

*The love of God has been poured out into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit. –Romans 5:5b*

The Most Holy Trinity
May 30, 2010

✦ Mass Intentions ~ St. John the Baptist ✦		
Sat 29	7:30a	✦Dorene Paetz by Duane Paetz
	5:30p	✦Jim Bachand by Nock Family
Sun 30		THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
	7:30a	✦Jim O'Toole & living family by CSUC Econ Dept
	9:00a	Parish
	10:30a	✦Bob Sanders by Culbreath Family
	12:30p	The David Family (living) by Naomi Parker
	5:30p	✦Mary Ann Jeeves by Bill & Patty Mutch
Mon 31		VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
	7:30a	Cathy Boutwell (b'day) by Boutwell Family
Tues 1		ST. JUSTIN
	7:30a	✦Mary VanBuskirk by Lona Stalker
Wed 2		ST. MARCELLINUS & ST. PETER
	7:30a	✦Dorene Paetz by Duane Paetz
	6:30p	✦Bill Holt
Thur 3		ST. CHARLES LWANGA
	7:30a	✦Jim O'Toole & living family by CSUC Econ Dept
		ST. Christopher Magallanes & companions
Fri 4		FIRST FRIDAY
	7:30a	✦Anna Elizabeth Pilliard by Delbert Pilliard
Sat 5	7:30a	DJM Intentions
	5:30p	✦Maria Barros by Joe & Bernice Toste
		✦ Mass Intentions ~ St. James ✦
Sun 30	9:00a	✦Irvin Merrifield by Pustejovsky Family
	10:30a	no intentions

4th week of May

<u>Collection</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
May 23	\$6,860	\$6,470
Year to date	\$408,561	\$421,743
(St. James total for May 23: (\$834))		

Calling all Adorers! Just a couple of reminders:

-Please come 5 minutes early to your scheduled time. That way the person before you can leave on time.

-If you won't be able to come for your scheduled time, call a sub or invite someone to take your hour that's never experienced the blessing that comes from sitting with Jesus. Please let your daily captain know as well (#s posted in the Chapel).By the way, you are doing a great job in getting your subs. Thank you!

-No food or drink in the Chapel please!

-We will be doing sign-ups next weekend, June 5-6, after all the masses so that we can open up Sat. and Sundays and truly have Perpetual Adoration. We need help after all the Masses so call Erika at 330-2594 or Javier at 566-0358 to volunteer for the mass you attend.



From the Pastor's Desk: Comings and Goings

It is with a certain amount of sadness that I have to let you know that **Father Chris Frazer** will be leaving us, effective July 1. Bishop Soto is assigning Father Chris to a new parish. While this is not a complete surprise, as Father has been serving St. John's and the Newman Center for the last 25 months, and it seems that Parochial Vicars usually stick around only 2 to 3 years before having to leave for another assignment, it will still be tough to see him go. Father Chris has been a huge help here at St. John's and the Newman Center. His eagerness to do priestly work and his many gifts will be sorely missed.

To take Father Chris's place, Bishop Soto has appointed **Michael Baricuatro**. Michael will be ordained at the Cathedral on Memorial Day along with Mauricio Hurtado and Michael Estaris. The future Father Baricuatro will be assigned here to St. John's to serve both the Spanish and English speaking community, effective July 1. Father Hector will continue to assist at St. John's, but will also serve the Newman Center.

Furthermore, I am glad to announce that **Ms. Teresa Sobieralski** will be the new principal of Notre Dame School. Ms. Sobieralski has been principal of Sacred Heart Parish School since July 2004. Before becoming principal, she taught 8th Grade at Sacred Heart from 2001 to 2004 and was the school secretary from 1997 to 2001. Terri has four children, two of which attended Notre Dame School in the early 90's before she moved to Red Bluff. Having been a parent volunteer, a school secretary, a teacher and a principal, Ms. Sobieralski has an excellent understanding of the many different roles associated with working in a Catholic elementary school. It's clear that she brings with her much experience and love for the Catholic faith and Catholic education. We are grateful and blessed to have her.

May the good Lord continue to bless our parish, our school and our mission!

Yours in Christ,
Father Berg

A Special "Thank you" to the parishioners who cleaned up the landscaping around the parish office parking lot. It looks great!

