

SCRIPTURE FOR WEEK Of Aug 3, 2008  
Ordinary Time Sunday

Sun - Prophet Isaiah 55:1-3, Romans 8:35,37-39, Matthew 14:13-21  
Mon - Jeremiah 28:1-17, Matthew 14:22-36  
Tues - Jeremiah 30:1-2,12-15, 18-22, Matthew 15:1-2, 10-14  
Wed - Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14, Peter 1:16-19, Matthew 17:1-9  
Thurs - Jeremiah 31:31-34, Matthew 16:13-23  
Fri - Nahum 2:1,2;3:1-3,6-7, Matthew 16:24-28  
Sat - Habakkuk 1:12-2:4, Matthew 17:14-20

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	02 Aug	1715	PMHT
Sunday	03 Aug	1000	
Monday	04 Aug	1205	Deputy Andrew Widman
Tuesday	05 Aug	1205	Alice Farley
Wednesday	06 Aug	1205	Genevieve Degnan
Thursday	07 Aug	1205	Dr. Jim Brown
Friday	08 Aug	1205	
Saturday	09 Aug	1715	PMHT

Attendance and Offering Last Weekend:

Attendance 240    Offering \$1,686.00

Dismissal Catechesis, 1100

Dismissals will start back up in August

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST FOR Aug 2 & 3, 2008

1715—

1000—

LECTOR SCHEDULE Aug 2 & 3, 2008

1715 -

1000—

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Construction on the Bell Tower begin on 03-03-08 through 12-20-08. This will eventually effect parking and traffic here at the chapel as time goes on. More information to come.

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Music Notes

\*\*The sung portions of the Mass are Setting Three in the Gather Hymnal, which starts at # 176\*\*



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*I have a question. Whom do I call?*

**Pastor....** Father Matthew Pawlikowski 938-3721  
**Chaplain's Assistant...** SPC Bradley- 938-8760  
**Pastoral Coordinator..**Mary Beth Hurley...938-8760  
**Director Rel-Ed...** Cynthia Ragsdale... 938-8761  
Faith Formation, Rel. Education of Children & Adults, RCIA.  
**Wedding Coordinator....**Marsha DeMasi...938-2784  
Wedding information, scheduling, paperwork, Pre-Cana/Engaged Encounter information.  
**Youth Coordinator:...**Jay Sclafani...938-3621  
**Director of Music....** Meredith Baker...938-3544  
Adult, Children's and Cadet Choir, Wedding Music, Liturgical Music.  
**Cadet Issues....**Fr. Edson Wood....938-2784  
Rev. Timothy S. Valentine  
**Sexton:** Ray Hart.....938-8760

**SUMMER SCHEDULE**

**Starting 8 June 08 our Summer Schedule will be as follows:**

- Saturday Mass at 1715
- Sunday Mass at 1000

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**Are you interested in seeing your daughter grow in MERCY? COURAGE? JOY?** Then the **Little Flowers Girls' Club** may be what you're looking for! \*And we are looking for you! \* As we begin to establish The Little Flowers Girls' Club here at Most Holy Trinity, we would like your input, suggestions, and help for the upcoming school year! The club is geared for any girl ages 5 and up. We'll meet about twice a month where the girls will complete activities/crafts and sing songs to help them learn about a virtue, a scripture, and a saint. Want to learn more or how you can help to bring this awesome opportunity into your daughter's life? **Please Contact: Angela DeLong 845-859-4805 angela.delong@us.army.mil**  
\*Teen volunteers always welcome\*

**INFORMATIONAL MEETING/SIGN-UP ON MONDAY, 11 AUGUST FROM 3-5 PM IN THE RECTORY**

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## Youth Ministry

Jay Sclafani - Youth Minister

Cell: (631) 235-9241

E-mail: [Jay@catholicfellowship.org](mailto:Jay@catholicfellowship.org)

Website: [www.catholicfellowship.org](http://www.catholicfellowship.org)

### **Teen Fellowship: Grades 9-12 Sundays 5:15 – 6:45 PM**

Teen fellowship meets weekly to develop faith through social interaction with teens in a Catholic environment. The group discusses current issues that affect teenage life. All Meetings at Sacred Heart Gym.

### **Youth Fellowship: Grades 6-8 Sundays 4:00 – 5:30PM**

Youth Fellowship is a group that meets bi-weekly to expand middle school aged kids' faith in a meaningful and exciting way. New Members Always Welcome! All Meetings at Sacred Heart Gym

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**-CORE Team-Teens and Parents interested in helping to plan the meeting and events for Teen and Youth Fellowship. All are welcome. First Meeting 8/14—Great opportunity for Cadets to take a leadership role.**

#### **-COMING UP**

Thursday August 14 –Core Team Meeting , 7:00pm Sacred Heart

Weekend August 22-24 –Gift Leadership Retreat for Grades 9-12, Applications in back of Church

Monday, September 1—Rafting Trip –Look for details in the back of the Church.

