# Church of the Resurrection

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#### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday-Friday 9:00 am- 5:00pm

#### **Mass Schedule**

Saturday 8:00 pm Sunday 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 am Daily Mass 8:30 am; Monday-Friday

**Rosary**: 8:10 am Monday-Friday; Saturday 7:30 pm

## **Perpetual Adoration Chapel**

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 6:45-7:45 pm

## **Parish Registration**

You can register through our website or call the office to receive a form.

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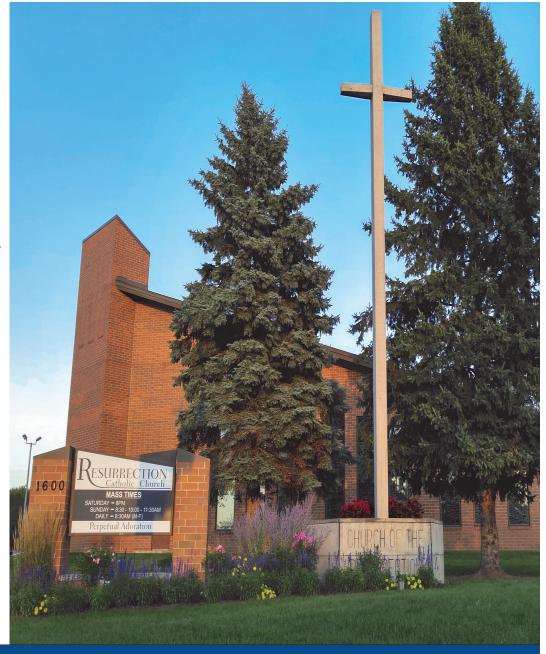
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October 8th, 2017, 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time



# Weekly Words from The Rock

## **Quiz Question**

Last week, I provided a question on the sacrament of Holy Orders.

Question: There are many symbols used to symbolize Holy Orders. Which of the following is not one of the symbols?

a. Keys

b. Chalice c. Host d. Closed Door

e. Stole

Answer: d. Closed Door. The closed door is a symbol used for the sacrament of Reconciliation relating to the seal of confession.

Let us try this again with a different sacrament.

Question: There are many symbols used to symbolize the sacrament of Confirmation. Which of the following is not one of the symbols?

a. Oil of the Saints

b. Sacred chrism

c. Bishop's staff/ mitre

d. Dove

e. Renewal of Baptismal Promises

Good luck. I'll provide the answer next week.

## **Biblical Terminology**

We continue our work of defining words and names from the pages of the Bible. My source for this is <u>Harper's Bible</u> Dictionary, Harper & Row Publishers, Copyright 1985.

**Bible Lands –** the territories that provided a geographic setting for the narratives of the Bible. They include the modern state of Israel (with the West Bank and Gaza), Jordan, Lebanon, Syria, Iraq, Turkey, Egypt, Ethiopia, Greece, Cyprus, and the Aegean Islands.

**Birthright** – the practice whereby the eldest son receives a larger (double) share of the inheritance than do his younger brothers. In the Old Testament, the law of Deuteronomy 21:15-17 protects the birthright of the eldest son although the sale of the birthright to a younger son is known (Genesis 25:27-34).

Bitter Herbs – vegetables with a characteristically bitter taste. Exodus 12:8 states, "They shall eat the flesh of the paschal lamb that night, roasted; with unleavened bread and bitter herbs they shall eat it." The herbs have been variously identified as certain types of lettuce, endive, and chervil. From the first century A.D., these herbs have been eaten at the Passover seder to represent the bitterness of the lives of the Israelites under Egyptian slavery.

Bitumen - a type of asphalt or mineral pitch, either occurring naturally or found as a by-product of burning coal or wood. The King James Version translates it as "slime." Throughout antiquity this black sticky substance was used as an adhesive or a caulk. Bitumen could also be used for waterproofing, as in the construction of Noah's ark (Genesis 6:14) and the bulrush basket of Moses (Exodus 2:3).

## **Holy Humor**

This one falls under the category of "what people will do to gain entrance into heaven."



God's blessings! Father Schuster



Save The Date! Resurrection's 45th Annual Holiday Bazaar Sunday, December 10th 9:30-2:00 pm.

Food, games, cash raffle, craft sale and children's gift shop, bake sale with specialty cookie boxes, cake walk, bingo, silent auction, rolls and coffee, luncheon, entertainment, and more!

