**MASS INTENTIONS****Sun., October 25—30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. - Thomas Coffman
 10:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family
 12:00 p.m. - Mina Suszek
 5:00 p.m. - James McCue, Jr.

Mon., October 26—Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Andy Babyak Jr.
 8:00 a.m. - John Baier
 12:05 p.m. - Gibney Moore

Tues., October 27—Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Jeff Clinton
 8:00 a.m. - Michael Newell
 12:05 p.m. - Frank Pichler Sr.

Wed., October 28—Sts. Simon and Jude

7:00 a.m. - Doug Schroeder
 8:00 a.m. - Lloyd Taaffe III
 12:05 p.m. - Pete Carton

Thurs., October 29—Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Eleen Nolan
 8:00 a.m. - Justine J. Hodgess
 12:05 p.m. - Bill Harrison

Fri., October 30—Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Rosalie Fusz
 8:00 a.m. - John Tramelli
 12:05 p.m. - Gibney Moore

Sat., October 31—Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - Our Veterans
 5:00 p.m. - Ah Mao Wong

Sun., November 1—All Saints

8:00 a.m. - The Davis Family
 10:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family
 12:00 p.m. - Paul Mineo
 5:00 p.m. - James McCue, Jr.

MASS INTENTIONS...

The specific Mass intentions for each scheduled Mass are listed regularly in this bulletin. Those intentions are specifically requested by individual request. Every effort is made to accommodate a particular time or date when necessary, but occasionally the date or time request cannot be made, so the request will be kept as soon as there is an available opportunity. Intention requests should be directed to the rectory.

**SCHEDULE FOR
 OCTOBER 31-NOVEMBER 1, 2009
 ALL SAINTS**

Saturday, October 31, 2009**5:00 p.m.**

Readers: Marybeth Strauss, Katya Fernandez
 Extraordinary
 Ministers: Marybeth Strauss, Rosemary Cash,
 Abby Lambert, Katya Fernandez

Sunday, November 1, 2009**8:00 a.m.**

Readers: Dickson Beall, Joan Falk
 Extraordinary
 Ministers: Jack Davey, Monica Vogel,
 Rosemary Merriman, Joan Falk
 Ministers
 of Care: Rosemary Merriman

10:00 a.m.

Readers: Mary Elizabeth Grimes, Bryan Cross
 Extraordinary
 Ministers: Ben Janson, Eleanor Janson,
 Mary Elizabeth Grimes, Donna Roth

Ministers
 of Care: Lenore Molloy, Paul Raidt

12:00 Noon

Readers: Janice Noack, Myra Ball
 Extraordinary
 Ministers: Vito Alu, Pat Harper,
 Myra Ball, Janice Noack

5:00 p.m.

Readers: Conrad Franey
 Extraordinary
 Ministers: Conrad Franey

FOR THE POOR . . .

On the first Sunday of every month, the Cathedral Parish collects foodstuffs and canned goods (any items **not** requiring refrigeration) for delivery to some of the food pantries here in the city. Donations should be placed in the baskets near the sanctuary at the side aisles. **Our next parish food drive will be held Sunday, November 1, 2009.**



DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK . . .

The readings are included each week so that the parishioners who are unable to join us for daily Mass will be able to consider and pray them in union with the whole Church.

**Readings for the Week
October 25 through November 1, 2009**

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9 Ps 126:1-6 Heb 5:1-6
Mk 10:46-52
Monday: Rom 8:12-17 Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7, 20-21
Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25 Ps 126:1-6 Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16
Thursday: Rom 8:31-39
Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31 Lk 13:31-35
Friday: Rom 9:1-5 Ps 147:12-15, 19-20
Lk 14:1-6
Saturday: Rom 11:1-2, 11-12, 25-29
Ps 94:12-15, 17-18 Lk 14:1, 7-11
Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14 Ps 24:1-6 1 Jn 3:1-3
Mt 5:1-12

ATTENTION ALL LECTORS...

The 2010 Handbook for Proclaimers of the Word are available for all of our regularly scheduled Sunday Lectors. Workbooks are labeled by name and are located in the sacristy. Please pick up at your earliest convenience. If you cannot find a copy bearing your name, please contact Laura Voegelie at 314-373-8208.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE...

