THE CALENDAR:

Monday, June 26: Twelfth Week 2 Kings 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Matthew 7:1-5 Mass (D): Genevie Smith 8:00 a.m. Tuesday, June 27: Weekday 2 Kings 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Matthew 7:6, 12-14 Mass (D): Dan Kissinger 8:00 a.m. Pastoral Council Meeting (D) 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 28: St. Irenaeus 2 Kings 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Matthew 7:15-20 Mass (D): Jim Rinderle 8:00 a.m. Thursday, June 29: Sts. Peter and Paul Acts 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19 Mass (D): Paul Goubeaux 8:00 a.m. Exposition after Mass until Benediction (8:30 p.m.) 3:00-4:00; 7:00-8:00 Sacrament of Penance Friday, June 30: Weekday 2 Kings 25:1-12: Matthew 8:1-4 8:00 a.m. Mass (D): D of I Anniversary (breakfast afterwards) Saturday, July 1: BI Junipero Serra Lamentations 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Matthew 8:5-17 1:30 p.m. Mass (D): Baker/Ahrens Wedding 5:00 p.m. Mass (D): Donald Rismiller Sunday, July 2: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Paris hioners 9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): Parishioners 11:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday: God made things to exist, not for destruction (Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24). We praise God for rescuing us (Psalm 30). Paul takes up a collection for the poor. He bases his appeal on the generosity of Jesus (2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15). Jesus heals a woman and a girl (Mark 5:21-43).

BAPTISM

Next pre-baptismal program: July 9 from 1:00 to 3:00 for new or expectant parents. We baptize at Sunday Mass.

WEDDINGS AND MARRIAGES

Marriage Encounter, the weekend of June 23-25, can enhance your marriage. Please call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00.

Retrouvaille (French for Rediscovery) can help you save your marriage. Please call 1-800-470-2230 for more information.

WEDDINGS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to Christina Smith and Brad Fullenkamp who were married here yesterday. Hollie Baker and Jason Ahrens plan to marry here on July 1. Stephanie Loy and Ryan Beisner will marry at St. Denis on Saturday, July 8. Kelly Crist and Charles Smith plan to marry here on July 15.

PROJECT RACHEL, AFTER ABORTION

The Archdiocese sponsors Project Rachel for healing after abortion. Call 937-492-4449 for more information.

ST. DENIS COLLECTION ENVELOPES

The 2006-2007 collection envelopes are in alphabetical order in the back of church. Please pick them up and save the parish postage.

RIGHT TO LIFE GARAGE SALE

Thanks for your help in making the garage sale a huge success again this year.

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS July 1 & 2, 2006

5:00 p.m. Mass (D):

Ushers: Group 2; Lector: Don Brocious

Eucharist: Danielle Condon, Diane Elsas, Jerry Elsas (P) John Davis, Brittany Drees, Ben Dapore, Phyllis Guillozet, John Harman, Nicholas Harman, Meghann Heft, Melissa Heft (C); Servers: Michael Heft, Joanna Cruz, Marisa Coons

Gifts: Joe and Lynn Schlater Family

8:00 a.m. (D):

Ushers: Group 8; Lector: Kim Borchers

Eucharist: Brian Schwieterman, Lil Borchers, Ann Borchers (P) Rich Schwieterman, Aaron Condon, Mary Ann Gump, Brittany Reed, Betty Jutte, Cheryl Huelskamp, David Huelskamp, Michael Liette (C): Servers: Eric Huelskamp, Rvan Borchers, Tom Borchers

Gifts: Gerald and Rose Mary Paulus

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF):

Ushers: James and Mark Stucke

Lector: Jeff Wuebker Eucharist: Bill Schuette (P) Alan Stammen and Connie Schuette (C); Servers: Elizabeth and Jay Heitkamp and Alex Dirksen:

Gifts: Alan Wuebker Family

11:00 a.m. Mass (D):

Ushers: Group 12 & 16; *Lector:* Brittany Drees

Eucharist: Peg Bernholt, Nicholas Eilerman, Jennifer Francis (P) Amanda Borchers, Andrew Borchers, Joe Gigandet, Bob Goubeaux, Russ Beisner, Renee Eilerman, Curt Goubeaux, Lori Griesdorn (C); Servers: Jason Marchal, Michael Heaton, Margaret Prakel

Gifts: Rick and Jackie Voisard Family

VOCATION VEIWS

"Why are you terrified?" If God is calling you, don't let fear stop you.

WELLNESS TIPS

Body: Wear sunblock when in the sun to protect your skin from the sun's rays. Mind: Use your brain to do calculations. Spirit: Take time for personal growth.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

Please use the envelope in your box to support the works of the Holy Father. The entire collection goes for this purpose except for what you specifically designate as for the parish. This collection provides the Pope with funds to help emergency relief efforts throughout the world. We appreciate your generosity.

D OF I ANNIVERSARY

The D of I Anniversary Mass will be on Friday, June 30 at 8:00 a.m. Everyone is invited to coffee and light refreshments in the church basement following Mass.

