



October 9, 2005 – Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I can do all things in him who strengthens me." *Philippians 4:13*

† Servant Leader †

Greetings to you, dear brothers and sisters. First let me thank all who have responded so far to our **Legacy Restoration Appeal**. It has been wonderful to see the generous faith-filled response of a number of parishioners. I know there are many still to come, and after this weekend's collection we will have a good idea of how successful this appeal will be. Please continue to pray that it will go well. On the 2nd Sunday of each month you will find envelopes for the Legacy Appeal available. For the next 5 years as your Legacy donations come in, the parish loan from the diocese will be repaid, we will not have the interest expense, and monies will be available for improvements as these are needed over the years. I am hopeful that a finance report at the end of fiscal year 2005-06 will be satisfactory and encouraging to all of us. **I ask everyone to please do your best.**

A second important item for your consideration at this time is the upcoming Masses for the deceased, during the month of November. In the Book of Macabees we read that, "It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead." The church has a long tradition of doing so, especially offering Masses on All Souls Day, November 2, and remembering the dead throughout the month of November. This year we will not mail out All Souls envelopes but they are available in your stewardship envelope and at the various exits of the church. Please fill in the names you wish on the envelope and return it with whatever donation you make for these Masses, either in the Sunday collection or drop it off at the office. You can do this anytime from now on. We will offer reminders on the Sundays between now and November 2.

Also on this Sunday we pray with the Holy Father and the Bishops at the Synod on the Eucharist taking place in the Vatican this week. This is so important for the church as the Mass is the center of our worship. The Holy Father states, "The Church's

doctrine on the Eucharist must be presented to the faithful in a manner that is adapted to the present time." Pope Benedict remarked that while the Church's doctrine on the Eucharist is unchanging, the manner of presenting that doctrine should be examined, to ensure that the eternal truths are presented as effectively as possible to a contemporary audience. "The Eucharist can be seen as a lens, through which we can continually examine the face and the path of the Church which Christ founded, so that everyone can come to know the love of God and find the fullness of life in Him," the Pope said.

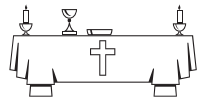
The Pope noted that the Synod will close on October 23, which is Mission Sunday. That coincidence, he remarked, should, "Help us contemplate the Eucharistic mystery in a missionary perspective. The Eucharist is the force of the Church's evangelizing effort, and Christian communities without the Eucharistic celebration lose their authentic nature." We will have a special celebration of the Eucharist on the feast of Christ the King to close the Year of the Eucharist.

Finally, October is a month traditionally consecrated to the Rosary, "that singular contemplative prayer with which - guided by the heavenly Mother of the Lord - we fix our eyes on the face of the Redeemer." Pope Benedict called for a "providential re-flowering of Catholic devotion to the Rosary - inspired by the example and teaching of our beloved Pope John Paul."

I hope you are being enriched by the articles on the Eucharist each week in the bulletin. I hope also that you find the celebration of Mass at Holy Family a time of prayer, closeness to God and each other, and a blessing for your spiritual life. It is a blessing for Fr. Santiago and myself to celebrate the holy Mass with the faithful of Holy Family Parish. Again, God bless and reward you for your faithful love and generosity in so many ways.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday: Richard Bartucco +
Tuesday: Cynthia Nedich -Int.
Wednesday: Bishop Joseph DePalma +
Stephen DePalma +
Saturday: Michael Guerra +; Paula Ericson -Int.
Bud & Missie Phelps -Int.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon: Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32
Tue: Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41
Wed: Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46
Thu: Rom 3:21-30; Lk 11:47-54
Fri: Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7 (*St. Callistus I*)
Sat: St. Teresa of Jesus: Rom 4:13,16-18; Lk 12:8-12
Sun: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Is 45:1,4-6; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

