

**Thirty-Third Sunday
in Ordinary Time
November 18, 2007**



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Question(s) of the Week

“How much does my desire to be a saint and help others to be saints prepare this world for the Second Coming of Jesus?”

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School Web Site - www.presentationsschool.net

*Intentions
For the Week*

Monday, November 19, 2007

6:30 am

Pat Wilhelm (D) Dave and Barb Scott

8:00 am

Michael & Marylou McClean (D)
Long & Christine Vu
Ceilia Enzler (D) Family

Tuesday, November 20, 2007

6:30 am

Tereas Cabrera, Ryan & Hilayna Brooks (L)

8:00 am

For young people who are maintaining celibacy before marriage (L) P Tabarez

Wednesday November 21, 2007

6:30 am

Hugh McDonald (D) Ed & Ester Barton

8:00 am

For a full bus for the Jan walk for Life

Presentation Sisters (D&L)

Presentation Women's Council

Thursday, November 22, 2007

9:00 am

Mike Robrecht (D) Judy Robrecht
Michael Hanan JR (D) Mary Hanan

Friday, November 23, 2007

6:30 am

Elizabeth Link (D) Dorothy Pawloski

8:00 am

Chuck Fredricks (D) Kitty Fredricks

Saturday, November 24, 2007

8:30am

Mary Jane Caserio (D) Lucille Moessinger

5:30 pm

Carolyn Serafin (D) Jean Serafin
John Barrett (D) Pat Hornback

Sunday, November 25, 2007

8:00 am

Margaret Scherrer (D) Wally Dondero
Angeline Naganany (D)
Laurence & Pam Calison

10:30 am

McHale Family (D)

4:30 pm

Beau Beresford (D) Family

Presentation of the Blessed Virgin

Mary, the Feast Day of our parish and her Patroness. During the regular 6:30 and 8:00 am we would like to honor the Mother of God by flowers brought and setup around her statue in the Chapel and by praying the Litany to her honor. For more information please call Sharon Friedrich.

On **Thanksgiving Day** we will have only one Mass at 9:00 am. Please bring food for the needy as our gift at this Mass.

We will not have the **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** Thursday, Thanksgiving day.

Meditation Books (Little Blue Book) for Advent are on sale after each Mass.

Usher Ministry – We need more parishioners in the Usher Ministry. Please consider your self to serve our parish in this ministry, call the rectory: 482-7441

Donut Sunday Help is needed to serve coffee and donuts after the 8 and 10:30 masses. Please call Barbara Scott (283-4198) if you can help out.

Saint Vincent de Paul

The Food Locker will be furnishing ingredients for turkey dinners. We still need 15 turkeys to meet the needs of our fellow parishioners. Thank you for your support of this important ministry.

Respect Life Ministry

Meeting Wed, Nov 28, at 7:00pm at Nano Nagle Center. Everyone is welcome! Call Wynette at 955-1577 for more information

Save The Date Dec. 9th

5th Annual Fiesta de las Americas
Celebrating our blessed Mother
Special Bilingual Mass at 10:30 followed by fiesta at the Parish Hall. Tickets on sale soon!

Third annual **Presentation Parish Christmas Party** on Saturday, Dec 8, 2007, at 2 pm in the gym. Welcomes new parishioners, and in appreciation of our generous volunteers, staff, and parish community

Happy Thanksgiving from the religious and lay persons of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish. May this holiday find you, your family and the extended community blessed!

... Parish Religious Education

Children's Church is available for children 3-5 years old during the 10:30 am Mass. Parents may still register their children.

...Adult Education

Advent, 2007 (An Adult Christ At Christmas) with Fr. Troy Powers, starting Tuesday, November 20th at 7pm in the Nano Nagle Center. 5 sessions.

*...Adult Education
In the Diocese*

University of Sacramento Opens registration for Spring 2008, starting December 1, 2007 to January 14th, 2008. Call office 443-4760 ex 16 or lmcperson@universityofsacramento.org.

...in the School

13th Annual Santa Breakfast and Craft Fair. December 2nd, 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. Free kids craft tables children make to take home. Pancake breakfast 8:30 to 12:30 pm. \$4 per person or \$12 per family of 4. Pictures with Santa, Kids shop, and Book fair. Crafters still needed. Please contact Mary Bomparola, 359-1018 or Courtney at 645-9225.

Don't forget to purchase scrip. It makes great stocking stuffers, or Christmas gifts (only 42 days), or just to have on hand for emergency. Stop in the school office and pick up some gift cards soon.

Our Youth Group meets after the 4:30 pm Mass on Sunday in Habits in the Nano Nagle Center.

Entertainment Books \$40 still available.

School closed – Thanksgiving Vacation Presentation School will be closed Mon Nov 19th through Fri Nov 23. School will resume Mon Nov 26.

