First Hurricane Harvey and then Hurricane Irma – God give strength to the millions whose lives have been impacted by these storms as they try to rebuild their lives. May God strengthen us, too, in our resolve to support them with our prayers and from our financial resources. I am grateful for the response of our parish community, thus far, in raising funds to aid our brothers and sisters in the storm ravaged areas.

Yes, we must continue to pray for them and be prepared to assist them in the coming days and months. That is why I would like to take up a collection as Thanksgiving approaches. Lent is a time to remember the storm victims with a collection as well. I would also like to have a collection a year from now, too.

The need will be ongoing. We must make the commitment to be ongoing in assisting our brothers and sisters in need, just as our God is ongoing in His commitment to us. After all, that is what “Love your neighbor” means.

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For your information, when I conclude with the celebration of Masses next weekend I will be leaving for the remainder of the week. I will be going north, not to fish, but to attend the Archdiocese of Detroit Priest Convocation. Every two years we priests of the archdiocese get away to spend time together, to pray together, and to be enriched together by various guest speakers. I look forward to these gatherings.

There will be no weekday Masses during that week (September 25-29). I will not be available for funerals either. If such a need arises Deacon David will be available to celebrate a funeral without a Mass.

I ask that you pray for me and my brother priests, that the convocation be a time of rejuvenation for us in our ministry.

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We have resumed the practice of Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesday nights. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the monstrance in our church from 6:30 – 8 pm. Come and spend some quiet time with the Lord.
Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 16th
4:30pm  †Florence Witkowsi, req by Tom & Pat Wollney

Sunday, September 17th
8:00am  The People of St. Joseph Parish
10:00am  †Kathy Carey Wischer, req by Dave & Peggy Henegar
12:00pm  †Joyce Burczyk, req by Dick Burczyk

Monday, September 17th
8:30am  Mass at St. Timothy

Tuesday, September 18th
8:30am  †John & Gertrude Ventura, req by Family
8:30am  †Kathyrn Durocher, req by Bernie Waskiewicz

Wednesday, September 19th
8:30am  Mass at St. Timothy

Thursday, September 20th
8:30am  Mass at St. Timothy

Friday, September 21st
8:30am  †Arlene & Chester Taurence, req by Family
8:30am  †Frank Smith, req by Patrick & Theresa Kinney

Saturday, September 22nd
4:30pm  †Louie Zanetti, req by Judy Anastos

Sunday, September 23rd
8:00am  †Helen Murray, req by Murray Family
10:00am  †Anthony Gazzarato, req by Gail & Fred Elias
12:00pm  The People of St. Joseph Parish

Schedule of Ministers ~ Saturday September 23rd and Sunday September 24th, 2017

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Help is needed to fulfill these ministries. Please call Sandra at 734-671-7828 for information on becoming a lector. Call the parish office for more information on becoming an altar server. Pam or Ken Livernois at 734-676-9673 on becoming a Eucharistic minister or coordinator.
Being Missionary Disciples is the theme for our religious education children and for all Catholic Christians within the Archdiocese of Detroit, stemming from the new direction of the Church. It is about evangelizing: proclaiming the good news of Jesus to those around us. We do this in word AND deed.

This upcoming year, all St. Joseph children (both from the school and faith formation) will have several opportunities to evangelize. Some of these include Samaritans Purse outreach, a toiletry drive and making sandwiches for the homeless in Detroit, making blankets for abused children receiving medical attention, making rosaries for nursing homes, and many other opportunities to be like Jesus to those around us.

Children have a way of giving without counting the cost. To see the joy in them, when they help others, is a lesson to us all.

Pray and look for opportunities within the parish or your local community to be a Missionary Disciple.

God's Blessings for the week ahead,
Dennae Petrich, Director of Faith Formation
dpetrich@stjosephtrenton.com

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Looking for Choir Members
If you are interested in singing, our liturgical choir would love to have you join us. Our first practice is going to be Wednesday, September 13. If you are not available on the 13th, that is alright. Just email me at musicdirector@stjosephtrenton.com.

