

# **ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**

## ***Celebrating 75 Years of Faith-Filled Service***



ECUMENICAL SUNDAY

January 16, 2005

### **ASH WEDNESDAY IS EARLY THIS YEAR!**

Our annual Ash Wednesday Soup and Bread Supper will be February 9th following the Ash Wednesday Mass. Soup makers, please include your recipe when you bring your soup to Canfield Hall. It is our plan to have a recipe booklet of soups available at our Palm Sunday Bake Sale on March 19-20. There are sign up sheets in the back of the church for soup makers and soup eaters. Any questions, please call Flo Jutton 468-1275, Rose Boyle 488-1791, Leah Kent 468-0790 or Helen Goss 468-2197. Please join us!

### **BISHOP LUDDEN JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL**

Will hold its ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE on Thursday, January 27, 2005 from 6:00-8:00 pm. Parents and students are welcome. A Placement Examination will be given on Saturday, January 29, 2005 at 8:00 am for current grade 6 and grade 8 students. The examination is required for admission to Bishop Ludden. The cost of the test is \$15. Please call the Advancement Office at 468-0053.

### **Life in the Spirit Is Coming to St. Charles**

Fr. Lou is bringing this wonderful faith renewal series to St. Charles this Spring, beginning in February. Just like any long term relationship, we change and grow, and so should our relationship with God. The seminar begins 2/22/05 from 7:00-8:30 pm and will run for 6 consecutive Tuesdays in Canfield Hall. Call the Rector for more information.

### **LITURGICAL MINISTERS: SAVE THE DATE!**

On Wednesday, January 26th, there will be a very important meeting of all Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors in order to review procedures in light of the new liturgical norms. Lectors will meet from 6:30 until 7:15 pm, and Eucharistic Ministers will meet from 7:15-8:00 pm. Father Lou will conduct the meeting; there will be an opportunity to ask questions.

*Deacon Tony*

### **SAINT OF THE WEEK: ST. ANTHONY THE ABBOT**

St. Anthony was born in Egypt to 251 of rich and virtuous Christian parents. After dividing all his possessions among the poor while still a young man, he retired into the desert. Here he lived the life of a hermit for many years, practicing heroic mortifications and devoting himself to silence, prayer and manual labor. After 20 years, the fame of his sanctity and miracles and the power of his example and word, drew hundreds of followers, to whom he gave guidance and a rule of life. In 305, he founded a religious community of cenobites who lived in detached cells. He died in 356 at the age of 105. He is the patron saint of grave-diggers. We celebrate his feast day on Monday, January 17th.

*MISSION STATEMENT: We at St. Charles embrace the vision of the church taught by the second Vatican Council, namely, a people of faith led by the Holy Spirit journeying together to our final reunion with the Risen Christ. To that end, we pledge ourselves to a deeper love and appreciation for God's Holy Word found in Sacred Scripture. We pledge ourselves to a greater sensitivity to the plight of the poor and to victimized people in our society and the world at large. We acknowledge a need to work for justice. Finally, we commit ourselves to living, loving, and sharing the peace of Christ with all God's people.*

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Reconciliation on Saturday Evening, 4:00 pm  
 Saturday Evening Vigil, 5:00 pm  
 Sunday Morning, 8:00 and 10:30 am  
 Sunday Evening Youth Mass, 5:00 pm

**Mass Intentions & Readings  
 January 17-January 23, 2005**

**MONDAY, Jan. 17 Feast of St. Anthony**  
 Reading: Heb. 5:1-10; Mark 2:18-22  
 9:00am **Eugene Walker** by John & Monica Scott

**TUESDAY, Jan. 18**  
 Reading: Heb 6:10-20; Mark 2:23-28  
 9:00am **Beatrice Claremont** by Anne Holland

**WEDNESDAY, Jan. 19**  
 Reading: Heb 7:1-3, 15-117; Mark 3:1-6  
 9:00am **Pasquale Rosanio/Birthday** by Patrick & Helen Rosanio

**THURSDAY, Jan. 20 Feast of Sts. Fabian/Sebastian**  
 Reading: Heb 7:25-8:6; Mark 3:7-12  
 7:00am **Michael Ryan** by Friends at DiBello's

