

## **Pictorial Directory Will Be a Parish Family Album**

I am excited to announce that, for the first time since the parish merger in 2002, **we are creating a portrait directory of our church family!** This is great, because we need one really badly. I cannot tell you how many times I use the old, outdated SFB and Divine Word directories, only to find you're not in there.

A directory is an opportunity to unite our parish members in **a family album**. It will help us all, old-timers and newcomers, to put names and faces together, and it can be a powerful outreach tool for sharing our church with visitors and friends. It is also a lasting keepsake full of memories. And it will be fun.

Please participate!! All you need to do is have your picture taken and pick up your proofs with the photographer. In return for your participation, you will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and a free pictorial directory. That's it; that's all. Really! You may schedule your photography appointment on the weekends of June 11-12 and June 18-19 right after Sunday Mass in the gathering area of church. The photography itself will be done in the church hall beginning August 9th.

Here's what will happen. During your photography appointment, you will have your photo taken and view your proofs all in one visit. This will save you time and effort. The program is made available because many parishioners will purchase additional portraits. Portrait orders will also be taken right at the time of your photography appointment. So come prepared to purchase your additional selections, or nothing at all.

Pam and Ben on our staff have been working hard on this project, and they think you will be very pleased. I know I'll sure be pleased with a new pictorial directory, and I want to see your face in it.

If you have questions, please call Pam Tourek at the parish office, 377-1070 ext. 221. And remember, whether your portrait will be a family of ten, a couple of two, or just you alone, we want you in our directory as a recognizable, valuable, smiling parish member.

*Father Eichenberger*

- Written by Fr. Tom Eichenberger for the St. Francis Borgia parish bulletin, June 5, 2005