

MINISTRY FAIR AUGUST 29, 30

SHARING TIME & TALENT

It's not really OUR time & OUR talent. They were entrusted to us. By God. For a purpose. There are many reasons. He loves us. He loves all our brothers and sisters, too. We are to receive these gifts with gratitude, nurture them, develop them and use them to share His love and care with others – as a way of sharing Him with our brothers & sisters.

We'll review our present commitments of time and talent and consider new commitments.

- Teaching – scripture readings, homilies, bulletin flyer
- Lay Witness talk at Masses Aug 15 & 16
- New Time and Talent Opportunities booklet & commitment response form provided Aug 29, 30 – also on website
Put completed commitment response forms in the Offertory collection on a succeeding weekend.
- Ministry Fair (featuring exhibits, mixing & prize drawings)
 - Ministry Fair and parish-provided light supper of lasagna, Olive Garden salad, garlic bread & ice cream sundaes begin after 5 pm Mass Saturday and continue to 8 pm
 - Ministry Fair and coffee & donuts begin after 8:30 am Sunday Mass and continue to 2 pm
 - after 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses Sunday Aug 30 (with coffee & donuts)
 - Balloon Lady entertains from noon to 2 pm Sunday.

Drawing prizes:

- Two \$50 gift certificates from El Azteca Restaurante Mexicano & Cantina (Dayton Avenue)
- Two \$20 gift certificates from Hickory Park Restaurant
- Four \$15 gift certificates from Hickory Park Restaurant
- Two gift certificates from Hansen Sinclair (\$20 fuel, lube, oil & filter change & mini-detail of same vehicle)
- Several musical and athletic items for 12 year olds and younger

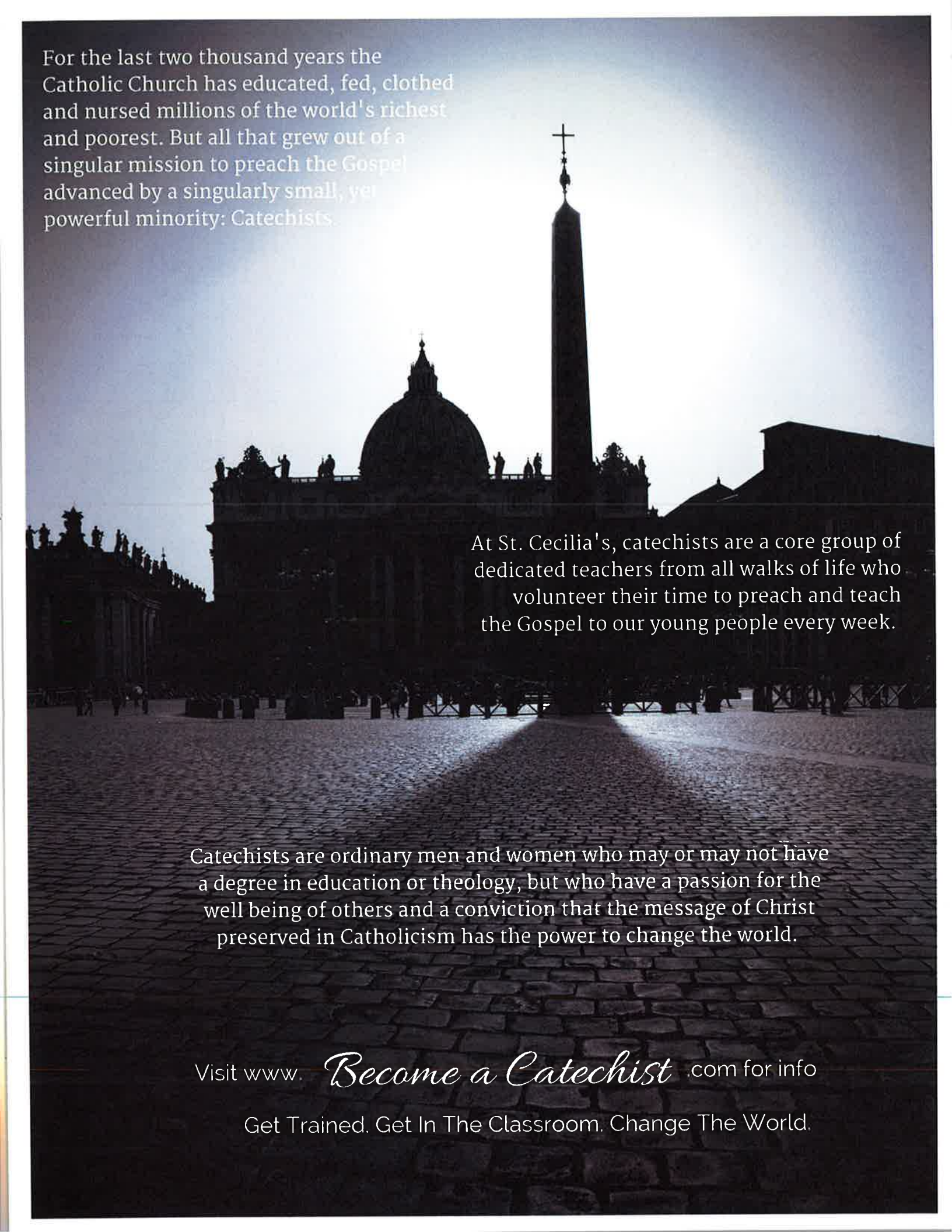
Schedule for August 29:

9 am Saturday – Work crews will begin setting up tables and decorating.

Noon Saturday – Exhibitors may begin setting up their displays.

Stewardship

A Way of Life!



For the last two thousand years the Catholic Church has educated, fed, clothed and nursed millions of the world's richest and poorest. But all that grew out of a singular mission to preach the Gospel advanced by a singularly small, yet powerful minority: Catechists.

At St. Cecilia's, catechists are a core group of dedicated teachers from all walks of life who volunteer their time to preach and teach the Gospel to our young people every week.

Catechists are ordinary men and women who may or may not have a degree in education or theology, but who have a passion for the well being of others and a conviction that the message of Christ preserved in Catholicism has the power to change the world.

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