



April 29, 2007 - Fourth Sunday of Easter  
"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me." John 10:27

## † Servant Leader † FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

*This weekend our whole parish community celebrates as many of our children will receive the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation. The children have completed great work in preparation for these special events, and their families have participated and lent their support. Now it is our turn as a community to join in the wonderful celebrations and lend our support to their new commitments.*

### **First Communion**

*First Communion is one of the holiest and most important occasions in Catholic life – we receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist, the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, for the first time.*

*As Catholics, we are keenly aware that there is more to a child's first communion than new clothes and a family party. It means that the children have studied and understood, to the best of their abilities, the mystery of the Eucharist – the changing of ordinary bread and wine into Christ's Body and Blood.*

*First Communion is a momentous change for the whole family. As we are all invited to the banquet at the table of the Lord, at First Communion, a child, already baptized into the family of God, at last takes his or her place at the Lord's Table with us.*

*After First Communion, our young Catholics attend church every Saturday evening or Sunday. By continuing to receive Holy Communion for the rest of our lives, we become one with Christ and believe that we will share in His eternal life.*

### **Confirmation**

*Confirmation day is literally the Pentecost of our life. The effect of the Sacrament of Confirmation is to confer the Holy Spirit on us as conferred on the apostles on Pentecost day. This sacrament of Christian maturity is designed to make us "grow up" as a Christian. It confers on each person the fullness of the Spirit of God in the form of special gifts of the Spirit.*

*Three effects follow the reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation. First, we receive an increase of sanctifying grace: a fuller participation in the very life of God. Secondly, our soul is stamped with the sacramental character of Confirmation. That indelible spiritual badge, ingrained on our soul forever, makes each of us a sharer in the priesthood of Jesus. Thirdly, we receive special sacramental graces over and above the sanctifying*

*grace which all the sacraments confer. These special graces, proper to Confirmation, are designed to help in the rough days which must inevitably come, when we need a special lift to be faithful.*

*Confirmation has been traditionally linked with the virtues of hope and fortitude. Hope brings the conviction that a Catholic life is possible – that even sanctity can be reached. Fortitude brushes aside human obstacles and instills courage to start over bravely each day. It is the prayer of the Church and our Holy Family community that our now fully initiated confirmande will assume active roles, sharing their gifts with our various parish ministries.*

### **Celebration and Commitment**

*We welcome Bishop Weigand to Holy Family as he celebrates the Sacrament of Confirmation with us. It is always a blessing to have the shepherd of our large diocese here with us, and it is truly a special honor for those children and young adults who will receive the Holy Spirit at his hands.*

*We thank the many teachers and coordinators who have brought the First Communicants and Confirmation candidates to this point. They have shown great commitment and compassion in guiding members of our family toward these blessed, holy events in their lives, and we are grateful for their efforts.*

*We thank and congratulate the parents, sponsors and others who have supported them on their journeys to this place. These celebrations are not only joyous occasions but signify great commitment to a life in Christ and the Holy Spirit that will take much effort on the part of these youth and their families, with the support and prayers of the whole community.*

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*"Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts  
of the faithful, and kindle in them  
the fire of your love. Send forth  
your Spirit and they shall be  
created. And you shall renew the  
face of the earth."*

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon: Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:1-10  
 Tue: Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30  
 Wed: Acts 12:24—13:5a; Jn 12:44-50  
 Thu: Sts. Philip and James: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Jn 14:6-14  
 Fri: Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6  
 Sat: Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14  
 Sun: Fifth Sunday of Easter :  
 Acts 14:21-27; Rev 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35



**Questions of the Week:**

**For Adults:** Jesus calls each one of us to be a disciple through our Baptism. Name one way that Jesus is calling you to this week.

**For Teens:** Jesus said “My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me.” How does Jesus speak to you? What new path is he asking of you?

