

April 6, 2008



*The Third Sunday of Easter*

**Readings for April 13th**-The 4th Sunday of Easter -  
First Reading-Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Second Reading -1  
Peter 2:20b-25; Gospel Reading-John 10:1-10 (49).

**OUR SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK**

**Monday, April 7th**

6:50 P.M.-Novena

7:00 P.M.-Liturgy of the Word & Communion Service.

**Tuesday, April 8th**

9:00 A.M.-Vida Benvenuti req. by Patty Dieterich.

**Wednesday, April 9th**

9:00 A.M.-Maria Estella Garst req. by Sick &  
Bereavement Ministry & parishioners of St. Joseph's.

**Thursday, April 10th**

9:00 P.M.-Liturgy of the Word & Communion Service.

**Friday, April 11th**

9:00 A.M.-Mike Pennington req. by Nancy Staley.

**Saturday, April 12th**

4:00-4:30 P.M.-Reconciliation

5:00 P.M.-Margaret Amps req. by Kaiss Family.

**Sunday, April 13th (Fourth Sunday of Easter)**

9:00 A.M.-Vida Benvenuti req. by St. Joseph's Choir.

10:30 A.M.-Margaret Huesman req. by Evelyn & Bill  
Munk.

12:00 Noon-Laura Wyrwas req. by the Wyrwas Family.

**Please pray for the sick of our parish:** George Nardone,  
Sterling Johnson, Tom Moles, Vera Wisner, Alice Shull,  
Allen Montecino, Bill Harrington, Jean Strittmatter,  
Valerie King, Ruth Hardy, Mary Fleetwood, Dorothy  
Schlacks & Bob Ngayan.

**For family and friends:** Chantelle Custodio & Baby  
Bennett, Vincent Ortiz, Robert Mallon, Mary Wyrwas  
Shepherdson, Jonathan Dampf, Donna Bolander, John  
Russell, Lillian Powers, Nathacha Ballard, Ezelle Miller,  
James Clinton, Kai Hollingsworth, Diana Rosengrant  
and Mike McCranie.

**Colds & Flu Season is still with us.** If you are ill for any  
reason, **please do not** come to Mass and pass it on to  
others.

**The Celebrant Schedule** for next Weekend April 12 &  
13 will be as follows: Saturday, April 12 -Reconciliation  
and 5 P.M Mass-Father Bill; on Sunday, April 13 -9:00  
A.M.-Father Frank Moan; the 10:30 A.M. & Noon  
Masses will be celebrated by Father Bill.

**Baptismal Preparation Classes**

Our Baptismal Prep Classes now take place on the First  
Sunday of each Month at 11:45 A.M. in the Conference  
Room. We have a pre-registration packet for all parents  
to complete & turn in 1 week prior to the class they wish  
to attend. **The April Class will be held on April 6, 2008.**

**OUTREACH MINISTRY**

**Casserole Program:** Thank you to all who prepared and  
donated casseroles for Our Daily Bread this month. .  
Casseroles can be prepared ahead of time and frozen.  
\*Pans & recipes are available in the Outreach area on the  
right as you leave the main entrance of the church

**Mary's Center and Birthright of Annapolis /Glen  
Burnie** are in need of essentials for newborns: Newborn  
diapers, wipes, bottles & nipples as well as new or gently  
used clothing 0-3 month size.

**Widows & Widowers:** Deacon Swann hosts a weekly  
luncheon at *Bob Evans Restaurant*, Waugh Chapel  
Village – Fridays @ Noon. Just a pleasant way of  
breaking bread together in memory of our loved ones.  
No reservations necessary. Questions? 410-672-6092.

**Sick and Bereavement Ministry:** If you know someone  
who is ill, please let us know so that we can put them on  
the prayer list and bring them the Eucharist. Contact  
Joanna Mallon at 410-672-5465.

**S & B Ministry Casserole Ministry :** If you are interested  
in helping with **casseroles for the newly grieving,**  
please call Helen Lanham @ 410-874-8849.

**Our Weekly Offertory Report** is posted on the bulletin  
board.

**LADIES ANNUAL RETREAT**

If you are interested in going on a Redemptorist  
Weekend Retreat on April 25, 26 & 27 at St. Alphonso's  
Retreat House in New Jersey, please contact Sandy  
French at 410-551-9238-X 211.



**SPRING IS HERE!!**...and we are getting ready for our  
annual Spring Beautification Day. Mark your calendars  
for Saturday April 19 from 9-11:00 a.m.

**Join the Knights** this Sunday, April 6 from 8-11:30 a.m. for  
their monthly Breakfast. *The featured pancake is buckwheat.*

**St. Joseph's Winter Weather Policy:** If storms cause  
the closing or delay of A.A. Co. Schools, we will not  
have Mass or Communion Service that day. On the  
weekend, check WBAL radio or TV Channel 11; our  
website [www.stjosephodenton.org](http://www.stjosephodenton.org) or call the Parish  
Telephone System X 304 for updated cancellation  
information.\***Meetings & Events**-When Anne Arundel  
County Schools dismiss early because of weather, all  
evening meetings and events are also cancelled.

