



Congratulations to our own James Horomanski for achieving the coveted rank of Eagle Scout! James just recently graduated from Collegiate Academy with highest honors, and will

be attending Gannon University in the fall. The Horomanski Family joined Sacred Heart about 6 years ago, and have become very active members. James, and his brother Ryan, are very faithful altar servers. It is an honor for Sacred Heart Church to have *another* Eagle Scout among us!

We had a lovely dinner for the priests of our area this past Friday, for the Feast of the Sacred Heart. Our deepest appreciation goes out to Nick & Janice Sivillo and their crew, along with the Knights of Columbus for all they did to make our priests feel very welcome and "at home" here. And, a special "thank you" to Jim and Rebecca Flynn and their gang for taking care of the great Ice Cream Social, that has become a nice tradition for us as we celebrate our Parish Feast!

I am not sure if you noticed them, or not . . . but, you may have seen these 2 square "reflectors" that are now on the north wall of the Church, on either side of the Rose Window. Those are part of the new fire-protection system that we have just installed in the Church. Up in the choir loft, on either side of the organ chambers, are smoke-detection beams that criss-cross the upper level of the Church, and hit the reflectors on the north wall. If a fire should strike in the Church, the smoke will billow upwards, intersect those beams, and immediately notify the Erie Fire Department. I was assured that the simple smoke from a funeral's incense would not be strong enough to set them off! Thanks to everyone who contributed to the Catholic Services Appeal this year! That is where your monies have gone. Next, we hope to begin to replace the 26<sup>th</sup> Street sidewalk. If you would still like to contribute, there is always time! We would really appreciate it! It is nice to truly "see" where your contributions are going. There is still much to do, but I think the properties of Sacred Heart Church look pretty nice, thanks to the Catholic Services Appeal!

This is one the most important weeks of the year for the Clergy of the Diocese of Erie. It is the EMMAUS Convocation at St. Vincent's College in Latrobe. With all of us spread over 13 counties, it is one of the few times of the year that we can gather together for prayer, conference, and relaxation. Please keep us in your prayers this week. The Diocese of Erie is truly feeling the shortage of priests, and we need to be together every once in a while for fraternal support. Since I am the Master of Ceremonies and part of the committee, I will be gone from Sunday afternoon until late Thursday. If there is an emergency, and a need for a priest, I would suggest contacting Fr. Jerry Koos at Hamot Medical Center or Fr. Dennis Martin at St. Vincent's.

Have a great week! Pray for our priests!

Fr. D



**SUMMER CAMPS** - It's that time of year - If your child is interested in attending summer camps for *Baseball, Basketball, Football, Lacrosse* and/or *Soccer*, Cathedral Prep coaches are

hosting all of these again this summer. Please contact the Athletic Office at 453-7737 ext. 277 or e-mail: [snoonan@cathedral-prep.com](mailto:snoonan@cathedral-prep.com) for more information.

### EMMAUS PRAYER

*Lord Jesus, hear our prayer  
for the spiritual renewal of priests.*

*We praise you for giving  
their ministry to the Church.*

*In these days, renew them with the gifts  
of your Spirit.*

*You once opened the Scriptures to  
the disciples on the road to Emmaus.*

*Now renew your ordained ministers  
with the truth and power  
of your Word.*

*In Eucharist, you gave the Emmaus disciples  
renewed life and hope.*

*Nourish our priests with your own Body and Blood.  
Help them to imitate in their lives  
the death and resurrection they  
celebrate at your altar.*

*Give priests enthusiasm for the Gospel,  
zeal for the salvation of all,  
courage in leadership, humility in service,  
fellowship with one another  
and with all their brothers and sisters in You.*

*For you love them, Lord Jesus,  
and we love and pray for them  
In Your Name.*

### Child Abuse and Creating Safe Environments

#### **Tips for Summer Camp Safety:**



all teachers, staff, and volunteers in the Erie diocese who work with children must undergo criminal background checks. Diocesan guidelines and abuse prevention training programs currently

in use emphasize the importance of parents' knowing who has access to their children at school and other Church-sponsored activities. Summertime is here, and parents should remain vigilant regarding who is granted access to their children. Make sure camp counselors have undergone criminal background checks. And make sure you know the camp's daily routine. In particular, make sure that no camp activity results in a child being left alone with one adult. All activities should be supervised by more than one adult, and the camp should be open to unannounced drop-in visits from parents. (Source: Sharon Womack Doty, "Summer Safety-Monitor All Programs!" VIRTUS, July 17, 2006.) For more information, check out <http://www.eriecd.org/protectyouth.htm>.

The 2009 Diocesan **Anniversary Celebration** for couples celebrating *25th, 50th* or *60th* wedding anniversaries will be held on Sunday, August 2nd, at 2:00PM at St. Luke's Church. To register, please contact the church office at 456-6256.





