

# t. Martin de Porres Catholic Church

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Donna Gardner, M.S. John Stadelman, M.A. His fast of forty days makes this a holy season of self-denial. By rejecting the devil's temptations he has taught us to rid ourselves of the hidden corruption of evil, and so to share his paschal meal in purity of heart, until we come to its fulfillment in the promised land of heaven. THE SHOWNERSHIP FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT of the lop

> **February 26, 2012** First Sunday of Lent

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#### **Parish Information**

Regular Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00pm Sunday Masses: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:45am 12:30pm Tridentine (Latin) Mass

> 5pm Youth Mass (Seasonal) Daily Mass: Monday - Friday 7:00am, 8:30am & 5:30pm

Saturday Daily Mass: 8:30am
Holy Days:

7:00pm Vigil (evening before), 7:00am, 8:30am, 5:30pm

Holy Hour, Charismatic Mass with Healing Prayer:

1st Wednesday of the Month (Sept-May)
Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession:

Saturday 3:00 - 4:00pm & By Appointment.

Novena to Our Lady:

Saturday, after 8:30am Mass

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration: (In the Chapel)

Midnight Monday through Noon Saturday

#### \*Parish Office Hours:

Mon., Wed., Fri. 9:00am - 12:00pm Closed 12pm-2pm

2:00pm - 4:00pm

\*Closed Tuesdays & Thursdays

#### **Caritas Gift Shop Hours:**

Tues., Wed., Thurs. & Fri.: 9am-5pm Saturday & Sunday 9am-1pm Closed Monday

#### St. Martin's Parish Family Welcomes You!

Regardless of whether you are here for a few days, weeks, or months, we are pleased that you have chosen us to be your parish away from home. If you are new to the parish, or just visiting, please stop in and introduce yourself. We are delighted to have you share in the celebration of the Eucharist.

#### **New Parishioners**

Every parishioner in the parish should be properly registered. New families are asked to register as soon as possible. Registration forms are available at the Parish Office, from ushers before or after Mass, or online. Families moving out of the parish should notify the Parish Office.

### **Parish Sacraments**

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

All families seeking Baptism of a child should be registered and active members of the parish for at least 3 months prior to the date of the Baptism. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class before scheduling the Baptism. The class is held on the first Saturday of every month.

#### **Sacrament of Confirmation**

Contact Nicole Aitken at the Parish Religious Education Office for more information at 334-4492. Adult candidates wishing to be Confirmed must first complete an Adult Religious Education Program.

#### Sacrament of Marriage

Weddings are celebrated on Friday at 6:30pm, and Saturday at 10:30am & 1:30pm. Engaged couples should contact the Parish Office a minimum of 6 months before the wedding date to complete their preparation. If an annulment of a previous marriage (Catholic, non-Catholic or civil) is required, please contact the Parish Office for more information.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

See Parish Information for times.

Seasonal Reconciliation Liturgies are held during Advent & Lent. Children in the second grade make their "First Reconciliation." For more information, please contact the Parish Office.

#### Sacrament Of Anointing

The Sacrament of Anointing is celebrated every first Saturday after the 8:30am Mass. The Sacrament is also conferred upon special request. Please contact the Parish Office.

#### Visitation of the Sick

Home or hospital visitation by a member of the clergy or by an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion can be arranged upon request.

Please contact the Parish Office.



Sanctuary Candle
2/16 - 3/3
For:
All the Souls in
Purgatory

Book of Intercessions
Given by:
Anonymous
In Honor of:
The People of
St. Martin de
Porres Church

