



October 30, 2005 – Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The one who humbles himself shall be exalted." Matthew 23:12

† Servant Leader †

With the Holy Day of All Saints coming up this week, I thought I'd share an article I read recently that briefly discusses holy days of obligation in the Catholic Church.

HOLY DAYS

Some days carry obligations. Birthdays, family reunions, and holidays oblige us to send cards, buy gifts, attend parties, reserve time, telephone, or stop by. Such events make up a calendar of observances whose obligations we honor out of love, even when they cause inconvenience. The Catholic Church also keeps a calendar of special days. Some of those rank so high in importance that we call them "holy days of obligation."

On holy days, the church asks us all to participate in the Eucharist. Technically, the obligation is not to "go to Mass" but to "participate" there. If you go to a birthday party but sit quietly in the back of the room, you have not really participated.

We also abstain from any work which keeps us from worship, stifles joy, or inhibits relaxation. The obligation for holy days is the same for Sundays. It is not just an obligation to attend Mass but an obligation of worship, happiness, and peace.

Although we observe six holy days in the United States, the universal church law nominates ten. Some of them celebrate the mystery of Christ: Christmas (December 25), Epiphany (January 6), Ascension (Thursday of the sixth week of Easter), and The Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Thursday after Trinity Sunday). Others gaze on the Blessed Virgin: Mary the Mother of God (January 1), Immaculate Conception (December 8), and Assumption (August 15). The rest concern others among the blessed: Saint Joseph (March 19), Saints Peter and Paul (July 29), and All Saints (November 1).

Every conference of bishops throughout the Catholic world may adjust the calendar. In the United States, our bishops have transferred the Epiphany and the Body and Blood of Christ to Sundays and have removed the obligation from the feasts of St. Joseph and Sts. Peter and Paul. In some parts of the country, Ascension has also been transferred to a Sunday.

Furthermore, when the feasts of Mary the Mother of God, Assumption, or All Saints fall on a Saturday or a Monday, the obligation is lifted to avoid burdening the schedule of priests. If you cannot fulfill the holy day obligation, talk to your pastor.

Please take notice of the schedule of Masses for All Saints published in today's bulletin. God Bless You

TODAY IS PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY

This one-day celebration of the American priesthood led by parish lay leaders will take place this Sunday, October 30. Catholic parishes throughout the United States will participate on this day by showing support for their priests with prayer, celebration and dialogue.

Take the opportunity today to show your appreciation to Fr. Kiernan and Fr. Santiago for answering God's call to serve!

ALL SAINTS DAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Tuesday, November 1st is a holy day of obligation. Masses will be celebrated as follows:

- 8:30 am - Regular Daily Mass schedule
- 10:00 am - School Mass (open to the parish)
- 6:00 pm - Holy Day Mass, English
- 7:30 pm - Holy Day Mass, Spanish

(There will be NO Vigil Mass on Monday, October 31st.)

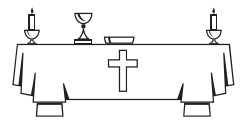
READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Mon: Rom 11:29-36; Lk 14:12-14
- Tue: All Saints: Rv 7:2-4,9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
- Wed: All Souls: Wis 3:1-9; Rom 5:5-11; Jn 6:37-40
- Thu: Rom 14:7-12; Lk 15:1-10 (St. Martin de Porres)
- Fri: St. Charles Borromeo: Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8
- Sat: Rom 16:3-9,16,22-27; Lk 16:9-15
- Sun: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wis 6:12-16; 1 Thes 4:13-18; Mt 25:1-13



MASS INTENTIONS

- Monday: Mary Jo Padilla +
Marie Anthonette DeGuzman +
- Tuesday: Andrei L. Perez -Int.
- Wednesday: Mohan Varghese +
Manuel Nedumala +
- Thursday: Helen Trejo +
- Friday: Dewain Koch +
- Saturday: Michael Guerra +



