

**REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS**

For the sick: Joyce Cockerill, Kathy Ewing, Pauline Washtek, Frank Riha, Carolyn Reiling, Mary Beth Grundman, Meg Richards, Brian Patera, Frank Deloske, Duane Poser, Warren Reznicek

**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES IN THE PARISH**

Wednesday, Aug. 27, RE, 6:15 p.m.



**SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, 5 P.M.**

**Lectors:** Ken Patry-Mike Fowler  
**EME:** Deacon Terry-Leigh Ann Amerine, Ce Ce Kastens  
**Servers:** Jack Krejci-Mike Krejci  
**Greeters:** Paul & Charolotte Vodicka  
**Music:**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 9 A.M.**

**Lector:** Larry Vacek-Joe Boro  
**EME:** Deacon Dave-Debbie Vacek-Mary Johnson  
**Servers:** Alyssa Riha-Luke Partusch  
**Greeters:** Steve Murphy-Dan Craney  
**Music:** All singers-Candy Connery



**LAWN MOWERS - WEEK OF AUGUST 25**

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**SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

Aug. 16 & 17	\$ 4065.23
Ed. Bldg Fund	\$ 605.00
Assumption	\$ 734.00

**K THRU COLLEGE**

**SCHOLARSHIPS** The Knights of Columbus offer scholarships to members of the St Joseph's parish attending a Catholic school or university this fall in at any level

from kindergarten through undergraduate studies. This offer includes Catholic home school programs. Applications are in the KOC mailbox. A limited number will be granted on a first-come basis until September 1st. Contact Tim Ihry, 592-6560, if you have questions.



Springfield Community Blood Drive on Sunday Sept. 14th, 8:00 A.M. till 1:00 P.M at the Springfield Fire Hall. To make a appointment goto:

[www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) Sponsor code: 009111 or call Ralph @ [402-253-8301](tel:402-253-8301). Thank You and hope to see you there.

**CHRISTMAS IN AUGUST**

It may seem early but the schedules for EME's, Lectors and Servers are made early and the final quarter will be made Sept. 10. If you can help at Christmas in any of the aforementioned ministries, please contact me by e-mail at [sharonvan1@gmail.com](mailto:sharonvan1@gmail.com) . Christmas masses are 5 p.m. on Christmas eve, Midnight mass and a 9 a.m. mass on Christmas day. Thanks.

**CALLING ALL JUNIOR CHOIR MEMBERS**

Our first Mass will be the Religious Ed mass on Wednesday, August 27 at 6:15 p.m. Please come to the front of the church and join us. Practice will begin on September 24 at 5:30 p.m. We will sing at the Saturday, September 27 mass. From then on, our masses as a general rule are the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month. Junior choir is open to all members between grades 5 and 8.

**2014 Concert schedule:**

Margaret Cotton - Saturday, September 27 at 6:00pm  
 Jim Nailon - Saturday, October 25 at 5:30pm  
 College of Saint Mary Singers - Sunday, November 9 at 4:00pm  
 Coro di Flauti - Saturday November 15. Time not yet determined.

Kathy Graeve and home school children -  
Sunday December 7 at 12:30pm and 2pm.

UNO Flute - Saturday, December 13 at  
4:00pm

Karly Jurgensen - Sunday, December 28 at  
12:30pm, Feast Day mass follows at 2pm.

*Other concerts may be added. Please check  
back as the concert date grows closer to  
confirm times or possible cancelations.*

*\*\*\*Walk of Faith Pilgrimage Saturday,  
October 11, 2014 beginning at*

*8:30am.\*\*\** Please join in a 6 mile prayer  
walk to the Holy Family

Shrine. Reconciliation and mass will follow  
the walk. More details will be made  
available as we get closer to October 14th.

### **PLEASE HELP**

We really need people to sign up for  
mowing. This week is the last week we had  
anyone scheduled. Please help us keep the  
grounds looking beautiful.



### **MUSIC MINISTERS**

Please plan to attend a meeting on Tuesday,  
August 19 to practice for the dedication mass  
on August 31. We'd love to have as many of  
you as possible to join voices for this special  
occasion. Please bring your copy of the St.  
Cecilia's mass if you have one. Men's Choir  
and any other interested singers welcome.

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To All St. Joseph Parishioners:

Greetings from Deacon David and Linda  
Christensen. We hope you are doing well  
and getting ready for the changing of the  
seasons. We too are getting ready but for a  
different reason.

We are contacting you to help with that  
change. We are in the process of forming a  
committee to plan an event at St. Joseph over

the Thanksgiving weekend. No, we don't  
need your money, just some time and talent.  
The time, at a minimum will consist of two  
(more if needed ) meetings before  
Thanksgiving setting up on the late  
afternoon/evening of November 28<sup>th</sup> (Friday)  
and being present at some time over  
November 29<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) and November  
30<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) which will include tearing  
down displays. In addition it will be  
necessary for some to help find material(s)  
and some will need to construct 4" x 4"  
stands. You need not be present every day,  
any time is appreciated. As stated above,  
your funds will not be needed for this project  
and event. It is our hope this event will grow  
in popularity over the years and get bigger.  
The best part is all proceeds will go to the  
needy and hopefully some to the RE Building  
fund.

If after discussing this and praying, you feel  
you could be interested please contact Deacon  
Dave or Linda. After we have received a good  
amount of replies we will announce a meeting  
and at that meeting, give out more details.  
Thank you. God bless you and yours.

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### **AQUINAS FORUM**

Make plans to attend the Aquinas Forum, a  
Catholic lecture series for inquiring minds on  
Tuesday, August 26, 7 p.m. at Gloria Deo, 13065  
W. Center Rd. Jay Dunlap, president of  
Madonna School and Workshop, will present  
*"Special Loves: Embracing People with  
Intellectual and Developmental Challenges I a  
Sometimes Hostile Culture."*