**For Children:** Jesus called the sheep by name just as we are called by name. Find out what your name means and why you were given that name.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Mon: Alan Smith -Int.  
 Tue: John Hickey -Int.; Fr. Arthur Herkowski + Poor Souls in Purgatory +  
 Wed: Jacqueline Francescon +  
 Thu: Michael G. Hickey -Int.; William Sweazey -Int.  
 Fri: Dorothy Sweeney +; Pedro V. Mangalas + Rhea Escovilla +  
 Sat: 4:30 pm Mass Jose Punsulan, Sr. + Cresenciana Lopez + Alan Smith -Int.  
 Sun: 7:30 am Mass Charley Steele +  
 9:00 am Mass Michael Repas +; Rick Gutierrez +  
 10:30 am Mass Lydia Gutierrez +; Tere de Vila + Deodora Guzman +  
 12:30 pm Mass Pro Populo

**PRAYER CORNER**

Please remember in your prayers:  
 Peter Alvarez, Marcel Arnal, Mary Avila, Pam Bardwil, Cody Bartley, Drake Bazzeroni, Teresa Bennett Smith, Charles Black, John Boyle, Shirley Bryant, Larry Cannon, Margaret Cioffi, Abraham Conant, Christina Cowan, Darren Crose, James Crutcher, Julie Desrochers, Maria Dixon, John Dooney, Andrew Flores, Jennifer Ford, Olivia Garcia, Bob Gokey, Evelyn Gonsalves, Winfred Gonsalves, Robert Gonzaga, Max Guerra, Charlene Gutierrez, Lutricia Hall, Kathleen Hansen, Allison Herring, Michele Hock, Glean & Kathryn Hollier, Bill Keenan, Marshall Kendrick, Randy Kennedy, Kimberly Kolodzie, Ian Larmore, Jey Lemes, Karen Lewis, Nancy Lopez, Nancy & Marty Lucas, Laura Maciej, Maria Mamauog, Maria Martinez, Earl Mattingly, Luke McCord, McElvy Family, June McMaught, Jenine Michilena, Mariah Morris, Elliott Jerome Neal, Cora Orzol, Maryanne Pelzel, Maria Perez, Gilbert Perron, Bud Phelps, Tom Poeschl, Sr. Mary Porter, Christine Regan, Raymond Remick, Nikelle Schafer, Charles Schneider, Katherine Schottgen, Diane & Mike Smith, Marylyn Smith, Lisa Stamps, Jo Ster, Laura & Paul Studer, Simon Sucharski, Clement Sweeney, D. Sweeney, Maureena Sutton, Elise Taylor, I. Thompson, Larry Thompson, X. Thompson, Jovita Vargar, Natividad Vargas, Jean Villanueva, Emily Walsh, Lori Weaver, Marvin Webster

**Stewardship**  
 ~ a way of life ~

**CHURCH SIGN – SOON & VERY SOON!**

Unfortunately, we have encountered some slight delays in the installation of our new Parish Sign which will stand in front of the church to identify our beloved Holy Family Parish and post vital information for parishioners and passers-by. The sign will be completed very soon. The down payment on the sign was made through the generosity of a few parishioners and additional contributions have come in. However, some of the cost still needs to be covered. Please consider making a contribution to this much-needed addition to our parish grounds. Please call the Parish Office if you can help. We are truly grateful to those who have already given and to those who will contribute to make this sign possible.

**PARISHIONERS: NEW AND NOT-SO-NEW**

Are you registered at Holy Family Parish?

Has your address recently changed?

Do you use stewardship envelopes?

Would you like to know more about Planned Giving?

Visit the “Parish Life” section of your Parish Website:

[www.holyfamilych.org](http://www.holyfamilych.org)

**STEWARDSHIP – TREASURE**

**GENERAL COLLECTION**

<b>Weekly Goal</b>	\$ 11,000.00
Apr 1 .....	\$ 14,155.00
Apr 8 .....	\$ 11,000.00 *
Apr 15 .....	\$ 10,516.00
Apr 22 .....	\$ 11,445.00
<b>YEAR-TO-DATE</b>	\$ <b>456,064.00</b>
Goal-to-Date (43 Weeks)	\$ 473,000.00
% of Goal Collected	<b>96.42 %</b>
<b>Annual Goal</b>	\$ 572,000.00

\* The total Easter collection was \$20,043.00.

