



PEACE of CHRIST PARISH

ST. AMBROSE • ST. JAMES • ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

August 15, 2010

Parish Mission Statement

The Peace of Christ calls us to create a Christian Community where God is found in the beauty and joy of our worship; in the breadth of our outreach; and in our love for one another.

Rev. Robert J. Schrader, Pastor
Rev. Robert T. Werth, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Brian K. Carpenter, Parochial Vicar

Weekend Liturgy Schedule

Saturday	4:30 p.m.	St. James
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	St. James
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. John
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	St. Ambrose
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	St. John
Sunday	5:00 p.m.	St. Ambrose

Weekday Liturgy Schedule

Monday	7:45 a.m.	St. James
Tuesday	9:15 a.m.	St. Ambrose
Wednesday	7:45 a.m.	St. James
	12:10 p.m.	St. John
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	St. John
	9:15 a.m.	St. Ambrose
Friday	12:15 p.m.	St. Ambrose

Holy Day Liturgy Schedule

Please check the bulletin the week of the Holy Day.

Confessions

Saturday:	3:45 - 4:15 p.m.	St. James
Sunday:	8:15 - 8:45 a.m.	St. John
	4:15 - 4:45 p.m.	St. Ambrose

Parish office for all three worship sites:
St. Ambrose, St. James and
St. John the Evangelist
288-5000

See page 8 for staff extension numbers and other church information.

To reach a priest in an emergency
call the Rectory (585) 482-4280
Priest mailing address:
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Rochester, NY 14610-1221

Peace of Christ Web Site:
www.peaceofchristparish.org

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Today is the Solemnity of The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven. Though it's usually a Holy Day of Obligation even when it *doesn't* fall on a Sunday, it *certainly* is today being on a Sunday. Our Holy Days of Obligation certainly form an interesting part of our Roman Catholic ritual traditions. For example—though this was not always true—some of them (including this one) are *not* obligatory if they fall on Saturday or Monday, placing them immediately before or after a Sunday (which is *always* obligatory, whether observed at the Saturday vigil Mass or on Sunday itself). This applies to January 1st (the Solemnity of The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God) and November 1st (the Solemnity of All Saints) as well. In the United States, there are three other Holy Days of Obligation: the Thursday of the 6th Week of Easter (the Solemnity of The Ascension of the Lord—although this is transferred to the following Sunday in most of the United States *except* in the ecclesiastical Provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha and Philadelphia), December 8th (the Solemnity of The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary—which, as our national patroness, never is not obligatory), and December 25th (the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord—which is *always* obligatory no matter on what day of the week it may fall). Now, to add to the intrigue, today's celebration of Mary's Assumption was *never* a Holy Day of Obligation in Canada. However, January 6th (the Solemnity of The Epiphany of the Lord) *did* used to be obligatory there but *not* here in the United States. Further, there are other feasts which are (or used to be) Holy Days of Obligation in other countries: March 19th (the Solemnity of Joseph, the Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Scotland), the Thursday following Trinity Sunday (the Solemnity of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland), and June 29th (the Solemnity of Peter and Paul, Apostles—England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland). All ten of the above Holy Days would also have been observed as obligatory in Rome and some other countries as well—and March 17th traditionally had been obligatory in Ireland. So it really was up to your latitude and longitude as to whether you sinned or not by not observing the above feasts. Always carry a compass through life, I say—AND a sextant!

Monday evening, I will be at the Nazareth Arts Center—not for a play but for a Community Discussion on Catholic Education (I hope there's an intermission and refreshments).

Tuesday evening is our Men's Club meeting at St. James. There *will* be an intermission and refreshments, and I will share with them a brief travelogue on my recent expedition to Maine and the Maritimes.

Wednesday, I drive to DC for a meeting of the Board of the USCCB's National Advisory Council to put together the Council's agenda for my final meeting of that body in September. Back Friday.

Thursday, my Dad would have been 90. May he rest in peace!

Friday is the feast of St. Bernard. Bishop Clark will say a special Mass at St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry for us alums.

Saturday, it will have been a dozen years since the first robot airplane flight from St. John's Newfoundland to Scotland. You forgot?

Sunday would have been the Queenship of Mary, but it's Sunday.

