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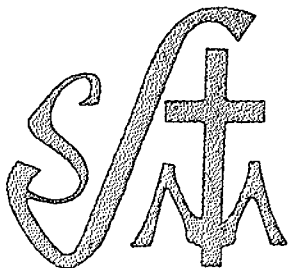
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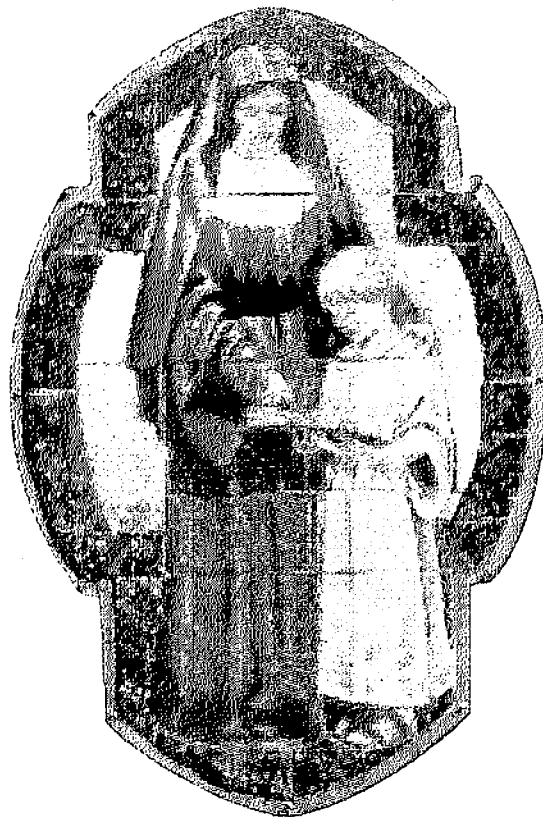
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Third Sunday of Easter  
April 6, 2008*



*St Angela Merici*

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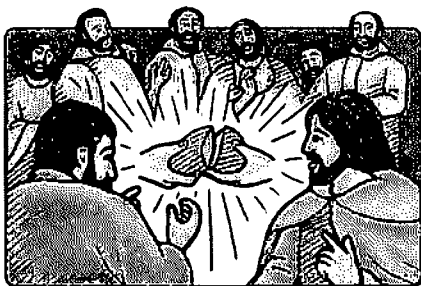
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They returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of the bread. - Lk 24:33-35

### Readings for the Week of April 6, 2008

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Tuesday:	Acts 7:51-8:1a/Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday:	Acts 8:1b-8/Jn 6:35-40
Thursday:	Acts 8:26-40/Jn 6:44-51
Friday:	Acts 9:1-20/Jn 6:52-59
Saturday:	Acts 9:31-42/Jn 6:60-69
Next Sunday:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

Dear Parishioners,

I want to thank all those who helped to make our liturgies of the Paschal Triduum and Easter such moving and beautiful moments of prayer and reflection. All those who ministered at the liturgies, those who assisted in the planning, those who helped to clean and decorate the church: to all of these generous, dedicated and talented people we owe a real debt of gratitude. Thank you all!

I also want to commend those who took the time to participate in the liturgies of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil. In my homily on Palm Sunday, I suggested that we could all respond to the generous sacrifice of Christ by our sacrifice of time as we joined in the liturgies of these most special days. I hope that, next year and in the years ahead, more of our parishioners will join in this prayerful and faithful response. These liturgies, our memorial of Christ dying and rising *for us* merit our time and active participation.

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Please remember that our annual parish **Spring Soiree** is **Saturday, April 12!** Supporting the Soiree is an easy and enjoyable way to fund special parish projects. Good food, good entertainment, great fellowship and the opportunity to go home with very nice gifts all add up to a very profitable evening for you and for your parish! Call the rectory for ticket info!

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Several weeks ago, I invited you to consider joining the pilgrimage Msgr. Jace Eskin and I will be leading to the Holy Land in November of this year. We have only six places available, so if you are interested, please sign up with Economy Tours soon. Brochures about the pilgrimage are available at the rectory – drop by during office hours to pick one up or telephone and we will mail it to you.

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I will be away from the parish this weekend (April 4, 5, 6), as I attend the annual meeting of the Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem for which I serve as ecclesiastical master of ceremonies. This group is diligent and generous in providing funds for Christians in the Holy Land and the Church's ministry of education in the Holy Land.

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On Sunday, April 20, young people of our parish in the second grade of our school and our CCD program will celebrate their First Holy Communion at the 12:30 p.m. Mass. Please offer special prayers for these children of our community as they near this wonderful sacrament of the Lord's Body and Blood.

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In the course of my almost five years as your pastor, I have heard lots of parishioners talk about our parish facilities and what they see as our present and future needs. I have long felt that we are in need of more office and meeting space for both church and school activities. Parking needs (especially for funerals and 8:30 a.m. weekday Mass), handicapped accessibility to the church, a school art/music room, meeting space to accommodate groups too large for the Conference Room and too small for the Center, a cafeteria, a new church(!), a more defined entrance to the church: these and other ideas/suggestions/concerns have been spoken about with regularity.

When Archbishop Hughes was here for his pastoral visit in September, he recommended to us that we not allow this issue of facilities maintenance, improvement, expansion to fall on the back burner. Therefore, the parish Finance Council has decided at least to begin an active dialogue and serious study in regard to our facilities. We will have two facilities needs assessment sessions, to which all parishioners are invited: one will be on Thursday, April 24 at 7:00 p.m. in the Center; the other on Saturday, April 26 at 10:00 a.m. in the Conference Room. The purpose of these meetings is to try to reach a consensus from parishioners on what our facilities needs actually are, both immediately and in the future. That begins the process – probably a LONG process!

From these meetings, we will work with an architect to develop a new master plan for our complex. After a plan is developed, we will determine what any facilities development would cost and then begin to determine how to retire our current parish debt and to raise funds for facilities development (e.g. capital campaign or increased giving campaign???). All of this, of course, has to be done in conversation with the Archdiocese and needs archdiocesan approval.

Step one is to set a vision and agree on a plan. If you would like to be part of this process at this early point, please plan to be at one of the needs assessment meetings.

*F. Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, April 5**

8:30a.m. Helen Schlautman

**Sunday, April 6**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts  
 Brian Leonard  
 Emile Hammel  
 Warren Griffin  
 Irwin Joachim  
 Joyce Appel  
 Roy Billings  
 Special Intention  
 Angelo Monjure  
 Claire Ramil  
 Mark Anthony Marcello

Charles R. Roth  
 John and Ethel Chigoy  
 Joseph and Lillie Sevin  
 Miriam Zimmerman  
 Louis Treuting, Jr. (\*)  
 Paul F. and Lucille H. Boze  
 James T. Meadows, Jr.  
 Christine Escalada  
 Dr. Palazzo (\*)  
 Robert E. Garofalo, Sr.

8:00a.m. For the Parish

9:30a.m. Adele B. Meyer

11:00a.m.

Bernadette Stassi  
 Joey Picou  
 Paul Gilberti  
 Joyce Palermo  
 Joseph Palermo  
 Rudy Rivas  
 Adele Rappold  
 Shirley Faust

Mildred Drinkhaus  
 Marilyn S. Picou  
 Special Intention  
 Ronnie and Wayne Merchant (\*)  
 Crystal and Cliff Hardeman (\*)  
 Lynne and Andrew Buckel (\*)  
 Stephanie Naquin (\*)  
 Edward J. Appel, Jr.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Aston Benoit

12:30p.m.

**Monday, April 7**

6:15a.m. Elva Winters

8:30a.m. Leo Le Bourgeois

Ruth Le Bourgeois (\*)

**Tuesday, April 8**

6:15a.m. Sr. Marie Romagosa, O. Carm.

8:30a.m. Andrew N. Adoue

**Wednesday, April 9**

6:15a.m. Wayne Schmidt

8:30a.m. Warren Griffin

**Thursday, April 10**

6:15a.m. June K. Zammit

8:30a.m. Irwin Joachim

**Friday, April 11**

6:15a.m. Claude Blanchard

8:30a.m. William L. Schellhaas, Sr.

**Saturday, April 12**

8:30a.m. Gladys S. Bodin

(\*) denotes living

**Saturday, April 5**

10:00 a.m., Girl Scout Meeting, Religious Ed. Lib

**Sunday, April 6**

9:30 a.m., Child Church

**Monday, April 7**

7:50 a.m., Title I Class, Board Room

6:00 p.m., Men's Basketball, gym

7:00 p.m., K. C. Officers' Meeting, Conference Room

**Tuesday, April 8**

8:30 a.m., Lower Grade Mass, Church

9:15 a.m., Scripture Study, Religious Ed. Library

10:30 a.m., Bridge to Naim, Conference Room

6:00 p.m., CYO Volleyball, gym

6:30 p.m., CCD, off campus

6:30 p.m., Webelos II Den Meeting, Religious Ed. Lib

7:00 p.m., Pastoral Council Meeting, Conference Rm

7:30 p.m., Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, April 9**

7:50 a.m., Title I Class, Board Room

8:30 a.m., Upper Grade Mass, Church

9:30 a.m., Prayer Meeting, Conference Room

2-6:00 p.m., School Loan Signing, Conference Room

3:30 p.m., Children's Choir Practice, Church

4:30 p.m., Liturgy Committee Meeting, Rectorry

7:00 p.m., RCIA, off campus

7:00 p.m., Boy Scout Trp 45 Meeting, Rel. Ed. Library

7:00 p.m., American Legion Concert, Kern Center

**Thursday, April 10**

7:30 a.m., Band, Religious Ed. Library

6:30 p.m., Webelos I Meeting, Board Room

7:00 p.m., Sunday Reading Discussion, Rel. Ed. Lib.



**The Sanctuary Candle This Week**  
 burns in loving memory of

**Marilyn and Jim Maloney**

**† Rest in Peace**

In your charity please pray for the soul of

**Dorothy Soignet**

who died recently, and for those who mourn her.  
*-May all of our beloved dead rest in peace-*

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### Evening for married couples -

You are invited to attend a relaxed, stress-free dinner on Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM in the Msr. Kern Center. Dine with your spouse in a romantic atmosphere, and listen to an inspirational talk by John and Carol Weiler, who will share their own experiences of marriage supported by their Catholic faith. If you are interested in attending, please RSVP to Dianne at the rectory, 835-0324 or Janice Wolff, 831-1025. If you would like more information, you may contact any of these Family Life members who attended last year's event - The Dorniers 834-4689, the Coussous 838-8843, or the Wolffs 831-1025. Limited number of seats. RSVP by April 16th.

### St. Angela Merici's Annual Spring Soiree

It's time to order your tickets for the 2008 Spring Soirée. Last year's event was a huge success with good food, dancing and lots of shopping!!! Funds from this year's event will be used parish building capital improvements to include renovating school restrooms.

The event will be held on Saturday, April 12<sup>th</sup> from 7-11 p.m. in the Msgr. Kern Parish Center. We will have a \$5,000 raffle, both silent and live auctions along with live music and dancing. Food and drink will be plentiful. You may use the form below to order your tickets. Cost is \$100 per ticket. One ticket admits 2 people.

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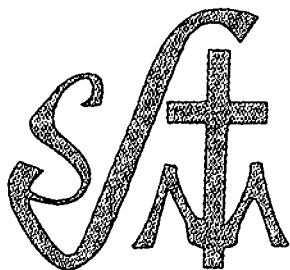
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"All who came before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. A thief comes only to steal and slaughter and destroy; I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly." - Jn 10:8-10

#### Readings for the Week of April 13, 2008

Sunday:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10
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Tuesday:	Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday:	Acts 12:24-13:5a/Jn 12:44-50
Thursday:	Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20
Friday:	Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6
Saturday:	Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14
Next Sunday:	Acts 6:1-7/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12

Dear Parishioners,

As I approach my fiftieth jubilee as a vowed religious, I thought it might be a good time to share with you what being a religious, a Sister of Mount Carmel, has meant to me.

Entering the convent at 17, right after high school, was exciting. I had boarded with the Sisters in Abbeville prior to this, but I quickly realized that living on the grounds gave me only a glimpse of their life. I had three years of training before I made vows. During that time I took college courses and taught one year at St. James Major in Gentilly. Much of my time was spent learning to meditate, striving for contemplation, trying to understand the importance of silence and solitude. I also did an enormous amount of spiritual reading and learning about the Carmelite saints.

When I entered, living the vows at that time meant giving up things: money, men, babies and my will. As the years passed I realized it means living simply, giving my life to all, and living religious life to the best of my ability. So the years have been good.

