

Shrine Herald

February 18, 1990

Shrine of the Little Flower — Royal Oak, Michigan

**"We proclaim Jesus as Lord and ourselves
as your servants for His sake."**

Sharing the Good News

THE LAITY AND EVANGELIZATION

A lot of us have been raised in a parish experience where the priests and sisters did the "holy work," and the rest of us, the laity, just came in for our fill-up; a kind of gas station church, with religious being the attendants and the rest of us the customers.

If we want to find a reason why the church is suffering in so many areas, we probably would do pretty well to start right there.

That was never our Lord's plan for church. It was never our Lord's plan for parishes. It was never His plan for clergy or for laity, because we are all baptized into Christ's body, and into his ministry of celebrating God's presence, of speaking God's word, and of sharing in God's kingship.

The Church's recognition of Evangelization — sharing the good news that Jesus is everything he promised, and inviting one another to grow closer to him in every way — as the primary ministry for Catholics through the next thousand years is recognition that we are all, together, the church. And all called and anointed to be Evangelists.

ArchBishop Patrick Flores writes: *"All people are called to Evangelization, even those who seem most 'unlikely.'*

"Evangelists are very ordinary people, witnessing among ordinary persons who live and work around them, sharing with them their own story of coming to a new experience of joy and freedom.

"Evangelization flows out of a consciousness of what God has done...and a burning desire to have others experience this God, too.

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Mass Schedule

ASH WEDNESDAY: February 28

7:00 a.m. Mass — Ashes

8:00 a.m. Mass — Ashes

12:00 noon — Scripture Service
with distribution of Ashes

7:00 p.m. Mass — Ashes

Eucharistic Adoration Anniversary Sunday

There is a book on the shelf immediately above my typewrite. The book is "The Treasury of Catholic Wisdom" and the author is Fr. John Hardon, SJ. Fr. Hardon will be the preacher this Sunday evening, February 18, at 7:00 p.m. in Shrine Church as we celebrate the second anniversary of Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration in our parish.

The book to which I refer is a compilation of thoughts of time honored thinkers and theologians on matters essential to the Catholic faith throughout the centuries. It is a compilation of the works of scholars, yet at the same time the compilation of thoughts of holiness. Fr. Hardon, as a theologian, always seeks union with God, not esoteric minutiae that may or may not be interesting.

At the risk of making the man seem more important than the message, I want to give you some background on Fr. Hardon. He holds a master's degree in philosophy from Loyola University and a doctorate in theology from the Gregorian University in Rome. He has taught at the Jesuit School of Theology in Chicago and has been professor at the Institute for Advanced Studies in Catholic Doctrine at St. John's University, New York. He is the author of "The Catholic Catechism", "Modern Catholic Dictionary", "Pocket Catholic Dictionary", and "Question and Answer Catholic Catechism". Fr. Hardon is also a founder of the Catholic Home Study Institute, a correspondence school which operates under pontifical approval. Above all, Fr. Hardon is a man of faith and spirituality who wishes to share his love of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Please come. Bring a family member or two for an evening of prayer, procession, benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, and inspiration, February 18, 7:00 p.m. in the main church.

E.F.G.H.

Shrine Stewardship

Part of our stewardship responsibility as a Catholic parish is the wider diocesan church operation, involving those things that an individual parish cannot do on its own. Here in the Detroit Archdiocese, as in many places, there is a diocesan collection. Ours is the Catholic Services Appeal. While there will be much more about this in the next couple of months and while the appeal does not officially begin until May 6, we are already gearing up.

Next Sunday there will be a brunch meeting of group leaders. We aim to increase the number of group leaders this year as well as the number of home visitors.

Individual parish quotas/targets have not yet been assigned. However, we have been notified that our base amount will be somewhat reduced by \$1,208.00. As with other parishes, we will still be assigned the percentage increase that applies across the board.

One of the unexpected (read unbudgeted) items this year has been the discovery of old oil tanks on parish properties. We did some test borings on one tank site last week and are awaiting results of the dirt samples before proceeding with the tank removals. The tests might take a few weeks. The tanks must be removed according to law.

Thank you for your continuing stewardship, your sacrificial sharing of time, talent, and treasure. Such high spirited sharing was evident last Monday evening in the Ladies Guild card party and in the Grades School Dads' Club meeting. Come and see how many high spirited horses there are in the Shrine Stakes this coming Saturday. It's a time to share our fun, too.

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PARISH EDUCATION

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Mr. Thomas Kirkwood

3500 W. 13 Mile Rd., R.O. 48072 549-2925

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Sr. Patricia Marie

Woodward & 12 Mile Rd.

R.O. 48067 541-4622

Minister of Education

Charles Dropiewski 541-4122

Youth Ministry (& High School Rel. Ed.)

Raymond LeMay 541-4122

Grade School Rel. Ed.

