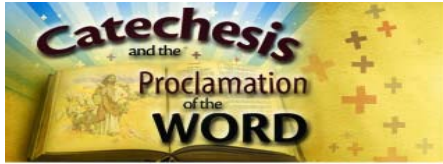


# Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Religious Education Program  
6391 Belmont, Ave., Belmont, MI 49306  
(616) 361-5126  
www.AssumptionBVM.com  
Sept 30, 2009



## Upcoming Schedule

Oct.	4	SUN	Class
	7	Wed	Class & Parent Mtg – 1 <sup>st</sup> Penance
	11	SUN	Class
	14	Wed	Class
	18	SUN	Class
	21	Wed	Class
	25	SUN	Class
	28	Wed	Class

**ATTENDANCE:** If your child is not able to make it to Religious Education classes please call the Rel. Ed office.

**ARRIVAL:** Please have your children in the classroom on time. There is only a limited time to teach so please be prompt.

**Students need to wait outside in the hall until the teacher calls them in or the bell rings.**

Parents of children in grades 1 through 4: drop off and pick up your child from their classroom.

**TUITION:** Tuition payments are due. Send your payment, if you have not already done so, to the address above.

Tuition is as follows:

ONE CHILD	\$90.00
TWO CHILDREN	\$115.00
THREE OR MORE	\$125.00
NON PARISHIONER	\$140.00 EACH**

**YOU ARE A REGISTERED PARISHIONER** if you have filled out the church registration form, are making financial contributions to Assumption BVM Church or are actively involved in the church. If you are unsure of your parishioner status, call the parish office at 361-5126 x.200.

**Make checks payable to:** Assumption BVM

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**Notice to Parents....** it is important that you fill out the "Let us get to know your child" form that was handed out at the parent meeting. It helps the catechist to better serve your child.  
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## Consolata Family Fun

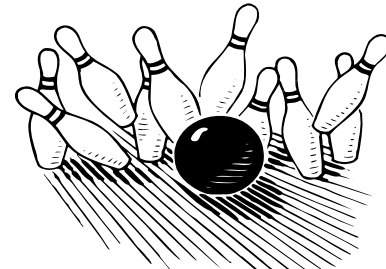
Sunday, October 4, 2009  
1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

@ Westgate Bowl  
4486 Alpine Ave NW  
Comstock Park, MI  
784-6450

**Unlimited Bowling & Shoes**  
Singles \$5.00      Family \$10.00

All donations are appreciated

Come join the Fun  
All proceeds go to the Consolata  
Missionary Sisters



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## LOAVES AND FISHES FOOD PANTRY

**OCTOBER FOOD DRIVE** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month Assumption collects food and personal items for the Loaves & Fishes food pantry that our Parish co-sponsors along with the Church of the Holy Spirit that is on the corner of Post Dr. and Pine Island Dr.

**The next food drive is October 11-12**  
For the month of October the targeted items are: toothpaste, shampoo, soap, deodorant, razors, feminine hygiene, diapers, baby wipes, etc. Please place items in the bins that are by the Chapel.



# 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Stewardship Fair Catechists for your child's grade are:

## Harvest Hoedown Dinner

**November 7<sup>th</sup>**

**6:30 – 8:30 PM**

**In the Family Life Center**

**Featuring:**

**Education Groups  
& Ministries**



Bluegrass Music

Lots of Homemade Chili

Pies Galore & Muffins

Meet New Parishioners

Bring the Whole Family & Friends



Free will offering accepted to cover dinner cost.

Sponsored by the Stewardship Committee.



Pray – Discern- Grow.

**Upcoming Retreats**

Is it time to go?

## Tec Retreat

**Where: St. Mary's Parish, Big Rapids, MI**

**When: October 16 – 18, 2009**

**Cost: \$20.00 Includes Retreat and Meals**

**Questions Explored:**

- **Who am I?**
- **Why am I here?**
- **Where am I going?**
- **What's God got to do with it?**



**For additional information contact:**

**Paul Grabel at (616)363-1781 or email him at [pgrabel2001@yahoo.com](mailto:pgrabel2001@yahoo.com).**

	<u>Catechist</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Helper</u>
<b><u>Sunday Morning</u></b>			
	Coordinator Fran Egeler	364-0250	
PS	Laura Kuhnert	863-0314	_____
KA	Carly Clark/Devon Egan	874-6630	_____
KA	Brent Clark/Lisa McNeese	389-7030	_____
Gr 1	Valerie Whitlatch	784-9593	Teresa/Jamie Phillips