God bless,
Sean Calvin
Music Minister
From The Deacon’s Desk

“Forgiveness is a beautiful idea—until you have something to forgive.” (C.S. Lewis)

Forgiveness is a question of love, mercy, and right conduct. The Jews taught that a man was to forgive another three times, and only three, not four. Peter more than doubles this to seven, asking Jesus if forgiveness should be extended even to this extent. Jesus’ answer must have astounded Peter. Jesus tells Peter, and each of us here today, that we should not limit our forgiveness to any fixed number. "As often as a brother/sister injures us and asks forgiveness, we should forgive them" (Luke 17:4). It is the duty and obligation of the offender to ask for and to seek forgiveness. If he/she does this, we have a duty and obligation to God, to declare that we will forgive them and to treat them with respect and love. Even if they do not ask or seek forgiveness, we are to forgive them for the evil that they have committed against us. We must forgive them for their salvation and the salvation of our soul. Also, we are not at liberty to seek revenge, in its place we should treat them kindness and love. It is our Christian duty to forgive others (Colossians 3:13). We are called to let God be their judge not us.

Understanding this, we need to ask ourselves what does it mean to forgive. Forgiveness means offering up your anger, your hatred, your revenge, and the "letting go" of your “right” for revenge, and leaving justice to our Heavenly Father. Also, it is also important not confuse forgiveness with reconciliation. Reconciliation requires repentance, but forgiveness does not. From the cross, Jesus forgave people who had not repented and maybe never would. We must do the same.

Our Lord and Savior came into this world to save and redeem us by the Blood of His Cross. All of us have received the mercy of God. Why then can we not show mercy? Jesus has forgiven our sins. Why then can we not forgive those who hurt us? We do not deserve His great gift of forgiveness and mercy. But, He has given it to us freely from the Cross, "Father forgive them for they know not what they do". This is why St. Paul can say in Ephesians 4:31-32, “Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, with all malice, and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ Forgave you.”

In Christ Jesus, we can forgive others because He forgave us, and for the same reason it is our duty to forgive others. We must forgive, or our Heavenly Father will not forgive us (Matthew 6:15). None of us wants to hear Our Father say to us, "Sorry, I will not forgive you". You ask for Me to forgive you, and you will not forgive. Not going to happen. This does not sound like a God of Love does He. Yet, His Loving Justice demands that He be the "Just Judge". The Catechism explains that God’s “outpouring of mercy cannot penetrate our hearts as long as we have not forgiven those who have trespassed against us. Love ... is indivisible; we cannot love the God we can’t see if we do not love the brother or sister we do see.” (No. 2840)

To help us in our journey to forgive, I found these three things that you may find helpful to help you to forgive. They have greatly helped me to forgive.

First, you must not dwell on the person that you cannot forgive. Do not let him/her control your life. If you engross yourself on the person you will begin to feel sorry for yourself and think of ways of "getting even". This I know from personal experience. It consumes you and sends you into the abyss of darkness. Get rid of these thoughts immediately. Call upon Christ for help.

Second, and this is critical, remember that you are also a sinner. How many times did you ask for forgiveness from someone? We all have asked others for forgiveness. As a sinner I need to ask God for help. Therefore, we must go to the Sacrament of Reconciliation and seek the love and mercy of God. God will forgive you, simply because you asked. Now, you must become Christ-like and forgive as He forgives.

Third and finally, whenever that person and the evil they did to you comes to mind say these three simple, little, yet powerful words, "I forgive you". You do not have to feel it. Just say it. It takes time to heal an open wound. Yet, your openness to forgive will let the Holy Spirit consume your heart with the Love of God. You must force yourself to forgive, and if necessary, say I forgive you every day. In time, the power of Christ Crucified will set your "Heart Free" from darkness and all the hatred and bitterness that you clung to.

Dear Heavenly Father, "Forgive my trespasses against you, as I forgive those who trespass against me".

God Bless,

Deacon David
New Adult Faith Formation Opportunity

Please consider joining us in a study of C.S. Lewis’ classic book, “The Screwtape Letters.”