PRAYER CORNER

Please remember in your prayers:
Barbie Adorno, Peter Alvarez, Marcel Arnal, Mary Avila, Jack Barca, Cody Bartley, Ray Bechler, Teresa Bennett Smith, Charles Black, Jill Boyd, Chet Brown, Bernard Burke, Arlene Chapla, 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, Delia Lubinsky, Mafua Family, Maria Mamaog, Maria Martinez, Earl Mattingly, Jenine Michilena, Mary Nekrassoff, Msgr. Nolan, Eleanor Obmann, Bud Phelps, Peter Popjevalo, Sr. Mary Porter, Fr. Powers, Christine Regan, Fred Regan, Zan Rockett, Charles Schneider, Katherine Schottgen, Richard Seward, Judy Smoot, Jo Ster, Laura & Paul Studer, Clement Sweeney, D. Sweeney, Maureen Sutton, Francis Thomas, I. Thompson, X. Thompson, Bishop Weigand, Bob Westbrook, Jessie Williams, Lani Zacherson

YES ON 73

PROPOSITION 73 -

THE PARENTS RIGHT TO KNOW INITIATIVE:

Bishop Weigand along with all of our California Bishops are encouraging all Catholics to vote "yes" on Proposition 73. This initiative would require notification of the parent(s) or guardian(s) of a minor 48 hours before she obtains an abortion. **Vote YES on Proposition 73 to help promote parental responsibility.**

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF CALIFORNIA ENDORSES PROP 73 – THE PARENTAL NOTIFICATION INITIATIVE

The need to promote communication within families and the foundational relationship of parent to child were cited by Catholic Charities of California as reasons for its endorsement of Proposition 73, the Parental Notification Initiative. "The well-being of families and the development of our children is dependent upon communication," says Steve Pehanich, Executive Director of the statewide association of twelve agencies. "Government policy ought to affirm and encourage the growth of parent-child relationships, recognizing that the vast majority of parents place the well-being of their children above any other consideration."

Currently all medical procedures except abortion require parental involvement, from tattoos and body piercings to receiving an aspirin or cold medicine at school.

"It is illogical for the state to acknowledge the necessity of involving parents in important decisions about their children, but exclude one procedure. An abortion has the potential of imposing a deep emotional impact and a child should not have to go through that without a parent's knowledge. An abortion can affect a person's well-being into the future," points out Pehanich.

"Children can't leave school property for a field trip without parental permission, but they can leave in an unknown person's car and undergo an abortion without permission or notification. Proposition 73 would change that practice," says Pehanich.

Fr. Michael Kiernan endorses this position saying, "We are very concerned for families and work to promote life in the family. Parental notification can only be a good thing, allowing parents to be involved in an extremely important decision in a girl's young life."

Health Ministry

BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Have you been diagnosed with breast cancer? A group is being formed by survivors to support those who share that diagnoses. If you are interested in learning more about this group, please call the parish office at (916) 723-2494 ask for Mitzi Valerio.

Stewardship

~ a way of life ~

A NOTE FROM REV. LOUIS PAPES TO HOLY FAMILY COMMUNITY:

On behalf of **Food For Poor** and those we serve, I want to thank you for the warm welcome you extended to me and for the generous response you have been making to the mission appeal. It was an honor to celebrate Eucharist with you. Please keep us in your prayers, as we will surely keep you in ours.

Peace,
Fr. Lou Papes, Food For Poor

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:

There will be a second collection this weekend, October 29-30th, for our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Your continued support and generosity will allow us to continue helping those in need within the area of Holy Family Parish.

ALL SOULS COLLECTION ENVELOPES:

This year, envelopes for the annual ALL SOULS collection are included with your regular Sunday stewardship envelopes. There will be no separate mailing.

Mass for All Souls Day will be at 8:30 a.m. See the previous page for the All Saints Schedule.

