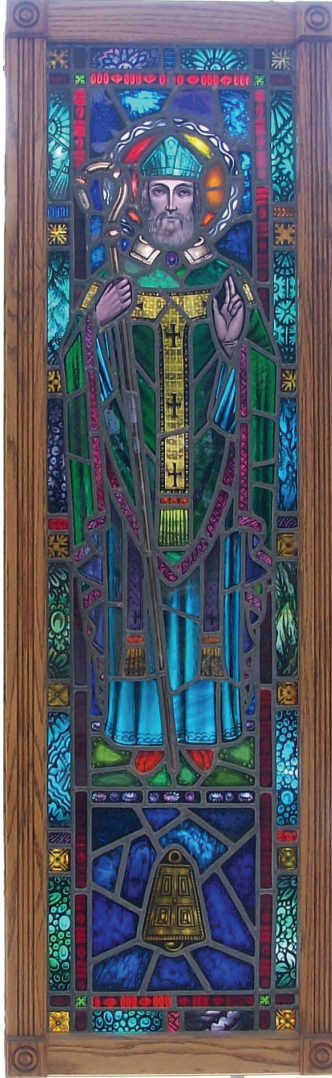


ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH



Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary
Time

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Sr. Laura Jean Spaeth, SSND

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St. Patrick Parish Information

Registering in the Parish

Registration packets are available outside the main sanctuary, or they may be picked up at the parish office between the hours of 9 AM and 5 PM, Monday through Friday.

Registering in St. Patrick School

Parents wishing to know more about our grade school are encouraged to contact the school principal, Deacon Michael Brooks at 364-1162.

Parish School of Religion

For children in grades K-8 who do not attend St. Patrick School, contact Rosanne Emmett at 364-4715.

Youth Ministry

For students in grades 6-12, contact Paul Wood at 364-1435.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Persons interested in becoming Roman Catholic should contact the parish office at 364-1435.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 3:30 to 4:45 PM

Sunday, 7:30 to 7:45 AM and 9:30 to 9:45 AM

Sacrament of Baptism

Parental instructions are held quarterly on the third Sunday of February, May, August and November. Baptism class is **required** before date of baptism. Please call the parish office to request a baptism date once the class has been completed.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please contact the parish office as soon as possible to schedule marriage preparation classes. The Diocese requires six months previous notice.

Healing Mass and Opportunities for Anointing of the Sick

Held the First Friday of each month at 1:30 PM. At other times, parishioners facing surgery or serious illness may request the Sacrament of the Sick by calling the parish office.

Eucharistic Adoration and Vespers

Adoration - Each Wednesday from 9 AM to 6 PM

First Friday from 7 AM to 6 PM

Vespers - Each Friday at 6 PM - Solemn Vespers 1st. Friday

Deadline for bulletin submissions is **Noon on Tuesday**. Contact parish office or email csamson@stpatsrolla.org

Organizations and Ministries

| | | |
|--|---------------------|--------------|
| St. Patrick Parish Office | | 364-1435 |
| St. Patrick School Office | | 364-1162 |
| Campus Ministry Office | | 364-2133 |
| Adult Choir | Liz Glissman | 578-8918 |
| Altar Linens | Tippy Duncan | 368-5580 |
| Altar Servers | Parish Office | 364-1435 |
| Art & Environment | Linda Mertens | 364-6592 |
| Associates to Trappists | Gary Micka | 337-0131 |
| Baptism Preparation | Parish Office | 364-1435 |
| Beauty Boys Grounds Committee | | |
| | Bob Cruse | 364-5031 |
| Candle Keepers | Mary Gibbens | 426-3385 |
| Catechumenate (RCIA) | Chad Lewis | 465-3654 |
| Cursillo | Bob & Carolyn Cruse | 364-5031 |
| Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | | |
| | Tom Manion | 364-2083 |
| Food Pantry | Patricia Sauer | 364-1272 |
| Funeral Luncheons | Fran Mazanec | 364-0410 |
| | Bonnie Colench | 364-3231 |
| Greeters | Scott Smith | 308-1387 |
| Helping Hands | Liz Call | 201-5555 |
| Home & School Association | | |
| | Jennifer O'Day | 458-2199 |
| Knights of Columbus | Bob Cruse | 364-5031 |
| K of C Auxiliary | Marie Sulze | 364-8951 |
| Lay Carmelites | Ed Thomas | 364-3870 |
| Lectors | Ted Roth | 426-4919 |
| Liturgy Commission | Linda Roth | 426-4919 |
| Marriage Prep | Parish Office | 364-1435 |
| Mothers' Faith Group | Anna Starns | 364-0934 |
| Oktoberfest | Parish Office | 364-1435 |
| Prayer Chain | Helen Parker | 364-1190 |
| Parish Council | Louis McCarthy | 368-2713 |
| Parish School of Religion (PSR) Grades K-8 | | |
| | Rosanne Emmett | 364-4715 |
| Pro-Life Committee | Matt McLaughlin | 368-3908 |
| Rosary Group | Louise Leonard | 364-3784 |
| Sacristans | Sheryl Parker | 465-7086 |
| School Board | Richard Brow | 368-3235 |
| School Volunteers | Joannie McEnaney | 368-7013 |
| Scouting | | |
| Boy Scouts | Kate Sullivan | 573-265-7902 |
| Cub Scouts | Paul Hirtz | 364-0760 |
| Secular Franciscans | Louise Flanigan | 364-3473 |
| Stewardship Committee | Ted Roth | 426-4919 |
| St. Pat's Social Servers | Terry Cremer | 364-7405 |
| Ushers | Karen Mobley | 364-0714 |
| Vocations Committee | Paul Hamacher | 364-1588 |
| Women's Study Group | Linda Mertens | 364-6592 |
| Youth Ministry -Jr. High - Grades 6-8 | | |
| High School Grades 9-12 | | |
| Youth Group Music | | |
| | Paul Wood | 364-1435 |