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COLLECTION**

<b>Weekly Goal</b>	\$ 3,750.00
Apr 1 .....	\$ 945.00
Apr 8 .....	\$ 13,170.00
Apr 15 .....	\$ 1,187.00
Apr 22 .....	\$ 11,670.00
<b>YEAR-TO-DATE</b>	\$ <b>89,534.50</b>
Goal-to-Date (43 Weeks)	\$ 161,250.00
% of Goal Collected	<b>55.53 %</b>
<b>Annual Goal</b>	\$ 195,000.00

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

Catholic Home Mission .....	\$ TBD
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*Paul and Barnabas met both rejection and acceptance of their message. We, too, may meet with mixed reactions when we use our gifts in the service of God. The Gospel assures us, the reward for those who follow faithfully is eternal life.*



**Holy Family School** will join the other fifty-two schools in the Diocese of Sacramento on Tuesday, May 1, when the Catholic School Department honors teachers who have served ten, fifteen, twenty, and fifty years in this diocese. Four Holy Family School teachers will be applauded for ten years of service: Dawn Altobell, math teacher; Joan Biller, third grade; Hellen Rowell, first grade; and Teresa Taylor, kindergarten. The recognition event will begin with Mass at 4 p.m. at Holy Spirit Church in Land Park and continue with the Awards Dinner at Holy Spirit School. Holy Family School salutes and thanks all of its teachers! They represent the range of dedication to the ministry of Catholic Education for one year to fifty-plus years!

On Friday, April 27, the Holy Family Children's Choir represented the school at the 9th Annual Diocesan Choral Festival, held this year in the Cathedral. These 33 students received marks of "Outstanding" in every area on an evaluation by the guest conductors. Great job!

**Enrolling at Holy Family Preschool for Fall '07**

Are you looking for a Catholic based preschool for your child? We offer a spiritually enriched program complete with Bible stories, songs and outstanding Christian role models. Our literature-based program that meets the California standards for ages 2 through 5 years old will challenge your child. We offer preschool from 8:00am until 12:00pm and Child Care from 7:00am until 6:00pm. You are encouraged to call Lucy Eberhardt at 722-4620 with questions and/or a school tour. Register Today!

**THE ROSARY BOWL**

**May 19, 2007 • 6:00 - 9:00 P.M. • Rose Bowl, Pasadena**  
**FREE ADMISSION**

**A WORLD AT PRAYER IS A WORLD AT PEACE**  
**A ROSARY CELEBRATION**

The Diocese of Sacramento Office of Family, Youth & Young Adults is publicizing this major event on the Domestic Church which is being sponsored by Holy Cross Family Ministries.

The special Eucharistic celebration, which will combine prayer, music, and cultural exhibitions, and will culminate in a public recitation of the Rosary with people of different cultures and languages leading the prayers.

For more information, you may contact John Rieschick at 733-0133 or jrieschi@diocese-sacramento.org or check out the Rosary Bowl Website at [www.rosarybowl.org](http://www.rosarybowl.org).

Visit our Parish Website at  
[www.holyfamilych.org](http://www.holyfamilych.org)

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

**CALLING ALL GRADUATES IN THE CLASS OF 2007...**

Are you (or do you know) someone who is graduating from Jr. High, High School, or College? Please email names and contact info to [holyfamilycym@yahoo.com](mailto:holyfamilycym@yahoo.com) by May 15th. Our parish will host a special liturgy and reception in their honor on Sunday, June 3rd.



**PRO LIFE MASS – FIRST FRIDAY, MAY 4TH**

There will be a Pro-Life Mass at Holy Family Church on Friday, May 4 at 8:30 am. Please plan on attending this very important Mass to support the sanctity of life in all its stages. The Pro-Life Rosary will be recited following the Mass in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Please join us for both celebrations. For further information, please contact Sally Fisher at 780-5305.

