

DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION

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Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
18	19	20	21	22
	<i>Faith Formation</i> K-8 6:00-7:15 9-12: <i>Canceled see rest of week</i>	<i>Holy Thursday</i> (High School 8-12) 4:30pm <i>Screening of The Passion of Christ</i> 7pm <i>Mass</i>	<i>Good Friday</i> 3pm <i>Passion of Our Lord (HS)</i> 4pm <i>Poor Mans Dinner</i>	<i>See Ad Help Need</i> 6:30-9pm 8 th -12 th <i>Grade</i> <i>Easter Egg Stuffing Parish Office</i>

Middle School Faith Formation (6 – 8)

The Wednesday evening classes continue at 6pm at the Bullard Building. If your middle school child is attending public school they also need to be attending this class. If you have any questions please call me at the above number.

The middle school group will continue our study of the C.S. Lewis book *Prince Caspian*. This week we will begin looking at Chapters 3 and 4. Please remind your kids to read the chapters before class on Wednesday March 19th.

“We must take the gifts,” said Peter...

The gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable.

- Romans 11:29

In the ruins of their castle, Cair Paravel, Peter, Susan and Lucy discovered some amazing things. Down in their ancient treasure chamber they found the precious gifts they had received from Father Christmas many years before. Peter found his sword, named Rhindon, and the mighty shield that bore the bright image of Aslan, the Lion. Lucy found the crystal bottle containing a magical healing medicine. Susan found the bow and the quiver of arrows she had used so often in sport and in war. These were special gifts given to them by a friend and emissary of Aslan. They were gifts that helped Peter, Lucy and Susan do the important work they were called to Narina to do.

You have been given special gifts, as well, God gave them to you when he planned you and He made you. God continues to give you new gifts: Friends and family, experiences that teach and shape you, gifts of insight and wisdom that open your eyes, your mind and your heart.

As was true with the Pevensie Children, the gifts given you have been given with a purpose. Use them to glorify the One who gave them to you. They are on loan from God. Serve the Lord with gladness ... and with all your gifts!

Screening of the Passion of Christ

On Holy Thursday at 4:30pm Patrick will begin watching the Passion of Christ at the Bullard Building. I ask that anyone interested in viewing this movie please come when you can. We will attend the Mass at 7pm at the Church.

HELP NEEDED

All 8th-12th graders are invited to a pizza and egg stuffing party (that is plastic eggs) on Saturday March 22nd from 6:30pm-9pm at St. Mary Magdalene Church office. On Saturday the 22nd we will stuff the plastic eggs with candy and set up the yard with caution tape to separate the groups doing the egg hunts. please call either Kathleen (903) 714-3158 or Debbi (903) 316-8084.

**Sacramental Preparation Classes
Next class is on March 30th at 4pm Bullard Building**

It is required that children attend 6 sessions for the preparation of the sacrament in addition to either attending the Catholic school system or attending Faith Formation on Wednesday nights. We will be offering classes at 4pm on March 30th; April 6th and 20th; and May 4th and 18th.

Mark your Calendars APRIL 12, 2008 at Bergfeld Park

Join St. Mary Magdalene team as we March for Babies.
One day all babies will be born healthy... But we have to walk to get there.

“Should anyone press you into service for one mile, go with him for two miles. Give to the one who asks of you, and do not turn your back on one who wants to borrow.”

Matthew 5:41-42

