelopes
\$ 339.83 Plate
\$ 0.00 Other Contributions
\$ 4,133.33 Total

The Finance Council's Year-to-date stewardship income budget is \$46,922.57. We have achieved to-date \$43,738.95 - a shortfall of \$3,183.62. We have 722 families registered in the parish.



Knights of Columbus

Business Meeting - September 3rd - 7:00 pm
Parish Picnic - September 13th
4th Degree - September 17th - 7:00 pm
Officers Meeting - September 24th - 7:00 pm



It's Nearly Parish Picnic Time!

When: Sunday, September 13th
12:00-4:00 p.m.

There's something planned for everybody: Bouncy Castle, Hillbilly Horseshoes, Volley Ball, Bocce Ball, Frisbee Golf, Water Balloon Toss, Bean Bag Toss, Bubble Blowing Contest, Duck Pond, Paper Airplane Contest and much, much more!

The Knights will cook up the burgers and hot dogs, and we provide the rest...potluck style!

Please visit the display in the church lobby to:

- See the full list of activities
- Sign up to attend
- Give us just a little bit of help

Doug Cannon Benefit Dinner & Auction

On Sunday, September 13th, there will be a Benefit Dinner & Auction for St. Joseph Parishioner Doug Cannon, who is fighting cancer, from 4-8 pm at The Service Station (9315 N Nevada). For tickets, or to make a donation to the Auction, please call Dave at 999-9947. Tickets can also be obtained from Just Roses. Cash donations can be made to Wells Fargo Financial Center. For more information about Doug and his family go to: candoforacause.org.

Looking Ahead

September 13th Parish Picnic - Noon to 4:00 pm
September 14th RCIA Inquiry Begins
September 15th Men's Prayer Group Begins 7:00 am
September 26th Youth Rally with Angus McDonell
September 29th Adult Enrichment Evening 7:00 pm
October 20th Little Rock Bible Study Begins

Next Weekend's Liturgy

Scripture Readings

Sept 6th-7th **23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Isaiah 35:4-7a (128B)

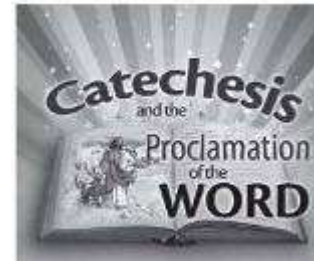
James 2:1-5

Mark 7:31-37



Religious Education

Registration: Registration for all Religious Education programs for students Pre-school through Senior High will be held after the Masses beginning September 5th & 6th and continuing on September 12th & 13th. Registration packets were mailed out on August 26th for all families of school age children. If you did not receive yours, please call the Parish office and let us know. Thanks! Classes for grades 1-6 will begin September 20th from 9:40 to 10:50 am.



Pre School: Pre-School for four and five year olds will take place during the 8:30 am and the 11:00 am Masses beginning Sunday, September 20th. A child must be four years old by September 1st to enroll in this program.

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Children's Liturgy of the Word begins September 20th. This program is for 6-12 year olds and takes place during the Liturgy of the Word Mass.

Adult Enrichment Evening

Join us Tuesday, September 29th from 7-9 pm for a presentation on "Jesus' Table Manners" by Dr. Patrick McCormick, a Religious Studies Professor at Gonzaga University. Cost is \$5.00 per person. Please RSVP to the Parish office at 466-4991 by September 27th if you plan to attend.

New Hope Resource Center

Hi Friends of New Hope, We've already had a "rush" of clients in asking for school supplies and have run out of several items. We are totally out of backpacks and our supply is running low on: fine tip markers, pencil sharpeners, index dividers, composition books, calculators, and 1 1/2 " 3 ring binders. We also loan out musical instruments and have a specific request for a flute. Please call 467-2900 if you have any questions. Thank you for helping us to minister to needs in our community. Blessings, Robin

Please Pick up Your Dishes!

There have been many dishes left in the kitchen over the summer. If you donated a food item over the last few months, and forgot to pick up your serving dish, please check the tables in the dining room to reclaim it.

Teens "Stay Tuned...!"

Looking Ahead

YOUTH MASS Sept 26th at 5:30 featuring Angus McDonell and Timothy Greer. Brilliant music and inspiring prayer! Angus is more than just a performer, he is an effective worship leader. His music can draw a group into deep prayer and lift them up in exhilarating praise. Check out his website at www.angusmcdonell.com

Jr. High

Jr. High Youth Team Meeting
Wed, Sept 2nd, 6:30pm
Planning out a great year!



Kick off party, BBQ & pool party at the Condron's Home Sunday, Sept 20th, 2 - 5pm
Swimming, games and challenges, music, FUN!

First Meeting Date

Wednesday, September 23rd, 7 - 8:30pm
Open House for parents from 8 to 8:30
See you there! I am so excited to meet everyone!

Sr. High

Sr. High Core Team Meeting
Thurs, Sept 3rd, 7pm
Getting off to an awesome start! Let's talk!!!!

Kick off party, BBQ & pool party at the Condron's Home Sunday, Sept 20th, 7 - 9pm
Fun, Fun, Fun!

First Meeting Date

Sunday, Sept 27th, 7pm to 9pm
Open House for parents from 8:30 to 9pm
Looking forward to meeting all of you!



Youth Day

Saturday, September 26th, 10am to 6:30pm.
Youth Mass at 5:30. Lunch and snack provided.

Angus McDonell and Timothy Greer to provide a fun day of music, talks and workshops. Angus has a contagious sense of humor and his commitment to his faith is awe inspiring!

Registration forms available in the office. Please sign up before September 14th!

Interested in the Catholic Faith?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process that prepares and welcomes the un-baptized or those baptized in other Christian faiths into the Catholic faith community. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic Church, please join our Inquiry group beginning on Monday, September 14th. For more information please contact Sr. Kathleen at 466-4991.