



eBeacon

Sacred Hills Regional Ministry – August 2014

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Services of the Sacred Hills Regional Ministry

- Sunday, 8/3 Holy Eucharist at St. Paul’s and St. Mary’s
- Sunday, 8/10 Holy Eucharist at St. Paul’s and St. Oswald’s;
Morning Prayer at St. Mary’s
- Sunday, 8/17 Holy Eucharist at St. Paul’s and St. Mary’s
- Sunday, 8/24 Holy Eucharist at St. Paul’s and St. Oswald’s;
Morning Prayer at St. Mary’s
- Sunday, 8/31 Holy Eucharist at St. Paul’s;
No service at St. Mary’s

Missouri. Please remember to label your offering for First Sunday or the Children and Family Center.

Parishioner Spotlight



Berthica and Diego Sarmiento

Every congregation likes to see new faces arrive, and St. Paul’s is no exception. What makes us truly happy, though, is to learn that the new people are really serious about being a part of our congregation, and Berthica and Diego Sarmiento have certainly showed us that they are ready to get involved in every way they can. They picked up their pledge card as soon as they arrived, they participated in the Pentecost readings, and Diego is now a regular lector. He also worked all afternoon helping prepare fajitas for the Relay for Life. Berthica would like to participate in any way her talents in Spanish can be useful. They were quickly adopted by the Breakfast at Hy-Vee group, and seem to enjoy that fellowship very much. Thank you both, Berthica and Diego, for joining us!

SAVE THE DATE:



HARVEST FESTIVAL At St Oswald’s is on Sunday, October 5, 2014 at 11 AM. Plan now to attend.

First Sunday Offering



St. Paul’s First Sunday Offering for August will go to the Children and Family Center of Northwest



Sacred Hills
Days of
Celebration



Birthdays

Merry Jackson	8/2	St. Oswald's
Mary C. Ball	8/7	St. Oswald's
Rosie Duty	8/9	St. Paul's

Anniversaries

Mike & Brenda Cazel	8/5	St. Mary's
J.M. & Merry Jackson	8/6	St. Oswald's
John & Michelle Holland	8/8	St. Mary's
Jim & Roxanne Dale	8/15	St. Mary's
Channing & Louise Horner	8/29	St. Paul's

Just For Fun,
With Some Truth In It

Four novice nuns were about to take their vows. Dressed in their white gowns, they came into the chapel with the Mother Superior, and were about to undergo the ceremony to marry them to Jesus, making them "Brides of Christ."

Just as the ceremony was about to begin, four Hasidic Jews with yarmulkes, long sideburns, and long beards came in and sat in the front row.

The Mother Superior said to them, "I am honored that you would want to share this experience with us, but do you mind if I ask you why you came?"

One of the Jews replied, "We're from the groom's family."

Some gentle reminders that school
will be starting soon...

(Maryville R-2 schools start August 14th)

The children had all been photographed, and the teacher was trying to persuade them each to buy a copy of the group picture.

'Just think how nice it will be to look at it when you are all grown up and say, 'There's Jennifer, she's a lawyer,' or 'That's Michael, He's a doctor.'

A small voice at the back of the room rang out, 'And there's the teacher, she's dead.'

A teacher was giving a lesson on the circulation of the blood. Trying to make the matter clearer, she said, 'Now, class, if I stood on my head, the blood, as you know, would run into it, and I would turn red in the face.'

'Yes,' the class said.

'Then why is it that while I am standing upright in the ordinary position the blood doesn't run into my feet?'

A little fellow shouted,
'Cause your feet ain't empty.'

The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. The nun made a note, and posted on the apple tray:

'Take only ONE. God is watching.'

Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of the table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies.

A child had written a note, 'Take all you want. God is watching the apples.'

Writing for the eBeacon

Don't forget to submit contributions to the eBeacon to Louise or Diana before the last week in the month.