**Mary Our Mother**, a lively discussion presented by  
Tony Tamberino about the role of Mary, where she fits  
into our faith today & in the future will be held on  
Tuesday, April 22 from 7-8:30 P.M. in Corrigan Hall.  
This is an inter-parish event brought to you by St.  
Joseph, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Church of the Holy  
Apostles and Our Lady of the Fields parishes.



**The Wednesday Evening Study Group** meets in the Lounge at 7:00 P.M..

**The Friday Study Group** meets at 10:00 A. M. in the Lounge.

**The West County Young Adult Bible Study**-Adults 18-40 meet for Bible Study on the 2nd + 4th Sundays of each month- 7:30-9:30 p.m. @ Our Lady of the Fields Parish Hall-205.

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**Registration for the 2008-09 school year** began on Sunday March 30, 2008 and will continue during Religious Education Classes in Corrigan Hall.

**Play Bingo at St. Joseph's!** Join us on Wednesday evenings...doors open at 6:30 P.M. Early Bird Games begin at 7:30 P.M. & great food is available in our Bingo Kitchen.

**The 2008 Softball Season-** We are in a *desperate* need of *ladies* for our co-ed team. Contact Brian @ 410-695-2363 or by email [electricman2672@msn.com](mailto:electricman2672@msn.com). Our next practice is scheduled for this Sunday, April 6th GORC Park at 3 p.m. *\*in the event of inclement weather, you will be notified by email.*



**Confirmation Retreat**-Year 2 Candidates will be on Retreat April 18-20.

**Celebration of Confirmation-** Bishop Denis Madden will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation here at St. Joseph's on Saturday May 3, 2008 at the 5:00 P.M. Mass. Please join us to recognize and celebrate our young people as they receive the Holy Spirit.

**Battle of the Bands**- for high school parishioners and their friends, May 9 from 6-11 p.m. Corrigan Hall, \$10.00 per person. See flyers for details.

**PLAYERS GUILD- "Last Appeal"** This is the final appeal for help in our planned October production of "Arsenic & Old Lace" or "God's Favorite". Please contact Bill Derr @ 410-672-5857 or Lou Wilson @ 301-621-7377. The response to this appeal will determine if will be able to accomplish our play production.

**4th Annual Shrimp Feast & Silent Auction** will be held on May 31 from 6-9 p.m. in Corrigan Hall to benefit our High School WorkCamp in Youngstown, Ohio this summer.

**Mother's Day Plant Sale:** Order forms are now available to you on our Bulletin Boards. Thank you!

**Do You Speak Teen?** Do you know what all the texting is about? How about Facebook and MySpace? **If**

**your teen is perfect, then this isn't for you-HOWEVER** -if you'd like to know more about "what's up" with pre-teens and teens today, join us on **April 6 from 7-9 p.m. in Corrigan Hall**. Speakers: Wayne Hipley, Youth Minister at St. William of York, Baltimore and Kristin Witte, Coordinator of Pastoral Care, Archdiocese of Baltimore. (RSVP's appreciated). For more information, contact Bob Sutliff at 410-551-9238 X 202. **This event is NOT for pre-teens and teens, but for those who raise them, interact with them and LOVE them.**

**Summer Madness 2008**-is scheduled for July 14-17. Registration information will be available soon!

**SITES NEEDED** for Middle School Mission Week-July 27-August 1, 2008. Fliers are on the bulletin boards and available on line: [stjosephodenton.org](http://stjosephodenton.org). More info @ 410-551-9238 X 202.

**DROP-IN**-April 6, 13 & 20 @ the Y.C. 1:30-3:30 P.M.

**Youth Ministry Planning Team** meets on April 6 from 1:30-3:30 p.m.

#### **School of the Incarnation**

##### **Plan on it!**

##### **Home & School Association**

April 12, 2008 Yard Sale

##### **CFC and CMCFC**

SOTI participates in the Combined Federal Campaign of the National Capital Area & the Central MD combined Federal Campaign for government employees!

SOTI # is 94557 for both.

*Thanks for your support!*

**Ongoing Fundraisers**-Box Tops, Campbells Soup labels, Ink Cartridges & Paper Recycling!

**Koinonia Academy Youth Concert Choir**-All are invited to an inspiring night of music on Saturday, April 12th, at 6:30 P.M. at Our Lady of the Fields Church in Millersville. The Choir is made up of 73 high school aged students from New Jersey who have performed in churches and schools throughout the U.S., Canada & Poland. This is a free concert you won't want to miss. For more information, contact Tricia Davis @ 410-729-7872.

**C.S.A.C. (Catholic Single Again Council of Baltimore)**  
**Annual "Conference in Columbia"** A Day-long conference for those who are separated, widowed, divorced or remarried will be held on Saturday, April 19, 2008 at Loyola College Graduate Center in Columbia, MD. Fr. Joe Breighner, our Liturgy Celebrant will also present a workshop. The cost is \$40 (early bird) by April 9, 2008 or \$45 @ the door. Visit [www.ConferenceInColumbia.itgo.com](http://www.ConferenceInColumbia.itgo.com). Pamphlets are also available in the Conference Room.