Sr. Patricia Marie

Grades 1-6: Monday 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Grades 7-8: Monday evening 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Preschool Age Children

Sunday during 9:00 Mass

Tiny Tots Nursery

9:00 & 10:45 Mass - Ages 1-4

Special Children: Saturday morning, 10:00-11:15 a.m. - St. Dennis Parish Center, Elementary and Junior High.

Pastoral Minister - Sr. Annunciata

Christian Service Coordinator - Suzanne Fabick

Shrine Singles Hotline 541-3219

RECTORY OFFICE

2123 Roseland, R.O. 48073 541-4122

OFFICE HOURS: SUNDAY

9:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS: WEEKDAYS

9:00 a.m. 12:00 noon

1:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.

6:30 p.m. 9:00 p.m.

Emergencies handled at any time. Please limit other visits or phone calls to the above times.

MASSES

Sundays: 7:30, 9:00, 10:45 a.m. (Adult Choir) and 12:30 p.m.

Saturdays: 8:30 a.m., 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.

Weekdays: Morning - 7:00, 8:30

Holidays: No evening Mass on previous day.

On Holyday - 7:00, 9:00 a.m., 12:00 noon, 6:30 p.m.

First Fridays: Same as weekdays

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday-Friday: After the 7:00 a.m. Mass

Saturdays: 3:30 to 4:20 p.m. and after 6:30 Mass.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the rectory early in pregnancy.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the rectory at least six months in advance.

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK
AND HOMEBOUND**

Notify the Parish Office of illness, hospitalization, nursing home status as soon as possible.

GRADE SCHOOL CONVENT

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- Bulletins -

50 UP CLUB

Next regular meeting, February 28th at 11:00 a.m. in the Activities Bldg. Bring a sandwich and friends. All Seniors welcome.

Agatha Cottrell

**PERPETUAL
DEVOTIONS**

...in St. Therese Chapel on Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

**PERPETUAL
EUCARISTIC ADORATION**

"Could you not, then, watch one hour with me?" (Matt 26-40)

Jesus invited His apostles to pray with Him in the garden. Jesus, truly present in the Eucharist invites us to spend an hour with Him. The joys of participating in our parish 24-hour Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration far outweigh the sacrifice.

Please call rectory office (541-4122) or 545-1022 to make a commitment.

ROSARY FOR LIFE

We are trying a renewed effort in the continuing struggle for life in the womb through the praying of the rosary on Sunday evenings in the church at 6:00 p.m. (change of time this Sunday only). Our prayer coincides with the recent encouragement of the bishops regarding abortion and the sanctity of life.

The ramp door at the northwest entrance of the church will be open. Please come.

DAY OF RECOLLECTION

The Ladies' Guild is co-sponsoring a Day of Recollection on Tues., Feb. 20, 1990, at Our Lady of LaSalette from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The speaker is Dr. Patricia Cooney, Associate Professor at Sacred Heart Seminary speaking on "Spirituality for Women." The day will include luncheon and Mass in the church. Tickets are \$8.00 and can be obtained by contacting Evelyn Weir at 544-1930 or the Rectory by Feb. 14.

PARISH HANDBOOK

The Parish Handbook will be available at all the Masses this weekend. One copy per family, please.

SHRINE GARAGE SALE

PLEASE ... NO PITCHING ... We need your discards. Shrine H.S. Mom's Garage Sale - April 28. If it must go now!!! We have some storage. Call us to the rescue - Theresa Cleary 543-5543 - Eileen Sanders - 879-2170.

WORSHIP COMMISSION

The Worship Commission is sponsoring workshops for all new Eucharistic Ministers. If you would like to be a part of this vital ministry, it is necessary to attend these training programs. They will be held February 20 in the Rectory apartment and March 1 in the church. All previously commissioned ministers are also asked to attend the March 1 meeting to be re-certified. The meetings will start at 7:30 p.m.

"WHAT IS NORMAL GRIEF?"

Therapists, Marilyn Gilbert, Ph. D. will address the P.A.L. widowed support group on the topic of normal grief in the first of a three-part series on bereavement. All widowed persons are invited Thursday, March 1, from 1:00 - 3:00, Troy Community Center. Refreshments served. For information, call P.A.L. sponsor, Desmond Funeral Home, 362-2500.

CONCERT

The combined choirs of St. Mary's of Redford Parish and Trinity Episcopal Church perform REQUIEM by the contemporary English composer on Sunday, February 25th at 4:00 p.m. at St. Mary's of Redford Church - Grand River Avenue between Greenfield and Southfield. Free Admission.

COLOR CONTEST

St. Patrick Bookstore is sponsoring a St. Patrick's Day coloring contest. Age categories include: 5 & under, 6 to 8 years, and 9 to 11 years. There will be a \$10.00 gift certificate awarded in each age group. Pick up an entry form in the school office or at St. Patrick Bookstore, Berkley. All entries must be received by March 14th. Winners will be notified March 17th. Happy St. Patrick's Day.