9	Mass Int	tent	ions For the Week	
D=Deceased L=Living Intention				
Monday, February 27 2012	7:00 AM	D	Eileen Walsh	Robert Milicci
	8:30 AM	D	John Capano	Bob & Ronnie Mullin
	5:30 PM	D	Pete Townsend	Wife, Jean
Tuesday, February 28, 2012	7:00 AM	D	Robert Hoyt	Nancy & Tony McElroy
	8:30 AM	D	Ed McCoy	Jody & John
	5:30 PM	D	Lloyd Markey	Joanna & Fred Peters
Wednesday, February 29, 2012	7:00 AM	D	Judith McInerney	Nancy & Tony McElroy
	8:30 AM	D	Robert Gibney	Sisters of Emmaus
THE PARTY OF THE P	5:30 PM	D	Edmund B. Cochrane	Gail J. Olson
Thursday, March 01, 2012	7:00 AM	D	Andy Elsinger Jr.	Mark & ClareAnn Ferris
	8:30 AM	D	William Kennie	Winnie McDonough
	5:30 PM	D	Victor Fernandez	Mary & Jose Feliciano
Friday, March 02, 2012	7:00 AM	D	Sam & Angie DiMaggio	Mark & ClareAnn Ferris
	8:30 AM	D	Phil DeFino	Dolores DeSalvo
	5:30 PM	D	Bertha Barker	Joe Finnell
Saturday, March 03, 2012	8:30 AM	D	Heather Ann McElroy	Nancy & Tony MCElroy
2 2 1 1 1 W ( CS) 1 KY 2 1 1 1	4:00 PM	D	Jeffrey Raider	The Family
Sunday, March 04, 2012	7:30 AM	D	Robert Kirchgessner	William & Elinor O'Connell
	9:00 AM	L	The People of St. Martin	
	10:45 AM	L	Marie Arnold	The Bobko Family
	12:30 PM	D	Allan Reid	Steve & Patti Strait
	5:00 PM	D	Gerry Chesnes	Fr. James
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#### Ilease Tray...

For the Members of our Parish Family who are ill...

Please remember **All the Sick Members** of our Parish in your prayers. May the Intercession of Our Blessed Mother grant them consolation and complete healing.

#### For the Deceased Members of our Parish Family...

Please remember **All the Deceased Members** of our Parish in your prayers. May they rejoice forever with the angels and Saints before the Heavenly throne of God.

#### Readings for the Week of February 26, 2012

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Sunday	First Sunday of Lent	Friday	Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130; Mt 5:20-26
Monday	Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15 Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19; Mt 25:31-46	Saturday	Saint Katharine Drexel, Virgin Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119;
Tuesday Wednesday Thursday	Is 55:10-11; Ps 34; Mt 6:7-15 Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51; Lk 11:29-32 Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138; Mt 7:7-12	Sunday	Mt 5:43-48  Second Sunday of Lent Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116; Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

#### Parish Calendar Monday

Begins at Midnight
Chapel
6:30pm Children's Choir Practice
Choir Room
7:00pn K of C Officer's Meeting
Siena Rm.

**Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration** 

7:30pm Adult Choir Practice Choir Rm.

#### Tuesday

#### PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
Chapel
9:15am Bible Study
Siena Rm.
6:00nm Emmans Team Meeting

6:00pm Emmaus Team Meeting Florence Rm. 6:30pm Bible Study Siena Rm.

#### Wednesday

#### SOUP KITCHEN

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
Chapel
10:00am Home School Co-Op
Rel. Ed. Bldg.
10:00am CDA Fund Raiser Prep
Siena Rm.
5:15pm Dicipleship Team Meeting
Rel. Ed. Bldg.
6:30pm Youth Mass Choir

01 Thursday

#### PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Rel. Ed. Bldg.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
Chapel
2pm Knitting Angels
Sienna Rm.
6:00pm Life Teen ADULT Core Rel.
Ed. Bldg.

7:00pm LifeTeen Bible Study Rel. Ed. Bldg. 7:00pm Men of St. Martin Siena Room

#### Friday

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Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
Chapel
6:00pm Koinonia Retreat
Tuscany, Siena & Florence Rms.
7:00pm Stations of the Cross
Church

#### 03 Saturday

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
Until noon in the Chapel
8:00am Koinonia Retreat
Tuscany, Siena & Florence Rms.
9:15am Novena to Our Lady
Church
3:00pm Confession
Church

#### \_\_\_\_\_Sunday

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE
8:00am Koinonia Retreat
Tuscany, Siena & Florence Rms.
6:15pm Lifeteen
Rel. Ed. Bldg.

# An Emmaus Experience

### An Open Invitation to All Women of the Parish

February 2012

My Dear Sisters in Christ of St. Martin De Porres,

The Emmaus Retreat is a retreat experience based on the Gospel of Cuke 24:13-35. In this Scripture passage, two disciples meet the Cord on their way to the village of Emmaus after His Resurrection, and recognize Him in the "Breaking of the Bread."

