

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary
Time
July 8, 2007



Question of the Week

"How do we share God's Peace with others?"

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parish.



Monday, 7/9/07

6:30 am

Etta & Sheila Cox (L)

8:00 am

Michael McShane (D) Jim McShane

Phyllis Anderson (L) Dorothy Abrams

Tuesday, 7/10/07

6:30 am

Tom Neal (L)

Wednesday, 7/11/07

6:30 am

Maxine Whitaker (D) Gail Cohee

Thursday, 7/12/07

8:00 am

Jim McCourt (D) Marilyn McCourt

Friday, 7/13/07

Saturday, 7/14/07

5:30 pm

Antul Family (D) Jean Serafin

Emma Spalding (D) Kathy Aldrich

Sunday, 7/15/07

8:00 am

Theresa Catrera, Ryan and Hilayna Brooks, spec intention

10:30am

Fr. Tony Gurnell (D)

4:30 pm

Bryan, Mike & Tom Neal, spec int.



Remember Our Dead

Sadly, we announce the death of Father Tony Gurnell. He passed away early Thursday morning, peacefully in his sleep. The Rosary will be held on Wednesday Evening July 11, at 7pm at St. Philomene Parish. His funeral will be on Thursday, July 12 at 11:00 am., also at St. Philomene's. We pray for the repose of his soul.

Fr. Andrew, Fr. Troy and Parish Staff

Next Sunday, July 15, 2007 at Presentation Parish, Healing Mass at 1 pm. 12:30 pm, Sacrament of Reconciliation and 12:45 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet. Blessing of Religious articles and food will follow Mass. Next Healing Mass August, 19, 2007

HEAR YE HEAR YE HEAR YE VACTATION BIBLE SCHOOL

This is absolutely the last week to register for a great time for your children at our Vacation Bible School. Call Donna Mauro at 973-0753. For more information go to our web page at www.presentationparish.org.

Don't forget, we are saying the Rosary on Tuesday during the summer months, at 7:15 pm. Come join us either in the chapel or out by the statue of Our Lady of Fatima.

Most Important Honor peace more than anything else. But strive first of all to be at peace in yourself.

John of Apamea, Syriac monk and spiritual

Prayer and Life Workshop. This is an opportunity for you to improve your prayer live. In this 15 week workshop you will learn different methods of praying, from basic prayer to contemplative. In the process you will acquire traits of serenity, love, patience, forgiveness and humility. The Workshop will be held on Tuesday **morning** starting July 24, 9:15-11:15 am at St. Clare Catholic Church, 1950 Junction Blvd. (off Baseline), in Roseville. An evening workshop will be held Wednesday **evenings**, starting August 1, 7-9pm at Holy Family Catholic Church, 7817 Old Auburn Road, Citrus Heights. Please call Irene Cervantes, 972-8585 for information and to reserve a place.



For the Month of June:
Kevin & Bridget Holeman and Claire Hoffman

Parking Lot Sale
Saturday-July 14th - 8am-3pm
St. Philomene, 2428 Bell St.
Come join the fund and find some great buys!!!



WANTED: All adults interested in becoming a catholic, or those who have been baptized and would like to become a full member of our church. Please call 481-7441 or check the parish web site for more information

On Wednesday, July 11, the Catholic Breakfast Club presents Professor Raymond Dennehy, professor of Philosophy at the University of San Francisco. An author and frequent lecturer on contemporary ethical issues, Professor Dennehy will speak on the moral, social and philosophical aspects of physician assisted suicide - a topic of renewed interest with Jack Kevorkian's recent release from prison. Breakfast meets monthly at Sacramento Hilton, 2200 Harvard St. Mass is offered at 6:15 am , breakfast is served at 7am. Reserve your tickets on line at www.catholicbreakfastclub.org



Pre-School at Presentation Parish

If you are looking for a Pre-school for your child because of your busy schedule, you have an opportunity at our Parish. So hurry and apply at 3100 Norris Ave. Sacramento, CA 95821. For more information call, 482-0351, 481-7441. Visit our web page at www.presentationparish.org. Likewise, we still have openings in grades k-8. Come and visit our school and see what we are all about.

8th GRADE CAR WASH

Help support our 8th grade class!
Sunday, July 15th, 7:30-12:30. Have your car washed while you attend Mass. Not only will your soul be clean, but so will your car.

Weekly Offering
July 1, 2007
Sunday Offertory
11,759.35
Thank you very much

From the
Pastor

Let's Talk "Heart to Heart"

Having just returned from Poland visiting my relatives and friends, my batteries are recharged so I have the strength to start a new page in our parish.

