

# CYO GLORY

March, 2008

Remembering that all we do is for the glory of God...

## Poems, Prayers and Promises ... Of Spring

### Saint Joseph

The Saint of the month for March is Saint Joseph. He is the foster father of Jesus. He was a carpenter from the town of Nazareth. Saint Joseph's feast day is March 19. He is the Patron of a happy death and of the Universal Church. The Sisters of Saint Joseph (SSJ) are the sisters that teach at St. Luke School. "Almighty God, You entrusted to the faithful care of Joseph the beginnings of the mysteries of man's salvation. Through his intercession may Your Church always be faithful in her service so that Your designs may be fulfilled." – Book of Saints.

By: Mark Wilson

### **Saint Patrick Prayer**

God our Father, you sent Saint Patrick to preach your glory to the people of Ireland. By the help of his prayers, may all Christians proclaim your love to all men. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Maureen Regan

### **Ronald McDonald House**

The Ronald McDonald house has gotten a lot of volunteers this year. Volunteers from St. Luke leave early on Sunday mornings and go to the Ronald McDonald House in Philadelphia and cook meals for the families who stay there. Not only are you doing service, but it is also fun to do. If you missed it this year, don't worry; there will be more chances next year. This is a great opportunity for you to get some service hours and have a good time as well. I encourage you to attend this service project whenever you get the chance.

Anna Fiorella



### Spring

Goodbye to snow until next year  
Goodbye bare trees and dark  
nights  
Hello beautiful flowers and rain  
Hello to nights that seem like they  
last forever  
Hello beautiful flowers and rain

By Maura Angiolillo



God in Heaven,  
We need you now more than ever  
We lost someone we thought we  
would never  
Take her soul up to you please  
It would set our hearts at ease  
We know she is safe with you up  
there  
Please love her, and take very  
could care  
We pray for her every single day  
and night  
Hold her close to your heart, hold  
her very tight  
And as we move on we will never  
forget  
But most of all we will never regret  
Amen.

Madeleine Brownsey

## March Word Search

by Teresita Liebel

U M H J B L U W J A X I Y P R  
J Q C U O C E L E P Z H X E U  
N T N X X E W W I T M X S O Z  
C N J P V X S B H U H U Q A S  
Y D N A C H F P P H R G Y L K  
S S E N I P P A H R N J I R V  
A K D K T L L V E I P M S C M  
Y E C H M S E C R X G P K Y Q  
F T U O G F T P I E U L C S F  
S K E Q R I S Z D Q F P I G T  
Y U H O O M E A S T E R R G G  
K G S N B A A B K D V Q T E E  
S R N E P R P H W P N P A C R  
D H N E J C U C S Z E U P H V  
Q U K M A H B X R X G Y S D L

BUNNY  
EASTER  
HAPPINESS  
JOSEPH  
PATRICK  
SHAMROCK

CANDY  
EGGS  
JESUS  
MARCH  
RESURRECTION  
SPRING



### Drillbit Taylor

Owen Wilson starred in this movie. He plays a homeless guy that lives on the streets of LA. He

encounters 3 High School kids who are being bullied and are looking for someone to protect them. He tells them stories of how good he is and can do it. He pretends to be a teacher hanging out at school but is later found out to be a homeless guy who is AWOL (Absent Without Leave) from the Army. The boys learn some lessons along the way. In the end there is a big meeting between the boys and the bully, which has some interesting events happen at it. I give this movie 3 out of 4 stars.

Mark Wilson

### **St. Luke's Track**

St. Luke's track is preparing for another fantastic season. Mr. Conway, the head coach, has been practicing with the team two days a week. The team is hoping for a successful, winning season. The first meet was on Sunday, March 30<sup>th</sup>. The team tested their skills and tried every race. Everyone performed to perfection. The meets will be held every Sunday at one o'clock at LaSalle High School. St. Luke students should try and come to cheer on their school. It's a great way to show school spirit!

Emily McCauley

### Softball

**Saint Luke's softball has started again. This year there are three teams. There is a seventh and eighth A team, a sixth and seventh grade Varsity team and a sixth and seventh grade Junior Varsity team. The A team is coached by Jackie Ecker and Katie Griffiths, the Varsity team coached by Mr. Kraynik and Mrs. McGrath, the Junior Varsity team by Mr. Dugan. The teams are practicing and working hard. The seasons for all of these teams are starting very soon. Good luck to all of the teams this year!**

**Claire Salazar**

The 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grade softball girls had a tryout and they all did great! They all worked very hard to impress the coaches, and they sure did. The coaches had a very tough decision to make but all the teams were fairly picked! Good Job girls!

By: Maura Brownsey

## Review Reservoir

### Jumper

Jumper is a movie about a man named David (Hayden Christensen) who is able to teleport to any place in the world. Raised by an abusive father, he leaves his home in New England and basically lives off robbing banks with his ability. We are then introduced to a man named Roland (Samuel L. Jackson) who is a paladin. Paladins are people who hunt down these people like David, called Jumpers. While in Rome with his girlfriend, Millie (Rachel Bilson), he is met by a pack of paladins, and escapes, meeting a fellow Jumper named Griffin (Jamie Bell). Together, they make a plot to take down the paladins, specifically Roland.

This movie was par, bad at times, and amazing at times. The special effects were absolutely amazing. I never for one second noticed a flaw in the effects. I had a big problem with the acting though. Jamie Bell and Rachel Bilson were excellent, but Samuel L. Jackson and Hayden Christensen weren't as good. Hayden Christensen was just plain terrible. I made a mental note to never see any of his movies again, just because I cannot for the life of me stand his acting. Samuel L. Jackson was okay, but he seemed to unbelievable with how much emotion he put into his character. He didn't act like you would think his character would. The plot was very good, but it wasn't adapted very well, it seemed a bit rushed to me. I would give this movie 2 and a half stars out of 5.

Joe McNiff

### **Boys Varsity Baseball**

It's baseball season and Saint Luke is ready to play. Thirty-one boys signed up for varsity baseball. We had 2 conditioning practices in the gym and about 5 outdoor practices before tryouts. Tryouts were March 29. Around 13 boys made the "A" team coached by Mr. Gambino and Greg Getner. The "B" team will consist of around 17 or 18 boys. The "B" team will be coached by Mr. Manero and Mr. O'Neil. This year the varsity will play at Penbryn Park. Both teams are looking forward to a great season.

Gabe Dwyer