Beginning Tuesday, September 26th at 7pm in the church basement.

Eucharistic Adoration begins at 6:30pm, please plan to spend a ½ hour prior to our discussion with Our Lord.

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Story premise: Wormwood, a demon apprentice, must secure the damnation of a young man who’s just become a Christian. He seeks the advice of an experienced devil, his uncle Screwtape. Their correspondence offers invaluable—and often humorous—insights on temptation, pride, and the ultimate victory of faith over evil forces.

We will be using ‘The Screwtape Letters Study Guide’ along with our reading to help us fully explore not only C.S. Lewis’ writing, but to explore God’s Word, the Holy Scriptures in relation to the topics of the various letters.

When: Beginning Tuesday, September 26th and every other Tuesday at 7pm until 8:30pm.

Where: St. Joseph Trenton, Church Basement

Cost: $24 – this includes a copy of the novel as well as the study guide. Payable to Susan Hill at our first meeting.

RSVP: Please call Susan Hill at 734-552-7363 for more information and to reserve your spot. Please call by September 20th to RSVP so that materials can be ordered and ready for you on the 26th.

Downriver Dementia Education Sessions

Hosted by Atria Kinghaven 14800 King Road, Riverview

4th Saturday of Each Month

Free sessions will include a complimentary breakfast or lunch
Breakfast 9:00 am, Presentation 10 am
OR
Lunch 11:00 am, Presentation 12 pm
For meal reservations, please call Karen Roberts at 734-479-5900

Saturday, September 30, 2017 Topic: Dementia Basics
This session will give participants a basic understanding of what dementia is as well as looking at some common characteristics of aging that are not dementia related. We will look more closely at the most common forms of dementia, which include Alzheimer’s Disease, and the characteristics of each.

More dates to come: October 28th, 2017 and November 25th, 2017

For more information, please contact HOPE Dementia Ministry LLC Judy Petterle-Saylor and Michael Saylor AFA and Alzheimer’s Association Certified Dementia Educators 734-446-6584 • hopedementiaministry@gmail.com • www.HopeDementiaMinistry.com
Daily Readings & Reflections

September 17th
TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Forgive, for goodness sake!
We are told in today’s reading that the unforgiving servant will be “tortured” for failing to forgive another, after having been forgiven himself. Because a parable is a symbolic way of talking about a profound truth, we can take the word tortured metaphorically and ask, “In what way are we ‘tortured’ when we fail to forgive?” Failing to forgive leaves us hostage to our hurt. Unable to move on, we are captive to our own resentment. Unwilling to accept the imperfections of others, we can become judgmental. The end result of the failure to forgive is bitterness—a painful, torturous emotional state. When Jesus tells us to forgive, “not seven times, but 77 times,” it is for our own well-being.

Forgive someone today!
Today’s readings:
Sirach 27:30—28:7; Romans 14:7-9; Matthew 18:21-35 (130).
“How often should I forgive?”

September 18th
Do I hear an amen?
Like the centurion who came to Jesus for a healing, we’re aware that we fall short of having “earned” the great gift of the presence of Jesus “under our roof” or in our lives. But Jesus chooses to dwell with us, imperfect as we are. As Pope Francis says in Misericordiae Vultus, our salvation depends on mercy. Mercy is the “ultimate and supreme act by which God comes to meet us.” Mercy is the “bridge that connects God and man, opening our hearts to the hope of being loved forever despite our sinfulness.” A daily awareness of our own “unearned rewards” helps us to share our spiritual wealth with others.

Today’s readings:
“Lord, do not trouble yourself, for I am not worthy to have you come under my roof.”

September 19th
MEMORIAL OF JANUARIUS, BISHOP, MARTYR
Faith will see us through
The stories of early Christian saints are often larger-than-life. So it is with Saint Januarius (third century). According to legend, Januarius was thrown into a fiery furnace by the Romans during a time of intolerance toward Christians. To everyone’s amazement he emerged unscathed. Taken figuratively, the story says a lot about how faith can help us in the face of intolerance when it comes to things like race, gender, immigration status, and so on. We may be subject to the fiery furnace of prejudice, but our faith can save us. It can remind us that we are all the beloved of God and it can move us to action for a more just world.

