



MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 2010
 8:00 am † Raymond & Henrietta Allgeier

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2010
 6:30 pm Cleary-Glasser Family

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2010
No Mass

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2010
 8:00 am † Elmer Steier

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 2010
 8:00 am † Pat Frerman

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2010
 4:30 pm † Timothy Goetzinger
 7:00 pm Spanish Mass

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17, 2010
 8:30 am † Matt Cassin
 11:00 am People of the Parish

**Remember in Prayer...
 Our Sick and Shut-In**

Thomas Brohm, Bill Diemer, Alberta Fetter, John Magera, Sister Jovita Milner, Deloris Newton, Helen and Gene Royalty, Shirley Lee, Phyllis Mitchell, James Wright, Bill Burry, Elizabeth Hoolhorst, Ruby Shull, Pat Paulley, James Wohner, Leroy Scott, Mary Helen Newton, J. W. Medley, Kenneth Burge, Gene Belleville, Dorothy Hawkins, Ruth Burry, Amanda Mattingly, Marcella Barney, JoAnn Baer, George Wick, Mary Stochay, Carter DeWitt, Betty Ramsey, Barry Williams, Sandy Fields, Bill Boone, Peggy Selch
Hospital: Tim Shain, Raymond C. Williams, Jack Straub
Prayer Line: 454-5403 or 239-4885

Our Women and Men in the Military

Matthew Cleary, Michelle Williams, Jerry Haueter, Kedric Joseph Osborne, Kevin Joseph Osborne, Tony Zemlich, Denise Edson Stich

Collection Report

	January 2 & 3
	166 Envelopes
595 Family Registrations	\$ 10,471.60
Budget	10,096.00
OVER Budget	375.60
Contributions Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 212,862.41
Contributions Budgeted Fiscal Year to Date	252,400.00
(UNDER) Budget Year to Date	\$ (39,537.59)
SEAM Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 4,986.50
Maintenance Fiscal Year to Date	\$ 3,391.50
Christmas Collection	\$ 4,247.00

Congratulations to Derrick and Marsha Littlejohn on the baptism of their daughter **Aubree Littlejohn**. Aubree was baptized on January 3.



BAPTISM OF THE LORD

SUNDAY, JANUARY 10, 2010
 9:30 am Last Confirmation Focus Session (Barth Hall)
 2:00 pm Bingo (J-Town Bingo Hall)

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 2010
 7:00 pm Bingo (J-Town Bingo Hall)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2010
 6:30 pm First Communion Parent Meeting (St. Pius)
 7:00 pm ERE (St. Martha)

**Vocation View – Baptism of the Lord
 National Vocation Awareness Week**

Like Jesus, you are called God's beloved. Renew your baptismal commitment and pray for those discerning a call to priesthood or religious life. Luke 3:15-16, 21-22

IN OUR PARISH

St. Bartholomew Parish presents a Trivia Night
 Friday, January 22, 2010 in the gym. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Game begins at 7:00 p.m. \$10.00 per person – all ages welcome! Teams of 4-8 people. Cash prize of \$20.00 per person to the winning team! All door monies benefit SEAM! For reservations, call Gina or Chuck Priddy at (502) 451-2929. Concessions available – hot dogs, bratwursts, fish sandwiches, candy, and popcorn. (You may bring your own food.)

Come experience the difference at JPPIA! Join us at our Open House on Tuesday, January 26 from 5:30 to 7:00 pm and Wednesday, January 27 from 8:00 to 10:00 am. For more information, please call the Academy at 452-1712 or visit our web site at <http://www.jp2.org>. *Educating the Mind, Enriching the Heart, Inspiring the Soul* from three year olds through grade 8. Private tours available upon request.

Time again for **TITAN TALENT** – John Paul II Academy invites everyone to mark your calendar for February 27th. We will host our annual "Titan Talent". Tickets will be \$10.00 or \$80.00 per table. Come and be part of our show, 12 lucky acts will make it to the stage. If you would like tickets or to be a part of our show, please contact Gwan Cox gwc23@insightbb.com or 499-9146. This will be an ADULTS ONLY evening.

Flapjacks are Back!

Mark your calendars now so you won't miss the return of Pancake Sunday. January 17, 8:30 am to noon in Barth Hall. \$5.00 per person (pancakes, sausage, coffee, milk and juice). Stop by after the 8:30 and 11:00 am Masses and visit with old friends and take the opportunity to meet new ones.

**Coming Soon... Lenten Fish Frys
 February 12, 4:30 to 7:30 pm in the Gym**

Baked and fried fish, oysters, and shrimp, mouth-watering sides, desserts; and pizza for the kids
 Dinners or Sandwiches; Dine in or Carry Out
 If you are interested in helping, please contact Mary Ann at 558-8800. See you there for our First Fry prior to Lent!!

Open to High School Youth – Open Gym

Sunday, January 10 through Sunday, February 28 from 5:30 to 7:30 pm **with the exception of January 24**. Chaperones needed. Call Becky Box at the parish office for more information.

