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Week of May 18, 2008

Most Holy Trinity

Celebration of the Eucharist

Weekend Masses

- Saturday evening at 5 p.m.
- Sunday at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

- Monday - Saturday at 9 a.m.

Holy Days

- Check *The Connection*

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Parish Council Meetings

Are held the third Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in Newcomb Friendship Hall. All meetings are open to parishioners as observers. Any registered parishioner interested in addressing the Council should contact the Chairperson, Bonnie Rozinski one week in advance of the meeting.

Visit our Web site

For more information, visit our Web site at
www.stceciliasonline.org



Architect rendering of the Mother-Child Health Clinic

St. Cecilia Parish is sponsoring a "Mediterranean Dinner" on **Sunday, June 1st, starting at 2 p.m.** The benefit is for "**The Mother-Child Health Clinic Project.**"

For the past year, the St. Cecilia **Spirit** newsletter has highlighted the dire need of the Arusha Archdiocese in Tanzania, East Africa. The dinner will be one of the many attempts to meet our goal in raising \$70,000 for this worthy project.

Father McKenna came to know Father Prosper Lyimo, a priest of the Archdiocese of Arusha, studying Canon Law in Rome. Collaborating through correspondence, Fr. Prosper shared information about his dream of building a Mother- Child Health Clinic in his native village of Ngurdoto in the Arusha region of Tanzania, East Africa. This need had been identified several years before and had been reinforced during a Synod held in the Arusha Archdiocese in 1998.

At the present time, a dispensary built in 1981 by the Catholic missionaries (virtually a first-aid station) is the only form of health care in the area. The population of 7,000 people is mostly women and children. Donations will be forwarded to the Archdiocese of Arusha.

Your dinner ticket may be obtained at the parish office during business hours. For **\$20** per person, you will enjoy a Mediterranean Feast accompanied by **live music**. This sit down dinner will be catered by Rino Altieri with a Mediterranean flair (includes a wine selection).

Tickets will be available after each Mass on weekends of May 10-11, 17-18 and 24-25. A ticket in your hands for this delicious dinner will go a long way in helping us meet our goal. Please call the church office at (585) 467-4286, ext. 100 or Rino Altieri at (585) 544-9432 for more information

DIOCESAN MISSIONS SUNDAY

Today is a special day for each one of us in the Diocese of Rochester to evaluate how we are responding to Jesus' call to be His witness to the ends of the earth.

May we recommit ourselves by reaching out with love and generosity to the **Sisters of St. Joseph and Mercy** as they continue to spread the gospel to the people in Brazil and Chile.

Without your help we cannot carry on the work of Jesus Christ.

Please pray for our beloved deceased:
Pat Pullano, Nadine Spinell-Hughto & Eugene Markajani

Mass Intentions

Monday, May 19
9:00 For our Parishioners

Tuesday, May 20
9:00 Eleanor & Philip Iacuzza—
 Sister, Nancy

Wednesday, May 21
9:00 Joseph Vinci—
 Wife, Dorothy & Family

Thursday, May 22
9:00 Alice MacDonald—
 Bernadine & Ken Popple

Friday, May 23
9:00 Martha Borrelli—
 Vincent & Marie Randisi

Saturday, May 24
9:00 Howard Walker—
 Ken

5:00 Helen McKenna—
 Rev. Kevin McKenna

Sunday, May 25
8:30 Anne Yanicky—
 Family

11:00 Lena Marino —
 Pat & Sharron Trimaldi



Love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control are the nine fruits of the Holy Spirit. Last Sunday, we celebrated in a special way the Holy Spirit. Today, let's examine our lives to see how they bear fruit because of the presence of the Holy Spirit in us and in our lives.

St. Andrew School: A Celebration

You are invited to celebrate the history of St. Andrew School on Sunday, June 8. The celebration begins with Mass at 9:30a.m. in St. Andrew Church and continues with an open house in the school. Please join us as we remember the many years which St. Andrew School served the educational needs of so many people in the Diocese of Rochester.

