

St. Christopher Catholic Church

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HOW DOES ONE KNOW THE HOLY SPIRIT

by Fr. Art Baranowski

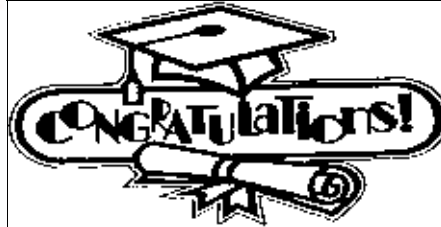
Recognizing the Holy Spirit is like asking a person to notice the air she breathes. The air simply is everywhere and so is the Spirit of God everywhere. The Spirit is our teacher, directing our lives and moving us. We are a Church because the Spirit in each of us links us together even though we are so different from each other.

Yet, God's Spirit is subtle and we are blind. So, here are a few considerations.

The Holy Spirit gets us to think larger thoughts. Each of us has a set way of thinking and pretty narrow experience—only a bit of the truth. When I find myself appreciating the insights of another racial or another ethnic group, the Holy Spirit may be leading. If I can learn from women or men, from children or grownups, from old people or young, from working people or the educated: then, the Spirit of God may be moving me.

The Spirit is in the individual but also in the hierarchy of the Church. Baptism and Confirmation give God's own Spirit to the believer.

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**This Sunday's
Gospel**
John 20, 19-23

1. Who has taught you to listen to life and to be a "spiritual" person?
2. What gifts of the Holy Spirit do you see operating in the Catholic Church? In our own parish? Be specific.
3. How is the Spirit directing you to make the next Eucharist more heart-felt and life-changing?

Next Sunday's Readings
*Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40
Romans 8:14-17
Matthew 28:16-20*

Welcome New Parishioners



Elizabeth ("Betty") and U.T. ("Doc") Bolton are an energetic senior couple that came to Marysville to retire. Betty is a life long Catholic raised in Ireland. Doc was raised a Baptist and is a former high school teacher. They are welcome at St. Christopher's. Both Betty and Doc have a lot of wisdom and life knowledge to give but mostly we need their faith. Live and die with us and make our parish a holier people.

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**WEEKLY
CALENDAR**



Sunday, June 4, 2006

- 8:00 a.m. Graduation Mass/
Breakfast
- 9:30 a.m. Baby/Toddler Sitting
Ages 10 months –3 yrs.
- 9:30 a.m. Children’s Church
Ages 3 yrs– Kindergarten
- 1:00-3:00 p.m. Dominican Republic
Team Reunion

Monday, June 5, 2006

- 6:30 RCIA Dinner
- 7:00 p.m. CRHP Team/ Quest Rm.

Tuesday, June 6, 2006

- 7:00 p.m. Rosary Altar Society/
Social Hall

Wednesday, June 7, 2006

- 7:00 p.m. Baptism Prep. Class

Thursday, June 8, 2006

- No Pastoral Musicians

Saturday, June 10, 2006

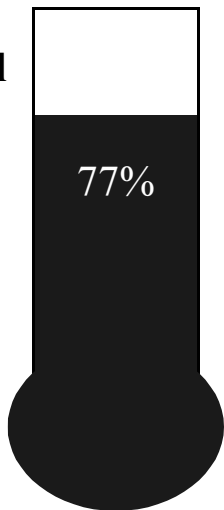
- 2:00 p.m. Wedding-
James Sylvia, Corrine Myers
- 4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

Sunday, June 11, 2006

- 9:30 a.m. Baby/Toddler Sitting
Ages 10 months –3 yrs.
- 9:30 a.m. Children’s Church
Ages 3 yrs– Kindergarten
- 1:00 p.m. Baptism
- 2:00 p.m. Retreat– Youth Ministers
- 4:30 p.m. Dinner– Youth Ministers

**CSA Goal
for 2006**

\$54,944



311 parish members have gifted to CSA and St. Christopher \$42,067. Yet to respond 807.

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If a person is willing and open, the great Teacher is God himself moving and directing one’s life. Paying attention to that Spirit and coming to depend and love that Spirit within oneself is the goal of life. But, the same Holy Spirit is speaking through the bishops and the pope for the whole church. In our culture where the rights of the individual trump all other rights, shouldn’t we be paying more attention to the how the Spirit is speaking in the whole church and its leaders!

The movements and the development of the Church in history are necessary to understand the way the Holy Spirit works today. God did not just begin today to direct our lives as a church. God’s Spirit was there all along. If the Spirit is leading, we must have continuity with the Church of the 1st century and the Church of the 12th century and the Church of our grandparents. Surely, we must adapt to today’s people but we do not start over. So many start up “non-denominational” churches, which seem so exciting and full of life, would not connect well to our faith ancestors led by the Spirit.

The Spirit of God is moving in us and among us. In spite of our obstacles and prejudices, the Holy Spirit is leading. Learn to look for that Spirit and have a confidence in that Spirit. “He will lead you into all truth” says Jesus.

New Parishioner Meeting

Wednesday, June 14

7:00-8:00 p.m.

Social Hall

Look the parish over and see about joining.