STEWARDSHIP – TREASURE	
GENERAL COLLECTION	
Weekly Goal	\$ 10,500.00
Oct 2	\$ 12,111.00
Oct 9	\$ 8,674.00
Oct 16	\$ 9,102.00
Oct 23	\$ 8,747.00
YEAR-TO-DATE	\$ 172,130.00
Goal-to-Date (17 Weeks)	\$ 178,500.00
% of Goal Collected	96.43 %
Annual Goal	\$ 546,000.00
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COLLECTION	
Weekly Goal	\$ 3,750.00
Oct 2	\$ 6,197.50
Oct 9	\$ 2,270.00
Oct 16	\$ 1,687.50
Oct 23	\$ 790.00
YEAR-TO-DATE	\$ 43,846.34
Goal-to-Date (17 Weeks)	\$ 63,750.00
% of Goal Collected	68.78 %
Annual Goal	\$ 195,000.00
SECOND COLLECTION	
No Second Collection Taken	N/A
<i>"The greatest among you will be the one who serves the rest," Jesus says in today's Gospel. What wonderful good news for those who give of their time in service to others! Mt` 23:11</i>	



HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL students will celebrate three special liturgical events during the month of November. All Saints' Day, this Tuesday, November 1, will be observed by a special liturgy prepared and presented by Mrs. Murray's seventh grade class. A highlight of this Mass will be the traditional Parade of Saints. On Thursday, November 10, Mrs. Biller's fifth graders will honor all who have served our nation at a Veterans' Day Prayer Service. All parishioners who have served in the military at any time are invited to attend this event to be thanked and recognized. Uniforms are appropriate though optional. The final liturgical celebration of November will be the Thanksgiving Food Collection Mass on Friday, November 18. All ceremonies will be at 10 a.m. in the church.

YOUTH MINISTRY

YOUTH GROUP MEETING - NOVEMBER 6:

High school youth - please join us for our next Youth Group Meeting to be held next Sunday, Nov. 6th after the 6pm mass. The topic will be "**Having an Attitude of Gratitude.**"

TGIF ... TEENS GATHER IN FAITH

The next gathering for Jr. High youth will be held Friday, Nov. 11th from 6:30 - 9 pm. We are planning a special activity, and we need lots of parental help. If you can volunteer a few hours for the evening of the 11th, please call Jen or Scot immediately, 721-8329.



FAITH FORMATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PARENTS:

If you have not picked up your child's picture from last spring's First Holy Communion and Confirmation, please call us or stop by the Faith Formation Office. The office is open every Sunday morning from 9:30 am until 12:00 pm. These photos are a wonderful way to remember this awesome event in your child's life of receiving Our Lord's Love in two most beautiful Sacraments.

STILL TIME TO REGISTER:

There is still time to register your child for Sunday morning Religious Education classes; grades K-7. Our deadline for registration is November 6th for any child that will be receiving the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Please call Bonnie Johnson for info @ 726-7217.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA):

We have ongoing inquiry sessions for the RCIA on Wednesday evenings. If you or someone you know is thinking about joining the Catholic faith, please feel free to join us in the Sacristy, located in the back of the church, on Wednesday evenings at 7:30. You may also contact Deacon Mark through the faith formation office at 726-7217.



NEWS FROM THE KNIGHTS



BREAKFAST NEXT SUNDAY

Come join your parish family for breakfast next Sunday, November 6, from 7:00 to 11:00 am hosted by the Catholic Ladies Relief Society and the Knights of Columbus.

All proceeds from the November Breakfast will go to the Catholic Ladies Relief Society to help with Thanksgiving baskets. Please join us for a great breakfast, good company and a wonderful cause.

MANDATORY TRAINING CONCERNING THE CODE OF PASTORAL CONDUCT

In accordance with the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young people and Diocesan policy, all clergy, employees and volunteers currently ministering in the diocese of Sacramento are to be trained as soon as possible concerning The Code of Pastoral Conduct. We have already held two training sessions here at Holy Family. Our next training session will be Sunday, November 6th, from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 pm. We are working on another session which would take place on two consecutive Monday evenings beginning November 21st from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 pm and concluding the following Monday evening. Both of these sessions will be held in our Community Center. Please call Rebecca Kistler in the Faith Formation Office, 726-7217, to leave a message confirming your attendance.