Today’s readings:
1 Timothy 3:1-13; Luke 7:11-17 (444).
“Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them.”

September 20th
MEMORIAL OF ANDREW KIM TAE-GŎN, PRIEST, AND PAUL CHŎNG HA-SANG, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS
Stretch your faith
Being an example of faith to others means extending the branches of your life outward. Extend a branch a little farther today and say a silent prayer for someone in your life who is struggling. The martyrs Saint Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, and their companions were part of a church in Korea that began entirely with laypeople. In difficult times of persecution they were buoyed by others in their faith. Do not doubt the power of a lived faith that extends beyond your arms and into others’ hearts.

Today’s readings:
“O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.”

September 21st
FEAST OF MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST
Take your seat at the table
The names of the apostles are integral to our story of faith, but in truth, we know very little about many of them. Bits of information from the gospels and Acts of the Apostles do allow a glimpse of their lives in the first Christian community. The rest we can only prayerfully imagine. We know that Matthew collected from his Jewish kin the hated Roman tax and that he associated with other tax collectors and “sinners.” What can we prayerfully imagine is Jesus sharing a meal with them, and then we might wonder if we would have joined them at table.

Today’s readings:
Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13; Matthew 9:9-13

(643).
“I have come to call not the self-righteous.”

September 22nd
Women belong in the picture
Women, as today’s gospel makes clear, accompanied Jesus in his ministry. They left their families to follow him and offered financial support for his mission. They stood by him at the cross, and all four gospels place women at the tomb when the resurrected Christ is revealed. As scripture scholar Elizabeth Johnson points out in her groundbreaking book Consider Jesus: Waves of Renewal in Christology, “Jesus Christ included women in his community, not as subordinates to males, but as equal sisters to their brothers.” Many of us, men and women alike, still struggle with seeing women in their fundamental humanity as equals to men. Think about the ways you overlook women when it comes to spiritual leadership.

Today’s readings:
1 Timothy 6:2c-12; Luke 8:1-3 (447).
“Some women were with Jesus who had been cured by him: Mary, called Magdalene, Joanna, Susanna, and many others.”

September 23rd
MEMORIAL OF PIUS OF PIETRELCINA, PRIEST
Aid comes first
When Saint Pius of Pietrelcina—Padre Pio as he’s widely known—decided he wanted to build a free hospital for the poor up the road from his friary, he started with a piece of land and a few friends and supporters. Four years later, in 1956, he had one of the most modern hospitals in Europe. Since the padre’s death in 1968, the facility, which he wanted to be a “place of prayer and science,” has quadrupled in size and stands as a dramatic tribute to the desire to help others and the determination to follow through. What seeds of service can you plant and cultivate?

Today’s readings:
“A sower went out to sow his seed.”
Happy September!

First Grade was welcomed with 13 students this year, with 2 students being new to our school. We have been working hard in our class and adjusting to our new schedules. This week in Religion we have focused on Church and Mass. The first graders have been learning about all the symbols and parts of Mass and have been sharing their own experiences and views about “What happens during Mass.” On Thursday, September 7th, our class took a walk to explore and talk about what the Church looks like on the outside. The students noticed the stained glass windows, the crosses, the Church name, the brick pavers with various family names and many other attributes of our Church. The students then came back to class and drew their own versions of St. Joseph’s Catholic Church. These drawings are displayed outside of our classroom for all to enjoy.

Blessings,

Mrs. Mullins and the First Grade Class

St. Joseph Sports

Volleyball Report

JV#2 opened the home schedule with a thrilling three set match with St. Francis of Assisi. The Cardinals took the first set, 25-22, feel behind early in the second and lost 13-25 but came back to take the third in a very tight set, 17-15. The next day, at St. Stephens, the Cardinals lost to the Stallions 2-0.

