

BASKETS ARE BEING MADE FOR CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY HOLIDAY BAZAAR - The Themes this year are: 1) Sunflower, 2) Woodland Fairies, 3) Irish Blessing (Ireland), 4) Chicken/Rooster, 5) Black & White, 6) Seafood, 7) Night Before Christmas, 8) Golf, 9) Ravens, 10) Redskins, 11) Grandma's House, 12) Spiderman/Superman, 13) Family Fun Night, 14) Massage Pamper Basket, 15) Travel W/Theme of Thanksgiving ("Over the River & Through the Woods – to Grandmothers House We Go") and 16) Party, Party, Party. If you would like to make donations for our theme baskets call Laura at 301-898-5111 x13 or bring them in to the office.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK- Theresa Pirrone, Robert Flaherty, Glen Morrison, Mary Hunt, Edward Gilvey, Robert Harington, Jason Bates, Joseph Pirrone, Marilyn Hall, Steve White, Orlando Rea, Harry Blanchard, Krystyna Cichocki, Danielle Poole, Paula Cooper, Sharon Gould, Anne Neher, Paul Pieklo, Larry Mauceri, Linda McGuire, Fred Moxley, Richard Hanna, Tom Weedon, Louis Webb, Kenny Jordan, Kim Miller, Chris Roby, Denis Ellis, Danielle Kline, Donna Jacobs, Dolores Sperlein, Sandy O'Donnell, Brandin Andrukitis, Anna Tomalis, Florence Bannister, Michael Seifert, Mary Souder, Charles Guarnieri, Justin Offutt, Craig Rice, Connor Rutledge, Eric Saindon, Jennifer Zeiner, Pat Wallace, Emily Candaffio, Karen & Jessica Connery, Patricia Huffer, Ben Lanman, John Reilly, Dan Hodges, Robert Young, Tom Caponiti, Kathryn Delaney, Eddie Vaughan, baby Mathis, William Schneehagen, Doris Savage, Marjorie Jones, Msgr. Art Valenzano, Fr. John Carter, Tom Arnold, Fr. Wayne Funk, Lee Fredge, Sr. Joan Maenner, Beverly Dean, Dorothy Hart, Ryan Nusbaum, Carl Prinzi, Lillian Garnett, Carla Carlson, Jones Family, Faith Frazier, Vernetta Ackerman; Myrtle Carlin, Tina Hemmer, Jim Jennelle, Georg Scott, Fred Schaub, Theresa Johnston, Carolyn Kolega, Ruth Bellamy, Sylvia Prieto, Arlo Cummins, Thoreson Family, Rose France Charlie Zampino, Kayla Zeillinger, Agostina Rossi, April Dietrich, Steven Nagy, Andrew Shurney, Earl Miller, Sean Queen

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED – Joseph Bailey, father of Susan Bolger. Please remember the Amish children who were slain in Lancaster this week.

THANKS to all who helped with voter registration and who registered to vote last Sunday. Remember, October 17th is the last day to register for the Nov. 7th election.

ST. JOHN'S REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL 2007-08, will hold its open house for prospective families on Wed., November 8th, 7:00pm at the school. For more information call the admissions office at 301-695-9358.

VISITATION ACADEMY invites you to our Open House, on Friday, Oct. 13th from 10am to 2pm (all girls school). Please come in to visit our beautiful campus located at 200 East Second St., Frederick.

ST MARIA GORETTI Will hold its Fall Open House on Sunday, October 22nd from 1pm to 3pm. Prospective students and their parents are welcome to tour the facilities and to meet the teachers. For information & directions call 301-739-4266 or visit our web site @ www.goretti.org

MEN IN BLACK IS BACK: MIB (seminarians, priests, Vocation Office) Come out and cheer both teams on Sat., Oct. 14th at Archbishop Spalding High School Gym at 7pm and enjoy a high quality basketball game and support vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life. Witness talks throughout. Information about vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life will be available. For more info call or email the Vocation Office: 410-547-5426 or vocations@archbalt.org.

WHITE MASS The Baltimore Guild-Catholic Medical Assoc. will hold its annual White (St Luke's) Mass on Saturday, Oct. 14th @ 4PM at the chapel of Loyola Blakefield School. Physicians & their families are invited.