#### **-World Youth Day—Sydney, Australia**

Thank you to all those who supported our Pilgrimage through donation and prayer. It was an amazing experience that helped us share our faith with Catholics from around the world, deepen our spirituality, and celebrate our share Catholic Fellowship. We hope to help share what we gained from the experience with the Parrish in the near future.

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#### **\*\*\*\*\*(NEW) Dead Theologians Society\*\*\*\*\***

For High School Students and College aged Students that would like to deepen their faith through the teachings of the saints and the fellowship of peers.

[www.deadtheologiansociety.com](http://www.deadtheologiansociety.com)

For more info please contact Jack & Angela DeLong @859-4805

**Today's Meeting – 2 Aug 08** —following the 5:15 Mass  
**1st and 3rd Saturday of the Month at the Rectory**

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#### **Wedding Hostess**

Do you enjoy happy occasions?

Do you like weddings?

Would you consider being a Wedding Hostess?

What does a Wedding Hostess do?

She will help the Bride and Groom on their Wedding Day

She will assist the celebrant to start the wedding on time!

Invite a friend to do it with you. If interested, please call

**Marsha DeMasi**, Chaplains Office,938-2784 work,928-2150 home

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#### **CHAPLAIN'S TIME**

**Please bring snacks or baked goods to the rectory anytime during the week, or bring them with you!!**

**Wednesday -August 6**

**\*\*Set up at 1830 in the parking lot\*\***

**Questions?**

**Call Mary Beth, 938-8760**

## **Religious Education**

**WE ARE NOT CLOSED FOR THE SUMMER!** So, if you are new to West Point or an old-timer who had not yet registered or re-registered your child or children for Religious Education, please stop by the Religious Education Office, which is located in the Cloister Room of the Chapel. **PLEASE REGISTER EARLY!**

Most Holy Trinity offers Religious Education classes for children 4 years old through adult. Religious Education classes (K-Adult) are held Sunday mornings on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of Thayer Hall at 0915. The 4 year old pre-k children meet Sunday mornings in the Cloister room of the Chapel at 0900. Children preparing for the sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation attend grade level classes on Sunday morning and then again during the week for their sacrament preparation. Children must attend both classes. Sacramental preparation classes will begin the end of September.

### **Religious Education Highlights:**

- August 25—Religious Education Catechist Orientation Meeting, 1900, cloister Room of the Chapel
- September 7—Opening Day for Religious Education, Thayer Hall Robinson Auditorium, 9:15 am
- September 20 & 21 Catechetical Sunday, 1715 & 1100 Masses, Commissioning of all Catechists and Parents.
- September 21— mandatory Confirmation Candidate and Parent meeting , 1900, Cloister Room of the Chapel

### **\*Catechists Needed for the 2008-2009 School Year**

One of the most rewarding ministries at Most Holy Trinity is working with and passing along the Catholic Faith to the young people of the parish. If you are interested in becoming a catechist for the upcoming 2008-2009 school year and sharing your God given talents with the youth of the parish please give the Religious Education Office a call at 938-8761. We are in need of catechists for Pre-K, First Grade (1), Third Grade (2), Fourth Grade (1), Fifth Grade (1 plus 1 assistant), Seventh Grade (1), Eighth Grade assistant, Teen Class assistant, Childcare (2) and aides for all grade levels. Babysitting is provided for all the Sunday morning catechists at Thayer Hall.

### **RCIA**

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

POC: Cindy Ragsdale, 938-8761.

Are you or someone you know hungering for a sense of belonging to God and to Church?

Are you or someone you know thirsting for a deeper experience of the heart when it comes to God and the Church?

Are you intrigued by the RCIA or have other questions? If so, please contact Cindy Ragsdale, 938-8761 or Fr. Matt Pawlikowski, 938-3721.

Catechumenate Sessions will start back up in August!

Interested in being a part of the RCIA team? MHT is looking for team members to help people experience the joy of having a faith. We are looking for people to help with the inquiry phase, the Catechumenate, with dismissals and walking the journey of faith with someone as a sponsor. POC's: Cindy Ragsdale, 938-8761 or Fr. Matt, 938-3721

### **Military Counsel of Catholic Women (MCCW)**

We are the local chapter of the Military Council of Catholic Women (MCCW). Inspired by the Holy Spirit, MMCW reflects a visible presence of Christ in military communities by fostering and nourishing women in spirituality, leadership, and service.

### **LMHT Executive Board**

President Lenore Lucas 859-4733  
Vice President (Religious Life/Faith Study) Charlene Hendricks 446-4562  
Vice President (Programs) Megan Schoof 321-6651  
Secretary Teresa Gribschaw 446-2389  
Treasurer Claire Ressler 446-8035

### **LMHT Apostolates**

Book Club Angela DeLong 859-4805  
Prayer Circle Mary Carter 446-9747  
Publicity Lisa Glen 446-4874

**Help wanted** – We have a few open positions such as Historian, Liturgy, Welcoming and Hospitality- we truly need and appreciate your efforts.

