



**Liturgy Intentions  
For The Week**



October 18 Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Joseph Santiago Francis A. Fernet	Family Mr. and Mrs. Anthony DePasquale
October 19 Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Jody Federico Roger Tarte, Sr.	Rose Marie Zacek Labor and Delivery Staff, Saratoga Hospital
9:00 a.m.	Susan Fricano J. Peter Phillips	The Fricano Family Thomas and Barbara Hatlee
11:30 a.m.	Timothy J. Tellstone Guy Mastrion, Sr.	Helen O'Donnell Mastrion Family
October 20 Monday 8:00 a.m.	Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
October 21 Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	Marie McCarthy (9 <sup>th</sup> anniversary)	Husband, Joe
October 22 Wednesday 8:00 a.m.	Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
October 23 Thursday 8:00 a.m.	Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
October 24 Friday 8:00 a.m.	Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
October 25 Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Ruth Downen Joan Dailey Robert O'Connell	Principessa Elena Women's Society The Brady Family Maureen Godlewski
October 26 Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Jody Marie Federico John Fignar Helen "Peg" Braim	Joyce and Paul Gagnon Richard Maguire Mary Duval and Family
9:00 a.m.	J. Peter Phillips James Oliver	Mary O'Donnell Roger and Patricia Lampron
11:30 a.m.	Rose Ann Crimaldi (63 <sup>rd</sup> anniversary) Albert Parisi	Daughter and Grandsons Family

Readings for Sunday, October 26, 2008: Ex 22:20-26; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40



**Readers and Eucharistic Ministers  
October 25-26, 2008**



Mass	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	Servers
October 25 5:00 p.m.	Diane Beyer, John Blaum, Maureen Blaum, Lorraine Hansen, Judith Hefter, Bonnie Mayer, Margaret Neville, Candyce Robenstein, Julianne Thomas	John Waechter Maureen Godlewski	Justin Klotz Blaise Wichrowski
October 26 7:30 a.m.	Pamela Barrington, Elizabeth Leanza, Michael Murray, Eileen Reese, Richard Rowland, Angel Santiago, James Tierney, Andrea Wise	Elizabeth Leanza Joseph Barrington	
9:00 a.m.	Linda Bubniak, Maryann Burtman, Donald Carroll, Claire Couch, Sheila Daignault, Chuck Greiner, Kathleen Greiner, Joyce Martucci, Robert Spratt, Rita Usher	Kathleen Greiner Marc Limeri	Madeline Klotz Rachel Nentwick
11:30 a.m.	Sophie Barber, Kathy DiSanto, Marilyn Lategano, Gerry Lyons, Dorothy Mendez, Larry Ostwald, Miriam Ostwald, Ginny Scavuzzo, Mary Lou Snyder, Judith Walker	Trish Van Deusen Maureen Holton	Joey Martinez Adam O'Rourke

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 Helen Hickey, Theresa Raffael, and Ann Golinski, grandmother of Jennifer DeVincenzo. 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.

**Weekly Collection**

Attendance: October 14, 2007	1,205	Attendance: October 12, 2008	971
Collection: October 14, 2007	\$7,833.75	Collection: October 6, 2008	\$7,375.00
Average collection FY 2007	\$7,385.88	Average Collection FY 2008	\$8,898.61

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

**Family Perspective  
By Bud Ozar**

Jesus was exasperated when he scolded: "Why do you put me to the test?" It is natural for children to test parents; this is how they learn and how we teach limits, rules and values. Be like Jesus in today's gospel; he was firm, honest and direct.

The phrase in today's gospel is famous: "Pay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." Taxes insure the government gets its share of our families resources, but what about our debts to God. How much time does your family give to God in conversation (prayer) or in service to our fellow humans who are in need?

**Marriage Moments**

Karen Vogt Family Life Office  
Diocese of Kentucky

Being different can be good. What traits do you and your spouse have that are different yet complement each other? (Consider things like attention to detail vs. seeing the whole picture, quick thinker vs. thorough planner, extrovert vs. self-reflective....)

Viva la difference!

**Parenting Pointers**

Karen Vogt  
Family Life Office  
Diocese of Kentucky

Having trouble getting a conversation started with your kids? Try the "Favorites Quiz." Ask your child to judge how well you know them. Try to guess their favorite book, movie, food, way to relax, teacher, musical group, toy, sports hero, scripture, etc.

**Evangelist: Faith Alive!**

**STAY INFORMED:** To stay informed be sure to read The Evangelist, our diocesan newspaper.

It offers extensive, in-depth coverage. The cost is only 30 cents a week, less than a first-class postage stamp. To subscribe, call 584-2375.

**Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**World Mission Sunday**

**This Week in Our Parish**

10/20	EOC	9:30 am-12:00 noon	Parish Ctr-Rsrce Rm
	Catholic Homeschoolers	1:00 pm-3:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Cafe
	AA Meeting	7:00 pm-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr-rm 204-205
10/21	Piano Lessons	4:00 pm	Church
	YM-Gr 10	6:30 pm- 8:30 pm	Parish Ctr
	Men's Fellowship Group	7:00 pm-	Parish Ctr-Rsrce Rm
	YAFFA	7:00 pm-	Rectory
10/22	Scripture Group	8:30 am-10:00	Parish Ctr-Rsrce Rm
	Piano Lessons	2:45 pm-4:30 pm	Church
	YM-Confirmation	6:30 pm-8:00 pm	Parish Ctr-
	SCCHS-NHS Induction	7:00 pm-9:00 pm	Church
	Scripture Group	7:15-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Rsrce Rm
10/23	EOC PACT	10:00 am-2:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Rm203-205
			Cafe & Kitchen
	Caterer	10:00 am-2:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Kitchen
	Piano Lessons	3:00 pm-5:30 pm	Church
	Choir Rehearsal	7:30-8:30 pm	Church
10/24	SCCHS Retreat GR 8	8:30 am-1:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Kitchen
	Wedding Rehearsal	6:30 pm-7:30 pm	Church
10/25	YM 7-8 and YM 9-12: "World Youth Day"	1:00 pm-6:00 pm	Parish Ctr
	Wedding	6:30 pm-	Church
10/26	Religious Ed K-6	10:10-11:20 am	Parish Ctr and SCCHS
	YM Gr 7-8	10:10-11:20 am	- classrooms
	YM Gr 9	10:10-11:20 am	" " " "
	YM Confirmation	9:00 am-8:00 pm	Mass followed by Retreat