In July, one and a half months before school starts, we start preparing to open for the new school year, 2007-2008. A new principal, Mr. Charles Suarez, who was introduced to the parish in May, faces excitement and challenges of a new place. With his experience as principal from three different schools in our region in the span of almost twenty years, he has ideas on how to meet the challenges. Right now he has been skillful enough to collect more than a dozen computers, all from donation, that could be used by our students and teachers in their classrooms. We need to improve the power line in order to install more computers. If someone would like to help, please call the office at 481-7441. A few changes are necessary to start and successfully finish a new school year. With all these concerns, to envision the needs and education ideas, the principal would like to meet all school parents some time this month.

But before all we need to advertise our Presentation School for a higher enrollment. Likewise we would like to start a Pre-School this year. We need the effort of all parishioners to promote our school and pre-school. Please show your neighbors our bulletin announcements regarding our school and Pre-School. Also, inform them of our website. We could be the only one in the area with the pre-school program. We are also sending this information to the neighboring parishes to assist us in finding the families who may need our pre-school program.

God Bless, Fr. Andrew

Gospel of Luke

For Basic or Renewal of Catechetical Certification

9 hours of credit granted in the doctrinal area of Christian Prayer

Excellent course for lay men and women interested in learning more about the catholic approach to the Gospels, for Neophytes recently received in the Church, catechumens and candidates, those going through the RCIA process, those teaching RCIA and Youth Ministers .

July 24, 25, 26. 9am to noon at the Pastoral Center, Diocese of Sacramento. \$25 fee. For more info call Kathy at 733-0139.

Coming to You Across the Miles

As my summer vacation takes hold, I am visiting my dear friends in Kilkenny, Ireland, with my Sacramento Colleague, Fr. Ben DeLeon. We are not only experiencing the sights and sounds of southern and northern Ireland, but also continuing the celebration of the 20th Anniversary of my priestly Ordination. Today we are concelebrating Mass in St. Mary's Cathedral in Kilkenny where my seminary classmate, Fr. Oliver Maher is the ADM. St. Mary's Cathedral, the site of the ordination of more than two dozen priests of the Sacramento Diocese, is 150 years old this year. Our visit to Ireland this month is also memorial in nature. Two priests who played significant roles in my and Fr. Ben's lives we will visit the graves of and pray for, while we are here. They are Father Richard Doheny, the late Pastor of St. Mel's Parish, Fair Oaks, was Fr. Ben's childhood Pastor in St. Paul's Parish, Florin, and Msgr. Martin Campion, who was my seminary rector and went on to become President of St. Kieran's College in Kilkenny. I am continuing my dialysis treatments while on vacation and learning that life goes on, despite the maladies that confront me. A kidney transplant is unfettered with the ministry of Parochial Vicar I am presently privileged to share with you, the people of Presentation Parish. All my Best.....Fr. Troy

The "Beginning Experience of Sacramento" support group is offering is "Encountering Life Alone" program of healing, hope and encouragement for divorced, separated or widowed persons of all faiths. This 10 wk program starts on July 19, 2007 at St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 2140 Mission Ave., Carmichael. The meetings are held from 7-9pm. There is a one-time registration fee of \$10 and a \$5 weekly fee. For more information please call 9835-2292 or visit our website at: www.sacramentobe.org.

University of Sacramento Information Session - Please come and visit the University's graduate campus at an Open House on Tuesday, July 17, from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm. Join us for hors'd'ourves, and find out about the first catholic university in Sacramento. Learn about our popular Graduate Program in Catholic Faith Formation and other exciting opportunities for increasing your knowledge of your faith. 1531 I St., 2nd floor. For more info call 443-4760.

The Roots to our story of salvation: How did we get the New Testament? A general survey of the 27 books in the New Testament. A look into their background and why they were written. Presented by : Fr. Jim O'Brien, Lecturer in Scripture at the University of Hull, England. Wednesdays-July 11, 18, 25, & Aug. 1, 2007. At Our Lady of Assumption, St. John Hall. 7:00-8:30 pm. For more info, call 488-4626.. Catechist Certification Credits (6hrs) under the category of "Scripture".

the sick in our community especially,
Crystal Aguilar, Congetta Andreozzi, Joe Antony, Kate Beck,
 Leonard Bencken, Danielle Carpenter, Kathleen Chibnik, Polly Cooper, Edith Costa, Sheila Cox, Michelle Devincenzi, DeAnn Dunnigan, Rose Flowers, Bud Golsong, Laura Grombach, Josephine Holman, Nancy Junglas, Kimberly Kaufman, Bryce Leach, Joe Lease, Sal Lopez, Glenn Mapes, Jason Martinez, Desiree Mendoza, Nancy Moniz, Jimmy Mraule, Coquie Otterbine, Marge Pandorf, Fr. Troy Powers, Margaret Rahn, Celia Ramos, Marianne Redmond, Cathy Reynolds, Bruce Sauer, Barbara Scott, Jack Smith, Colin Soucy, Phyllis Steele, Benjamin Trickitt, Paul Van Coutren, Barry Whittlesey, and Katheryne Walton.

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