

THIS WEEK

MON. / LUN. FEBRUARY 8
7:00pm CCE
7:00pm Oración y Alabanza
7:00pm Altar Society meeting
TUES. / MAR. FEBRUARY 9
10:00am Mother's Day Out
6:30pm Mass
7:00pm Choir – Hall
7:00pm ESL & SSL-B bldg.
WED. / MIER. FEBRUARY 10
10:00am House of Help
6:30pm Mass
7:00pm High school CCE
THUR. / JUE. FEBRUARY 11
10:00am Mother's Day Out
6:30pm Mass
7:00pm Coro
7:00pm Junta de Movimiento Familiar Cristana
FRI. / VIER. FEBRUARY 12
6:30pm Misa
7:00pm Formación de Adultos
SAT./SAB. FEBRUARY 13
11:00am Luncheon with the Women of the Bible
4:30pm Reconciliation
5:30pm Vigil Mass
SUNDAY/DOM. FEBRUARY 14
9:00am Mass
9:00am CCE
11:00am Misa
11:00am CCE
2:00pm Girl Scout meeting

Please Pray For those That Are Sick
Johnny Jezierski, Emma Linseisen, Lillian Antkowiak, Linda Kirk, Sandra Banks, Ernest & Christopher Norris, Joe Morales, Carmen McKinney, Alfredo Muñoz, Peggy Heintz, Bennee Kwiatkowski, Johnnie Kwiatkowski, Janet Smith, Margarito Muñoz, Mary Lou Fenton, John Kopech Jr., Albin Kwiatkowski, Linda Lamp, Gene Riemer, Valeria Arely Nava, Rosalee Leggio, Raymond & Joe Kostak, Thomas L. Machac Sr., Diane Taylor, Basilio Contreras, Leon Martin, Jodie Inman, Teckla Wisneske, Arturo Rodriguez, Doris Brannan, Lucin Lecamu, Denise Hajek, Stanley Christman, Nat Mata, Ella Mae Malek, Elizabeth Johnson,

If you would like to add or delete a family member or loved one to or from our Prayer list please call the parish office (979)826-2275 before noon on Tuesdays.

ALTAR SOCIETY INVITES YOU!
Have you ever wished you could spend a moment with Eve or Ruth? On Saturday, February 13th at 11am the Altar Society will give you that chance. Come enjoy lunch with the Women of the Bible. Tickets available at the Parish Office, tickets are \$12 in advance or \$15 at the door.

Congratulation Deacon John!

On Friday, January 29th at the 27th annual Archdiocesan Knights of Columbus Clergy Appreciation dinner Deacon John Pelletier was named DEACON of the year in recognition of the good work he has done at St. Katharine Drexel.



Get all the latest updates and announcements: <http://twitter.com/stkdrexel>. (Be sure to sign up to get SMS messages sent to your cell phone and you will get the message as soon as it is posted.)

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court Mary, Mother of God #2084

Sunday, February 14, 2010 the Catholic Daughters will celebrate their 36th anniversary of their institution. Corporate Communion at the 9 am Mass then a Pot –Luck Brunch and a short meeting at the home of Mary Parker at 11am. All the ladies of St. Katharine Drexel are invited to join us, especially former members. Please RSVP at 936-372-9808 by February 12, 2010.



**Readings for the Week
Lecturas de la Semana
February 7, 2010**

Sunday: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138; 1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11; Lk 5:1-11
Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106; Mk 7:24-30
Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jer 17:5-8; Ps 1; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26



Bible Study with Deacon John

Deacon John will present a 6 week bible study on the Gospel of Matthew beginning Thursday Feb. 18 at 7PM in the B building. Deacon John will show how Matthew used images and prophecies from the Old Testament to convince his fellow Jews that Jesus was the long promised messiah of Israel. We will study Old Testament figures like Moses, King David and the prophets and events like the Passover and the Exodus in order to see how understanding the Old Testament is key for interpreting the New Testament. This would be a good thing to do for Lent. Don't worry if you did not attend the bible study last fall. Dcn. John will provide a quick review of the material covered in that course to get everyone up to speed.