Remember to Keep in Your Prayers

Connor Moran, Kathleen Neumann, Bob Danhousen, Donald Burgett, Sr., David Renshaw, Michael Healey, Mae Ward, Roy Cencich, Jose Ramirez, Jeremy Grzech, Kevin Shaw, Marilyn Springer, Gayle Smith, Helen Robinson, Joyce Farrell, Virginia Tracey, Connie Green, Corey Aspey, Patrick Owens, Leo & Betty Visga, Ralph & Nancy Ceglarek, Dorothy Smarch, Simone Stern, Barbara Rumley, Dorothy Horn, Maria Miller, Bill Soboleski, Elizabeth Wessel, Theresa Prince, Maureen Pochodylo, Greg Riley, Lori Charette, Helen Ferris, Albert Kubek, Kathy & Karen Carty, Kyle Clayton, Patrick McCarthy, Bernard Shafran, Loreen Metheny, Helen Senik, James Newson, Florence Ferris, Marlene Konik, Mary Blessinger, Dominic, Gino & Jordan Pecoraro, Russel Rumsey, Doris Godi, Barbara Stockwell, Harvey Brodeur, Mary Hodges, Patricia Pavlov-Leins, Jean Brockdorff, Kyle Stivers, and those who care for them.

BURIED IN CHRIST

The members of St. Christopher’s extend their prayers and sympathy to the family of Viola Novak.



Banns of Marriage

- II Ronald O’Connor & Jennifer Way
- III James Sylvia & Corrine Myers

If you’ll be away from home some weekend, and need to find the location and Mass schedule of the nearest Catholic church, log onto www.Masstimes.org.

**Weekend Liturgy
June 10 & 11, 2006**

Day/Time	Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Sunday, 9:30 a.m.	Sunday, 11:30 a.m.
Mass Intention	Helen Malinowski by Teresa Duda Deceased Members of the Stella LaBute	Parishioners of St. Christopher	Jim Steffke (2 yrs.) by his wife and family	George Limberg by Ron & Pauline Smarch Virginia Harvey by her family
Celebrant	Fr. Baranowski	Fr. Baranowski	Fr. Baranowski	Fr. Britz
Lector	Andrew Cieslinski Richard Schmitt	Jill Kammer Joe Pavlov	Karen Fraschetti Martin Fraschetti	Don Jewell Jenine Ulrich
Eucharistic Minister	Jerry Ayotte Jack Quinlan Mike King Mariol Schmitt John VanTiem	Fely Nurenberg Ron Nurenberg Linda Tokarski Sue Bewersdorff Marilynn Pavlov	Esther Pelliccia Bernie Newby Russ Hill Mary Bixler Cheryl Borowski Richard Clark Flo Herlihy	Skip Randall Gabrielle Randall Kimberly Erb Monica Myers Chrisann Krohn Eugene Mozal Deanne Quain
Cantor	Cheryl O'Neill	Kris Folske	Joe Roehl	Greg Kobe
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Hospitality Ministers	Thomas & Kathleen Neumann Steven Ginther	Gary, Cami, Shane, Megan Armstrong Cameron Roehl	Charlie Peyerk Don & Julie Wilson Mindy Lepine	Rick Goodmen Steven Makowski Steven & Robin Stiver Donna Holzberger

**Weekday Mass Intentions
June 5, 2006 – June 9, 2006**

Monday, 9:00 a.m.	No Mass
Tuesday, 9:00 a.m.	Maxine White , by her husband Ray
Wednesday, 9:00 a.m.	Emma Buch , by Gary & Brenda Smarch
Thursday, 9:00 a.m.	Mary Warren , by Joanne Lewandowski
Friday, 9:00 a.m.	Florence Prentice , by Dorothy McGraw & Family

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

A *Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend* is for married couples who wish to focus on each other and develop greater intimacy and romance in their relationship. The next weekend is scheduled for June 23-25. These weekends fill quickly. For details, contact:

Bill and Carol Higgins at 248-528-2512 or

birdhaus@wideopenwest.com;
or Dan and Debbie Waring at 586-286-5524 or wufl@flc.org.

**A Weekend for Widowed,
Divorced and Separated**

This Weekend Retreat is designed to help let go of the grief and create a more peace-filled future. The Retreat is facilitated by those who have "been there" and is endorsed by the Archdiocese of Detroit. Please join us for this Life Changing weekend on June 30 through July 2, 2006. For details and to register, please call Mike 586-264-9790 or Laura 586-247-5032. Call soon as weekends tend to fill up fast.

**Readings for the Week
Of June 4, 2006**

Sunday, June 4

Acts 2:1-11
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Monday, June 5

2 Pt 1:2-7
Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday, June 6

2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18
Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday, June 7

2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12
Mk 12:18-27

Thursday, June 8

2 Tm 2:8-15
Mk 12:28-34

Friday, June 9

2 Tm 3:10-17
Mk 12:35-37

Saturday, June 10

2 Tm 4:1-8
Mk 12:38-44

Next Sunday, June 11

Dt 4:32-34, 39-40
Rom 8:14-17
Mt 28:16-20

**Financial Stewardship At
St. Christopher's**

May 27 & 28.....\$8,323.00

Stewardship Thought...

St. Paul reminds us today that all of our gifts have their source in the Holy Spirit and that those gifts are given "for the common good." What gifts are mine to share?

Steak Dinner & Karaoke Night

Saturday, June 24

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Dinner 6:00 p.m.

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