



Welcome to all who celebrate the Mass with us today. May God's grace and peace fill us all so that we can serve one another in unity and love.



MHC EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

4TH MONDAY EACH MONTH, EVENINGS

All are invited to come and spend some quiet moments with our Lord on the 4th Monday evening each month from 7:00-8:00PM in the church. What a wonderful opportunity to pray. For more information call Pat Scanlon @ 878-0461 or Carolyn Marth @ 308-4639. **Monday, January 22, 2018.**



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

"Epiphany" means "revelation." What is it that God has revealed to us during this season? We have

learned that God keeps his promises – he has sent the Messiah that he pointed to through the preaching of the prophets. We have learned that any coming of God into our lives – in Bethlehem of Judah, in the sacraments we share, at the end of time – is a time of blessing and not to be feared. We have learned that the Incarnation is an historical event and a present challenge – Christ has come into our history, and we must now make him flesh in the lives we live.

Epiphany is also the celebration of gifts for the newborn king. Gold, frankincense and myrrh seem terribly inadequate gifts to bring in response to all that we have received. What return shall we make to the Lord for his promise, his presence, his personal concern?

This Sunday the readings are: (1) Isaiah 60, 1-6
(2) Ephesians 3, 2-3 and 5-6 (3) Matthew 2, 1-12. (Gather # 1011 Year B)
Next Sunday the readings will be: (1) 1 Samuel 3, 3-10 and 19
(2) 1 Corinthians 6, 13-15 and 17-20 (3) John 1, 35-42. (Gather # 1096 Year B)



Catholic Ministries Appeal 2018

The Catholic Ministries Appeal will kick off throughout the Archdiocese soon.

Watch the bulletin for upcoming dates.

The CMA is our opportunity to support the work of six vital ministries and their many programs, all of which operate right here in our Archdiocese. Also, if we exceed our parish goal for the CMA, 50% of our overage comes back to the parish.

K of C Parish Dinner Mark Your Calendar



The Knights of Columbus will hold our next Parish Dinner on Saturday, **January 13th, 2018.** For just \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. We'll be serving in the Parish Center right after the 4:00PM Mass. Come and join your fellow Parishioners for some good food and even better company.



Masses For The Week

SAT: 4:00PM Thaddeus Zarycki, off Lois Gagle & Family
SUN: 11:15AM For the Parish
MON: 9:00AM Susan Takacs, off: Dave & Pat Banaszak
TUE: 8:30AM Judy Lee, off: Ann Mae Gunderman
SAT: 4:00PM Roy Stidham, off: Rick & Denise Wetzel
SUN: 11:15AM For the Parish

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES

The next two Baptismal Preparation Classes for parents seeking baptism for young children are being held on Sunday, January 14, 2018 at 12:30PM and Sunday, March 11, 2018 at 12:30PM in the Church. Please call the parish office @ 878-8353 to advise us if you will be attending one of these classes.

SERVERS: You are invited to pick up your Christmas gift in the sacristy after Mass if you have not done so.

A Gift from the Parish



If you did not receive your Christmas Gift, we have a few books left! The book this year is "*Perfectly Yourself*" by Matthew Kelly. These books are located on tables at the doors. Please take one and when you are finished reading it, pass it on.



DISABLED AND WHEELCHAIR SEATING...Available in the left front section of the church.

STEWARDSHIP

Collections for December 24, 2017

Regular Collection & loose cash (162 envelopes)	\$7,912.91
Children's (4 envelopes)	\$13.00
Capital Improvement Donations (5 envelopes)	\$380.00
Total collections for December 24, 2017	\$8,305.91

STEWARDSHIP

Collections for December 24, 2017

Christmas Eve and Christmas Collection:	\$9,058.11
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STEWARDSHIP

Collections for December 31, 2017

Regular Collection & loose cash (103 envelopes)	\$16,424.00
Children's (6 envelopes)	\$18.00
Capital Improvement Donations (1 envelope)	\$25.00
Total collections for December 31, 2017	\$16,467.00

STEWARDSHIP

Collection for January 1, 2018

New Year Day Collection: Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God	\$776.00
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THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Many thanks to all our parishioners who support our parish, not only at this sacred and special time of year, but also throughout the entire year. We greatly appreciate the time, talent and treasure that our parishioners so generously give. May the upcoming year be one of peace and contentment, and may God bless you richly.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS all our parishioners, relatives, and friends who have died, especially, James Barcelona, son of Pat Barcelona; and Lenore McCann, mother of Terry McCann..