We are offering you the perfect opportunity to not only take time away from the business of day-to-day life, but most importantly to gift yourself with the time to reflect on your spiritual life. By attending our upcoming Emmaus Retreat, you will experience God and truly deepen your relationship with the Lord.

I encourage women of the Parish, ages 25 and older, to prayerfully consider setting aside the weekend of March 23-25, 2012 for this Retreat, which will be held at the Parish. You will make new friendships, and return to your home and workplace refreshed in body and renewed in spirit. The women of Emmaus have spent many hours in preparation for a successful journey for you.

Registration for the Retreat will begin this week and will continue through March 19, 2012. You may register at the Parish Office during the week. The registration fee for the weekend is \$120.00. This includes your room and board.

Don't let this opportunity to travel the road to Emmaus with our Cord pass you by.

Yours in Jesus and Mary! Fr. James September 20, 2010

#### Come...Experience God's Love and Gift of Healing



St. Martin De Porres Catholic Church

INVITE YOU, YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO A

**Eucharistic Celebration** and Healing Service with Fr. Fernando Suarez

St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church Thursday, March 8, 2012, 7:00 pm 2555 NE Savanna Road, Jensen Beach, FL 34957

### **Lenten Bible Study**

Join us this Lent for Genesis To Jesus A 7 part Bible Study from Dr. Scott Hahn & The St. Paul Center For Biblical Theology.

- Get the big picture overview of the Bible.
- See how Jesus & the Church are the fulfillment of God's fatherly plan for the world from the verv beginning of time.



Learn to share your Catholic faith from the Bible.

St. Martin de Porres 2555 NE Savanna Rd., Jensen Beach, Fl 34957 Tuesdays beginning February 28th, 9:15am and 6:30pm (7 weeks)



# An Emmaus Experience Retreat For Women

St. MARTIN DE Porres is offering...

the Emmaus Retreat for women of the Parish March 23-25, 2012. This retreat is based on the Scripture found in the Gospel of Luke 24:13-35

The main theme of the retreat is to discover or rediscover Jesus in our lives. It is a time to renew and deepen your relationship with the Lord and a vehicle to meet other women in the parish who also are looking for friendship.

The retreat will be held at the Parish with overnight at a local hotel. Cost is \$120.00 (includes room, board and program). You may register at the Parish Office during the week. For retreat and registration information, please call: Kathy Hochenberger @ 485-1787 or Leona Romero @ 240-6136.



RESPECT LIFE CORNER



A community-based campaign that draws attention to the evil of abortion through: Prayer & fasting, Constant vigil and Community outreach-here in The Treasure Coast!

40 Days for Life is a peaceful approach to showing local communities the consequences of abortion in their neighborhoods, friends and families. A desire to cooperate with God in carrying out of His plan for the end of abortion in America. The 40day campaign tracks Biblical history, where God used 40-day periods to transform individuals, communities and the entire world. From Noah in the flood to Moses on the mountain to the disciples after Christ's resurrection. It's clear that God sees the transformative value of His people in meeting a 40-day challenge. 40 Days uses a 3-pronged effort:

### "Can't you spend 1 hour with me?"

\*Prayer and fasting: Christ told us that some demons can only be driven out by prayer and fasting. The two go hand in hand. Prayer keeps us rooted in the fact that it is our desire to carry out God's will. Fasting is a sacrifice that helps us reach beyond our own limitations with God's help. Fasting is not a Christian diet; it is a form of physical prayer. You can fast from food, TV, alcohol ... anything that separates you from God.

#### "Were you there when they crucified my Lord?"

\*Constant vigil: The most visible component of 40 Days for Life is a constant prayer vigil outside Planned Parenthood It is a peaceful, prayerful, safe witness to the clinic's patients and staff, and to the entire community, that evil is in our midst and with God's help, it will be defeated. We need people to sign up for WENSDAYS 3-5 and FRIDAYS 8-10 Emerald Plaza US Route 1.

#### "Go out in the world."

\*Community outreach: During 40 Days for Life, the pro-life message is actively taken to the community through a Prayerful and Peaceful Vigil.

