

Year for Priests Letters of Appreciation Project

Bulletin Announcement #1: (Jan. 30/31)

Letters of Appreciation Project: During the month of February, our youth will be collecting cards/letters to be passed on to the priests of our diocese that express our heartfelt appreciation for all they do to make Christ present to us. A basket will be available in February for collecting the cards/letters. Only the name of the priest is needed on the envelope, as all cards will be mailed to the diocese. Please see (name of the youth director/leader) with questions concerning this project.

Pulpit Announcement #1: (Jan. 30/31)

During this “Year for Priests” our youth will be collecting cards/letters of appreciation for the priests of our diocese during the month of February. Please see the bulletin or talk to (name of the youth director/leader) for more information.

Bulletin Announcement #2: (Feb. 6/7)

Year for Priests Letters of Appreciation Project: Pope Benedict XVI has declared June 19, 2009 – June 19, 2010 the “Year for Priests”. In appreciation for our priests, the youth of our parish(es) will be collecting cards/letters of appreciation for our priests during the month of February. A basket is available for all cards in the _____. Only the name of the priest is needed on the envelope. See (name of the youth director/leader) with any questions you may have concerning this project.

Pulpit Announcement #2: (Feb. 6/7)

Our youth are sponsoring the “Year for Priests Letters of Appreciation Project” which is being promoted throughout the dioceses by the Youth Ministry Office to help celebrate this “Year for Priests”. There is a basket located in the _____ for cards/letters you wish to send to our priests. Any questions may be directed to (name of the youth director/leader).

Bulletin Announcement #3: (Feb. 13/14)

Many thanks to those who have offered cards/letters of appreciation for the “Year for Priests Letters of Appreciation Project” headed up by our youth. These cards will continue to be collected until the end of the month. A booklet with the names of our priests can be found on the bulletin board. Please consider sending a note to more than just one priest. Any questions may be directed to (name of the youth director/leader). Thank you for your kindness.

Pulpit Announcement #3: (Feb. 13/14)

Our youth will continue to collect cards/letters for our priests throughout the diocese until the end of February. A booklet with the names and photos of all our priests is located on the bulletin board. Please consider sending a note of appreciation to our diocesan priests. Please direct all questions to (name of the youth director/leader).

Bulletin Announcement #4: (Feb. 20/21)

If you have not had the opportunity to offer a card/note to our priests for the “Letters of Appreciation Project”, there will be a table set up this weekend and next with cards, stationary, envelopes and pens for you to write a personal note to one or more of our priests. Many thanks to (parish group) that provided the items for this project. Questions concerning this project can be directed to (name of the youth director/leader).

Pulpit Announcement #4: (Feb. 20/21)

This weekend and next our youth will be providing all the items you need to send a personal card or note to our priests. Please take a moment to share your sentiments with one or more of our priests. Thank you for your kindness.

Bulletin Announcement #5: (Feb. 27/28)

Thank you for your great outpouring of appreciation for our many priests throughout the diocese. This is the last weekend our youth will be collecting cards/notes. This week they will all be mailed to the diocese to be given to our priests in April at their annual Priests’ Days.

Pulpit Announcement #5: (Feb. 27/28)

Many thanks for your generous outpouring of appreciation for our priests throughout the diocese with cards and notes of appreciation. If you have not yet had the opportunity to offer a card/note, our youth will again have a table available with all the items you will need. We will be mailing all the cards to the diocese this week.