

# Czech This Out

St. Wenceslaus Parish Newsletter March 2010



**LENTEN SCHEDULES--**  
are available in the back of  
church and in Chihak Hall

## SUNDAY NIGHT SUPPER SERVERS

Our next turn for serving supper at First Presbyterian Church is MARCH 21 4-6 pm. This is a great opportunity to join in the ministry to help the hungry in our area. Contact Dave Martin to sign up.

## CZECH HERITAGE PARK

The next engraving of names on the memorial wall will take place in June. To be a part of this pick up a brochure or call the parish office. Copies of the St. Wenceslaus Society roster are available in the back of the church.

### MARCH COLLECTIONS

AREA NEEDS

FOOD

St Vincent DePaul Society St Vincent DePaul Society

## ST PATRICK'S CHURCH

St Patrick's Day Mass & Supper  
Wed. March 17



St Patrick's Parish, CR invites and encourages St. Wenceslaus parishioners to join them in their St. Patrick's Day Festivities:

- \* The parade; begins in downtown CR at 1 PM.
- \* Mass -**celebrated at St. Wenceslaus** at 5:30 PM.
- \* Dinner served in the St. Wenceslaus Gym Building immediately following Mass Menu: Irish Stew, Roll & Butter, Dessert, and Lemonade or Coffee. Dinner tickets: adults-\$6.00; adults over 65- \$5.00; children 7 & under -\$4.00 A dinner including a Hot Dog, Chips, Dessert, and Beverage will be served in lieu of the stew for \$4.00.

**Raffle:** Grand prize-\$1,000.00; 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes-\$250.00 4th-10th prizes \$50.00 Tickets can be purchased from the Parish Office for \$1 each.

**I.C. & ST. WENCE K of C** meets every 3rd Thurs. of the month in Scotus Hall at Immaculate Conception, beginning at 6:40 with a rosary, followed by the meeting at 7p.m.

## World Day of Prayer Church Women United

Friday, March 5 - 9:00 a.m.

St Wenceslaus – Chihak Hall

9 am Continental breakfast – cost: \$3.00

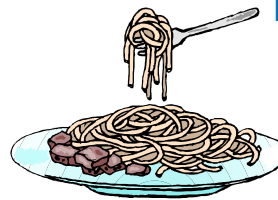
9:45 am Worship Service

For child care call Marilyn 377.8609

## NCSML Informational Meeting- Tues. March 16

5-6 pm St Wenceslaus Church-Chihak Hall

Meeting will provide updates on the design process for the museum's new exhibition center and research library. Museum staff and board members, city staff and architects will be available to answer questions.



## Parish Luncheon

Sunday, March 7  
after 10:30 Mass

\*spaghetti

\*garlic bread

\*salad

\*beverages

*Sponsored by Parish Community Life Committee*

Panera Bread presents

**Movin' for  
McAuley**



**SAT MAR 13**

Westdale Mall, Cedar Rapids  
Registration 9am/Walk 10-11am

**Movin for McAuley** is a morning of fun for all ages: kids, adults, students, families, friends & co-workers. Come and walk laps or just watch; enjoy a bagel and beverage, games for the kids, activities and great prizes! 100% of the proceeds raised benefit the Catherine McAuley Center and its programs. Pick up a registration form or download one from our website.

## Annual Česká Škola (Czech School)

### Chili Supper

Saturday, March 13

St. Ludmila Church Social Hall  
(lower level of Church building)

Serving 4:30 - 7:00 p.m. -

\$4 donation

Chili, rye bread, cake, beverage



### ATTENTION RNS!

Mercy Medical Center, CR is sponsoring the Basic Parish Nurse Prep Course, March 23-26. This course will consist of 33 contact hours to meet the ANA practice requirements for Parish Nursing. The cost is only \$100. Call Anne Nugent at 319-221-8568 to register

**14<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE  
SATURDAY, MARCH 27  
Xavier High School  
Pick up a brochure for details**

The winter issue of Notre Dame Magazine includes an article featuring their students' service trips to CR for flood recovery; their experience working here at St Wenceslaus is highlighted. The article *This Isn't Heaven*, can be found on-line at [magazine.nd.edu](http://magazine.nd.edu) and is posted in the vestibule and in Chihak Hall; in addition, copies may be picked up in the parish office.

**SAVE THE DATE- April 25-26**

New York Times bestselling author and world renowned Catholic speaker, **Matthew Kelly**, will be visiting Immaculate Conception. Over the past decade he has spoken to over 3 million people in more than 50 countries. Watch for more information soon! **Do not miss** the opportunity to hear one of the most sought-after voices of our time!

**Join the Flock and Fly on in to  
All Saints Preschool  
2010 - 2011 Registration**



**"Birds of a Feather,  
Learn Together"**

Enrollment is underway! All Saints Preschool offers a complete learning program to maximize Kindergarten readiness. **Pick up a flyer for more information.**

**FLOOD RECOVERY-** work continues in the lower level of the gym building. The restrooms will soon be operational.

**VOLUNTEER HOURS thru Feb. 24 -Approx.**

**21,700**

**THE ST WENCESLAUS PARISH FAMILY  
EXTENDS A WARM WELCOME...**

Patti Thatcher



John & Maeghan MacDougall;  
Malcolm, Marren, Duncan, Elizabeth,  
Hannah, John, Aeonghus

Alec & Abby Seelau; Marcus and Sophia

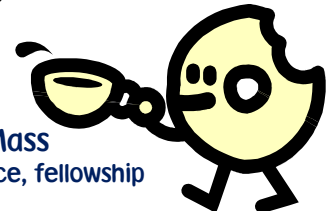
Jason & Michaela Coyle

**DONUT SUNDAY**

March 21

Following 7:00 a.m. Mass

Donuts, coffee, juice, fellowship



**American Cancer Society - I Can Cope**

MANAGING CANCER-RELATED FATIGUE

An educational program for cancer patients, their families and friends

Thursday, March 4, 2010 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Hall Radiation Center Conf. Room - 603 10<sup>th</sup> St SE

(Please enter through Mercy Medical Center's Hallmar entrance)

This program is open to everyone and is **FREE** of charge

Pre-register by calling 319.247.6004 - refreshments served.

**Pilgrimage to Poland & Eastern Europe**

**Nov 1-12 cost: \$2499**

Visit Warsaw, Krakow, Budapest, Vienna and Prague and more. See the birthplace of Pope John Paul II, visit the Shrine of Divine Mercy and tour Auschwitz Concentration Camp.

For brochure & information, contact Fr Dan Guenther- 712-276-4821 or [frdanic@cableone.net](mailto:frdanic@cableone.net)



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