#### **SIGN-UP SHEET**

	PRAYER AT HO	ME/CHURCH	
During 40 Days for Life, I pledg	e to pray for an end to abortion at	nome or church every	from
During 40 Days for Life, I pled	ge to give up	<u>ING</u>	
	<u>COMMUNITY</u>	AWARENESS	
	Planned Parenthood Emerald Participating in the peaceful 40-Day		
Da	y(s):	Hour(s):	
	PARTICIPANT II	NFORMATION	
Signature:	Name(Printed):		
Address:			
Primary E Mail:			
Phone#: C			
Contact or send to David Olio PO I	Box 624 Palm City Fl. 34991 or do	lio@surfglobal.net	

# Catholic Daughters of the Americas

will be sponsoring a

**BINGO PARTY** 



Tuesday, March 6, 2012, 1:00 PM San Mart' Inn/Parish Hall

\$10.00 Per Person

Includes: Cake & Coffee & 2 Bingo Cards! Additional Cards may be purchased / 3 for \$1.00

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For more information contact Meg Faughnan 232-0162



Matthew 25:35 Thrift Store has a continuing need for clothing in clean, gently used condition, general household items and

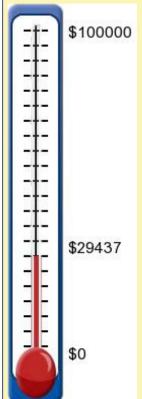
most especially, solid and sturdy used furniture for our Thrift Store customers. If you have furniture to donate, please consider donating to our parish ministry Thrift Store. We can help with delivery and pickup.

The Matthew 25:35 Thrift Store is also hoping to expand our Saturday hours during this season to conveniently service the shopping needs of our customers and we also need afternoon volunteers. Can you help out in the afternoons Monday through Saturday as a Thrift Store Volunteer? We hope you will consider becoming a part of our volunteer team.

For more info on how you can help by volunteering or donating your items to our ministry: Please contact Michelle Florio at 772-334-6239 or by email to: <a href="mailto:michelle@stmartindp.com">michelle@stmartindp.com</a>

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!

### **Capital Fund**



Last week's collection was \$410 bringing the total to \$29,437

After the shortfall of \$19,784 for the 2011 DSA Campaign is paid, we will have \$9,653 to begin making much needed air conditioning repairs and updating our computer technology.

Can you help?

A huge THANK YOU to the parishioners who have contributed to date!

If you would like to contribute, please place your donation in an envelope marked "Capital Fund". and place it in the collection basket.

Caritas Religious Gifts & Books

Come See Our
Wide Selection of Lenten and
Easter Books, Booklets,
Statues & Art

OPEN SIX DAYS A WEEK!
TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 9-5PM
SATURDAY & SUNDAY 9-1PM
Located in the Education Building.
772-934-6636



### How does one spend an hour before Jesus exposed in the Blessed Sacrament?

We are called to prepare for Easter with works of penance, that is, fasting, almsgiving and PRAYER.

As with fasting and almsgiving, PRAYER deepens our relationship with God and gives us strength to resist the temptations that continually bombard us. During the days of Lent, spend time in PRAYER with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Let the Holy Spirit touch your heart and fill it with a burning desire for a renewed relationship with the Lord.

Contact Lisa at 772-215-7123 or JMJLife@gmail.com to schedule your hour. Adorers are most needed Monday through Saturday, 1am – 5am, but most especially the 2am hour.



# FASTING & ABSTINENCE REGULATIONS FOR LENT

Ash Wednesday & Good Friday; are days of fast and abstinence.
Fridays of Lent are also days of abstinence.
Fasting is to be observed by all 18 years of age through age 59. On a fast day, one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids, including milk and juices, are allowed.

Abstinence is observed by all 14 years of age and older. On days of abstinence, no meat is allowed. Note that when health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige. When in doubt concerning fast and abstinence, the parish priest should be consulted.

Fasting almsgiving. and prayer are the three disciplines of Lent. The faithful and catechumens should undertake these practices seriously in a spirit of penance, and of preparation for baptism or of renewal of baptism at Easter.



### **Stations of the Cross**

At 7:00pm

Every Friday during Lent
In the Church.

