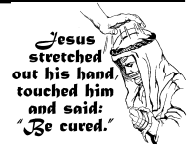




**Liturgy Intentions
For The Week**



February 14	Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Shirley and Silas Haley John Cremen	Robenstein Family Jerry and JoAnn Clements
February 15	Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Edwin White Robert Prough	Wife, Jackie Lew and Linda Benton
February 15	Sunday 9:00 a.m.	For deceased of The Church of St. Peter Family of Patricia Russo	Patricia Snyder
February 15	Sunday 11:30 a.m.	William Smith	Family
February 16		Presidents' Day Holiday Observed	
February 17	Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	For Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
February 18	Wednesday 8:00 a.m.	For Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
February 19	Thursday 8:00 a.m.	For Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
February 20	Friday 8:00 a.m.	For Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
February 21	Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Thomas Christensen John Cremen Santo Mangona	Rose Marie Zacek Lisa Campilango Daughter and granddaughter
February 22	Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Bridget Mary Barrington	Family
February 22	Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Edward Kay	Son, Bruce and family
February 22	Sunday 11:30 a.m.	Joseph Janczak Joseph Niederberger Joseph Hovanek	Family Usher Family Family

Readings for Sunday, February 22, 2009 - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 43:18-19, 21-22, 24b-25; 2 Cor 1:18-22; Mk 2:1-12



**Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Servers
February 21-22, 2009**



Mass	Eucharistic Ministers	Servers	Readers
February 21 5:00 p.m.	Diane Beyer, John Blaum, Maureen Blaum, Peter Bonitatibus, Mary Brooks, Mary Collins, Jean Cremen, Phyllis Delay, Leo Demers	Emmet Buser Grace Buser	John Sisk Amanda Blodgett
February 22 7:30 a.m.	Linda Benton, Donna Buckley, Barbara Cudney, Tad Deuel, Sharon Drosky, Stan Drosky, Michael Murray, Eileen Reese		Steve Rowland Lynn Allen
February 22 9:00 a.m.	Linda Bubniak, Maryann Burtman, Donald Carroll, Claire Couch, Sheila Daignault, Joyce Martucci, Richard Rowland, Susan Rowland, Robert Spratt, Rita Usher	Sarah Watson William Watson	Susan Rowland Rich Rowland
February 22 11:30 a.m.	Charles DiSanto, Kathy DiSanto, Jacqueline Donnelly, Carolyn Hamlin, Gene Landry, Marie Landry, Marilyn Lategano, Gerry Lyons, Dorothy Mendez, Mary Lou Snyder	Alyssa Concha Nickolas Concha	Joe Rocco Chris Rocco

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family who are sick or suffering in any way, all those in hospitals or nursing homes, and all of our shut-ins. We pray for all who have died recently, including Michael Mone. Let us not forget the victims of violence at home and abroad. We remember the men and women serving in the armed forces as we continually pray for peace.

A contribution as been made to SPNA (St. Peter's Needy Association) in memory of John Cremen
Three additional contributions have been made to The Church of St. Peter in memory of John Cremen.

Attendance		Collection		Average Collection to date	
February 8, 2009	1,058	February 8, 2009	\$ 8,102.55	February 8, 2009	\$ 8,627.76
February 10, 2008	957	February 10, 2008	7,494.30	February 10, 2008	8,086.04
SPNA: (to date) month of February 2009			\$ 1,243.75		

Thank you for your generosity and remembering your weekly contribution when you are away.

**Family Perspective
By Bud Ozar**

The key words in today's gospel were spoken to Jesus by the leper: "IF YOU WISH, YOU CAN!" How many people are waiting to be "made clean" by your understanding and forgiveness? Remember: IF YOU WISH, YOU CAN!

**Marriage Moments
Karen Vogt**

Family Life Office Diocese of Kentucky
On anniversaries, the wise spouse always forgets the past, but never the present. What day of the month is your anniversary? If your actual anniversary is a ways away, perhaps you could have a mini-celebration next month on that date.

**Parenting Pointers
Karen Vogt**

Family Life Office, Diocese of Kentucky
Love your child by loving their mother or father. Usually this is your spouse, but even if you are divorced, maintaining a civil, respectful relationship with your ex shows your child how to get along with people for whom they might not have a natural liking.

Evangelist: Faith Alive!

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To subscribe, call 584-2375.