**FRIDAY, Jan. 21 Feast of St. Agnes**  
 Reading: Heb 8:6-13; Mark 3:13-19  
 7:00am **Bill Pierce** by Crisafulli Family

**SATURDAY, Jan. 22**  
 Reading: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Mark 3:20-21  
 5:00pm **Frank Wiktorowicz/Birthday** by Carol & Emmett Kinney & Family

**SUNDAY, Jan. 23**  
 Reading: Isaiah 8:23-9:3; Cor. 1:10-13, 17; Mat. 4:12-23  
 8:00am **Larry Kelly/5th Anniv** by Family  
 10:30am **Michael Cullen** by Family  
 5:00pm **People of St. Charles**

**MEETINGS & NOTICES**

**OUR GOD REIGNS PRAYER GROUP** meets Tuesdays at 4:00 pm in the Reading Room. Rosary followed by prayer meeting. All are welcome.

**SENIOR CHOIR** rehearses on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm in the Church. New members are most welcome!

**LITURGY COMMITTEE** meets the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm.

**TOPS WEIGHT LOSS GROUP** meets each Tuesday from 6:00-8:00 pm in Canfield Hall. New members welcome!

**HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE** meets the first Monday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Reading Room

**BEREAVEMENT** will be meeting on Thursday, January 27th at 7:00 pm in the Reading Room.

**COLLECTIONS/CONTRIBUTIONS**

<b>For January 8/9:</b>	<b>7121.41</b>
<b>TSUNAMI RELIEF:</b>	<b>6,863.85</b>
<b>WEEKLY BUDGET:</b>	<b>8,000.00</b>
<b>YEAR TO DATE INCOME:</b>	<b>212,880.02</b>
<b>YEAR TO DATE BUDGET:</b>	<b>222,500.00</b>

Candles have been lit for the last two weeks of January in loving memory of

**Edward Ososki**  
 by Margaret Ososki

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**Michael Cullen**  
 by Marie Cullen & Children

**MINISTERS SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK AND NEXT WEEK**

Mass	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Preachers	Altar Servers
5:00pm Sat. 1/15	D. Schwanke	Davis, Iacuome, Kowalczyk, Murphy, Murray, Natoli	Dc. Vanelli	Dufresne, Bevard, Jerome
8:00am Sun. 1/16	S. Putnam	Costello, Cowlin, Cowlin, Emm	Dc. Vanelli	Ennis, M/M Pierce
10:30am Sun. 1/16	E. Carr	Hay, Kelley, Page, Roickle, Savage, Schwanke	Dc. Vanelli	M/L/J Stapleton
5:00pm Sun. 1/16	J. Cowlin	Schwanke, Bova	Dc. Vanelli	
5:00pm Sat. 1/22	K. Militi	Paratore, Roberts, Rozyczko, Ryan, Schoeneck, Smith	Dc. Connelly	Salvetti, Ryan, Schwanke
8:00am Sun. 1/23	J. Lowery	Grady, Hayden, Hayden, Jutton	Dc. Connelly	Bova, Spinek, Nunez
10:30am Sun. 1/23	8th Grade	Wallace, Cilani, Ellis, Feyerabend, Harriger, Lisi	Dc. Connelly	Carr, M/A Pecoriello
5:00pm Sun. 1/23	J. Cowlin	Schwanke, Bova	Dc. Connelly	

**YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER**

Today's readings tell us that we who claim to be Catholic will not be saved when the time comes by merely saying so, we must prove to God that we repent and are His followers by bearing fruit for Him here on Earth.

Sometimes we find ourselves needing proof from others and especially God that certain things are true, or that we can trust them to be loyal, but we ourselves struggle giving back that same proof to God. Throughout life we struggle against adversities and we find ourselves needing proof or a sign, but when do we ever do that for God? Do we ever really give Him proof of our devotion and repentance? We must strive to do this and to be God's apostles.