Mass Schedule for the Week

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| Mon., Sept. 13 | <i>John Chrysostom</i> |
| 7:00 AM | †Glenn Roberts |
| Tues., Sept. 14 | <i>The Exaltation of the Holy Cross</i> |
| 7:00 AM | Communion Service |
| Wed., Sept. 15 | <i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i> |
| 8:15 AM | †Rose Talley |
| 9:00 PM | †Leonard Bade |
| Thurs., Sept. 16 | <i>Cornelius and Cyprian</i> |
| 8:15 AM | †Delra Anderson |
| 10:00 AM | Mass at Helia Healthcare |
| Fri., Sept. 17 | <i>Weekday; Robert Bellarmine</i> |
| 8:15 AM | †J. C. Thessing |
| Sat., Sept. 18 | <i>Weekday</i> |
| 8:15 AM | †Tish daSilva |
| <i>Anticipation of the 25th. Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> | |
| 5:00 PM | Pat Smith |
| Sun., Sept. 19 | <i>The 25th. Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> |
| 8:00 AM | The People of St. Patrick Parish |
| 10:00 AM | †Ryan Malone |
| 7:00 PM | †Roger Nellesen |

This Week's Readings and Family Reflection

The 24th. Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 12, 2010
(Lost and Found)

Reading I: Exodus 32:7-11,13-14
(Moses Implores the Lord)

Reading II: 1 Timothy 1:12-17
(Christ Came to Save Sinners)

Gospel: Luke 15:1-32
(The Prodigal Son)

Adults: In what way might it be difficult for me to accept that God is good even with sinners? Explain.

Children: How did I feel when I lost something for a time and then found it later?

Next Week's Readings

Reading I: Amos 8:4-7

Reading II: 1 Timothy 2:1-8

Gospel: Luke 16:1-13

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, September 13

- K of C Meeting - 6 PM - KC Hall

Tuesday, September 14

- Rosary - 4:30 PM - Chapel
- Volleyball Parent Meeting - 5:45 PM - Parish Hall
- Youth Group Music - 6 PM - Church
- Home & School Exec. Meeting - 6:30 PM - Teacher's Lounge
- Heart's Cry practice - 7 PM - Church

Wednesday, September 15

- Eucharistic Adoration - after 8:15 AM Mass - Chapel
- PSR - 6:30 to 7:45 PM - School
- School Board Meeting - 6:00 PM - Social Studies Classroom
- Youth Group (grades 9-12) - 6:30 PM - Parish Hall
- Benediction - 8 PM - Chapel

Thursday, September 16

- Rummage Sale drop-off - after 8 AM - Parish Hall
- Parish Council Meeting - 6 PM - Bridget Room
- Adult Choir - 6:30 PM - Church

Friday, September 17

- Vespers - 6 PM - Chapel
- Rummage Sale - 6 to 8 PM - Parish Hall

Saturday, September 18

- Rummage Sale - 8 AM to 1 PM - Parish Hall
- PRC Walk for Life - 9 AM - Lion's Club Park

Sunday, September 19


- Youth Ministry - Matt Maher Concert - Jefferson City
- RCIA Inquiry session - 10 AM - Bridget Room
- Cub Scout Pack Meeting - 2 PM - Parish Hall
- Conf. Year 2 - 4:30 PM - Chapel
- Boy Scouts - 6:30 PM - Parish Hall

Rest in Peace

Please remember in your prayers the soul of *Tom Herrick*, who passed away recently. Tom was a long-time member of St. Patrick Parish. May God grant him eternal rest.