Respite Care Program

For several months now, Shrine's Christian Service Commission has been collaborating with Mt. Carmel regarding their Respite Care Program. At this time, we do have a Shrine "Site Coordinator", Andrea Brink, who will assist me and the parish, in recruiting and coordinating this wonderful service to our homebound and their families who care for them.

As you may know, Respite Care is a service which provides families as caregivers, the opportunity to be away from their loved one (who is shut-in) for a short period of time. A trained volunteer serves as a companion for the shut-in and therefore, relieves the caregiver(s) a few hours at a time. This allows the caregiver time to run errands, go shopping, etc.

If you are interested in either learning about becoming a Respite Care volunteer or would like a volunteer to visit your home, please contact Suzanne Fabick at 541-4122.

Christ' Peace,
Suzanne Fabick,
Christian Service Coordinator

Cry of the Poor

"Come, Serve Our People" calls forth Pope John Paul II. Today the church offers to lay men and women (MARRIED, SINGLE, YOUNG, OLDER) a way to reach out in service in the Name of the Church. You can give one or more years as well as a summer of service with one of 140 lay mission programs. REMEMBER YOU CAN ALSO GIVE SERVICE IN YOUR OWN PARISH.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT LAY VOLUNTEER MISSION SERVICE CONTACT:

International Liaison of Lay Volunteers in Mission
4121 Harewood Rd., N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20017
1-800-543-5046
1-202-529-1100

SHARING THE GOOD NEWS

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"The evangelist is an agent for Jesus, preparing the way and representing him in places he is yet unable to enter."

Our next Evangelization Ministry Meeting: Thursday, March 1 at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory apartment. Please join us!

Shrine Stakes Update:

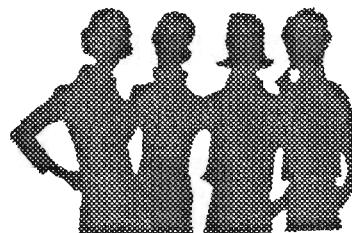
The horses at the gate and ready to go as we prepare for the '90 Shrine Stakes. The scene is the Shrine High School gym, the pace is harried as jockeys vie for position on the far turn. Who will win?

To find out, you will have to buy a ticket for this year's Shrine Stakes. Your \$5.00 admission will gain you a view of some things that have never been viewed by anyone. It will also include a program to enable you to wager on your favorite and an endless table of hor d'oeuvres.

New for 90 besides our location is the revised payout on bets - the winners of each race will win a minimum \$2.20 on each win.

Tickets can be purchased at the Rectory or by calling Kathie Daniels at 548-8914 or after the Masses this weekend.

We need workers - If you can donate an hour or so for this parish fundraiser, call Kathie Daniels and offer to help us out. All proceeds go to the Building Fund of Shrine Parish.

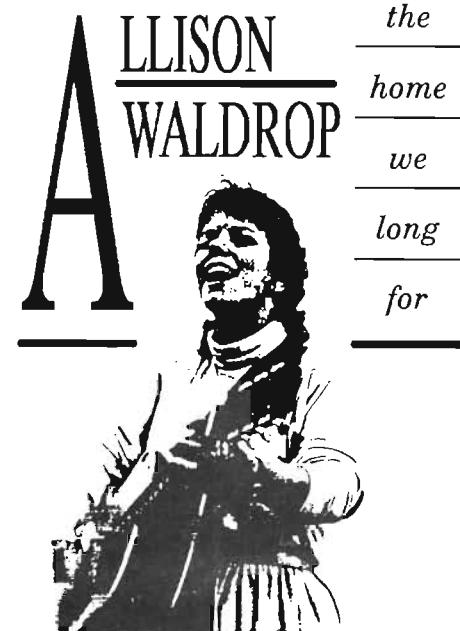


Shrine Ladies' Guild

Thank You

The committee of the Ladies' Guild Valentine Card Party, "Hearts N' Beaux" and particularly Flo Watson and Kay Kramer, co-chairmen, extend their heartfelt thanks to all the ladies (and husbands) who worked so hard to make this card party a great success. Our thanks go to all who donated prizes, and to the ladies who made the delicious desserts.

Lastly, but by no means least, to all the ladies and men for their attendance, a BIG THANK YOU. The profits from the card party will be used for our restoration project of the rectory apartment.