**REMINDER: NO CLASS ON MARTIN LUTHER KING WEEKEND. 10TH Grade will be meeting on Sunday, 1/23 after the Youth Mass.**

**NOTICE: St. Camillus is looking for teen volunteers to work with its residents afternoons and/or weekends. A wide range of jobs are available. Contact Sheila at the Rectory to find out more about this rewarding way to work with our elderly and earn service hours at the same time!**

**FROM THE FOOD PANTRY**

*Please remember that the families we serve through our Food Pantry have needs that exist all year long. Your continued donations brought in to the back of the church will be welcomed with open arms: non-perishable food items, paper products, soap products, and monetary donations. Remember, your donations are tax-deductible!*

*Monetary donations can be sent directly to Marie Cullen at 404 Parsons Drive, Syracuse, NY 13219, or to the Rectory Offices. Bless you! Make your checks out to the St. Charles Food Pantry.*

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*Susan Dusse*

by The Slazik Family & Kimberly Graf

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER**

ATTENTION: VIRTUS training will be held in Canfield Hall on Saturday, January 29th from 1-4 pm. All catechists are required to attend.

THE SCOUTS ARE HERE! We had a wonderful turnout for the Cub Scout meeting on Monday night (1/10). We've had several den leaders step forward, and are inviting more boys to sign up. Please call the parish office at 468-4122 for details.

NO CLASS TODAY IN RECOGNITION OF MARINT LUTHER KING.

8th graders will have responsibility for the parts of the Mass on 1/23 at 10:30. Join us!

Our "OPEN GYM" endeavor is in gear! Beginning on JANUARY 15TH, Grades 5-8 are invited to come to St. Charles School Gym from 6:00—8:00 pm for some fun in basketball. Please join us! Any questions, please call Maureen at 468-4122.

**BEAUTY AND THE BEAST**

Presented by Westhill Masquers Club

February 10, 11, 12 @ 7:00 pm and February 13th @ 4:00 pm. Reserved tickets are \$10.00. Call the school for more information.

**CBA BASKETBALL CAMP!**

The 13th annual CBA mid-winter co-ed basketball camp for ages 8-16 will be held Feb. 21-25. Contact director Gary Barnaba at CBA (446-5960) for a brochure or visit their website at [www.cbasyracuse.org](http://www.cbasyracuse.org).

**BEREAVEMENT**

"Cast your cares upon the Lord, and He will give you peace." Anyone who is experiencing loss of any kind is invited to attend the support meeting on Thursday, January 27th in the Reading Room at 7:00 pm. Please enter through the So. Orchard Road entrance. No one is ever "put on the spot" at these meetings by being required to talk. It is simply an informal evening of prayer and support from parish friends.

*Deacon Tony*

**NOTES FROM SR. DONNA:**

St. Charles School takes great pride in our boys' and girls' basketball teams. We encourage you to come and check out a game or two. This week our schedule is as follows:

- Boys A—St. Charles (Home) vs. MHR @ 2:00p
- Boys C—St. Charles vs. St. Marys (Away) @ 1:00p
- Girls B—St. Charles (Home) vs. St. Anns @1:00p
- Girls C—St. Charles vs. St. Margarets (Away) TBA

Also, under the direction of one of our teachers, Dolly Vania, some of our students are diligently preparing for the Eckerd's Drug Quiz to be held on Feb. 1st. We wish them luck!

Lastly, adults please mark your calendars for Feb. 4th, the night of our "Tricky Tray". This event will be held in the gym at 7:00 pm. Tickets cost \$10, which includes admission, food, dessert and coffee. There will be a cash bar. Come enjoy the raffles, auction and more!

In addition to our wonderful elementary school, St. Charles offers the following programs for younger children:

- Day Care Program:** Year round program that includes Pre-K during the school calendar year. 7:30am-5:30pm Monday-Friday.
- Pre-K Program:** 10 month program for 4 year olds. Both full and half day programs available!
- Nursery Program:** 10 month program for 3 year olds which runs on Tuesday and Thursday mornings.
- Please call the school office at 488-7631 for information!**

**CROCHETING OR KNITTING?**

Joanne Cowlin is offering her time to teach crocheting or knitting. If interested, please call Helen Goss for a suggested time and date. All supplies will be furnished and we can meet at my home at 108 Ronnell Drive. Please call me at 468-2197. Thanks from the Prayer Shawl Committee and Helen Goss.