The Congregation saw to it that I received my college degrees and took care of my needs: physically, educationally, and spiritually. I am encouraged by the Congregation to continue to learn, study, and travel to broaden my experiences hopefully becoming a better religious. I have been challenged to search out ministries that I probably would not have even thought to do. Each has been a learning experience and a time of growth both mentally and spiritually for me.

From the day I started my ministry here at St. Angela Merici, I have felt welcomed, accepted and loved by you. Since many of you knew me from St. Louis King of France in the 1960's, this gave me the comfort of knowing some of the parishioners before I arrived here. This ministry has been one of growth in love, prayer, learning and sharing. Each of you is a gift to me in your own way. I thank Fr. Ken for giving me the opportunity to minister here and for allowing me to share my story with you.

*Sister Paula*

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 Joyce Appel Mrs. Willie Angles F. Berthelot  
 Irwin Joachim Kay Bongard (\*)  
 Thelma Greenwald Douroux and Delise Families  
 Pierre and Adelnia Ducote

8:00a.m.

Zito, Vitrano and Cavalier Families

9:30a.m.

For the Parish

11:00a.m.

Andrew Adoue Harold Reese, Jr.  
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 Gaspar Lore Roge "Rock" Melancon  
 Dolores Broussard

12:30p.m.

**Monday, April 14**

6:15a.m.

Sr. Marie Romagosa, O. Carm

8:30a.m.

Saucier, Rau and Rodriguez Families

**Tuesday, April 15**

6:15a.m.

Sr. Mary Louis Breau, O. Carm

8:30a.m.

Marcela and Bubby Broussard

**Wednesday, April 16**

6:15a.m.

Philip Gerage (\*)

8:30a.m.

Warren Griffin

**Thursday, April 17**

6:15a.m.

Appleton and Murphy Families

8:30a.m.

Maria Celina Vindel

**Friday, April 18**

6:15a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Majeau

8:30a.m.

Julia K. Fahrman

**Saturday, April 19**

8:30a.m.

Frances M. Zimmermann

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**Saturday, April 12**

10:30A, Cub Scout Meeting, Board Room

7:00P, Soiree, Msgr. Kern Center

**Sunday, April 13**

9:30A, Scout Mass, followed by donuts in the Religious Ed. Library

9:30A, Child Church

9:30A, Children's Choir sings

6:00P, Youth Bowling, off campus

**Monday, April 14**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

**Tuesday, April 15**

9:15A, Scripture Study, Religious Ed. Library

6:30P, CCD, off campus

7:30P, Adult Choir Practice, Church

7:30P, SAMA Meeting, Kern Center

**Wednesday, April 16**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

9:30A, Prayer Meeting/Mass, Conference Room

3:15P, G.S. Trp 862 Meeting, Religious Ed. Library

3:30P, Children's Choir Practice, Church

6:00P, CYO Volleyball, gym

7:00P, RCIA, off campus

7:00P, Finance Council Meeting, Rectory

7:00P, Boy Scout Trp 45, Religious Ed. Library

**Thursday, April 17**

7:30A, Band, Religious Ed. Library

1-3:00P, First Communion Practice, Church

3:30P, Girl Scouts, Board Room

7:00P, Sunday Reading Discussion, Rel. Ed. Library

7:00P, Cursillo, Conference Room

7:00P, Knights of Columbus Meeting, Kern Center

**Friday, April 18**

3:15P, Brownie Trps 72/405 Meeting, Ms. Kyame's Classroom

7:00P, New Parishioner Welcome, Rectory



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### **First Communion**

Practice for 1<sup>st</sup> Communion for our CCD and Parish school children will be from 1-3 p.m. on April 17. All practice will be in Church. At this time we give seating arrangements, practice the hymns, practice receiving the host. Our CCD students have to arrange to be absent from their schools. If you have any questions please call Sr. Paula at 837-9347.

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### **Confirmation Students**

Our second class will be on April 20<sup>th</sup> from 4-6 pm in the gym. Again, this is a required meeting. Students are to have the name of their sponsors and the name of the saint they want. In both instances we recommend their baptism sponsor and their saint name from baptism. But this is not required. This material is to be handed in to Sr. Paula.

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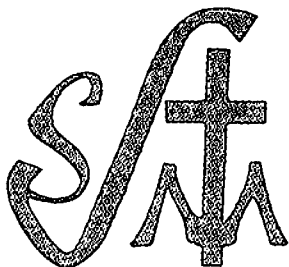
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Fifth Sunday of Easter  
April 20, 2008*



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### Readings for the Week of April 20, 2008

Sunday:	Acts 6:1-7/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12
Monday:	Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday:	Acts 14:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday:	Acts 15:1-6/Jn 15:1-8
Thursday:	Acts 15:7-21/Jn 15:9-11
Friday:	1 Pt 5:5b-14/Mk 16:15-20
Saturday:	Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21
Next Sunday:	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

Dear Parishioners,

Today, 55 young people of our parish will share in the gift of Holy Communion for the first time at our 12:30 p.m. Mass. We congratulate them on this important step in their journey of faith. We will pray for them at all of our Masses, that they will truly appreciate this gift of the Lord's Body and Blood, that they will continue to grow in faith and in joy as they live that faith. We thank their parents and families who have supported them and assisted them in their preparation for this day and thank, too, the catechists who have guided their study and formation.

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THANKS to all who helped plan, who worked at and who participated in the Spring Soiree! It was a great evening: good community spirit and lots of friendship shared, good food, plentiful libations, a great band, lively dancing and wonderful auction items. Because I am writing this the morning after the Soiree, we do not have a final financial report to share with you this week – it will be in next week's bulletin. The only disappointment is that we did not sell all the tickets to the Soiree, which perplexes me more than a little. Such a good event with a deserving cause (the continuing improvement of our parish facilities): I do not understand why each year this is not a sold out event.

For all those who did support the Soiree and all those who attended, I thank you. On behalf of all our parish family served by their dedication, special thanks to the Soiree Committee members for their generous and selfless work in support of our parish!

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As you may recall, those who serve on our Pastoral Council serve staggered four-year terms, so that about half the members' terms expire every other year. This provides both "new blood" on the Council (new members with new ideas, new energy, different insights) and, by retaining half the members, continuity in our deliberations as well. This year, June Prados, Robert Coussou, Glenn Scorsone, Clay Plaisance and Buddy Mazzeno complete their terms of office. Dianne Kratochvil is completing one term as an appointed Council member. I have already decided to appoint her for a second term, and thank her for agreeing to continue on the Council.

If you would like to nominate someone to serve on the Pastoral Council, or if you would like to offer your services, please complete the form at the bottom of this page and return it to the rectory this week by mail or by dropping it off. Please note that, if you nominate someone, you must check with them first to make certain that they are willing to serve.

Both the Pastoral Staff and the current Council, at their meetings last week, surfaced names of people they think would be good candidates for this parish service. We are now in the process of finding out from them if they are willing to be nominated for a four-year term on the Council. At the end of this week, when you have had the opportunity to nominate as well, we will present the list of names to the organizations who have to elect new Council members (SALA, Senior Citizens, the Building and Grounds Committee), asking them to select someone from this list of candidates.

Other candidates will be presented to the parish for an election: we have to elect one at-large Council member this year. I will then appoint one additional parishioner to serve on the Council.

The Pastoral Council, with the School Board and Finance Council, form the major consultative bodies to me as your pastor. I meet with them and they provide a "pulse of the parish," guiding the life and ministries of our parish. I value the work of these councils and the input they provide, the counsel they give. The Pastoral Council helps to determine and guide the spiritual life of our parish. Together, we seek to discern what is the will of the Lord for us here at St. Angela as we seek to build up the reign of Christ in this community of faith. Pastoral Council members need, then, to have a well-formed adult spirituality, to be one who is able (with others) to discern ways to build up the reign of Christ, to be good listeners (as they hear the needs of parishioners), to be willing to work with others on the council to come to a consensus as we make decisions, to make the time to be present to others at parish gatherings and activities. Nominees must be practicing Catholics, registered and active in our parish and over 18 years of age. Nominees must also be willing to participate in a special formation session later in the Summer, date to be arranged

THANKS to all who are completing their terms and to those continuing their current four-year terms. They are dedicated men and women of faith who serve us well.

Fr. Ken

### **PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATION**

I nominate \_\_\_\_\_ to serve on the Pastoral Council. This person would be a good Council member because

S/he is willing to serve a full four-year term and will participate in the formation session in the Summer.

*This form must be completed and returned to the rectory no later than 4:00 p.m., Friday, April 25.*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, April 19**

8:30a.m.

Frances M. Zimmermann

**Sunday, April 20**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts

Charles R. Roth

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Claire Grefer (\*)

8:00a.m.

Harvey Lee Ducote

9:30a.m.

Katie M. Baillio

11:00a.m.

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Shirley Faust

Roger "Rock" Melancon

Eugene Woods

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Earline Austin

John E. Fitzpatrick, Jr.

Anthony Lala

Mrs. Ozell Hewlett

Gasper Lore

Edward H. Watermeier

Claire Ramil

Grace Gambino

12:30p.m.

For the Parish

**Monday, April 21**

6:15a.m.

Joyce Palermo

8:30a.m.

Dr. Philip Failla

**Tuesday, April 22**

6:15a.m.

Sr. Marie Romagosa, O. Carm.

8:30a.m.

Irwin Joachim

**Wednesday, April 23**

6:15a.m.

Marguerite Gerage (\*)

8:30a.m.

Eugenie C. Hoffman

**Thursday, April 24**

6:15a.m.

Isabel Stewart

8:30a.m.

Felix Ciolino

**Friday, April 25**

6:15a.m.

Ray Heap, Jr.

8:30a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. William Langhoff

**Saturday, April 26**

8:30a.m.

Dan Kirschenheuter

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**Saturday, April 19**

8:30A, School Play Practice, Kern Center

4:00P, KC Quarterly Mass, Church

6:00P, Knights of Columbus Crawfish Dinner, Kern

Center

**Sunday, April 20**

9:30A, Child Church

12:30P, First Communion Mass, Church

4:00P, 10th Grade Confirmation Class, Kern Center

**Monday, April 21**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

6:30P, Fair Committee Meeting, Conference Room

**Tuesday, April 22**

9:15A, Scripture Study, Religious Ed. Library

1:30P, Co-Op Board Meeting, Conference Room

6:30P, CCD, off campus

7:00P, School Board Meeting, Conference Room

7:30P, Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, April 23**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

9:30A, Prayer Meeting, Conference Room

3:30P, Children's Choir Practice, Church

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

7:00P, RCIA, off campus

7:00P, Boy Scout Trp 45, Religious Ed. Library

**Thursday, April 24**

PAPER DRIVE

7:30A, Band, Religious Ed. Library

7:00P, Facility Needs Assessment Meeting, Kern Center

**Friday, April 25**

9:00A, Field Day, Metairie Playground

3:15P, Brownie Trps 72/405, Religious Ed. Library



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### **Confirmation Students**

Our second class will be on April 20<sup>th</sup> from 4-6 pm in the gym. Again, this is a required meeting. Students are to have the name of their sponsors and the name of the saint they want. In both instances we recommend their baptism sponsor and their saint name from baptism. But this is not required. This material is to be handed in to Sr. Paula.

If you have any questions please call Sr. Paula at 837-9347.

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### **Safari- Summer Bible Camp**

Registration has begun. If you have not received information, please download a form from [stangelaschool.org](http://stangelaschool.org) website. Fill it out and get it to Sr. Paula. This is for the students attending and also for teens who will work here to help the program. For more information please call Sr. Paula at 837-9347.

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### **Morning of Spirituality for Men**

The Archdiocese of New Orleans will be having the **11th Morning of Spirituality for Men** on April 26, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, 4640 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA.

The Morning's theme will be, "Wholeness in Body, Mind, and Spirit: A Physician Who Uses Faith and Prayer in His Medical Practice." Our speaker will be Dr. Bill Mitchell who works as a primary care physician at a VA outpatient clinic caring for our veterans, and was recently appointed Acting Chief Medical Officer of the largest VA Pensacola Outpatient Clinic. Dr. Mitchell has witnessed for Jesus in person in his travels from New Orleans to Los Angeles to Long Island to Miami to Dublin, Ireland to Rome to San Giovanni Rotunda, Italy and numerous cities in between. He has taught and preached, and prayed for healing and deliverance on thousands of occasions during the last twenty years.

As usual, in addition to the talk, the day will include prayers, Reconciliation and Eucharist. Archbishop Hughes will celebrate the Mass, and Fr. Luis Rodriguez will be the homilist.