Calling All Parishioners!

Come support the RCIA Program! In an effort to better connect the RCIA candidates and catechumens to the parish, we are asking parishioners to please consider sponsoring a Sunday Class. Parishioners would bring breakfast and snack foods, introduce yourself to the class and give your faith journey story to us and then join us for the class to help us prepare the students to receive the sacraments of initiation on Holy Saturday. To sponsor a Sunday Class or to ask questions about sponsoring, please call Chad at 573-465-3654.




Pastor's Pen

I would like to extend a very warm welcome to Sister Mary Fran Flynn, SSND. She is joining our parish family by specifically working in our Newman ministry. Sister comes to us with a very rich background in ministry. She is following Yuli after her many years of dedicated service to our Newman ministry. Sister Mary Fran will have numerous responsibilities at Newman, including focusing on development work with parents of students and alumni. Sister will be working very closely with Sister Laura Jean Spaeth to assist her in continuing to promote the good work at Newman.

I look forward to this wonderful addition so that we can continue to promote this ministry.

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Mike





Our Lady of Sorrows

On September 15 we commemorate Our Lady of Sorrows. The title refers to Simeon's prediction that Mary would experience sorrows as if *...you yourself a sword will pierce*" (Luke 2:35). Her greatest sorrow may have been watching her son die on the Cross. If we ever want someone who understands our difficulties, we have only to pray to Mary.



Calling all adults - *Why Catholic* wants you!

Come, explore the truths of our faith and share the Good News that God has revealed to you!

Whether you participated last year or not, all are welcome to join one of the faith sharing groups within our parish as we continue on our journey through the Catechism.

Signups will begin next weekend.

Please contact Deacon Matt McLaughlin at 202-0233, Gary Micka at 337-0131, or Chad Lewis at 465-3654 with any questions, or e-mail whycatholic@stpatsrolla.org.

All groups will meet once per week to explore these topics.

Week 1: Oct.10-16
God Acts through the Liturgy

Week 2: Oct. 17-23
The Liturgy, the Work of God

Week 3: Oct. 24-30
Celebrating the Liturgy

Week 4: Oct. 31-Nov.6
God Acts through the Sacraments

Week 5: Nov. 7-13
Baptism, a Sacrament of Initiation

Week 6: Nov. 14-20
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

RCIA Classes Starting Soon!

An invitation is extended to any adult who would like to become a member of the Catholic Church. Please join us for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). RCIA is the process by which adults enter the Catholic Church, or re-enter to the Catholic Church if they have been away for awhile or for those baptized Catholic but have not received the sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist, and/or Confirmation. For more information about joining the Catholic Church or returning home to the Faith after being apart for awhile, please join us! Call Chad at 573-465-3654 for questions.

MISSOURI CATHOLIC CONFERENCE CITIZENS' NETWORK

Join the Missouri Catholic Conference Citizens' Network. At all Masses next weekend, our parish will conduct a registration drive for the Missouri Catholic Conference (MCC) Citizens' Network. Through the involvement of Catholics, the MCC has had many successes, such as enacting a ban on partial birth abortions, expanding health care to the poor and passing a tough new law to regulate triple-X pornography stores. But much more good can be done. Those who sign up are kept informed through regular MCC e-mails and are put in contact with their legislators when votes are pending. The MCC is the official public policy agency for the Catholic Church in Missouri.

ATTENTION WW II VETS



If you are a veteran who served our country in any branch of the military during World War II, please contact the parish office

Pregnancy Resource Center News

The 4th Annual Walk for Life is just around the corner! It will be at Lions Club Park on Saturday, September 18th beginning at 10AM (registration begins at 9 AM). PRC is expecting as many as 500 people to attend this year! Face painting, balloons and a bounce house for the kids. Free coffee and doughnuts before the walk and free hot dogs after the walk. Please join the fun and help save babies at the same time! Walk forms are available in the gathering area.

