

Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church



SPIRIT-FILLED FAMILIES

“Be doers of the word and not hearers only...” August 2009

Welcome!

I am looking forward to a faith filled year. I feel truly blessed to have so many wonderful families in our parish. Our Saint Rose children and families are very important to me and I am happy to be a part of their faith journey.

Many Blessings,

Nikki DelaBruere, coordinator

Corporal Works of Mercy

Feed the hungry. Give drink to the thirsty.

Clothe the naked. Shelter the homeless.

Visit the sick and imprisoned.

Bury the dead.

Catechetical Sunday September 20

A day to celebrate the men and women who have responded to the call to be catechists.

Thank your catechists for serving the community of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church.



Family Talk: Jesus asks each of us to take up our cross in order to follow him. Do you know what your cross is?

This would be a great dinner time discussion!

The Year of the Priest

On June 19, 2009 the Church begins the jubilee Year of the Priest, as solemnly declared by Pope Benedict XVI. Envisioned as an opportunity to encourage spiritual perfection in priests, this jubilee year starts on the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and the day for the sanctification of all priests.

St. Peter Claver, c. 1581-1654

Peter spent his life as a Jesuit priest in Cartagena, Colombia, ministering to slaves brought from Africa. The conditions on the ships that brought hundreds of thousands of slaves to the Americas were so bad that many of them died before

they reached land. When the ships arrived, Peter was always there to meet them. He brought food, medicine, even scented water and other delicacies to try to make the captives feel welcomed. Even though there were many language barriers,

his love transcended all limitations of human speech. His message to the people was simple: God loves you and so do I.

Happenings:

August:

13 Faith on Fire I

22-30 Family Promise

22 Altar server renewal and training

27 Faith on Fire II

29 Altar server renewal and training

September

3 Faith on Fire III

6 No spirit class

13 Food drive for Family Resource Center

16 Spirit class open house for 4th and 5th grade

20 Catechetical Sunday

27 Spirit class open house K-3

Prayer for Priests

Lord our God, You guide Your people by the ministry of priests. Keep them faithful in obedient service to You that by their life and ministry they may bring You glory in Christ.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.