### **St. Angela Ladies Auxiliary's Luncheon**

SALA's Luncheon will be held on Tuesday May 13, 2008 at **Ralph's on the Park** at 12:15 p.m. Lunch will be preceded by cocktails at 11:30 a.m. (cash bar). Reservations should be made by May 6, 2008. Cost is \$30.00. Reservation forms may be returned to the rectory or brought to SALA's meeting on May 6. (form may be picked up at the rectory)



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### Readings for the Week of April 27, 2008

Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/1 Pt 3:15-18/  
Jn 14:15-21  
Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26-16:4a  
Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11  
Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1/Jn 16:12-15  
Thursday: (Easter Weekday) Acts 18:1-8/Jn 16:16-20  
Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23  
Saturday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14  
Next Sunday: Ascension of the Lord: Acts 1:1-11/  
Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

Dear Parishioners,

There has been a change in time for the Saturday "Facilities Needs Assessment" meeting. The time has been changed from 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 26 to **12 Noon**. A light lunch will be served during the meeting. So that we can prepare enough food and beverage, if you do plan to participate in the Saturday meeting, please call the rectory (835-0324) and let us know. The meeting will be in the parish Conference Room.

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Today, along with two other Sisters of her community, Sr. Paula celebrates the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of her vowed life as a Sister of Mount Carmel. This celebration will be at Our Lady of Fatima Church in Lafayette, LA. At this same Mass, two Mount Carmel Sisters will celebrate their 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, two their 60<sup>th</sup>, and one her 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. It should be quite a joyful day as families and friends gather to recognize these women for their many years of service to the Church. Congratulations, Sister Paula!

This Jubilee Mass will jointly honor the anniversary all of these Sisters, but I know that our own parish would like to celebrate Sister Paula and her ministry with us here at St. Angela. Sr. Paula's actual anniversary date is August 5, and we will plan a parish gathering for Saturday, August 2 at and following the 4:00 p.m. Mass. Of course, we will have more information about that in the weeks prior to that date.

Congratulations, Sr. Paula! We wish you many more years of happy and faithful ministry!

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Each year, the Serra Club of New Orleans invites parishes of the Archdiocese to select one of their altar servers to be recognized for their special service in this liturgical ministry. This year, we have selected Lauren Terranova to receive the Altar Server Award.

Lauren has been serving Mass here at St. Angela since she was in the fifth grade. She is now in her eighth year of active service in this ministry. This year, Lauren served as mistress of ceremonies at the liturgies of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil, overseeing and guiding all those who served these special liturgies of the Paschal Triduum – and she did an outstanding job, too!

Lauren, along with servers from throughout the Archdiocese, received this award from Archbishop Alfred Hughes at a Mass at St. Rita Church in New Orleans this past Thursday. Deacon Gil, coordinator of our servers, accompanied Lauren that evening.

We join together in thanking Lauren for her years of faithful and generous service, for the enthusiasm and joy she shares with all who minister at Mass with her and for her continuing service to our parish community. We unite, too, in congratulating her on this well-deserved recognition!

I also take this opportunity to thank all the young men and women of our parish who are altar servers, especially those who, like Lauren, continue serving while they are in high school as members of our Senior Servers.

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Again, I thank those who supported and participated in the parish Spring Soiree. Counting individual ticket sales and "cows" that were purchased in advance or at the door the night of the Soiree, a total of 207 of the available 300 tickets were sold.

Ticket sales totaled \$20,700. The auction and raffles took in a total of \$20,258. There was also \$550 in donations. This resulted in a gross income of \$41,508.

Expenses included the following: grand prize (\$5,000), band (\$1,500), caterer (\$6,448), rentals (\$687), liquor (\$550), clean-up and security (\$320), miscellaneous expenses (\$246). There are still a few, minor outstanding bills, which will mean the profit will be in the neighborhood of \$26,000.

The grand prize was split by five ticket holders: Glenn and Ceily Gandolini; Louie and Kay Hymel; the faculty "cow" held by Beth Homer, Linda Benedetto, Jackie Appleton, Jean Hare and T. O'Sullivan; Mack Cantrell; Irv and Janet Schwary.

As I announced earlier, we will be dedicating the proceeds from this and future Soirees to remodel all of the rest room facilities in the main school building and in church.

*Fr. Ken*

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8:30a.m.

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**Sunday, April 27**

4:00p.m. Vigil

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**Monday, April 28**

6:15a.m.

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8:30a.m.

Joan Talamo

**Tuesday, April 29**

6:15a.m.

Richard Eustace

8:30a.m.

Inez Falgout

**Wednesday, April 30**

6:15a.m.

Mrs. Willie Berthelot

8:30a.m.

Joanna F. Renettan

**Thursday, May 1**

6:15a.m.

Rev. John James Mc Namara

8:30a.m.

Maria Celina Vindel

**Friday, May 2**

6:15a.m.

Paul Gilberti

8:30a.m.

Katie M. Baillio

**Saturday, May 3**

8:30a.m.

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12 Noon, Facility Needs Assessment, Church/Conference Room

6:30P, Supper and Substance, Kern Center

**Sunday, April 27 Home Missions Collection**

9:30A, Child Church

6:30-8:30P, Youth General Meeting, gym

**Monday, April 28**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

6:30P, Wolf Den Mtg, Religious Ed. Library

7:00P, SALA Board Meeting, Conference Room

**Tuesday, April 29**

9:15A, Scripture Study, Religious Ed. Library

1:30P, School Oratorical Contest, Kern Center

6:30P, CCD, off campus

7:30P, Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, April 30**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

9:30A, Whole School Mass, Church

3:15P, G.S. Trp 862 Meeting, Religious Ed. Library

3:30P, Children's Choir Practice, Church

7:00P, RCIA, off campus

7:00P, Boy Scout Trp 45 Meeting, Rel. Ed. Library

**Thursday, May 1**

7:30A, Band, Religious Ed. Library

12Noon, Senior Citizens' Meeting, Kern Center

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

7:00P, Sunday Reading Discussion, Rel Ed Library

7:00P, Girl Scout Leaders Meeting, Conference Room

7:30P, Parent's Mtg. Cub Pack 30, Board Room

**Friday, May 2**

1:45P, Early School Dismissal

2:00P, Faculty Meeting, Conference Room

3:15P, G.S. Trp 848 Meeting, Religious Ed. Library

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Please give generously to assist fellow Catholics here in America. It's one practical way our parish community can be good stewards of God's gifts and make a difference.

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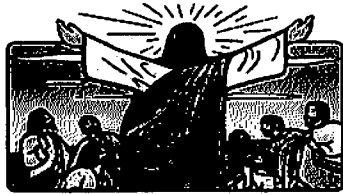
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### Readings for the Week of May 4, 2008

Sunday:	Ascension of the Lord: Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23/ Mt 28:16-20
Monday:	Acts 19:1-8/Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday:	Acts 20:17-27/Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday:	Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11b-19
Thursday:	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26
Friday:	Acts 25:13b-21/Jn 21:15-19
Saturday: Morning:	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Jn 21:20-25
Next Sunday:	Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/ Jn 20:19-23

#### Dear Parishioners,

Several weeks ago, I mailed to each household in our parish a letter explaining that it is time for our Finance Council to begin finalizing the parish budget for the fiscal year that will begin on July 1 of this year. With that letter was a card recording your current level of church support and asking you to let us know what your intended giving will be beginning on July 1. Thus far, 337 families have returned that card to us. With slightly over 2,100 registered households, that is not the return we expected or needed. This weekend, we will have Stewardship Intention cards available at all of the doors of church and, if you did not complete the card that was sent, the Finance Council and I ask that you take a few minutes before or after Mass to stop at one of the tables, complete your form and drop it in the box that will also be there. If we do not know what you intend to give in support of your parish, its activities, organizations and ministries, we cannot budget properly.

If you can increase your offering, that is wonderful. Please do! If you cannot increase your current level of giving, we understand that, but we do need to know (not *guess*) what your financial support will be. Please remember my basic approach to giving (whether it is giving of time, talent or treasure): if each of us does what we can, we will accomplish a great deal as we seek to build up the reign of Christ in our community.

Thank you for your cooperation with this request. Thank you to all who do what you can, large or small, in support of your parish and all we do *together* to share and spread the mind and heart of Christ. \*\*\*\*\*

I thank those who took the time to participate in one of the facilities needs assessment meetings that we had last week. I expect to receive a report on the meetings from our architect this week and I will be sharing that report with you in the weeks ahead. At the next meetings of the Pastoral and Finance Councils, we will discuss what will be, based on that report, the next step in the process. \*\*\*\*\*

Each year, we are given the opportunity to select two parishioners to receive from the Archbishop the Medallion of the Order of St. Louis. This recognition is given to people from each parish of the archdiocese for outstanding and long-standing service to the Church through their parish service. While it is always a challenge to select only two people for this honor, since there are so many faithful and, generous active parishioners, I think our parish staff has done a good job selecting this year's St. Louis Medallion recipients:  
**Alma "Puddin'" McNamara and Anna Schmidt.**

Puddin' McNamara and her husband, A.J., moved into the parish before the church was built. Their son, Price, was the first baby baptized in SAM, in the building that was the rectory at the time. All four of the McNamara children attended St. Angela Merici School. Puddin' was a charter member of the parish Prayer Group (a member for 35 years). Over the years, she has assisted with preparation of the parish bulletin; she taught second and eighth grade in the CCD program; she has served in the liturgical ministries of reader and extraordinary minister of Holy Communion (in fact, she has been an extraordinary minister since the inception of that ministry here at SAM). As a member of SALA for many years, since the time her children were in school, she has not only been a member but has served in leadership as club historian, Installation Luncheon Committee and vice-president. She has provided one-on-one care ministry to families, has been a member of Magnificat for 20 years and has been on the Metairie Chapter of their Service Team and is active in Life in the Spirit sessions. She has been active in the Catholic Charismatic Renewal and on the staff of the yearly conference for many years.

Anna Schmidt and her husband, Deacon Gil, have lived in SAM since 1973. They have been married for 54 years and had nine children, but lost one in childbirth. Anna taught third grade of CCD for several years. Some of their older children attended St. Louis King of France School but, after they moved into our parish, Anna became immediately active in the PTA. Like Puddin', Anna had been an extraordinary minister of Holy Communion since the introduction of that ministry here. Over the years, she was active in hospital visitation and has been and still is an active member and leader in SALA, having served that organization as Membership Chairperson, on the committee that plans trips for the group, as treasurer and has been active in the SALA ministry related to parish Baptisms, that is, making the robes for the sacrament and, after the baptism, sending congratulatory cards to the families. While Deacon Gil was in his three and a half years of preparation for diaconal ministry, Anna was of great support to him and took care of the family all those nights (twice a week for those years) while he attended classes in order that he might serve all of us as deacon.

We thank Puddin' and Anna for their generous, sacrificial, joyful service as members of our parish family and congratulate them on the well-deserved recognition that they will receive today at St. Louis Cathedral.

I take this opportunity to thank ALL those who give generously of themselves to our parish. I hope that the example all of them offer will inspire more people to step forward in parish service.

*Fr Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, May 3**

8:30a.m.

Warren M. Eberle

**Sunday, May 4**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts

Charles R. Roth

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Clara Villemarette (\*)

Warren Griffin

Dorothy Soignet

Lester A. Boudreaux, Jr.

8:00a.m.

Harvey Lee Ducote

9:30a.m.

For the Parish

11:00a.m.

Grace Gambino

Adele Rappold

Paul Gilberti

Roger "Rock" Melancon

Clair Ramil

Catherine Van Geffen

Trudy Stevens

Mrs. Willie Berthelot

Anthony Lala

Fr. Philip Landry (\*)

Shirley Faust

Euphraise De Felice

Joyce Palermo

Joseph Palermo, Sr.

Rhett Benfiglio (\*)

12:30p.m.

Edward J. Maloney

**Monday, May 5**

6:15a.m.

Joyce and Joseph Palermo

8:30a.m.

June Calcagno

**Tuesday, May 6**

6:15a.m.

Sr. Mary Louis Breaux, O. Carm.

8:30a.m.

Elizabeth Lynch

**Wednesday, May 7**

6:15a.m.

Michael Achary

8:30a.m.

Guarino and Sinnott Families

**Thursday, May 8**

6:15a.m.

Rev. John James Mc Namara

8:30a.m.

Frances and Rudolf Carevich

**Friday, May 9**

6:15a.m.

Purgatorial List

8:30a.m.

H. M. "Bert" Aucoin, Jr.

**Saturday, May 10**

8:30a.m.