PRAYER CORNER

Please remember in your prayers:
Marcel Arnal, Mary Avila, Cody Bartley, Ray Bechler, Teresa Bennett Smith, Charles Black, Jill Boyd, Diane Cummings, Maria Dixon, Andrew Flores, Roman Fontana, Evelyn Gonsalves, Robert Gonzaga, Felix Gradel, Max Guerra, Charlene Gutierrez, J. Gutierrez, R. Gutierrez, Gary Hayes, Stanley Hayes, Tina Karlin, Jenny Kam, Betty Kava, Esther Layfield, Mafua Family, Maria Mamaog, Maria Martinez, Earl Mattingly, Jenine Michilena, Mary Nekrassoff, Eleanor Obmann, Bud Phelps, Peter Popjevalo, Fr. Powers, Christine Regan, Fred Regan, Zan Rockett, Charles Schneider, Katherine Schottgen, Richard Seward, Judy Smoot, Jo Ster, Clement Sweeney, D. Sweeney, Maureena Sutton, Francis Thomas, I. Thompson, X. Thompson, Bishop Weigand, Bob Westbrook, Jessie Williams, Lani Zacherson



Holy Family School

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL'S students, faculty, and staff are going into high gear this week to prepare for next weekend's Parish Festival. The Raffle Ticket Sale Competition among the classes has escalated as several classes are determined to beat Mr. Marsolais' 7th Graders who again hold the lead. Students in kindergarten through fourth grades are getting more excited each day as their time in the spotlight draws nearer. All in those grades will perform after the noon Mass on Sunday, October 16. Faculty and staff members have joined the parents to prepare the individual game and food booths, and the entire community expects a fun-filled weekend! Plan to join us!

YOUTH MINISTRY

YOUTH HELP NEEDED AT THE PARISH FESTIVAL:

Jr. High and High School youth are invited to help at the annual Parish Festival next weekend, October 15th & 16th. To offer your assistance or for more information, please call Jen & Scot at 721-8329.

YOUTH'S IN LITURGICAL MINISTRY:

A special training session is being offered on Sunday, October 30th at 1:00 pm in the church for Jr. High and High School youth who are interested in serving the parish as liturgical ministers - lectors, greeters, ushers and more. All youth are encouraged (as are all parishioners) to serve the Lord and your parish family through active ministry. For more information call the Youth Ministry Office at 721-8329 or email holyfamilycym@yahoo.com.

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WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION: NEXT WEEKEND:

Sunday October 23rd, WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, calls every Catholic to celebrate, at the Eucharist, our vocation to be missionary and to help the Missions. As Catholics around the world - here at home and in the Missions - gather at the Eucharist around the table of the Lord, let us...

- PRAY for the Church's worldwide missionary work
- OFFER FINANCIAL HELP through the PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH for more than 1,150 dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands.

Holy Family Parish will take up a second collection next weekend, October 15 & 16, for World Mission Sunday. Please be generous.

FOLLOW-UP: SAINTS GO MARCHING WALKATHON

We would like to thank our generous parish for donating \$685.15 on Sept 25/26 to the Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home's annual fundraiser. Additional donations have come in bringing the total to date of \$810.15! In this time of high gas prices and many needs, your generosity is indeed remarkable. We also thank Deacon Mark for walking in the "Saints Go Marching Walkathon."

PARISH VOCATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The Holy Family Parish Vocations Committee will be meeting at 7:00 pm on Tuesday, October 11, 2005, in the Math Classroom. Please gather at 6:45 pm in the chapel for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

For more information, please contact Young Stewart at 332-8732 (or email at ystewart@prodigy.net)

(The Math Classroom is just outside the north/west entrance of the church. For better directions to the meeting room, please call the Parish Office at 723-2494.)

STEWARDSHIP - TREASURE

GENERAL COLLECTION

Weekly Goal	\$	10,500.00
Sep 11	\$	10,394.00
Sep 18	\$	9,648.00
Sep 25	\$	8,856.00
Oct 2	\$	12,111.00
YEAR-TO-DATE	\$	145,607.00
Goal-to-Date (14 Weeks)	\$	147,000.00
% of Goal Collected		99.05 %
Annual Goal	\$	546,000.00

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COLLECTION

Weekly Goal	\$	3,750.00
Sep 11	\$	2,640.00
Sep 18	\$	2,020.00
Sep 25	\$	1,450.00
Oct 2	\$	6,197.50
YEAR-TO-DATE	\$	39,098.84
Goal-to-Date (14 Weeks)	\$	52,500.00
% of Goal Collected		74.47 %
Annual Goal	\$	195,000.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Catholic Faith Formation	\$	2,489.00
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In today's second reading, St. Paul thanks the Philippians for being willing to share in his hardships and promises that God, in turn, will fully supply all their needs. Our God truly cannot be outdone in generosity!

Today's Second Collection

Our first monthly Legacy offering!

