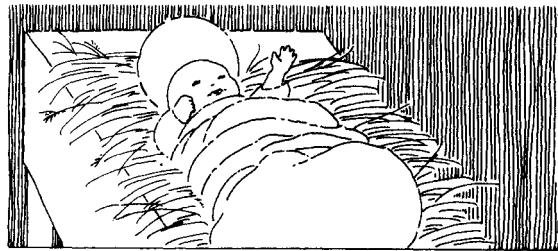


January 6, 2008
The Epiphany of the Lord



CHRIST IS IN OUR MIDST

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Question of the Week

“What kinds of gold, frankincense and myrrh brought by the Three Magi will I and my family bring to Jesus?”

Parish Web Site - www.presentationparish.org
School Web Site - www.presentationsschool.net

*Intentions
For the Week*

Monday, January 7, 2008

6:30 am

Mike & Tami Neal (L)

8:00 am

John Dondero (D) Wally Dondero
MargaretSScherrer (D) Wally Dondero

Tuesday, January 8, 2008

6:30 am

Theresa Cabrera, Ryan & Hilayna Brooks (L) Grandma Bertha

8:00 am

Vera Thiels (D) Kitty Fredericks

Wednesday January 9, 2008

6:30 am

8:00 am

Gilbert Marcos Campos (L)
Mary Campos

Thursday, January 10, 2008

6:30 am

8:00 am

Joseph Mc Ternan (D) St V. dePaul

Friday, January 11, 2008

6-30 am

8:00 am

Saturday, January 12, 2008

8:30am

Joe Cunningham (D) Kathleen Cunningham

5:30 pm

Danny Farmer (D) Elsie Farmer
Antul Family (D) Jean Serafin

Sunday, January 13, 2008

8:00a m

Theresa Cabrera, Ryan & Hilayna Brooks (L) Grandma Bertha

10:30 am

Eleanor Johnson (L) Frech Fam.

4:30 pm

Rosemary Mathews (L) Robert Mathews

Weekly Offering

December 30, 2007

\$8,400

Thank you very much

What's Going On

...in the Parish

Stewardship Opportunities – Just an hour a month can make a huge difference! Support **your** Parish! Become a steward of your parish! Checkout the Web list of opportunities on the parish web site at www.presentationparish.org or call the rectory: 482-7441

Junior Bulletins If your children attend Mass or Children's Church make sure they take one of our age targeted bulletins home with them.

...Save The Date

Jan 17, Discovering the Missing "Peace" Thu 7-8:45 pm, Chapel

Jan 17, Men's Club Meeting for Jan, Dinner 6:30, Meeting 7:00. Apologies for Nov meeting mix-up.

Jan 26, HS Placement Test Sat, 8-12:15, see last weeks bulletin for phone numbers.

Jan 30, Kings Presentation School Night Out, by Booster Club Contact Wendi 486-3763 for info

Feb 2 - 34th Annual Crab Feed & Auction. Tickets \$50 sales begin Dec 1 after Mass.

...in the School

Don't forget to purchase **SCRIP** (gift cards). Contact any student, or after Sun Mass

...Respect Life

Jan 8, Pro-life Mass, St. Philomene's Tues 6:PM. Rosary at 5:30PM. Further details about Mass contact Sally Fisher @ 780-5305

Jan. 2008 Calendarforlife – Events and Announcements for life at www.calendarforlife.org

Jan 19, 4th Annual Walk for Life, San Francisco, don't forget to register for your Presentation bus to the Walk for Life March Call Paula at 485-7387 or Peggy at 531 2121.

...Youth 2000

Jan 11- 13, Youth (ages 13-30), responding to the call of Pope John Paul II to live and proclaim the Gospel, are invited to a Youth 2000 Retreat hosted by Greater Redding Area Catholic Youth Ministry, at Bishop Quinn HS in Palo Cedro, CA call (530) 524-2970 for more information

...Marriage Help?

Preparation: Ed & Mollie 205-3207
Improvement and enhancement: Raul & Gayla Ponce (866) 825-2046
Troubled and renewal: Fred & Barbara (800) 283-5952.

...From Fr. Andrew?

Next Sunday, called the "**Baptism of the Lord**", ends the Christmas Time in the Liturgical Year of the Catholic Church. We begin the first part of the Ordinary Time that ends very early due to Ash Wednesday on February 6th that starts Lent Time.

*...Parish Religious Education
...Children' Religious Ed*

Classes restart at 9:am.

On Sun., Jan 13 there is a parents meeting on the Holy Eucharist at 9am in the school cafeteria.

The Rite of Enrollment for this Sacrament will take place during the 10:30 Mass.

... RCIA

Classes restart Wed., Jan 9 7pm

...Children's Church

Children's Church For preschool and Kindergarten. Available from 10:30 while parents are in church

...School of Faith

Do you Yearn to Understand more about Human Formation? Jan 7-April 30, 2008, Monday 6:30-8:45 pm \$40 + \$10 Flyers are available in vestibule. Register with Barbara at 481-4771

...Presentation

Jan 17, Discovering the Missing "Peace" The Presentation Pastoral Council Adult Outreach Committee invites all women of the Parish community to a special evening of spiritual enrichment! Thu 7-8:45 pm Chapel, Register with Barbara Fay at the Rectory 481-7441 or Paul Friedrich at 359-5062

...Adult Education In the Diocese

Jan 31, "By Hope We Were Saved" – Rom 8:24 7-9pm Pastoral Center - \$10 Call 733-0123 to register

Religious Education at OLA, check out our web site

An Afternoon with Jeff Cavins
January 13, 2008

Psychology and Religion - The Jungian Model

It's strengths and weaknesses four Wednesdays starting February 13, 2008

...Additional

Additional Adult Faith formation Opportunities in the Diocese – Call Sharon Laitinen, Coordinator for English Catechesis (916) 733-0153

...Web Info

...http:// presentationparish.org

Did you know?

