

## GRACE ABOUND

Most Gracious and Loving God, we give thanks that you abundantly bless us. We ask for continued financial blessing from debt and the burden of debt. Give us your wisdom that we may be good stewards over all that you have given us.

### Based on 2009/2010 Budget Last Sunday's Collections:

<b>August 30</b>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Needed</u>
Envelopes	\$6,667	\$7,440
Building Fund	\$837	\$4,000
<b>Short: \$ 3,935</b>		

### July & August 2009 Building Fund Report

Our payment is: \$ 14,766.21 each month  
Collected in July \$ 13,125 **short: 1,641.21**  
Collected in August \$12,408 **short: 2,358.21**

**Where does the balance needed come from? It comes from ordinary Sunday Collections that are needed for Parish Life**

### DDF August 2009 Report

Parish Obligation \$ 38,600  
196 Families pledged \$ 25,347  
**Balance due in December \$ 13,553**

**Don't forget to use the second collection to keep shipping away!**



### **THINK SCRIP FOR EVERY OCCASION!**

SCRIP is a truly **COST - FREE** way of supporting your parish. Stop by room # 3 after mass, buy scrip and help our building Fund with no extra cost to you.

### Please pray for the Sick of Holy Spirit



L. Dochnal, J. Hameister, N. Gleissner, C. Snaveley, M. Montello, M. McAtee, U. Ortega, E. Estrada, L. Gomes, G. Lopez, J. Healey, E. Espinoza, R. Banuelos, G. Viso, M. Pino, J. Rickard, R. McIntosh, J. Ellison, D. Burroughs, G. Wunchel, M. SwTaning, P. Hawkins, J. & R. Green, R. Garcia, S. Davis, C. Swanson, R. Matillo, C. Ventura, J. Terry, G. Goubert, B. Black and J. Terry, F. Torres, A. Day, J. Silva, L. Gomez, J. Lawrance, C. Boyle, C. Cruz, J. Rittenhouse, R. Doepke and A. Silvestre

## All Saints Festival

St. Anthony's Parish & St. Hyacinth Academy

Saturday & Sunday, Sept 26 & 27th

Games, Contests, Live Music

Discounted Tickets on sale beginning September 6, 2009

## A Walk Through the Mass on The Year of the Priest

*"Without a priest  
there's no Eucharist*



**What is the Mass?** A good way to describe the Mass is to say that it is Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday made present today in ritual. The basic shape of the Mass, even when viewed as sacrifice, is that of a meal.

On our walk through the Mass we will follow ritual acts of 1) Gathering, 2) Story telling, 3) Meal sharing and 4) Commissioning

### **Part one: Gathering rites**

Coming together, assembling, is at the heart of our Sunday worship. The purpose of these rites is to bring us together into one body, ready to listen and to break bread together.

**Use of Water.** One of the first things Catholics do when they come to to dip their right hand in water and make the sign of the cross. This ritual is a reminder of our baptism.

**Greeters.** At Holy Spirit Parish, Ushers, Pastoral Council, Pastoral Coordinator and Priests, like to greet parishioners as they arrive for Sunday Mass.

**Genuflection:** honors the altar and the presence of Christ in the tabernacle. Today many people express their reverence with even an older custom by bowing to the altar before taking their place.

**Posture, song:** when the Mass begins everyone stands up. Standing is the traditional posture of the Christian at prayer: It express our attentiveness to the word of God and our readiness to carry it out.

**Greeting:** The priest begins with the sign of the cross, again reminding us of baptism, and will greet us, saying "The Lord be with you." It is an ancient biblical greeting from Book of Ruth.

**Penitential Rite, Gloria:** We are asked to pause and recall our common need for salvation. The "Gloria" has been a part of the Mass since about the sixth century!

**Opening Prayer:** At the close of this first part of the Mass the priest will ask us to join our minds in prayer, and after a few moments of silence he will collect our intention into one prayer to which we all respond "Amen" a Hebrew word for "So be it." (*Continues next week*)

**Readings for the week September 6, 2009**

Monday: Col 1:24-2:3/Lk 6:6-11  
 Tuesday: Mic 5:1-4/Mt 1:1-16,18-23  
 Wednesday: Col 3:1-11/Lk 6:20-26  
 Thursday: Col 3:12-17/Lk 6:27-38  
 Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2,12-14/Lk 6:39-42  
 Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17/Lk 6:43-49

*The good steward must not show favoritism. The rich may have many material gifts to share, but St. James reminds us in the second reading that God has chosen the world's poor to be rich in faith and inheritors of God's kingdom.*

**Weekend Mass Intentions**

5:00 pm Mass Mike Enrico  
 7:30 am Mass Orest Iwaniuk †  
 9:00 am Mass Florencio Agustin Reyes †  
 11:00 am Mass Parish People

**Priest Convocation**

All the priests of the Dioceses will be out of their parishes attending the Convocation with Bishop Barnes **the week of September 14 - 18**. During this week we will have communion service. We ask for your prayers for our priests while they attend this convocation..

**Weekly Calendar**Monday, September 7

Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, September 8

8:15 am Liturgy of the Word & Communion  
 9:30 am Spirituality Session - **The Cry of the Prophet**  
 10:45 am Bereavement Session - **Healing of Memories**  
 7:00 pm Spanish Prayer Group

Wednesday, September 9

8:15 am Mass

Thursday, September 10

8:15 am Mass  
 12:45 Bunco

Friday, September 11

No Mass

**Please Pray for our Military**

Richard Dawson, Raul Ilizaliturri, Alex Boyce, L. Hart, J. Dernberger, Shaun Boyce, Robby & Christina Preston, Jason Putney, James Rohland, Keith Ellison, Anthony Hebert, Santiago Saucedo, Edward Clark III, Patrick Lee, Josh West, Nicholas Vandegriffe, Ashleigh Howard, Michael Manual Rolando Reyes,

Levi Dejarnett, Nestor Canales, Sarah Hellam Jared Adams, Adrian Perez, Kim Duarte and Adam Kelly.



Faith Formation Corner  
Attention Parents of Confirmation 1 & 2

Classes for confirmation 1 & 2 have moved to Mondays from 6:00 - 7:30 pm.

**50's Dinner Dance**  
Come & have fun dancing Rock & Roll in the Holy Spirit 50's Dinner Dance!

When: September 13, 2009

Where: Holy Spirit Church

Price: \$10.00

For more information call Ed Clark at 652-0276. All proceeds benefit the KC Charitable Fund Vocations, The Handicapped, Community Pantry, Shelters and High School Scholarships.

**Parents!**

A meeting will take place September 9th, for the parents whose children have not been baptized. The meeting will be in the church. You will meet with the catechists, Sister Paulea and Sylvia Santillan who will explain the process to you. We will also discuss you, the most important catechesis, and your role in the Faith Formation of your child. September 9th at 6:30 pm.

**Friends Helping Friends**

Do you have a friend, a relative, a neighbor, an acquaintance or maybe a spouse who wants to know more about the Roman Catholic Faith? If so, Contact Fr. Jerry or Sister Paulea or call the Parish Office 927-8544

**Adult Confirmation**

Classes for adults seeking to be confirmed will start soon. Registration is taken at the parish office. For further information call Parish office 927 - 8544