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**Saturday, May 3**

5:30P, "Willy Wonka Junior" Dinner Theater, Kern Center

**Sunday, May 4**

9:30A, May Crowning

9:30A, Child Church

2:00P, "Willy Wonka Junior", Kern Center

7:00P, "Willy Wonka Junior", Kern Center

**Monday, May 5**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

7:00P, K. of C. Officers' Mtg, Conference Room

7:00P, Co-Op Meeting, Kern Center

**Tuesday, May 6**

8:30A, Upper Grade Mass, Church

1:30P, Oratorical Contest, Kern Center

6:00P, Webelos Meeting, Conference Room

7:00P, SALA Meeting, Kern Center

**Wednesday, May 7**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

8:30A, Lower Grade Mass, Church

9:30A, FLA Chair Meeting, Off Campus

9:30A, Prayer Meeting, Conference Room

3:30P, Children's Choir Practice, Church

4:30P, Staff Meeting, Rectory

6:00P, Liturgy Committee Meeting, Rectory

7:00P, RCIA, off campus

7:00P, Boy Scout Trp 45, Religious Ed Library

**Thursday, May 8**

7:30A, Band, Religious Ed. Library

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

7:00P, Sunday Reading Discussion, Religious Ed. Lib

**Friday, May 9**

3:15P, Brownie Trps 72/405 Mtg, Religious Ed. Lib

6-9:00P, Youth Sports Clinic Rotation, gym

7:00P, Adult Training for Safari, Religious Ed. Library



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### SALA

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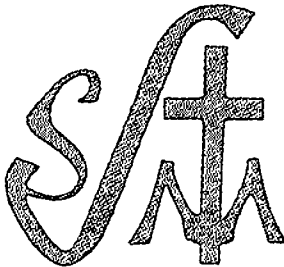
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# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Pentecost Sunday  
May 11, 2008*



*St Angela Merici*

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Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."  
- Jn 20:21-23

### Readings for the Week of May 11, 2008

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23  
Monday: Jas 1:1-11/Mk 8:11-13  
Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18/Mk 8:14-21  
Wednesday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17  
Thursday: Jas 2:1-9/Mk 8:27-33  
Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26/Mk 8:34-9:1  
Saturday: Jas 3:1-10/Mk 9:2-13  
Next Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

Dear Parishioners,

We have received the report and summary from our recent facilities needs assessment gatherings and you can see that entire report on the parish web site, [www.stangela.org](http://www.stangela.org). I invite you to take a few minutes to look over that summary. I think both of the sessions went very well. Though different people attended each session, they were quite similar in the items of concern people shared and the agreement on our parish needs in regard to facilities. Originally, I had hoped that our facilitator would process us to develop a prioritized list of needs, but we did not have enough time to accomplish that. Therefore, I will bring the report to our Pastoral Council, Finance Council and School Board for their continued reflection and refinement to reach a consensus on the degree of importance for these recommendations. After a prioritized list of needs is agreed upon, we can then determine the next step in the process, a master plan and time-line for implementation. That time-line, of course, requires the pay-down of our current parish debt and plan for determining how to raise whatever funds would be needed as we improve or grow our facilities.

If I don't mention all of this again for a while, don't get alarmed. Our Councils do not meet during the Summer months, and so it will take us a while to continue to refine our plan.

Let me mention one thing in regard to facilities: the issue of parking came up at both meetings. I know that parking is a real problem, both on weekends and for the 8:30 a.m. Mass during the week. As we think about long-term solutions, let me remind you of a few things that are of immediate concern:

Off-street parking for 8:30 a.m. Mass during the school year is behind the Msgr. Kern Center. During Lent, when the Mass attendance increased, we did permit parking in the handicapped spaces behind the church. We should not do that at other times, because this interferes with morning school drop-off, morning assembly, early physical education classes and recess. Please park only behind the Center for 8:30 a.m. Mass Monday through Friday for the remainder of the school year.

The lot off Pomona between the Annex and the Center is reserved for faculty and school staff parking on school days.

On weekdays for school pick-up and on weekends for Mass, please be careful not to block driveways in the neighborhood.

Thank you for your cooperation!

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On May 12 I celebrate my 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination. These have been, for me, years of rich blessings and growth. On my anniversary, I always take time to reflect on and to thank God for those who have worked with me in ministry, those whom I have served, those who have been special influences in my life as a priest. Please know that I will be praying in thanksgiving on Monday for all of you here at St. Angela. I feel truly blessed to be here with you, sharing the past five of these 35 years!

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Our school year is drawing quickly to an end. Our Pre-K 3 program concludes on Tuesday of this week and Kindergarten promotion is on Friday. As these young people begin their Summer break, please keep them in your prayer for a safe, happy and refreshing Summer.

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On Tuesday of this week, members of SALA will participate in their Installation Luncheon, welcoming these officers to begin service:

President	Sandra Blount
Vice-President	Ola Becnel
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On Thursday, the Senior Citizens will install these officers for a new term:

President	William Renton
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Recently elected new officers of SAMA are:

President	Greg Corrente
Vice President	Steve Keen
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Secretary	Terry Mipro

We congratulate these new leaders and thank them for their willingness to serve our parish organizations and their members!

*F. Kern*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, May 10**

8:30a.m.

The Petrovich Family

**Sunday, May 11**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts  
Adele Calcagno  
June Calcagno  
Lucille Gebbia  
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Warren Griffin  
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Joyce Appel  
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8:00a.m.

9:30a.m.

11:00a.m.

Hazel Grefer  
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Joey Picou  
Brian Leonard  
Adele Rappold  
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Shirley Faust  
Irene Landry  
Helen Wilkinson  
John Brandt  
Rose Gerard  
Purgatorial List  
Catherine Gallagher Vandrell

12:30p.m.

**Monday, May 12**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Tuesday, May 13**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Wednesday, May 14**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Thursday, May 15**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Friday, May 16**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Saturday, May 17**

8:30a.m.

Charles R. Roth  
Pauline Mascari  
Amalia Velasquez  
Blanca Jimenez  
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Miriam Zimmerman  
Lawrence Chigoy  
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Eugenie Bourgeois  
Mary and Frank Montalbano

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Sr. Mary Louis Breaux, O. Carm.  
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Wayne Schmidt  
Virginia Danahay

Dwight Mc Namara  
Brett Mc Donald

Michael Achary  
Al Daniel

Otis L. Mazoue'

(\*) denotes living

**Saturday, May 10**

Second Collection for Holy Father  
10:30A, Cub Scout Meeting, Board Room

**Sunday, May 11**

Second Collection for Holy Father  
9:30A, Scout Mass followed by donuts in the gym

**Monday, May 12**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

**Tuesday, May 13**

10:30A, Bridge to Naim, Conference Room  
11:00A, SALA Installation Luncheon, off campus  
6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym  
6:30P, Webelos II Meeting, Religious  
7:00P, Pastoral Council Meeting, Conference Room  
7:30P, Adult Choir Practice, Church

**Wednesday, May 14**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room  
9:30A, Prayer Meeting, Conference Room  
3:15P, G.S. Trp 862, Religious Ed. Library  
3:30P, Children's Choir Practice, Church  
7:00P, RCIA, off campus  
7:00P, Boy Scout Trp 45, Religious Ed. Library  
7:00P, Adult Faith Meeting, Conference Room

**Thursday, May 15**

7:30A, Band, Religious Ed. Library  
12 Noon, Senior Citizens' Installation Luncheon, off campus  
7:00P, Sunday Reading Discussion, Religious Ed. Lib  
7:00P, Cursillo, Conference Room  
7:00P, K.C. Meeting, Kern Center

**Friday, May 16**

3:15P, Brownie Trps 72/405 Meeting, Religious Ed. Lib  
6:00P, Blue & Gold Banquet, Kern Center



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† **Rest in Peace**

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This year, the collection in our diocese is scheduled for May 10-11, 2008.

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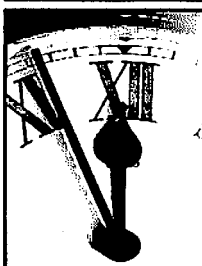


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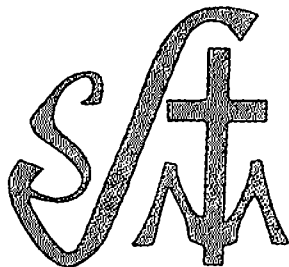
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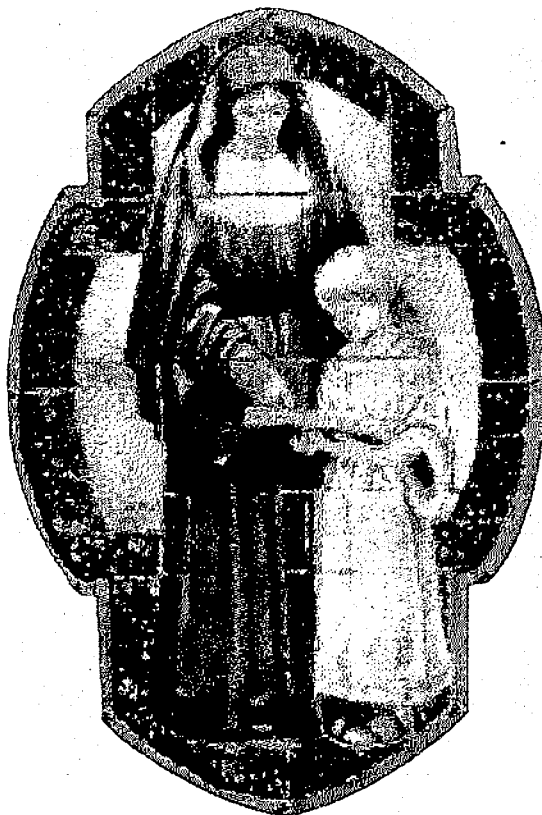
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God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. - Jn 3:16-17

### Readings for the Week of May 18, 2008

Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18  
 Monday: Jas 3:13-18/Mk 9:14-29  
 Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10/Mk 9:30-37  
 Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17/Mk 9:38-40  
 Thursday: Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:41-50  
 Friday: Jas 5:9-12/Mk 10:1-12  
 Saturday: Jas 5:13-20/Mk 10:13-16  
 Next Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58

Dear Parishioners,

Archbishop Alfred Hughes has requested that an emergency collection be taken up in parishes of our Archdiocese to provide, through Catholic Relief Services, aid to the people of Myanmar, victims of the recent cyclone that devastated the coastal region of that nation. We will take up that collection at all of our Masses this weekend, Saturday and Sunday, May 17-18. Many helped us in our time of need following Hurricane Katrina. This is an opportunity to offer thankful response, with the care of God's heart within us, by generously coming to the aid of others.

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Our school year comes to its conclusion this week with a flurry of activities. Students in the D.A.R.E. program will "graduate" in a ceremony on Tuesday afternoon. Our final Mass of the school year will be on Wednesday morning at 9:30 a.m. and all parishioners are invited to participate. Seventh Grade students will be promoted on Wednesday afternoon. The last day of school, with its awards ceremony, will be on Friday, May 23.

We wish all of our students, our faculty and administrators a joyful, relaxing and refreshing Summer break. We thank all of them and our school parents for coming together to make this a great school year. The good working together of administrators, School Board, faculty, Co-Op and families made this a year of growth for all. Let's bring that same good spirit back when we reconvene in August! In the meantime, Happy Summer to all!

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Summer Safari (Bible Camp for Pre-K 4 through 6<sup>th</sup> graders) begins on June 2 and ends on June 13. Registration forms can be found at [www.stangelaschool.org](http://www.stangelaschool.org). They can be completed and returned on-line, or to Sr. Paula's office or the rectory offices. We're still looking for teens and adult volunteers. Call Sr. Paula at 837-9347.

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Speaking of volunteers, it has been a very good two weeks of people coming forward for service as liturgical ministers. Five adults have expressed an interest in serving as extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion. Three have already been able to participate in a training session conducted by the Office of Worship, the other two will wait until the Fall workshops begin. From our Youth Ministry, two teens will soon be prepared to begin ministry as Readers at Mass and four will become Ministers of Hospitality.

This is a good opportunity to let you know that, in August, we will have another Parish Ministries Fair, inviting even more of you to consider to step forward to join in parish organizations and ministries. During the Summer months, we will be highlighting all of our organizations and ministries here in the bulletin, so that you can learn more about them and discern where your may be receiving a call from the Lord, through these parish activities, to livelier service.

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On Monday, I received a very generous gift from the parish, through the parish Finance Council, in honor of my 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a priest. I thank you for this generous and thoughtful gesture. Thanks, too, for the many kind greetings, supportive comments, promises of prayer that many of you offered. Though not without its challenges, it has been a great thirty-five years of ministry and a very gratifying five of those here with you at St. Angela! THANKS!

*F. Ken*

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8:30a.m.

Otis L. Mazoue'

**Sunday, May 18**

4:00p.m. Vigil

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For the Parish

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Joyce Palermo

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Mary Louise Thomas

12:30p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Calderara

**Monday, May 19**

6:15a.m.

Edward J. Appel, Jr.