Thank you to Beth Morris and Julie Hermes who will chair the Resurrection's 2017 Holiday Bazaar.

Watch for more information and how you can help!





**Erica Stiller**, our *Parish Administrator*, parish.administrator@rescathroch.org started here on Tuesday, September 12th. Erica is a graduate of Lourdes High School and Winona State University. She majored in Business Administration and Human Resource

Management. Erica describes herself as a cradle Catholic who had a profound experience of Christ while attending a Catholic conference during college. This has had an impact on her servant leadership style and her deep desire to serve the Church. Her office is Fr. Schuster's previous office. You are welcome to stop in and introduce yourself.

Respect Life 40 Days for Life Sept. 27—Nov. 5, our Catholic community will participate in 40 Days for Life – a community-based campaign that takes a determined, peaceful approach to showing local communities the consequences of abortion in their own neighborhoods, their own friends and families. You are invited to stand and peacefully pray during the 40-day vigil on the sidewalk in front of Planned Parenthood and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach taking place in all 50 states and around the world. If you'd like more information, or to volunteer to help, please visit the website at https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/rochester-2. See how God can use **you** to make a difference!

**Lighthouse Catholic Media** center is located by the Adoration Chapel which has CD's, books and booklets for sale. We have available for purchase a CD, titled "Jesus and the *Jewish Roots of the Eucharist"*. Dr. Brant Pitre uses Hebrew Scriptures and Jewish tradition to frame the actions of Jesus at the Last Supper and to provide a fresh look at the heart of Catholic practice-the Eucharist. By taking us back to the Jewish roots of our faith, Dr. Pitre gives us a powerful lens through which to see anew the bread of the presence, the manna, the Last Supper and ultimately the meaning of the Eucharist.

Each CD is \$4.00 and there is a place to deposit your payment on the stand. Any questions, call the office.

## Readings for the Week of October 8, 2017

Sunday: Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20/Phil 4:6-9/

Mt 21:33-43

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Monday: Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3-5, 8/Lk 10:25-37 Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8/Lk 10:38-42 Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-6, 9-10/Lk 11:1-4 Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 11:5-13 Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6, 8-9, 16/Lk 11:15-26 Saturday: Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Lk 11:27-28

**Parish News** 

Cookie Saturday/Donut Sunday, this weekend. Stop in the Zenk Hall for a treat and fellowship.

Baby Bottle Campaign The Baby Bottle Campaign is sponsored by the Diocese of Winona and Catholic Charities' Pregnancy, Parenting and Adoption Program. The purpose is two-fold; the money collected is used to assist women residing in the Diocese of Winona to choose parenting or adoption rather than abortion. The campaign also raises awareness in parishes and schools concerning the day-to-day efforts which Catholic Charities is engaged in on behalf of women and babies. The Baby Bottle Campaign proves to be a perfect project to offer a real response to women choosing life over abortion. Please return your bottle with a donation by November 15th.

**Well-Read Mom's Group** a way for women to reclaim time to read the best. The goal is to provide monthly structure for reading high quality literature and grow in friendship in the process. The year includes great books, spiritual classics, worthy reads, poetry and selected essays from the Catholic and Western tradition. Contact Mary Robak at mary.robak@gmail.com or call 507-358-5629 for more information or visit www.wellreadmom.com.

The Existence of Angels -A Truth of our Faith Tuesday, October 10th, 2:00-3:00 pm in the Zenk Hall, presented by Fr. Shawn, a Catholic enrichment opportunity. Fr. Haremza will discuss the Catholic truths of angels, Christ and his angels and angels in the life of the Church. There will be time for questions and answers. Plan to attend, bring a friend. Hot apple cider and cookies will be served. Free and all ages are welcome. Hosted by the Resurrection's Elder Care Ministry

Resurrection's Day to be present in front of Planned **Parenthood is Sunday, October 15th.** See the display in Gathering Space for more information. If you are not able to join us on the sidewalk, we invite you to still pray with us for an end to abortion.

Food for Friends School is underway and it is time to help fill the food shelf at Ben Franklin. Again this school year we will focus on a food item each month. For September and October, we will focus on **cereal** and **peanut butter** and jelly. We cannot accept glass, nor can we accept expired foods. If you have something to donate other than cereal, peanut butter, or jelly, feel free to drop it off at the church in the black tub near the office. Food is needed every day, so all donations are appreciated. Again, we are humbled by the generosity of our parish. Blessings to all!

