Labor of Love
“YOUTH MINISTER’S PEN”
REACH OUT—REACH IN

Recently, three St. Bruno students and I participated in REACH OUT—REACH IN, a LOCAL Mission Trip sponsored by the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. Students lived in community at St. Monica Parish in Whitefish Bay. They were divided into 13 different work groups, and each day the groups went out into the Milwaukee Metro area to provide service to various organizations. Some of the agencies served included: House of Peace, Catholic Charities Adult Day Services, St. Ann Intergenerational Care Center, Meta House, Easter Seals Recreation Center, Notre Dame Middle School, and Wellspring Organic Farm. Students provided a variety of services including painting, farm work, child care, tutoring, sorting clothes and school supplies, spending time with disabled children and the elderly, and with children who are victims of abuse and violence. In the evening, students and staff shared their experiences from the different job sites, and had the opportunity to learn more about Catholic Social Justice.

The term “Mission Trip” usually implies traveling a distance to do God’s work. However, this close-to-home experience was definitely a chance to get out of our comfort zone, to live simply, and to really see the NEED right here in our OWN Archdiocese! What an eye-opener!

Have you ever heard about the Seven Themes of Catholic Social Teaching? Students learned about building a just society and living lives of holiness amidst the challenges of modern society. Those seven themes are:

Life & Dignity of the Human Person; Call to Family, Community, and Participation; Rights and Responsibilities; Option for the Poor and Vulnerable; The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers; Solidarity; and Care for God’s Creation. Students were challenged to determine which of these Catholic Social Teachings applied to their assigned work site. The simple lesson is that ALL of us have a responsibility to be workers and advocates for people and the earth. We have been given so much, and it is our duty to be of service to those in need.

My job site was the Easter Seals Recreation Center. This organization provides a day camp for children and young adults with significant cognitive and physical disabilities. The first day was a bit intimidating—not knowing about the limitations, expectations, or how to communicate with a non-verbal camper. It didn’t take long for my group of students to get to know the campers! Our job was just to spend time with the campers, playing games, taking walks, doing art projects, and having FUN. One of my best memories was playing a game of “Freeze Dance”. I pushed Joey in his wheelchair during this game, and while he is non-verbal and a quadriplegic, everyone knew he was having a blast because of his smile and infectious laugh. I love the motto for Easter Seals, “Turning disabilities into abilities”. The kids get to be kids!

It’s my personal goal to bring a larger group of our students to REACH OUT—REACH IN next summer!

~Amy Golden

The Synod of 2014

As you well know, the Archdiocesan Synod was celebrated on June 6, 7 & 8, 2014 (Pentecost Weekend). Many fruits of that experience have been felt by the 400 delegates who participated. But what about those of us who didn’t attend the Synod? How do we “catch” the Spirit of those days and the issues discussed and prayed over?

For the next several weeks, until the Archbishop publishes his “Synod Declaration” on September 14, 2014, you will see different Synod-related articles about our Catholic Identity. This past week’s bulletin insert was entitled Catholic Identity: The Faithful Discern Aspects of Liturgy. There were some short, meaningful excerpts from the 14-page background paper that Marquette Theology Professor, Fr. John Lawrence, S.J., wrote as a tool in preparation for the Synod delegates. In addition to a few of his theological reflections, the latter part of the bulletin insert shared what the two most significant liturgical initiatives and priorities were in the minds of the delegates (after they had read Father’s background paper and gathered in discussion and prayer regarding seven different liturgical initiatives.)

PLEASE GO BACK AND READ LAST WEEK’S BULLETIN INSERT! Check out these top two liturgical initiatives! Reflect on them and be open to their fulfillment!

This week’s Catholic Identity mission area featured in our bulletin is “Cultural Diversity”. Please read with a prayerful heart a few of the rich reflections that Eva Diaz shares from her background paper, and then check out the two top priorities voted for by the Synod Delegates relating to Cultural Diversity.

May the Spirit of the Lord empower and enlighten us day by day!