St. Vincent de Paul collects monetary donations at the doors after Mass on the 3rd weekend of every month.

Visit the parish web site at: www.mhccparish.com

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

THE BIBLE TIMELINE RETURNS!!



The Bible Timeline: God's Plan for our Salvation returns. **Join us on Wednesday evening, January 10, 2018 at 7:00PM in St. Francis Hall at Mary Help of Christians Church.**

After Moses led the Hebrews out of their slavery in Egypt and crossed the Red Sea, they spent 40 years wandering through the desert. Moses died just before they entered the Promised Land. This week's Faith-formation class focuses on Joshua leading the Hebrews across the Jordan River and defeating the mighty people of Jericho. You could better prepare yourself for this session if you read Joshua 1-4, 6-8, and 23-24. There are so many details and "stories behind the story" to learn. If you have any questions, feel free to please call Joe Hand @ 329-0912 or Molly Hynes Collinsworth, DRE @ 878-7325.

PSR Registration - It's Not Too Late

If you are interested in coming, but not registered, you are still welcome. Come a little early and you can register on site. Now that the fall sports season is over, you might think it's too late to sign up your child for the Parish's religious education program. It's never too late!! We are happy to have your child. We offer religious education and faith formational activities for children in grades 3-4 year olds-6th, Jr. High, High School, and adults. For more information, call Molly Hynes Collinsworth @ 878-7325. **SESSIONS WILL RESUME JANUARY 7th**

PSR

We begin our second half of the year this morning at 9:45AM. It will be important for 5th graders to attend each session in January, as mandated assessments will be administered for the Archdiocese. A letter has been sent to parents of 5th graders registered for PSR.

Are you grieving the death of a loved one?

Mary, Help of Christians has a grief support group to care for people on their bereavement journey in a Christ centered environment. This is an opportunity for individuals to share their personal experience of grief with other bereaved persons who understand their pain. If you are interested, our monthly meeting is the 3rd Tuesday of each month, 10:00AM - Noon in St. Francis Hall. Call Molly Hynes Collinsworth @ 878-7325 or email @ mollymhc@gmail.com for more information. **Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, January 16, 2018.**

MHC Green meets on Tuesday, January 9 at 7:00PM in St. Francis Hall



Pope Francis's recent encyclical Laudato Si' encourages Catholics to be pro-active in caring for God's Creation. MHC Green, our environmental justice ministry, has been doing that for almost 20 years. We have moved our daytime meeting time to the evening to accommodate those with busy daytime schedules. If you are interested in gardening, healthy nutrition, landscaping, recycling, energy reduction, spiritual growth via interaction with the natural world, etc. please join us. Our meetings all start and end with prayer and include Faith Formation on our environmental heritage.

Please call Bob or Beverly Jurick, 878-6060 if you can join us. Depending on the weather and number of attendees we may have the meeting via a conference call.

RECORD OF YOUR 2017 CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS

A statement of your 2017 contributions will automatically be mailed in **January 2018** to any parishioner who has made any single contribution of \$250 or more during the year. (Please do not call to request a statement if you are in that category.) Anyone else wanting a statement should use the request form below or call the parish office @ 878-8353 from 9:30AM-4:30PM, Monday through Friday. You may return your request form in the collection basket in your envelope.

2017 Contribution Statement Request

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

ENVELOPE # _____



"Be still and know that I am God..." Psalm 46
CENTERING PRAYER GROUP is open to all parishioners. Centering Prayer is silent prayer that emphasizes prayer as a personal relationship with God and as a movement beyond conversation to communion with God. The focus of Centering Prayer is the deepening of our relationship with the living Christ. We often gather after morning Mass on Mondays and Tuesdays for a 20 minute period of centering prayer. We will meet on 4th Tuesday of every month in St. Francis Hall from 7:00-8:30PM for prayer and continuing education. Please call Pat Scanlon at 878-0461 for more information. **Next meeting will be Tuesday, January 23rd.**

Add JOY to your life this winter!