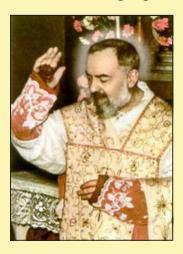
#### PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

LORD, HOLD OUR TROOPS IN YOUR LOVING HANDS. PROTECT THEM AS THEY PROTECT US. BLESS THEM AND THEIR FAMILIES FOR THE SELFLESS ACTS THEY PERFORM FOR US IN OUR TIME OF NEED. WE ASK THIS IN THE NAME OFJESUS, OUR LORD AND SAVIOR. AMEN.

#### **Parishioners or Family of Parish Members**

Maj. Richard Dembowski, Capt. Scott Dembowski, Lt. Matt Dembowski, Maj. Lazaro Costa, Maj. Paul Burke, Keith Mackin, Pvt. Matthew M. Cabana, Capt. Brian Konie, UT<sup>1</sup> Brian Murphy, Lt. Cdr. Tom Muldoon, Sgt. Joe Wankelman, Maj. Peter Hesford, Capt. Keith Nunn, Don Couture, Eddie Gallagher, Ron Mahoney, Capt. Deanne Bryant, Sgt. John Fortner, Christopher McFarland, Anthony McFarland, Gregory Costas, LCP Lisa Pfeiffer, SFC Gerard Fraino, Maj. Mario Russica, SA Jeffrey Mihalik, Jr., A1C Zachary Mihalik, Lt. Jordan Hoffmann, A1C Thomas Andrews, Pvt. Chad Corriveau, PFC John Michael Dakoulas, Spec4 Tony Alee, Cpl. Adam Joseph Weinstein, Sgt. Brian Hamm, Pvt. Bradley L. Noone, LTC. Larry Smith, William Schweikert, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Edward J. Marion, A1C Ryan Mihalik, A1C Michael Compton, Pvt Francis Paul Kuveikis, Pvt. Shawn Kuveikis, LCPL Joshua W. Jett, E3 Todd Philip Drury, PFC James Mocello, Sr. OS2 Brandon Haas, LCP Mike Richardson, AWO3 Nicholas Giannine, PFC Thomas Huff, Lt Comm. Jonathan E. Musman, Raymond Sabol, L/CPL, CPT Timothy R. Blairy, Matthew Joseph Maitre, Ryan Francis Maitre, LTC Thomas J. Ruge, Lt Col Geoff Graze, PFC Corey Lee Jones, PVT Robert M. Garza, Edward Timmerman, E1, PFC John Woods,

#### <u>Padre Pio Secular Franciscan</u> <u>March Meeting Update</u>



The regular March monthly meeting of the Secular Franciscans will be held March 10, at 9:00am in the Siena Room.

There are two School Principal job openings in Palm Beach Diocese, at Pope John Paul II High School and St. Clare School. For more information; Diocesan website at www.diocesepb.org.

# The Ancient Order of Hibernians Presents

The First Annual

St. Patrick's Day Celebration in Downtown Stuart along SE Flagler Ave. and Flagler Park

### Saturday March 17th

If Rain Sunday March 18th

#### Parade Starts Promptly at 5pm

There will be entertainment, vendors, kids area, hot corned beef and cabbage, food venders, bagpipers, Irish dancers and live music.

#### ROME & ASSISI PILGRIMAGE

Join Fr. Tom Barrett of the Cathedral of St. Ignatius Loyola on a journey to Rome and Assisi, Italy. You will stay in the town where St. Francis was born and visit the Church of St. Francis and the Church of St. Clare. You will see much of the Eternal City, including the Vatican, St. Peter's Basilica and the other major Basilicas, the Colosseum, the Catacombs, and much more! The highlight is a Papal Audience with His Holiness, Benedict XVI. The dates are Nov. 29-Dec 6, 2012. The price is \$1,999.00 per person. This includes airfare, accommodations and most meals. For a brochure or information call Fr. Barrett at (561) 622-2565.

### **Upcoming Meetings/Events**

#### **Children's Choir Practice**

Monday, February 27 6:30pm—Choir Rm.

#### K of C Officer's Meeting

Monday, February 27 7:00pm—Siena Rm.

#### **Adult Choir Practice**

Monday, February 27 7:30pm—Choir Rm.