<b><u>WED 4:30 PM</u></b>			
Hall Monitor: Aimee Czarnopys			
Gr 1	TheresaPage	307-1098	Wolfe/Walsh/Pritula
Gr 2	Heidi Alt	647-9996	Lisa Norcutt
Gr 2	Ken Fey	361-0661	Mary Fey
Gr 3	Patty Staley	866-6412	Mary White
Gr 3	Beth Zambon	874-7572	Linda Polise
Gr 4	Mary Momber	784-2491	Stacy Prangley
Gr 5	Paul Grabel	363-1781	Vansettters/Durfee
Gr 5	Fran Wilson	293-5113	_____
Gr 6	Greg Sokolowski	581-3247	Holly Kinlaw
Gr 7	Jackie Lyals	874-7581	_____

<b><u>WED 6:30 PM</u></b>			
Hall Monitor: Bonnie Coleman			
Gr 1	Sally Schaberg	361-2552	_____
Gr 2	Mary White	874-6320	Kathy Homer
Gr 3	Sarah Stamann	617-8135	Rachelle Radtke
Gr 4	Mike Bockheim	361-6522	Melissa Engvall
Gr 5	Fran Wilson	866-0318	Jay Burke
Gr 6	Julie Staudacher	874-5508	Barbara VanderWerf
Gr 7	Rose Jonckheere	648-5796	Jodi Phaneuf

*We are still in need of a few helpers. We would like 2 adults in each classroom. If you are interested, please call. If you have every wondered what a class is like, this is a great opportunity.*



*I have come so that you may have life.*

**Intercessors of the Lamb Retreat**

**October 2 – 4, 2009**

**What:** A retreat by Fr. John Mark Nolte  
Intercessors of the Lamb Priest.

**Where:** St. Isidore's. 628 Diamond Ave. NE.,  
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

**Who:** All are welcome -- especially you!

**Questions:** Noemy 616.735.6313, Eileen  
616.453.9501 or Debbie 616.791.9180 or  
register online @ [www.Milntercessors.com](http://www.Milntercessors.com)



## CONFIRMATION CORNER

If you haven't done so yet, please fill out and return the following forms:

- ◇ **Diocese of Grand Rapids Medical Release Form**
- ◇ **Let us get to know your child**

**Date to remember:** October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009

- ◇ **Sponsor chosen/ Sponsor form due**

**Ask your child if they did their babystepping (homework), that's due next Wed, Oct 7. They are to do the first 6 bible verses in the booklet from the back of their *Confirmed in the Spirit* book- A Prayer Guide for the Journey. Do one Bible verse a day.**

### **The Confirmation web page**

@[www.assumptionbvm.com](http://www.assumptionbvm.com) is being updated and all the links should be completed soon. Information regarding events and requirements can be found on the web page. There will be specific links for both the Religious Education and the Assumption School classes, plus general links for both groups. Sponsors will have their own links as well.

Also check the interactive calendar. Important dates and service opportunities for both groups will be posted on this calendar. All you have to do is click on the date and all the information regarding that event will pop up.

We do not have a date for the Confirmation Mass yet; but as soon as we receive it, we will notify you. If you have any questions, call Cheryl at 361-5126 x257.

## **Understanding Attention Deficit Disorder**

October 24, 9:00–noon

Presented by Fr Mark-David Janus, CSP, PhD

At the Catholic Information Center

### **Over diagnosed or undertreated?**

In this workshop, child psychologist and priest, Fr. Mark-David, discusses the nature of ADHD, how to recognize it, its implications for development in the life cycle, and the available treatments.

Included is a specific discussion on the benefits and limits of medication in youth. This session is offered for parents, teachers and relatives of children with ADHD.

**I have heard him speak on this subject and he does an excellent job!! ~Cheryl**

For more information or to register please call the  
CIC at 616-459-7267

Cathedral Square Building • 360 Division Avenue  
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### **SPECIAL VISITOR'S FROM HAITI**

Two priests from Haiti visited the children today to thank them for their generous contributions last spring.

They were extremely thankful for the \$2086.90 the children and families had sacrificed for the ones in need in Haiti. They were in the area and wanted to personally thank the children.