**ALL NIGHT VIGIL FOR LIFE-MAY 4 & 5, 2007**

All Night Vigil for Life at St. Rose Catholic Church, 5961 Franklin Blvd, Sacramento on Friday, May 4th beginning with 7:30 PM Mass and ending on the first Saturday, May 5th with 8:00 AM Mass. Please join us for an hour or more or spend the night. Following the Vigil we will pray the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary and the Divine Mercy at the Abortion Clinic on Wright St and Alta Arden. Any questions call June Schott-967-9158.

**MOTHER'S DAY ROSE SALE**

On May 12 and 13, the Sacramento Life Center is sponsoring its annual Mother's Day Rose Sale. Beautiful, long-stemmed roses, individually packaged, will be sold for \$5.00 after all services. Please consider honoring a mother, grandmother, sister, daughter, and/or friend and celebrating the sanctity of life by purchasing a rose on Mother's Day weekend. Thank You!



**DEVOTION TO MARY;**

The Catholic Church dedicates the month of May to Mary, the Mother of God, Mother of the Church and our Spiritual Mother. One the greatest ways we can express our devotion to Mary is by praying the beautiful prayer of the Rosary to her and with her. It is a powerful prayer for your petitions for peace, conversions, salvation and guidance. Please join us in praying the Rosary during the month of May, after the 8:30 morning Mass during the week, Monday through Saturday, in the center section of the church. Hope to see you there!

**LITURGY COUNCIL MEETING RESCHEDULED**

The Holy Family Liturgy Council meeting for May which was set for Monday, May 7, has been rescheduled for Wednesday, May 9th at 7:00 pm in the rectory.

# WELCOME

## Holy Family Catholic Church Annual Barbeque & Picnic for Newcomers

Sunday, May 27th – 1:00 to 4:00 pm

Outside in the School Lunch Area

Hamburgers, hot dogs and beverages provided.  
Please bring your favorite pot luck dish.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



## NEWS FROM THE KNIGHTS



### MAY 6TH PARISH BREAKFAST

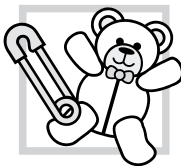
The next Knights Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, May 6, will benefit the Music Ministry. Join us in St. Joseph Hall after the 7:30 and 9:00 am Masses for good food, good fellowship and a good cause!

### MOTHERS DAY ROSES:

Once again the Knights of Columbus will be assisting in the sale of Mothers Day Roses to help Bishop Gallego's Maternity Home for Unwed Mothers. Volunteers will be needed after all Masses on Sunday, May 13th. If you are able to help, call Larry Larsen at 961-1036 or 813-8430. Thank You.

### ATTENTION MOMS:

Holy Family Mother's Ministry's 'Mom and Me' Prayer Group/ Play Group is meeting again each Tuesday morning in the RCIA room from 10 to 11 am. Come meet other moms! We pray the scriptures together while those with little children play. We meet during the school year and the summer. For more information call Jessica Lendewig at 988-4969.



### FATHER TROY'S 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

You are cordially invited to join Father Troy Powers as he celebrates the 20th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood on May 2 & 3, at two special Masses of Thanksgiving. On Wed. May 2, there will be a Mass at Presentation Church, (Norris & Robertson Avenues), at 6:00 p.m. Also, on Thurs. May 3, Fr. Troy will celebrate a Mass at St. Rose's Church, (38th Avenue & Franklin Blvd.)

A Reception will follow the Thursday Mass, at Original Pete's Restaurant, 2475 Elk Grove Blvd., (near the I-5 exit in Laguna) from 8-10 p.m. All are Welcome. Please come and join "FATHER 20", as he expresses his gratitude to all of God's People he has been privileged to serve these past 20 years.