JV #1 had a very hard fought match at home against St. Pius that went to three sets. In the first, the Pirates jumped out to a lead and won 25-16. In the second, the Cardinals were hot early and jumped out to a 5-0 lead, but the Pirates tied it up 8-8. From then on, only four points separated the teams until the end when the Cardinals pulled away 25-22, winning the last point on an ace by Emily Smith. The Pirates took the third set and the match 11-15. Traveling to Lincoln Park, the Cardinals jumped out to quick leads and defeated John Paul II in straight sets, 2-0.

The Varsity also had a very competitive match with St. Pius, and won in two straight sets 25-20 and 25-22. The next day at John Paul II, the Cardinals were also in a very competitive match with the Warriors. In the first set, the Cardinals built a 5 point lead but the Warriors came back to tie the score at 24. The teams played to six ties until the Cardinals won the last point and took the first set, 30-29. The next two sets were close for a time, but the Warriors pulled away winning 16-25 in the second and 10-15 in the third.

Next weekend, the Cardinal JV#1 and Varsity teams will travel to Sacred Heart in Dearborn for games at 6 pm and 7 pm on Saturday and to St. Pius for games at 2 pm and 4 pm.

Junior Cardinals Registration is Open

Registration for our Junior Cardinals basketball program is now open. This is a program for boys and girls in grades K-3 who want to have fun learning basketball skills. This year there will be six one hour sessions starting October 14. All registrations are online at www.sjcardinals.com.

Tim Mullahy
St. Joseph Trenton
Athletic Director
734-507-0521
For Our Military

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for their selfless acts they perform. Pray for us in our time of need. Amen.

Aaron Ames
Fred Arugi
Scott Bennett
Joe Biedenbach
Dale Brewer
Veronica Davis
Mitch Farnum
David Giltner
Colton Henniger
Patrick Lynch
Andrew Maki
Jonathan Martin
Brad Molnar
Cody Pratt
Michael Rich
David Seymour
Luke Sanders
Chris Sepine
Christopher Shiner
Steve Stites
Blade Weedon
David M. Wolfe
Leon Abbott
Michael Bacha
Carol Baker
Edna Banick
Jackie Blackwood
Rose Bono
David Bourgeois
Adalyn Bratcher
Mike Bratcher
Lena Brent
A.J. Bressler
Gary Buffa
Geri Czarnecki
Jackie Deschaw
Bob Erdman
Diane Fleszar
Michael Fleszar
John Fleszar
John Garrett
Kelly Gaynier
George Ghindia
Edward Gilbert
Carole Hagerman
Kevin Henninger
Danielle Holt
Gabriella Holt
Monica Hogle
Special Intention
Josephine Jakunskas
Tony Kobus
Stan Kurek
Ed Kolacki
MaryLou Kropik
Emily Linench
Joan Sue Legel
Raymond Legel
Vito Leone
Hugh McLeish
Vivian McMahon
Frank Miklaski
Kathy Moore
Joe Muscat
Joelle Oberski
Nancy Patrias
Nicolette Patrias
Dianne Pavlov
Eleanor Prickett
Danny Pruell-Saucier
Mary Reidy
Shirley Ann Reinhard
Terry Reno
Basil Rodansky
Angela Romanowski
Mary Lou Romano
Kathleen Rothove
Brandon Russo
Jessica Saiter
Pamela Saldana
David Saldana
Pat Samons
Mike Simone
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Chad Sullivan
Owen Taylor
Mary Taurence
Jackie Thompson
Geraldine Toroski
Dennis Weber
Bill Wegher
Ron Willett
Glen Yank
Nancy Zakar

If you have a loved one in need of prayers and would like them added to our prayer list, please call the parish office at 676-9082.

For Those Requesting Prayer

For Our Friends and Family

Unity In Prayer Ministry

Our Prayer Ministry is offered after all 4:30, 8:00, and 10:00 weekend Masses. Please join us as we pray for our parish and for those who suffer in any way. Join with us as we take time to praise God for the many blessings he has bestowed on us.

LET’S FILL THE PEWS AND LIFT OUR VOICES UP IN PRAYER!