THE BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER WILL BE HELD IN OCTOBER. WATCH THE BULELIN FOR MORE DETAILS!



LITURGICAL MINISTERS Sept. 18/19

OFFERTORY - Week of September 5

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| Envelopes | \$ 14,520.84 |
| Loose Collection | 522.78 |
| Electronic Contributions | 5,730.00 |
| Building Fund | 2,150.00 |
| Food Pantry Collection | 1,323.58 |

STEWARDSHIP QUOTE OF THE WEEK

The 24th. Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I shall get up and go to my father and I shall say to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you'" (Luke 15:1-32). It is important for parents to tell their children "I love you!" Parents nurture, protect and provide for their children during their early life, then become role models, teachers, and disciplinarians. That last role may cause a child to doubt the love of a parent. A young couple learned early in their marriage to tell their children "I love you" and to hug and kiss their children every day. Their children learned to respond. Later, when their sons were covered with dirt and sweat after a tough football game or soccer match or track meet, they searched out their parents to hug and kiss them and say, "I love you!" They were overwhelmed with love regardless of how they played or the outcome of the game. The parents, children, and now grandchildren, all hug and kiss and tell each other, "I love you!" They all know that they can go to each other and say, "I have sinned against heaven and against you, and I am sorry." They know they will be hugged and kissed and told "I love you" no matter what they have done. That is true stewardship of Christ-like love.

Parish School of Religion (PSR)

PSR is in great need of teachers... If you can give any time to our program, it will be greatly appreciated. Our PSR program can only work if we have volunteers, so please prayerfully consider helping with this ministry. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Rosanne Emmett at emmett88@embarqmail.com or call 364-4715. Training is available for all ages. (All parishioners including Confirmation candidates and college students welcome)

BEAUTY BOYS WORK SCHEDULE

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| Sept. 13 | B Cruse, L. Walker |
| Sept. 20-27 | T. Nadolski, C. Vierrether, H. Eckman |

5:00 PM

Extra-Ordinary Ministers: L. & M. Woessner, C. Bain, T. Roth, D. Curtis, L. Meyer, Perm. Deacon
Greeters: L. & A. Hobbs, A. & E. Hobbs
Lectors: C. Walker, K. Curtis
Petitions: Choir Cantor
Sacristan: D. Willy
Servers: L. Boyd, B. Meyer, M. Drallmeier
Ushers: C. Meyer, M. Keener
Music Ministry: L. Glissman & Adult Choir

8:00 AM

Extra-Ordinary Ministers: S. Jackson, L. & P. Mertens, L. Leach, Perm. Deacon
Greeters: J. & C. McEnaney
Lectors: G. Weidemann, L. Harwin
Petitions: J. Weaver (sub)
Sacristan: M. Carey
Servers: J. Harwin, B. & T. Leach
Ushers: J. Murphy, P. Lewis
Music Ministry: M. Elsensohn, S. Kaelin, L. Giger, R. Bourne

10:00 AM

Extra-Ordinary Ministers: J. Schmidt, K. Manion, L. Lutzen, I. Martin, Sc. & Sa. Smith, A. Lenox, F. Mazanec, Perm. Deacon
Greeters: F. Mazanec, Se. Smith
Lectors: P. Rechten, C. Schmdigall
Petitions: D. Rechten
Sacristan: Sa. Smith
Servers: N. & S. Wilsdorf, J. Baldwin
Ushers: K. Mobley, D. Arthur
Music Ministry: D. McGrath, N. Thessing, J. Butz, R. Woodley

MINISTRY SCHEDULES ONLINE

If you are unable to open your ministry schedule email attachment, the schedule is also posted on the parish website: <http://church.stpatsrolla.org>



FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR

If you would like to donate altar flowers, please see the sign-up sheet on the table in the gathering area. Fill in the name of the person you would like to remember on any blank weekend. Any florist may be used. Please make sure the flowers are delivered after Noon on Saturday, so they will be here in time for 5 PM Mass.



ATTENTION PARISH MEMBERS!

Hot Lunch Server needed on Tuesdays - October 19 to May 10 - 10:45 AM to 1 PM

This is a great way to help our school, meet new people, and greet many young, smiling faces. Please contact Joanie McEnaney at 573-368-9870 if you are able to join our wonderful team of hot lunch volunteers.

Virtus Training

Virtus - Protecting God's Children training is mandatory for everyone who volunteers in any way within the parish. The next session in Rolla will be held on **Thursday, September 23rd at 6:00 PM** in the Bridget Room.

