



St. John Parish

AUGUST 30 & 31, 2008

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Greeters: Ronald Thacker Children

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Keyboard: Connie Heskamp

Songleader: Youth Group

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Sacristans: Dan & Vicki Konrade

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