## **Marist Spirituality**

"Speak to Me..."

One of the touching legends that sprang up around the memory of St. Francis of Assisi tells of how one day he walked up to an almond tree and said: "Speak to me of God!" The tree immediately blossomed. It was a beautiful sight. The same command is addressed to us by people throughout the world, bluntly or subtly, but always insistently they implore: "Speak to us about God!"

Just as Mary made the Word of God (Jesus), come to flesh by way of the Incarnation, our Marist family is called to make Christ come to life for the world today. We are called to speak clearly to the world about Christ and to speak in words that can be understood. More than that, we are called to demonstrate through what we do just what it means to be a true follower of Jesus. it's not enough to "talk the talk." We need to "Walk the walk."

If and when someone should say, "Speak to me about God!," let's not be hesitant. Let's speak of the wonder and beauty of God as mirrored by Jesus. Let's speak of the mercy and joy the Father and the Son so graciously bestow upon the world. In doing so, we make the Father and the Son real for others. As a Marist people and family, that is our calling.

Bro. Roy, S.M.

## Vacation Bible School SAVE THE DATE!

"It's a MYSTERY" Vacation Bible School is set for July 29-August 2 for the children of Holy Rosary Church. From 6-7:30pm, children will learn about the Joyous Mysteries of the Rosary with songs, crafts, games, a lesson, and snacks. ALL School of Religion students are welcome to attend!! Look for a registration form in next week's bulletin.

In the meantime, we ask your help: please pray for all the planners and volunteers. Please pray for the health and safety of the children and volunteers coming to the Vacation Bible School. Please pray for a successful, fun, and informative week during which the children will learn to love the Rosary!

Want to volunteer: Call Mary Hendricks at 304-669-8778 or Doris Sandreth at 304-472-9488. Thanks!

## 32 Franklin St.

We are moving ahead with our plans to demolish the building at 32 Franklin St. This should take place either Tuesday, July 16 or Wednesday, July 17. Because of city restrictions, we cannot pinpoint the exact time. Talk to Father Joe if you are interested in this project.

## Upcoming SoulCore classes:

Tuesday 7/16 at 6:00 p.m. Tuesday 7/23 at 6:00 p.m.

# "Turn to the Lord in your need and you will live."

## **Last Week's Collection**

Envelopes: \$2,272.00

Loose: \$50.00

Building Fund: \$450.00

## **Our Sympathies**

Our sympathies are extended to four parishioners who lost a loved one recently: Amelia Derico lost her brother, Dominic Riccottili, Joanne Huffman lost her brother in law, Bernard Huffman, John Walsh, lost his mother in law, Ruth Lohr, and Bill Hamilton lost his sister, Barbara Diehl. May these souls, and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

## **Summertime**

We pray that all of our parishioners have a happy and healthy summer. Parents, please continue to bring your children to mass during the summer. Oftentimes, we don't see

# VBS Registration July 29-August 2 6-7:30 p.m. Child's Name Birth Date Names of Siblings Attending VBS Parents Names Address City/Zip Home and Cell Numbers Allergy/Health Conditions Grade just completed

families at mass until School of Religion begins in the fall. Also, please remember to make your weekly contributions when you return from vacation. Our parish bills do not stop during the summer, so we need everyone's help with this.

## Prayers, Please!

Bertha Small, Steve Zellhofer, Kate Deasy, Rosemary Austin, Phil Halligan, Randy Trent, Macyah Riley, Karen Trent, Casandra Wagner, Jack Call, Jalen Welcome, Joe Morton, Matthew Linger, David Vincent, Joseph Queen, Seth Poling, Cathy Lipscomb, Hugh Hensil, Charity Manspeaker, John Mundy, Barbara Elmore, Nina Stump, Freddy Caimotto, James Barton, Mike Cerullo.

## Please pray for all men and women serving in the military.

Please pray for our homebound: Gene and Mary Stump, Jeanette Willett, Denna Bayless, Virginia Cerullo, Anna Stalnaker, Ron Frye, Gerald Hackney, Rocena Asbury, John Sneberger, Betty Ledford, Bob Jeran, Lorraine McLean, James McCartney. Nancy Beverlin, Shirley Linger, Rosie Ketterman, Shirley Helmick, William McLean, Lorene Hardman, Anna Powell, Barbara Elmore, Gerry Stankus.