**A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:** It is not guaranteed that our children will follow in our footsteps. Our job is the same as John the Baptist in today's gospel: to "testify (in our words and lives) that Jesus is the Son of God". After that, our children are free to accept or reject our testimony. (Office of Family Life Education)

**FROM THE DESK OF SR. JEAN:**

Check your calendar for a GREAT summer trip. We will be going to "The Hamptons" June 21, 22, 23. "Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous". \$380.00 (double occupancy). 2 nights lodging, 2 breakfasts, including one breakfast in bed, 2 full course dinners, Tour of the Hamptons, Tour of Sag Harbor, whaling museum, Phipps Estate, Old Westbury Gardens, Stonybrook Village, Montauk Lighthouse, South Fork Ferry Ride, visit to Shelter Island, Palmer Vineyards and wine-tasting, evening entertainment, all taxes and standard gratuities, motorcoach transportation. \$25.00 reservation fee. Call Sister Jean at 468-4122.

Also, we are planning a Fall Trip to Vermont—September 8, 9, 10, 11. More information later!

**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND  
February 11-13, 2005**

Marriage Encounter is designed to expand and deepen the love a couple share together, whether married for a short time or for many years. Devote a weekend to each other and to your relationship, in an atmosphere where you can concentrate exclusively on one another. Marriage Encounter can make a difference in your life.

*Christ the King Retreat House  
500 Brookford Road  
Syracuse, NY*

*For Reservations, call Jeff or Shannon  
At (888)801-8463*

**RESPECT LIFE CORNER:** Jesus broke down false barriers that placed people in "higher" and "lower" social and spiritual categories. He ate with tax collectors and sinners when the common wisdom was to avoid them. He sought out the lepers when the custom was to stay away from them. He called the children to come to Him, when the apostles thought that the right thing to do was to chase them away. He gave the Samaritan woman the gift of salvation, breaking through barriers that put both Samaritans and women on a lower level. Does it make sense, then, that the Lord permits the false barrier between the born and the unborn, and does not mind the discrimination by which the unborn are considered disposable non-persons? God is a God of Justice — in other words, He saves the helpless. And He expects us to do no less. That's peace on earth. (Priests for Life)

**CLERGY**

Rev. Louis F. Aiello, Pastor  
Deacon Peter P. Vanelli  
Deacon Anthony Paratore  
Deacon Robert Connelly  
Rev. Angelo Libera, Assisting Priest  
Rev. Philip S. Keane, SS, In Residence

**STAFF**

Sr. Donna Driscoll, School Principal  
Sr. Jean Burns, Pastoral Associate  
Jeff Bigness, Maintenance  
Sheila Bova, Youth Minister/Bulletin Editor  
Marie Cullen, Food Pantry—Outreach  
Maureen O’Sullivan, Religious Education Coordinator

**PASTORAL COUNCIL OFFICERS**

Greg Cross, President  
James Glavin, Vice President  
Patricia Teske, Secretary  
Peter Cappuccilli, Sr. Trustee  
Mary Roickle, Trustee

**MUSIC MINISTRY**

Bernie Schmidt, Coordinator, 10:30 am Sun. Liturgy  
Gail Lyons, Organist, 10:30 am Sun. Liturgy  
Christine Camuglia, 8:00 am Sun. Liturgy  
Joanne Balduzzi, 5:00 pm Sat. Liturgy

**MINISTRY LEADERSHIP**

Altar Servers—Dc. Tony Paratore  
Art & Environment  
Baptismal Prep—Dc. Bob Connelly  
Bereavement—Dc. Tony Paratore  
Bethany Group—Noreen Kelley (468-2617)  
Eucharistic Ministers—Caroline Kinney (488-2626)  
Friends for Life—Sr. Jean Burn (468-4122)  
Funeral Guild—Florence Jutton (468-1275)  
Human Development—Marge Kearney  
Joseph Corps—Greg Cross (487-2787)  
Lectors—Mary Roickle (468-3515)  
Liturgy—Dc. Tony Paratore (468-2283)  
Our God Reigns Prayer Group—Mike Strojnowski  
Oxford Inn—Dc. Peter Vanelli (488-4844)  
RCIA—Dc. Bob Connelly (488-3737)  
Respect Life—Noreen Kelley (468-2617)  
Shawl Ministry—Helen Goss (468-2197)

**PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICES IF  
YOU WOULD LIKE TO ARRANGE A BAPTISM  
OR MARRIAGE, OR WOULD LIKE TO BECOME  
A NEW PARISHIONER! MANY THANKS!**

**ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO PARISH OFFICE**

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