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

YEAR OF THE PRIEST CELEBRATION: Come and celebrate our priests on Saturday, June 12 following the 5:30pm Mass. It will be held in the St. John's parking lot. Drinks, hamburgers and hotdogs will be provided by the Knights of Columbus. Please bring a salad if your last begins with A-L. Bring desserts if your last name begins with M-Z. Come and enjoy food and fellowship as we honor our priests! For questions – 343-8741.



REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!! Bucks Lake Family Camp July 29th-Aug 1st. Come join fellow Catholic families in the woods by Bucks Lake. Enjoy family games, crafts for the kids, activities for teens, singing by the campfire, family skit night, delicious meals prepared by an amazing local chef, outdoor masses and much, much more. Call Karen at 343-9519 for more information.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION



Scripture Study/Radio: Joe Hollcraft is live on AM 930 and FM 107.5 at 11:00am-12:00 each Saturday and Sunday (re-aired). Each week Joe will offer a teaching and reflection on the readings from the Mass. In addition, he will look at all the important questions that people are asking about the faith today.

This week, May 29th and 30th (re-air), journey with Joe as he teaches on the prophets. Along with an examination into Old Testament prophecy, Joe will explore the prophetic character of our baptismal vows. The following week, Joe will teach on the Body of Christ, with an emphasis on understanding the True Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Do not hesitate to send Joe any of your questions jholljmj@yahoo.com

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S MINISTRY: If you are a woman in search of fellowship we are starting another segment of our study of the bible. **Next meeting will be June 10 in the Knights of Columbus room in the social hall at ODS from 6:45p-9 pm. Call Mary Waldorf at 345-8638.**

Rosary Prayer Group will now meet on the first Monday of the month at 7:00 PM in the church. For more information, call 898-1183 or 342-2323.

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

CFF: CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

Religious Education Questions - Call 343-8741

CONFIRMATION PICTURES ARE IN. PLEASE COME AND PICK THEM UP AT THE PARISH OFFICE.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Zep 3:14-18 or Rom 12:9-16; Lk 1:39-56
Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Mk 12:13-17
Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Mk 12:18-27
Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Mk 12:28b-34
Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17; Mk 12:35-37
Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; Mk 12:38-44
Sunday: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110; 1 Cor 11:23-26;
Lk 9:11b-17

Liturgy of the Hours Week I

Library Hours & News:

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



ST. JOHN'S WEBSITE

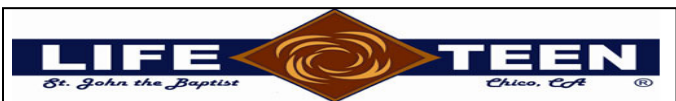
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Coordinator of Youth Ministries, Andrea Florez
chicolifeteen@gmail.com 530-961-2050

Life Teen – Congratulations to all of our 2010 Graduates! We are taking a couple weeks off from Life Nights but keep an eye on the bulletin for info on our weekly summer activities.

Youth House Drop-In – Is being temporarily put on hold. We will let you know when we are able to have drop-In again.

MARRIAGE & FAMILY



Respect for Life: Everyone is welcome to pray in front of Planned Parenthood on Wednesdays, which is now located at 3100 Cohasset Road, between Lupin and Lassen Avenue, across from the Butte County Fire station, and/or the Women's Feminist Abortion Center on Humboldt on Fridays. Please pray for the mothers, fathers, and the safety of the unborn babies. Come any time from 9am to 12 noon.



Marriage Encounter: Hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit..." (Second Reading) Open your hearts wide and let the Holy Spirit fill your marriage/Holy Orders with life and love. The next local Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will be **June 11-13 and August 27-29 in Sacramento.** Early registration is highly recommended. Contact Stephanie and Deacon James Burkett at 893-2348 for more information.

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 Jenni Schaeffer (893-5474) or Jackie Hollcraft M.S.; P.A.C. 519-5081)

Discipline. Courage. Faith. Sacrifice. Natural Family Planning may ask all of these of us, and the Blessings that result will be bountiful! www.canfp.org

"Mommy & Me" Group

Meetings will be held in the Mother Teresa Room in the Parish Office on Thursdays from 11am-12:30pm.

All mothers are welcome to attend. New, expectant and nursing mothers are especially encouraged. We also need the advice and expertise of you experienced moms! Our group will present informal discussion topics on the role of motherhood and faith formation for our children in a warm and supportive atmosphere. We are an organization of Catholic Mothers committed to family, motherhood and service to our community. Please join us! Call Elizabeth Nice for more details: 828-9069

Topic this week: Prioritizing Prayer in our daily life

