

Parish Family Night - 6:30PM - March 12, 2015

Please join us for a fun family evening on March 12 in the Parish Hall. We will present an animated family movie geared to children but with a message applicable for everyone. Popcorn and drinks will be served. There will be no charge. Plan on attending.

ATTENTION

Please join the Altar Society and Respect Life Group for a Baby Shower to benefit the Rachael Pregnancy Center on March 22nd after the 9:30 AM Mass. More information will be coming in future bulletins.

Altar Society News

Session two of the Women's Retreat will be March 28, 2015 from 9 AM to Noon. It will begin with Mass and end with lunch. Soup and bread will be provided and if you would like to bring a dish to share it would be welcomed. Please RSVP to Mary Sterns (541-523-3750) or the Parish Office (541-523-4521). Hope to see you there. If you missed the first session please come to the second session as the first one was excellent.

Once again it is the Lenten Season, we ask ourselves what can I give up? Instead of just giving something up please remember those who are ill or shut in. Take a minute to call, send a card or go visit it means so much to them and takes so little of your time.

Holy Week is fast approaching and the Bishop will be with us during that time. His visit starts on Thursday March 26th (Chrism Mass), if you would like to have the Bishop and Father Greiner to dinner or provide a meal during that time please let Ann Kniesel (541-519-5192), Marilyn Bloom (541-523-2750) or the Parish Office know (541-523-4521). Both Bishop Carey and Father Greiner have enjoyed the meals provided by the parish in the past.

Smokin' Joe's Memorial Chili Feed!!

The annual Smokin' Joe's Memorial Chili Feed and Silent Auction will be held Saturday, April 18th, from 4:30PM. to 8:00PM. in the parish hall.

Besides the prize-winning KC House Chili and a tasting of homemade chili from Baker County residents, there will be the usual Silent Auction! At this time, please check around your home, ranch, or garage for **new or "gently used" item** you no longer need, as a donation for the silent action.

Contact individuals, to leave an item for the auction or any donation for the cause, are Arlene Dethloff (541) 910-1777; Francis Mohr (541) 519-6606 or the Parish Office (541) 523-4521.

Religious Education

Wednesday, March 11, 2015

Youth Choir practice in the church at 6:00PM
RE Classes at 7:00PM

Reflection - March 8, 2015 - Second Sunday of Lent

Dignity of Work and Rights of Workers

Jesus spent years working as a carpenter. Work is important to help people live good lives, so people must be paid a fair wage to provide for themselves and their families.

† We are reminded that God worked and God rested, and we are asked to do the same. *Do we empower others to attain meaningful work? Do we help others to keep the Sabbath? Do we keep it ourselves?*

† Jesus is angered by injustice and takes action. He is unafraid to let his opinions be heard. *Do we speak out against injustice where we see it, or do we assume it's someone else's responsibility.*

† This week's CRS Rice Bowl Story of Hope takes us to Niger, where we meet a family whose livelihood is governed by the seasons. We all experience seasons of challenge, injustice and sorrow. *How do we display our hope that a season of justice will come, our trust that, "the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom?"*

This Week: We need to pray for workers around the world, that they find productive employment and earn fair wages for their labor.

Also, we need to pray for our community of faith, that we may each find work that allows us to use those gifts and passions that God has placed in our hearts.

Stations of the Cross March 13, 2015

We will have our second Lenten Fish Fry on March 13th, in the parish hall, after the 6:15PM Station of the Cross. The meal will consist of Beer Battered Cod, fries, coleslaw and bread. We hope everyone, who attends Stations of the Cross, will come downstairs and join us for a great meal.

Tickets will be available after Mass today. Adults - \$10.00, Children (age 5-11) - \$5.00 and children under age 5 - Free. The tickets will go fast so contact Mark Arcidiacono 541-403-2038

Knights of Columbus News

Join the Knights after Mass this morning for breakfast in the parish hall. The menu consists of a Bacon, Spinach and Feta Cheese Strata and fruit. Juice and coffee will be served.

Next Meeting

The next general meeting will be on Thursday, March 19th in the parish hall at 7:00PM. Join us for the meeting, a savory treat and a hand of Texas Holdem.

Bingo

Please join us for Bingo Sunday afternoon from 2:00PM to 4:00PM in the parish hall. You may be the next jackpot winner!