

A Message from Father Denny...

As we prepare for our beloved Fr. Tony's departure from our two parishes, our hearts are full of gratitude for the year and a half that he has ministered among us. Fr. Tony has touched many hearts and has been a great inspiration to all of us. His love for his priesthood has been quite evident. My mother is all excited because Fr. Tony will be serving in the cluster of parishes that my mother is a member of.

Fr. Tony has been my "Lucky 13". I have been blessed to have had many associates over the years. I have learned from them all. It will be an adjustment to get used to being alone again. It will be an adjustment for you not to have two priests anymore. But we've handled it before and we can handle it again. I have been assigned a second term of six years which begins July 1, 2007. I will be 69 when this term expires and ready to go into senior status. I can hardly believe it. I pray for good health and for the stamina I need to continue in this large parish. I will need all of the help from you that I can get. We have some exciting things that will be happening during my second term. We continue to grow into what it means to be a parish.

Those who have joined our parish during these past twelve months and those of you who are snowbirds are invited to our annual welcome home social on Tuesday, June 12, beginning with the 5:30pm Mass. Please come and meet new people and help celebrate being back home or to our new home, our family of faith.

The Adult Spirituality Committee will meet on Thursday, June 14 at 7:00pm

Rest in Peace...

We have received word that Sister Mary Benedict Vas passed away on May 29th. She served here at St. Francis as an elementary teacher in 1976-1977. Please remember her in your prayers.

SFX High School Class of '67 Reunion...

The 40 year class reunion is planned for August 11th, 2007. If you or any class member that you know who has not been contacted by the reunion committee, please call Jeff Bodette at (231) 487-9640.

STEWARDSHIP

is what I do after I say "I Believe"....

Kids Coins For Kids	\$ 53.50
Cemetery Maintenance Fund	\$ 140.00
Building Fund	\$ 2,563.50
Tuition Angel Fund	\$ 232.00
Endowment	\$ 5.00
Envelopes	\$16,544.00
Loose	\$ 1,705.69
Total Collection Last Week	\$21,243.69

"What return shall I make to the Lord for all he has done for me?"

Today's Psalm reminds us that we have been crowned with glory and honor and given rule over the works of God's hands. But we must be good stewards, for the Lord will surely hold us accountable for the use of those gifts!

CSA - Week #5...

339 Total Pledges:	\$90,467.50
Amount Still Needed:	\$33,374.50

We Walk Because They Walk

All over the world millions of poor and hungry walk. They walk to get water, to get food, kindling, to flee oppression and war, to seek shelter, and to find jobs. Their feet are the only transportation they have. In our world today, about one in every seven, or 840 million people, are chronically hungry. Join the Crop Walk on Saturday, June 30 to help make a difference for these hungry people around the globe. Last year, the Petoskey-Bay View Crop Walk raised over \$19,000 for this cause. One quarter of this went to Brother Dan's Pantry and the Manna Food Bank. Please stop outside church this weekend and sign up to walk or to give a donation to the Crop Walk.

Registration for Faith Formation Classes

Registrations are being taken for Faith Formation classes for all children not attending St. Francis Xavier Catholic School in the Parish Office or Office of Faith Formation during office hours. Forms may be picked up for new registrations. Classes are provided for Kindergarten through Grade 8.

The Faith Formation Program will be held on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. during the 2007-2008 academic year.

Catechists Still Needed

Catechists are still needed for grades 1,2, and the Middle School on Wednesday Evenings. The formation sessions have begun. Catechist testimonials have been published in this bulletin the last few weeks. Please call the Faith Formation Office (347-2681) to volunteer or to ask for more details.

Pop Can Tabs

We are still collecting pop can tabs for Ronald McDonald House. The tabs can be taken to the Parish Office. We just sent 44,000 tabs to Ronald McDonalds House this past week. This brings our total to 215,110 tabs. We are almost one quarter of the way to being a million tab member. Keep those tabs (any kind) coming in. Thank you for your past tab contributions.