—Father Schrader

Mass Intentions	
Date	Intention/Church
Monday, August 16 <i>St. Stephen of Hungary</i>	7:45 Rose Miriam Miller by husband, Ralph JA
Tuesday, August 17	9:15 In Thanksgiving by Dan & Pauline Walsh AM
Wednesday, August 18	7:45 In Thanksgiving by John & Celeste Veloski JA 12:10 Month's Mind — Alice Dever JO
Thursday, August 19 <i>St. John Eudes</i>	7:00 Month's Mind — Helen Cichetti JO 9:15 Jeanne M. Eckelberger by Patricia Martel AM
Friday, August 20 <i>St. Bernard</i>	12:15 Evalyn Tachetti by Carmel & Michael Adams AM
Saturday, August 21	4:30 Peter Bowens by Joshua Morrett and Mary Hasenauer JA
Sunday, August 22 <i>Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 Helen Lauweret by Haefner Family JA 9:00 Dolores Kubida by husband, Nicholas JO 9:45 Nicholas Chuhy by Nazarine Noto AM BAPTISMS 11:00 For All Parishioners Living and Deceased JO 5:00 Doris Tommaselli by Carol Julian AM

The Sanctuary Lamp at St. James Church will burn this week in memory of *Rinaldo Iannettone*.




Donald DeManno & Patricia Marvin



The **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** is the process through which adults are brought into the Catholic Church. It is a very enriching process. If you or someone you know might be interested in this process, please give Judy Brawley a call (288-5000 x122). We are now forming the group for reception into the Church next Easter, April 24, 2011. We look forward to hearing from you. Thank you.



SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES
Small Christian Communities that are not already meeting during the summer, will resume in the Fall. Interested in joining a group? Call Sister Marlene at 288-5000 ext. 123.

READINGS FOR August 22		
Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time		
First Reading:	Is. 66:18-21	
Second Reading:	Heb. 12:5-7, 11-13	
Gospel:	Luke 13:22-30	
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THANK YOU
From...



Dear Children:

Thank you so much for your generous gift of \$260.64.. Because of your commitment to helping others, and because of your kindness, a family once struggling with hunger and despair has new hope. Your support provides the foundation for a better future for those in need through sustainable practices and educational measures.

Families in faraway villages in Rwanda, Romania, and Ecuador look forward to a better tomorrow rather than back at a life of helplessness and hopelessness, because of your generosity. Best of all, through Pass on the Gift, your generosity will continue to bloom in generations yet to come.

Thank you for partnering with Heifer International to help make a better world—one family and one community at a time.

Sincerely,
Heifer International

The children who attended Vacation Bible Camp from July 12—16, collected \$260.64 and bought two goats and a flock of ducks.

ESWA BACK-TO-SCHOOL COLLECTION

The Social Ministry Committee at Peace of Christ Parish will be holding a Back-to-School Collection for the children at the Eastern Service Workers Association.

We will be collecting pens, pencils, markers, crayons and spiral notebooks for the children.

Boxes will be set up in the entrances at all three churches for this collection the week-ends of August 21/22, and 28/29.

Thank you in advance for your generosity to the children.

PEACE OF CHRIST PARISH
Stewardship Means Sharing

OFFERTORY Income	BUDGETED Income	Variance
Last Week	Weekly Budget	Weekly Variance
\$11,348.00	\$15,385.00	(\$4,037.00)
Y-T-D Offertory Income	Y-T-D Budgeted Income	Y-T-D Variance
\$84,254.00	\$92,310.00	(\$8,056.00)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!
(Our fiscal year is 07/01/10- 06/30/11)



**CHILDREN, FAMILY,
SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES**

**FAITH FORMATION
AND
SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
2010-2011**

As you know, Pat Lawlor has accepted a position with the Mercy Prayer Center.

We are in the process of interviewing several applicants to fill her position.

During this interim transition time, the Faith Formation Program and Sacramental Preparation Program are in abeyance until a new Director has been hired.

If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office at 288-5000 ext. 101, or by email at rpeace@dor.org.

PODCASTS

Some of you may know, many of the Peace of Christ Parish homilies are recorded and available on the website <http://www.peaceofchristparish.org/>.

We are now making these homilies available as podcasts to play on your mobile devices (such as iPod or iTunes) on your computer.