8:30a.m.

Dwight Mc Namara

**Tuesday, May 20**

6:15a.m.

Anthony C. D'Antonio

8:30a.m.

Alice and Ann Bouvier

**Wednesday, May 21**

6:15a.m.

Angelina Campo

8:30a.m.

Warren Griffin

**Thursday, May 22**

6:15a.m.

Sr. Mary Louis Breaux, O. Carm.

8:30a.m.

Robert Richard

**Friday, May 23**

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9:30A, Child Church

6:00P, Confirmation Make-Up Class, Conference Room

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7L50A, Title I Class, Board Room

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

6:30P, Wolf Den Meeting, Religious Ed Library

7:00P, SALA Joint Board Meeting, Conference Room

**Tuesday, May 20**

7:30P, Adult Choir Practice, Church

7:30P, SAMA Meeting, Kern Center

**Wednesday, May 21**

7:50A, Title I Class, Board Room

9:30A, End of School Year Mass, Church

9:30A, Prayer Meeting/Mass, Conference Room

1:00P, 7th Grade Promotional, Kern Center

7:00P, RCIA, off campus

7:00P, Finance Council Meeting, Rectory

7:00P, Boy Scout Trp 45, Religious Ed. Library

**Thursday, May 22****PAPER DRIVE**

9:30A, Sunday Reading Discussion, Conference Room

11:30A, Early School Dismissal

6:00P, Men's Basketball, gym

**Friday, May 23**

Last Day of School

9:00A, Awards Ceremony, Kern Center

10:30A, Early Dismissal



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*-May all of our beloved dead rest in peace-*

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Mark your calendar for CYO sign-up which will take place on Sunday, June 1st, 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm, St. Angela schoolyard. If you are interested in joining CYO come and enjoy barbeque, music, and cabbageball on June 1st for new and current members.

If you would like to play CYO co-ed cabbageball this summer, email Billy Steen at [williamsteen@cox.net](mailto:williamsteen@cox.net) with your name, birth date, and phone number. Rosters are due to the CYO office this month. The CYO cabbageball season begins in June.

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### **Safari- Summer Bible Camp**

Last day for registration is May 23, 2008. Forms for registration for students, teens, and teachers can be found, downloaded and then turned in at rectory, in school office, or Sr. Paula's office. Call 837-9347 for more information.

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### **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry**

St. Vincent de Paul is in need of food for the pantry. Some of the items you might consider donating would be: canned meats, tuna fish, peanut butter, jelly, jams, dried beans, rice, pasta, tomato sauce, cereals, canned milk, canned vegetables, grits, oatmeal, soup, condiments or any non-perishable items. Any donation would be greatly appreciated!

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### **Attention New Parishioners**

Please call the rectory (835-0324) to let us know if you can join us for the New Parishioner Welcome on Sunday, June 1, 2008, 12 noon at the Rectory.

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### **Parents of 10<sup>th</sup> graders:**

Make up class for those preparing for Confirmation, who missed the second class will be on Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, from 6-8 pm. This will be held in the Religious Education Library. For more information call 837-9347.

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### **SAMA**

The next SAMA meeting is Tuesday, May 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the Kern Center. The menu is "Crawfish" and the speaker is Jim Henderson with WWL television-Sports Director.

### **FR. RAY LEADING LOURDES PILGRIMAGE**

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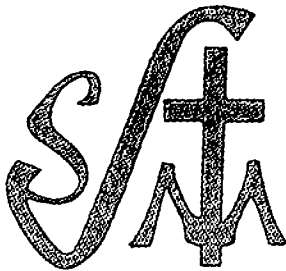
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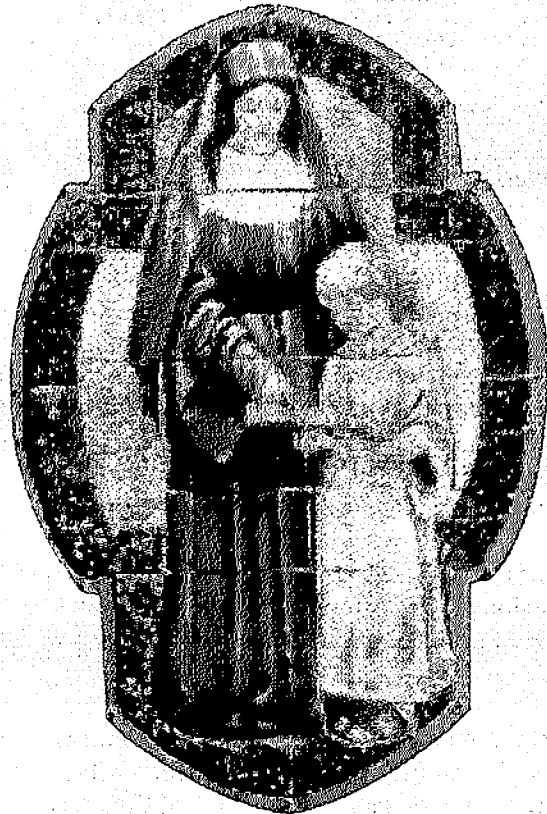
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#### Readings for the Week of May 25, 2008

Sunday:	Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58
Monday:	1 Pt 1:3-9/Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday:	1 Pt 1:10-16/Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday:	1 Pt 1:18-25/Mk 10:32-45
Thursday:	1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12/Mk 10:46-52
Friday:	Dt 7:6-11/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30
Saturday:	Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Lk 1:39-56
Next Sunday:	Dt 11:18, 26-28, 32/Rom 3:21-25, 28/Mt 7:21-27

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Dear Parishioners,

On Sunday, June 1, we will have a "New Parishioner Welcome" at the rectory at 12 Noon. Our parish Family Life Apostolate invites all new parish families to join us for this social. New parishioners who have recently registered in our parish should have received an invitation through the mail. But, whether you received one or not, if you are a new family in our parish, please join us so that we can meet one another! Of course, since it is noon-time, we will be serving food, so please call the rectory (835-0324) and tell us how many members of your family will be with us so that we can prepare adequately. The social lasts from Noon until 1:00 p.m., and we do invite leaders of parish organizations to be with us, so that our new parishioners can begin to put some names and faces together and begin to feel truly part of our St. Angela family. We do know that new families are moving into our neighborhood. We welcome you and hope that you will come to the social and begin to be active members of our wonderful parish!

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Following our facilities needs assessment meetings, we posted on our parish web site the results of those two sessions. We began a discussion at our Pastoral Council meeting on May 13 to reflect together with Pastoral Council and Staff about the input we received from the parishioners who took part in these meetings and to determine what the next step in the process should be.

The Council recommended that we set up a smaller *ad hoc* committee, composed of members of the Pastoral Council, Finance Council, School Board and Pastoral Staff (which will be a "smaller" but not a "small" committee!). Four members of the Pastoral Council, three members of the School Board, two members of the Finance Council and, from the Staff, Jackie Appleton, Colleen Remont, Sr. Paula and I will serve on this committee.

When all of the committee members have been recruited, I will let you know who they are. This committee will meet to review the input from parishioners, to prioritize the recommendations and to offer to the full Councils recommendations of a master plan to be finalized by our architect.

I would encourage you to take a few minutes to review the report on the needs assessment meetings and, if you have comments, to be ready to share them with members of the *ad hoc* committee before they meet on Tuesday, June 10.

*Fr Ken*

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Our Summer Bible Camp (Safari) is preparing for a great two week session of wonderful Bible stories, art projects, songs that stress the message of the day, activities that foster sharing, caring, giving, growing and praising God and, of course, snacks. If you haven't registered your child pre-4 through 6<sup>th</sup> please do so this week. Just call Sr. Paula at 837-9347 for more information.

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### **St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry**

St. Vincent de Paul is in need of food for the pantry. Some of the items you might consider donating would be: canned meats, tuna fish, peanut butter, jelly, jams, dried beans, rice, pasta, tomato sauce, cereals, canned milk, canned vegetables, grits, oatmeal, soup, condiments or any non-perishable items. Any donation would be greatly appreciated!

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### **7th Grade Parishioners interested in joining CYO:**

Mark your calendar for CYO sign-up which will take place on Sunday, June 1st, 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm, St. Angela schoolyard. If you are interested in joining CYO come and enjoy barbeque, music, and cabbageball on June 1st for new and current members.

If you would like to play CYO co-ed cabbageball this summer, email Billy Steen at [williamsteen@cox.net](mailto:williamsteen@cox.net) with your name, birth date, and phone number. Rosters are due to the CYO office this month. The CYO cabbageball season begins in June.

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### **God's Special Children Mass**

There will be a Special Mass for All God's Special Children, their families and friends on Sunday, June 1, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. at St. Francis Xavier Church, 444 Metairie Road, Metairie, Louisiana. A reception will follow. Everyone is invited to attend. Totally wheelchair accessible, off street parking. For more information you may call Joy Zainey at 834-5865.

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### **Safari—Summer Bible Camp**

All who have registered for Safari- K-6 have been accepted and are to meet in the gym at 8:45 on Monday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. They will find their teen leaders and other classmates and sit in a group. We have morning prayer in the gym. Pre K students are to go to our pre K 3 classroom. We will have teens to help you find the room and will help with the students. Sessions end at 12:30 and the students are to be picked up by the ramp. They must check out with their teens. All are asked to wear tennis shoes. Before care begins at 7:30 in the gym. Parents are to sign in for both before and after care. After care ends at 5:30. This service is for those parents who need this service, not a play time for friends. After care students need lunch, drink and a blanket or mat since they are on the floor as they watch the after care movie. We serve morning and afternoon snacks.

Teens who have registered are also accepted. Your first meeting, planning and decorating day is Friday, May 30<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 2 pm. We will meet again on May 31 to do finishing touches. Dress code has not changed: cargo shorts, at least knee length shorts, camp shirts (which will be distributed on the first day) and tennis shoes. Those who are working all day bring your lunch and drink.

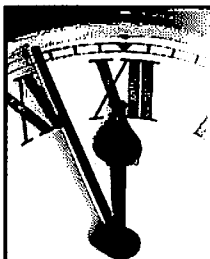


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*Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*June 1, 2008*



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### Readings for the Week of June 1, 2008

Sunday: Dt 11:18, 26-28, 32/Rom 3:21-25, 28/Mt 7:21-27  
Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7/Mk 12:1-12  
Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Mk 12:13-17  
Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Mk 12:18-27  
Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/Mk 12:28-34  
Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17/Mk 12:35-37  
Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8/Mk 12:38-44  
Next Sunday: Hos 6:3-6/Rom 4:18-25/Mt 9:9-13

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Dear Parishioners,

WELCOME, SAFARI! Our Summer Bible Camp brings lots of energy and enthusiasm, shown by the young people who participate, to the teens and adults who serve as counselors and assistants and leaders. We hope that this annual journey into the Scriptures for our youth will be rewarding and enriching!

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On behalf of our parish Finance Council, I would like to thank those of you who responded to our fiscal year contribution cards. Of the 2,100 registered in our parish, 800 of those are identified contributors, either contributing through the parish envelope system, through automatic bank drafts or by check. When we sent out the letter asking what your contribution would be for the coming fiscal year (July 1 through June30), 451 families responded.

The Finance Council has presumed that the families who did not reply will continue their current level of financial church support. With the information we did receive and with that presumption in place, we have begun to work on the parish budget for the coming fiscal year. When the budget is prepared by the *ad hoc* committee and reviewed by and approved by the full Finance Council, I will share that information with you. We will publish a full report of the current fiscal year as soon as possible after July 1.

Allow me, please, to say a word about the letter and the intent cards I asked you to complete and return. We will be doing this every year. The Finance Council and I need your input to know what we can rely on as parish income so that we can budget appropriately. I intend to keep us, with the oversight of the Council, on firm financial footing, controlling our spending and continuing as aggressively as funds permit, to continue to reduce our indebtedness to the Archdiocese. When you let us know what your support of your parish will be, we can budget wisely and well. I hope that, next year, even more parish households will respond to our contribution information request.

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Today, June 1, we will have a "New Parishioner Welcome" at the rectory at 12 Noon. Our parish Family Life Apostolate invites all new parish families to join us for this social. New parishioners who have recently registered in our parish should have received an invitation through the mail. But, whether you received one or not, if you are a new family in our parish, please join us so that we can meet one another! The social lasts from Noon until 1:00 p.m., and we do invite leaders of parish organizations to be with us, so that our new parishioners can begin to put some names and faces together and begin to feel truly part of our St. Angela family. We do know that new families are moving into our neighborhood. We welcome you and hope that you will come to the social and begin to be active members of our wonderful parish!

