

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

## MAY 10, 2009

### ***THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS***

**The weekday Masses will be said by the Jesuit Fathers at their chapel as scheduled. Saturday and Sunday intentions will be said by the Jesuits or Fr. Forbes at St. John Fisher unless otherwise specified.**

Monday	7:15 a.m.	Robert Beaumier +
Tuesday:	7:15 a.m.	William Tobin +
Wednesday:	7:15 a.m.	James Bochslar + (anniv. 5/14)
Thursday:	7:15 a.m.	Don Doran + (3rd anniv.)
Friday:	7:15 a.m.	Sick members of SJF Parish
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Jimmy Bagby + (anniv 5/19/03)
Sunday:	11:00 a.m.	Canonization of John XXIII

Please pray for our deceased priests:

Sunday	Fr. Daniel J. Kelly	1968
	Fr. Anthony Inzerma	1988
Tuesday	Fr. Kevin A. Murphy, OFM	1973
	Fr. Thomas Wiseman	1999
	Fr. William Leising, OMI	2007
Wednesday	Fr. John Powers	1940

### ***THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR***

TODAY:	Children's Lit/Word	9 & 11 a.m.
	Carnation Sale after Masses	
Tuesday:	Music Rehearsal	7 p.m.
Thursday:	PTC Meeting	6 p.m.
	SJF Choir Rehearsal	7 p.m.

### ***SERVER & GREETER SCHEDULE***

Saturday, May 16th:	
4:30 PM	Alexandra Lewis Sidney Stefani

GREETERS:	The Douville Family
Sunday, May 17th:	
9:00 AM	Paul Wyatt Griffin Fogarty
GREETERS:	Carol Gilchrist & Marge Beaudoin
11:00 AM	Carmen Alzaga Elliot Rask
GREETERS:	The Caprice Lee Family

### ***GOODBYE TO DEACON KEVIN***

This weekend is Deacon Kevin's last weekend with us. He will be graduating from Mt. Angel Seminary next weekend. He will be ordained a priest on June 26th in Spokane. He will return for First Masses here on July 11th and 12th.

Thank you, Deacon Kevin, for your service here at St. John Fisher. We will miss you and we will pray for you as you are ordained and begin your priestly ministry.

Next year, Fr. Kevin will be working at a high school in Walla Walla, Washington.

### ***HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION***

If you missed the meeting last week for the High School Confirmation program, please contact Scott Kolbet in the parish office for information. Our first class is on May 17th (Sunday) at 6 pm in the parish hall.

### ***VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL***

Mark your calendar! Vacation Bible School is July 6th thru July 16th for children 3 years old thru 6th grade. Middle school and High school children are needed for assistants in the classroom. VBS meets 9 am to 1 pm. The cost is \$60 per child. Call Jeanne at 244-4945 x4 for a registration form.

### ***RENEWAL***

Next Sunday is the 3rd Sunday of the month and we will have our renewal collection. Please remember your green envelopes.

## **Family Faith Sharing Questions:**

We encourage parents to reflect on these questions at home each week with their children. Start talking, share the Faith!

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**John 15:1-8**

Talking to his disciples Jesus said, "I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower." (A grower is another name for a farmer. A farmer removes branches that do not produce good fruit.) Jesus said, "Remain in me, as I remain in you." (Stay connected to me and I will be connected to you.) "Jesus goes on to say that with him we will bear much fruit. Without him we will bear nothing." "Stay connected to me and let my teachings become part of you. Then pray for what you want and God will answer. When you bear good fruit my Father will be honored."

*If we keep Jesus close to us what will happen? Why does Jesus tell us to stay connected to Him?*

## **SVDP FOOD NEEDS**

The SVDP food room needs the following items: **Spaghetti Sauce, Noodles, Canned Fruit, & Cereal.**

Thanks for your help in feeding the hungry.

## **SVDP MIGRANT MINISTRY**

Members of St. Vincent de Paul will visit Campo Vasquez on **Tuesdays, May 12th, May 26th, June 9th and June 23rd.** We will meet at the parish garage at 6 pm and car pool to the camp, bringing boxes of food and friendship. Currently there are 52 women, men and children and we expect more during the spring and summer. All parishioners are invited to join us.

Bilingual? If you speak some Spanish, you are urged to help us as interpreters as we assess the needs of the migrants. For more information, email [p.tucklee@gte.net](mailto:p.tucklee@gte.net) or call 503 524-5662.

## **ALTAR GUILD MEETING**

All women of the parish are invited to the Altar Guild's Annual Meeting. It will be May 20th at noon at Otto & Anita's Restaurant in Multnomah Village. Please call Barbara Trinchero at 245-0800 to reserve a spot.

## **FAITH CAFE**

We will be serving at the Faith Cafe on June 7th. If you are interested in helping, please contact Scott in the parish office. We need cooks, servers, dishwashers and greeters.

Future Faith Cafe dates - July 26, September 13, November 1 and December 20.

## **LA SALLE SUMMER SESSION**

La Salle Prep is offering credit and enrichment classes, and athletic camps for 3rd-12th grade students beginning June 22nd. Call 503-353-1413 or visit [www.lshigh.org](http://www.lshigh.org) for details.

## **SW HOPE: FEED THE HUNGRY 2009**

A big thanks to everyone who donated during the annual drive for Neighborhood House. We donated 411 pounds of food, only five pounds less than last year! The drive reached it's goal of 150,000 pounds of food or the cash equivalent. At least 135,000 pounds of this was as food donated by local churches and community groups. The remaining was cash donations or money received through the "Dine out to Donate" promotion. Together we are helping the needy in SW Portland. Thank you!

## **SUMMER CONFERENCE AT UP**

Are you looking for time to refresh, renew, and refocus your life? Join us for Summer Conference 2009- a retreat set on the University of Portland campus that welcomes families, singles, clergy and lay people of all ages for five days of study, prayer, and play. This year's theme, The Prophetic Call of Modern Christians, is presented by Paulist priest and Old Testament scholar, Fr. Larry Boadt, CSP. Complete details are available in the brochure available online at [www.summerconf.org](http://www.summerconf.org).

***The proclamation of the Lord's Resurrection lightens up the dark regions of the world in which we live.***

***-Pope Benedict, Easter 2009***