Fusion, Friday, October 13th., Zenk Hall. Bringing together all families, including young couples. For more information, contact Georges at 507-288-5528, ext. 116.

**Lector Training,** Tuesday, 6:30 pm in the Zenk Hall. For more information, contact Joann at 507-288-5528, ext. 109.



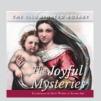
**Liturgy Notes from** Oann, Director of Liturgy & RCIA, dirlituravrcia@rescathroch.ora. Month of the Rosary

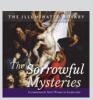
In Catholic tradition, the month of October is dedicated to the holy rosary and includes the *Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary* on October 7 (Saturday). The best way to celebrate the month is to pray the rosary.

The *rosary* is a prayer based on the repetition of the Lord's Prayer, the Hail Mary, and the Glory Be. During its recitation, the believer reflects on the birth (Joyful Mysteries), death (Sorrowful Mysteries), revelation (Luminous Mysteries) and glory (Glorious Mysteries) of Jesus Christ and the role of Mary. A chain of beads resembling a garland of roses is used to recite these prayers thus its name - the rosary. The beads are not essential to the prayer, but they do help keep count of the Hail Mary's.

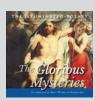
In addition to meditation, the rosary leads to petition - it implores Mary's intercession in bringing our prayers to GOD. The origins of the rosary are obscure, but according to Father Paul *Turner*, it probably formed in imitation of meditative practices of Islam and after the Christian desire for prayer in a language more easily understood than the Latin of the Mass. Its popularity increased after the 15th century due to the encouragement of the followers of St. Dominic, who believed Our Lady had miraculously given the rosary to him. Since the faithful who attended Mass at that time had less to say, do, or see compared with today, the recitation of the rosary during Mass became a popular Catholic devotion. Today we are encouraged to participate in the Mass and to pray the rosary apart from the

A few years ago, before I started working at Resurrection, I attended a Generations of Faith - Expanding Horizons event where I learned how to make knotted rosaries from a former parishioner, Paul Whidden. Since that time, every time I make a knotted rosary, I pray the prayers of the rosary as I am tying the knots. I like to use the *Mysteries CD* by Danielle Rose as a way to mediate on the mysteries. I have also found the books in *The* Illuminated Rosary series from Gracewatch Media to be a powerful visual meditation. For each of the mysteries (Joyful, Sorrowful, Luminous and Glorious) sixty works of sacred art are illustrated—one for each bead. It's a great way to slow down your rosary and imaginatively enter each mystery.









How and when do you pray the rosary?

Psalm Refrain for October 15 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Psalm 23:6)

I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life..

## **Liturgical Ministries**

**NOTE:** Please remember to find a substitute if you are unable to fulfill your ministry as scheduled. Thank you. Oct 14th/Oct 15th

#### **Altar Servers**

8:00 pm	Reilyn & Cassie Schoenfelder		
8:30 am	Joe Copeland, Hailey Talmo		
10:00 am	Gabriella Castro, Eva Robertson		
11:30 am	Eason Vue, Mina Vue		

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<b>Eucharistic</b>	Ministers
8:00 pm	Denise Koster, Walter & Patricia Max, Debbie Olson, Judith Pelowski, Theresa Root, Patricia Schoenfelder, Kim Shimak- Hansen
8:30 am	Carrie Carroll, Elaine Doherty, Diane Doty Christine Dvorak, Christiane Lund, Joan Miller, LeeAnn Mueller, Audrey Nervig, Eugene Nolan, Dianne Plager, Charlotte Robinet
10:00 am	Margaret Beiswanger, Diane Beiswanger, Robert Degnan, Charles DeVos, Gloria Flicek, Timothy Geisler, Melody & Dougla Hudson, Aida & Joseph Kostick, Andrew Kowal
11:30 am	Marianne Aksamit, Tim Fague, Janet Helgren, Patricia Hurley, Lynette Lenoch, Mary Meine, Catherine Tiegs, Rebecca Woodcock
Lectors	
8:00 pm	Therese Schoenfelder
8:30 am	Tom Brownlow, Ellen Harford
10:00 am	Jerome & Elaine Garry
11:30 am	Allen Aksamit
Greeters	
8:00 pm	Eileen King , <b>Not Filled</b>
8:30 am	Richard & Beverly Sanders, Lorraine Mitchell
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10:00 am