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday 2/9 6:30p
† Wanda Mikolajewski
By Altar Society
Wednesday 2/10 6:30p
† Rosie Lee Hablinski & Brian Joseph Hablinski
By Daniel Hablinski
Thursday 2/11 6:30p
People of the Parish
Viernes 2/12 6:30p
People of the Parish
Saturday 2/13 5:30p
† Troy Fangué
By Family
Sunday 2/14 9:00a
† Billy Dilorio
By Dilorio Family
Domingo 2/14 11:00a
People of the Parish

**Stewardship
Administracion
Cristiana**

In today's Gospel, Jesus gives His disciples — and us — a new commandment: "Love one another." Good stewards who spend their time and talents in service to others are well on their way to fulfilling this commandment.

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús les da a sus discípulos — y a nosotros — un nuevo mandamiento: "Que se amen los unos a los otros." Los buenos administradores de los bienes de Dios, que dedican su tiempo y talentos al servicio de los demás están bien encaminados hacia el cumplimiento de este mandamiento. Ver Juan 13:34

Altar flowers for this weekend are in honor of Linn and Lynn Glover's 50th Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations to Linn & Lynn Glover.

From the Pastor's Desk

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My brothers and sisters in Christ.

Our Parish family is about to enter into the Holy Season of Lent, a season of holiness and grace.

Lent is a time when the Church calls us to a greater love.

During January, we hear the Gospel readings reflecting John the Baptist's call to repentance. We hear the call of repentance throughout our lives as constantly return to God with all our hearts.

Now is a good-time, before Lent begins, to examine our relationship with Christ and with others.

I pray that this Lenten season be a time of holiness and service to all the members of our Parish Family.

My brothers and sisters, let us grow closer to Jesus who is so present to us and who calls us constantly to be with Him.

May the love of Jesus touch each of your hearts.

May you hear His call and respond to Him, and may all the families in our Parish of St. Katharine Drexel grow in holiness and wisdom.

Sincerely yours in Christ.

Fr. Joseph

Deadline is next weekend!! 2010 Education Contest

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Themes are: "The Joy of God Surround Us" & "The Joys of Life Brings Through Others". Contest is open to all students 4th -12th grade, the categories include art, essay, poetry, computer art, music and photography. Rules and entry form will be available at the St. Katharine Drexel Church Office or from any Catholic Daughter member. Deadline for all entries is February 15, 2010.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Confirmation II Class today, Sunday February 7th at 1:00pm in the A bldg. / *Clase para los que están en Confirmación II hoy Domingo 7 de Febrero a la 1:00pm en el salón A.*

ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 17th, we will have Ashes at every Mass & Liturgy of the Word.

HORARIO PARA EL MIERCOLES DE CENISA
17 de FEBRERO, *habra cenisa en cada Misa y Liturgia de la Palabra*

8:00am Mass-Hall (Eng.)

12:00pm Liturgy of the Word-Hall (Eng.)

7:00pm Mass / Misa-Hall (Bilingual)

7:30pm Liturgia de la Palabra (Spanish)

Des del Escritorio del Pastor

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Mis hermanos y hermanas en Cristo.

Nuestra familia parroquial está a punto de entrar en la Sagrada Temporada de la Cuaresma, una estación de santidad y de gracia.

La Cuaresma es un tiempo cuando la Iglesia nos llama hacia un amor más grande.

Durante el mes de Enero, escuchamos las lecturas del Evangelio, reflexionar el llamado de Juan el Bautista hacia el arrepentimiento. Y constantemente en todo lo largo de nuestra vida, escuchamos el llamado al arrepentimiento y, a regresar a Dios de todo corazón

Hoy es un buen tiempo, antes de que empiece la Cuaresma, para examinar nuestra relación con Cristo y con los demás.

Ruego para que esta estación de Cuaresma sea un tiempo de santidad y de servicio para todos los miembros de nuestra Familia Parroquial.

Mis hermanos y hermanas, crezcamos, acercándonos más a Jesús, el cual está tan presente para nosotros y constantemente nos llama para estar con Él.

Que el amor de Jesús toque el corazón de cada uno de ustedes.

Que escuchen Su llamado y le respondan. Y que todas las familias en nuestra Parroquia de Sta. Catarina Drexel crezca en santidad y en sabiduría.

Sinceramente suyo en Cristo.

Padre Joseph

Collection Report / Reporte de Colección January 31, 2010

Regular Collection this week / Coleccion regular esta semana
Total Amount Received/Total Recedido: \$7,777.82
Needed / Necesitamos: \$12,000.00

Parish Loan Payment / Parroquia de Pago de Préstamo
Received month to date / Hemos recibido hasta este Mes: \$5,724.94
Monthly Payment/Pago Mensual: \$17,539.00

Special Collections / Colecta Especial
House of Help: \$47.00

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