Holy Family Catholic Church
Legacy

ATTENTION CATHOLIC LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY:

Mark your calendars for November 13, 2005. The Holy Family Women's Council will be hosting a luncheon for the benefit of the Catholic Ladies' Relief Society. Watch future bulletins for more information.

PRO-LIFE MASS AND ROSARY—OCTOBER 14th:

You are invited to attend the next Pro-Life Mass Friday, October 14th at Holy Family at 8:30AM. Pro-Life rosary will follow Mass. **Please read the following: California needs**

Proposition 73 (parental consent initiative)

- FACT: In California, a girl under the age of 18 cannot attend a field trip or take an aspirin dispensed by the school nurse without a parent's consent. Their daughter can however have arrangements made by the school or a friend for transportation to an abortion clinic to have a secret or chemical abortion.
- FACT: California Legislative Analyst estimated that Proposition 73 could reduce minor's abortions by up to 25%.

PROTECT OUR DAUGHTERS—VOTE YES ON PROPOSITION 73 on November 8th! For further information please contact Sally Fisher at (916) 780-5305.

RESPECT LIFE ESSAY CONTEST:

Catholics for Life is sponsoring a Respect Life Essay Contest. A \$250.00 prize will be awarded to the first place student winner and a second prize of \$150.00 will be awarded for second place. All high school age students living in the Diocese of Sacramento are invited to participate. This includes those in public or parochial school and students who are home schooled. Contestants are to research and write an original PRO-LIFE essay. The topic of the essay is:

"How does abortion hurt women's equality as well as degrade individual women?"

Essays will be judged on the students ability to articulate her or his understanding of the issues, to present current facts and information and to include the message of the Gospel in relation to those issues. The essay should be typed, 1500 words or less, on 8 1/2" x 11" pages and single sided. All essays are due by January 3, 2006. Essays can be mailed to:

Catholics for Life
c/o Sally Fisher, Educational Chair
3 Somer Ridge Drive #127
Roseville, CA 95661-5265

Essays can be e-mailed to: sally@bigvalley.net. Please send the essay in the body of the e-mail and not as an attachment. If you have any questions please call Sally at (916) 780-5305. CATHOLICS FOR LIFE will gratefully accept sponsorship to offset the cost of prize money.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH FESTIVAL

NEXT WEEKEND!

OCTOBER 15TH & 16TH:

JOIN YOUR PARISH FAMILY FOR

GREAT FOOD, GREAT FUN AND GREAT ENTERTAINMENT!

More game booths, great kids attractions, 6 food booths, Tri-Tip Dinner Saturday night, craft booths, wine booth, live entertainment and DJ music, and much, much more - all the ingredients for a great weekend at Holy Family (even an ATM machine on site!)

Parish Festival Craft Booth Forms are available in the school office for anyone wanting to display and sell their products at the Festival. Forms must be returned by Wednesday, October 12th.

We are still in need of items for the Sweet Shoppe. And, there is always room for more volunteers at the many booths. Anyone willing to help with the festival, please contact the festival co-chairs at 2004festival@surewest.net or via phone at 988-5171 for Michelle Stofan, 726-4154 for Alison Andrade, and 797-4843 for Jennifer Bishop.

RAFFLE NEWS:

Only one week left before we party hearty at our annual parish festival. We are now over \$10,000 with the biggest ticket turn-in week yet to come. Thanks to all who turned in tickets early. The following have each won \$100 in our Early Bird drawings. Your prizes are in the mail:

John Tallman, Lopez Cousineau Family, Peter Gallenberger, Maryann James, and Rachel Obmann

You can still be part of Holy Family history. Extra tickets are at the doors of the church and you can turn in your tickets through the collections next week or bring them to the raffle booth at the festival. Thanks for all that you have done this year. Don Marsolais, Raffle Chairman

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet. . ." Bring your Bible as we study holy scripture in the Sunday readings. Classes are held in the Faith Formation classroom of the Community Center, Wednesdays from 9:30 to 11:00 am. Come join us in our journey of faith!

THURSDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY:

Let the Word of God be forever on our minds, forever on our lips and forever in our hearts. . . Come join us for Bible Study on Thursday nights from 7-9 pm in the Faith Formation classroom of the Community Center. We are currently in the Books of Kings.

CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME:

If you or someone you know has been away from the Church for whatever reason, we invite you to attend CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME, Thursdays at 7:00 pm in the Math Classroom For more details, please call the Parish Office at 723-2494.



Health Ministry

LIFE SCREENING APPOINTMENTS

If you still wish to make an appointment, or have not yet received a scheduled time for your appointment for the Life Screening testing to be held at Holy Family Community Center on October 14, 2005, please call 1-800-324-1851. Wishing you healthy testing!

NEWS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE - AND BEYOND

COME ENCOUNTER JESUS

You are invited to share in the Divine Savior Catholic Parish Mission, October 17th-19th, presented by Fr. Cedric Pisegna, CP, who previously served at Christ the King Retreat Center and has presented missions for Holy Family Parish in the past. The Mission will consist of daily mass at 9:30 am and an evening presentation at 7:00 pm. Child care will be provided for the evening sessions. For more information, please contact Brenda Daly at 351-8214.



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SACRAMENTO LIFE CENTER SALUTE TO LIFE DINNER & AUCTION

The Sacramento Life Center's 2005 Salute to Life Dinner & Auction, proudly sponsored by Hanson McClain, will be held on Friday, November 4th at the downtown Sheraton Grand Hotel. This is the Life Center's major fundraising event of the year. Tickets are on sale for \$115 a person until September 30th and \$130 a person after that date. Table hosts may purchase a table of 10 for \$1,000 before September 30th and \$1,200 after that date.

For information on attending, sponsoring or purchasing raffle tickets, please contact Donalee Hallenbeck at (916) 451-4357.

The Sacramento Life Center, with clinics in Sacramento and Roseville, is a nonprofit licensed health facility providing free services to women and teens, enabling them to choose life for their unborn children. www.saclife.org

ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE PRODUCTION LITTLE WOMEN, AN ORIGINAL ADAPTATION

Louisa May Alcott's beloved novel, *Little Women*, has enchanted readers since its publication in 1868. Now it will enchant audiences again in an adaptation by St. Francis High School Senior, Elizabeth Shirey.

The show runs October 14-16 and 20-22, with matinee performances at 1:30 PM on Saturdays and evening performances at 7:30 PM. Come experience theatre in the beautiful new St. Francis High School Performing Arts Center, 5900 Elvas Avenue, Sacramento.

Ticket are \$5 for students (any school, with ID) \$10 general. Tickets are available by calling 916-452-3461. ext. 200 or online through www.ticketguys.com/stfrancis.

CURSILLO WEEKEND FOR WOMEN:

Sacramento Cursillo in English will have a women's weekend November 3-6, 2005. Cursillo is a short course of Christianity. For applications & more information, please contact Jennifer Cunha at 916-984-0625, or www.sacramentocursillo.org.

CATECHETICAL KICK-OFF - WHOLE COMMUNITY CATECHESIS:

The Diocese of Sacramento is presenting Catechetical Kick-Off on Whole Community Catechesis on Saturday, October 15, from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm at St. Paul's Catholic Church, 8720 Florin Road in Sacramento. Please join our parishes and Newman communities as we welcome Mr. Bill Huebsch, President of 23rd Publications, and our many exhibitors, as he facilitates a fresh approach to a life changing catechesis that will involve all members of your community. Cost: \$25, includes lunch. To register or for more info, call Claudia at 916-733-0138.

CATHOLIC PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS BREAKFAST CLUB:

The Club meets next on Weds, Oct 12th from 7:00 to 8:30 a.m. at the Hilton Sacramento Arden West, 2200 Harvard, Sacramento (Business 80 & Arden Way West). Marjorie Campbell, mother, attorney and former professor of law, will address the topic of feminism and the writings of Pope John Paul II on women. To reserve your place, please register by calling (916) 930-1144 by Monday, Oct 10, at 12:00 noon.



Franciscans living in the world wear this reminder of their commitment to a Gospel life. If you are married or single and you feel the call from God to embrace a Franciscan lifestyle, call today to learn more.

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Local Fraternity, call: Margaret Reynolds, 726-9110.

"OPEN HOUSE" AT LOCAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS AND THEIR PARENTS

JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL -	Sunday, October 9, 2005 from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm. TODAY!
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS HIGH SCHOOL -	Sunday, October 9, 2005 from 1:00 to 4:00 pm. TODAY!
LORETTO HIGH SCHOOL -	Sunday, October 16, 2005 from 12:00 noon to 3:00 pm.
ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL -	Sunday, October 23, 2005 from 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

ARTICLE 21 : SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

[As part of our ongoing celebration of the Year of the Eucharist, Holy Family presents each week this series "Three Minute Liturgical Catechesis through the remainder of the church year.]