All adult parishioners and friends are invited to attend JOY Club which will meet on Monday, January 8, 2018 at 1:00PM in St. Francis Hall. **JOY Club** meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays from September through June from 1:00PM-3:00PM. Come to **enJOY** an afternoon of cards, games or bingo along with fellowship and refreshments with your fellow parishioners and friends. Come feel the **JOY!**

Parish Satellite Library



A large number of books from the Parish Library have been relocated to the Usher's Room/ Satellite Library in the church. This move will make it more convenient for parishioners to select reading material. Access to this collection can be made online at www.mhccparish.com and click on

religious library. **Come and check it out!**

For more information call Carol Maiorano @340-6084.

To see all the wonderful books available go to <http://mhc.libib.com/i/mary-help-of-christians-library>



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 3724 TO SPONSOR ANNUAL DINNER AND AUCTION FOR FYI Join us Saturday, January 27, 2018 from 5:30PM-9:00PM in the Parish Center Hall for a mid-winter break, our annual spaghetti dinner and auction. The Knights are famous for their Italian dinners. All proceeds will benefit FYI. For more information call 937-845-0403.



Continuing Wednesday, January 10, 2018

Joe Hand will present
Jeff Cavins' Bible Timeline: God's
Plan for our Salvation

7:00 -
8:15PM

Part 2: 6 sessions—Wednesday evening
January 10 - February 21

St. Francis Hall
at
Mary, Help of Christians

All are Welcome!
Bring a friend!

No registration!
No fees!

CONQUEST
AND JUDGES

DESERT
WANDERINGS

EGYPT AND
EXODUS

PATRIARCHS

EARLY
WORLD

ROYAL
KINGDOM

DIVIDED
KINGDOM

EXILE

RETURN

MACCABEAN
REVOLT

MESSIANIC
FULFILLMENT

THE
CHURCH

1700-1280 BC

Red
(The Red Sea)

Exodus

Leviticus

Creation to 2000 BC

Turquoise
(The color of the earth
viewed from space)

Genesis 1-11

Kings

200-538 BC

Yellow
(Judah centuries before the
Maccabean Revolt)

538-167 BC

Yellow

167 BC-AD 1

Orange
(Fire in the oil lamps
in the purified Temple)

AD 1-33

Gold
(The gifts of the Magi)

AD 33-

White
(The spotless
bride of Christ)

Macchabees
Wisdom of Solomon
Ecclesiastes

Matthew
Mark
John

Paul's Letters
Other Letters
Revelation

Luke

Acts

THE
BIBLE
TIMELINE
BOOKMARK

JEFF CAVINS

SARAH CHRISTIAN

2017
Christmas Memorials



Donated by:

Mrs. Yolanda Abdo
Mrs. Lois Adams
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Anderson
Mr. & Mrs. David Banaszak

Mr. & Mrs. Don Banford
Mr. & Mrs. David Bartok
Mrs. Paulina Belen
Mrs. Marianne Bishop
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Bogemann
Mr. & Mrs. Roger Bradbury
Mr. & Mrs. John Brown
Joan, Jason, & Katie Chapman
Mrs. Kay Cherpeski
Nan, Mark, & Carrie, Melissa White,
and Amy Gilbert
Ms. Nanette Christensen
Mr. James Cinelli & family

Ms. Lisa-Kay Clarke
Janet Coley

Mrs. Mary Coyne
Mrs. Carol Cypher
Mr. & Mrs. Ray Daley
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Dannelly

Mrs. Maria Davis
Dr. & Mrs. Jacob Dean
Dr. Robert Dean
Mr. & Mrs. Michael DeCarbo
Mr. & Mrs. James Donohue
Mr. & Mrs. David Duell
Mr. & Mrs. Donald Dunn
Mr. & Mrs. Carl Eckell
Connie Eckert
Mr. & Mrs. James Ehret
Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Ellis
Ms. Jane Finkey
Mr. & Mrs. John Frabotta
Lois Gagle & family
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Gayheart

Mr. & Mrs. William Gilbert
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Goecke

Ms. Juana Gomez
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Grieshop

Ed & Joan Gulbransen

Mr. Mark Halbisen

Mrs. Carole Hinton
Mrs. Marge Houston
Mr. John Jacobs

Mr. & Mrs. Edward Jaksic
Mr. Andrew Jeselson

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jurick
Ms. Anita Kelley
Mr. & Mrs. Jordan C. Kelly
Mrs. Helen Kempf
Ron, Yong, & Neil Kessel

