



Parish School of Religion News

St. Mary's - New Berlin Site - PSR

Class for 1-6 begins after school and ends at 5:00 pm.

First Reconciliation: Sun., Feb. 19, after 9:45am Mass.

First Communion: Sunday, April 15, 9:45am Mass.

Feb. 1: Regular Session Snacks: Kara Pecoraro
Feb. 8: Regular Session Snack: Kim Hepperly
Feb. 15: Regular Session Snack: Shannon Hermes

Sacred Heart - Franklin Site - PSR

Class for 1-6 begins after school and ends at 4:45 pm.

First Communion: Sunday, April 15, 8:00am Mass.

Feb. 1: Regular Session
Feb. 8: Regular Session
Feb. 15: Regular Session

7th - 8th Grade - New Berlin Site

Class begins after 9:45 Mass in Parish Center

Confirmation will be held on May 15 at 7:00pm.

Jan. 29: Regular Session
Feb. 5: Regular Session
Feb. 12: Regular Session

7th - 8th Grade - Waverly Site

Class begins at 7:00pm at St. Sebastian Church

Confirmation will be held on May 15 at 7:00pm

Jan. 29: Regular Session
Feb. 5: Regular Session
Feb. 12: Regular Session

Natural Family Planning Classes...begin on Wednesday, February 8, in Sherman. It is safe, healthy, effective and virtuous. It is easy to learn and use, plus it's good for you and for your marriage. Registration and information are available online at ccli.org or contact Carlos at 321-1132.

Quad Parish Directory

Meetings for the Quad Parish Directory have begun!

Jill Gordon and Stacy Robinette would welcome volunteers.

Call Jill at 488-6409 for more information or if you can help with the directory.

PARISH EVENTS



Sacred Heart - Franklin News...

**Coffee and donuts will be served after Mass in the parish Hall on Sunday, February 5.

**During/after Coffee and donuts on February 5, there will be a brief meeting to plan the *Soup Luncheon*. Tentative date for the luncheon is March 4.

** February Cleaning and donut committee: Jo Ann Johnson, Rosemary Bergschneider, Lori Whalen and Michelle Chaplin.

** Volunteers Needed.... Franklin is looking for one or two couples to chair the burgoon bowl service for the 4th of July. Call Fr. Kevin or Lois Pitchford if you can help out.

**Women of Franklin desiring an evening of Christian fellowship, fun and food are invited to attend a gathering on Thursday, February 2, from 6:30-8:00pm at the Franklin United Methodist Church. We plan to meet once a month, but we will accept input on future sessions. Food will be provided. Please make reservations with Kathy Gotschall at 243-4589 or 883-3457. All women of the community are welcome to attend!

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**New Berlin Community Club Pancake and Sausage Breakfast on Sunday, January 29, from 8:00am - 12:30pm at the Sangamon County Fairgrounds. Adults are \$7, children 5-12 are \$5 and under 5 are free.

**New Berlin KC #4372 is sponsoring the annual Free Throw competition Sunday, February 12, at the New Berlin Elementary School. Doors will open at Noon and the contest begins at 12:30pm. It is open to all boys and girls ages 10-14. Winners will advance to the District Free Throw Competition on Sunday, February 26, in New Berlin. Call Don at 488-7500 or Tom at 341-0333 for information.

Baby Bottle Drive...on behalf of Living Alternative "A Pregnancy Resource Center" began on Sunday, January 15. Please take a bottle home, fill it with change and return it to the back of church by Sunday, February 19. The proceeds go to support the ministry of offering women real, life-affirming choices at the center.

Soup and Chili Supper...Saturday, February 18, at New Salem United Methodist Church. Serving is from 4:00-6:30pm. Adults are \$7, children 10 and under \$4. Menu includes soup or chili, homemade dessert, and drink.