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Ushers	
8:00 pm	Greg Hansen, Braeden & John Schoenfelder
8:30 am	Tom Brown, Eric Ladin, Francis Mueller, Kenneth Mueller
10:00 am	Aaron Davis, Jacob Maronde, Bob Voss, Brandon Weick
11:30 am	Brett Parks, Karen Reopelle, <b>NOT FILLED</b>

Darci & Peter Kopischke, Sinn Family

Jennifer Gehling, Carrie Plumlee

## St. Francis School News

October 8-14 is Fire Prevention Week. Take some time to visit your local Fire Department and tell all the Fire Fighters 'thank you' for all they do to keep us safe!

The weekly all-school Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, October 10th at 9:15 am followed by Exposition. Adoration opportunities are available throughout the day with Benediction at 2:30 pm. Please join the school children if you are able.

Our fifth graders will participate in a Youth Frontiers Kindness Retreat on Thursday, October 12th. Please keep them in your prayers.

## **Community News**



The Rochester area youth ministers are planning a series of **Unite** events for high school students. It will be offered on the second Saturday night of the month from 4:30-8:00 pm at Rochester parishes on a rotating basis. Experience Mass in a new way, Mass, Music, Witness, Worship! Holy Spirit Catholic Church, located at 5455 NW 50th Ave., will host the first *Unite Mass* as part of the regular Saturday night Mass at 4:30 pm on **October 14**th. Following Mass will be a meal, some games, praise and worship music and speaker, Fr. Bryan Kujaw. He will speak about becoming a disciple of

Jesus Christ. The evening will end with Adoration.

Public Square Rosary Rally for America Needs Fatima Saturday, October 14, Noon, front grounds of Pax Christi. We invite you to join in a Public Square Rosary Rally sponsored by America Needs Fatima, one of over 20,000 rallies that will take place across the United States on that day. Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of the United States. Will you be able to join us and other Catholics on this very important day?

Mass of Anointing for the Elderly and Sick, Friday, October 20th 10:00 am at St. John's the Evangelist, Rochester, followed by fellowship and treats. Handicapped parking available in the north parking lot. Parking available on 4th Ave., and south of the church on 1st St SW (school parking lot).

## About the Parish

## **Parish Trustees**

Scott Schwalbe, sschwalbe@charter.net Cathy Tiegs, cathytiegs@yahoo.com.

**Communion for Shut-ins** Each First Friday and upon request. Call the office for assistance.

**Hospital Visitation** Please notify the parish office if you would like a visit from a priest.

Calvary Cemetery Steve Flynn, 507-273-0140, Website: www. calvarycemeteryrochester.org.

Rochester Catholic Schools RCS office 507-424-1817.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) For those considering becoming Catholic, contact Joann Reier, 288-5528.

Weekly Bulletin deadline is Monday before noon. General Email: communications@rescathroch.org General Office Email: officemgr@rescathroch.org

Marriage Please make arrangements with the parish at least six months prior.

Baptism Pre-Jordan class is held the second Tuesday of the month. Contact the Parish Office to register for the class or schedule a baptism.

**First Communion/Reconciliation** is usually in second grade.

**Confirmation** is a two-year program starting in ninth grade with Confirmation being at the end of the tenth grade.

**SPRED (Special Religious Education for adults with** development disabilities)

Shirley Russo: 507-289-2607; rochestersmr1@gmail.com; Cheri Jensen: jensentccl@aol.com.

## **Weekly Calendar**

## Monday, Oct 9th

Prayer Shawl 2:00 pm Faith Formation Classes Gr. 1-5 4:30/6:00 pm Heart of Trinity Prayer Group 7:00 pm Tuesday, Oct 10th

Elder Care Angel Presentation 2:00 pm Lector Training 6:30 pm Lumen Christi 6:30 pm

St. Vincent de Paul Society 7:00 pm Holy Hour 7:00 pm/Social 8:00 pm

## Wednesday, Oct 11th

Food for Friends 4:30 pm Faith Formation Classes Gr 6-8, 6:00 pm, Gr 9-10, 6:00/7:30 pm

## Thursday, Oct 12th

Scripture Study 9:15 am & 7:00 pm Marketing & Communications 5:30 pm Holiday Bazaar Crafts 6:00 pm

Children Choir Rehearsal 6:00 pm Adult Choir 7:00 pm

## Friday, Oct 13th

Widows Group 9:15 am Fusion 6:00 pm

Wedding Rehearsal 5:00 pm

## Saturday, Oct 14th

Society of Divine Mercy Monastery Prayer Group 6:30 am Wedding 3:00 pm



# **Musical Musings** from Joy

Music and Choral Director. choirdirector@rescathroch.org

Any interesting conversations this past week about actively participating in the music?