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Following our facilities needs assessment meetings, we posted on our parish web site the results of those two sessions. We began a discussion at our Pastoral Council meeting on May 13 to reflect together with Pastoral Council and Staff about the input we received from the parishioners who took part in these meetings and to determine what the next step in the process should be.

The Council recommended that we set up a smaller *ad hoc* committee, composed of members of the Pastoral Council, Finance Council, School Board and Pastoral Staff. Serving on this committee will be: Jackie Appleton, Sara Aucoin, Paul Armbruster, David Barbier, Mia Corrente, Larry deBlieux, Paul Galloway, Gretchen Lowe, Pam Pendzimaz, Colleen Remont, and Billy Steen. This committee will meet to review the input from parishioners, to prioritize the recommendations and to offer to the full Councils recommendations of a master plan to be finalized by our architect.

I would encourage you to take a few minutes to review the report on the needs assessment meetings and, if you have comments, to share them with members of the *ad hoc* committee before they meet on Tuesday, June 10.

*Fr Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, May 31**

8:30a.m.

Helen Schlautman

**Sunday, June 1**

4:00p.m. Vigil

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Connie Dumun Weisdorffer

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8:00a.m.

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11:00a.m.

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For the Parish

**Monday, June 2**

6:15a.m.

Anita and Harry Schmidt

8:30a.m.

Dorothy D'Geroliamo

**Tuesday, June 3**

6:15a.m.

Adelaide B. Puccio

8:30a.m.

Irwin Joachim

**Wednesday, June 4**

6:15a.m.

Marguerite Gerage (\*)

8:30a.m.

Matthew Carlin Mount, Sr.

**Thursday, June 5**

6:15a.m.

The Brian Schafer Family (\*)

8:30a.m.

Wilfred E. Youngblood

**Friday, June 6**

6:15a.m.

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**Saturday, June 7**

8:30a.m.

Angelina and Russell Talamo

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**Sunday, June 1**

9:30 a.m., Child Church

12:00 Noon, New Parishioner Welcome, Rectory

5-8:00 p.m., CYO Membership Drive, School yard/gym

**Monday, June 2**

Safari-Summer Bible Camp

8:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m., CYO Cabbageball, parking lot

7:00 p.m., K.C. Officers' Meeting, Conference Room

**Tuesday, June 3**

9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Safari

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**Wednesday, June 4**

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**7th Grade Parishioners interested in joining CYO:**

Mark your calendar for CYO sign-up which will take place on Sunday, June 1st, 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm, St. Angela schoolyard. If you are interested in joining CYO come and enjoy barbeque, music, and cabbageball on June 1st for new and current members.

If you would like to play CYO co-ed cabbageball this summer, email Billy Steen at [williamsteen@cox.net](mailto:williamsteen@cox.net) with your name, birth date, and phone number. Rosters are due to the CYO office this month. The CYO cabbageball season begins in June.

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**St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry**

St. Vincent de Paul is in need of food for the pantry. Some of the items you might consider donating would be: canned meats, tuna fish, peanut butter, jelly, jams, dried beans, rice, pasta, tomato sauce, cereals, canned milk, canned vegetables, grits, oatmeal, soup, condiments or any non-perishable items. Any donation would be greatly appreciated!

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You are cordially invited to paint your child's classroom for 2008/2009 school year. We only ask two things of you:

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2. Enlist one other parent or volunteer to help.

\*We estimate that 2-3 parents can knock out a room in 2-3 hours!

**Saturday Session**

**June 21, 2008**

**7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

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**Evening Session**

**Wednesday, June 25, 2008**

**6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**

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**Tennis Shoe Passes will be issued for each child for each session worked! Can't paint? We need some to call others!**

**Not limited to School Parents, Parishioners are also welcomed to volunteer!**

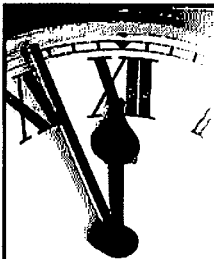


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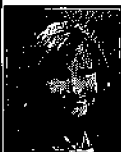
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Saturday 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM  
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**BAPTISMS:**

Baptisms are performed on the 2nd Sunday of the month. Parents must complete required preparation prior to baptism and they should call the rectory well in advance of the anticipated delivery date.

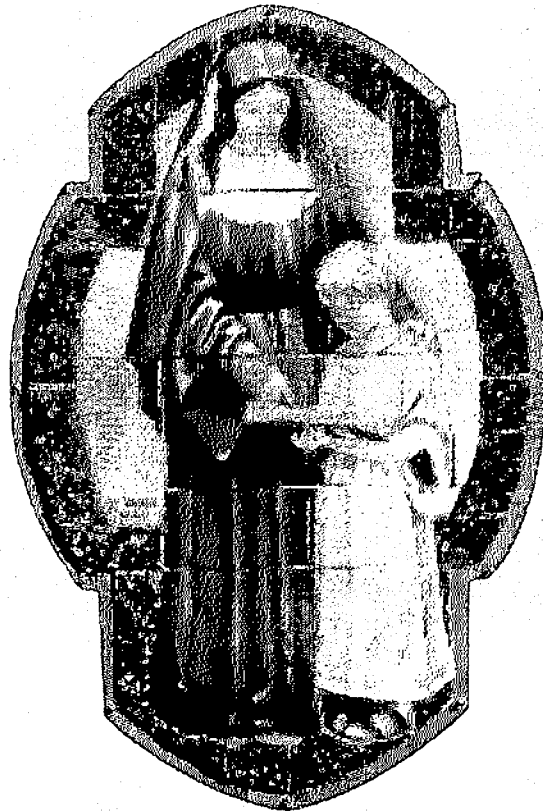
**WEDDINGS:**

Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to wedding. Contact rectory for arrangements.



# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
June 8, 2008*



*St Angela Merici*

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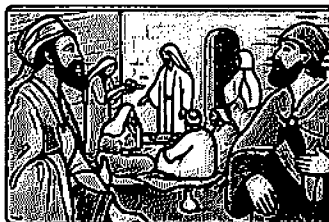
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The Pharisees saw this and said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" He heard this and said, "Those who are well do not need a physician, but the sick do. Go and learn the meaning of the words, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' I did not come to call the righteous, but sinners." - Mt 9:11-13  
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### Readings for the Week of June 8, 2008

Sunday: Hos 6:3-6/Rom 4:18-25/Mt 9:9-13  
Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6/Mt 5:1-12  
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Mt 5:13-16  
Wednesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Mt 5:17-19  
Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Mt 5:20-26  
Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Mt 5:27-32  
Saturday: 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Mt 5:33-37  
Next Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36-10:8

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Dear Parishioners,

Please participate in the election for a new Pastoral Council member. On the fly leaf of this issue of the bulletin you will find information about three parishioners who have all expressed an interest in serving on the Council. Please read this information and vote for one of these three candidates. You may cut off the ballot and place it in the Sunday collection (along with your regular offering, of course!) or you may drop off your ballot at or mail it to the parish office. The office is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; after hours, slide your ballot into the mail slot to the left of the office entrance.

The Pastoral Council is one of my main consultative bodies as we work together in parish life and ministry. The Pastoral Council is primarily concerned with the spiritual growth of our parish, its maturing in faith, fellowship and service. The Finance Council's principle purview is in the area of facilities and finance; the School Board gives input to our school Principal, Mrs. Colleen Remont, and me for the development of our school and formation of its policies and practices.

I value the work, the dedication, the insight and the good counsel of the members of these groups. They have been an enormous help in the five years of my ministry here at St. Angela. They have served you and have served me well. Please keep this going; please vote! Note that all ballots must be returned no later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, June 16.

This year, in accord with our Pastoral Council Constitution, I will also be appointing one parishioner to serve on the Council for a four-year term. Recently, Susan Aaron has resigned her position on the Council and I will be appointing someone to complete her term. I will provide you with a list of all Pastoral Council members after the election.

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I am certain that you remember Fr. Franklin Jhovani, who preached in our parish last year for the support of his religious community's missions in Africa. After leaving the U.S. following his preaching schedule at our parish and several others, Fr. Franklin was returning to his home in South America for three years of study. Before he left, he told me that, because he would not be in class during the Summer months, if we needed assistance this Summer he could be available. I have taken him up on this generous offer. Fr. Ray, Fr. Schott and I tried to coordinate clergy vacations this Summer to make certain that we could continue our full Mass schedule, but Fr. Schott will be away for a large part of the Summer months. Thanks to Fr. Franklin's availability, however, *most* of the Summer will find two priests here in the parish. The exception will be from June 16-20 and July 24 and 25. On those days, there will be no 6:15 a.m. Mass. Otherwise, I am hopeful that the remainder of our regular schedule can remain in place. We will, of course, remind you about these changes in future issues of the bulletin.

Father Schott will be away this Summer from June 14 until late July.

Father Franklin will be with us from Saturday, June 21 through Wednesday, July 23. Please give him a warm welcome back to SAM!

I will be away from June 15 until July 10. Fr. Ray will be on vacation from July 12 until August 1.

Let us all remember to pray for each other as we take our leisure time this Summer for rest, travel or study. Let's all come back in early August geared up for a great new season of working together to continue to build up the reign of Christ in our parish and our local community!

*Fr. Ken*

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, June 7

8:30a.m.

Angelina and Russell Talamo

### Sunday, June 8

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts  
Brian Leonard  
Betty Harris  
Idie Falgout  
Natalie Kerlin  
Jackie Miele  
Joyce Appel  
Emile Hammel  
Doris Berret  
Pamela Jambois  
Patricia Lindner  
Craig Fontenot (\*)  
John B. Cressend  
John B. Cressend, Jr.  
Ann M. Hebert

8:00a.m.

9:30a.m.

11:00a.m.

Adele Rappold  
Grace Gambino  
Joyce Palermo  
Gasper Lore  
Paul Gilberti  
Anthony Lala  
Patsy Lindner  
Elma Champagne  
Anna M. Wood  
Benjamin Wood

12:30p.m.

### Monday, June 9

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

### Tuesday, June 10

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

### Wednesday, June 11

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

### Thursday, June 12

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

### Friday, June 13

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

### Saturday, June 14

8:30a.m.

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Gertie Le Compte  
Anna Mae Bonono  
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Miriam Zimmerman  
Paul F. and Lucille H. Boze  
Irvin J. Thibodeaux, Sr.  
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Matthew Hedrick, Sr.

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Allan and Miriam Johnston

Irene Landry  
Rose Marie G. Haase

Uhl and DuBois Families



### Sunday, June 8

9:30 a.m., Child Church

### Monday, June 9

8:45A-12:30P, Safari-Summer Bible Camp, gym  
6:00P, CYO Cabbageball, school parking lot

### Tuesday, June 10

8:45A-12:30P, Safari-Summer Bible Camp, gym  
10:30A, Bridge to Naim, Conference Room  
6:00P, Ad Hoc Meeting, Conference Room  
6:00P, CYO Cabbageball, school parking lot

### Wednesday, June 11

8:45A-12:30P, Safari-Summer Bible Camp, gym  
9:30A, Prayer Meeting, Conference Room  
6:00P, CYO Cabbageball, school parking lot

### Thursday, June 12

8:45A-12:30P, Safari-Summer Bible Camp, gym  
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### Friday, June 13

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## PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTION INFORMATION AND BALLOT

These are the three candidates who are interested in serving as the elected delegate on the Pastoral Council for a four-year term.

**Debbie Galloway** — Debbie was born and raised in New Orleans and has lived in St. Angela Parish for 13 years. She is married to Paul Galloway and they have two children, Hannah (7 years old) and Matthew (5 years old). After a 23-year career as a computer programmer, Debbie is now a full-time stay-at-home mom.

Debbie offers this expression of interest: In her career, she developed organizational and project management skills and small and large group decision-making experience. "I can apply these important skills to Pastoral Council initiatives and meetings.

"My desire and passion is to serve God, my family and community, and this is deeply rooted in my faith.. This passion will guide my ideas, influence and decisions as a member of the Pastoral Council."

**Lee Lowe** — Lee is 44 years old and has been a member of St. Angela Parish for almost 12 years. Married to Gretchen Lowe, they have three children (Steven, 17; Anais, 14; Gina, 9 years old). Lee is an engineer for Entergy and also a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 9007.

He feels that he brings to the Council a calm, rational demeanor and decision-making skills. Having served in the U.S. Navy as an officer and in the submarine service, he was called upon to make many decisions with regard to safe operation of the ship and its nuclear power plant. His 4-years of experience as a project manager for Entergy, guiding all capital improvement and additions for distribution substations gave him great experience with decisions.

"I have a desire to make St. Angela Merici parish a comfortable and inviting place for all of our families to worship and grow for many years to come."

