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the cup of
salvation

**The Most Holy Body and
Blood of Christ
June 14, 2009**

✦ Mass Intentions ~ St. John the Baptist ✦

Sat 13	7:30a	Father's Day Novena
	5:30p	✦Louis & Arline Borges by Borges Family
Sun 14	7:30a	Luis Correa Jr. by Maria Correa
	9:00a	People of God
	12:30p	Father's Day Novena
	5:30p	✦Herbert Buskirk by Crete Family
Mon 15	7:30a	✦Ana Elizabeth Pilliard
Tues 16	7:30a	Father's Day Novena
Wed 17	7:30a	Special Intention
	7:00p	Father's Day Novena
Thur 18	7:30a	Sue O'Connor (living) by Jane Rabo
Fri 19	7:30a	✦John Reginato and living family by Rosina
Sat 20	7:30a	Father's Day Novena
	5:30p	✦Carl Young/Raymond Beruk by Larry Susan Young

✦ Mass Intentions ~ St. James ✦

Sun 14	9:00a	✦Patrick Murphy by Murphy Family
	10:30a	no intention

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Ricardo Lara, Deno Rabo, Mary Yaney, Abby Schifferle, Jean Elgart, and for their family and friends.

1st week of June

<u>Collection</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
June 7	\$10,963	\$13,218
Year to date	\$417,622	\$495,999

May your faithful generosity bring you blessings of joy, for the Bible says, "God loves a cheerful giver!"

ST. JOHN'S WEBSITE

stjohnthebaptistchico.org

Fr. Berg's email: fatherbrberg@yahoo.com

St. John's Office email address: stjohn33@sbcglobal.net

Father's Day Novena: Starts June 13th. Cards are available in the vestibule. Donation envelopes can be put in collection baskets or turned in to parish office. The envelope with your father's name on it will be put on the altar.



Hospitality

Hospitality: "Come by the Library after 9 a.m. Sunday Mass for coffee, tea, juice and a snack. Meet new people and visit with old friends".



PLEASE NOTE: Friday Adoration will be from 8-9am for the summer.

First Sunday Book Sale: Catholic books, missals, rosaries and sacramentals will be sold from 9:30am to 12:00 noon on the first Sunday of each month. If the weather does not cooperate, the sale will move to the following Sunday. *Volunteers are needed to keep this going!* If you would like to volunteer for this worthy project, please contact Diane Hooper at 530-345-4553.



Bucks Lake Family Camp- July 23-26: REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!!!

Don't miss out on the most fun you will ever have camping! Enjoy friends who share your faith, have fun with family activities, eat FABULOUS food, plus much, much more! Registration forms are in the church office, or contact Karen Rose 343-9519
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Mercy Catholic High School now accepting students for the 2009-10 school year. A faith based college preparatory education for future leaders, offering a well-rounded curriculum. Call for an appointment, 527-8313, or visit our website at www.mercy-high.org.

Report to the Parish on the Annual Catholic Appeal participation from St John the Baptist Parish.

Year	Participation	Amount collected
2008	196 people	\$17,254
2009	334 people	\$32,395

This is a 70 % increase in participation and an 88% increase in amount of money collected. 25% will be coming back to the parish

Thank you for your wonderful generosity!

❖ **ADULT FAITH FORMATION** ❖

Catholics Returning Home: This is a Collaborative ministry with three parishes. An invitation for Non-Practicing Catholics. Were you raised Catholic but do not come or seldom attend Mass anymore? Are you a Catholic who now feels separated from the Church? Maybe you are divorced? Would you like more information about what you can do? Do you feel alienated from the Church? Maybe the church feels cold and you don't feel accepted? Do you know someone who has said this to you recently? Invite them to come check us out. There is no obligation. We welcome all that want to come. Not matter how long you have been away and no matter the reason, we invite you to consider renewing your relationship with the Catholic Church. Please come and join us on Monday, from 7-8:30pm for 13 weeks at Our Divine Savior in the prayer room. For more information contact Deacon Burkett at 893-2348 or Sharon Hazelton at 891-5334.



