

## *Service Ministries*

**Bereavement Ministry** - This ministry supports people who are dealing with a loss by making themselves available to assist with funeral arrangements. Contact Diane Alig.

**Christ Renews His Parish** - Experience a personal, spiritual renewal and abundance of God's love by participating in this renewal weekend. Spend two days listening, sharing, praying, laughing, and celebrating. Then, your group will meet weekly for about six months to prepare to present the next renewal weekend. A Spiritual Director will help oversee the retreat and offer support to the presenting teams. This ongoing ministry has been a positive and powerful experience for Catholics around the nation. Contact Therese Brandon.

**Marian Prayer Group**- This ministry has just completed their 7th year of meeting every Tuesday at 2:30 PM for the Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, and special prayers and intentions. Prayer is powerful and everyone is welcome to join in these devotions. Contact Rita Walsh.

**Marriage Preparation Sponsor Couples** - Prepare couples for marriage by addressing their strengths and weaknesses in faith, finances, communication, relationship building, etc. Contact Therese Brandon.

**Mercy Meals** - Help ease family and friends through the burial of a loved one by serving or preparing meats, side dishes and desserts. All the food is donated by parishioners. Contact Frances Rudolf.

**Prayer Tree Chain**- This very special ministry prays daily for requested intentions for parishioners, their friends and family. Participants can be part of the phone "chain" or just pray when notified by email. Contact Jackie Lang.

**Respect Life** - Educate people about abortion, the death penalty, and rights of the elderly and disabled. Meetings are the 2nd Monday of the month at 7:30 PM in the parish office. Contact Roberta Hannon.

**St. Vincent dePaul** - SVdP helps those in need by providing emergency food, clothes, and household items to people in our parish and surrounding areas. Use the donation envelope, donate an item (Blanket Sunday, canned food drives, and The Giving Tree), or volunteer every third Sat. at the pantry at 2111 E. Spann Ave. in Indianapolis from 7:30 AM-12:30 PM, and about every six weeks on Saturday mornings at the distribution center (see bulletin board in the back of the church for dates and location). Meetings are the 2nd Mon. of the month at 7:30 PM in the parish office. Contact President Don Glowinski.

**Welcoming Committee** - Make new members feel welcome at Holy Name, and to help them become acquainted and involved in our parish. Contact Nancy Garber for dates and events.

**Wellness Ministry** - Parishioner Nicole Haywood shares tips like what time of the day to exercise, how to find hidden Calories, good sleep habits, and much more. Look for her wellness tips in the Holy Name News.