

# Formation Corner

July 10-11, 2010

August 11, with a time to be determined, is the scheduled Installation Mass for Bishop William Patrick Callahan. This date is the latest that this celebration may be scheduled. Upon an appointment as Bishop, the Installation Mass must take place within 60 days. August 11 marks the end of the 60 days.

The Installation Mass is a formal celebration. It takes place at the Cathedral of the Diocese. The Papal Nuncio (or his designate) is present. In the ceremony, the Papal Nuncio (or his designate) shows the Pope's Apostolic Letter of Appointment to the College of Consultors in the presence of the Chancellor of the Diocese. The Bishop Designate is then led to *the cathedra*, the Chair of the Bishop present within the Cathedral. When he is seated in the chair, he officially takes "canonical possession" of the Diocese—thus he is now the Bishop of La Crosse with all the faculties and authority entrusted to a Bishop.

In thanksgiving for the appointment of a new Bishop for our Diocese, we are invited to join in prayer. Please use the following prayer to express our thanksgiving to God:

## Prayer of Thanksgiving for the Appointment of Bishop William P. Callahan as the Tenth Bishop of the Diocese of La Crosse

Lord our God, we thank you for choosing your servant William as the shepherd of your flock in the Diocese of La Crosse.

Give him a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love. By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care may he build your Church as a sign of salvation for the world.

We ask through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## Website Suggestion: [www.svdpplover.com](http://www.svdpplover.com)

In appreciation of a new Bishop, each parish is requested to have a Mass of Thanksgiving. The Mass at St. Joseph Parish is scheduled for Monday, August 23, at 8:00 a.m. Please consider attending this Mass of Thanksgiving.

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ing this Mass part of your weekly routine.

The annual Diocesan Appeal information will be arriving shortly. Please consider your donation to assist in meeting the new target. It will be announced as soon as it is received.

A wish of God's peace is extended to the family and friends of Tillie Lepak whose funeral occurred during my vacation. May our prayers assist the comfort and consolation offered by God to those who mourn.

Two additional burials occurred for people who had connections through attendance periodically or related family: Bea Harrer and Elizabeth Bablitch. We pray that God guides them to the kingdom.

I again offer a reminder of the availability of a Mass on Tuesday at 12:15 p.m. Please consider mak-

Questions for Formation Corner are welcomed. Please submit them through the Collection basket or at the Parish Office.

Vacation was wonderful! Primarily a time of rest with a few short trips. Time was well spent enjoying things that I don't always have time to do!

Have a good week!

## Goodsearch/Goodshop.com

2010 YTD—06/16 - \$26.25/\$1.06. Search and Shop for St. Joseph Parish—Thank you!

## \*\* July \*\*

### Holy Father's Prayer Intentions:

General: That in every nation of the world the election of officials may be carried out with justice, transparency and honesty, respecting the free decisions of citizens.

Mission: That Christians may strive to offer everywhere, but especially in great urban centers, an effective contribution to the promotion of education, justice, solidarity and peace.

### READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK:

#### Sixteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Genesis 18:1-10a  
Colossians 1:24-28  
Luke 10:38-42

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