~Fr. Ralph

Happy Birthday, Deacon Mauricio! • Thursday, August 7, 2014
**John Mezydlo’s Diaconate Ordination Notification II**

Before a man is ordained a Deacon, the proper Pastor of that individual must publish three notifications, as a final pre-ordination inquiry about his suitability for ordination or any questionable concerns about the man. John Mezydlo’s deacon ordination is scheduled for September 6, at 10:00 a.m. at St. John the Evangelist Cathedral in Milwaukee. Are there any impediments to John being ordained a deacon that anyone is aware of? Contact Fr. Ralph!

**Prayer Ministry Starting at St. Bruno**

We have a new Prayer Ministry at St. Bruno. Several parishioners have been trained to provide one-on-one prayer with parishioners who have special intentions. At the end of Mass, Prayer Ministers will make an announcement to let the congregation know that they are available to pray with anyone who has a need. This is a personal prayer time, and prayer intentions will be kept confidential.

**Why Prayer Ministry?**

We are simply doing as Jesus did! In Luke 4:40, at the start of Jesus’ ministry, we are told that: “When the sun was setting, the people brought to Jesus all who had various kinds of sickness, and laying His hands on each one, He healed them”. In Mark 6:5, we read how Jesus visited His hometown of Nazareth, but encountered such a lack of faith that “He could not do any miracles there, except lay His hands on a few sick people and heal them”. In Matthew 19:13, we are told that “little children were brought to Jesus for Him to place His hands on them and pray for them”. Jesus clearly saw the laying on of hands as an important way to pray with people.

If you are interested in becoming a Prayer Minister or have questions, please contact Amy Golden at 262-402-8229, or Karen Warnes at 414-807-8453.

**Advertiser of the Week**

Please support our Advertiser of the Week: Haase-Lockwood & Associates

See their full-sized ad on the inside back cover of this bulletin.

**Music Ministry**

“We’re Incomplete Without You!”

“This song reminds us of our connectivity and our interdependence, as St. Paul wrote of in I Corinthians 12. Consider sharing your voice to Alex Meeth’s to complete the parts of the Body of Christ we call St. Bruno Parish.

Contact our Music Director, Mark Gould, at 262-370-5570 or cantemusvv@yahoo.com. Plenty of preparation and a practice CD are part of the deal.

**Community & Alumni Golf Fundraiser**

**Saturday, August 9, 2014**

Kettle Moraine Golf Club

W365 S4299 Hwy. 67, Dousman

262-965-6200

Check-in begins at 8:00 a.m.

Fun Format Scramble & Prizes

Registration of $110/person includes:

- Continental Breakfast • Driving Range
- 18 Holes with Cart • Box Lunch on Course
- Beverages • Appetizer Buffet • Tee Bag Prizes

Registration Forms are available in the Parish Office or online at [www.stbrunoparish.com/Fundraising](http://www.stbrunoparish.com/Fundraising)

**School Happenings**

**Theatre Arts Camp**

August 4-8, 2014

St. Bruno Parish School

Grades 1-8 • 9:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Classes: Incredible Improv and Acting Up.

Visit [www.stbrunoparishschool.com](http://www.stbrunoparishschool.com) to download information. To register, contact Doug Jarecki, Waukesha Civic Theatre Education and Outreach Administrator, at 262-547-4911 x21. [www.waukeshacivictheatre.org](http://www.waukeshacivictheatre.org)

**School Registration**

Give your children an education they can have FAITH in! Registration for the 2014-2015 School Year at St. Bruno’s is going on now. Please contact the School Office at 262-965-2291 or Tammy Price at Tammy.Price@stbrunoparishschool.com for more information. Registration forms are available on the website at [www.stbrunoparishschool.com](http://www.stbrunoparishschool.com).

**Circle of Life**

Please pray for our friends and fellow parishioners who have died during the month of August . . .

- Betty Eimermann
- Elmer Ihry
- Alyce Keller
- Bennon Kolakowski
- Bob Marquardt
- Sam Monteleone
- Paul Repensek
- Cindy Schmitt
- Christine Schneider
- Jay Weinkauf

“Like us” at St. Bruno Parish School

“Follow us” at St. Bruno Parish

Current Balance: $1,162,757.92

**August 3, 2014**

WWW.STBRUNOPARISHSCHOOL.COM
**Faith Formation Corner**

**Registration**

Now is the time to get your child registered for Faith Formation. Registration forms were mailed out back in May. You can also find the forms on our Parish website. Classes will be starting on September 14.