NEWS FROM THE CATHOLIC LADIES RELIEF SOCIETY:

CLRS # 11 ANNUAL SF SHOPPING TRIP

Our annual shopping trip to San Francisco is scheduled for Saturday, December 3rd. The Bus will leave Holy Family at 7:30 am and arrive home at 7 pm. Cost is \$30 and is due November 1st. Please call Pat Leytem at 726-7821 for reservations.

CLRS # 11 WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

Sunday, November 6th, 8:00-1:00. What is a White Elephant? A White Elephant is a wonderful gift someone has given you which may be the wrong color, scent, or just doesn't fit into your home and is too nice to send to a Thrift Store. Maybe it's something you bought and you've lost the receipt or just an item purchased and never used. Come to the Knights Breakfast Nov. 6th and find bargains better than any discount store. For donations please call, Patti Carleton @ 722-8629 after 5 pm or Pat Leytem @ 726-7821.

ATTENTION ALL WOMEN!

Don't forget November 13, 2005! The Holy Family Women's Council will be hosting a luncheon from 1:00 to 3:00 pm for the benefit of the Catholic Ladies' Relief Society #11. Prizes and surprises galore! Price of admission: canned goods and non-perishables for their Holiday baskets. Must R.S.V.P. by November 9, 2005, to Anita Marsolais at 723-1775.

NEWS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE - AND BEYOND

VETERAN'S DAY PRAYER SERVICE:

Too often we let holidays such as Memorial Day, Labor Day, and Veteran's Day pass by with little thought. Our veterans are too important for that! Loretto High School invites everyone, especially Veterans and Families of Active Duty military, to a special prayer service on Monday evening, November 7th at 7 pm at Loretto High School. We will pray in thanksgiving for all those who serve or have served our country, as well as for an end to the war in Iraq. If you would like to submit a picture or name of a military loved one or veteran please email Ms. Jen Yearwood (jyearwood@loretto.net)



A DAY OF HEALING AT MERCY CENTER:

A day of healing for people dealing with grief and loss will be offered on Saturday, November 19 at St. Joseph's Church in Auburn from 9:15 am to 2:30 pm. The day will deal with how grief affects us physically, emotionally, psychologically and spiritually.

There will be time for prayer, ritual and sharing. For more information and reservations call Mercy Center at 530-887-2019. Walk-ins welcome. Light refreshments will be provided. Please bring your own lunch.

Suggestion donation: \$15. Facilitators: Sr. Margaret Ann Walsh & Horti Davis, Hospital Chaplain / Spiritual Director.

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.

BISHOP MANOGUE HS 20TH REUNION:

The Bishop Manogue Class of 1985 is celebrating their 20th reunion on Friday, November 11, 2005. For details, please contact Elaine Schrader-Scordakis at (916) 422-6092 or Jill Allen at (510) 409-0301.

IF YOU LIKE GOSPEL MUSIC, DON'T MISS THIS!

Precious Craft and The Voices of Faith

The nationally acclaimed Sacramento Gospel ensemble, The Voices of Faith, will be performing African-American Spirituals and Gospel Songs on Saturday, November 5, 2005, at 7:30 pm at St. Clare Catholic Church, 1950 Junction Boulevard in Roseville. An inter-denominational Gospel group, The Voices of Faith is a veteran of the Sacramento Jazz Festival directed by the charismatic musician, educator and composer, Dr. Precious Ben Craft. Tickets are \$15.00 for adults, \$7.50 for students. They are available by phone - Elaine (916)791-0216, or at the door. Be moved! Be inspired! Be entertained!



SACRAMENTO LIFE CENTER 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.



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 hers 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.

