

A bit spring LOVE ... in a "humble place"
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IS EASTER STILL IN THE "AIRE"??
Worship 8:30 & 11 Thursday evenings 7:30
Sunday School & Breakfast Club 9:45 Adult Choir 9:30

SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2009

Worship at All Saints is a time of peaceful reflection and joy.

We hope your spirit is nourished, being with us today. We enjoy having kids in church ... but when they are noisy and restless ... we ask you PLEASE TO RESPECT the quiet and dignity ---- both of your neighbor and our worship experience. We have a fine nursery for kids age 5 and under ... and our good-looking, over-achieving, hard-working, and moderately festive staff is always anxious to care for your children. Please accompany your son/daughter to the nursery and introduce yourself to the attendant. Most of all --- welcome to our church, and help yourself to some fine coffee in Charter Hall.

welcome, with an announcement or two

opening prayer

I fret about yesterday.

I worry about tomorrow.

I'm already behind ... and haven't even had breakfast.

I get goofy over "stuff" I can't control ... and then I pretend to control "stuff" you don't even try to.

I'm impatient about my lack of patience ... I forget to say "thanks" ...

I use the word "I" and "me" way too much.

I pretend to be a "giver" ... and I'm really not.

I talk about stuff ... I say the right things ... then I do nothing.

I'm a "mess" sometimes, Lord ... I get confused.

But ---- I know you love me ... in my best & worst of moments.

I need times like this morning, Lord ----- when I can face the truth of who I am. You love "goof-balls" ... and I'm one of them.

*Thanks for nourishing me and forgiving me.
Right now ... I'm just glad for being together. Amen.*

opening song

"We praise you, O God" 241

the liturgy ... page 57

readings for the day

"will my younger friends come forward?" ... kids' time

song

"Go, my children, with my blessing" 721

meditation

song

"How Great Thou Art" 532

the creed ... page 85

offering and offertory

choir anthem ----- "Salvation Created" 8:30

prayers and Lord's prayer

closing song

"Eternal Father, strong to save" 467

benediction and 3-fold "amen"

We have beautiful altar flowers, gracing our church today ...

**from Angie and Kevin Schmidt ... in honor of the baptism of their children --- David and Allison. Happy Baptism ... and thanks for sharing this gift with us.*

The eternal light shines brightly today ...

**in memory of Angie Schmidt's parents --- Susan & David O'Keefe.*

**in honor of Todd and Dawn Sallay's 24th wedding anniversary.*

A FEW HAPPENINGS AROUND THE HUMBLE TEMPLE

Today ---- Finance Committee meeting, in the conference room.

Thursday ---- evening worship & Lord's Supper, 7:30

NEXT SUNDAY

*Our Sunday School kids are singing at both services!!

LADIES LUNCHEON ... come yourself, bring a friend ... your granddaughter, niece, the kid down the block ...

12:30 ----- LAST CALL FOR TICKETS ... great food, a bit of entertainment and music ... sponsored by our men's club.

COMING UP ... WAYS TO HELP ..

**LADIES NITE OUT ... *Friday, May 15, 6:00 – 9:00*

Tickets are only \$10 (includes food and drinks)

**GARAGE SALE INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE.

Also --- we now have sign-ups if you would like to help prior to the garage sale and on the days of the sale. See the main sign-up table in the narthex.

BRICK ORDERS NOW BEING TAKEN ... for our outdoor worship area and dedication walk. If you have any questions, call the office anytime.

BLOOD DRIVE, sponsored by Orland Kiwanis ... Saturday, May 16, 9:30 – 12:30. If you can donate, the available times are on the sign-up table.

MOTHERS' DAY PLANT SALE ... May 10 ... all morning ... thanks to Every Bloomin' Thing.

WE GO TO OUR SUMMER SCHEDULE ... Memorial Day weekend. And --- last day of Sunday School is May 17.

OUR HUMBLE AND FESTIVE STAFF

Debbie Facius and Kathy Janik, office administrators

Kathy Klang, comptroller Linda McAley, custodian

Ed Steele, Mr. Fix-it Mike Hefter, organist

Mark Nussle, choir director Craig Nelson, pastoral support