**Our Sympathies** We have received word that 24 year old Owen Howes has died. Owen is the son of Chris Howes, our custodian. If you would like to give Chris a sympathy card, you may leave in on the island in the kitchen. Chris would be grateful. "Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light

shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen "

needs donations of backpacks and

The Parish House

school supplies for its annual distribution to Upshur County students. Backpacks for any age are needed (preschool, elementary, middle school and high school). Younger children particularly like backpacks with characters on them.

We also need the following items: pencils, pencil sharpeners, scissors, erasers, single subject notebooks, glue/glue sticks, rulers, pens, highlighters, crayons, 3-ring binders, loose leaf paper and individual folders.

Backpacks and School Supplies Distribution will be held July 29 -August 2 at The Parish House from 9 am to 1 pm.

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We Are Almost There! We have raised \$8551.00 and only 23 of our parishioners have made a gift to the Catholic Sharing Appeal. Won't you consider your gift today? At this time, all of the donations come directly back to our parish!

## **Eucharistic Liturgies**

Saturday, July 13

7 p.m – Kimberly Moore (Holy Rosary)

Sunday, July 14

9 a.m. – Our Parishioners (Holy Rosary)

Monday, July 15

7:30 a.m. – Frank Karp (Hospital)

Tuesday, July 16

7:30 a.m. - Charles J. Sandreth (Hospital)

Wednesday, July 17

7 p.m. – Elizabeth Lanham (Holy Rosary)

Thursday, July 18

7:30 a.m. – Judy Bennett (Hospital)

Friday, July 19

7:30 a.m. – Olive Karp (Hospital)

Saturday, July 20

7 p.m. – Andrew Zulian (Holy Rosary)

Sunday, July 21

9 a.m. – Parishioners (Holy Rosary)

### JULY Celebrations!

Do you have a birthday or special celebration in your family for July? Celebrate with your parish family! Just drop a note in the collection basket or give it to Fr. Joe.

Happy Birthday to the following people who celebrate their

birthdays in June:

Garrett Jeffrey Ball July 2
Jillie McCartney July 7
Bill Hamilton July 14
Sydney Willett July 15
Jesse Skiles July 18
Tyler Boyd July 18

## **Greeter's Schedule**

July 13 - Cheryl and Jerry Moore and Mary Blake

July 14 - Steve Jeran and Jake Anderegg

July 20 Bro. Roy and Linda Covner

July 21 Carroll Westfall and Frank Gerard

Hallie Williams July 25

July Server's Schedule

Saturday July 13: Vincent Sunday July 14: Addison Saturday July 20: Fryes Sunday July 21: Vincent Saturday July 27: McCartneys Sunday July 28: Vincent Bill Stalnaker July 28 Sandy Kraynok July 30

Happy Anniversary to Bill and Anna Stalnaker who celebrate their wedding anniversary this month!

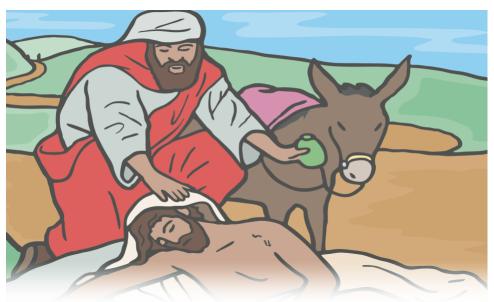
Next weekend, July 21 is the collection for the annual Communications Campaign Please be generous.

## Holy Rosary Catholic Church Sacred Heart Chapel

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Father Joseph McLaughlin, S.M., Pastor Brother Roy Madigan, S.M., Pastoral Associate Rev. Mr. Rue Thompson, Deacon

July 14, 2019



# 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"A man fell victim to robbers as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead. A priest happened to be going down that road, but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight."

Lk 10:30b-31, 33

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