

Adult Education

- Risen Christ is holding an adult education class on Tuesday evenings, 7-8:30PM in room #3. This will run weekly into March.
- We are using Fr Robert Barron's video project Catholicism to guide us.
- Participant Study Guide available, \$34.95.

Baptism Preparation Class

Thursday, Feb 9, 7PM at Risen Christ for parish members who hope to celebrate baptism of an infant & children to age 6. Call the parish office if you wish to attend.

It's Time To Schedule Meetings

It's the time of the year that all groups must schedule their meetings/events in order to reserve a room. Call the office, 362-6584.

Women's Group

The Series of speakers on prayer continues. In the fourth session Deacon Richard Kulleck will discuss Listening to Our Conscience in Self-Examination. The meeting is Monday, Feb 13, 7PM in the social hall. For more info contact Julie Bennison jben7298@cableone.net. All are welcome & encouraged to attend.

Weight Loss Group

A weight loss group led by Anita Babineau is being formed. If interested plan to attend an initial meeting on Wednesday, Feb 8 at 5:30PM in classroom 1. This group is for men & women. Participants will make decisions about the program & materials to be used. It's foundation is the Prism program but other possibilities will be discussed. Questions? Call Anita, 362-1044.

Adult Volunteers Needed

Two or three adults needed to assume responsibility for assuring youth volunteers are available for parish events. Involves scheduling & supervision of youth during events. Requires Safe environment training. Call Linda Van Buren, 484-5256.

Stewardship - A Way of Life

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012

From July 1 to December 31	Actual	Budget
* Parish Income	\$ 286,996	\$ 321,425
**Parish Expenses	\$ 290,415	\$ 321,425
* Income includes Sunday and Mortgage Payment collections		
** Expenses include Parish Operating Costs and Mortgage		



We need volunteers in these areas:

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| Game Dealers | Child Care |
| Bartenders | Ticket Sales |
| Food | Bingo |
| Set Up | Dessert Auction |
| Clean Up | |

Great Prizes

- 1st: Laptop Computer
- 2nd: Xbox 360 with Kinect
- 3rd: Kindle with Gift Card
- 4th: Elliptical Exerciser
- 5th: Youth Mountain Bike
- 6th: Portable DVD Player

All proceeds go to reduce the church mortgage debt

To Donate or Volunteer

Contact Gary Pabalis:
562-6285



Parish Events

January

- 30 - RCIA, 7PM
- 30 - Scripture Study, 7PM
- 31 - Adult Education, Catholicism, 7PM, Room 1

February

- 1 - RCIC, 6PM
- 1 - St Vincent de Paul, 7PM
- 2 - Reconciliation & Adoration, 6PM Mass, 7:30PM
- 4 - Men's Cursillo 4th Day, 7AM
- 7 - Knights of Columbus, 7PM
- 8 - Weight Loss Mtg, 5:30PM Rm 1
- 8 - Prayer Shawl, 7PM
- 9 - Baptismal Prep Class, 7PM

Religious Education

January

- 29 - Preschool-Grade 3, 12-1PM
- 29 - Grade 4-Grade 12, 6:00-7:30PM

February

5 - NO CLASS - ALL GRADES

Detailed Religious Ed, Youth Ministry Info

Questions/to volunteer call Mark,
362-6584 ext 410
Afternoon Session, Preschool - Grade 3
Evening Session, Grades 4 - 12

Confirmation - The next Confirmation meeting is Feb 12 from 6-7:30PM. Sponsors are always welcome to join us. For more information please contact Mark Henry.

ICYC Registrations have been sent home. This year is shaping up to be another great year to be a Catholic Youth in the Diocese of Boise! The forms are due back Feb 10 and **NO LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.** For more info please check out the bulletin board outside of the Social Hall or if you have questions please contact Mark Henry.

Religious Ed (RE) & Youth Ministry (YM) Fees - We are about half way through the RE & YM year & we are still accepting payments. For some families the option of making payments works best. If there are some families who are having a hard time with this please do not hesitate to contact Mark Henry & something can always be worked out.

Thank you to the parish family who made a generous donation to the Religious Ed & Youth Ministry program. Because of your support we were able to purchase new tables for the rest of the classrooms & a Power Point Projector.

Dates to remember

- ICYC March 9, 10 & 11, 2012
- April 13, 6-8PM First Eucharist Retreat
- April 14, 5PM Mass First Eucharist
- First Eucharist April 14 at the 5PM Mass



Parish Garden

If God has given you a gift in gardening, whether it is with vegetables or perennials and you wish to give back to God, you may want to join us. If you just want to learn gardening together as a family activity, you may want to consider us. If you like to build, grow, or nurture other families in God's love, this is a marvelous opportunity. The Risen Christ Gardeners will have a brief meeting on Sunday, Feb 5th at 9:45 (after the 8:30 Mass) in the social hall. It is an opportunity to hear what we are planning this year and discover how we might help you. Last year we produced 11,700 pounds of fresh nutritious vegetables for the hungry of Boise, but we do much more.

Hope to see you, *Weeb Martin*, 250-9556.

Health News - Health Ministry

Stress is part of our daily life & in some ways is necessary to have. Too much stress can be detrimental to your health. You can keep stress under control through: exercise, getting a good night's rest, meditating, nixing caffeine & nicotine. Remember you are only human, so build a social support network, eat healthy, get a massage, & always keep a positive attitude. For more info on stress visit the National Institute of Health at <http://health.nih.gov/topic/Stress>.

**Blood Pressure Screening-Sunday, February 5th
after 8:30 Mass in parish nurse office**

Weekday Liturgy Schedule Week of Jan 29th
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday at 8:30AM
Thursday at 7:30PM

**Eucharistic Adoration,
Reconciliation and Mass**
Adoration & Reconciliation, held each Thurs,
6PM with Mass at 7:30PM. Reconciliation also
available upon request.

Around Town

Position Opening

The Diocese of Boise seeks a full time Director of Catechesis. Candidates must have a Master's degree or equivalent in Pastoral Ministry, Theology, Religious Education or a related field.

The selected candidate will be an active, practicing Catholic & a person of high moral standards with a reputation for integrity, vision & imagination. The position requires excellent written & verbal communication skills & at least five years of demonstrated successful leadership experience at either the parish or diocesan levels. Additional details are on the diocesan website, www.catholicidaho.org.

A complete application packet will be accepted through Feb 17 or until the position is filled. Interested applicants should submit a letter of application and resume & secure an application packet & instructions from Eleanor Smith, esmith@rcdb.org 1501 S Federal Way, Boise ID 83705, 342-1311 ext: 5156.

Catholic Charities of Idaho Loaves & Fishes Gala & Roast

Mayor Dave Bieter will be roasted at this fundraiser on Saturday, Feb 4, at BSU Stueckle Sky Center. The team of Roasters will be led by Rev Thomas Faucher, Pastor of St Mary's; the Mayor's brother, John Bieter; the Mayor's sister Mary Bieter & Michael Kennedy, Coeur d'Alene City Council member.

The evening's program includes the presentation of the 2011 Marie D Hoff Social Justice Awards.

Tickets: \$125 each or \$1,000 to sponsor a table.

For info or tickets contact Myfanwy, 350-7484 or www.ccidaho.org.