For students entering their junior year of high school, this is the final year of preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Attending the parish Confirmation program, including the students who attend a Catholic High School, is necessary if your child wants to receive their Confirmation. Please register now, so we can prepare our class rosters and purchase enough supplies!

If you have any questions, please contact Jan Lamparski (Child Ministry) at 262-965-2332 or Amy Golden (Youth Ministry) at 262-402-8229.

**St. Vincent de Paul’s Back-to-School Drive**

SVDP is sponsoring their annual Back-to-School Drive, Now through August 5. Please place donated items in the Coat Room off the Gathering Place. Monetary donations will help offset the cost of shoe gift cards and the purchase of supplies that are not donated. Please make checks payable to “St. Vincent de Paul Back-to-School”, and either drop them in the collection basket at Mass, or leave them in the Parish Office. The following (new) items are needed: backpacks, notebooks, pencil boxes, filler paper, colored pencils, scissors (blunt & sharp), markers (large & small) & folders. Thank you for helping St. Vincent de Paul help others!

Help Kids Start School Off Right!

**Attention All Men!**

Our That Man Is You/Be A Man program is back to start its 5th Year. You are invited to join and attend this life-changing series. This year will feature Fr. Robert Barron and his Word On Fire series on Catholicism. Our start date is September 11. Free breakfast starts at 5:30 a.m. and the program runs from 6:00-7:00 a.m. Contact Jerry Strand at 262-965-3436 or email jerrystrand52@yahoo.com with questions or to sign up.

**What Is Your Catholic IQ?**

What are the prevalent philosophies, or set of assumptions, used to describe the loss of confidence in reason or intellect—the imagined inability to know with certainty the truth about oneself or the world?

- a) Atheism and Pragmatism
- b) Relativism and Subjectivism
- c) Secularism and Materialism
- d) Unconstitutional and Unreasonable

** Beyond Our Parish **

Aug. 4-8 - K4-6 VBS; St. Joan of Arc; 8:30-11:30 a.m.; 262-646-5979
Aug. 4-9 - Private Together: A Retreat for Women - Religious & Lay; www.redemptoristretreat.org; 262-567-6900; $305
Aug. 5 - Understanding the Bereavement Triad of Grief; Mourning and Healing; San Camillo, Wauwatosa; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. & 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Aug. 12 - Grief Support Group Meeting; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
San Camillo, Wauwatosa
Aug. 15-17 - Parish Festival, St. James, Mukwonago
Aug. 26 - Grief Support Group Meeting; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
San Camillo, Wauwatosa
Sep. 2 - Surviving the Death of a Spouse or Parent; San Camillo, Wauwatosa; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. & 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Sep. 4-5 - The Bible Timeline with Jeff Cavins (24-week Bible Study); St. Jerome Parish; $48/person; 262-569-3020
Sep. 5-7 - Weekend Silent Preached Retreat for Women; 567-6900; www.redemptoristretreat.org; 262-567-6900; $195
Sep. 9 - Grief Support Group Meeting; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
San Camillo, Wauwatosa
Sep. 12-14 - Married Couples Preached Weekend Retreat; www.redemptoristretreat.org; 262-567-6900; $350/couple
Sep. 15 - 12-Wk. Support Group: “the Catholic’s Divorce Survival Guide”; St. Jerome’s, O’woc; $40; Call Barb at 262-719-7761
Sep. 23 - Grief Support Group Meeting; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
San Camillo, Wauwatosa
Sep. 26-28 - Weekend Silent Preached Retreat for Men; 567-6900; www.redemptoristretreat.org; 262-567-6900; $195
Oct. 5-7 - Hearts United 2014; Christ King Parish, Wauwatosa www.heartsunited2014.org

**Calendar of Events**

**This Week**

**Monday, August 4**
9:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Theatre Arts Camp / Classrooms
7:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous / Staff Work Room

**Tuesday, August 5**
9:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Theatre Arts Camp / Classrooms
2:00-9:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration / Chapel