#### **Bible Study**

Tuesday, February 28 9:15am—Siena Rm. 6:30pm—Siena Rm.

#### **Emmaus Team Mtg.**

Tuesday, February 28 6:00pm— Florence Rm.

#### Home School Co-Op

Wednesday, February 29 10:00am - Rel. Ed. Bldg.

## Confession Every Saturday 3:00pm OR by appointment.

#### **CDA Fund Raiser Prep**

Wednesday, February 29 10:00am— Sienna Rm.

#### **Discipleship Team Meeting**

Wednesday, February 29 5:15pm—Rel. Ed. Bldg.

#### **Youth Mass Choir Practice**

Wednesday, February 29 6:30pm—Rel. Ed.

#### **Knitting Angels**

Thursday, March 1 2:00pm - Siena Rm.

#### <u>Life Teen</u> Adult Core Team

Thursday, March 1 6:00pm— Rel. Ed. Bldg.

#### Men of St. Martin

Thursday, March 1 7:00pm—Siena Room

#### **Life Teen Bible Study**

Thursday, March 1 7:00pm— Rel. Ed. Bldg.

#### **Koinonia Retreat**

Friday, March 2 6:00pm—Tuscany Banquet Rm.

#### **Stations of the Cross**

Friday, March 2 7:00pm—Church

#### Koinonia Retreat

Saturday, March 3 8:00am—Tuscany Banquet Rm.

#### Koinonia Retreat

Sunday, March 4 8:00am—Tuscany Banquet Rm.

#### LifeTeen L:ife Night

Sunday, March 4 6:15pm— Rel. Ed. Bldg.

### St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

930 SW Tunis Ave Port St. Lucie, Florida 34953

will be offering the

"St. Monica Ministry"

presented by Dr. Jack Buchner.

This Ministry examines why many adult

Catholics become inactive or indifferent to the
faith, and how to approach a loved one that
may fit into that description.

Please join us Sunday March 4<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. in the Church.



The 2012 Goal set by the Diocese for our Parish is \$129,500!

We have raised \$29,720 to date! Thank you to the 127 donors who have returned their pledge cards.

Have you returned yours?

Pledge cards may be mailed to the address on the envelope or placed in the collection basket.

Envelopes and brochures can be found in the vestibule of the Church and in the Parish Office.

Thank you for your support!



### **A Gift of Love**

Remember your loved one (s) during the Easter Season with an Easter Lily to decorate our Sanctuary.

Each Lily is \$15.00.

Stop by the Parish Office to drop off your remembrance request and payment.

### Remembrance Request

Name	
To be Remembered:	
Donation:	

### AROUND OUR DIOCESE.....

Catholic women of faith, women of action

### Calling All Diocesan Catholic Women

Save the Date for the 3rd Annual Catholic Women of Faith, Women of Action Conference to be held **Saturday, March 3, 2012** at Our Lady Queen of the Apostles Church in Royal Palm Beach. Hosted by the Palm Beach Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, all women of faith of any age throughout the Diocese of Palm Beach are invited to attend. Join us for this inspiring day of worship that will provide you with many opportunities to grow in your prayer life, faith and service. Registration is now underway.

For more information, visit the Calendar of Events section of the diocesan website at <a href="www.diocesepb.org">www.diocesepb.org</a>
To learn more about the Palm Beach Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, please visit
<a href="www.pbccw.catholicweb.com">www.pbccw.catholicweb.com</a>.

### Palm Beach Diocesan Council of Catholic Women College Scholarship

The Palm Beach Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is accepting applications for its Annual Scholarship Award. \$1,500.00 is awarded to three Catholic, female, graduating high school students from the Diocese of Palm Beach who will attend a Catholic College/University in the fall. The deadline is March 31, 2012 and applications may be obtained in your parish office or your high school. Please contact Marie Lawrence at (772) 335-4069 for any further questions.

