

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH, BOX J, PALMER, ALASKA 99645
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JULY 7, 1974 -- FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR.

SUNDAY OBLIGATION MASSES: PALMER... 7 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. Sunday
WASILLA... 8 a.m. Sunday at Sacred Heart Church

DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK: 9 a.m. in Palmer on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

CONFESSIONS: Before all Masses; & Saturdays at 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. in Palmer.

BAPTISMS: Parents should consult with the priest some time in advance.

MARRIAGES: Appointment to see the priest should be made three months in advance. The next Pre-Cana Conference is July 28 at Holy Spirit Retreat House in Anchorage. All Catholics (and their espoused) planning marriage are required to attend a Pre-Cana Conference as part of preparation for marriage. RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY AND SHOULD BE MADE WITH YOUR PASTOR.

THE COLLECTION FOLLOWING THE COMMUNION OF THE MASS ON SUNDAYS IS FOR THE BUILDING FUND.

THE SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 14, WILL BE THE ANNUAL PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION. This voluntary contribution from American Catholics will help the Pope meet his obligations of administering Christ's Church and dispensing Christ's charity. We ask your generosity as we join in this visible symbol of our fidelity to the Vicar of Christ on earth. (A letter from His Excellency, Archbishop Ryan, regarding the Peter's Pence collection will be read at all Masses today.)

COLLECTIONS, June 30: Palmer - \$331.95; Wasilla - \$143.25; Total - \$475.20.

ASSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 14:

PALMER....SERVERS: Randy Thom, Eric Restad, Pat Soule, Warren Woods, Jim Laux
LECTOR: Lloyd Rebeschke; USHERS: Norbert Chowaniec and Robert Thom
WASILLA....Those assigned will be notified.

ON THURSDAY, JULY 18, AT 7:30 P.M., IN ALASKA METHODIST UNIVERSITY AUDITORIUM, ANCHORAGE, FATHER RAYMOND BROWN, ONE OF THE WORLD'S OUTSTANDING STUDENTS OF THE BIBLE, WILL GIVE A TALK TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC ON: "HOW OUR GOSPELS WERE WRITTEN AND WHAT THIS MEANS TO THE MODERN CHRISTIAN." All are invited...especially our CCD teachers and helpers. Further details on this in next Sunday's bulletin.

WE WELCOME ALL OUR SUMMER VISITORS AND HOPE THEY ENJOY THEIR STAY IN THE VALLEY AND ALASKA.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWLY REGISTERED PARISHIONERS:

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Mangieri of Palmer
Mr. Robert Walling of Palmer
Mr. and Mrs. John Kawagley of Wasilla
Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Kasper of Wasilla
Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. O'Neill of Wasilla
Mr. and Mrs. Larry D. Siekmeier of Wasilla
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thompson of Palmer

We ask those who have moved into the parish area to let us know they are here so our parish list may be kept up-to-date...and we invite them especially to join in parish activities. All adult parishioners are encouraged to attend and participate in the Parish Council meetings (usually the first Thursday of each month, but changed this month to the second Thursday because of the 4th of July holiday).

THIS WEEK IN ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH----July 7-13, 1974-----

MONDAY.....LEGION OF MARY MEETING every Monday, 9:45 a.m., in the Rectory Basement.

TUESDAY....ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING for July has been cancelled...next meeting will be the 2nd Tuesday of August.

THURSDAY....PARISH COUNCIL MEETING at 8 p.m., in the Rectory Basement. All adult parishioners are invited to attend and participate. Included on the agenda will be preliminary planning for Slippery Gulch 1974.

DON'T TELL YOUR TROUBLES TO YOUR FRIENDS...TELL THEM TO YOUR ENEMIES....THEY'LL BE DELIGHTED!

THE GOSPEL TODAY (St. Luke) concerns the sending of seventy-two disciples to prepare for Jesus' coming. Traditionally, these disciples have been considered as laymen. The number "seventy-two" may be a symbol of all the nations (the list of seventy-two nations in the book of Genesis). The message is clear: every person in the Church is called to work with missionary zeal for the conversion of the entire world.