### **LMHT Activities and Programs**

We especially welcome all our new parishioners! All are most welcome and there is no commitment; join any activity that interests you or just come when you can. Come alone or with a friend - we'd love to meet you!

**Welcome Program** – Sunday, August 17<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Rectory. Come join us and see what the MCCW is all about! Bring a friend!

**Faith Study** – This year we will be using The Great Adventure – The Bible Timeline by Jeff Cavins, Dr. Tim Gray and Sarah Christmeyer to study salvation history. We will study fourteen narrative books of the Bible from Genesis through Acts to understand the story of salvation and how to apply these promises to our lives. We will meet on Tuesdays at the Post Chapel basement from 9:00 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. Childcare is provided! Please register in advance by calling or emailing Charlene Hendricks at 446-4562, [mhendricks@hvc.rr.com](mailto:mhendricks@hvc.rr.com). Check out [www.GreatAdventureOnline.com](http://www.GreatAdventureOnline.com) for more information. Hope to see you there.

**Programs** – Once a quarter, on Tuesday morning, we have a special program or guest speaker to discuss various topics about our Catholic Faith.

**Book Club** – Meets the last Monday evening of each month at 7pm in the rectory. This year's kick off is on August 25<sup>th</sup> and the selection is The Faith of our Fathers by James Cardinal Gibbons. This is open to the entire parish and free copies are available in the back of the chapel.

**Mercy Meals** – One of our service projects in which members volunteer their time and resources to provide a meal for families in the parish with a family member hospitalized, deployed or simply need our assistance.

**Prayer Circle** – Do you have a loved one who is ill or do you just need someone to say an extra prayer for you or someone you know? The prayer circle is a group of present and past members of our Parish who pray individually for requests. An email is compiled weekly and sent to our members. Please contact Mary Carter([pumpkin22@earthlink.net](mailto:pumpkin22@earthlink.net)).

### **Worldwide Conference**

Call to MCCW Worldwide Conference- 2-6 October 2008 in San Antonio, Texas; contact Lenore Lucas if you would like to join us.

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**Don't wait, Sacred Heart School has openings for Preschool, ages 3 & 4 by Dec 1st and grades K-8th. Last month Tuition Free for one student K-8 from a new family. Car pooling available K-8. Call 446-2674 for you Tour today! Thank-you**

**Natural Family Planning (NFP)** - NFP is a morally correct method to space out the birth of children. NFP uses one or more of a woman's common bodily signs to determine the fertile and infertile times of her cycle. Please call Kristin at 534-8256 for if you would like more information and to join a supportive group of families using NFP.

### **Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic School**

Are you considering Catholic School for your children? If so, you don't need to look further than right outside West Point's Thayer Gate! Sacred Heart of Jesus School is an accredited K-8 program with an outstanding 3 and 4 year old pre-school program. As the principal says, "Sacred Heart School is truly the "Heart of the Highlands! Besides our very high academic standards, we offer a solid foundation in the Catholic Christian tradition of strong values, morals and compassion for others. Jesus is the reason for this school and His gentle, loving touch and words are modeled by the administration, faculty, staff and students. Our children are the most precious gifts God has given us and how they are educated is a very important decision. Proverbs 22:6 says it best: Teach a child how he should live, and he will remember it all his life."

The Catechism of the Catholic Church (2229) states: "As those first responsible for the education of their children, parents have the right to choose a school for them which corresponds to their own convictions. ...As far as possible parents have the duty of choosing schools that will best help them in their task as Christian educators." Sacred Heart of Jesus School is an authentically Catholic school which provides a superb education. We hope and pray you will consider entrusting your children to us for their education.

The school is currently registering children for the 2008/2009 school year. The pre-school classes are filling up quickly! The tuition is definitely affordable for military families and well worth the sacrifice for our children. Sacred Heart also has excellent Chorus, Band and Drama programs as well as Spanish for grades K-8. The Specials include Advanced Math and English, Art, Physical Education, Computer Science, and Music. We have a great Science Laboratory and Computer Resource Room as well as an updated Library. Before and after school care is available starting at 6:45 a.m. and ending at 5:45 p.m.

Please call the school at 446-2674 for more information or contact Lisa Glen, Home School Association (HSA) President at 446-4874. The school website is: <http://www.sacredheartofjesushf.org>

### **Tidbits**

- **Catholics Seeking Christ**- Scripture Study, Faith Sharing and Catholic Teaching- all are welcome! Every Monday 1930-2030 in Catholic Chaplains Office. Contact CDT Christopher Jacobsen to get information.
- **United Catholic Fellowship - UCF** -Catholic Fellowship, Prayer and Faith Topics Weekly. All are welcome, bring a friend! —Contact CDT Timothy Burns Every Tuesday, 1900-2030 in Catholic Chaplains Office. UCF Spring RETREAT: 25-27 April 2008
- **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Council #8250** -If you would like to join the Knights of Columbus contact CDT Claudio Innocenti or CDT Christopher Rogan
- **Grounds/Garden Ministry** -We need your help!