We are happy to announce the 2012

# Mother-and-Daughter Programs

hosted by the NFP Center of the Diocese of Palm Beach

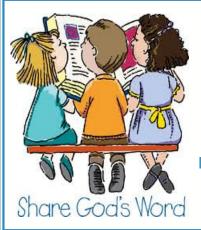
Saturday, March 10th, 2012 Girls Ages 10 - 12

Sunday, March 11th, 2012 Girls Ages 13-16

Location: St Clare Catholic Church ~ Parish Hall 821 Prosperity Farms Road, North Palm Beach, FL 33408 Time: 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

#### The Mother-and-Daughter Programs:

- \* Explore God's special gift of human fertility and the beauty and wonder of God's plan for growing up and becoming a woman
- \* They take place in an atmosphere of love and learning and they create a foundation for communication between parent and child
- \* Focus on sewing a reverence for one's body, seeing it as a temple of the Holy Spirit and so encouraging the virtues of purity and chastity
- \* Presenters are Natural Family Planning Teachers, Health Care Professionals, Specialists in Education, young adult women, and other trained volunteers in Family Life Ministries.



#### PRE K-5 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We are the children of the world..... Answering His Call!

Classes are held every Sunday after the 9:00am Family Mass

If you have questions regarding our Religious Education Program, please contact Julie Breen at <u>Julie@stmartindp.com</u> or 334-4214 ext.25.

### Mary's KOINONIA #17 Team is coming from St. Louis, MO.

This is how much God loves you!!!

He calls us each by name to be one with each other

Koinonia is....

A Greek word meaning "community"

A weekend retreat, Friday evening, Saturday & Sunday (not an overnight)

A sharing of faith, music, laughter, & discussions

A time set aside for spiritual growth & renewal

The weekend begins: Friday Evening at 6 pm, Sat. & Sun. at 8:30 am March 2, 3 and 4, 2012

Place is St. Martin De Porres Catholic Church

Please join us this Lent.

Please fill out the registration (Parish Office) – first come first serve basis – space is limited: Please do not let cost be a factor, if you can donate extra or need help (All kept confidential) The cost is \$35 per person which is for the retreat & food,

Please send check payable to Deborah Lewis with application to: Deborah Lewis 1943 NE Collins Circle 12-40, Jensen Beach, FL 34957

Phone: 314-363-1040 act-cpa@swbell.net

Please bring a snack for the snack table and your Bible.

(Registratio	n Deadline February 29, 2012)
Name	
Address	
Phone	
Birthdate: Month	Day
Email:	<del></del>



### R.C.I.A.

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

ATION
Are you an adult who would like to receive
Baptism, Communion,
Reconciliation

or Confirmation?

Do you have questions about the Catholic Church?

We are here for you!
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You can also contact Nicole at <a href="mailto:nicole@stmartindp.com">nicole@stmartindp.com</a> or 334-4214, ext 25.

We would love to help you wherever you are in your faith journey.

Please pray for our candidates and catechumens as we approach the Lenten Season. You will notice that in the upcoming weeks we will have special Rites to welcome them into the church. Please help us give them a heart-felt welcome!



# Welcome Homeschooling Families!

St. Martin hosts a Home School Co-op each
Wednesday from 10 am to Noon
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Our homeschooling group thanks Mr. Euteneuer for sharing his stamp and coin collections with us! What a treat! We welcome teens, college students, adults and seniors in our community to come share their gifts with us! We have a large group of moms with infants and toddlers who attend our homeschooling group. If you have young children who are not yet school age and would like to join us, please do!

For more information, please contact Nicole at nicole@st.martindp.com or 334-4214, ext 25.

Families of other parishes are also invited to attend!



Our Edge program is growing very rapidly each week and last week we had about 60 kids in attendance. If you know of anyone who would be possibly willing to be on a Core Team of Adults/Young Adults to help out with our Edge Program on Monday nights from 6:30-8:00pm please get in touch with our Director of Youth Ministry, Cara Palsis..

At the moment we have a group of older high school students who come in every Monday as peer mentors to the Middle School students, but we would like to form a Core Team of Adults. We would meet once a week in addition to the Monday Nights. We have a very solid Core Team that helps with our High School LifeNights and would love to make another specific Core Team just for Middle School Edge Nights. If you have any questions contact Cara at 334-4214 EXT. 17 or at: cara@stmartindp.com.



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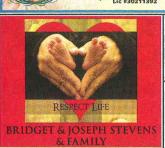
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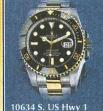
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