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Evelyn Winn**, mother of parishioner Cherie Eckelkamp.

“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.”

ST. PATRICK’S CASSEROLE PROGRAM...

Casseroles and other offerings collected by the St. Patrick’s Casserole Program provides one week of dinners for the Women’s Shelter, and one night of dinners for the Men’s Alumni Club. The next collection will be held **this Thursday, November 12, 2009, at Boland Hall, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

PRAYING FOR THE SICK . . .

It is our responsibility in the Lord to remember the sick, who are especially close to the Redeemer in their suffering. In the columns below you will find the names of people who have requested our prayerful intercession.

Chris Arger	Kristen Middendorf
Barbara Beckemeyer	Maggie Corkery Miller
Barbara Bradbury	Diane Montileone
Bryan Buffa	John Mosher
Ronald Colbert	Rachel Ostertag
Shellye von Dahlern	Dorothy Owens
Jeanette Dawid	Catherine Parent
Edward Dillard	Gretchen Piccozzi
Justin Donovan	Wayne Ragan
Andrew Dorsey	Eileen Riewer
Dorothy Edwards	Peter Roth
Rita Eshom	Nina Russo
Chelsea Gavin	Ann Sheehan
Carol Grady	Pam Stanton
Rosemary Griffard	Barbara Stojeba
Bennett Gerhart	Fran Thetford
Jerome Kelly	Carl Thompson
Deacon M. Kenney	Elba Turbat
Sheila Kenny	Helen Vineyard
Bud Keyes	Dolores Weathers
Linda LaBarde	Jennie White
Chloe Lancaster	James Wilkes
Mervin Lewis	R. Wilkes
Pete Littlefield	Marge Williams
Reverend Earl Loeffler	Ramont Williams
Robert ‘Bob’ McCoy	Harlie Wilson

COFFEE AND DONUTS...

The Cathedral Parish Coffee and Donuts is held in Boland Hall following the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship!

A GREAT GIFT IDEA...

Consider an engraved commemorative brick in the Jubilee Prayer Garden! The Garden makes a perfect spot for a memorial of a loved one, or a remembrance of a wedding, anniversary, or birthday. For more information, please call Anne at 314-533-2597.



PRAYER FOR THE LIVING AND THE DEAD...

November offers the Church the opportunity to mark all the dimensions of ecclesial life in this world and beyond. **Next Sunday, November 1, we celebrate All Saints Day**, a day when the Church acknowledges the whole company of heaven, our brothers and sisters of every age, who have negotiated life in this world and successfully embraced the life of heaven with God. Because the holy day falls on Sunday, our normal Sunday Mass schedule will be observed. We also invite you to join us for the Litany of Saints and a procession to the All Saints Chapel, which will immediately follow each Mass.

Then, on **Monday, November 2**, the Church observes **All Souls Day** by praying for all our brothers and sisters who have died. They are on the way to heaven but first pass through the purgative and purifying demand of absolute love. Accordingly, all are encouraged to attend daily Mass on All Souls Day. Our regular daily Mass schedule will be followed, with Masses offered at 7:00 a.m., 8:00 a.m., and 12:05 p.m.

The Church honors the saints, prays for the deceased and in all of this recognizes that physical death does not end life, nor does it sever the communion that has bound the Church together. Rather our connection to those who have gone before us is intensified by the ever more complete bond to the Lord that they share. Every faithful Catholic needs to understand that the Church is more vast than the visible community and is alive in the love of the Lord.

A THOUGHT ON THE SANCTITY OF LIFE...

“The bishops’ conference views health care as a basic right belong to all human beings, from conception to natural death...Much-needed reform must not become a vehicle for promoting an ‘abortion rights’ agenda or reversing longstanding current policies against federal abortion mandates and funding. In this sense, we urge you to make this legislation ‘abortion neutral’ by preserving longstanding federal policies that prevent government promotion of abortion and respect conscience rights.”

Justin Cardinal Rigali, Letter to members of House Energy and Commerce Committee, July 29, 2009

FREE FLU SHOTS FOR EMPLOYEES...