In Memory or Honor of:

Abdo & Neroni families
Donald W. Adams
Dominic Apicella
Jay and Dorothy Onderdonk, Sylvester Banaszak,
John Paul Banaszak, Florence Lyman, Sandy Kenney
Phyllis & Don Banford, Patty Reed
Julien & Paul Besteri, Mary & Steve Bartok
Generosa & Horacio Herrera, Danilo & Luz Belen
Gilbert Mainzer, Jr. and Britannia Bishop
Bogemann & Muhlbachler families, deceased
Carl and Lois Bradbury, Jim and Pat DeWeese
Susan & Steve Brennan, and all who are sick
Tony P. Chapman
David R. Cherpeski
William and Carol Christensen

Dolores Staudter and Bob Borkowski
John P. Kennedy, Pat & Jennie Cinelli,
Joanne M. E. K. Cinelli, & the Mehans
John K. Erbacher (We miss you, forever in our hearts)
Catherine Coley, George Coley, Jr., Susan J. Coley,
Kenneth Coley, Sr.
Fredrick E. Coyne, III
David Cypher, Cypher & Kapfhamer deceased
Berscheid & Daley families
Judy Geilenkirchen, Clarence & Margret Baumgart,
Dominic & Rose Geilenkirchen, Ed & Cleo Rice,
Chester & Mae Dannelly
Angelo, Anthony, & Monica Manzie; Arlene Cobb
Kathryn Heavenridge, Phuoc & Phi Ly, Sam & Irene Dean
Mary Lou Dean
Madonna O'Connell, Gladys DeCarbo
Donohue, Egalite, O'Geary & Quinlan families
Jean & Vince Kearney
Ziegler and Dunn families
Eckell and Cybuck family
David Eckert
Andy & Anna Opiekun, Frank & Rosemary Ehret
Ellis and Spring families, deceased
Scott Fields, Judy & Larry Cummins, Frank Reynolds
Frabotta family members
Thaddeus & Genevieve Zarycki
Lawrence & Rosalinda Dapore, Sueann Dapore Godsey,
Frank Dapore, and Dale and Audrey Liane
Richard H. & Ruth Gilbert, Ricka S. Gilbert
Robert Goecke family, Anthony & Mary Krystofik,
Kathleen Shively, Urban & Ludvina Goecke

Baughman, Huntsberger, & Grieshop families,
and Sharon Louise DeSaro
Dale Gulbransen, John & Agnes Takacs, Mike Roadruck,
and Mary & Richard Caldanaro
Neil Halbisen, Debra Gaddis, Shirley Halbisen,
and Val Sindelar, and Alice Halbisen
Joshua D. Thompson, Diane M. Staron, Eugene D'Amico

Anna M. Jacobs, Martin & Georgia Jacobs,
Donald & Edith Hayes
Jaksic & Dicke families
Thomas Peter Jeselson, Sr., Walter Jeselson,
and Msgr. James Vaughey
In honor of Michelle and Chris
Kelley/Powers family
Kelly & St. John families
Edgar and David Kempf
John & Gladys Kessel, Sharon Swartz, and
Mr. Mun, Bu Hong & Mrs. Kim, and Che Chin

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Mr. & Mrs. William Lanham
 Mrs. Kathleen Latham
 Mrs. LaDonna Lenke
 Mrs. Carolyn Livorno
 Mr. & Mrs. Michael Ludwick
 Mr. & Mrs. John Maiorano
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Marchiny
 Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Mascarella
 Mr. & Mrs. Laurel Mayer
 Mr. Fletcher McLeod III
 Mrs. Wilma McNeely
 Mrs. Dorothea Meade

Mrs. Teresa Metzmaier

Mrs. Linda Miller
 Mrs. Angeline Natalie
 Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Natalie

Mr. Robert Newcombe
 Ms. Jill Oberschlake
 Mrs. Christine O'Donnell
 Mr. Thomas Palm
 Mrs. Evelyn Pardi
 Mr. & Mrs. Rodney Paxson

Mr. & Mrs. John Peters

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Pitstick
 Mr. Richard Prestel
 Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Rahn
 Mrs. Martha Riddle

