

School News:

Dianne Murphy -
Religion Teacher, Catechist

Warmest regards, friends in Christ!

Ok! So now it's my turn to say SOMETHING on the back of the church bulletin! (I LOVE to read but HATE to write. They call this "penance," I think.) When I asked my friends on the faculty what I was supposed to write about. They suggested telling what was going on at the school or talking about the parish and the school. So here goes; a hodge-podge of items, hopefully of some interest to you: Our school is great! It's a very busy place. Each class is busily working daily and we have already completed our first 6 weeks. Report cards went home today.

I know I'm not supposed to have favorites but I must mention the work of the Art teachers. (All of our teachers and aides are hardworking though and I could write an essay on each class.) They are continually decorating the halls with attractive works by our students. The students all look forward to having their Art classes with Shannon Dean and Elizabeth Lyons. Visit our school and check it out for yourself. You won't be disappointed.

Of course it wouldn't be fair not to mention our soccer team under Coach Len Keaveny. Len is tireless when it comes to our students. Soccer season is in full swing and the students enjoy that as well. It's a labor of love for Mr. Keaveny.

In other news for the week; our seventh graders attended Camp Magis. (Magis means "more" as in; "love God more.") It's a great experience for the youngsters. There are many fun activities and inspiring faith experiences; too numerous to mention here. They come back refreshed; make some new friends, have a great time and grow their faith.

Our school continues to need your prayerful support in many ways. Without YOU; our parish family, there would be no SSPP School! This school provided the Murphy children with a solid, faith-filled foundation earlier in their lives. Now another generation is here doing the same; very gratifying. (How blessed are we?) As our area has suffered more difficult times economically, parents look for ways to conserve family income. And there appear to be a few more choices in where to send our children to school. It's a huge sacrifice to pay tuition for private school and support that school with many hours of free time doing fundraising and the like. But I think we parents all strive to answer the same basic question, "What IS the most important thing we want for our children?" For some, and for our family, it is a faith life. The love of God; as exemplified in our church is priceless!

Our beloved Fr. Moore reminded us during his tenure here that "you can't love a God you don't know!" SSPP School teaches our children about God. And Fr. Paul Yuenger instructed us that "knowledge of God is the MOST important knowledge!" So with your continued support we will keep on, keeping on and the Lord will continue to bless us through YOU!

Thanks, family.

SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church

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BRINGING THE MESSAGE OF
JESUS CHRIST TO OTHERS FOR OVER
100 YEARS



October 2, 2016

*Twenty-Seventh Sunday in
Ordinary Time*



Mass Intentions

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Sat. Oct. 1 - Vigil
5:30p.m. †“Pork Chop” Booth by Family

Sun. Oct. 2
8:00a.m. For All Parishioners

10:30a.m. Intention of Confirmandi, by Friends of SSPP Parish

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Tue. Oct. 4
6:00p.m. Intention of Kevin Walker by, Margaret Staggers

Wed. Oct. 5
8:30a.m. †Tabby Wroten by John Wroten

Thu. Oct. 6
6:00p.m. Jennie Figiel by Mary Rosenecker

Fri. Oct. 7
8:30a.m. †Millie Zielinski by Bruce & Tony Webb

Sat. Oct. 8 - Vigil
5:30p.m. †Rosemary Gannon by Reggi & Terri Dodd

Sun. Oct. 9
8:00a.m. †RL “Jim” Hardy, Sr. by Mary Kerby

10:30a.m. For All Parishioners

Offerings September 25, 2016

Env/Loose:	\$ 2,887.00
Online:	\$ 200.00
Votives:	\$ 54.00
School	\$ 75.00
Parish Maint.	\$ 75.00
Catholic University	\$ 401.56
2nd Collection	

Lectors

Sat. (Vigil): 10/8
5:30p.m. : Ted Dixon

Sun. 10/9 8a.m.: Vicki Caldwell
10:30a.m.: Jackie Rosiek

Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat. (Vigil):
5:30p.m. : Reggi & Terri Dodd

Sun. 8a.m.: Vicki Caldwell
Sun. 10:30a.m.:
Bev & Herman Hundley

Altar Server Schedule:

Saturday (Vigil):
5:30p.m.: Matthew & Jacob Mrozek/
Michael Howerton

Sunday:
8:00a.m.: Andre & Dominic Re
10:30a.m.: Bethany Rosiek/
Emily Major/Chloe Kania

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):
Saturdays 4:45p.m. or by appointment.

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL 2016

PARISH GOAL: \$17,150.00

Current Status: \$14,913 (87%)

Amount Needed to reach goal: \$ 2,237.00
47 gifts

Welcome

Bishop Bransfield
Father Justin Blanc
Father Paul Wharton
Deacon Harry Evans

This Week.....

Sun. 9:15am Confirmation class in cafeteria
No Adult Bible Class or RCIA
6:30p.m. High School Youth—Fr. Moore

Tues. 9-10a.m. Coffee with the Principal
Following 6pm mass—Blessing of Animals in the parking lot.

Wed. 4:15p.m. “Saturday Choir” rehearsal
5:30p.m “Sunday Choir” rehearsal

Thurs. 7:00p.m. Meditation Class—Fr. Moore

Thank you to the following ladies who faithfully cleaned the church on Monday, September 19th:

Coletta Vandall	Regina O’Neal	Sally Shay
Pat Beverley	Kathryn Wickline	Nancy Sanger
Toni Webb	Debbie Ferri	
Nira Kania		

MARRIAGE AND BAPTISM in our PARISH

Marriage: Before planning a wedding, make an appointment with the pastor to schedule the date. Marriage preparation requires a minimum of six months to complete.

Baptism: Participation in the Baptismal Preparation Session is required for parents. Baptism preparation requires a minimum of three months to complete.

++R.I.P.++

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Ron Whitt, Family & Friends on the death of his mother, Marjorie Whitt.

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May she rest in the peace of Christ.

THANK YOU

The Knights of Columbus Food Pantry of our Parish would like to thank the students, teachers & staff of SSPP school for their contribution to the 2nd Annual food drive held the week of September 19th. A total of 1717 food items were collected. Classroom totals are as follows:

Pre-K: 65	Kindergarten: 92
1st/2nd: 40	3rd /4th: 713
5th/6th: 96	7th/8th: 681

Anthony Gerard, Grand Knight, & all SSPP Knights



INTRODUCTION TO CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

“Be Still and know that I am God”

Meditation is an ancient form of prayer. Its aim is to bring the distracted mind to silence and stillness, and rest in the presence of God. Even in our modern busy lives this is possible. We invite you to come along and try this form of prayer which is simple and peaceful.

This introductory course will provide an opportunity to experience the practice of Christian Meditation in a small group, to learn about its origins, and to discover its relevance as a form of prayer for the contemporary world.

Thursday evenings 7:00 pm Ss. Peter and Paul

Admission is free, for more information: Contact Fr. Symeon 304-465-5445 or email