You can also check on the diocesan website for other dates in the diocese. To register, go to the www.diojeffcity.org/ & click on "Safe Environment".... then on "Virtus Training Registration"... select "Jefferson City, MO (Diocese).... then follow registration directions...

If you have any questions, contact Rosanne Emmett at [<emmett88@embarqmail.com>](mailto:emmett88@embarqmail.com)

RUMMAGE SALE

It is time again for our Fall Parish Rummage Sale to benefit our St. Patrick Home & School Association! The dates of the sale are Sept. 17 (6 to 8 PM) and 18 (8 AM to 1 PM). We will gladly (enthusiastically!!) accept your gently used donations beginning Thurs. Sept. 16 at 8 AM. As in the past, we will not be able to accept refrigerators, computer monitors and older styles/console types of TV's. We will gladly accept (oh please, oh please!) volunteers to help with the set-up or clean-up effort. If you would like to help (did we say **PLEASE!!!??**) or if you have questions, please call Liz Call (201-5555) or Jane Victor (426-2883)

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS AND EVENTS
StPatsYouth@ymail.com

Confirmation Year 1 begins this Sunday, September 12. Meet in the chapel at 4:30 PM.

Confirmation Registration and Info--

High School Youth Ministry and Jr High YM registration packets are on the bulletin board in the gathering area. All students participating in Youth Ministry events during the year need to register. Thank you.

Registration packets are in the gathering area on the bulletin board. Registration packets are for **new** Confirmation students only. If you are a returning student beginning Year 2, then your registration information has been mailed to you.

Youth Ministry

Jr High Youth Nites (6th, 7th and 8th Grade) will begin Tuesday, Sept. 21st. Meet in the gym @ 6:30!

Free Matt Maher and Tenth Avenue North concert on Sunday, Sept. 19th in Jefferson City! Matt is a popular Catholic musician with songs such as *Alive Again*, *Your Grace is Enough*, and *You Were on the Cross*. The show is at Cole County Fairgrounds and begins at 7pm.

SCRIP is on sale each weekend in the gathering area, and is also available in the parish office during the week. Special orders of SCRIP cards can be made - see the flyer in the gathering area or the parish office for other participating merchants.

Please keep bringing in your old printer cartridges and cell phones. There is a new collection box in the gathering area. We have raised over \$500 so far this year! Thank you for your help and support!

COME, LET US SING TO THE LORD!

St. Patrick Adult Choir is looking for new members as we get ready to celebrate the Advent and Christmas seasons. Sopranos and basses are especially in high demand. Ability to read music is not a requirement, but your willingness to make a commitment to attend rehearsals is. Please give prayerful consideration to sharing your God-given talent as a choir member. The adult choir meets every Thursday at 6:30 PM in the church. For more information, contact Liz Glissman at 578-8918.

BIRTHRIGHT HAS MOVED!

Birthright of Rolla invites you to tour our new centrally located offices at 620 Pine Street during regular office hours or by appointment. The new location has more than tripled our office space while maintaining a warm, welcoming atmosphere. Our new home increases our opportunities to care for the needs of women in crisis pregnancies.

Office hours are:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday - Noon to 6 PM
Wednesday - Noon to 3 PM
Additional hours by appointment.

The phone number is 573-364-0066, the 24-hour hotline is 800-550-4900. For more information on Birthright, their email address is <info@rollabirthright.org>. Birthright is a 501c (3) nonprofit, tax-exempt organization.

YOUTH GROUP SOFT DRINK SALES

The youth group still has the following cases of soda in stock. They are available for \$17 per case.

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| Coke - 8 | Dr. Pepper - 4 |
| Powerade Red - 1 | Powerade Blue - 4 |
| Sprite - 5 | Barq's Root Beer - 4 |
| Virginia Sweet Tea - 1 | Diet Coke - 3 |
| Minute Maid Lemonade - 5 | |

If you are interested in purchasing any of these items, please contact the parish office.

Family Day - September 27, 2010

Family Day - A Day to Eat Dinner with your Children is a national movement that encourages parents to frequently eat dinner with their kids. The National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse at Columbia University has found that the more often kids eat dinner with their families, the less likely they are to smoke, drink or use drugs. **Family Day** will be celebrated nationwide on Monday, September 27, 2010. To learn how you can celebrate **Family Day** and take the Family Day Star Pledge, log onto:

<www.CASAFamilyDay.org>

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY Engaging Life - Proclaiming Faith

All activities take place at the Newman Center unless otherwise specified.