BINGO
Every Friday Night

Doors open 5:00 PM
 Games begin 7:30 PM
 Handicap Accessible

Future Fund Gifts

We are grateful for donations in Memory of: **Franklin Merkel** from Bernard & Sharon Merkel and also from Mary Ann Palozzi

SAVE THE DATE
Sunday, June 8th 2008
1:00 PM

Father Kevin McKenna's Open House in Newcomb Friendship Center.


Most Holy Trinity— May 18

John's gospel today reminds us of God's immeasurable love for us. "God so loved the world that he gave his only Son...that the world might be saved through him." Each of us is a recipient of that love and sanctification; and each has a responsibility to share it with the world. God calls some of us to do that with the unique vocation to priesthood. Could that be you? If you'd like to speak with someone, contact the Office of Vocation Awareness 585-461-2890/
www.dor.org/vocations

Men's Club 20/20 Winners

Week #17:	Richard Eisenmann	\$25.00
	Bette Lawrenz	15.00
	George Posser	10.00
Week #18	Catlin Miller	25.00
	Ed O'Neill	15.00
	Frank Barber	10.00
Week #19	Larry Allen	25.00
	Debbie Shores	15.00
	Richard Barone	10.00
Week #20	Ed O'Neill	25.00
	Alan Whitney	15.00
	Rhea Devonge	10.00

Sunday Offering



Envelope User.....	\$ 7,679.50
Non-Envelope Users	\$ 843.50
Children's	\$ 35.00
TOTAL.....	\$ 8,558.00

Thank You for Your Generous Support!

Service Opportunity


Please save your refundable **bottles** and **cans** to help support Camp Rainbow. This camp runs each summer to give children with diabetes an opportunity to have a fun filled week of crafts, games, and to meet other children with the same health concerns. Drop off all donations by the Portable on the weekends after Mass. The project will run from May 10th through May 31st.

Parish Council Members

Members are asked to pick up their folders after Mass in the Sacristy for their meeting on **Tuesday May 20, at 7 p.m.** in Newcomb Friendship Center.

Baptisms
 May 18, 2008

Lee'Lah Ahsafeen
 Dyllon Kevin Muto
 Elliott Gerald Roth
 Emily Lynn Papp



DATE	TIME	LOCATION	ACTIVITY
Sun., 5/18	9:30 am	Newcomb Center	Coffee Hour hosted by Liturgy Committee
Mon., 5/19	8:30 am 12:00 noon	MCR Newcomb Center	Collection Counters Team C (Donna Moore) AARP Safe Driver Class
Tues., 5/20	7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Church Newcomb Center	Devotions to Mary Parish Council Meeting
Wed., 5/21	9:30 am 12:00 noon 7:00 pm	MCR Newcomb Center MCR	Bible Study Group AARP Safe Drive Class Finance Council Meeting
Thur., 5/22	Noon 7:00 pm	Keenan's Room 109	Outreach Group Meeting & Luncheon The August Group
Fri., 5/23	7:00 pm 7:30 pm	Youth Center Newcomb Center	Youth Group BINGO
Sat., 5/24			
Sun., 5/25	9:30 am	Newcomb Center	Coffee Hour hosted by Outreach Committee

Pastoral Perspectives

Someone once explained the mystery of the Trinity in these terms: A person has an idea for a musical instrument. Then the person makes the musical instrument. Subsequently, the creator gives the musical instrument to another to play. It is one ordinary way to understand the mystery. The Father has an idea. The Father speaks the idea, His Word, His Son. The Father and the Son share "their Spirit" with us.



The real mystery of the Trinity is not in the Three and One, but rather, that the Three in One cares for us, reaches out to us. It is not the mystery of Who God is, but the mystery that God loves us. The self-revelation contained in the Trinity is a gift of love, because, as St. John the Evangelist says: "God is love." The mystery may be a little more obvious on Christmas, Easter, or Pentecost, but it is always true.

Trinity Sunday reminds us to share ourselves with one another as the Trinity shares itself with us. Trinity Sunday reminds us that we are most real when we are giving, and most giving when we are giving our self to another.