Christian Songwriter & Vocalist

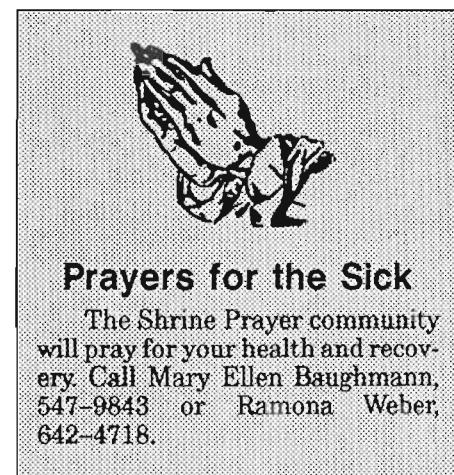
Christian songwriter & vocalist, Allison Waldrop, will be making her Detroit area concert debut, performing her songs of praise and worship. Concert dates & times:

8:30 p.m. February 23 - Shrine of the Little Flower

2:00 p.m. February 24 - St. Patrick's Bookstore

Admission is free, but a love offering may be made.

The composer/vocalist is a native of Royal Oak, a graduate of Shrine High School and is presently a Youth Minister residing in Steubenville, Ohio. Ms. Waldrop's recordings may be purchased locally at St. Patrick's Bookstore, Berkley.



Servers

Feb. 19, 20, 21	Feb. 22, 23, 24
7:00	7:00 (Not Sat.)
Ramon Hernandez	David DeVuyst
Tony Capobianco	Steve Zielinski
Andy Smith	Jason Ball
Wesley Smith	Chris George
8:30	8:30 (Yes, Sat.)
Keith Olejniczak	Jon Babbage
Sean Tangney	Nicky LaGrassa
Mike Shuler	Jim Sawicki
Mike Daraskavich	David Glynn

Saturday - Feb. 24

4:30	6:30
Joe Dineen	Joel Marquard
Pat Frawley	2 volunteers
Joe Rusher	
Joe Mazeika	

Sunday - Feb. 25

7:30	10:45
Ramon Hernandez	David DeVuyst
Tony Capobianco	Steve Zielinski
Andy Smith	Jason Ball
Wesley Smith	Chris George
9:00	12:30
Keith Olejniczak	Jon Babbage
Sean Tangney	Nicky LaGrassa
Mike Shuler	Jim Sawicki
Mike Daraskavich	David Glynn

Lectors' Schedule**Saturday - February 24**

4:30	... Mark Mason
6:40	... Maria Ward

Sunday - February 25

7:30	... Sr. Angele Hinkey
9:00	... Jerry Sedick
10:45	... Bob Livingston
12:30	... Maureen Sullivan

8th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Worship II - Cycle A - #580**Divine Life in the Parish****Baptized in Christ**

Evan Michael Frederick, son of Michael & Karen (Clark) Frederick
 Vincent Patrick Johnson, son of Francis & Sheila (Maher) Johnson
 Andrew Patrick McCoy, son of Sean & Elizabeth (Wiltse) McCoy
 Patrick John McKain, son of Mark & Margaret (Domasinsky) McKain

Kyle Kirk Reimer, son of Edwin & Michele (Chaffin) Reimer
 Rose Elizabeth Ann Roberts, daughter of David & Diane (Gervais) Roberts

Banns of Marriage

William Bastian & Natasha Raspond (3rd)
 Lawrence Sink & Erin Morris (3rd)

Born into Eternal Life

Grace Rice

Announced Masses and Missal Guide

February 18, 1990
Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Lv 19:1-2, 17-18
 Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13
 1 Cor 3:16-23 Mt 5:38-48
 9:00 Mass for the Intention of the Parish
 10:45 George Arce;
 George & Yvonne Reid;
 Dr. Johann Schmidt;
 Steve Dziedzic; Sheila Lanigan

Monday, Weekday

Jas 3:13-18 Ps 19:8-10, 15 Mk 9:14-29
 7:00 Intention of St. Vincent de Paul & Other Works;
 Raymond Hollenback

8:30 Henry & Noelia Brault;
 Michael & Anna Murray;
 Catherine Malarney

Tuesday, Weekday

Jas 4:1-10 Ps 55:7-11, 23 Mk 9:30-37
 7:00 Mary MacDonald;
 Joseph Angelorich;
 Sr. Mary Annette Sitzmann, OSM
 8:30 Karl H. Luther;
 Margaret McGovern

Wednesday, Weekday

Jas 4:13-17 Ps 49:2-3, 6-11
 Mk 9:38-40

7:00 Henry & Dorothy Peters;
 Retta Warner
 8:30 Herman Wald; Harry, Evelyn & Virginia Keating

Thursday, Chair of Peter, Apostle

1 Pt 5:1-4 Ps 23:1-6 Mt 16:13-19
 7:00 Frances Hansberry;
 Louis Murphy

8:30 Liz Mehler; Elizabeth Pamm

Friday, Ploycarp, bishop & martyr

Jas 5:9-12 Ps 103:1-4, 8-9, 11-12
 Mk 10:1-12

7:00 Edward Kennedy;
 Mary Pat Gorman
 8:30 Alfred Netter;
 Special Intention
 5:30 Wedding: Sink - Morris

Saturday, Weekday

Jas 5:13-20 Ps 141:1-3, 8 Mk 10:13-16
 8:30 Laura Zechin; Ivan Wallace

12:00 Wedding: Bastian - Rospond

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 49:14-15 Ps 62:2-3, 6-9
 1 Cor 4:1-5 Mt 6:24-34
 9:00 Mass for the Intention of the Parish
 10:45 Grace Rice; William Goeringer;
 Ernest Grossi; Angie Musico;
 Lucy Cheng; Irene Beshouri

**Building Your Child's Self-Esteem**

We, as parents, want our children to grow up with healthy self-images. Below are some specific things we can do to foster positive self-esteem in our children.