"Hey, Father. Why don't we move the sign of peace to the beginning of Mass so that we would greet each other as we start rather than waiting until Communion time?" Many pastors have heard that suggestion over the years. It has this element of truth: We should greet one another as we gather for worship. The body of Christ needs to assemble as one body, and that means we need to be hospitable toward everyone who gathers with us.

That is not the purpose of the sign of peace, however. This ancient ritual gesture was restored to our liturgy after the Second Vatican Council. Though it had once found its place after the General Intercessions, for many centuries the Roman Rite has made it part of our preparation for Communion.

The earlier spot for this gesture placed it before the presentation of the gifts, linking it to Christ's command: "Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar, and there recall that your brother has anything against you, leave your gift there at the altar, go first and be reconciled with your brother, and then come and offer your gift" (Matt. 5:23-24).

Putting the sign of peace within the Communion Rite serves a similar function. It reminds us that we dare not approach the altar of the Lord for Communion if we are not willing to be reconciled with the other members of Christ's body. Some people have complained that the sign of peace interrupts their preparation for Communion, but this suggests that they really don't understand the meaning of Communion.

Communion unites us with every member of Christ's body. Anything that separates us from one another needs to be surrendered before we approach the table. The sign of peace gives us an opportunity to express our unity. This may mean reconciling with someone who is estranged from us, or it may simply mean reminding ourselves that we belong to one another. In both cases, we will be better prepared to enter into Communion with one another in Christ.

The peace that we wish for one another is the peace of Christ, the peace that Christ promised those who live in him. The Hebrew word for peace, shalom, means more than the absence of war or conflict. It suggests a state of complete harmony with God, with nature, with others and with ourselves. That's the gift we seek for ourselves and for all our brothers and sisters.

Part of the problem in understanding the sign of peace, perhaps, is our custom of using just a handshake for this ritual. This gesture suggests a standard greeting rather than a prayerful wish for Christ's peace. The official books simply say that we should make an appropriate sign of peace according to local custom. Perhaps we might try a two-handed handclasp to remind ourselves that this means more than a simple hello.

However you make the gesture, it fulfills its function if it makes us more aware of the love of Christ that binds us to one another. That's what Communion strengthens, and the sign of peace points the way.

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ST. GALL CATHOLIC CHURCH IN GARDNERVILLE, NEVADA, HAS THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS OPEN:

YOUTH DIRECTOR/CONFIRMATION COORDINATOR: Certified Youth Director on related fields in theology or working towards becoming certified. Ability to communicate and work 'with parish members, competent as an educator. Ability to develop and utilize volunteers. Organizational management and communication skills. Ability to reflect theologically and pastorally with others. Strong faith that translates into a Catholic lifestyle. (Part-Time Salary \$14-16,000,00 annually.) Salary commensurate with education and experience.

DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Certified catechist or related fields in theology, or working towards becoming certified. Ability to communicate and work with other parish ministers. Ability to guide and utilize volunteers. Competent as an educator, organizational management and communication skills. Ability to reflect theologically and pastorally with others. Strong faith that translates into a Catholic lifestyle and willingness to share the story of his/her faith journey . An enthusiastic desire to bring God's love into family life. A recognition of the theology of the pastor, parish and the ability to develop a religious education program to support and promote growth in the community. (Full-Time Salary at \$26-30,000.00 annually.) Salary commensurate with education and experience.

Call the St. Gall church office for further details – (775)782-2852.

DIRECTORIO DEL APOSTOLADO HISPANO

Pbro. Santiago Raudes 723-2494 / 723-1665
(Jueves y Viernes en la oficina)

Catecismo: Daniela Rodríguez 859-0718
Coordinador Litúrgico: Francisco Borja 723-6309
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481-2963
Proclamadores de la Palabra: Rosita Belongie 967-5830
Acólitos: Maggie González 721-4886
Hospitalidad: Jorge Chávez 728-2144
Ministerio de Música: Nora Borja 723-6309
Ángela López 459-6058
RICA para Adultos: Angelita Carrillo 285-6715
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Francisco Borja 723-6309

BAUTISMOS

El calendario para bautismos es el siguiente:

Clases Bautismos

(En el Centro Comunitario) (En el templo)

Octubre 2005 Las **Clases** serán: lunes 17, 6:30 p.m. y
lunes 24, 7:00 p.m. Los **bautizos** serán el sábado 29 de
Oct, 11:00 a.m.