...In the community

Cristo Rey High School is seeking donations of any musical instrument for it's music program. Call: Elsa/Jade 733-2660

**Weekly Offering
November 11, 2007**

\$6, 197

Thank you very much

What's Going On

...in the Parish

On Wednesday, Nov 21st we will celebrate the **Feast Day of the**

Let's Talk: Heart to Heart

This week we will enjoy Thanksgiving Day, a special time to show our gratitude to family, friends and benefactors by gathering together in appreciation of each other and in God. We give thanks to God in our prayers and in sharing food, time and talent with family, friends and the needy. Praise God for all His work in us and through us.

On this occasion, I'd like to express my appreciation for your generosity in our parish. Thank you all for your financial support and commitment in ministries and to service.

Two weeks ago, the Finance Council and I introduced a new automatic giving method called Parish Pay. This introduction was welcomed with a positive response, inserts in the bulletin elaborates on this program as well as the orientation table at Mass staffed by the Finance Council. I encourage you to consider this alternative to our Sunday and Holiday collections. We will be sending each parishioner a letter in the near future, and I would like to quote one paragraph. "During times of need we have been most generous, not only to our parish and school, but to other efforts that require your time, talents and treasures. Our approach to these matters has gratified the whole community of our parish. Nevertheless, when there is no apparent "need" we often overlook our responsibility to support the Church. Often we give what remains: what remains of our time, talent and the abundant treasures Gods provides us. We are asking all to join the parish community, embrace an attitude of abundance and just allow the Lord to flourish in His bountiful works.

God Bless – Fr Andrew

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New Bishop in our Diocese

Today and tomorrow the Church of Sacramento in these 20 counties officially WELCOMES our new Coadjuator Bishop Jaime Soto. A coadjutor bishop is one who is appointed with the right to succeed the diocesan bishop when he retires. And so, Bishop Soto will become the 9th Bishop of Sacramento, when Bishop Weigand retires. A two day celebration of Welcome has been planned in the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament today and tomorrow.....Fr. Troy



Pray For the sick in our community, especially, Crystal Aguilar, Congetta Andreozzi, Joe Antony, Leonard Bencken, Lois Billings, Joy Bissell,

Danielle Carpenter, Kathleen Chibnik, Polly Cooper, Edith Costa, Sheila Cox, Michelle Devincenzi, Tom Dooley, DeAnn Dunnigan, Rose Flowers, Dan French, Bud Golsong, Laura Grombach, Josephine Holman, Nancy Junglas, Kimberly Kaufman, Bryce Leach, Joe Lease, Sal Lopez, Glenn Mapes, Jeanette Marquardson, Rose Mauro, Jason Martinez, Desiree Mendoza, Nancy Moniz, Jimmy Mraule, Coquie Otterbine, Marge Pandorf, Fr. Troy Powers, Edna and Robbie Proaps, Margaret Rahn, Celia Ramos, Marianne Redmond, Cathy Reynolds, John Rochon, Bruce Sauer, Barbara Scott, Jean Serafin, Bob Shirley, Jack Smith, Colin Soucy, Phyllis Steele, Benjamin Trickett, Paul Van Coutren, Barry Whittlesey, and Katheryne Walton

...Parish Schedule

Sunday, November 18

Masses 8a Family/Children's :10:30a,
Healing 1p, Youth Mass 4:30p
Second Collection -School
9:00a Children's Religious Education
classes
10:30a Children's Church
5:30p Habits (Youth Center) Open

Monday, November 19

Masses 6:30 and 8:00 a
10:00a Thanksgiving baskets (SVdP)
7:00p School of Faith Liturgy, do you
have Questions?
7:00p Charismatic Prayer Group

Tuesday, November 20

Masses 6:30 and 8:00 a
10:00a Thanksgiving baskets (SVdP)
5:30p Leg. of Mary
7:00p AN ADULT CHRIST AT
CHRISTMAS – Fr Troy Powers
Advent

7:15p Weekly Rosary

Wednesday, November 21

Feast Day of Presentation of Mary
Masses 6:30 and 8:00 a

Thursday, November 22

Thanksgiving

Mass 9:00 a

Friday, November 23

Masses 6:30a and 8:15a

Saturday, November 24

Masses 8:30a & 5:30 p
8a-1p Feed the Hungry (SVdP)
4:30p Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday, November 25

Feast of Christ the King
Masses 8a, Family 10:30a, Youth
4:30p

5:30p Habits (Youth Center) Open

Wellspring Christmas Store

Need new unwrapped gifts so
mothers can choose for their

family. Suggestions are sleeping bags, blankets, hats/ gloves, hand held games and gift certificates to most stores. Drop off gifts before Dec 10th to Wellspring Women's Center at 3414 4th Ave. Between 10th & 18th at St. Paul's Church, 4020 12th Ave.

Immaculate Heart Radio

Fall Pledge Drive, Nov 28 through Nov 30. 6am 6pm Volunteers needed Call Debora Hedricks at 535-0500 ex 221 or email at dhenrichs@ihradio.org

Catholic Charities of Sacramento

is seeking individuals or families interested in "adopting" a local family in need for Christmas. Donors are asked to provide gifts as well as a grocery gift card. Please call the Catholic Charities office at 733-0253 for more info.

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