The Archdiocese of St. Louis is providing free seasonal flu shots to all Archdiocesan employees at 37 locations throughout the Archdiocese this fall. On **Monday, November 1**, flu shots will be offered at the Cathedral Basilica from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. in Boland Hall gymnasium. Vaccines will be administered by MediNurse to any Archdiocesan employee. Please note the following points:

- All Archdiocesan employees, spouses, and their eligible dependent children may receive a free flu shot. An employee’s proof of employment (ex: copy of current paycheck or health insurance ID card) may be required in order to receive the vaccine.
- Dependent children must be between the ages of 9 to 25 years old. Children ages 9 through 17 need to be accompanied by a parent/guardian. MediNurse is unable to provide immunizations to children under the age of 9, therefore, please consult your child’s pediatrician regarding their flu shots.
- Pregnant women must have a doctor’s order to receive this vaccine.
- No appointments will be accepted by MediNurse, the Archdiocese, or the Cathedral Basilica.
- The aforementioned vaccine is for the regular seasonal flu. Seasonal flu vaccines will not protect you against the H1N1 (swine flu) virus. Please consult your personal physician regarding the H1N1 vaccine.

For additional information, please contact Jean Dantzler of the Office of Human Resources at 314-792-7547 or jeandantzler@archstl.org.

INFANT BAPTISM...

According to the mind of the Church, parents are obliged to see that infants are baptized within the first weeks after birth. As soon as possible after the birth, or even before it, parents should request the sacrament for their child and are to be properly instructed in preparation for it. And in order for the baptism to be scheduled, there must be a well-founded hope that the infant will be raised in the practice of the Catholic faith. Parents are encouraged to attend baptismal preparation before their child is born; then, immediately after the child is born, the date of baptism can be scheduled by calling the rectory at 314-373-8200.



October 18, 2009

HEALTH MINISTRY NEWS...

Free Exercise Sessions are offered on **Monday & Wednesday from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** in Boland Hall. Contact Mary at 314-373-8204 for more info. Also, on the third Sunday of every month, blood pressure screening is provided free of charge following the 10:00 a.m. Mass in Boland Hall adjacent to Coffee and Donuts. **Our next screening is scheduled for Sunday, November 15.**

AHC SEMINAR...

The Association of Hebrew Catholics continues their free lecture series **Wednesday, October 28, 2009, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in Boland Hall.** Dr. Lawrence Feingold will continue teaching on "The Mystery of Israel and the Church". This week's topic is "The Early Church Fathers and Greek Philosophy (St. Justin, Clement of Alexandria, and Origen)". Please call the AHC at 314-535-4242 for additional information.

ASSISTANCE FOR PARISHIONERS...

The St. Vincent de Paul Society wishes to remind parishioners that emergency assistance is available by calling the rectory at 373-8200. Vouchers for food, clothing, and medicine, as well as assistance with utilities and rent are provided by Vincentians. If circumstances warrant it, the Vincentians may be able to assist with home repairs or funeral arrangements, provided they are contacted **before** any arrangements are made. A private meeting will be arranged to discuss needs and available resources, and the Society is very careful to preserve the privacy of those they help.

AN INVITATION FROM RCIA...

An invitation is extended to any adult who would like to become a member of the Catholic Church to consider the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. RCIA is the process in which adults enter the Catholic Church, or possibly re-enter it if they've been away a long time and may not have received their First Communion and/or been confirmed. Because of our dedicated catechists, we are able to offer RCIA year round. If you are interested in becoming Catholic or returning to the practice of your Catholic faith, contact the rectory at 314-373-8200 for more information.

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS...

Bring the kids and join us on **Friday, October 30,** from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. for "TRUNK or TREAT" on the Cathedral Basilica parking lot. This is a great way for kids to enjoy Halloween festivities in a safe and secure environment. Costumes are necessary. In addition to tricks & treats, hot dogs, chips, and juice will be served as well. Also, the Cathedral School 8th-graders will be selling candy apples that evening to raise money for their class project – the Heifer Project. Please call the school at 314-373-8250 for more information. It'll be "spook-tacular"!

PARISH DIRECTORY...

The 2010 Cathedral Basilica Parish Directory will be coming out early next spring. If you are a parishioner, please provide the rectory staff with any changes or edits needed from last year's directory. If you are a new parishioner, but have not yet returned your family information form, please do so at your earliest convenience. Questions or need to register as a parishioner? Please contact the rectory at 314-373-8200.