## Masses For The Week

### Monday, June 22nd - Thursday, June 25th

8:30 - Communion Service

### Friday, June 26th

8:30 - Lawrence Brei - Janet Hansen

### Saturday, June 27th - St. Cyril of Alexandria

4:30 - Edvige Giammario - Family

### Sunday, June 28th - The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 - For the Parishioners of Sacred Heart Church

11:30 - John Martini - Wife, Children and Grandchildren

### Priest Schedule for June 27th and 28th

**Saturday, 4:30PM** - Fr. Detisch

**Sunday, 9:30AM and 11:30AM** - Fr. Detisch

The Sanctuary Candle is burning in memory of †**Luigi Ferrante** by the Family.

The Bread and Wine is given in memory of †**Pasquale "Pat" DiPaolo** by the Family.

### Scripture Readings for Next Week

Wisdom 1: 13-15, 2: 23-24 2 Corinthians 8: 7, 9, 13-15  
Mark 5: 21-43

### CAST THE LIGHT OF CHRIST UPON THE WORLD

Today we recall the apostolic journey of Pope Benedict XVI to the United States and his call to us to cast the light of Christ upon the world. We can show our solidarity with the Holy Father and our suffering brothers and sisters abroad through our support of this week's Collection. These funds allow him to provide emergency assistance to victims of war, disaster, oppression, and disease. **Please be generous in today's Peter's Pence collection.** If you were unable to contribute today, you may drop your gift in the collection next week or drop through the mail slot in the rectory door.



**Rummage Sale Update** - Despite hard economic times or perhaps because of them, we earned **\$2,907.00**, as much as last year's record breaking total.

Our thanks go to our donors for the high quality merchandise; our hardworking women, men and young people who worked for 2 1/2 days; our customers for their purchases; and the Salvation Army for taking away the leftovers.

Lorraine Squeglia was the winner of the summer basket raffle.

We're already looking forward to next year. Thanks to one and all. Rosemary Shewan and Mary Ann Dana

Please remember in your prayers our departed:

†**Frances Przbyszewski**

Requiescat In Pace



## THE WEEK AHEAD

**Monday** - **Boy Scout Meeting** at 6:00PM in the audi.

**Tuesday** - The **Rosary** will be prayed at 2:00PM in church.

**Thursday** - The **Youth Group** will meet at 7:00-9:00PM in the audi.

**Friday** - Church Cleaning **Team #4** (Barb Selker and Maria Stevens' team) is scheduled for Friday, June 26th.

### BIG GIVEAWAY NEWS AND WINNERS

Congratulations to these most recent **Big Giveaway winners**: 5303 - Sharon Rhoades, 3224 - Mary and Bill Drabina, 1902 - Ward Peterson, 7640 - Rita Joint, 0561 - Steve Twichel, 2227 - Michelle Karim, 4115 - Dennis J. Hartwig, 1418 - Kate and Bill Kunkle, 1353 - Philip and Mary Temple, and 9137 - Diane Smith.

**124** — that's the number of tickets that need to be sold to meet last year's sales of 1,516 sold tickets. Slowly, slowly the ticket sales continue to mount. Realizing that all tickets must be paid in full prior to June 30th to be eligible for the Early Bird Drawing at the end of July, hopefully all School Families will have returned their sold tickets prior to that date. 'Nuff said!!!

The next turn-in will be on Tuesday, June 23rd from 7:00 to 8:00PM, in the Auditorium.

**YOUTH GROUP NEWS** - Last week I took youth from all three of my youth groups to view their first ordination at Saint Peter's Cathedral. My very good friend, Dan Hoffman, became a holy priest for our diocese. Father Dan has helped out with many of our youth group events and activities.

There is something special about Father Dan. He has a glow about him. Father Dan has a faith that is contagious to others around him and he is going to make an incredible priest! Please continue to pray for holy vocations to the priesthood and religious life. I hope that today's youth see the beauty in listening to God's call. If you or your youth would like more information about youth group, please e-mail me at catholicconnection@gmail.com. Please check out one of our videos from our past Saint Andrew's lock-in at <http://www.eriecd.org/flash/video/vtv.asp>.



### Movie Morning with St. Paul June 24th at Our Lady of Peace Parish

Come join us to help celebrate the conclusion of the Year of St. Paul with a special *Movie Morning with St. Paul*, featuring the movie **Paul: Contending for the Faith**, discussion and prayer. Join us **Wednesday, June 24th** from 9:00 to 11:30AM in the parish social room of Our Lady of Peace Parish for a journey into the world of St. Paul. For more information, call Laura Drapcho at 838-9983 or e-mail [laura.drapcho@olp.org](mailto:laura.drapcho@olp.org).



Let all Nations and Peoples

Give Praise to God