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Week in Our Parish

02/16	Presidents' Day Holiday		
	AA Meeting	7:00-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Room 204
02/17	SCCHS - Rehearsal	9:00-3:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Cafeteria
	Piano Lessons	4:00-4:30 pm	Church
02/18	Scripture Group	8:30-10:00 am	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm
	SCCHS Rehearsal	9:00-3:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Cafeteria
	Piano Lessons	2:45-4:30 pm	Church
	EOC Bike Repair	4:00-7:00 pm	Church-Basement
	Scripture Group	7:15-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm
02/19	SCCHS - Rehearsal	9:00-3:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Cafeteria
	Piano Lessons	3:00-5:30 pm	Church
	Finance Committee	5:30 pm	Rectory
	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 pm	Church
02/20	SCCHS - Rehearsal	2:30-5:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Cafeteria
02/21	EOC Bike Repair	9:00 am-12:00 pm	Church Basement
02/22	No Religious Ed/YM classes		

Groups/Contacts

Adult Scripture Sharing Group/Wednesday	8:30 am	Rita Usher	587-4487
Adult Scripture Sharing Group/Wednesday	7:15 pm	Kathleen Greiner	899-5136
Saratoga Area Homeschoolers/Monday	1:00 pm	Erin Walker	885-8395

Youth Ministry News: NCYC Fundraiser

Think no road salt, think Spring, think clean car!!!

Teens will be taking orders after masses beginning this weekend and continue for the next couple weeks, for a Hoffman Car Wash!

Select and purchase in advance the type of car wash you would like and in a couple weeks, you will receive a Coupon for the car wash(es) you ordered! Look for the teens after Mass.

Please note the coupons do not expire. The coupons may be used on any day, at any Hoffman location! Contact the Youth Ministry office for car wash orders, also.

Thank you for support of Pasta Dinner

Thanks to the teens, Social Committee and other parishioners who helped support the Pasta Dinner, on January 24 - proceeds going to fund our teens who will be attending NCYC (National Catholic Youth Conference) in November '09.

Special thanks to: Rose and Terry Aspland, Beyer Family, JoAnn Clements, Ann Crouth, Barb Cudney, Mark Dorsey, Stan and Sharon Drosky, Charles Fricano, Steve Furstoss, Tom Gould, Courtney Hayner, Judy Heftner, Herman Family, Dylan and Mark Juda, Bruce Kay, Kyle and Laurette Loucks, Maguire Family, Gina Major, Ernest Mumford, Bill Murphy, Blaze Nicolosi, Mitch O'Neil, Mary O'Rourke, Petrina Phalen, Eileen and Jack Reese, Louella Williams, and those who provided great desserts!

God bless you for your support!!-

----- Father Ingemie, Patricia Poulette, Carol Boltzer

Soup-er Bowl of Caring was Super Success

Teens from our grade 10 Youth Ministry program volunteered willingly over the past couple weeks to make the Soup-er Bowl of Caring a big success. They wish to express their thanks to everyone for the tremendous out-pouring of generosity in response to their efforts: \$1,739.25 and approximately 400 lbs of non-perishable food items were collected! This effort continues to be the success it is every year, thanks to our very generous parish community. THANK YOU!!



The Inn at Saratoga
231 Broadway
For advertising in our bulletin

Marriage Encounter Weekends

How do I love you? Let me share the ways. Spend the weekend with your spouse recounting the many gifts of love you've given each other throughout your married life. Discover new ways to meet each other's needs on a Marriage Encounter Weekend: March 20-22; September 18-20; or November 6-8. Email:MEalbany@juno.com or call Ed and Rhonda Staats at (518) 279-3243 for information.



Thank you for continued support of the food collection for our less fortunate brothers and sisters. Please leave non-perishable foods (No Glass containers, please) in the blue basket in the vestibule of the Church. Pet food items may also be left.



Food Drive

The Parish Nurse Program

The Parish Nurse Program would like to make you aware of free community screenings offered by Saratoga Hospital. The screenings are free, but an appointment must be made in advance for the screenings. For more information or to make an appointment, please call 580-2450 or 1-866-580-2450 (toll free).

Baseball Screening

Prepare for the upcoming baseball/softball season by identifying areas of potential improvement. Includes swing analysis and assessment of grip strength, leg strength, vertical jump, and leg agility. Appropriate for ages 10 and older. Children under 18 must be accompanied by parent or guardian; signed release required.

Saturday, February 28, 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
Extra Innings, 1 McCrea Hill Road, Ballston Spa
(2 ½ miles South of the Ballston Spa Post Office at the corner of McCrea Hill Road and Rt 50)


Golf Screening

An athletic trainer and physical therapists will evaluate your grip strength, leg strength, core strength and flexibility. A golf pro will be on hand to analyze your swing.

Saturday, March 21, 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
Wilton Medical Arts, 3040 Route 50, Saratoga Springs (1/2 mile North of Exit 15)

Mardi Gras Pancake Supper

Tuesday, February 24 5:30-7:00 pm
Parish Center Cafeteria



Enjoy great food, music, and community before we begin our Lenten fast.

Pancakes, sausage, fruit salad, coffee, tea and juice
There will be Face Painting, Balloon animals, and mask-making
"King Cake" served at 6:30 pm

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Limited number of tickets will be sold at the door
(\$4.00 children/Senior Citizens - \$6.00 adults)

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Return to Religious Education office by Wednesday, February 18

NAME: _____

Children/Senior Citizens X \$3.00: \$ _____

Adults X \$5.00: \$ _____

Total amount enclosed: \$ _____