CATHEDRAL GIFT SHOP AND TOURS...

We have heard you, and the Cathedral gift shop has extended their hours! **We now open the gift shop each Sunday at 10:00 a.m.** Also, don't forget that each Sunday, tours of our beautiful church are offered following the noon Mass. Tours are also available during the week from 10:00 a.m. until 11:45 a.m. and again from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. Please call 314-373-8242 to set up your group tours.

EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION...

The Blessed Sacrament, the very presence of Christ's body and blood in the Eucharist, is reserved in the tabernacle of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel to the east of the main sanctuary. At all hours the Cathedral is open, people may be found praying there before the Lord "face to face." Each Saturday afternoon, beginning at 3:30 p.m., the Eucharist is displayed for prayer and adoration in public exposition in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel for a holy hour. Following this holy hour, the Evening Prayer of the Church with Benediction is celebrated. Please join in this Eucharistic Prayer before or after Confession.



Q. NAME A GREAT WAY TO SPEND A SATURDAY EVENING...

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2009
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CATHEDRAL SCHOOL - 4430 MARYLAND AVE.

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\$240 Per Table Or \$30.00 Per Person
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Price Includes Dinner, Beer, Soda and Snacks
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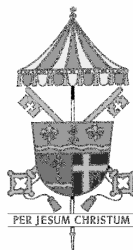
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WHY A REGISTERED PARISHIONER...

Due to the number of requests for baptisms, the Cathedral Parish adopted a policy some years ago that generally requires the parents to be registered parishioners in the Cathedral parish before their infant may be baptized here. For the same reason, normal policy practice requires the bride or groom in an impending wedding to be a registered parishioner and practicing Catholic for a minimum of one year for preferred dates and for a more modest stipend. Non-parishioners must be registered in a Catholic parish somewhere and will need to secure their pastor's permission to be baptized or married outside of their proper parish before we can schedule any ceremony for them. If you attend Mass at the Cathedral Basilica regularly, please consider becoming a registered parishioner. Forms may be obtained by calling the rectory office at 314-373-8200.

WEEKLY THOUGHTS ON GIVING...

“Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way.” - Mark 10:52

Sight is just one of the many gifts that God has given to us. Like all of our basic senses and talents, sight is a gift we often take for granted. We pat ourselves on the back for our accomplishments, forgetting that whatever we do, we do with the gifts that God has given to us.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP REMINDER ...

Please remember to return the stewardship intention cards sent out to all registered parishioners the last month. Thank you to the many responses we have already received! The cards may be returned in the Offertory collection baskets, or may be dropped off at the parish rectory during normal business hours.

REMEMBER THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA...

Over the years, it has been gifts left to the Cathedral Basilica in wills, bequests, and memorials that have largely enabled us to continue to operate: as a place of worship, as a place to protect and teach our children, and as a caring and generous parish where area residents in need may come for material assistance and spiritual guidance. If you would like information about planned giving, please contact Grace Dorchester at 314-373-8231.

FAITH FOR THE FUTURE...

The Archdiocese has embarked on a campaign to address the most urgent physical and financial needs of Kenrick-Glennon Seminary. This is where our Archdiocesan priests receive their education before being assigned to a parish. One of the needs already addressed, but not funded, was the need for additional seminarian rooms. The 2008-2009 academic year at Kenrick-Glennon began with 117 seminarians, the most enrolled in the Seminary in the past twenty years. Of those seminarians, 53 men were preparing to serve as priests for the Archdiocese of St. Louis. This is an increase of 17 seminarians for our Archdiocese in just four years. While a tremendous blessing, the facility could not fully accommodate their housing needs and existing space was converted into individual living quarters. In addition to this renovation, a number of infrastructure improvements have been deferred. The building was completed in 1931 during the Great Depression and is in excellent structural condition. However, like anything nearly 80 years old, some updates and maintenance are necessary. The campaign will address the following urgent needs:

Infrastructure (Critical Needs & Repairs) (Electric, Heating, Plumbing, etc.)	\$7,000,000
Faculty Offices	\$7,000,000
Additional Student Rooms	\$3,000,000
Learning Resource Center & Library	\$9,000,000
Endowment	\$20,000,000
Campaign Expenses – Admin	\$2,400,000
Campaign Expenses – Op	\$1,100,000
Administrative Fee	\$500,000
Total	\$50,000,000

Every parish in the Archdiocese is participating in the Faith for the Future Campaign and every household will be asked to consider a sacrificial gift to Faith for the Future. Our parishioners will be hearing more about this important campaign in the coming days and weeks, but for now, you are asked to do three things:

1. Pray for success of the campaign and for our seminarians;
2. Keep your ears and hearts open to the campaign;
3. And, when you are asked, please consider making a gift to the campaign as you are able.

**REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS...****From outside the Cathedral Parish...****POKER TOURNAMENT...**

Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament, **November 7**, at De Smet Jesuit High School. Proceeds benefitting De La Salle Middle School in North St. Louis. Contact Ed Rataj at ratajfam@charter.net or 314-727-4827 for further information.

SINGLES BIBLE STUDY...

Bible Study for all single Catholics, every other Wednesday evening, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m., at Pauline Media & Books, 9804 Watson Rd., with facilitator Deacon Ken Clemens. To sign up and get info about the next scheduled meeting, visit www.meetup.com/Single-Catholics-Bible-Study.

ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE...

The Catholic Singles Alumni Club is looking for single or married players 18-45 to join their volleyball league. All skill levels are welcome. Play near Maryland Heights on Sunday evenings starting in January. Interested? Contact Don at 314-729-1235 or go to <http://csacstlouis.org/activities.html>.

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS...

Monsignor Edward Rice, director of vocations for the Archdiocese of St. Louis, will host a Holy Hour for Vocations on the **first Friday of each month at 7:30 p.m.**, at Holy Redeemer Parish, 17 Joy Avenue, in Webster Groves. All those interested in promoting vocations to the priesthood and religious life, as well as those who are discerning a vocation, are welcome and encouraged to attend. The Holy Hour will include exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, a Gospel reading with reflection and quiet time for prayer, and will conclude with Night Prayer and Benediction.

CATHOLIC RADIO...

Are you interested in learning more about your faith? Would you like to strengthen your relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church? Tune in to Catholic Radio on AM 1080 WRYT. Programming includes daily Holy Mass, devotions, Catechetics, live call-in shows, and much more. For a program schedule and a free CD, please call 314-752-7000 or 877-305-1234.

54th ANNUAL CYC AWARDS DINNER...

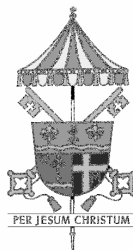
Make your reservations now for the 2009 CYC Sports Awards Dinner. This year's event will take place at the Crowne Plaza St. Louis-Clayton hotel on **Wednesday, November 11, 2009**. Please help us honor some of the great volunteers who, year after year, have given so much time and effort to serving the youth of the Archdiocese. Tickets are \$35.00 each (tables of 10 are available). Open cash bar begins at 6:15 p.m., with dinner at 7:30 p.m. The presentation of awards will follow dinner service. Also, program ads may be purchased to honor the awardees and help support the CYC program. For more information about ads or to make reservations for the awards dinner, please contact Amy at the CYC office 314-792-7605 or amyceriotti@archstl.org. Additional information is also posted on our website at www.cycstl.net.

AN EVENING WITH FR. GROESCHEL...

On **Friday, November 13, 2009**, at 7:00 p.m., Gateway Academy, located at 17815 Wild Horse Creek Road in Chesterfield, presents an evening with Fr. Benedict Groeschel, CFR. Fr. Groeschel is the Director of Spiritual Development for the Archdiocese of New York, host of the television talk program "Sunday Night Live" broadcast on EWTN, Professor of theology at St. Joseph's Seminary in New York, and has authored over 30 books, including "The Tears of God". General Admission: \$10 per ticket in advance, \$12 at the door. For \$25 per person, you may also purchase a general admission ticket that includes a private dessert reception with Fr. Groeschel following the seminar. For tickets or more info, call 636-519-9099 x101 or visit www.gatewayacademy.org.