SPIRIT & MISSION RETREAT – Sisters of the Good Shepherd, dream of a world where all God's people are revered and valued as children of God. We strive to follow the footsteps of Jesus the Good Shepherd, who sought out the lost, healed the suffering, brought liberty to captives and proclaimed the Good News to the poor if you feel that God may be calling you to love with the heart of a shepherd, we invite you to come and learn more about us. Live-In Weekend, Nov. 10-12, 2006 at Wickatunk, NJ. There is no fee, meals and lodging provided. Contact Sr. Debbie Drago, 732-946-0515

COME JOIN US – Celebration: Gathering in solidarity with the family of St. Vincent de Paul; simple meal of Soup and bread, prayer and testimonies by those touched by the poor on Thurs., Oct. 19th, 5:30-7:30pm at St. Joseph Provincial House, 333 S. Seton Ave., Emmitsburg, MD. RSVP Gwen Topper 301-447-6011 or gtopper@doc.org/ Suggested Offering: a can of food or monetary donation.

THE 2006 GALA OF HOPE sponsored by the Archdiocese of Baltimore will be held at Marriott Hunt Valley on October 21, 2006 to feed and educate more children in our sister Diocese of Gonaives, Haiti. There will be silent auctions, basket raffles, dining and dancing. The Haitian crafts and hand embroidery will be part of the Haitian market. Cost is \$75 per person. For additional info and tickets call 410-547-5498.

A RACHEL'S VINEYARD WEEKEND RETREAT for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held in Baltimore on November 17-19, 2006. This confidential retreat is for anyone hurting inside after abortion. For more info call Denise or Deacon Frank at 1-800-286-4224. Email at projectrachel@archbalt.org;

BIRTHRIGHT OF FREDERICK is an organization composed of volunteers who believe strongly in helping women in a crisis pregnancy by listening, caring and following through with support. If you have the time and would like to volunteer at Birthright, please call 301-663-0111. New training sessions start in October.

FREDERICK RIGHT TO LIFE needs new Leadership involvement. If interested in helping to reorganize our chapter, please call Angie Martin at 301-845-0655.

"LIVE EACH DAY AS A SACRAMENT OF HOPE", presented by Diane Dixon, Ed.D.: A 'Day of Reflection' is designed to help participants engage in thoughtful reflection on how to live each day with hope and joy. Through a process of readings, journaling, and dialogue strategies will be explored for making the most of life as a hopeful experience. The intention is that at the end of the day each person will have identified the critical few actions that will instill more hope and joy into their lives. Come join us in a community of faith and hope that being single can be a meaningful experience. To be held at Mt. St. Mary's University on Sat., Oct. 21st, 10am-2pm. For more info call 301-662-6121. Sponsored by Single Again Ministry of St. Timothy's, Walkersville.

KNOTT SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS announce the availability of four-year, full-tuition scholarships. These scholarships are awarded on the basis of outstanding academic achievement. Catholic students now in Grade 4 or Grade 8 may apply. An information flyer/Application Request form may be obtained via the web @ www.knottsholar.org or by sending a stamped, self-addressed, business-sized (#10) envelope to address PO Box 9489, Silver Spring, MD. 20916 or call 877-603-9980.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS
OCTOBER 8, 2006

ADULT MINISTRY

- **BAPTISM PREP CLASSES** - For parents meets October 11 or November 8 from 7 – 9 PM in the Birch Library. You need only one godparent and this person must be Catholic; to have celebrated Confirmation; is at least 16 years of age, and is practicing the faith (attending mass each week and celebrating the sacraments).
- **THEOLOGY OF THE BODY SEMINAR** – **Saturday, October 14; 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.** The seminar begins with mass @ 8AM in the Parish Center. Five-week follow-up class will begin the week of October 23. Call Carolyn at 301-898-5111 x 14 to register for the seminar or the class.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**
Registration re-opened on Tuesday, September 26th. We have room in our 8:15 classes & Monday evening classes.
 - Sunday classes: 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29
 - Monday classes: 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30
- **PARISH CALENDAR CORRECTION:** *The All Saints procession is not on October 29th as stated in the Parish Calendar – it will be held on November 5th @ the 8:15 & 11AM masses. Details will be sent home in your child's folder in the upcoming weeks.*
- **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:**
Reminder – this is geared specifically for children ages 4 through 5th grade. As we would love to have the younger children for reasons of safety we ask that children under the age of 4 please remain with their parents or use the Sunday nursery. Thank You.
- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION MEETING DATES:**
 - **Sacramental Preparation (Parents only)** – For parents of children celebrating Reconciliation & Eucharist in 2007. Mandatory meeting – **must attend one of the following classes:**
 - * **Tuesday, October 10th @ 7PM in the Parish Center.**
 - * **Tuesday, October 17th @ 7PM in the Parish Center.**

STAND TRAINING

Is required for all adults having substantial contact with children. If you have any questions regarding STAND contact Anne Mason @ 301-898-5111 ext. 17.