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Rizzotte
 Mr. Eugene Romer
 Mr. & Mrs. John Sanders

Mrs. Cynthia Scarlett
 Mr. Francis Seibert
 Eric, Julie, & Courtney Sewell
 Mrs. Helen Sharp
 Mr. & Mrs. Donald Shepherd
 Mrs. Rosalie Sloat
 Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Smith, Jr.
 Mrs. Maybelle Snoddy
 Mr. & Mrs. George Spence
 David & Andrea Stack

Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas Stute
 Mr. & Mrs. Fred Thompson

Mr. & Mrs. Boris Tirpack
 Mr. & Mrs. James Trame
 Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Trefethen
 Miss Frances Tuggle
 Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Wapelhorst
 Mr. & Mrs. Chandler Weaver
 Mr. & Mrs. Isaac Wimsatt
 Mr. John Wolfe

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Yarwick
 Mrs. Suzanne Yasko

Legner's, Newman's, Lanham's, & Cullen's
 Raymond Latham
 Alfred & Evelyn Kimmet, Orlena Emch, & Roger Lenke
 Livorno & Hogue families, deceased
 Lakota & Ludwick families, deceased
 Maiorano & Copeland families, deceased
 Pardi and Pacilio families
 Mahony, Mascarella, McDaniel, deceased
 Mayer & Senger family members, deceased
 Jacob Fletcher McLeod
 Kenneth McNeely, and deceased parents
 Marvin Meade, A.L. & Josephine Grannan, and
 Elmer & Hallie Meade
 Betty & Albert Metzmaier Jr., Betty & Harry Eggers,
 Paul & Dorian Greene, Albert Metzmaier III

Natalie & Sabia families, deceased
 Natalie & Sabia families, Harsh & Campbell families, and
 Schaeffer family, deceased

Grandma Sue Geesen
 John, Michael, and Patricia O'Donnell; Connie Kuykendall
 Helen M. Palm, Joseph M. Palm
 John Pardi
 John, Katherine, & Ryan McNeil; Nathaniel Paxson;
 Fred, Eric, & Joy Lenn; Willard, Ada, & Roger Paxson
 Ray & Catherine Neault, John & Irene Horngren,
 Eleanore Dimond, and Patrick Alan Davis
 Sue Geesen
 Richard Prestel family
 Washatka & Rahn families
 Rose & David Kilgore, Rosemary Kilgore Otte,
 and Dr. David Simon Kilgore
 Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Rizzotte

Andrew & Mildred Vanderhorst, Sr., Thomas
 Vanderhorst, Sr., and Carl & Joann Sanders
 Gene Scarlett, Eugene T. Scarlett
 Judith Marianne Seibert, Philip & Josepha Seibert
 Frank & Dilsie Zimmerman
 Ted Sharp
 Cafaro, Shepherd, Blandino, & Sayre families
 Carelle & Sloat families, living & deceased
 Smith & Candreia families, living & deceased
 DeMuth & Snoddy families
 Chicwak & Spence families
 Andrew & Pauline Chope, John & Marilyn Stack,
 Lexie & Chloe Stack
 Family and friends of Nick & Kathi Stute family
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank Hediger, Frank & Paul Hediger,
 Mr. & Mrs. Fred Thompson Sr., Miss Hellen Hediger,
 Clare Ann Eastin
 Nadine Kramer and John & Ann Tirpack
 Van Thiel and Trame families
 Kowalchek & Trefethen families
 Joe Tuggle
 Wapelhorst and DelMoral families
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Asiaf and Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Weaver
 Arthur Wimsatt and Louise Papier
 Howard & Margaret Wolfe, Lionel & Elizabeth Gartside,
 Sallie Ann Wolfe
 Deceased loved ones, Jonas & Yarwick families
 Al V. Yasko, Dr. Alan Yasko



ENCOUNTERING THE MYSTERY:



ENCOUNTERING THE MYSTERY RETURNS
An Opportunity to grow in your love and understanding of the Eucharist
Sunday Mornings 10:00 - 11:00AM
in St. Francis Hall