What self-revelations did you make about your own musical participation in the Mass? Do you know what you're singing about? If you don't sing in church, were you able to give reasons as to why not? As always, no right or wrong answers here! A great read on this subject comes from the USCCB -Sing to the Lord: Music in Divine Worship. You can find eBook versions online. If you're curious about the role of music in the Mass, this is the book to tell you all about that!

Here's this week's thought: *After the reforms of the Council of* Trent (1545-1563), congregational participation lessened even further. This is owing to several reasons, but most especially because the prayers for this Mass are only spoken by the priest or the priest and the altar servers together. As said by Pope Pius X: "If you wish to hear Mass as it should be heard, you must follow with eye, heart, and mouth all that happens at the altar. Further, you must pray with the Priest the holy words said by him in the Name of Christ and which Christ says by him."1 Therefore, the people's participation was considered interior. Yet, it is probably safe to assume that many people could not follow the words of the Mass because of the singular use of the Latin language as the language of the liturgy.

This should especially jog the memories of those who remember the Mass as it was before the reforms of Vatican II. (Perhaps some of you gentlemen were even the altar servers that had to learn the Latin prayers!) For those of you who have memories of this time, did you know your Latin prayers? Did you ever recite anything along aloud? What was the music like? Was there any music?

For those of us that have not experienced pre-conciliar (pre-Vatican II) liturgy, what are your thoughts about a Mass where you couldn't readily understand the language? Would you be motivated to learn your prayers in this unfamiliar tongue? Would you be satisfied merely listening to the music and probably not being able to sing along?

1. The Daily Missal and Liturgical Manual, in *Editio Typica of* the Roman Missal and Breviary, 1962 (London: Baronius Press, 2004), 897.

Hymnal Scavenger Hunt: How'd you do with last week's Hymnal Scavenger Hunt? It was Prayer of St. Francis, which can be found in your green hymnal at #702. Here's this week's clue:

This song is a setting of the Magnificat. The refrain proclaims the **holiness** of God.

Hint: The composer of this song founded the monastic community known as the Brothers and Sisters of Charity. Come to me during the week if you think you have it figured

The answer will appear in next week's bulletin!

## **Mass Intentions**

Mon.,	Oct.,	9th	8:30 am	Toan Nguyen (doctor)
Tues.,	Oct.,	10th	8:30 am	Rob Frisby healing
Wed.,	Oct.,	11th	8:30 am	Reparation of Sins
Thurs.,	Oct.,	12th	8:30 am	Souls in Purgatory
Fri.,	Oct.,	13th	8:30 am	†Joseph Reier
Sat.,	Oct.,	14th	8:00 pm	†Einer Hanson
Sun.,	Oct.,	15th	8:30 am 10:00 am 11:30 am	†Phyllis Langer For the Parish †Sonia Nassaralla

## Financial Blessings Sunday, October 1st, 2017

Church Support	\$12,562
Capital Projects	.\$987
Children's Collection	.\$45
EFT Church Support	.\$7,093
EFT Capital Projects	.\$1,057

The Annual White Mass for physicians, nurses, healthcare professionals and support staff will be offered by Bishop John Quinn at 5:30 P.M. Tuesday, October 10, on the Feast of St. Luke, in Saint Mary's Chapel at the Saint Mary's Campus, Mayo Clinic Hospital, Rochester. Everyone is invited.

## **Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel**

Our chapel is available 24 hours/7 days a week



Prayerfully consider committing to one hour a week before Him in Eucharistic Adoration.

Could you not spend one hour with Me?" Matthew 26:40 Life changes when we spend time with Jesus face to face.

## **Hours of Need**

Call Tim Fague at 507-288-6578 to sign up.