ALL NIGHT VIGIL FOR LIFE:

There will be an ALL Night Vigil for Life on November 4th and 5th at John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 5751 Locust Ave, Carmichael. The Vigil begins on Friday at 9:00 pm and ends on Saturday with 7:00 AM Mass.

Because of the Life Center Salute to Life Dinner & Auction, the Friday night Mass will be celebrated after the dinner at approximately 10:00 pm. Please join us for an hour or more or spend the night. If you need additional information, call June at 967-9158.

ARTICLE 24: JESUS MEANT WHAT HE SAID

[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.]

You have probably heard about the survey done a few years back that suggested that many Catholics today don't really believe that the bread and wine of the Eucharist truly become the body and blood of the Lord. There are serious doubts about the accuracy of such surveys, but it seems a good idea to recall the Church's ancient teaching.

To put it simply, the Church has always believed that Jesus meant what he said. At the Last Supper, as we recall in every Mass, he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take this, all of you, and eat it. This is my body which will be given up for you." After the meal he took the cup filled with wine, gave God thanks and praise and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take this, all of you, and drink from it: this is the cup of my blood, the blood of the new and everlasting covenant."

Notice that Jesus does not say that the bread and wine are only signs of his body and blood. He says, "This is my body; this is the cup of my blood." We take him at his word. Now, of course, we don't believe that the bread becomes a piece of flesh. Christ's physical body was his way of being fully present with us, and now he takes bread and wine and says that these will be his way of being fully present, physically present with us.

How this is possible is ultimately a mystery. The Church has used the term "transubstantiation" to express the truth that the substance, the deep reality, of the bread becomes Christ's body. But this does not explain how. The best we can say is that it is by the power of Christ's word and the action of the Holy Spirit. We can't explain just how, but we believe that Jesus meant what he said.

Jesus also meant what he said when he told us all to take and eat and to take and drink. For too many centuries, Catholics received Communion under only the species of bread. This was a reaction to a medieval heresy that said you didn't really receive Christ if you only received one species. After that issue faded, the Protestants restored both species, so the Catholic Church did not. Judging that this reason, too, was no longer valid, the bishops at the Second Vatican Council

called for the restoration of Communion under both species.

Bread, the staff of life, speaks of sustenance. Wine speaks of the spirit and the joy of life. Christ used both to communicate the fullness of his being. He intends us to receive both. Sharing the bread reminds us of our unity in one body. Sharing the cup speaks of sharing in the covenant, as Jesus' words indicate. It reminds us, too, that we share the same lifeblood with Christ and with one another. Those who cannot drink any alcohol and those who cannot eat any wheat can, of course, receive under only one species. It's still the whole Jesus. Nevertheless, receiving both the body and the blood is a more complete form of Communion and a "fuller sign of the Eucharistic banquet" (GIRM, # 281). Besides, it's what the Lord told us to do, and he meant what he said.

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BUILDING ENGINEER

CATHEDRAL OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Part-time position now open for a qualified candidate with a minimum of ten years related experience to oversee automated building systems, coordination of maintenance programs and supervision of maintenance staff.

Fax resume to: (916) 733-0295 or mail resume to Robert Massa, Diocese of Sacramento, 2110 Broadway Sacramento, CA 95818 or Email resume to rmasa@diocese-sacramento.org

DEPARTMENT SECRETARY

Ministry Formation in the Permanent Diaconate Department Full-time position. Must be computer literate with good organizational skills. Fluent in spoken and written Spanish and English preferred.

Send or fax Resume to Sister Paulina Hurtado, OP, Diocese of Sacramento, 2110 Broadway Sacramento, CA 95818 or fax to (916) 733-0238.

BILINGUAL SECRETARY/BOOKKEEPER HOLY CROSS PARISH, WEST SACRAMENTO

Full-time position. Must be fluent in Spanish and English language, computer literate, and proficient in Quick Books. Send Resume to: Office of Lay Personnel Diocese of Sacramento 2110 Broadway Sacramento, CA 95818.

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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
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René Rivas	Martha Valadez
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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.