We have up to 220 daily visitors
The site changes colors reflecting the Liturgy color of the day.
The site is one year old Monday.

Let's Talk: Heart to Heart

Happy New Year!!!

The first day of a New Year has always been the feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary with the name: Mother of God. So, we always begin the new year with the renewed hope: God with all the saints in Heaven is taking care for us.

In a tradition of a one religious order, the cards with the names of the saints are picked up, like in a lottery, to have a patron(ess) for the whole coming year. In our parish we chose our patron-saints last year, and continuing this year. We enjoy this and we believe that we are chosen by that saint. When we have a saint for the new year we also have a message or an advice written down on the same card specifying our commitment in prayer and in action. This, and the life of the chosen saint gives us a new spirit in our Christian dedication. You are invited to choose a saint, you can find a big basket in the church's vestibule, please take a one card. You may also come to the office where we have another basket for your convenience.

So, a new year is bringing a new hope that we may achieve many of new things in our life and in the lives of others, but it also brings a kind of fear that we may fail. But the fear is a temptation of the tempter due to the unknown future. Future is always unknown but God is always with us. He is also with us through the love and care of the Saints if we allow them to be with us.

My hope for the parish in this new year is that we will be successful in gathering together our children of sixth, seven and eighth grade in the Junior High formation to help them to be firmly rooted in our parish, to grow in faith, and feel at home because a parish is the Mother Church Home to us. My hope also extends to the High School students in our families. They need to be re-spirited, re-arranged and somehow helpful to the youngsters from Junior High in our parish family. Nevertheless I am grateful for the current weekly commitment and work done to them.

Do you make a New Year resolution(s) that may shape your hope for this year? With the help of the Saints you may fulfill your resolution. And you will feel happy.

God Bless --Fr. Andrew

Let Us Pray

At the beginning of our New Year of 2008, let us pray for the parishioners who have passed away and whose funerals were celebrated in our church in 2007: **Thomas Nuxoll, Gloria Dooley, Carolyn Serefin, Cathy Hill, Tillie Storelli, Hugh McDonald, John Setic, Rita Hodgkins, John Friel, Baldamar Martinez, Don Novotany, Glenn Mapes**

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Divine Motherhood of Mary

Dear Brothers and Sisters, at the beginning of this New Year, I offer prayerful good wishes to all of you and to your families! Yesterday, the Church joyfully celebrated the solemnity of Mary, Mother of God. This ancient title of Our Lady – *Theotokos* – reflects the truth that Jesus, her Son, is true God and true man. The confirmation of this title at the Council of Ephesus in the fifth century led to ever greater devotion to Mary and the dedication of numerous churches in her honour, including the Basilica of Saint Mary Major here in Rome. During this Christmas season, we can sense the close relationship between the Incarnation and our Lady's dignity as the Mother of God. Indeed, the title "Mother of God" expresses Mary's special mission in the history of salvation and her particular role in the mystery of Christ and the Church. Our Lady's divine motherhood is in fact the basis of every other title by which the Church honours her. Mother of God and Mother of the Church, Mary was also entrusted by Christ to be the Mother of each of his disciples (cf. *Jn 19:27*). In this New Year, may we turn to her with confidence and, through her protection and prayers, be strengthened in our love for Jesus her Son and our service to the coming of his Kingdom.

BENEDICT XVI, Paul VI Audience Hall, Wednesday, 2 January 2008



Pray For the sick in our community, especially,
Crystal Aguilar, Congetta Andreozzi, 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, Lucille Gruenwald, Josephine Holman, Eleanor Johnson, Nancy Junglas, Kimberly Kaufman, Melissa Keis, Bryce Leach, Joe Lease, Jack Lee, Guy Leggitt, Sal Lopez, Jeanette Marquardson, Rose Mauro, Jason Martinez, Desiree Mendoza, Nancy Moniz, Coquie Otterbine, Marge Pandorf, Maryn Porter, Fr. Troy Powers, Edna and Robbie Proaps, Margaret Rahn, Celia Ramos, Marianne Redmond, John Rochon, Bruce Sauer, Barbara Scott, Dave Scott, Jean Serafin, Bob Shirley, Jack Smith, Colin Soucy, Phyllis Steele, Benjamin Trickitt, Paul Van Coutren, Barry Whittlesey, and Katherine Walton

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...Parish Schedule

Mon., Jan.7 Masses 6:30 and 8:00 am

6:30pm School of Faith

7pm Charismatic Prayer Group

Tues., Jan.8 Masses 6:30 and 8:00 am

5:30pm Legion of Mary

6pm Habits (Youth Group)

7:15pm Weekly Rosary

Wed., Jan.9 Masses 6:30 and 8:00 am

11am St. Bridget

7pm RCIA

7pm Respect life

Thu., Jan.10 Masses 6:30 and 8:00 am

8:30-5:30 pm Adoration of the Blessed Virgin Mary

5pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy

6pm Habits (Youth Group)

7pm Liturgy Council Meeting

Fri., Jan.11 Masses 6:30am and 8:15am

School

Sat., Jan.12 Masses 8:30am & 5:30 pm

8am -1pm Feed the Hungry

4:30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sun., Jan.13, Baptism of the Lord,

Masses 8am, Family Mass 10:30am

Youth Mass 4:30pm

9am Children's Religious Education

classes, parent meeting in School Café.

10:30am Children's Church

10:30am Rites of Enrollment

4:30pm Habits (Youth Group)

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