Summer 2007



"Assorted Saints and the Virtues of Faith, Hope & Love"

Dates: June 25-29 **Time:** 9am-12pm

Location: SFX Parish Hall **Who:** All kids 2007/08
Preschool-6th Grade

Fee: \$15 per child, which includes all supplies, snacks, crafts, and a Vacation Bible School music CD.

Financial assistance available for those in need.

Registration forms available in the Parish Office or by calling Deborah at 347-3748.

Baraga Broadcasting

WTRCK, 90.9 FM (Catholic Radio) is looking for volunteers (time of your selection, morning or afternoon) to greet station visitors and answer the telephone. Pay guaranteed to be out of this world. For information, call: (231) 238-0811,

You are Invited...

To Encounter Christ's presence in the poor...

For more information about this life-changing experience, please contact Food for the Poor's Pilgrimage Department at (800) 568-8124, or email us at pilgrimage@foodforthe poor.org.

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High School Youth Group

High School Youth Group meets this Sunday, June 10 from 6-8pm for a Diocesan required Safe Environment Meeting in the John Paul II Youth Center. All teens and parents are encouraged to attend this meeting.

All those attending the High School Youth Conference at the Franciscan University of Steubenville are required to attend a mandatory meeting on Sunday, May 20 are required to attend a make-up meeting beginning at 6pm on Monday, June 11. Call Liz Gengle with any questions regarding this meeting at 347-4133.

Attention all Young Women! The Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist will be giving a Young Women's Retreat on Sunday, June 10 from 12:00pm-4:00pm at the Marian Peace Center in Petoskey. Contact Lori Mercer at 347-MARY or Liz Gengle at 347-4133 to register!

God Bless!
Liz Gengle

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Brother Dan's Food Pantry Update

Pantry volunteers and friends are planning a trip down to Detroit's Fox Theater! Brother Dan's Food Pantry was nominated for a 2007 Governor's Service Award. We have been chosen as one of five finalists in the State for the category of "Exemplary Volunteer Service Programs".

There is an awards program planned for Wednesday, June 20. The volunteers are chartering a bus for the trip down and back for the evening program which includes entertainment from Motown's own "Miracles" singing group.

If you are interested in joining us on our trip. please call the pantry office this week to reserve your place (347-7423). The cost will be \$40.00 per person which includes the bus trip, dinner and the program. We will be leaving around noon and returning the same evening.

Thank you and God bless you!
For all we do, we do in His Name.

Welcome & Welcome Back

The Hospitality Committee of St. Francis Xavier Parish invites all new parishioners, as well as summer and snowbird parishioners to a reception with Fr. Denny, Fr. Tony and members of the committee. Date: Tuesday, June 12, 6:00 p.m. (after the 5:30 p.m. Mass). Place: Lower level gathering space. Light refreshments will be served.

SCRIPTURES FOR WEEK OF June 10-16

Sunday: "...Do this in Remembrance of Me."

What do I remember from the reading or the homily?

What is one theme of each reading? What is my reaction or response to each reading?

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20

Second Reading: 1 Cor 11:23-26

Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17

Is there a phrase or verse to memorize and store in my heart?

8am Intention: St. Francis Xavier Parish

10am Intention: D. Steve Sleva

12noon Bay Shore: Carla & Lorenzo Borlemehi

8am Mon: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Gospel Mt 5:1-12

Intention: L. & D. Fryczynski Family

5:30pm Tues: 2 Cor 1:18-22; Gospel Mt 5:13-16

Intention: D. Phillip Mulligan

8am Wed: 2 Cor 3:4-11; Gospel Mt 5:17-19

Intention: D. JoAnn Zmikly

8am Thurs: 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6; Gospel Mt 5:20-26

Intention: L. & D. Lorianne Colwell Family

8am Fri: Ez 34:11-16; Rom 5:5b-11;
Gospel Lk 15:3-7

Intention: D. Jim Martin & Jerry Fryczynski

5 pm Sat: 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13; Gospel Lk 7:36-8:3

