Coming Up This Week:

Sunday, April 27th
8:00 AM...Mass..Mr & Mrs Richard McAuliffe
by Bill & Liz Kearney
10:30 AM...Mass..Confirmation
For the Confirmandi & their Families

Monday, April 28th
No Mass
7 PM....Religious Ed Teachers' Mtg

Tuesday, April 29th
No Mass

Wednesday, April 30th
Noon.....Mass....Philip O'Connell

Thursday, May 1st
9 AM... Mass....For the People of St John Parish
7PM....Vacation Bible School Mtg

Friday, May 2nd
9 AM...Mass....Rose Jaskiw *by Pete*
11 AM - 1:30 PM...Spring Salad Luncheon

Saturday, May 3rd
3:30 PM...Confessions
4:30 PM...Mass...Thomas Konkle
by Hank & Pat Konkle

Sunday, May 4th
8:00 AM...Mass..For the People of St John Parish
10:30 AM...Mass..Fr Howard Murray
by Bill & Liz Kearney

Note: We will have a reception for Fr. Gordon Greene after the Masses May 3rd and 4th. In addition, we will have an Open House for Father on Sunday, May 4th from 2 - 5 pm in the Family Center Multi-Purpose Room. Come & wish him well!

The Sponsor of the week is Clark's Flowers

Please Pray For: Marge Bommarito, June Carver, Sharon Bommarito, Cris Solis, Jr; Margaret Richardson, Pilar Rivera, Edna Sheldon, Virginia Karmalski, Irene Campbell, Kathy Matson, John Owdziej, Liz Wilson, Lee Worden, Marian Koledo, Eusebio Solis, Sr.

Liturgy Team One

Saturday, May 3rd 4:30 PM
Commentator: Mike Hill
Lector: Rebekah Snyder
EM: Vicky Snyder, Bill & Laura Zenoniani,
Altar Server: Zachary Calvert
Ushers: Frank Kniburys, Hank Konkle

Sunday, May 4th 8:00 AM
Commentator: Don Kaiser
Lector: Joan Walsh
EM: Dave & Sue Farley, Alex Harden
Altar Server: Theresa Harris
Ushers: Bob Fisher, Kevin Markovich

Sunday, May 4th 10:30 AM
Commentator: Alicia Botello
Lector: Juanita Solis Kidder
EM: Rodney & Jill Mestdagh, Vonnie Lammers
Altar Servers: Aaron Lammers, Nick Lammers
Ushers: Curt Miller, Fred Schick

Our Return to God Of His Gifts to Us
April 19 & 20

Adult & Loose	$3,934.87
Children	$14.00
Parish Development	$60.00

Those who obey the commandments, Jesus says in today's Gospel, are the ones who really love Him. Does my stewardship reveal my love for Jesus?

Knights of Columbus News

The **Knights of Columbus** are selling Raffle Tickets...1st prize $300 for groceries, 2nd & 3rd prizes $100 for groceries; drawing will be held May 8th at the KC Hall; cost - $1 ea or 6 for $5.

Knights will be golfing Monday nights at Tomac Woods. The League will start May 5th. If you would like to join the Golf League, please contact Carl Weiskittel (517) 629-6705.

Right to Life

Right to Life Membership Campaign is underway. It is through building a strong and viable membership at the local level that we can best be a voice for the value of all Human Life. Please Join us. One year membership is $15.00.

Also Mother's Day is fast approaching. Right to Life remembers Mother's with a signature ad in the local ad-visor. Add your name to this publication and give witness to the gift of life that mothers give to us. A small donation is welcome to defray the cost of the ad.

Stop at the information table in the next several weeks to sign up. **PLAN AHEAD**! Roses available after all Masses on Mother's Day Weekend!

Catholic & Single is a group being formed for singles 35 and over. At this time two different activities are being offered. The first is a small discussion group that will meet every third Thursday beginning May 8 from 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. at St. Catherine of Siena Parish. The second is an informal gathering on Saturday, May 17 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Monica Parish followed by dinner at Theo & Stacy's. All singles (never married, divorced or widowed) who wish to celebrate and share their singleness are invited. Please contact Lisa or Jane at (269) 349-8714 ext 228 or 113 for more information.

Safe Environment Office

Did You Know? Take the Child Safety Quiz

Parents, guardians, and adults who care for children face constant challenges when trying to help keep children safer in today's fast-paced world. The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC) offers easy-to-use safety resources to help address these challenges. NCMEC's Web site offers a range of practical information for parents and guardians that will help keep children safe from harm. The site also features an interactive quiz on child safety designed for both adults and children. To take the quiz, visit the NCMEC Web site and click on "Child Safety": *www.missingkids.com.* For particular help you may call: Mary Jane Doerr 269-349-8714 x 246

Family Perspective

Because family relationships are imprinted in our hearts, today's gospel reminds us our loved ones "always remain with you." Even death and distance cannot erase this presence. We only need to pause and remember and our loved one is present to us again. It is a different presence, but a REAL presence.

St. John's
Altar & Rosary Society

Spring Salad Luncheon

Friday, May 2, 2008
11 AM to 1:30 PM
St. John's Family Center

Adults...Advanced.....$5.00
At the Door.....$6.00

Children - Under 10...$3.00

Tickets may be purchased after the Masses.