RCIA: How do adult non-Catholics become Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process by which adults become members of our Catholic faith community. If you, or someone you know, are

interested in learning about the Catholic faith, or are interested in becoming a Catholic, please join us for three monthly information meetings before we formally begin RCIA classes in early September. The meetings will be on Thursday evenings from 7-9pm on June 25th, and July 23rd. They are held in the upper meeting room of the Parish Office (435 Chestnut St.). All are welcome and there is no obligation. For additional information contact Deacon Steve Schwartz at 891-0626.

Women of Grace Women's Ministry: If you are interested in joining the Great Adventure Bible Study Group we meet on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month at ODS Social Hall from 6:45-9pm. Next meeting is June 23rd. Bring your bible and your Catechism. If you have questions, please call Mary Waldorf at 898-6398.



Scripture Study/Radio: Joe Hollcraft is live on AM 930 at 11:00am-12:00 each Saturday and Sunday (re-aired). Tune in to the Catholic Hour. This week, June 13th and 14th, Joe will

offer a teaching on the Eucharist and its relationship to covenant life with God. The following week Joe will examine the meaning of the creation account to better understand what Paul means when we said we are a "new creation" in Christ. You can e-mail Joe at jholljmj@yahoo.com if you have any questions about the radio program and/or the Catholic faith or go to the parish website and click on Joe Hollcraft's blog.

Rosary Prayer Group: meets on Wed evenings at 7pm, at individual homes. The current Medjugorje message from Our Lady and the commentary are read. If you would like to participate, call 342-2323 or 898-1183.

Holy Spirit Prayer Group: They meet at 7pm on the 4th Wed of each month at the Newman Center. For more information call Sharon, 891-5334 or James, 893-2348.



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Life Teen – We are getting ready for a trip to the Steubenville San Diego Conference at the end of July. If you are interested in going there will be an information meeting Monday June 15th at 6p in the Parish Office.

❖ **CFF: CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION** ❖

Religious Education Questions - Call 343-8741

Confirmation and First Communion pictures are in please pick them up at the parish office.

**LOOK FOR REGISTRATION PACKETS IN THE MAIL IN JULY
(EVERYONE MUST REGISTER EVERY YEAR)**

❖ **MARRIAGE & FAMILY** ❖



Respect for Life Committee: Help

Wanted: People who respect life, abhor violence, and are willing to peacefully pray at one or both of the two abortion establishments

in Chico. A formal application is not necessary. Simply go to Planned Parenthood on Vallombrosa on Wednesdays or the Women's Feminist Abortion Center on Humboldt on Fridays, and pray for the mothers, fathers, and the safety of the unborn babies. Also pray for the conversion of those committing gruesome violence to the babies and mothers. Come anytime from 9 am to 12 noon.

Natural Family Planning (Creighton model)

Classes: Are you ready to do a great thing for yourself and your marriage? Classes are available right here in Chico. Contact Jackie Hollcraft M.S.; P.A.C. (899-0243)



Marriage Encounter: Scripture says about married people that "Two shall live as one". How often do you find yourselves living as two? A **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend can help you get back to basics in this complicated day and age. The next local WME weekend will be September 25-27 in Sacramento. For more information contact Stephanie and Deacon James Burkett at 893-2348.**

Retrouaille: This is a program to give hope and help for marriages that are experiencing trouble. For additional information call 1-800-283-5952.

Pastoral Assistance for Victims of Sexual Abuse:

The Diocese of Sacramento provides pastoral care to persons who have suffered sexual abuse by members of the Catholic clergy and other Catholic Church workers. Please call toll-free at 866-777-9133 if you are seeking assistance in coping with this tragic situation. Assistance is available in English and Spanish.