Intention: L. & D. Earl Kalchik Family

LECTORS

Saturday & Sunday, June 16/17, 2007

5:00 pm Deb Nachtrab

8:00 am Kolleen Homuth & Bob Rasmussen

10:00 am Julie Gudmusen & Paul Tomey

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday & Sunday, June 16/17, 2007

5:00 pm Bill & BJ Steffens, Janet Pfliegaar, Joanie Vargo, Jennifer Muller, Michelle Moose

8:00 am Frank & Julie Holzschu, Joan Annable, Ed Collins, Alvaro Artaza, Mary Putters, Maureen McCarthy

10:00 am Lisa Rasmussen, Suzanne Holguin, Emily Daniel, Bud & Mary Riley, Jim Holtz.

GREETERS

Saturday & Sunday, June 16/17, 2007

5:00 pm Mike & Joan Vargo, George & Chris Mayer, Carl Powers.

8:00 am Ed & Peg Collins, Shari Hoek, Sue Lawry, Terry Bennett, Bill & Carla Kanine, Joan Annable.

10:00 am Jeff & Shawn Haven, Aaron & Rachel Brooks, Dean & Cheryl Fleury, Mary DeAgostino, Annette Fettig.

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday & Sunday, June 16/17 2007

5:00 3 Volunteers Needed

8:00 am 3 Volunteers Needed

10:00 am 3 Volunteers Needed

St. Francis Solanus - Bay Shore

Envelopes \$ 640.00
Loose \$ 502.00
\$1,142.00

Liturgical Ministers - June 17, 2007

Minister of the Word: Anne Kelly
Eucharistic Minister: Sandi Meyer
Server: Patrick Sypniewski
Usher: Dave Meyer
Offering: Maxine Titus & Mary Ann Selder

Prayer Chain: Sandi Meyer 347-6190

"O, Come Let Us Adore Him"


St. Francis Xavier Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Adoration on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays
7:00 am to 10:00 pm

Entrance on South side of church (ramp side) off State St.

VOCATIONAL VIEW

Human beings establish lasting loving bonds. But the Trinity shows us perfect love: you, God and neighbor. There's nothing greater than love.

 PRAYER REQUESTS	LeiAnn (Locke) Hunter, Carol Reed, Samuel Theodore Kolinski, Kerri Malloy, Carolyn Rostar, Larry Shear, Pvt. Ryan Craig, Duncan Livingston, Mike Dainoviec, Jessica Kohlligian, Karen Golovich, Martha & Robert Fate, Sr., Peggy Beyers, Therese Skoczylas, Ed Kelbel, Sr., Helen Dyksterhouse, Dorothy Batterbee, Robert Pung, Frank & Gertrude Kline, Lois Brinkel, Mary Ketchman, Ralph Kilpatrick, Betty Riley, Casie Parker, Penny Pemberton, Rose Case, Ryan McCarthy, Tim Geottes, Sarah Miller, Floyd Francis, Brian Kuebler, Geri Brown, Laura Ilenich, Gregg Hosler, Catherine Donnelly, John Salisz, Michael J. Foltz, Linda Gardner, Mike Conflitti, Louis Schantz
	All shut-ins and those in care facilities

Persons of Ministry

Cemetery	Don Paulus	347-2976
Prayer Chain	Margaret Pennell	347-4753
	Bea Wolf	347-2711
Resect Life Committee	Mike LaVictoire	526-1302
Greeters	Bonnie Farrugia	347-9632
Hospitality	Sally Parish	590-0949
Coffee Hours	Carol Gietzen	347-6935
	Mary Ellen Pulaski	347-4648
Newcomer's	Jim & Linda Beno	347-7926
Health Ministry	Suzanne Holguin	347-4133
Peace & Justice	Fred Liederbach	347-8646
Br. Dan's Food Pantry	Mary Moellering	347-7423

Sponsor of the Week
Bob Fate, Builder