**Martha Braud Toups** — Martha has been married to Ken Toups for 24 years. Ken is the son of Leon and Tee Toups. Martha and Ken have three sons (Tyler, 20 years old; Joel, 17 and Nickie, 10.) They have been members of SAM for four years, having been parishioners at neighboring St. Louis King of France for 15 years. Martha has been a kindergarten assistant at SAM school for the past two years and currently is an adult leader in Child Church on Sundays. She will be teaching in SAM school this coming year: 7th grade religion and 1st-7th grade art. She also has 14 years of teaching experience at Metairie Ridge Presbyterian Child Care Development Center. She has a BA in marketing from LSU.

"I am a kind and caring person. I work hard and take pride in my work and my family. I think I have a unique perspective to offer because I am both a parent and teacher. I enjoy St. Angela. I think it is a very spiritual community. I hope it continues to grow with many new young families. I look forward to becoming more involved in the parish."

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### **BALLOT**

*(vote for one candidate)*

\_\_\_\_\_ Debbie Galloway  
\_\_\_\_\_ Lee Lowe  
\_\_\_\_\_ Martha Toups

*Either place this ballot in the Sunday collection basket or drop it off at or mail it to the parish office no later than Monday, June 16.*

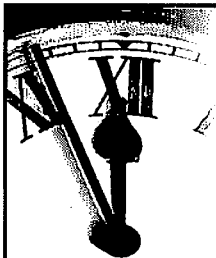


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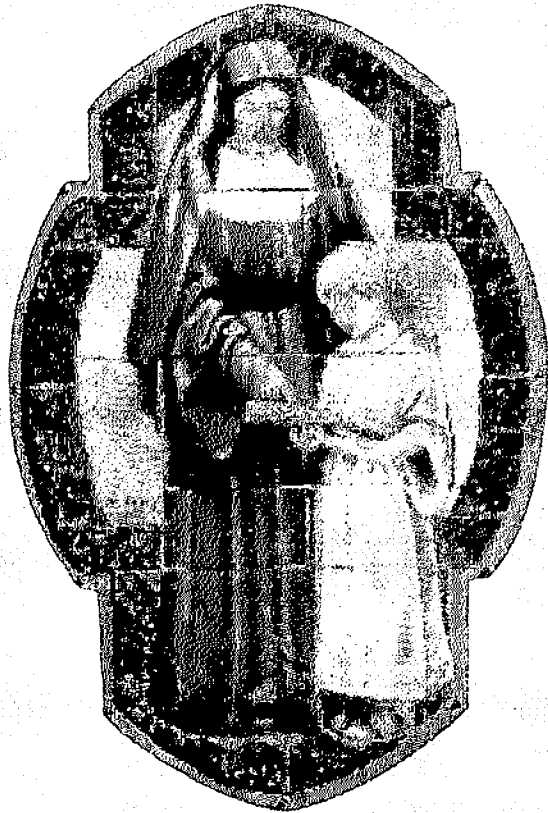
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*Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
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### Readings for the Week of June 15, 2008

Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36-10:8  
 Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Mt 5:38-42  
 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Mt 5:43-48  
 Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18  
 Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Mt 6:7-15  
 Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Mt 6:19-23  
 Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Mt 6:24-34  
 Next Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

Dear Parishioners,

Please remember that there is no 6:15 a.m. Mass this week, since both Father Schott and I leave for vacation this weekend. We return to our regular Mass schedule on Monday, June 23, when Fr. Franklin will be in to assist us for several weeks. Please welcome him back to St. Angela when he arrives next weekend.

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You have seen the signs on the fences around the church campus announcing the volunteer work days this week. We need your help to paint classrooms and do some other work on our buildings as we prepare for the coming new school year. I certainly hope that members of SAMA and school dads will turn out for the projects to be coordinated by our School Board Building and Grounds Committee. Of course, ladies are welcome as well. Painting, dusting, cleaning are all part of the plans and lots of hands will help the work speed along!

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There are no activities on campus until August 4, as we take the time to clean, paint and polish in preparation for new activities to begin in August. But planning for those activities is already well under way.

Our parish Ministries Fair will be held on the weekend of August 23-24. After each Mass that weekend, we invite all parishioners to come to the Center to learn about and sign up to participate in parish ministries and organizations. To help you prepare for that weekend, we will highlight here in the bulletin each week a different ministry or organization. We have asked the leaders of these groups to share with you an explanation of that ministry/organization, what the commitment to it will be and any formation required for it. I have also asked leaders of these groups to state where specific needs might be.

Let me begin this process now by sharing with you information about some of our liturgical ministries.

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** minister the Body and Blood of Christ at our weekday and weekend Masses and also assist in bringing Holy Communion to the homebound of our parish. Before beginning in this ministry, interested persons meet for an interview with a member of the Pastoral Staff and then must participate in a basic formation workshop conducted by the Archdiocesan Office of Worship, with a follow-up session here in the parish with Fr. Ken, who coordinates this ministry. They are then delegated by the Archbishop for a term of service that will end in November, 2013. Those who come forward for this ministry must be 18 years of age, have received the sacraments of initiation and, if married, be validly married in the Church. Those who minister Holy Communion must be faithful to Sunday Mass, have a true devotion to the Blessed Sacrament, usually manifested by participation in Mass occasionally on weekdays, and time committed to prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Our hope is to have sufficient extraordinary ministers to allow us to offer Communion under both kinds not only at weekday Masses, as we already do, but at Sunday Masses as well. We have particular need for ministers who are regularly available for 12:30 p.m. Mass on Sundays.

**Readers at Mass** proclaim the Word of God to us on weekdays and weekends. Candidates for this ministry must have received the sacraments of initiation and have excellent skills for public reading. Interested persons must complete an interview with a member of the Pastoral Staff and participate in a basic formation session conducted by the Archdiocesan Office of Worship, with a follow-up session here in the parish with Deacon Nick, who is coordinator of this ministry. We are in particular need of Readers at the 4:00 p.m. Mass on Saturdays and the 8:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Masses on Sundays.

We will be sharing a lot more information with you in the weeks ahead so that you can discern where you are being called to more active service in our parish!

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I will be leaving for vacation following my Masses on June 15. See you in July!

*Fr. Ken*

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Saturday, June 14

8:30a.m.

Uhl and Du Bois Families

## Sunday, June 15

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts  
 June Calcagno  
 Rene Gebbia  
 Joseph Esler  
 Arnulfo Jimenez  
 Lawrence Chigoy  
 H. M. Aucoin, Sr.  
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 Jess and Leslie Spiehler (\*)  
 Ann M. Hebert  
 Amelie Cressend (\*)  
 John B. Cressend, Jr.  
 Ray Cureau, Jr.

8:00a.m.

Jule Mae and David Laurent

9:30a.m.

Anthony Korach

11:00a.m.

Andrew Adoue  
 Felix Bourgeois  
 Duval Wilkinson  
 Brian Leonard  
 Joyce Palermo  
 Joseph Campo  
 Anthony Lala  
 Melvin Mims  
 Ralph Bayard  
 Patrick Bayard  
 Frank Marzoni  
 Anna M. Wood  
 Elizabeth Wood  
 Benjamin Wood  
 Garner Knoepfler  
 Joseph Achary  
 Frank De Michiel  
 Purgatorial List

Harold Reese, Jr.  
 Gabriel Falgoust, Sr.  
 Ciolino and Fontana Families  
 Lynne F. Kotteman  
 Wilfred E. Youngblood  
 Anthony C. D'Antonio  
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 Terry P. Gerstner, Jr.  
 Bert Brockington  
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 Salvador M. Saia  
 Charles and Elizabeth Anderson  
 Lloyd and Ada Aguillard  
 Mike Cheralla, Jr.  
 Edward J. Appel, Jr.  
 Bernadette Stassi  
 Henry J. Hotard, Jr.

12:30p.m.

For the Parish

## Monday, June 16

8:30a.m.

Earl Jeansonne, Jr.

## Tuesday, June 17

8:30a.m.

Daniel and Katherine Kane

## Wednesday, June 18

8:30a.m.

Bevan and Fraiche Families

## Thursday, June 19

8:30a.m.

Malissie Pizanie

## Friday, June 20

8:30a.m.

George Thedy

## Saturday, June 21

8:30a.m.

Helen Schlautman

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## Sunday, June 15 Father's Day

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## Tuesday, June 17

7:30 p.m., SAMA Meeting, Kern Center



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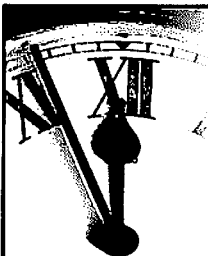


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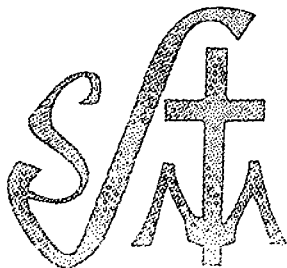
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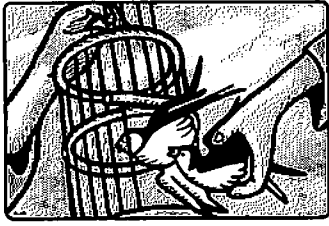
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### Readings for the Week of June 22, 2008

Sunday:	Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33
Monday:	2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday:	Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17
	Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80
Wednesday:	2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Mt 7:15-20
Thursday:	2 Kgs 24:8-17/Mt 7:21-29
Friday:	2 Kgs 25:1-12/Mt 8:1-4
Saturday:	Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Mt 8:5-17
Next Sunday:	Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19
	Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/ Mt 16:13-19

Dear Parishioners,

We had an excellent meeting on Tuesday, June 10, at which members of the Pastoral Council, School Board, Finance Council and Pastoral Staff prioritized the items on the parish "wish list" developed at our facilities needs assessment meetings. The meeting lasted four hours, which is a genuine sign of the dedication of those who are working for you on this project – dedication to you and to our parish's continued growth and development. Thanks to the outstanding leadership of Clay Plaisance, who facilitated the meeting, care was taken that no elements of the report that you read on our parish web page was lost and that nothing new was added: all that was done was based solely on your input.

Based on the work we accomplished, our architect, Kieran Weldon, will develop two or three options for a master plan for our campus and will present these back to the *ad hoc* committee at the next meeting, scheduled for August 5.

The members of the committee agreed that the highest priority is to be given to the development of a new multi-purpose meeting space and full-service kitchen that can be used for both parish and school activities, the addition of some new classroom space for school growth and additional office space for both church and school administration. There is also a solid agreement that our facilities need a stronger "front door" or "face" that obviates for all the location of our church and then our school parish offices. The committee members also agreed that, after forty years of use, our current facilities need some overall upgrading. Not lost in the shuffle was the need for more parking and attentiveness to handicapped accessibility to all of our facilities.

I will, of course, keep you informed of the steps we take in this process. In the meantime, I thank all of you who contribute faithfully to the financial support of your parish. We remain on time with our share of support of the Archdiocese through our parish weekly assessment and, because of careful monitoring of expenses by our Finance Council and business manager, we remain a bit ahead of schedule on our debt payments, all of which contributes to our ability to think about and begin planning for the future!

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I thank all of you who participated in the election for our new Pastoral Council member. The election was won by **Debbie Galloway**, who will serve a four-year term on the Council.

There are two appointed positions to be filled and I have appointed **Lee Lowe** for a new four-year position and **Diane Kratochvil** has been appointed for a second four-year term.

Susan Aaron has resigned from the Council and I have asked **Mary Toups** to complete Susan's remaining two years. There is one remaining position to be appointed by the committee.

Other new Pastoral Council members, as elected by parish organizations, are: **Trisha Wrubleski**, **Dan Judlin**, **Rosalyn Bryant**, all of whom will begin four-year terms this August.

I thank all of these parishioners for accepting these positions on the Pastoral Council and I look forward to working with them and other Council members in the years ahead.

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I would like to continue to share some information with you about liturgical ministries as we prepare for our Parish Ministries Fair in August.

**Ministers of Hospitality** serve as the hosts and hostesses of the assembly as we gather for Mass. They are present to greet worshippers as they enter for Mass and are ready to assist them with hymnals, to seat them and attend to any specific needs. If anyone needs special assistance during Mass, these ministers are ready to help. If someone is not able to join in the procession to Holy Communion, ministers of hospitality make certain a Eucharistic minister is led to them so that they may share in the Body and Blood of Christ. Ministers of Hospitality also take up the collections at Mass, arrange for and assist in bringing gifts to the altar during the Presentation rite. These ministers also assist congregants as they leave church and help clean up the church for the next liturgy.

Ministers of Hospitality (who can be men or women) need to be warm, outgoing and hospitable, as we would expect any host or hostess to be. These ministers are expected to be able to arrive at church about fifteen minutes before Mass so that they will be ready to greet other parishioners as they begin to arrive for Mass.