- *Thought for the week:* Perform a spontaneous act of generosity. It is life's quickest pick-me-up.
- *Smile for the week:* Mrs. Smith: "What's your cat's name, Jimmy?" Jimmy: "Ben Hur." Mrs. Smith: "That's a funny name for a cat. How did you happen to pick up such a name?" Jimmy: "Well, we just called him Ben until he had kittens."

God bless! Have a wonderful week!
Fr. Kevin McKenna



On behalf of Father McKenna and the Staff at St. Cecilia's we would like to thank all the **volunteers** that participated in the Clean Up last Saturday. You really did make a difference!

Memorial Service... On **Sunday May 18** the Irondequoit Police and Irondequoit Volunteer Ambulance will have their annual Memorial Service. This service remembers the members of these organizations who have died in the past year. This year's service, the 56th Annual, is being hosted by the Irondequoit Ambulance, will be held at St. Cecilia's and will begin at 7pm.

MINISTRY & GREETER SCHEDULE: May 24 and 25

	5:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
<i>Lector</i>	J. Striebich	D. Morgan	S. Villareale
<i>Commentator</i>	D. Striebich	L. Mancine	D. Flynn
<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>	M. Lylak C. Warren	K. Neu S. Morgan	M. Giordano I. Shevlin
	D. Warren	R. Rozinski	B. Sheridan
<i>Altar Servers</i>	Tim Striebich Zachary Chang	Cosmo Pusateri *Timothy Jordain	**Mark Alaimo Gerry Caso
<i>Greeters</i>	Tim Striebich Sr. Mariella Cathy Connaughton Joyce Kermis Sally Striebich	Evelyn DePeters Rose Ann Stiehler Anne Kelderhouse Peter Kelderhouse Sally Lanzi	Lee Garcia Mary Alice Meyers Jim Campanella Marie Campanella Rose M Tanzi

New Parishioners—Welcome to St. Cecilia's! Please stop in at the Parish office to introduce yourself and register. We look forward to meeting you and your family.

Celebration of Baptism—The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on pre-arranged Sundays. Parents are required to have an interview with the Faith Formation Coordinator, Ann Kubiak at 467-4286 ext.105.

Celebration of Penance/Reconciliation Saturdays at **4 p.m.** and at other times by appointment by calling the Parish office.

Celebration of Matrimony—Couples planning to marry should contact the priest at the Parish office six months prior to their wedding date. Pre-Cana is required. Weddings will be scheduled only on Saturdays at 10 a.m., 12 noon and 2 p.m.

Ministry to the Sick—The Sacraments are available to those in need. Please call Mary Ann Noto.

R.C.I.A.—Interested in becoming a Catholic? Please contact Ann Kubiak at 467-4286 ext. 105.

Pastoral or Liturgical Volunteer Opportunities—Call Mary Ann Noto at 467-4286 ext. 106.

Bequests—In making out your will, kindly remember your Church. Our legal title is St. Cecilia's Church of Rochester, NY.

Irondequoit Senior Ministries: 697-6322
Good Samaritan Transportation: 336-1777



Save the Date!!!

Liturgical composer and pianist **Marty Haugen** is coming to Irondequoit!!! Come and join the celebration as Marty spends 3 days sharing his musical and spiritual gifts with our communities. Marty will be here **Aug. 7-8-9**. "Living a Life of Joy"—Summer Celebration of Faith—Thurs.-Aug. 7 5:00pm Session 1, dinner, then 7:00pm Session 2 at St. Ann's Community Campus (Portland Ave) "Joyful Sound"—Marty Haugen Concert—Fri.—Aug. 8----7:30pm at Christ the King Church (Kings Hwy S) "Spirit Alive in Our Worship & World"—Sat.-Aug.9 9:00am-1:00pm(Music Ministers' workshop at Christ the King Church (Kings Hwy S) Registration will begin in June !!!! Call 338-1146 or 338-3800 for more info.

100 Years of Catholicism 1908—2008

On **May 25th**, all are invited to a prayer service at the Irondequoit Cemetery, in celebration of 100 years of Catholicism. This is a Centennial Event of St. Salome Church, the oldest Catholic church in Irondequoit. Mass at 9:30am followed by a prayer service at 11:00 am at the Mausoleum in the back of the Cemetery. For more info call Sally @342-8292.