The podcast URL is <http://peaceofchristparish.org/homily> or simply do a search on Peace of Christ Homily Podcast. This same procedure will work on your wireless enabled iPod touch or iPhone, do a search from the iTunes Podcast icon.

You might also want to check out the Podcast called "Your Sunday Reader" where Father Brian Carpenter and Dawn Burdick from St. Mary's in Canandaigua discuss the upcoming Sunday Gospel reading.



**CONTINUING ON THE JOURNEY...
ADULT FAITH FORMATION
OPPORTUNITIES**



**MINISTRY OF MOTHERS
SHARING (MOMS):**

Throughout history, countless women have shared the joy and miracle of bringing new life into the world. Those who have taken the time to reflect on their experiences and share their stories have realized more fully the sacredness of their call to motherhood and the challenge of personal spiritual growth. MOMS is an opportunity for mothers to come together to discover and share the holy gift of being a mother. Starting in September we will offer the MOMS process. We will meet on 8 consecutive Thursday evenings beginning September 30 and ending November 18 (babysitting will be provided). In order to have a meaningful experience, we will be able to take 15 women only. Sign-up materials are available in each of the churches and in the parish office. There is a \$25 registration fee. Take a look at your calendar and see if this is the year to explore the spirituality of motherhood. For more information please call (288-9169) or e-mail (lizwebster21@gmail.com) Liz Webster.

RETREATS AT NOTRE DAME RETREAT HOUSE

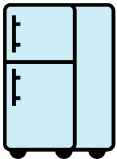
*Women's Retreat—October 22-24
Talking the Talk and Walking the Walk*

Give yourself the gift of Retreat this year at Notre Dame Retreat House. God always reserves time for you, do you have a weekend to give Him? What a gift....time away from our busyness and time with God. Listen, learn and then go LIVE!

The Women of Peace of Christ Parish are invited to a weekend retreat on October 22-24, 2010. If this weekend does not work for you, please consider making retreat on another weekend. The 2010 fall calendar is posted on our Notre Dame website.

For more information or to make a reservation, contact: Nancy Lynch (office manager at Notre Dame Retreat House) at 585-394-5700 or email at ndlynch@rochester.rr.com. Our website: ndretreat.org.

Men's Retreat — October 15-17
Notre Dame Retreat House



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Parish Calendar

SUNDAY, AUGUST 15
HOLY COW WEEKEND

MONDAY, AUGUST 16
 6:00 Garden Club on Grounds AM
 7:00 Rosary in Daily Mass Chapel AM

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17
 10:15 Reflection Group in Conf. Rm. PO
 2:30 Adult Faith Formation in Conf. Rm. PO
 7:00 Baptism Preparation Class in Conf. Rm. PO
 7:00 Men's Club in Church Hall JA

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18
 7:00 Rosary JO—(Weather permitting—outside between the Church and the Rectory)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19
 7:00 Community Life in Church Hall JA

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22
 6:15 RCIA Team Meeting in Conf. Rm. PO

Note: Bold items are shared events. AM=St. Ambrose, JA=St. James, JO=St. John the Evangelist.

PEACE OF CHRIST MEN'S CLUB

Our regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, August 17, 2010, at 7:00 pm at St. James Church Hall.



Our main speaker will be Fr. Robert J. Schrader, who just returned from Newfoundland and will share pictures and anecdotes from his adventurous trip to the North Country. Come and enjoy his wonderful presentation.

All men of Peace of Christ Parish are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served.

PEACE OF CHRIST MEN'S CLUB CRUISE

Harbor Town Belle

Friday, September 10

The paddle-wheeler departs promptly at Noon from the Pier at Charlotte Beach (please arrive at 11:30 am for boarding). The cruise lasts for 1 1/2 hours, and the Captain will point out places of interest.



The regular price is \$12, Seniors—\$11, children under 10 years—\$6. Wheelchair accessible with handicapped restrooms. Cash bar and snack machines.

Please make your reservations before September 6th by calling Harold Petrus 288-3720.

All parishioners, family and friends are welcome!

PEACE OF CHRIST PARISH PICNIC



Mark your calendar now for our parish picnic coming up on **Sunday, September 19th** in **Ellison Park**, in the **Orchard Grove shelter** (the same location as in past years). **Mass will be celebrated at 11:30 am** (this takes the place of the 11:00 am Liturgy at St. John's), followed by games, pony rides, a delicious meal and a sing-along.