Over the course of 6 sessions we will explore the many aspects of this wondrous sacrament. These will include some considerations of the New Testament origins of Eucharistic practices and belief, consideration of how Eucharistic rituals and thinking developed over the centuries, some glimpses on the challenges and struggles in articulating appropriate theologies of the Eucharist in different ages and different contexts and consideration of the basic teachings about the Eucharist as an experience of real presence and of sacrifice. This DVD lecture series was written and is presented by expert theologian and national speaker Father Edward Foley who discusses the topics:

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| January 7 | Session 7: The Early Medieval Period |
| January 14 | Session 8: The Late Middle Ages |
| January 21 | Session 9: Reform and Counter-Reform |
| January 28 | Session 10: Trent and the Counter-Reform |
| February 4 | Session 11: Real Presence Revisited |
| February 11 | Session 12: The Sacrifice of the Mass Revisited |
- Come and learn more about the gift and mystery of the Eucharist we treasure so deeply.*

Is There Anyone Sick Among You?

If you are going to the hospital; if someone in your family is in the hospital; or if you know of a parishioner in the hospital, please call the parish office and let us know! Due to privacy rules the hospitals no longer call us unless specifically requested by the patient. Also, if you know of a parishioner that is sick or homebound for an extended period, please call the Rectory Office @ 878-8353.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed: Anyone interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister? We are currently in need of extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion at both Masses. If you are a practicing Catholic and have a genuine love and reverence for Christ in the Eucharistic, please call the parish office at 878-8353 for training. Your help would be greatly appreciated.



BINGO

The Fairborn Knights of Columbus has BINGO every Wednesday night in the Parish Center. Doors open at 5:00PM and Instant start selling at 5:30PM. Early Bird

Games start at 6:15PM and regular games start at 7:00PM. Packages start at \$12.00 (12 faces). Last series of the night is a \$1000 cover all in 50 numbers or less, 51 numbers for \$750 and then played out for \$500. (Prize reduced if under 80 players) A portion of the profit is donated back to our parish. For more information or if you would like to volunteer to work one night a month call Eric Rogalinski @ 657-6958.



Scrip News

Thanks to all parishioners who ordered Scrip for the holidays. Scrip will return before and after all Masses this weekend (January 6th & 7th). Thanks for your support of this program. Please stop in the Bride's Room and check at the Scrip desk before or after mass. Questions call Judy @ 879-3570 or Myra @ 902-0299.

Journey Through Bethlehem



THANKS! THANKS! THANKS!

Our gratitude and appreciation, to all who helped with this event, and to all who assisted in preparing, serving, donating food items and cleaning up. You help make The Journey Through Bethlehem Event a success.

GROWING CLOSER TO GOD THROUGH SPIRITUAL DIRECTION



Spiritual Direction is really not about being "directed," it is about being encouraged to draw closer to God. In spiritual direction you reflect deeply on the experiences of your daily life. You may come to realize how God's spirit is truly with you every day and everywhere. You discover that God has been waiting for you to seek this closer

relationship. A person may come to spiritual direction for many reasons, including to: find encouragement and affirmation; share struggles, losses or disappointments; integrate spirituality into your daily life; grow in relationship with God, self, others and creation. After completing a two year training in spiritual direction I am offering to journey with you as you deepen your relationship with God. This involves confidential, one-on-one sessions, usually once a month for an hour. For more information or to make an appointment call Pat Scanlon @ 878-0461 or 572-2530.

What is the Handy Helpers Ministry? Volunteers from our parish make small home repairs and do "round-the-house" projects for elderly, disabled, and single parents.



Materials are the responsibility of the homeowner, but the labor is free. (For those in need, St. Vincent de Paul and other donations may provide some materials.) Among the services that may be done are yard work, painting, carpentry, minor electrical work, general repairs, window washing, gardening,

mending and other handy-person jobs. For more information or to request the services of a handy-helper, please call the Parish Office @ 878-8353. If you have skills that could be put to good use in this ministry, you are invited to call and join our "Handy Helpers."



MUSIC MINISTRY:

We rehearse on Tuesdays from 6:30-8:00. For more information, please contact our music director, Julian Calvin, julian.calvin1@gmail.com or 878-8092.

WHY WE SING AT MASS

"God has bestowed upon His people the gift of song. God dwells within each human person, in the place where music takes its source. Indeed, God, the Giver of song, is present whenever His people sing His praises."
"SING TO THE LORD: MUSIC IN DIVINE WORSHIP"