

LOOKING AHEAD

- Feb. 28 RCIA 5 p.m.
- March 1 Movie Night 7 p.m.
- March 2 Communion & Liberation 7 p.m.
- March 3 Catholicism Exposed 8 p.m.
- March 4 Dollar Lunch 12:15 p.m.
- March 5 Stations of the Cross 3 p.m.
- March 5 TGIF
- March 7 RCIA 5 p.m.
- March 7 Knights of Columbus 5:30 p.m.
- March 8 Movie Night 7 p.m.
- March 9 Communion & Liberation 7 p.m.
- March 10 Catholicism Exposed 8 p.m.
- March 11 Dollar Lunch 12:15 p.m.
- March 12 Stations of the Cross 3 p.m.
- March 13 Communion&Liberation Lenten Retreat 12pm



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please let us know if you would like to sign up for an hour of Adoration. 684-6896

“Stewardship:

The Grateful Response of a Christian Disciple”

The scripture readings for today bring to mind the profound relationship between God and his chosen people. God’s covenant with Abraham followed His vow to make Abraham the father of a nation and to give him the land of Canaan. In the gospel Jesus is seen talking with Moses and Elijah and the voice of God is heard. May we be open to hearing the voice of God and receiving his many blessings.

POPE BENEDICT XVI

Our Holy Father’s Monthly Intentions for February

That scholars and intellectuals, by sincere search for the truth, may come to know the one true God.

That the Church, aware of its missionary identity, may strive to follow Christ faithfully and to proclaim his gospel

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

	Last week	7/1/09 to date
Actual Collection	\$2,532.00	\$80,800.29
Budgeted Amount	<u>\$2,850.00</u>	<u>\$96,900.00</u>
Over/Under	(\$318.00)	(\$16,099.71)
Collection Breakdown		
10:00 a.m. Mass	\$1,733.00	
7:00 p.m. Mass	<u>\$ 870.00</u>	
Total	\$2,532.00	

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Schedule of Liturgies for February 28—March 7, 2010 Mass Intentions

Mon. March 1	8:00 a.m.	2nd Week of Lent	Souls in Purgatory
Tues. March 2	11:45 a.m.	2nd Week of Lent	+Dan Gleeson
Wed. March 3	7:30 p.m.	2nd Week of Lent	+Dr. Richard Taylor
Thurs. March 4	11:45 a.m.	2nd Week of Lent	+Jarod Zoglmann
Fri. March 5	11:45 a.m.	2nd Week of Lent	+Han Pham
Sat. March 6	8:00 a.m.	2nd Week of Lent	+Y Le
Sun. March 7	10:00 a.m.	Third Sunday of Lent	Deanna Harms
	7:00 p.m.		Pro Populo

Sacrament of Marriage

All couples planning to be married in the Catholic Church must contact the Pastor six months in advance

Sacrament of Baptism

Please contact Fr. Weldon

Sacrament of Penance

Weekdays 15 minutes before morning Mass

Wednesdays 7 p.m.—7:20 p.m.

Sundays 9:15 a.m.—9:45 am & 6:15 pm—7 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Tues. & Thurs. 8 am—10 pm Wed. 8 am—7 pm

RCIA Classes are held on Sunday at 5 p.m.

St. Paul Parish/Newman Center
Sunday, February 28, 2010 Second Sunday of Lent

FR.'S CORNER

Spiritual Athleticism

Athletes deny themselves all sorts of things, to win a crown that withers, but we fight for an imperishable crown. So, run so as to win the race.

Ascesis is the practice of self-discipline. For the Christian it is the interior combat: a spiritual combat that is harder than man's battles. In the relationship with God we have the freedom which gives us the ability to rise to our highest good. What we need to have are senses that are alive, sharpened and perceptive to the good. Ascesis is an awakening from the sleep-walking of daily life. The purpose of ascesis is to divest oneself of surplus weight, of spiritual fat. Ascesis is not obedience to some abstract categorical imperative. It frees human nature to follow its deep instinct to ascend towards God. We pass from a state of being "contrary to nature" to one of being in "harmony with nature," in harmony, that is, with that human (and cosmic in the sense of the world, but not "worldliness") material united with Christ, with the godhead, without separation or confusion. St. Benedict, the father of Western monasticism writes: "If justice leads us to propose some mild constraint in order to correct vices and to preserve love, do not at once fly in dismay from the path of salvation, which one cannot enter except through a narrow gate. For as you advance gradually in a holy life and in faith, your heart is enlarged and you run the way of God's commandments in an ineffable sweetness of love." *Rule*, prologue 47-49. Fasting aids us in the journey of Lent, and must be joined to love of neighbor or it is devoid of strength. "Fasting lightens the body, prepares it for resurrection, and opens it to healing grace. It makes the soul more readily transparent and predisposes it to the study of Wisdom, to listening to the Word. It makes mutual sharing possible." Thoughts from Olivier Clement.