Details will be forthcoming, but be sure to put the date on your calendar. You won't want to miss it!

200 CLUB BANQUET

The 200 Club will hold their annual banquet on Friday, September 17th at the Country Party House in East Rochester. At that time, the 40th week drawing, with prizes totaling \$1,000 will take place. Members who have their dues paid in full are eligible to receive a complimentary ticket. The banquet will be buffet-style beginning at 6 pm, with a cash bar and dinner at 7 pm.

If you are planning to attend, tickets will be available for pickup at St. James Church after the weekend Masses on August 21/22, and 28/29. Guest tickets are also available for \$15.

If you are not able to pick up your ticket, call Marion Roth (482-0542) or Rita Lee (482-0476).

RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST.

CALLING ALL BASEBALL FANS!!!

- WHO:** Peace of Christ Parishioners
(and relatives and friends)
- WHAT:** Red Wing Baseball Game with Fireworks
- WHEN:** **Friday, August 27 at 7:05 p.m.**
- WHERE:** Frontier Field
- WHY:** **FOR A NIGHT OF FUN TOGETHER**



Come join us for an exciting night of baseball as our Red Wings take on Pawtucket. A fireworks display will round out the evening following the game. This is a great opportunity to get everyone together for a night out, so please plan to come. We had a great time last year.

Tickets are \$5.50 each and our group will be seated together.

Place your reservation form (below) and ticket money in an envelope marked "BASEBALL". Ticket money may be in the form of cash or a **check made out to "Peace of Christ Parish"**. Place your Baseball envelope in the collection basket during Mass, or drop it off at the Parish Office at St. Ambrose.

RESERVATION AND TICKET MONEY IS DUE BY NOON ON MONDAY, AUGUST 16.

You may pick up your tickets at the Parish Office (St. Ambrose site) beginning Friday, August 20. If you have any questions, are unable to pick up your tickets, need a ride or can drive someone, please call Jane Way at 288-4745.

***Also, if you are a member of the Peace of Christ Men's Club, please write **"Men's Club"** on your reservation form. We are so happy to have you join us this year!



RESERVATION FORM

*****Red Wing Baseball Game - Friday, August 27th*****

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS @ \$5.50 EACH: _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____
(Cash or check made payable to "Peace of Christ Parish")

PEACE OF CHRIST MEN'S CLUB MEMBER _____

NOVENA

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Family Novena will begin at Christ the King Church on Tuesday, August 31st at 7:00pm and continue for nine consecutive Tuesday evenings. The Novena includes Rosary, Novena Prayers, Scripture Reading followed by a brief homily and Benediction/Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land
"Come and see..." John 1:39**

Fr. Edison Tayag is leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land on November 7-18, 2011. The pilgrims will be spending five days in Galilee and 5 days in Jerusalem visiting sacred and archeological sites. To receive a detailed copy of the itinerary and the cost, please call Fr. Edison at (585) 254-3221 x 112 or send him an e-mail at edisonmtayag@hotmail.com.

Summer Mass and Lunch
at
Notre Dame Retreat House
5151 Foster Rd., Canandaigua, NY

Please join us on Tuesday, August 17, 2010

11:00 am - Mass
Lunch to follow
\$10.00 donation

Come as early as you like, stay as long as you like. Enjoy some peaceful time on our grounds or in our building.

Call to reserve a spot for lunch: 585-394-5700



**St. Ambrose Church
Located at
25 Empire Blvd**



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Office Hours:
Mon. through Fri:
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 and 12:30 - 4:00 p.m.
Tues. and Wed. 5-8 p.m., Sun. 10:45 - 12:45



**St. James Church
Located at
130 Brett Rd**



St. John Neumann School
31 Empire Blvd., 14609-4335
(585) 288-0580

PARISH STAFF

- Rev. Robert Schrader, *Pastor, Ext. 104*
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**St. John the Evangelist
Church
Located at
553 Humboldt St**



Our Peace of Christ Parish Community staff mission is to deepen the presence of Jesus, in ourselves and among all in our parish, by loving, empowering and serving others in their need today.