**Groups/Contacts**

Men's Fellowship Group	/Tuesday	7:00 pm	Ted Shufelt	745-1843
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

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 be left also.



**RCIA Catechists Needed**

Are you looking for an opportunity to share your knowledge while growing in your faith? The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Program is an ongoing program designed for adults who have never been baptized in the Catholic Church, or were baptized in the Catholic Church but not fully initiated (have not received Eucharist or confirmation) or were baptized in another Christian Church. Catechists are needed to work with the candidates following dismissal during mass, and at periodic ongoing lecture sessions. Please contact Deacon Brian Levine at the Parish Office (584-2375) for more information.

**Men's Fellowship Group**

The Men's Fellowship Group gathers on the first and third Tuesday of the month in the Resource Room of the Parish Center to pray together as well as read and discuss scripture. Participants share their lives and faith lived out within families, communities and workplace or vocations. Discussion comes from the "Signposts" publication from Word Among Us Press or any topic the Holy Spirit has in your heart. Please join us at 7:00 pm on 10/21! Call Ted Shufelt at 745-1843 or [tshufelt001@nycap.rr.com](mailto:tshufelt001@nycap.rr.com).

**Crop Walk - 2008**

Won't you please join 7th and 8th grade Youth Ministry and their families at this annual community event—CROP WALK—on October 19<sup>th</sup>? The group will meet in St. Peter's parking lot at 12:30 pm and walk over to Congress Park, and as a group, will return to St. Peter's about 2:30 pm. There are donation envelopes in the vestibule. If you have any questions, contact Carol Boltzer, Youth Minister, 587-5182.

If you can't physically join in the walk on October 19, please pray to overcome poverty, while seeking adequate fresh water, locally and worldwide.



**Harvest of Saints Pancake Breakfast**

The social committee invites all parishioners to a "Harvest of Saints" pancake breakfast on 11/02/08 in the cafeteria. Seatings will be at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 am, and 12:30 pm. Cost is \$2.00 per person paid at the door. Children and Youth enrolled in Religious Education or Youth Ministry are expected to attend their classes before having breakfast.

**Festival of Trees**



Teens in our Youth Ministry programs will again this year decorate items for Catholic Charities' Festival of Trees, which will be held 12/4-7/08! If you would like to join in the decorating fun on November 23, please call Patty Poulette, Youth Minister, at 587-5182. Details will follow, but save 11/23 to help our teens decorate!

Donations of the following items are needed: Large artificial wreaths, and sets of tree or wreath decorations. Smaller size decorations to use for our table-top trees and wreaths would also be greatly appreciated!

**Birthing of Ballston Spa's "Baby Bottle Boomerang"**

Thank you, thank you from Birthing of Ballston Spa for your contributions to Birthing through the Baby Bottle Boomerang. The bottles will be needed for the future, please return the bottles, even though they might be empty.

**God Calls All People to Work in the Vineyard**

[VocationMatch.com](http://VocationMatch.com) is a unique discernment tool provided by VISION Vocation Guide to help men and women considering religious life to focus their options and narrow their search for the right vocation and community. After completing a series of questions about interests and spiritual orientation, the participant's answers are matched against the profiles of hundreds of religious communities, institutes, and organizations. The discernor receives the results of those communities that might be a good fit for them.

**Holiday Fair Trade Orders**



Whether you're stocking up on your supply, looking for something truly special to serve at Thanksgiving, or a meaningful Christmas gift, fair trade is always a good idea! Place your order for fair trade coffee, tea, cocoa and chocolate bars to be available for pick-up the weekend of November 15-16.

Order forms and the order collection box are in the vestibule of the church. Please complete your order form, (holding on to the top portion as a reminder of pick up date) and place the form and your pre-payment in the order box by Sunday, November 2. Any profit will be contributed to the Youth Ministry Spring Fair Trade Coffee House. If you have questions, call Pam Funciello (587-5904). Be sure to order enough to last until the Spring Sale!

**Parish Nurse Program**

The Parish Nurse Program would like to make you aware of the following information

Allergies are your body's over-reaction to allergens found all around us. Allergens can include pollen, mold spores, dust, insect venom and even household pets. Certain foods and drugs can be allergens, too.

Allergies can be controlled and treated. 1) Learn what triggers your allergies. 2) Work with your physician to diagnose and relieve your allergies. 3) Make lifestyle changes to reduce allergies.

Allergy symptoms: runny/stuffy nose, sneezing, wheezing, itchiness or eyes, nose and throat. Symptoms usually begin almost immediately upon exposure. Cold symptoms: some fever, aches, pains and some allergy symptoms that take a few days to hit full force.

Food allergies can be severe: Always ask what ingredients are when eating away from home. Read food labels carefully. Avoid those foods that may trigger a reaction.

Prepare for an emergency by talking with your physician, should you suspect a food allergy experience.



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