# Prayer Opportunities

### WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA:

Pope Benedict XVI has elevated the World Apostolate of Fatima (The Blue Army.) It is now officially associated with the Pontifical Council for the Laity in Rome. We are happy to offer these prayers here at Holy Family. All are welcome to join us Mondays after the 8:30 am Mass in St. Mary Hall. For information, please call Phyllis, 725-0218 or Phyllis, 725-5358.

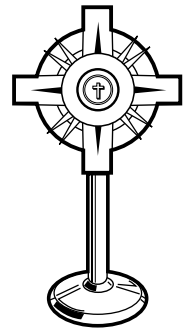
### VOCATIONS CROSS



Each week a parish family is presented with the Vocations Cross to take home for the week and asked to pray daily for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. The next Sunday, the family returns the cross and another family is presented the cross to pray for vocations. If you are interested in taking the Vocation Cross home, please contact Young Stewart at 332-8732.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Jesus stays with us day and night in the Blessed Sacrament, blessing us with the grace that encourages us, consoles us, strengthens us, guides us and inspires us to place our trust in Him. We stay with the Real Presence of Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration to be more personally involved with Him and to keep the Eucharist central in our lives. Spending time with Jesus in the Eucharist enables us to build a truly personal relationship with Him. Come into His presence in our beautiful chapel - He is looking forward to your visit!



### BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL VISITING HOURS:

Monday – Friday	9:00 am – 9:00 pm
Saturday	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Sunday	1:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Also in the chapel: Each day at 9:00 am a community Rosary and Chaplet of Mercy are prayed, and at 3:00 pm the Chaplet of Mercy is prayed.

### DOMINICAN LAITY AT HOLY FAMILY

The Dominican Laity meets here at Holy Family on the first Sunday of every month in St. Mary Hall from 1–3 pm. Come and join us in a way of life of prayer, both private and liturgical, the study of the sacred truth, the sharing of our spiritual life with others in the community, and in our apostolic outreach. For further information call Phyllis Sale at 725-5358.



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# NEWS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE . . .

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## **OUTDOOR PASSION PLAY - LAKE COUNTY**

An outdoor presentation of the Passion, Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of Our Lord Jesus Christ. The Passion Play Grounds, off Highway 29, are the setting for this annual re-enactment. More than 150 players re-enact this most touching of dramas. The Passion Play is not a spectacle. Rather, it is a prayerful expression of the faith of the people involved. May 19th and 20th, 2007, at 4:00 pm. The play is presented in its entirety on both days. The Passion Play Grounds are located at 7010 Westlake Road, Upper Lake, CA 95485 (off Highway 29, about 7 miles north of Lakeport in Lake County). Admission is free, but donations are gratefully accepted. For more information, call 707-279-0349 or 800-525-3743.

## **CRISTO REY HIGH SCHOOL SACRAMENTO PRESENTS THE SECOND ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP DINNER:**

VIVA CRISTO REY -

A NIGHT OF DINNER, DANCING AND GENEROSITY!

Wednesday, May 2 - 6 P.M. - 10 P.M. - Tickets: \$75 each

St. Ignatius Loyola Parish Center, Sacramento

Featuring: "Dancing with the Czars" - a unique dance competition featuring Sacramento's finest professional dancers paired with talented business leaders and religious contestants! For Ticket Information Please Call Cristo Rey Development Office 916.733.2660 .

*Cristo Rey High School Sacramento opened in the fall of 2006 with a freshman class of 100 students. Cristo Rey is specifically designed to provide a co-educational, college preparatory education and innovative Work-Study Program to promising students with limited opportunities.*

## **GET ON THE BUS**

Get On The Bus brings children and their caregivers from throughout the State of California to visit their mothers and fathers in prison. Again this year, the Office of Social Service Ministry is organizing the annual bus trip to the women's prisons in Chowchilla for local children whose mothers are incarcerated. The visit takes place on May 11, the Friday before Mother's Day.

