October 22nd ~ 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

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MASS TIMES

Saturday ~ 5pm Sunday ~ 8am & 10:30am Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri. ~ 7am

Confessions:

Tues. thru Fri. ~ 6:30am-6:55am Saturday ~ 4:00 - 4:45pm

READINGS

Sun the 22nd: Isa 45:1-6; Ps 96:1-10; 1 Thess 1:1-5; Phil 2:15-16; Matt 22:15-21

Mon the 23rd: Rom 4:20-25; Luke 1:69-75; Matt 5:3; Luke 12:13-21 Tue the 24th: Rom 5:12-21; Ps 40:7-17; Luke 21:36; Luke 12:35-38 Wed the 25th: Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1-8; Matt 24:42, 44; Luke 12:39-48

Thu the 26th: Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-6; Phil 3:8-9; Luke 12:49-53 Fri the 27th: Rom 7:18-25; Ps 119:66-94; Matt 11:25; Luke 12:54-59 Sat the 28th: Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1-6; Ezek 33:11; Luke 13:1-9

My mother used to always say — put things where they belong. Newspapers, food, the bicycle not in the hall etc etc. Jesus says the same here — give what belongs to where it belongs.

So Jesus is being asked about taxes and politics and shifts things further. He knows he is being trapped about money. He moves on to higher questions. Something about the answer of Jesus – where do we belong? Belonging – Control or Love Belonging can sound heavy – as if we are being controlled. Or our money belongs to us and we can do what we like with it. But for Jesus – it's the belonging of love. Not of power and control.

It may feel like that — life and death, love, creation — many things are not in our control. We are born at God's time and die the same. This reminds us that we are not the masters of our lives, We come from God and go to God. This belonging is the center of our human family and community is that we are God's. God doesn't want to control us but to love us.

But there's a snag — belonging to God means belonging to each other. We have rights and duties of love. Give to others what belongs to others; give to the poor what belongs to the poor. Our work for hunger, education etc is not a charity for people; it is justice. Everyone has a right to the food of the earth and the food of the mind. It's not charity when people are given food, education, a home, freedom of religion, freedom of speech — it is justice. To give to God what belongs to God is to share the goods of the earth! Big statements which by and large only the christian faith makes.

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, October 23~ St. John of Capistrano, Priest

7am: Communion Service

Tuesday, October 24~ St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

7am: + Mary Lunsford

Wednesday, October 25

7am: + Anna Rethman **Thurs., October 26**

7am: + Special Intention of J. Rensing

Friday, October 27 7am: + Mary Lunsford

Saturday, October 28 ~ Ss. Simon & Jude, Apostles

5pm: + Patricia Bruner

Rosary; Glorious Mysteries 4:35pm Martha Bishop

Lector: Joe Moll

Servers: Jonathan Bruner

Gift Bearers: Ralph & Anna Mae Jones

Ushers: Lawrence Cutter

Euch. Min.: Bill Bishop, Ed King, Shirley Riley

Sunday, October 29

8am: + Special Intention of Michael Rensing

Rosary; Glorious Mysteries 7:35am Terri Redwine

Lector: Jerry Gauck

Servers: Cole Knecht, Tyler Ellinghausen

Gift Bearers: Bart Gauck Family Ushers: Eric Reihle, Brian Vogel

Eucharistic Min: Eileen Hamrock, Gene & Carol Ehlman

10:30am: + Our Parishioners

Rosary; Glorious Mys. 10:05am Kathy Tekulve

Lector: Sherry Hawk

Servers: Alyssa Brinkman, Anna Herzog Gift Bearers: Stan & Ellen Sporleder

Ushers: Tony Lonneman

Eucharistic Ministers: Gary Taylor, Ginny Thompson,

Lori Lewis



Congratulations to Nicholas Redwine and Rachel Thomas who were united in marriage at St. Charles Church on October 14th. May God bless them abundantly!

Cross Catholic Outreach wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Fr. Ryan on our recent visit to your parish. On behalf of the poorest of the poor, we thank you for having shared in their lives. May our Lord bless all of you.