1. Be specific about your praise.

for example:

"Thank you for the hug."

It makes Mommy feel very good."

"Thanks for your help with the groceries."

2. Say "I love you."

3. Listen closely. When parents listen to their children, without judgment, the children feel respected and important.

4. Encourage prayer. Let your children know that God is listening to them for special requests and thanks. God will help them through the most difficult times and be joyous with them in the best of times. Set aside one-half hour a week to pray together as a family.

5. Spend time with your children.

Do things together as a family. Designate a family night or family morning that begins with Mass. Allow a different family member each week to decide what you will do after Mass. Most importantly, make sure your children know this time together means a lot to you.

One of the greatest gifts you can give your children is a healthy self-image. Listen to your children and appreciate them for all the wonderful things they can give you. Always remember God in your thoughts and actions. Start today with some of these ideas!

D.M. Mulligan, Family Life Group

**Tuesday Evening Love of God Community**

7:00 p.m. Bible Study - Teacher's Lounge
 7:30 p.m. Introduction - Ushers' Room, Ramp Door
 8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting - St. Theresa Chapel
 Everyone Welcome!

Spiritual Direction Available at Shrine

-- Janis Fletcher

Just two weeks ago Fr. Haggerty wrote an article in the Herald introducing me and the ministry of spiritual direction to the Shrine community. I'd like to take a few minutes now to tell you how happy I am to be here and to explain briefly what I hope to do at Shrine.

Spiritual direction (sometimes called spiritual dialogue or companionship) is an ancient tradition within the Church with roots in the earliest centuries after Christ. Formerly available almost solely to priests and religious, the 25 years since the 2nd Vatican Council have seen more and more people being trained in this ministry, thus making spiritual direction available to lay people as well.

The central question the spiritual direction relationship deals with is, as the noted Catholic writer Henri Nouwen writes, "How can I remain aware of God's presence in my life?" The spiritual director does not offer set answers to questions such as this; rather, by engaging in ongoing dialogue, both parties in the dialogue attempt to discern just what God is calling this particular person to do and to be. God deals individually with each and every person, and spiritual direction can help each one of us:

—to discover what the Gospel message means to me in making decisions about work, family, or relationships;

—to find the best way for me to pray;

—to know that my life is lived in accordance with God's will and not just in response to my impulses.

Are there any prerequisites to seeking out spiritual direction? Only that you want to grow in your life with the Lord.

Another type of spiritual direction occurs in groups. We are hoping to be able to offer a variety of group opportunities to Shrine parishioners in the future: days of recollection, classes or workshops on prayer and the spiritual life, ongoing group spiritual direction, etc. I am eager to offer such programs, and would welcome working with any parish group or organization to develop a prayer experience with you.

So, if you think you might benefit from spiritual direction or if you have any questions about it, please call me, Janis Fletcher, at 541-4122 or 399-4132. I look forward to meeting with you and to being involved at Shrine.

Shrine's Family Life Group INVITES EVERYONE TO

FREE COFFEE AND DONUTS FOLLOWING 9:00 a.m. MASS

Sunday, February 25, 1990

JOIN US IN THE SHRINE GRADE SCHOOL GYM!!

Family Fellowship Night



*Sing-along * Puppets *
*Clowns * Movies *
* Pot-Luck Desserts *

Sunday, February 25, 6:30 p.m.
Shrine Grade School Gym

Focus on the Family film:
MOLDER OF DREAMS
featuring Guy Doud, former
National Teacher of the Year

Free, offerings accepted
Presented by Love of God
Prayer Community



Weekly Scripture Sharing

Sunday Evening - February 18

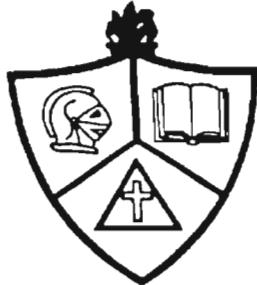
Adults meet in

Kindergarten Bldg.

7:00 p.m.

Matthew 5:38-48

We follow the commentary by
Fr. Adrian Nocent, OSB



Shrine Highlights

All Night Party Created for Seniors

An all-night party for Shrine High School seniors and their dates (if they choose to bring one) is being planned by a group of concerned parents. This special event will follow the Senior Ball which is set for Wed., May 16 at the Lansdowne Restaurant on the Detroit River. The "all-nighter" will begin at 11:30 p.m. and end at 5:00 a.m. and will take place at the Birmingham YMCA.