Part of the experience is that each child receives the gift of a new, huggable bear for the bus ride home after they have left their Moms. If you would like to donate a bear (or two) to this project, we would greatly appreciate it. They need to be new, very huggable, and age-appropriate. Children who participate in this event range in age from 2 months to 29. For more information, contact the Diocesan Social Service Ministry at 733-0253.

## **PARISH VOCATION TRAINING WORKSHOP:**

The Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations will be having a training workshop for Parish Vocation Committee Members on Thursday, May 17, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. If you are a member of the Parish Vocations Committee or you are interested in the promotion of religious vocations and would like to find out more, please join us at St. Anthony Parish, 660 Florin Rd. in Sacramento. For more information, please call 733-0259.

## **HELP IDENTIFY ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL DONATION:**

An American Express Gift Check was received through Holy Family Parish for the Annual Catholic Appeal 2007; however, the Diocese was unable to process it due to the gift check lacking the appropriate signature and date by its purchaser. Before this donation can be processed, we will need to secure the signature and date. If you or someone you know is the donor of a \$50 American Express Gift Check to the Annual Catholic Appeal, please contact the Parish Office at 723-2494 so we can arrange to secure the signature and date to process this donation. Thank you for your assistance.



## Camp Pendola



Camp Pendola, the official summer camp of the Diocese of Sacramento, is now accepting registrations for the 2007 summer season. This year the program will take place in a variety of settings with participants hiking or paddling to different camping sites each night. Trips are scheduled for different lengths and difficulties to meet the needs of different ages (11 and older) and experiences. Whatever the program, campers are encouraged to live in, understand, and respect the wonders and beauty of the world around them. For more information and registration materials, please call 916-PEN-DOLA (736-3652).

### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

What are you doing this summer? -Making a difference in the lives of youth! The Diocese of Sacramento is looking for energetic young people (18+ years) to work this summer as trip counselors with youth between ages ten and seventeen in the great outdoors, and within the Catholic spirit! Positions begin in mid June and finish in August. Applications are available now! Please call Camp Pendola (916-PEN-DOLA) for more information and an application.

### **WORK WEEKENDS AT CAMP PENDOLA**

May 18 - 20, 2007 and May 25 - 28, 2007

Projects include:

Install shower partitions in female dorm (Tekakwitha)

Camp site clean up

Create emergency exits in cabins

Unload trailer/storage unit

Treat wood decks/porches/ramps

Remove old decking from Dining Room/kitchen

Enjoy giving to Pendola - supporting youth, and creating community! Interested? Please call 916-PEN-DOLA or 916-733-0141 by May 1 to tell us how many in your group will be joining us. Don't be shy! This is perfect for student, teen, college or family groups!

# ... AND BEYOND

## Upcoming Faith Formation Opportunities throughout the Diocese of Sacramento

### **MAY**

**Catechetical Documents** - With Dr. Holly Peterson. St. Joseph's, Elk Grove. May 24th, 7-9 pm. For more information call 916.685.5636.

**LAY FORMATION INSTITUTE:** Nature of Catechesis/Catechetical Development, presented by Dr. Holly Peterson, Diocesan Pastoral Center, Sacramento, May 11th (6:30-9 pm) and May 12th (8:30 am-4:00 pm). Course will fulfill 8 hours of credit towards Basic Catechetical Certification. Cost: \$25. For information contact Kathy at 733.0139.

**LAY FORMATION INSTITUTE:** Life in Christ - the Moral Life, presented by Rev. Michael Hebda, Our Lady of Mercy, Redding. May 25th (6:30-9 pm) m May 26th (8:30 am-4:00 pm). Course will fulfill 8 hours of credit towards Basic Catechetical Certification. Cost: \$25. For information contact Kathy at 733.0139.

### **NEW SUMMER EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**University of Sacramento: Introduction to the Catechism of the Catholic Church.** Course, June 11-August 20, Mondays, 6-9 :40 pm. For more information please call 916.443.4760.

**Focus on Initiation: CONCERNING THE BAPTIZED:** August 13-15, 2007, Christ the King Retreat Center. Contact Joan at 916.452.3908 for more information.