Our Spiritual Adoption Program will come to a close this weekend, Oct. 21/22nd. Please turn in any baby bottles(filled or empty) to the back of church. Baby items may be placed in the "pack-nplay" in the hall. The Right to Life members thank you for all your prayers and generous donations. God bless you all.

Prayers at the Cemeteries - PLEASE plan to ioin vour Faith Family in prayers at our two cemeteries to commemorate our departed loved After the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, October 28th, there will be a candle-light prayer service at St. Charles Cemetery. After the 8:00 a.m. Mass, Sunday, October 29th, prayers will be offered at St. Charles Cemetery. After the 10:30 a.m. Mass, prayers will be offered at St. Pius Cemetery. Rain or Shine. There is a handout in the back of church that explains the Church's teaching on visiting a cemetery to pray for the dead.

The Milan food Pantry is open each Tue. from (9-10:30 AM) and Tue. afternoon from (5-6pm. The Food Pantry serves between 75 to 85 people each month. The Food Pantry is a non profit organization and can use all the help they can get. There is a sign up sheet in the back of church for future dates. The next workday for St. Charles is October 24th.

Please bring your brown bag filled with groceries with you to Mass next Sunday to help continue to feed Thanks for your the needy. generosity!





RCIA (Right **Christian Initiation for** Adults) ~ Coming into the Catholic Church All who want to join the Catholic Church are to

attend an orientation session on Nov. 21st at 7pm. If vou have questions, please call 812-654-7015

LifeTime Resources offers the opportunity for elderly to have a mid-day meal every Mon, Wed, Fri after signing up for any certain or every date available at the Moores Hill Senior Center. Advertisement information is available in the entry way of church. They also provide activities and entertainment for the elderly.

Contributions

Collection~ Oct. 7/8th	\$ 3,347.00
Collection~ Oct. 14/15th	\$ 2,644.00
YTD Budget	- \$ 2008.09

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PRAYER LIST:

Al Mathes **Bob Ashcraft** Finley Jay Thome Shirley Volz Vicki Šeiler Kaleb Leinberger Reed Thompson Carol DuChemin David Derby Norman Meyer Marilyn Hormann

Martha John Jack Jennings Jenny Heis Anita Grehl Sara Manifold-Williamson Bill Wilkymacky Hannah Sharp & Fam. Joe Clarkson Martha Miller Jim Knecht Kathy Nimmer

Earl Carpenter

Walter Ĥudepohl

Dynamic Catholic Speaker -Tue. Nov. 14 ~ 6:30pm

The All Saints Parish is hosting a speaker from Dynamic Catholic- Dominick Albano.

Come for the opportunity to be inspired, hear a great presentation, and enjoy time with local Catholics. This talk is free and open to all. Please invite friends and family! This talk will be recorded for distribution in America and beyond. Topic:

Through humor and personal testimony, Dominick will help us rediscover who we really are, and what we were really made for.

Once you know your true purpose and identity, your life will never be the same.

Location: All Saints Parish- St. John Campus, Dover

Looking Ahead....

Oct. 22 Adult Faith Formation meeting after 8am Mass.

Oct. 22 Faith Formation, 9am-10:15am

Oct. 24 Rosary/sing-along at Ripley Crossing at 6:30pm

Oct. 26 Prayer Service/Rosary at St. Pius Chapel at 7pm

Oct. 29 Faith Formation, 9am-10:15am

AREA EVENTS

See church bulletin board for flyers on these Events:

Natural Family Planning Class,; Nov. 5, Cincinnati Regional Retreat(Courage) on Oct. 28th, St. Maurice Fall Smorgasbord on Nov. 11, Young Adult group Activites, Coping with Grief During the Holidays, Oldenburg Academy open house on Nov. 12,

**Benefit for Hollie Payton on Nov. 4th, 3:30pm-8pm at Solid Rock bible Fellowship Church in Napoleon; Silen Auction, Basket Raffles, hog raffle. Donations can be made to the Hollie Payton Benefit Fund at any Napoleon State Bank location.