The "greatest party in the world" will keep celebrants entertained in the wee hours of the morning with a variety of activities: swimming, dancing, racquetball, a "casino" with tons of prizes - plus lots of delicious food.

Traditionally seniors have wanted to stay out all night on this special evening - so Shrine parents have joined together to provide a safe place where Seniors can celebrate their graduation with their friends.

If anyone in the community would like to donate prizes, food or funds to insure the success of this special event please contact any of the following chairpersons: Art and Mimi Massucci, Harvey and Marguerite Rouleau, or Al and Kris Bucci.

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The Sophomore Class Day of Reflection is set for Thursday, Feb. 22. This special day for Sophomores has been created by the Religion Department as an in-school retreat. A guest speaker plus three workshops will help Sophomores explore their relationships with each other, their families, God, and their church.

The Junior Class members had the opportunity to spend two days and one night at the St. Clare Capuchin Retreat Center in St. Clair, MI Feb. 13 and 14. The overnight retreat was a chance for Juniors to spend time in reflection and discussion to learn more about themselves and God.

Shrine High School's Religion Department creates Day of Reflection retreats for all four classes and they are considered an important part of the religion program for the students.

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News, Views & Who's Who in the Youth Group

Youth Ministry

Last Sunday the youth group had their second annual "Winter Beach Party" at the rectory apartment. We had games, dancing and hot dogs roasted over the fire in the fireplace. A big thanks goes out to Jenni Roberts, Amy Doyle, Jessica Smith and Aimee Hampton who did a great job decorating for the party. It looked great!

Sharon Hughes and Jessica Smith won the prizes for the best beach attire, Sarah Sage won the "name that tune" contest and Amy Doyle, Dana Warn and Matt Neumann took the prizes for the Limbo contest.

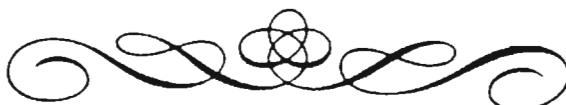
Because of the Lock-in on Friday there will be no youth group meeting tonight.

An apology goes out to Sandra Roman for failing to put her name on the nice article she wrote last week. Sorry!

Blessings,
Ray

"10 Ways to Develop Self Esteem in Your Child"

1. TEACH YOUR CHILDREN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WHO THEY ARE AND WHAT THEY DO. Children must feel valued apart from their activities. They must know we love them simply because they exist.
2. ENCOURAGE BEHAVIOR. Be specific and describe how your child's behavior effects you. Say, "I like your drawing. It reminds me of a field where I used to play." Rather than "You're a good artist." Don't fear that encouragement will generate conceit. Conceit is a whitewash to cover low self-esteem. Children who sense their true worth do not have to use time and energy impressing others.
3. ACCEPT YOUR CHILDREN AS THEY ARE. "Your child is not a second chance for you to accomplish all those things you did not do during your earlier life." Allow mistakes.
4. Walk the fine line effective parents must walk. TOO MUCH PRESSURE LEADS CHILDREN TO THINK, "I CAN NEVER PLEASE MY PARENTS. I can never measure up. I'm not good/smart/fast/skilled enough." Too little encouragement on the other hand, leads a child to conjecture, "They don't think I can do it. I must not be very capable."
5. IGNORE OR REMAIN NEUTRAL TO FAILURE. Don't punish failure. Don't ignore success.
6. REWARD THOSE THINGS YOUR CHILD IS ABLE TO CONTROL. First of all, however, you must provide opportunities for control. If children are able to exert some control over some of the events in their lives, they gain some immunity against the adverse effects of unpleasant events they are powerless to control.
7. TEACH YOUR CHILDREN TO ENCOURAGE THEMSELVES. Say "You really worked hard decorating your room. How do you like the way it turned out?"
8. HELP CHILDREN TO EVALUATE REALISTICALLY. "Let's see, how much that you feel you have improved?"
9. BE AVAILABLE. Whenever possible, attend your children's plays and recitals. Be prepared to sometimes play the role of "surrogate friend" when your child is friendless for whatever reason. Your availability, along with encouragement, may be the strength he or she needs to reach out to a new friend.
10. NURTURE YOUR OWN SELF-ESTEEM. Take time to do the things that you enjoy.





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12	Ibrahim Fakhoury	\$25
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15	Ibrahim Fakhoury	\$25
16	Beth Seymour	\$25
17	R.L. Mabin Jr.	\$25

Weekly Winner

the week of February 11:
Fabian Weber \$100

Calendars may be purchased at Shrine High School for the 1990 Shrine Raffle Calendar for only \$25. All purchases will be eligible for all remaining prizes in 1990.