#### \* We are looking for a second adorer in these hours.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1 am	3 am	1 am	12 am*	12 pm	3 am*	12 am
3 pm	11 am*	3 am*	11 am*	1 pm	10 am	5 am*
		4 am*			1 pm*	8 am*
		9 am*			2 pm	1 pm
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## **Faith Formation**

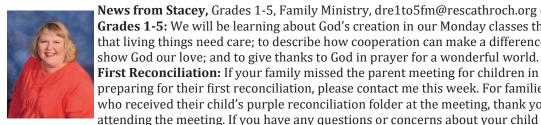


News from Sheila, Birth to Kindergarten, Children's Ministry, dresscm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x 101 No Sunday School today.

As a Director of Faith Formation. I am always seeking out new resources to help families and myself grow in faith. One such resource is from *Growing Up Catholic* found at *growingupcatholic.com*. Here you will find resources for parish families "that coaches and empowers parents to form their own children in faith." Recall that as parents, you took a vow to "raise your children in the Catholic Faith." There are many tools of the faith to guide you on this journey. Here is one such tool: A pamphlet titled "Tips for Bringing Your Little One to Church." The following excerpt can help settle your mind and navigate this challenging stage of childhood.

It might make us self-conscious when our kids do things, but God doesn't mind any of that. After all, Jesus did say, "Let the little children come to me and do not stop them" (Matthew 19:14). If others are giving you dirty looks, they probably have forgotten Jesus' words. Pope Francis doesn't mind either. He called the sound of children "the most beautiful choir of all," even when they are crying! (2015© The Pastoral Center).

We are on this journey together! If you would like a copy of this pamphlet, please send me an email and I can send an electronic copy. St. Hyacinth, help us grow in reverence by lifting up our young families in prayer. Pray for us! Amen.



News from Stacey, Grades 1-5, Family Ministry, dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x 108 **Grades 1-5:** We will be learning about God's creation in our Monday classes this week. Our goals are: to recognize that living things need care; to describe how cooperation can make a difference in the world; to identify ways to show God our love; and to give thanks to God in prayer for a wonderful world.

First Reconciliation: If your family missed the parent meeting for children in grades 2 and older who are preparing for their first reconciliation, please contact me this week. For families who received their child's purple reconciliation folder at the meeting, thank you for

receiving the sacrament. I would be happy to help you.

Virtues in Practice: October's virtue is reverence, which means showing deep respect for God. Children in first and second grade will learn about St. Hyacinth. He was a Polish priest who became a Dominican. When robbers were coming to attack the church where he lived, St. Hyacinth took Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament and a statue of Mary to place that was safe, even though the statue weighed more than he did! He did this to show his love and reverence for Jesus and Mary. This month is a reminder for us to practice showing reverence as we enter God's house by slowing making the Sign of the Cross with holy water, genuflecting toward the tabernacle and participating in the Eucharist by kneeling, standing, singing and praying together. St. Hyacinth, thank you for teaching us about reverence. Pray for us! Amen.





News from Rosemary, Grades 6-12, Youth Ministry, dre6to10ym@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x 104 Wednesday classes resume on Oct. 11th.

Second Year Confirmation: (Grade 10): This month's faith sharing groups are Oct. 8 (6:30pm) and Oct. 29 (11:00). Make sure you attend one of the sessions

**Unite in Rochester:** New this year! The Greater Rochester Area Catholic Youth Ministers (GRACYM) present an evening for youth with Mass, music, witness, a dynamic speaker, and prayer. They will be on the second Saturday of the month (excluding Jan.) and cycle through the Rochester parishes. The first evening is Oct. 14th at 4:30pm at Holy Spirit. It's a great opportunity for the youth of Rochester to join together in worship!

FYRE Youth group meets Sunday at 4:30pm. All middle and high school aged parishioners are welcome to join us for food, fun, and prayer. Contact me if you'd like to know more about it! We will continue our look at the Blessed Virgin Mary through the Bible.



News from Georges, Young Adult Ministry, Adult Formation, dre11to12yam@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x 116 RCTC students: Please contact Georges if you are interested in a leadership role in the Trailblazers Catholic Student Association.

**Do you love babies?** Fusion Babysitters needed!!! Please contact Georges to sign up. 2017 Fusion events will take place every Friday evening starting October 6th. We are inviting couples to lead Fusion events. The couple leading will pick the topic and location of the event. Contact Georges if you are interested in leading.

**Do you know any homebound Resurrection parishioners?** Please let us know so that we can arrange weekly Communion visits.