### **HEALING OF GRIEF AND LOSS**

**Saturday, May 5, 2007**

This day is devoted to people dealing with grief and loss. It will address how grief affects us physically, emotionally, psychologically and spiritually. There will be time for prayer, ritual and sharing.

TIME: 9:15 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

SUGGESTED DONATION: \$35/ lunch is provided

Facilitators: Sister Margaret Ann Walsh, RSM, a spiritual director and former chaplaincy director. Barbara Freuler, member of the "Ministry to the Bereaved" at St. Teresa Parish, Auburn .

For more information, call (530) 887-2019.

### **CATHOLIC BREAKFAST CLUB**

On Wednesday, May 9, the Catholic Breakfast Club presents "A Catholic View from the Capitol: Deus Caritas Est and Political Reality." Join speaker Ned Dolejsi, executive director of the California Catholic Conference - the public policy arm for the Catholic Church in California - as he shares his insights into the collision of moral values between the culture of life and the culture of death that is taking place in our state capitol. Tickets are \$30.00 or \$20.00 for members who pay in advance. Reserve your seat online at [www.catholicbreakfastclub.org](http://www.catholicbreakfastclub.org) or mail your payment to the Catholic Breakfast Club at P.O. Box 254848, Sacramento, CA 95865-4848."

### **DIOCESAN MARY HOUR 2007- MARY QUEEN OF OUR FAMILY**

Sunday May 20, 2007

Celebrant: **Most Rev. William K. Weigand**

2:00 pm Marian Prelude Hymns • 2:15 pm Rosary  
3:00 pm Mass • St. Anne Church, 7724 24th St., Sacramento

### **BUS TRIP TO SILVER LEGACY**

The Roseville Knights Of Columbus #4540 are sponsoring a bus trip to the Silver Legacy, Reno on Sunday May 27th. The cost is \$25 per person prepaid with approximately \$15 returned at the casino. Checks should be made payable to Knights Of Columbus #4540. Please call Sue or Dave Mirtoni for reservations and details at 782-3242.

### **PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND & ITALY**

My name is Father Stanislaw Zak, and I am Pastor at St. Margaret Mary Parish in Oakland. This year I am organizing Pilgrimage to the Holy Land - "In the Footsteps of Jesus Christ" - July 17 - 31, 2007. I still have some room for Pilgrims. Complete Price \$ 3,452.00 includes the following services: Round Trip airline ticket from San Francisco to Tel Aviv to San Francisco, all accommodations (double occupancy in hotels) with 3 meals a day, all transportation within Israel, sightseeing, entrance fees to all attractions, tips, taxes and cancellation insurance. For detailed itinerary, or if you have any questions please contact Rev. Stanislaw Zak, (510) 336-0698, or Mr. Andre Sobczyk, (408) 229-1950 .

### **TO CATHOLICS WHO HAVE BEEN AWAY...**

#### **PLEASE COME HOME**

St Clare Catholic Church extends a welcome to those who have been away from the church whether for a few months or many years. A series of six informal weekly meetings will begin on Tuesday, May 22nd. These sessions will be held from 7 PM-9 PM in the St. Clare Room in the narthex of the church. The discussions will be in an open, friendly and confidential environment and questions will be welcomed. St. Clare Church is at the corner of Baseline and Junction Blvd. Advanced registration not required. For further information call Alice and Bob Eickhoff at 771-5089 or St. Clare Church 772-4717.

### **Mother Teresa's Maternity Home**

#### **— WISH LIST —**

- PHONE CARDS
- TOWELS - ALL SIZES • WASH CLOTHS
- BLANKETS & SHEETS FOR SINGLE BEDS
  - BABY BLANKETS • PILLOWS
- DISPOSABLE DIAPERS (UP TO 1 YR) • WET WIPES
- TOILETRIES FOR MOTHER AND/OR CHILD
- CASH DONATIONS ALWAYS WELCOME

Please call the Parish Office, 723-2494 for more information or to offer assistance. Thank you!