For the Holy Sacrament of Confirmation

Holy Family Sunday, January 11, 2004

Celebrant: His Excellency, Bishop Robert McKenna, O.P.

Sponsors: John and Rita Dumbacher

Celeste Marie Olson Howard Burchfield, III Angela Marie Henderson Charlotte Cover Victoria Yvonne Henderson Albert Edward Patterson, V Elizabeth Anne Patterson Christine Jean Cover *Hi*shley Holmes Brianna Marie Kelly Marie Catherine Patterson James Cover Virginia Marie Patterson Gerald Kelley, Jr. Sarah Cover *Agnes Marie Fuller* Adrienne Suzanne Liburdi Glena Roberts Richard Martin Kristin Roberts Isaac Francis Fuller Stefen Roberts William Martin Michael David Fuller Andrew Joseph Hand Judith Anne Smith Ethan Muchtbauer

John Francis Hand Man Olson N.B.: THE CONFIRMATION NAME CARDS ARE AVAILABLE THIS MORNING (ON THE TABLE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ISLE) – PLEASE FILL ONE OUT BEFORE MASS AND HAND IT TO THE BISHOP WHEN IT IS YOUR TURN TO BE CONFIRMED. <u>PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND NEATLY.</u>

Dorothy Frene Mullan

Christopher Michael Hand

William Wyman Vintson

Michael Winland

************ Of the Good Will Required to Become Saints

"The first means of attaining virtue, which seems the most easy, and is in reality the most difficult, is to will it; but with a sincere, entire, efficacious, and constant will. And oh how rare is this good will! We imagine we will a thing, but in truth and reality we do not will it at all. We may have desires, longings, purposes, wishes; but that is not having a strong and determined will. We wish to be devout, but in our own way up to a certain

wishing. We do not carry our wishes into practice; we are discouraged as soon as it is necessary to put our hand to the work, to overcome obstacles or set them aside, to fight against our faults, to struggle with nature and all its evil propensities. We wish today perhaps; we begin gravely, but alas! Our energies are soon relaxed. We undertake, and

point, and provided it does not cost us too much. We wish, and we are contented with

then we give up. We do not wish to see that everything depends upon perseverance." (Manual for Interior Souls – A Collection of Unpublished Writings, Reverend Father Grou, S.J., 1913, Chap. III)