University of Sacramento: New online, real-time teaching course will be offered this summer on the Foundations of the Catholic Faith. This six session course will be held on June 10, 17, 24, July 1, 8 and 15. Class time will be from 4-5pm. Cost: \$75. Instructors will be Deacon Ray Helgeson, MA, and John Hamlon, MS. For more information and a full course overview, contact John Hamlon at 916-443-4760, ext. 17 or go to jhamlon@universityofsacramento.org

Catechist Formation Day North-August 22, 2009 Bishop Quinn Center, Palo Cedro: This day is NOT ONLY FOR CATECHISTS!! You are invited to a key note talk presented by Dr. Holly Peterson, workshops by a number of excellent speakers and exhibits to build up the faith of all Adult Catholics. Everyone is welcome! \$20.00 registration includes lunch. For more information, call the Department of Evangelization & Catechesis at (916) 733-0123.

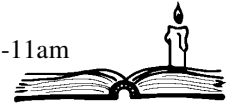
Father's Day with Bishop Soto: The Offices of Youth and Family Life would like to invite you to Raley Field, home of the Rivercats, for Father's Day, June 21 to watch a game with Bishop Soto! If you and other families from St. John's are interested in attending, a block of tickets can be purchased by picking up a form at the parish office. You can also go the Diocese website and follow the links to the diocesan youth & young adult ministry webpage to purchase tickets. Cost is \$10 a person. Don't miss this great opportunity for your parish family to join with our diocesan family to honor our dads on their special day!

Host Families Needed: Cultural Homestay International (CHI), a non-profit educational exchange organization needs families to host international students attending the local high school for the 2009-2010 academic year. The students come from 17 different countries. We need caring families to share a learning experience of a lifetime! Hosting is a great way to promote peace and to learn about a different culture. Host families provide room, board and family life. Students have their own medical insurance and pay their own school and personal expenses. CHI provides help to the students, families and schools as well as organized travel for the students throughout the year. If you are interested, please contact Tami Farrell at 345-3396.

Sun	14	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Mon	15	6-8pm English AA
Tues	16	
Wed	17	6-9pm Spanish AA
Thu	18	
Fri	19	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus 6-9pm Spanish AA
Sat	20	The Immaculate Heart of Mary 10am Confessions

Library Hours & News:

Sunday 8:15-12:30pm & Thursday 9-11am



Pope Benedict's Intentions for June

General: That international attention towards the poorer countries may give rise to more concrete help, in particular to relieve them of the crushing burden of foreign debt.

Mission: That the particular Churches operating in regions marked by violence may be sustained by the love and concrete closeness of all the Catholics in the world.

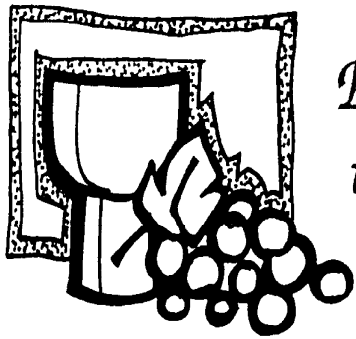
EMHC AND LECTOR SCHEDULE FOR JUNE

TIME	EMHC	LECTOR
5:30pm Sat	Karen Neadly Arlie Hixson Tom Hixson	Lisa LaRossa Jerry Angrisani
7:30am Sun	Jean Mayer Ona Mertens Yvonne Vanoni	Yolanda Holt Lyle Anderson
9:00am Sun	Diane Smith Ernie Behr Dan Boutwell Cathy Boutwell Barbara Bertapelle Stephanie Beyers	Donna Houston Lori Smith

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Mt 5:38-42
 Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Mt 5:43-48
 Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
 Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Mt 6:7-15
 Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12;
 Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
 Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Lk 2:41-51
 Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107; 2 Cor 5:14-17;
 Mk 4:35-41

Liturgy of the Hours Week III



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Register now for Notre Dame's first summer program! The program will serve families with children who will be in grades K through 6th for the Fall 2009 school year. The Summer Program will be seven weeks long from June 15- July 31, 2009 and will be open Monday through Friday 8:00-5:00pm. For more details, contact the Program Director, Jandi Pereida at SummerProg@ndschico.org.



I am the
living bread
that
came down
from
heaven