FREE COLON CANCER SCREENING KITS

Attention all Men and Women 50 years of age or older. The Cancer Prevention Institute is conducting a screening for colon cancer from those free of any symptoms. Please see the flyer at the entrances to the church for further information. We have the kits here and can order more if needed. We will have an information night on colon cancer with instructions on how to use colorectal kits and fill out forms. This is an opportunity to detect any abnormal bleeding and get immediate attention. The screening kits are free. If you have any questions, please call Jean at the Rectory at 526-4945.

FAIRER DAVE

Slowdownyouspeaktoofast.Icannotunderstandyou. Every now and then somebody has to remind me to slow down. Often someone in my family tells me. Then I have to make a concentrated effort to take more time in forming my words. I do it for a while, but sooner or later I speed up and need another reminder. I do not know if this happens because I grew up in a large family and found it hard to get a word in edgeways at times. I know that it does happen and I try to correct it.

The same happens with the prayers we say together. A common, but fast, pace takes over and soon we seem to race towards the end of the prayer. We do need to slow down the pace of our prayers, the Profession of faith and the Our Father at Mass, many responses at Mass and the Hail Mary during the rosary. We need to slow down so that we can think about the meaning of the prayers we say. We need to slow down so that we do not prayer by rote. We need to slow down so that others can keep up with us. We need to slow down in order to pray. It may help to read the prayer or to think of what the prayer means or spend more time enunciating them.

LITURGY

I wrote last week about a change in your response to the greeting, "The Lord be with you." The bishops have also proposed changing the words in the profession of faith. The Eastern Catholic Churches use the plural form we have used. The Western Church has used the singular that we used to use. They have proposed returning to the singular, "I believe" proper to the Western Catholic Church. By using the singular, the liturgy will challenge each of us to make his own or her own the profession we all make in common. It will make it similar to the wedding vows a bride and groom make to each other; rather than say, "We do", they each say, "I do".

I do not foresee making any changes before the first of Advent. The Sacred Congregation on Worship has to approve any changes before we can implement them. It will probably take some time to prepare copies of the changes for everyone.

The principles of translating have changed over the years. At one time we looked at freer translations of the Latin and tried to say the same thing in a better way. We found out that we could not always do this, so we will return to translation more faithful to the original texts we have had.

MISSIONARY PRIEST HERE THIS WEEK

Thank you for your hospitality. Monsignor Douglas Peters has enjoyed his stay with us. He thanks you for your generous gift. He has left to continue making appeals for him missionary diocese.

PARISH SURVEY

You can still fill out the parish survey forms at the entrances to church. Please return them in the collection basket or mail to the office by next weekend. Your feedback is very important to the future of both parishes.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION PICTURES

Pick up your pictures after the 11:00 Mass today, CCD Office.

SING WITH THE CHOIR

We need men and women; call Catherine Brunswick (526-5166).

WELCOME

We welcome all here, whether longtime residents, newly arrived in the parish or not Catholic, whether interested in the Catholic Church or not. If you have not registered or if you have changed your address, please fill out the form below and put it in the collection basket or mail it to the office. _____ Address: _____ Name:

ZIP: Phone:



"Quiet! Be Still!" -- Mark 4:39

COLLECTION June 18, 2006 Holy Family (need \$1500): \$ 222.00 Loose (19) Envelopes (46) \$ 712.00 Total: \$ 934.00 Missionary \$ 595.00 St Denis (need \$6500): Loose (120) \$ 649.79 Envelopes (190) \$2484.40 Total: \$ 3134.19 Missionary \$ 1913.00

Thank You

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YOUTH MINISTRY #

Steubenville Final Payments: All final payments for Steubenville are in and the details of the trip are coming together. We will have a group of one hundred and two people going to the conference. We appreciate any prayers that parishioners can offer for the trip!

Kentucky Work Camp: Twenty youth and adults left for Kentucky on Saturday and will be returning on Wednesday after accomplishing various work projects for those in need in the Appalachian mountain region. Thanks to all who have supported this program this past year through generous donations of time, prayer and money. This event makes a huge difference in the lives of both those who are served and the families that we provide assistance for. Thanks be to God for always blessing our efforts.

High School Youth Leaders: We have a group of high school youth leaders for youth ministry for the year 206-2007. There are twenty-five leaders in the group and we will begin meeting in July. Our first meeting will be Thursday, July 6, at 7:00 p.m.

Laudaete: Laudaete, which is Latin for praise, is a liturgically based educational experience for youth in the area of music leadership. St. Denis parish has been blessed this year with its first youth attendee Kelly Kueterman. Kelly will be providing musical leadership in the youth choir. In the coming years we would like to invite other youth attend.

SCRIPTURE AT THE RECTORY AT HOLY FAMILY

Starting Wednesday July 12 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at Holy Family Rectory there will be a six-week bible study from the book of James entitled "Put your faith to work." The study will focus on:

- Explanations of Scripture and suggested applications for everyday life.
- Thought-provoking questions for group discussion or personal reflection.
- Helping beginners as well as to those familiar with the Bible.

The books are \$7.95. To register please call the rectory at 526-4945 and ask for Jean so I will know many to order.

EXCURSION: DAY TRIP

The Ohio River Boat trip on June 29 has been cancelled and is tentatively rescheduled for late August. Details at a later date.

SAVING MONEY BY USING LESS ENERGY

To cut down on energy costs we have cut back on air conditioning the church during the week and use it only during office hours in the rectory.