ST. JOSEPH WILL NOT BE PARTICIPATING IN THE ALL SAINTS SOUP KITCHEN DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

Check out the myparish app! There are new contents for kids, youth, and adults! You can download this app at the apple store or the android app on google play.

Bulletin Announcement

If you need anything put in the bulletin, please call Jaime Calvin at 676-9082 ex 16 or email jcavin@stjosephtrnton.com. Please note that I will need them at least 2 weeks before the event and will need to be in by Monday by 3PM.
In and Around Our Parish At A Glance

**Saturday, September 16th**
9am-3pm  Volleyball Games .................................................................GYM
4:30pm  Mass ......................................................................................CH

**Sunday, September 17th**
8:00am  Mass ......................................................................................CH
10:00am  Mass ......................................................................................CH
12:00pm  Mass ......................................................................................CH
1pm  Volleyball Games ........................................................................GYM

**Monday, September 18th**
8:30am  Mass at St. Tim’s .................................................................CH
3:00pm  Divine Mercy Chaplet ...........................................................CH

**Tuesday, September 19th**
8:30am  Mass ......................................................................................CH
5:00pm  Volleyball ................................................................................GYM
6:30pm  Adoration ................................................................................GYM

**Wednesday, September 20th**
5:00pm  Volleyball ................................................................................GYM
7:00pm  Choir .........................................................................................CH
7:00pm  Parish Walking Group ..............................................................Elizabeth Park
7:00pm  School Commission .................................................................SFR

**Thursday, September 21st**
8:30am  Mass at St. Tim’s .................................................................CH
5:00pm  Volleyball ................................................................................GYM

**Friday, September 22nd**
8:30am  Mass .........................................................................................

**Saturday, September 23rd**
4:30pm  Mass ......................................................................................CH

**Sunday, September 24th**
8:00am  Mass ......................................................................................CH
10:00am  Mass ......................................................................................CH
12:00pm  Mass ......................................................................................CH
1:00pm-5pm  Volleyball games ..............................................................GYM

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**THANK YOU TO ALL BIG HEARTED PARISHIONERS**

Christian Service Commission is happy to report we have generous and loving parishioners who donated to the Crisis Pregnancy Center Baby Shower. The women and girls that choose life are more than thankful to and blessed by St. Joseph members. The monies collected added up to $705.00, which will help those in need. Again, thank you for your kindness and giving spirit.
May God bless you!

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Children’s Liturgy of the Word

Greetings St. Joseph parish PARENTS! This is Tiffanie Plackowski, teacher for Children's Liturgy at 10am mass. Our Children’s Liturgy of the Word classes will be beginning Sunday, September 24th. During 10am mass, children aged 4 years through 8th grade are welcome! Father Brad will call the children forth mid mass to proceed. Parents of 4 year olds, you are welcome to join in our first one or two classes, so your child is comfortable if they have never attended. I am so excited to begin Liturgy classes again and it is an honor and joy to work with the wonderful children of St. Joseph. We are looking for volunteers for assistants as well, assistants need to complete the "Protecting God's Children" workshop. I am a public school teacher by trade and if you have any questions, comments, suggestions- please feel free to share.

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Please come join us for Dine-In or Carry-Out fundraiser for St. Joseph Catholic School! **10% of all sales will go directly to the school!**
Please make sure to bring a flyer (must be present at the time of your order!)

**When:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017

**Where:** Applebee’s – Woodhaven
**Time:** 11:00a.m. – 12:00a.m

This Wednesday join us for our Final Parish Walking Group for the summer! We meet and say a short prayer at 7pm in Elizabeth Park on the river side.
Bring your kids, your dogs, the whole family!
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Low Gluten (0.01%) Hosts
You will be happy to hear that if you suffer from Celiac Disease we have LOW GLUTEN (0.01%)HOSTS especially for you. Before Mass, go to sacristy to retrieve a host and place it in the pyx designated “for low gluten hosts only” – place the pyx on the tray with the communion cups. The priest will consecrate it at Mass. At Communion time join the line where the priest is distributing Communion. Let him know you need to receive a low gluten host. He will open the pyx for you to take a host.