Grade School Dads' Club

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY:
BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!
Once again the Shrine Grade School
Dads' Club will be sponsoring a St. Patrick's Day Party on Saturday, March 17 (When Else?) in the Grade School
Gym.

This "Erin Go Braugh" evening
will feature a disc jockey, food, beer &
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Reservations for tables of 10 can
be made by calling 549-4474.

Ticket Prices: \$20.00 per couple
\$15.00 single

For further details, please watch
this column. If you cannot wait, call
Russ Murphy at 549-4474.

Tiny Tots Nursery

Tiny Tots is a co-operative nursery
available to children ages 1-4, during
the 9:00 and 10:45 Masses. Newcomers
are always welcome.

A meeting is planned for Feb.
21, at 7 p.m. in the nursery. This is an
opportunity to meet fellow parents,
and become familiar with the nursery.
Please come and share ideas and
concerns.

Praying for Your Needs After Mass

Do you have a special need or
intention you would like to hold up
in prayer? Members of our parish
family are available to pray with
you for such needs. After the 8:30
Mass on Saturday and the 9:00 and
10:45 Masses on Sunday, prayer
support is offered in the St. Therese
Chapel. All are welcome.

Baseball Card Show:

On Sunday, March 4, the Dad's Club will be assisting in putting on a first class baseball card show, set up by Chuck Brooks. All baseball card aficionados will certainly want to attend this one.

Family Concert with Jerry Jacoby

Mark your calendar for Sunday,
March 25th. Tiny Tots Nursery is
sponsoring a family concert featuring
the magical music of **Jerry Jacoby**.
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The concert will be held in the
grade school gym at 3 p.m. Tickets are
\$2 per person/\$5 per family. Advance
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to put a smile on any child's face, yours
too.

St. Bonaventure Third Order Spaghetti Dinner

St. Bonaventure Third Order is
having a Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday,
February 18th, from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.
The Third Order Hall is located at 1780
Mt. Elliott, in Detroit. The donation is:
Adults - \$3.75 and Children \$1.50. For
further information please call
579-2100 ext. 136.



Local Nuns are Election Monitors

Two local nuns are among 52 religious nationwide who have been chosen to observe the process and help monitor the results of elections later this month in Nicaragua.

Sr. Marie Michael, OP, and Sr. Ann Wisda, IHM, will join with the Detroit area's third religious representative, United Methodist minister, John Wallace of Redford, when their delegation travels to Nicaragua for the national elections scheduled for February 25.

According to the two sisters, religious throughout the United States were contacted by the Inter-religious Foundation for Community Organization (IFCO), an umbrella group that sponsors several social justice projects within Central America. Theirs will be one of the largest observer delegations, and perhaps the most geographically extensive, with delegates in 10 Nicaraguan cities on both coasts and in the war zones as well as in Managua. The delegation also has a unique vantage point: because it is rooted in contact with Nicaraguan Catholic and Evangelical church organizations, observers will have unique and direct access to the voice and experience of the common people, as well as opportunities for theological reflection and dialogue.

Sr. Michael, who served as a missionary in Managua from 1981-85, was forced to leave Nicaragua when she became ill and was unable to receive proper medical treatment. An economic boycott against Nicaragua by the United States government prevented, among other things, medical supplies from entering the country.

PRAYERS ASKED FOR PEACEFUL ELECTION

Area churches are being asked to hold vigil on the day of election to pray for peace in order that Nicaraguans can go to the polls in freedom from violence and without bloodshed. Here at Shrine our hours of vigil will be from 3 - 6:00 Sunday afternoon, Feb. 25. You will be invited to sign up for one hour during that time. Tables with sign-up sheets will be at the doors of the church this weekend. If you have not signed up and find that you will be able to come, come anyway. There will be prayers at about the middle of each hour, repeated during the next hour. Come and pray for peace for the people of Central America.

Sigrid Dale



Bread for the World

802 Rhode Island Avenue, N.E.
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Bread for the World Appeal to Parishes

Bread for the World is introducing into Congress this week the 'Harvest of Peace Resolution' which seeks to slow the arms race and promote peaceful development.

Specifically, the Christian citizens movement is seeking a \$20 billion cut in U.S. military spending, with a use of at least half of that saved for programs to aid low-income people. The rededicated funds would help overcome poverty through such programs as Food Stamps, WIC, employment and training, Head Start, and low-income housing assistance.

Bread for the World also seeks a 10% cut (\$500 million) in military foreign aid, and a 20% cut (\$900 million) in military arms sales, with the money being transferred to the most effective Third World development programs.

Throughout the metropolitan Detroit area, dozens of church communities are holding letter-writing campaigns in support of this resolution and its specific budget goals. All interested parish and social groups are invited to join.

For details call Margaret Weber at 272-5820.

Reprinted from the Michigan Catholic.

We can write to Senators Carl Levin and Donald Riegle: U.S. Senate, Washington, DC 20510. Most Shrine parishioners live in Congressman Sander Levin's district. We can write to him: % U.S. House of Representatives, Washington, DC 20515.