**Wednesday, August 6**
9:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Theatre Arts Camp / Classrooms

**Thursday, August 7 - Happy Birthday, Deacon Mauricio!**
9:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Theatre Arts Camp / Classrooms
9:00-11:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry / Family Room

**Friday, August 8**
9:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Theatre Arts Camp / Classrooms

**Saturday, August 9**
8:00 a.m. Community & Alumni Golf Fundraiser / Kettle Moraine Golf Club
5:00 p.m. Mass / Church

**Sunday, August 10**
8:00 & 10:30 a.m. Masses / Church

**Coming Soon**

Aug. 27 - 2014-2015 School Year Begins
Sep. 1 - Labor Day - Parish Office Closed
Sep. 6 - Ordination to the Diaconate of John Mezydlo
Sep. 7 - Deacon John’s Mass of Thanksgiving & Reception
Sep. 14 - Parish Picnic
Sep. 24-Oct. 1 - Book Fair
In the Gospel, Jesus says: “There is no need for them to go away; give them some food yourselves”, and taking the five loaves and two fish, He blessed them and gave them to the disciples to feed the crowd.

Like the story of the “loaves and fishes”, this month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to assist many families, providing money for food, utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You!

FOCCUS Couples Needed
We are in NEED of married couples that would be willing to help engaged couples in their preparation for marriage. FOCCUS is a tool to help couples learn more about themselves and the manner in which they relate to their partner. The FOCCUS couple helps this process of communication through guiding the engaged couple through the FOCCUS inventory. This ministry is not only for the engaged couple, but also for the married couple that guides them through the process. As they discuss the inventory with the engaged couple, many married couples will also think about and strengthen their own marriages. As they teach, they learn and grow. It might be a great ministry for you. Please think about it, pray about it, and grow. It might be a great ministry for you.

The Nazareth Project has scheduled a day-long FOCCUS training on Saturday, August 23, 2014, at Christ King Parish (held in the School), 2646 N. Swan Blvd., Wauwatosa, for those wishing to become FOCCUS Couples. The cost for the training is $100.00 per couple and includes lunch. The Parish will take care of the cost of the program.

WHAT IS YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?
The answer is b)
Relativism and Subjectivism also affect the way one looks at morality and religion. “From this point of view, there are no absolutely impermissible moral choices. Likewise, there is no spiritual truth that demands obedience. Allegedly, it all depends on one’s intention or surrounding circumstances.” (Pastoral Letter, Archbishop Listecki)

THE WORD OF THE LORD
AUGUST 4, 2014
Jeremiah 28:1-17
Matthew 14:22-36
AUGUST 5, 2014
Jeremiah 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22
Matthew 14:22-36 or Matthew 15:1-2, 10-14
AUGUST 6, 2014
Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14
II Peter 1:16-19
Matthew 17:1-9
AUGUST 7, 2014
Jeremiah 31:31-34
Matthew 16:13-23
AUGUST 8, 2014
Nathan 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7
Matthew 16:24-28
AUGUST 9 & 10, 2014
I Kings 19:9a, 11-13a
Romans 9:1-5
Matthew 14:22-33
www.usccb.org/nab/

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
Comforters Needed
We’re still looking for gently-used comforters to turn into sleeping bags for the homeless. Call Pat Nekola at 547-2004 or 414-614-3311 (cell).

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For more information and/or to sign-up, you can go to the webpage: http://www.johnpaul2center.org/NazarethProject/EngagedEnrichment/FOCCUS.htm or come by the Parish Office for a sign-up sheet. Thank you for considering this ministry. We need more members for this important ministry.