Noviembre 2005 Las **clases** serán: lunes 14, 6:30 p.m. y
lunes 21, 7:00 p.m. Los **bautizos** serán el sábado 26 de
Noviembre, 11:00 a.m.

- FAVOR de NO venir con niños chiquitos.
- Deben venir tanto los padres como los padrinos.
- La familia debe estar registrada con la Iglesia.
- Traer una copia del acta de nacimiento del niño(a) el primer lunes de las clases.
- Los padrinos (hombre y mujer) debe vivir según las normas de la Iglesia. Si viven juntos, deben de estar casados por la Iglesia y tienen que traer una copia de su acta de matrimonio religioso, el primer lunes de las clases.
- El costo por las pláticas prebautismales es de \$25 por niño.

Se deberá liquidar el primer lunes de las clases, entregando el pago al instructor. Las pláticas son en St. Mary's Hall, en el Centro Comunitario.

Para más información hable con Lupita Wandry al 489-3673.

OREMOS POR NUESTROS ENFERMOS:

Ana Manuela López	Marcela Henríquez
Horacio Raudes	Lupita Wandry
David Ramos	Padre Troy Powers
Miki de León	Alicia Rivas
René Rivas	Martha Valadez
Miriam Bustamante	Juan Ramos
Héctor Callejas	Marcela López

CERTIFICADOS DE PRIMERA COMUNION

Si tu hijo o hija hicieron la Primera Comunión entre Mayo del 2002 y Mayo del 2004, y no ha recogido el certificado, puedes hacerlo en la Oficina Parroquial con Maggie González. Si deseas más información comunícate al 723-2494 o al 721-4886.

MINISTERIO DE APOYO A FAMILIAS QUE HAN PERDIDO A UN SER QUERIDO

El Ministerio de Condolencias está comprometido a proveer de apoyo espiritual a las familias afectadas por la pérdida de un ser querido. El ministerio desea dar la bienvenida a todas aquellas personas que deseen dar algo de su tiempo apoyando a esta labor, haciendo oración y caminando muy de cerca con aquellos que han perdido algún familiar. Para mayores informes, favor de comunicarse con Daniela Rodríguez al 859-0718.

GRUPO DE JOVENES

Invitamos a todos los muchachos y muchachas de la comunidad hispana a venir al grupo de Jóvenes que se está reuniendo todos los sábados de 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. para jugar basketball y otras actividades divertidas. Nos estamos reuniendo en el Centro Comunitario. Invita a tus amigos y a otros jóvenes de tu familia. Para más información puedes llamarle a Rubén al 481-2963. ¡Te esperamos!

ADORACION AL SANTISIMO SACRAMENTO

Jesús está esperando por ti en la Capilla del Santísimo Sacramento. Toma un poco de tu tiempo para pasar una hora preciosa con El. La hoja para anotarse a la Adoración se encuentra en el vestíbulo a la entrada de la Iglesia. ¡Gracias por tu colaboración!

GRUPO DE ORACION

Invitamos a toda la comunidad hispana de la Sagrada Familia que se unan al Grupo de Oración que se reúne todos los miércoles a las 7:00 p.m. en el Salón Saint Mary del Centro Comunitario. Aprovecha esta oportunidad de estar un momento en intimidad con Dios y de convivir con tus hermanos. Si tienes Biblia, tráela.

MATRIMONIOS

El primer paso para iniciar el procedimiento de matrimonio es entrevistarse con el sacerdote o diacono seis meses antes de la fecha prevista. Recuerde que el padre Santiago se encuentra en la oficina únicamente los jueves y viernes de 9:30 AM a 4:00 PM. Es esencial obtener un acta de bautismo expedida recientemente de cada pareja cuando los dos son católicos.

QUINCEAÑERAS

Hablar con el sacerdote para reservar la Iglesia y disponibilidad del celebrante por lo menos tres meses antes de la quinceañera. Recuerde que el padre Santiago se encuentra en la oficina únicamente los jueves y viernes de 9:30 AM a 4:00 PM.