SKILLED NURSING CARE...

Are you searching for the right place for your loved one who is in need of skilled nursing care? The Mother of Good Counsel Home is a Skilled Nursing Facility run by the Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George. We provide for all of the daily needs for our residents along with spiritual opportunities, daily Mass, Rosary, and other devotions to feed their spirits. To learn more, contact us at 314-383-4765 or visit our website at www.mogch.org.



MORE REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS...

From outside the Cathedral Parish...

ATTENTION CATHOLIC SINGLES 21-45...

The Catholic Singles Alumni Club invites you to our next Eat and Greet at Highway 61 Roadhouse in Webster Groves **Friday, November 13**, starting at 6:00 p.m. We will have food available as well. For more information, contact Steve at 314-680-3392 or visit their website at www.csacstlouis.org.

ST. PIUS V "CHILICIOUS" CHILI SUPPER...

St. Pius V invites you to a Chili Supper on **Saturday, November 7, 2009**, from 5:30 p.m.-7:30pm. The supper will be held in Singler Hall, 3540 Utah. Purchase a bowl of Chilicious Church Chili or purchase a sampler of Chili Cook-off entries for voting. Both suppers include tossed salad (applesauce for kids), cornbread, homemade dessert, tea, coffee. Beer and soda will be available for purchase. Cost is \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for Children under 12.

GIVE THANKS AT ST. PATRICK CENTER...

This Thanksgiving, help a family in need. St. Patrick Center's Give Thanks Thanksgiving distribution program will assist more than 400 clients and their families. We need donations of non-perishable food items, shopping bags, turkey pans and gently used winter coats. We also need volunteers for the Give Thanks giveaway at St. Patrick Center on November 23 & 24, 2009. If your organization would like to donate Thanksgiving items, please contact Katie Holcomb at 314-802-1976 or kholcomb@stpatrickcenter.org. If you or your organization would like to volunteer, please contact Kim Zamastil at 314-802-0681 or kzamastil@stpatrickcenter.org. Thank you for helping our homeless and poor neighbors build permanent, positive change!

NFP SESSIONS FOR THE ENGAGED...

Introductory sessions for Natural Family Planning (NFP) are offered at 15 different locations throughout the archdiocese each month. For a complete listing, contact the Archdiocesan Office of Natural Family Planning at 314-997-7576.

ARCHBISHOP CARLSON'S COLUMN IN THE ST. LOUIS REVIEW...

Have you ever felt that you had lost your way in life—that you were all alone in your disappointments or frustrations? Archbishop Carlson will begin a series of short, easy to read columns on prayer in the St. Louis Review beginning Friday, October 30. These columns are written to help you if you are struggling with prayer or if you are hoping to deepen your prayer life. To subscribe to the St. Louis Review, call 314-792-7500 or go to www.stlouisreview.com.

TIME FOR REFRESHMENT...

Woman's Place in Maplewood offers an opportunity for women to come together for Spiritual Reflection the **second and fourth Fridays at 10:30 a.m.** Slow down, pause, and share in a reflective, reverent way and become refreshed at this event designed for women. For more info, call Sr. Irma at 314-645-4848, or visit www.womansplacestl.org. Woman's Place is a ministry of the Franciscan Sisters of Mary.

CELEBRATE BLACK CATHOLIC HISTORY MONTH...

The St. Charles Lwanga Center invites you to celebrate Black Catholic History Month with them on **Sunday, November 15**. Beginning at 2:00 p.m., Fr. Art Cavitt and music ministers will present a demonstration of the gift of African American music styles as a part of traditional Catholic worship. This IS NOT a Mass, but rather an enjoyable and celebratory educational opportunity followed by light refreshments. Please contact the Lwanga Center at 314-367-7929 for additional information or to RSVP.

COME AND SEE WEEKENDS...

Come and See Weekends are opportunities for high school-age men to experience daily life in the Cardinal Glennon College program. For more info, call Zach Pavis at 314-792-6286, or visit www.stlvocations.org.

HOSPITAL VOLUNTEERS...

SSM Cardinal Glennon Children's Medical Center is currently recruiting adult day and evening volunteers. For more info or to apply, contact the Volunteer Office at 314-577-5696.