LITURGICAL PRAYER
MONDAY, AUGUST 4
8:00 a.m. † Mary Braun
TUESDAY, AUGUST 5
8:00 a.m. † Carol Streiff
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6
8:00 a.m. † Rosemary Holt
THURSDAY, AUGUST 7
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer with Communion/Chapel

FRIDAY, AUGUST 8
8:00 a.m. † Irene Mundschau
SATURDAY, AUGUST 9
5:00 p.m. † Frank Matysiak
SUNDAY, AUGUST 10
8:00 a.m. † The Peeters Family
10:30 a.m. † Fr. Vince Kobida

MASS/DEVOTION TIMES
Weekend Mass Times: Saturday 5:00 p.m. • Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.
We pray the Rosary daily at 7:40 a.m. before the 8:00 a.m. Mass. The Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel is open 24/7 for private prayer. Eucharistic Adoration is every Tuesday from 2:00-9:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS
Hospital Communion Ministry
Thursday, August 7
C. Miller

5:00 p.m. Saturday, August 9
Greeters: J. Burgireno
Ushers: A. & M. Bretl
C. Neubert, P. Maloney
E. Phillips, J. Siepmann
Servers: † E. Phillips
J. Phillips, M. Mammel
Readers: D. Jablonski, C. Matusiak
Euch. Min: D. Hendrick, B. Schultz
J. Bosenbecker, P. Keenan
J. Jablonski, S. Siepmann
S. Mayernick

8:00 a.m. Sunday, August 10
Greeters: W. Schwister, M. Jagodinski
Ushers: M. Herbert, J. Radtke
P. Tabat, R. Humpal
A. Uguml
Servers: † C. Kinnard
T. Hying, G. Fontaine
Readers: J. Mezydlo, M. Fowler
Euch. Min: C. & T. Pinter
S. James, A.M. Filipiak
B.J. Wagner, E. Rudnick
B. Fowler

10:30 a.m. Sunday, August 10
Greeters: K. Von Asten, Y. Hickey
Ushers: K. Lawniczak, R. Mezydlo
J. Finn, S. Kelchen
S. Vandenhouten
Servers: † E. Moyer
V. & T. Brimacombe
Readers: M. Patterson, M. Lawniczak
Euch. Min: Jm. Brahm, J. Galando
S. Burt, B. IgI
J. Lamparski, M. McComis
C. Wichman-Brimacombe
ST. BRUNO PARISH

Welcome!
If you are a visitor to St. Bruno Parish, or new to our area, we welcome and thank you for praying with us. We are a church family and care about each other, our church, our community and our world. You are invited to become a member of the St. Bruno Parish Family. Please call Karen Warnes, Pastoral Associate, at 262-965-2332 for registration information.

Journey into The Catholic Faith
If you or someone you know is interested or curious about the Catholic Faith or any Catholic Sacrament, please call Karen Warnes, our Pastoral Associate, at 262-965-2332.

Sacramental Life & Assistance Information

Mass – The Eucharist
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Hispanic Mass—First, Third, & Fifth Sundays at 5:00 p.m.

Reconciliation
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. or by appointment

Baptisms
To arrange Baptism, please contact Deacon Tom at least one month in advance, at 262-392-2516 or 262-366-1505.

Marriage
Please contact the Pastor at least six months before the anticipated wedding date. At least one of the parties must be a registered, practicing Catholic member of our parish community.

Anointing of the Sick
We encourage parish members to celebrate the Anointing of the Sick for healing and strength at the time of serious illness or before surgery.

Communion to the Sick
Parish members bring Holy Communion to the homebound. If you are unable to attend Mass for a few weeks because of health or weather, please call the Parish Office.

Danny’s Helping Hands
If you need occasional help with errands, companionship, transportation or meals, contact Rita Mezydlo at 602-885-0299 or rmezydlo@sbcglobal.net.

Meals for Families with Newborns
Expectant and new mothers can receive meals made by fellow parishioners for them and their families. Contact Carla Schreiner at 262-965-2353 or carlaschreiner@wi.rr.com.

Prayer Network
If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, we have a group of parishioners at St. Bruno’s who would like to pray for your special needs. Call Donna at 262-965-3224, or Ruth at 262-965-2329.

St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP)
Contact the Parish Office for assistance from SVDP: 965-2332

The Endowment for St. Bruno
We have established a permanent endowment fund for the future of our church and school. We invite a contribution in honor of family members, friends, or in memory of a loved one. Information and contribution envelopes are in the Gathering Place.

Parish Office Summer Hours
Mon.-Thurs. 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.; Fridays 9:00 a.m.–Noon

Bulletin Articles
Please submit your stories, announcements, photographs and ideas for the bulletin to Susan by 10:00 a.m. Monday morning via email: stbruno@wi.rr.com.