22nd ANNUAL BASKETBALL CLASSIC between The Padres (Priests of the Diocese) and Knights of Columbus Council #4118 is scheduled for Sunday, March 14 at the NEW Bishop Carroll Gym & Activities Center. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Tip-off at 6:30 p.m. Suggested Donation Adults \$5.00, Kids @2.50, Family Pass \$15.00

PROCEEDS SUPPORT RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

For the first time in the history of St. Paul Parish the Newman Center is home to Knights of Columbus Council #14799, St. Paul's-WSU/Newman Center. A thanks goes out to all who put in so much hard work to make this possible over the past year. We ask for continued prayers as we work to get our council up and running to serve the Parishioners of St. Paul Parish/Newman Center. Meetings are normally on the 2nd Sunday of every month at 5:30pm in the basement. Because of Spring Break our next meeting will be next Sunday, March 7

New at the NC

Morning Prayer is at 8:30am, Monday thru Friday.
 Evening Prayer is Mon - Thurs at 5:15pm
 The Chaplet of Divine Mercy Mon thru Thurs at 3 pm
 Stations of the Cross, Fridays at 3 p.m.
 All are invited to attend.

COMMUNION and LIBERATION

Wichita School of Community meets every Tuesday evening at 7:00 PM in the basement of the Newman Center. All are welcome and invited ... Come and see. Our current text is Fr. Giussani's Is It Possible to Live This Way vol. 3 Charity. **The CL Lent retreat is scheduled for March 13th 12 p.m. - 5 p.m. at the Newman Center. All are invited. For more information please contact Jerry Brungardt (gbrungardt@pixius.net) or Emad Mekhail (emad.mekhail@cybertronpc.com). CL English website is www.clonline.org CI USA website is www.clonline.us.**

The **Lenten Retreat** of the Fraternity of Communion and Liberation will take place on March 13, 2010 at the St. Paul Parish - Newman Center at WSU from noon to 5pm. The theme will be **Christ here and now**. The retreat will be led by Fr. Roberto Amoroso, FSCB. After his reflections, there will be a time for silence, Confession and Mass. All are invited and welcome. We will share a meal after Mass. contact: emad.mekhail@cybertronpc.com

LITURGICAL STEWARDS FOR SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2010

Sacristan	10 a.m. M. Brungardt 7 p.m. S. Penick	Lector	10 a.m. J. Mertes 7 p.m. J. Wagner
EMHC	10 a.m. 7 p.m. S. O'Neill L. Reichenberger	Servers	10 a.m. L. Brungardt P. Brungardt 7 p.m. S. Penick
Hospitality	10 a.m. T. Bartonek Volunteer 7 p.m. B. Bergkamp L. Theisen Volunteer	Music	10 a.m. R. Munoz R. Lauer 7 p.m. A. Fernando C. Smith

The NC wants to assist you in your Lenten Journey.

Sacrament of the Eucharist:

Monday	8:00am
Tuesday	11:45am
Wednesday	7:30pm
Thursday	11:45am
Friday	11:45am
Saturday	8:00am
Sunday	10:00am 7:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Monday	7:40-7:55am 8:30am
Tuesday	11:30-11:40am 12:15pm
Wednesday	7:00-7:15pm 9:00pmish
Thursday	11:30-11:40am 12:15pm
Friday	11:30-11:40am 12:15pm
Saturday	7:40-7:55am 8:30am
Sunday	9:15-9:45am 6:15-6:50pm

For the Prayer life:

Adoration Tuesday – Thursday beginning at 8:00am-10pm except on Wednesdays ending at 7:20pm with Benediction.
 Morning prayer is said Monday – Friday at 8:30am
 Evening Prayer is said Monday – Thursday 5:15pm
 Chaplet of the Divine Mercy Monday – Thursday at 3:00pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS ARE AT 3 P.M. EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT

Lenten Regulations: According to Canon 1252 of the new Code of Canon Law, all "adults" are bound by the law of fasting "until the beginning of their 60th year." Adults are defined in Canon 97 as "anyone who has completed the 18th year of age." Thus fasting begins on the 18th birthday and obliges until the 59th birthday. Abstinence from meat obliges all who have completed their 14th year. *We are obliged to abstain from meat and fast on Ash Wed. & Good Fri. and to abstain from meat on all the Fridays in Lent.*