

**Feast of the Most Holy Trinity
June 7, 2009**

✦ Mass Intentions ~ St. John the Baptist ✦

Sat 6	7:30a	DJM Intentions
	5:30p	Dave Rabo (living) by Mike & Jane Rabo
Sun 7	7:30a	✦Mary Van Buskirk by Lona Stalker
	9:00a	People of God
	12:30p	Luis & Teresa Aguirre (living/ anniversary)
	5:30p	✦Denise Boutwell by Boutwell Family
Mon 8	7:30a	Jasmine Rowling (living b'day) by Rabo's
Tues 9	7:30a	✦Holy Souls in Purgatory
Wed 10	7:30a	Iva Howard (living b'day) by Rabo's
	7:00p	No intention
Thur 11	7:30a	✦Yvonne Richard Cleo Richard (living)
Fri 12	7:30a	✦Vincent O'Connor by Rabo's
Sat 13	7:30a	Father's Day Novena
	5:30p	✦Louis & Arline Borges by Borges Family
		✦ Mass Intentions ~ St. James ✦
Sun 7	9:00a	✦Claire Grzanich by Spafford Family
	10:30a	Virgin of Guadalupe & Holy Souls by Sonia V.

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.

5th week of May

<u>Collection</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
May 24	\$7,363	\$5,728
Year to date	\$409,285	\$482,781

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

ST. JOHN'S WEBSITE

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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.

Welcome to seminarian Trevor Ball: PAX! My name is Trevor Ball and I am a seminarian for the Diocese of Sacramento. I am from Roseville, CA where I was born and raised. I came into the church seven years ago during the Easter Vigil after going through an RCIA program geared towards teens. I entered Mount Angel Seminary in Oregon in the Fall of 2006 after two and a half years of working at Starbucks. I have just finished my third year of philosophy and am looking forward to sharing this summer and ministry opportunities with you here at St. John's.

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.

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.



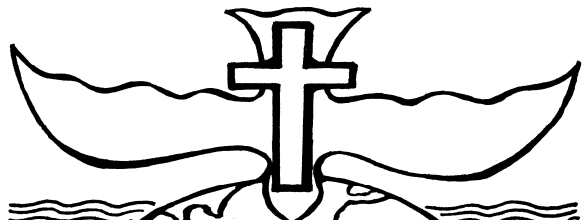
Bucks Lake Family Camp- July 23-

26: Family, Faith, Fun!!! The perfect 'stay-cation'! Join our church family this

summer for camping, canoeing, skits, fellowship with other Catholic families and much more. Look for registration forms soon. Contact Karen Rose at 343-9519.

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.

Catholic Daughters monthly meeting on June 11 will be a potluck beginning at 12:30pm. Bring a main dish or a salad. Dessert will be provided. Lunch will be followed by a short meeting.



◆ 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 9th. 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 6-7 Joe will consider

the importance of evangelization and apologetics. The following week Joe will consider Corpus Christy Sunday. You can e-mail Joe at jhollmj@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. 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 - WELCOME 8TH GRADERS- on June 14th we welcome all our graduating 8th graders into LIFE TEEN please join us after the 5:30pm Mass for our Summer kick-off from 7-8:30pm

◆ 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: The **Silent No More Awareness** is a Campaign whereby Christians make the public aware of the devastation abortion brings to both women and men. The campaign seeks to expose and heal the secrecy and silence surrounding the emotional and physical pain of abortion. This is a project of Priests for Life. Go to <http://www.silentnomoreawareness.org/about/> to find out more. Please consider going to Planned Parenthood on Vallombrosa on Wednesdays or the Women's Feminist Abortion Center on Humboldt on Fridays. Come anytime from 9am 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: HOT HOT HOT. If you enjoy the warmth of summer, why not sign up for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and bring some more warmth and intimacy to your marriage. The next weekends in Sacramento will be June 12-14 and Sept 25-27 2009. 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

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.

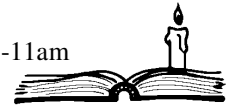
EMHC AND LECTOR SCHEDULE FOR JUNE

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

Sun	7	Feast of the Most Holy Trinity
Mon	8	6-8pm English AA
Tues	9	St. Ephrem 6:30pm choir practice
Wed	10	6-9pm Spanish AA
Thu	11	St Barnabas
Fri	12	6-9pm Spanish AA
Sat	13	St Anthony of Padua 10am Confessions

Library Hours & News:

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



The Parish Library is always acquiring new materials both by donation and the financial assistance of our parishioner's. Here's what's new:

*New to our collection is a book titled **Sor Juana Inez de La Cruz; Poems, Protest, and a Dream**. Perhaps the first feminist in the western hemisphere, Sor Juana was one of the intellectual lights of the 17th century. This edition has Spanish on the left hand side of the page with the English translation on the right.*

*Three new videos have been given to the library all of which prove promising. **St. Clare of Assisi and the Poor Clares** is a documentary on both the life of this great Italian saint and the life of her daughters today.*

*The 13 part series produced by EWTN **Padre Pio: the Priest Who Bore the Wounds of Christ** is also now available on 2 video tapes. Fr. Andrew Apostoli explores the incredible life of this humble Italian stigmatic.*

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.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-7; Mt 5:1-12
 Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22; Mt 5:13-16
 Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11; Mt 5:17-19
 Thursday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Mt 5:20-26
 Friday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 5:27-32
 Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Mt 5:33-37
 Sunday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 116; Heb 9:11-15
 Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Liturgy of the Hours Week II

