St. Joseph Church
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 17, 2008

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Sacramental Schedule & Policies:
Sacrament of Reconciliation: 4:30 – 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays or by appointment.
Sacrament of Baptism: by appointment following baptism preparation program.
Sacrament of Marriage: 6 months notification & after completion of marriage program.

Liturgies for the Coming Week: Aug 18 – August 24

Mon Aug 18 – No Mass
Tue Aug 19 - 6:00 p.m. Jeneta Weltha
Wed Aug 20 - 8:00 a.m. Audie Perez
Thu Aug 21 - 8:00 a.m. Pope Pius X
Fri Aug 22 - 8:00 a.m. Dorothy Hochstetler
Sat Aug 23 - 5:30 p.m. For The Parish
Sun Aug 24 - 8:00 a.m. Tim Kordick
Sun Aug 24 - 10:00 a.m. Bill Hartshorn

Coffee and Rolls: Aug 24, 2008
8:00 a.m. Vince & Dorothy Mullarkey
10:00 a.m. The Lopez Families

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Questions or Concerns?
Parish Hall Reservations:
Church Office 462-1083
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Harvey Eivins 462-2642
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Aug 24, 2008	Saturday 5:30 p.m.	Sunday 8:00 a.m.	Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Eucharistic Minister	Rosemary Stuchel	Glenn Kordick	Larry Lantz
Eucharistic Minister	Hank Stuchel	Charles Kordick	Jeanette Neel
Lector	Mike Drysdale	David Sullivan	Jim Jacobsen
Altar Server	Sarah Armstrong	Jaimie Nelson	Jenny Junker
Altar Server	Rachel Armstrong	Nicholas Nelson	Emily Junker
Usher	Joe Moore	Larry Corkrean	Gary Kiernan
Usher	Greg Armstrong	Rich Corkrean	Paul Klimesh

RCIA: A new session of our parish's *Catechumenate* (RCIA) will be beginning soon for anyone interested in becoming Catholic, or anyone interested simply in learning more about our Catholic faith and practice. RCIA is the abbreviated name of the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. RCIA is a ritual process which the Church uses in preparing those who are seeking full membership in the Catholic Church. The first meeting for our *Catechumenate* sessions will be announced soon but if you have questions in the meantime please call or email Fr. Chris and he would be happy to talk to you.

CFCA: Christian Foundation for Children and Aging would like to take this opportunity to show our gratitude to St. Joseph Church for allowing us to speak on behalf of CFCA and those in need on August 16th and 17th. Again, thank you for your kindness and may God bless you!

Thank you Fr. Hereley: For coming to St. Joseph Church and sharing your message of CFCA with our parish community. We pray that the parishioners of St. Joseph's will support the work being done by CFCA, as this provides a trustworthy way to actively participate in the social outreach of the Catholic Church and answer the Gospel call to serve the poor. To learn more, call (800) 875-6564 or visit www.cfausa.org

Parish Pot Luck Picnic - TODAY!!! Sunday, August 17 at 11:30 a.m. Please bring some food to share and your own table service. The Pork Producers will be providing pork sandwiches and we will have some fun and games for the kids to play.

Catholic Charities Golf Outing: August 25th. Participants will have the opportunity to hit the links with two Bishops at Echo Valley Country Club. Bishop Richard Pates will be making his debut at the tournament. Retired Bishop Joseph Charron will also golf. 515-237-5055.

"Hawgwash" Our LIGHT youth group will be having a car wash the weekend of Hawgstock. "Hawgwash" will be Saturday August 23rd in the Pamida parking lot from 10-3:00. Please come by for the best wash ever!

Eucharistic Adoration: Every Tuesday from 12:30 PM until 5:50 PM followed by Benediction and Mass. We are still looking for people to sign up for a half hour of prayer and spending time with our Lord. Whether you can attend every week or every other week your participation would be greatly appreciated. Our goal is to have 2 or 3 people for each half hour. Please contact Margaret Schlueter at 462-1404 if you would like to participate.

Right to Life Book Drive: The Knights will be collecting books for the Right to Life Book Sale September 9-13. There will be a box in the back of the church. Thank you.

REFLECTION QUESTIONS: (Isaiah 56:1, 6-7, Romans 11:13-15, 29-32, Matthew 15:21-28) Have you ever experienced rejection because of your gender, race, or religion? How did you deal with it? Have you ever been asked for help by someone of another race or culture? How have you responded? Jesus' attitude towards the Canaanite woman is one that all should imitate.

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