Wednesday, September 15

- Reconciliation opportunity- 8:15 PM
- Mass - 9 PM followed by social with homemade cookies and lemonade

Friday, September 17

- Fall Retreat - beginning at 7 PM until 3 AM - *Aircraft to Heaven: Lifting Our Lives to God*

Sunday, Sept. 19 -

- Beatification of Blessed John Henry Newman
- 7 PM - Special Mass to celebrate the Beatification of John Newman - patron of Newman Centers - St. Patrick Church - Social in gathering area of church

To learn more about Newman activities, contact the Campus Ministry Center at 364-2133 or e-mail <newman@mst.edu>

BEATIFICATION OF CARDINAL JOHN HENRY NEWMAN - SPECIAL MASS

Sunday, September 19 - 7:00 PM

Pope Benedict XVI will beatify John Henry Newman on September 19th in Birmingham, England. As a life-long searcher for truth, Newman Centers are named after and inspired by his faith-filled academic life. The 7:00 PM liturgy will celebrate this special occasion. Please join us!

FALL RETREAT AT NEWMAN

Aircraft to Heaven
Lifting Our Lives to God

Who - University Students

When - Friday, September 27

Time - 7:00 PM to 3:00 AM (Saturday)

Location - Newman Center

Cost - FREE

Bring a bible if you have one. Register at Newman or contact: Tim Collard at <tacyb5@mst.edu>

OKTOBERFEST 2010

Sign up sheets for the various work areas are in the gathering area in the church. Please sign up for at least one shift if you are at all able to do so. We need a lot of help from everyone in the parish to help make this year's Oktoberfest one of our best ever.

KITCHEN AND DINING ROOM WORKERS

- We need steam table workers, bus persons, drink refillers, silverware wrappers and table setters. There is something for everyone to do!

OKTOBERFEST BAKED GOODS - If you have agreed to donate baked goods for the Oktoberfest, please remember to bring your item in a **disposable** container. When the dishes are cleaned, any identifying marks may be washed off, and we are left with the annual "Guess where I belong" game. Help us avoid this problem and keep you from losing one of your good baking pans by using a disposable container. Thank you.

SILENT AUCTION - Please contact Mary Bahr at 364-4243 if you have an item to donate to the Silent Auction. To help ensure the success of the Silent Auction, please notify us of any possible contributions early so they may be displayed as advantageously as possible. **Please** don't wait until the day before the Oktoberfest to donate your item. We have limited table and floor space to showcase our auction items. If your item is brought in at the last minute, the committee isn't able to show it to its' best advantage. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

GRAB BAG - We are looking for small items (fast food giveaway items, small toys, etc.) that can fit inside a paper lunch bag.

WANTED: gently used religious items The Secular Franciscans of St. Patrick Parish are collecting old and used religious items. At the Oktoberfest, these items will be available to a new owner for a donation. Please contact Linda Mertens at 364-6592. We thank you for your help and your donations and for supporting our on-going work in the parish.

OKTOBERFEST 2010

Sunday, October 3, 2010

COUNTRY STORE: We are in need of various items to stock our "country store" at the Oktoberfest. Items needed are: pumpkins, gourds, plants, new or gently used holiday decorations, gift items, toys, crafts, homemade jellies, jams, baked goods, etc. If you have questions, please call Marie Sulze at 364-8951. Thank you for your generosity!

HIGH CHAIRS - If you have an unused high chair or booster seat, the dinner committee is asking you to consider letting us borrow it for the Oktoberfest. Please put your name on the chair and be sure to pick it up after the Oktoberfest is over.

GAME BOOTH WORKERS - Please see the sign-up sheets on the table in the gathering area if you are able to work at one of the game booths. This year there are several games to choose from, so pick the booth you would like to work at, the shift you would like to work and be a part of the Oktoberfest fun!

RAFFLE TICKETS - Watch your mail for the opportunity to purchase (and sell) quilt and money raffle tickets. Each parish family will receive 5 books of tickets - 2 quilt raffle books and 3 money raffle books. The grand prize in the money raffle is \$1,000 and the parish quilting group is raffling off a beautiful queen-size hand-quilted quilt. If you need additional tickets, more will be available in the parish office.

TOY WALK - This is a new game this year. We are looking for gently used or new small toys (no stuffed animals, please) for this game.

We will not be giving away stuffed animals at any Oktoberfest booth this year.

Check the gathering area for drop-off boxes for all the game booth items. **Items need to be brought to the church before October 1.**

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