There are two meetings a year for Ministers of Hospitality, one before Easter and one before Christmas so that we can prepare together for those special days.

We are in particular need of ministers of hospitality for the 12:30 p.m. Mass on Sundays and encourage those who regularly attend this Mass to step forward for this ministry.

*F. Ken*

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, June 21**

8:30a.m.

**Sunday, June 22**

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts  
Raoul Clesi  
Grace Gambino  
Jackie Miele  
Joyce Appel  
Gasper Lore  
Emile Hammel  
Ann M. Hebert  
Ann Pelican  
Alice Bouvier  
Pamela Jambois  
Patricia Lindner  
Terry P. Gerstner, Jr.  
Dorothy B. Soignet  
Lena and Frederick Barocco

8:00a.m.

9:30a.m.

11:00a.m.

Joey Picou  
Adele Rappold  
Joyce Palermo  
Anna M. Wood  
Elizabeth Wood  
Benjamin Wood  
Carol Bertrand  
Mary Rickert  
Van Aucoin

12:30p.m.

**Monday, June 23**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Tuesday, June 24**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Wednesday, June 25**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Thursday, June 26**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Friday, June 27**

6:15a.m.

8:30a.m.

**Saturday, June 28**

8:30a.m.

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Helen Schlautman

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Anthony Lala  
For the Parish

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**Saturday, June 21**

7:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., School Clean-Up

**Wednesday, June 25**

6-8:30 p.m., School Clean-Up



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**† Rest in Peace**

In your charity please pray for the souls of

**Terry P. Gerstner, Jr. and Zelda Beer**

who died recently, and for those who mourn them.

*-May all of our beloved dead rest in peace-*

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Registration forms may be picked up at the rectory, Monday-Friday, 9:00A-4:00P. \$20.00 registration fee includes T-shirt and Trophy and Pizza Party on Wednesday, July 30th (registration after June 20th will be \$25. Child does not have to be a St. Angela Merici student. Sponsors are needed to offset the other costs of the league, such as equipment and shirts. If your company is able to sponsor a team, please contact the rectory @ 835-0324.

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2. Enlist one other parent or volunteer to help.

\*We estimate that 2-3 parents can knock out a room  
In 2-3 hours!

### Saturday Session

June 21, 2008

7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Lunch and Soft Drinks Provided**

### Evening Session

Wednesday, June 25, 2008

6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**Soft Drinks Provided**

**School will supply the following:**

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Rollers & brushes  
Tape  
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**Tennis Shoe Passes will be issued for each child for each session worked! Can't paint? We need some to call others!**

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## ST. ANGELA MERICI FAIR

**September 26, 27 and 28th, 2008**

On September 26, 27 and 28th, 2008, St. Angela Merici will host our annual parish fair. We feel our fair is a very worthwhile endeavor that enriches our parish, and also enhances the school environment for our children.

As in the past, we are counting on our local businesses, organizations, and individuals to contribute by becoming a fair sponsor. All donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. If you agree to become a sponsor, we will:

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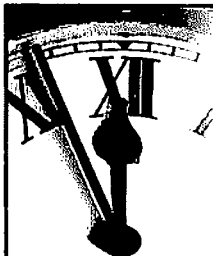


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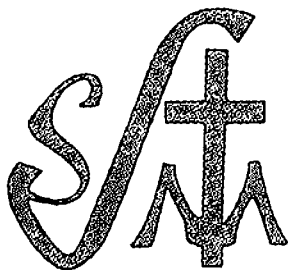
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See bulletin for Holy Day schedule.

**CONFESSIONS:**  
Saturday 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM  
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**BAPTISMS:**  
Baptisms are performed on the 2nd Sunday  
of the month. Parents must complete required  
preparation prior to baptism and they should call  
the rectory well in advance of the anticipated  
delivery date.

**WEDDINGS:**  
Arrangements must be made at least six months  
prior to wedding. Contact rectory for  
arrangements.



# *St. Angela Merici Church*

*Saint Peter and Saint Paul, Apostles*  
*June 29, 2008*



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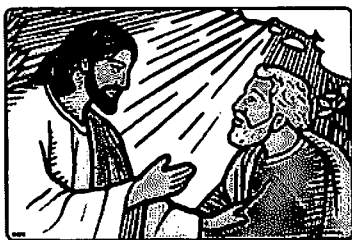
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He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter said in reply, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Jesus said to him in reply, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah. For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my heavenly Father." Mt 16:15-17

### Readings for the Week of June 29, 2008

Sunday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19  
Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/  
Mt 16:13-19  
Monday: Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Mt 8:18-22  
Tuesday: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Mt 8:23-27  
Wednesday: Am 5:14-15, 21-24/Mt 8:28-34  
Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29  
Friday: Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Mt 9:9-13  
Saturday: Am 9:11-15/Mt 9:14-17  
Next Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

The following is a continuation of some of the ministries in our parish that try to meet the needs of the parishioners and also could use your time, talent, energy, creative insights. Before you come to the ministries fair, please pray about becoming active in any of the ministries listed with Sr. Paula as liaison. You know you have many gifts to offer to our parish. And I do need your help.

### **Faith Formation**

Many programs are contained under the title of Faith Formation. This is because we try to meet the spiritual needs of all ages in the parish. We will begin with Children's Liturgy of the Word, which we call Child Church. The children ages 4-7 are dismissed after the opening prayer in Church and taken to different rooms in the annex building for the Sunday readings and homily. These readings are on a level the youngsters can understand. They say a Creed and have intercessory prayer. We need adult leaders for this program. Requirements are Safe Environment class and a session on how to lead Child Church and to observe a session one Sunday. Sr. Paula is the liaison for this ministry and can be reached at 837-9347. We also need teens to help with CD player, give attention to the youngsters if necessary and to open heavy doors. This is a good activity for our youth group to work.

**CCD or Religious Education** for those who do not attend Catholic schools falls under Faith Formation. Our religious education includes youngsters from grade 1 through grade 11. We need adult instructors who attend one planning and Safe Environment session. Our children attend CCD at St. Clement of Rome, but do need to be ministered to by our parishioners. This is a way to share your time, talent, faith and prayer in support of the religious growth of the students. We try to have 2 adults per class. That way less preparation is needed on the part of the instructor. Teens also serve as helpers in each class. This allows for the needs of all students to be handled. Instructors are encouraged to attend the classes sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office of Religious Education. Sr. Paula is the liaison for this ministry and can be reached at 837-9347.

Our **SAFARI** or Summer Bible Camp is a fun time the first 2 weeks of June. This is for children who have completed pre K 3 through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. We need adults to teach the lessons, usually a 20-30 minute time period. The rest of the day is for art and crafts, music, activities, snacks, after-care movie time and then after-care play time. Adults also accompany the 6<sup>th</sup> graders on field trips. The instructor is asked to attend one planning meeting, including a Safe environment session. The instructor remains with her class as the children move from session to session. As you can see we need instructors, helpers in art and crafts preparation, adult music supervision, helpers in serving snacks and in helping to lead or observe teens in the activities session. So we need lots of adult help. The teens serve to decorate the rooms, help move the youngsters from one activity to the next and take care of attending to the youngsters. The high schools they attend count this as part of their required service hours. For those of you who love paper work, computer work and organization, we need you too. Sr. Paula is liaison for this ministry and can be reached at 837-9347.

**PREPARATION FOR CONFIRMATION** is done during the sophomore and junior years of our parishioners. We ask to have Confirmation in January, so must have sessions for the 2 years. The candidates meet on 3 Sunday nights from 4-6 pm. We need adults to monitor small discussion groups, to assist in serving their pizza and drink. One session for training and Safe Environment is needed. A love for teens is an asset. We have about 65 candidates a year. For those of you who like paper and computer work, your service would be greatly appreciated. So you can see you really are needed. Sr. Paula is liaison for this ministry and can be reached at 837-9347.

To be continued.....

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Saturday, June 28

8:30a.m.

Lena and George Lapiana

## Sunday, June 29

4:00p.m. Vigil

Larry Lacrouts

Charles R. Roth

Arnulfo Jimenez

Jo Ann and Ty Casebonne (\*)

Carolyn Slemmer

Miriam Zimmerman

Joyce Appel

Irvin J. Thibodeaux, Sr.

Emile Hammel

Jacob and Gerald Marchese

June Calcagno

Terry P. Gerstner, Jr.

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Donald Codifer

Ora Mae Lala

Louis Codifer

Pamela Jambois

Eugene Perez

Ann M. Hebert

Donald Trahan

Kim and Ward Purdum (\*)

Cecile Conzonire

Connie Dumun Weisdorffer

Rita Collins (\*)

Giuseppe and Maria Mantia

Bradbury, Aucoin and Boudreaux Families

8:00a.m.

For the Parish

9:30a.m.

Jimmy Blount

11:00a.m.

Bernard Feltmann

Cecilia S. Bodet

Joyce Palermo

Joseph Palermo, Sr.

Adele Rappold

Allan and Miriam Johnston

Anna M. Wood

Charles S. Le Blanc, Sr.

Elizabeth Wood

Mrs. Sophia Cisewski

Benjamin Wood

Dorothy T. Guma

Mary Rickert

Jo Ann A. Brimer

Van Aucoin

Mary Palmisano

Helen Schlautman

Catherine D. Van Geffen

Donald Trahan

Debbie Barber (\*)

12:30p.m.

Ollie, Ronnie and Craig Savoie

## Monday, June 30

6:15a.m.

Joseph Esler

8:30a.m.

Warren Griffin

## Tuesday, July 1

6:15a.m.

Ralph G. Watermeier

8:30a.m.

Frank Joseph Montalbano

## Wednesday, July 2

6:15a.m.

Joseph Michael Fritscher

8:30a.m.

Adele Rappold

## Thursday, July 3

6:15a.m.

Melvin Mims

8:30a.m.

Cecilia Moore Berger

## Friday, July 4

8:30a.m.

John Schweibel

## Saturday, July 5

8:30a.m.

Joseph Sunseri

(\*) denotes living



## Friday, July 4 Independence Day

Parish Office Closed

No 6:15 a.m. Mass

## Tuesday, July 8

Parish Office Closed

Altar Server Trip to Gulfport



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## **St. Angela Merici Summer Cabbage Ball Fun League Boys & Girls Ages 5-12**

Registration forms may be picked up at the rectory, Monday-Friday, 9:00A-4:00P. \$20.00 registration fee includes T-shirt and Trophy and Pizza Party on Wednesday, July 30th (registration after June 20th will be \$25. Child does not have to be a St. Angela Merici student. Begins Monday, July 7th, 6:30-7:15 p.m. (girls) and 7:30-8:15 p.m. (boys). Sponsors are needed to offset the other costs of the league, such as equipment and shirts. If your company is able to sponsor a team, please contact the rectory @ 835-0324.

## **† Rest in Peace**

In your charity please pray for the soul of

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## ST. ANGELA MERICI FAIR

**September 26, 27 and 28th, 2008**

On September 26, 27 and 28th, 2008, St. Angela Merici will host our annual parish fair. We feel our fair is a very worthwhile endeavor that enriches our parish, and also enhances the school environment for our children.

As in the past, we are counting on our local businesses, organizations, and individuals to contribute by becoming a fair sponsor. All donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. If you agree to become a sponsor, we will:

**Level 1 \$100**

Proudly display your name on a sign at the fair site.

Include your name in our weekly school bulletin.

Include your name on a large sponsor board which will be displayed on the fair stage.

**Level 2 \$250.00**

All of the above.

Plus two complimentary fair T-shirts with your company's name imprinted on the back. For Level 2 sponsorship, we ask that you please mail your donation to us no later than July 15. This will allow ample time to print and distribute T-shirts.

If you have any questions, please contact Linda Benedetto @ 835-8491, Extension # 105.

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**Please make checks payable to St. Angela Merici.**

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### God's Special Children Mass

There will be a Special Mass for All God's Special Children, their families and friends on Sunday, July 13, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. at St. Francis Xavier Church, 444 Metairie Road, Metairie, Louisiana. A reception will follow. Everyone is invited to attend. Totally wheelchair accessible, off street parking. For more information you may call Joy Zainey at 834-5865.

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### Wedding Anniversaries

On Saturday, September 13, 2008 during 4:00 p.m. Mass, we will honor those couples from St. Angela Merici Parish who are celebrating their 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary this year.

We wish to begin making arrangements for this celebration and reception, and invite those couples who would like to be included to call the rectory (835-0324) to let us know that you are interested in celebrating your anniversary with us.

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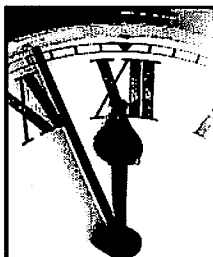


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