YOUTH MINISTRY

- **ALL YOUTH MINISTRY MEET TONIGHT**
- **WORLD YOUTH DAY IS COMING!** Sunday, October 29th beginning with a Youth Mass @ 12:15. Then meet us @ Adventure Park – **we will not be carpooling this year!** A flyer will be handed out @ Youth Ministry this evening with more details.
- **XLT:** Meets Thursday, October 19th from 7:00 – 8:30PM @ St Katherine Drexel.
- **JR SPY RETREAT:** Money & permission slips are due tonight @ Youth Ministry. Cost of the retreat is \$45. We will meet Friday @ 5:30 – every teen will need to sign up in a car & hand in your snack to share at that time.
- **SUMMIT LAKE RETREAT DATES:**
 - † **JR SPY:** October 13th -15th - **Permission slips & \$45 due by October 8th.**
 - † **SPY:** November 3rd – 5th
 - † **Confirmation:** February 16th – 18th





**YOUR FAMILY'S DREAM DISNEYWORLD
VACATION COME TRUE**

VACATION AT MARRIOTT'S ROYAL PALMS IN ORLANDO

**ON THE SILENT AUCTION TABLE THIS YEAR AT ST PETERS
"CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY" HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

ONE WEEK, SUNDAY, JULY 1ST-SUNDAY, JULY 8TH 2007

**MARRIOTT'S ROYAL PALMS RESORT
8404 VACATION WAY
ORLANDO, FLORIDA**

**CONVENIENTLY LOCATED IN THE HEART OF CENTRAL FLORIDA
MINUTES AWAY FROM AREA THEME PARKS AND ATTRACTIONS
DISNEY WORLD, UNIVERSAL STUDIOS, SEA WORLD, DISCOVERY COVE**

**THESE 2 BEDROOM, 2 BATH VILLAS, HAVE JETTED TUBS, FULLY EQUIPPED KITCHENS WITH
MICROWAVES, AND A UTILITY ROOM
WITH WASHER AND DRYER, AND A SCREENED PATIO
THE BEDROOMS SLEEPS 6, WITH ONE KING SIZE BED, ONE DAY BED,
ONE FULL SIZE BED, AND ONE PULL OUT SOFA**

**THE RESORT HAS A POOL, SUNDECK, WHIRLPOOL SPAS, BARBEQUE
AND PICNIC AREA, SAUNA, A LIGHTED TENNIS AREA AND SPORT COURT, SHUFFLEBOARD, ON-
SITE GOLF COURSE AND CONVENIENCE STORE**

**PLAN AHEAD. BID ON YOUR NEXT SUMMER VACATION. CONVENIENT SUNDAY TO SUNDAY
TIMESLOT ALLOWS A SATURDAY DRIVES DEPARTURE FROM HOME TO ORLANDO. EXTRA
VACATION DAY WITH THE FOURTH OF JULY HOLIDAY**

**PLACE YOUR BID ON NOVEMBER 11TH AT "CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY" ANNUAL HOLIDAY
BAZAAR AND DINNER. SILENT CLOSED BIDS WILL ALSO BE ACCEPTED PRIOR TO BAZAAR DATE.
CALL LAURA FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AT 301-898-5111, EXT 13**

VACATION PACKAGE DONATED BY MIKE AND JEAN BIR

**IF YOU'D LIKE TO DONATE A WEEK SOMEWHERE USING YOUR TIMESHARE, WE CAN PLACE IT
ON THE AUCTION TABLE**

ALL PROFITS TO BENEFIT THE BUILDING OF THE NEW CHURCH



NEW HORIZONS



ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARTY & POTLUCK LUNCHEON

October 19, 2006

Attention all seniors and retirees!! You are invited to the annual Halloween Party and Potluck Luncheon to be held in the Sullivan Room at St. Peter's. The fun starts at 11:30 a.m.

Costumes are encouraged, but not required to attend. You will have fun just admiring all the interesting costumes that our seniors are wearing! We will have prizes for the best costumes, party games and great food.

In our brief meeting immediately following lunch, we will have election of officers for 2007. If you are interested in helping to plan activities for future group events, **WE NEED YOU!** We have fun planning these events and you will get to meet other wonderful seniors. We need **LOTS OF HELP** to make these events a success.

Please call Margaret at 410-635-8301 or Kathy at 301-898-9982 to RSVP for the party or to offer your services.

UPCOMING EVENT – Thanksgiving Luncheon, November 26, 2006 at the Carriage House Inn, Emmitsburg, MD