Rejoice with Renew!

There's no better time than Lent to prepare for Christ's death and resurrection in a special way. St. Marys of Royal Oak is doing just that...with their second season of RENEW. Everyone is invited to participate in the opening Mass, 11:00 a.m. Sunday February 18th. Or plan to join us in small group drop in sessions held each Wednesday evening in the grade school. These meetings are short...they begin promptly at 7:30 and are finished by 9:00 p.m. The roots of RENEW are growing in St. Marys, and we extend a personal invitation to all to join us in this most exciting second season!

Institute in Basic Life Principles

What would you do?

Q: If your boss put you in charge of one hundred employees and your father showed you how it would be more efficient to divide this responsibility with others, what would you do?

Q: If a friend gave you a box of record albums to throw away which were causing him to stumble spiritually, and you found a few Christian-type songs among them which could be used in the music library at church, what would you do?

Learn the answers to these questions and answers to questions concerning your life situation by attending the INSTITUTE IN BASIC LIFE PRINCIPLES at Cobo Hall, May 14-19.

Through this seminar you will learn universal, non-optimal principles of life which will have immediate application to the problems you face each day. Practical steps of direction will be given to help you reach your vital goals in your personal life, marriage, family, finances, and vocation. For more information, please call Marc of Loony Center, 546-2814.

Corn Beef & Cabbage Dinner

A tradition is about to be resurrected. The Catholic Youth Organization is bringing back the famed Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner. It is set for Wednesday, March 14 at the Pegasus Banquet and Conference Center, International Market Place in downtown Detroit.

It'll be reminiscent of the Msgr. Harold Markey Corned Beef and Cabbage affairs of the 1940's and 1950's featuring Irish music, food, fun and beverages amidst lots of appropriate St. Patrick's Day green.

During the evening the CYO Shamrock Award will be presented to Neal Shrine, Detroit Free Press columnist, in recognition of his commitment to Detroit's youth.

Join the festive occasion. Tickets, priced at \$50.00 per person, are available by sending check to the CYO office, 305 Michigan Ave. or by calling there, 963-7172.

Counseling Services at Shrine Parish

There are many signs of marital problems:
 -lack of communication
 -lack of sexual sharing
 -placement of all one's efforts into one's job at home (the kids) or at the office
 -no time for spouses to be together
 -no sharing of feelings and needs

The longer these signs exist, the more likely they will be unresolvable. Usually divorce reflects years of mutual neglect between husband and wife.

Don't let neglect of your marital relationship lead to its destruction. Spend time together and learn to share. If you need assistance to reach your goal, Frances Dziepak, M.A., Ronald Archambault, A.C.S.W., Barbara Bokram, R.N., M.S.N., Kay Berkowitz, A.C.S.W., Diane Junglas, M.A. can provide help to you. It doesn't matter who makes the first move, just as long as the relationship can grow and mature. Mrs. Dziepak, Mr. Archambault, Mrs. Bokram, Mrs. Berkowitz, and Mrs. Junglas will meet with you at Shrine Parish; they can be reached by calling Archambault & Associates at 547-1639 or 827-8801.

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For general information for the Pontiac area call 858-5180 or for long distance call the OLHSA toll free WATS line 1-800-482-8250 (TTY equipped).

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The Catholic Alumni Club is an organization of practicing Catholics who have a bachelor's degree in any field and who are free to marry in the Catholic Church. We host religious, athletic, cultural, and social activities. There will be a general meeting on Wednesday, February 21, at 8:00 p.m. at St. Raymond's Community House, 20103 Joann near Schoenherr and Eight Mile in Detroit.

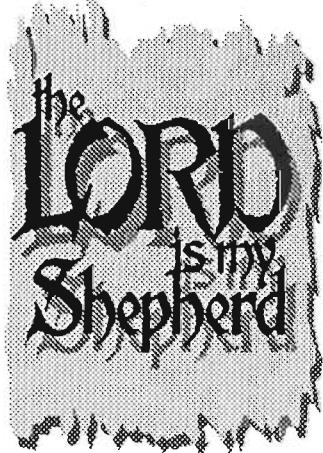
There's also volleyball every Tuesday night from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. at St. Bartholomew's, 2291 E. Outer Drive, two blocks west of Ryan in Detroit. For more information call Dave (527-5527) or Chuck (534-7564). \$3.00 charge.

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Also, we will be celebrating our Fifth Anniversary on Sunday, March 18. The Birmingham Theatre (2 p.m. matinee) will present the armorous antics in two flirtatious musicals, "Romance, Romance." The special group rate for this delightful show will be \$13.00. Dinner will follow. Carpools will leave St. Michael at 1:00 p.m. Reservations by February 21. For information, please call Juanita at 356-6189 or Olga at 478-0539.



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