Baptism of the Lord

We Want to Hear From You!

As part of our **Building the Future of Hope Campaign** we are making a video of our parish community. We are seeking pictures (past or recent) of Weddings, Baptisms, and First Communions held here at St. Bartholomew. Be sure to put your name and phone number on each item before turning them in to the parish office. Pictures will be returned. Do you have past memories or future dreams for St. Bartholomew? In 25 words or less tell us what St. Bartholomew means to you. Must be submitted in writing or through e-mail. Mail to the parish office or drop in the collection basket attention Cindy Hayslette or chayslette@saintbarths.org. Be sure to sign your submission; anonymous submissions will not be accepted.

National Vocation Awareness Week – January 10-16

On this feast of the Baptism of the Lord we begin National Vocation Awareness Week. Renew your baptismal commitment as you consider your call to serve God in your particular vocation. Hopefully some of you will hear a call to priesthood, diaconate or religious life and will be open to that possibility. If you would like assistance, please contact the Archdiocese of Louisville Vocation Office at 636-0296.

Prayer for Vocations

Loving God, You call us through our baptism in the Spirit to continue the mission of your beloved Son, Jesus.

Open us to listen attentively for your invitation.
Empower us to respond to your call.

Inspire women and men
to follow the path of service.
Together may we build up the Church to be a
vibrant sign of your presence in our world.

We offer this prayer
in the name of your Son, Jesus,
through the power of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

TASTE OF ASCENSION

The Ascension PTO will host the 2nd Annual TASTE OF ASCENSION! Join us for a "Tropical Paradise Celebration" on Saturday, February 6. Many of the area's finest restaurants, caterers, wineries, brewers and distillers will be showcasing their cuisine and products for our guests to enjoy. All proceeds from this event will benefit Ascension School and Dare to Care Food Bank.

The "Tasting/Auction" will take place from 6:30 to 9:30 pm, followed by live music with "The Remedy" from 9:30 pm to Midnight.

Tickets are \$30/in advance or \$35/night of event. Tickets are available in the School Office (451-2535) or visit our parish website at www.ascension-parish.com. You may also contact Lynne Marshall (499-9108) or Lisa Mattingly at 459-2526 to purchase tickets.

****Must be 21 or older to attend****

Mark your calendars now for what promises to be a spectacular evening of dining, socializing and dancing!

The Record will publish the First Bridal Issue of 2010 on January 28. If you are planning your wedding between January 28 and July 28, and would like your announcement in *The Record*, fill out and send the form currently appearing in the paper. You may also go online at archlou.org/therecord/bridalannouncements and complete your form via the Internet. For additional information or questions contact Rachell Rauh at 471-2125 or e-mail rrouh@archlou.org. The deadline is Friday, January 8 at 10:00 am.

St. Luke Catholic Church will sponsor a **Card Party** on Sunday, February 7 at 1:30 pm. Admittance to the Card Party will be \$5.00 per person with a light lunch served. St. Luke is located at 4211 Jim Hawkins Drive. All are welcome. For more information and to make a reservation, call Phyllis Haag at 964-2927 or Mary Reid 921-2736.

Catholic Healing Service conducted by Fr. Bernie Weber, CP on Tuesday, January 12 from 7 to 9 pm at Holy Family Church, 3926 Poplar Level Road. All are welcome!

Stand Up in Defense of Human Life

Attend the Annual Archdiocesan Pro-Life Mass on Sunday, January 17, at 3:00 pm at Saint Martin of Tours Church located at 639 South Shelby Street. Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz, Celebrant. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus; Ancient Order of Hibernians; and Knights of St. John.

The Sisters of St. Benedict of Ferdinand, Indiana, are offering a Saturday morning program on forgiveness, "**Forgiving What We Cannot Forget**," on January 16 at Kordes Center in Ferdinand. Breakfast snack at 9:00 a.m. EST. Program begins at 9:15 am and concludes with lunch at 12:15 pm. Cost \$40. Registration due January 13. Call 812-367-1411, ext. 2915, or 800-880-2777, or check www.thedome.org/programs for more information or to register.

You are invited to attend a **Multicultural Day of Reflection** on Saturday, January 30th from 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. One thing that makes St. Bartholomew a unique community is our cultural diversity. This day of reflection will help us to expand our understanding of diversity; to open our spirit to a deeper awareness and appreciation of diversity within our family of faith. Interested? Call Becky Box at 499-0883 to sign up.

Did you receive beautiful Christmas cards and hate the thought of throwing them away? How about recycling them as ornaments for next year's Giving Tree. Cut the front of the card off and send to the parish office. Look for yours on next year's tree!

Almighty, eternal God, when the Spirit descended upon Jesus at his baptism in the Jordan, you revealed him as your own beloved Son. Keep us, your children born of water and the Spirit, faithful to our calling. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

