



St. John Neumann Catholic Church

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OFFICE HOURS:

TUESDAY-FRIDAY
8:30 AM TO 12 NOON; 1:30 PM TO 5:00 PM
SATURDAY
8:30 AM TO 4:00 PM

CLOSED SUNDAY
CLOSED MONDAY

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Saturday, 3:00 to 3:30 p.m., or upon request.

Sacrament of Baptism

Sundays during Mass (except during Lent). Parents & godparents are required to attend one of the Baptismal Prep. Classes held at the church the 1st Tuesday at 7 pm & the 3rd Saturday at 10am of each month. The Baptism date should be scheduled with the church prior to making plans for the celebration with family and friends.

Sacrament of Marriage

Consult with the priest before you set the date. A minimum of six months preparation is needed.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Call the parish office at any time if you or a member of your family seeks the Sacrament

Communion for the Sick or Homebound

Please contact the parish office during office hours. In case of hospitalization, inform the admissions office that you are a Catholic so that they may inform ministers.

Funeral Arrangements

Please call the parish office at any time.

Mass Intentions

Mass requests are scheduled in the parish office. The calendar fills up rapidly, so mass intentions may have to be made up to a year in advance.

House Blessings

By virtue of the priestly mission given through Baptism, parishioners are encouraged to bless their own homes with the assistance of holy water and appropriate prayers provided by the parish.

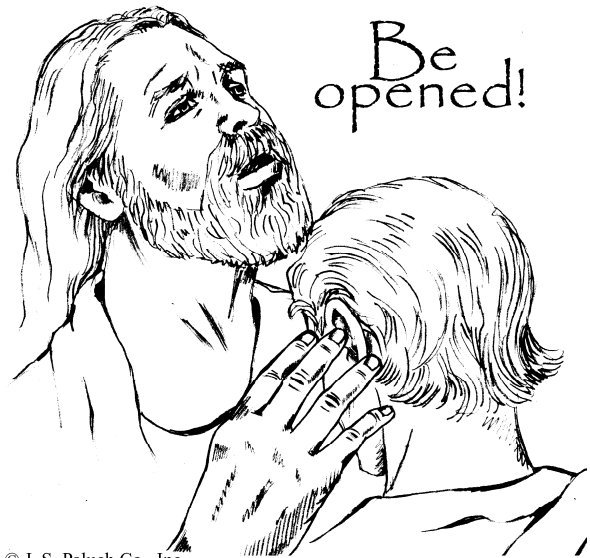
Faith Formation Registration

Open registration will begin in May.

Annulments

Please call the office.

Sunday, September 6, 2009
Twenty-third Sunday
of Ordinary Time



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The Schedule of Liturgies

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (Vigil)

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.;
12:00 noon, (with ASL Interpretation);
& 5:00 pm

Tuesday through Friday: 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 8:00 a.m., 12 noon, & 6:00 p.m.

Rosary

Tues.- Fri: 7:15 am (Church opens at 7:10 a.m.)

Morning Prayer

Tuesday through Friday: 7:35 a.m.



Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
 4:00 pm † Doris Gardner
 by Mr. & Mrs. Francis J. Mansfield

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
 8:00 am † Mary Ann Cameron
 by Mr. & Mrs. Francis J. Mansfield
 10:00 am † All Souls in Purgatory
 by Cecile Locher
 12:00 pm † Filicia Kariyakarawana by Fr. Bede
 5:00 pm Parishioners of SJNC

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
 8:00 am † Anthony Provenzano
 by Italia Provenzano

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9
 † All souls in Purgatory
 by Cecile Locher

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10
 8:00 am † Antonia Martinez
 by Bob & Natalie Martinez

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
 8:00 am † Glen Pettit, NYPD,
 by the Dougherty family

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
 4:00 pm † Clara Bober by Jack Bober

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
 8:00 am † Dionisia Urbayan by Perla Samara,
 Amy Orta, & Erlinda Santiago
 10:00 am † All Souls in Purgatory
 by Cecile Locher
 12:00 pm Parishioners of St. John Neumann
 5:00 pm † Menandro Tavera by Norma Encabo

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Col 1:24 — 2:3; Lk 6:6-11
 Tuesday: Mi 5:1-4a ; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23
 Wednesday: Col 3:1-11; Lk 6:20-26
 Thursday: Col 3:12-17; Lk 6:27-38
 Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Lk 6:39-42
 Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17; Lk 6:43-49

NEXT WEEK TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 50:5-9a; Ps 116; Jas 2:14-18;
 Mk 8:27-35

Mount Angel Seminary

August 22, 2009

Father Bede,

Peace of Our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

Father, I am back at the Seminary. During the next week, we will have orientation for the new seminarians. I am very happy to be back to my studies. At the same time, I want to thank you for the great hospitality and the gift of money that I received from St. John Neumann Parish. The money will help with some of my expenses. It is very important that your presence is coming along in this my journey to the priesthood in the person of Jesus Christ. It is also very important for you and others to continue praying for my vocation. In the difficult moments it is what helps us. I am very grateful for your generosity knowing that the Risen Lord will reward you with blessings in your ministry and your family. May the light of the Holy Spirit guide you and Mary, full of grace, Mother of God intercede for you always.

Please say Hi for me to all the good people you have around you.

In Jesus Christ

Felipe Jiménez

Seminarian of the Diocese of Las Vegas

Please note

The parish office will be open:

Tuesday-Friday

8:30am-12noon; 1:30pm-5:00pm

Saturday

8:30m-4:00pm

Beginning September 8.

This weekend's altar flowers were donated in memory of the life and death of
 Clara Bober
 by her son, Jack.

Victim Advocacy Number

Advocacy is available through the diocese for any individual who has been sexually and/or physically abused.

The 24-hour hotline number is: 235-7723



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Frank Fertitta, Jr., who passed away on August 21, 2009. He was deeply devoted to his faith and supported numerous local charities. His involvement within the diocese was invaluable.

Stewardship

The following is a listing of parish financial obligations:

NEEDED WEEKLY: \$33,655.00

NEEDED MONTHLY: \$145,835.00

NEEDED ANNUALLY: \$1,750,000.00

The monthly mortgage for the Parish Center is \$31,768.00 and whatever we don't have when the payment is due, must be taken out of our "less than substantial" savings.

AUGUST 29/30

Total Collection - \$ 20,104.67

Second collection - Hospitality

Church Attendance 2945. Our church holds 663

	Attendance	Total Collection
4:00 pm	422	\$ 4,049.00
8:00 am	530	\$ 4,013.17
10:00 am	833	\$ 4,095.00
12:00 pm	652	\$ 2,408.00
5:00 pm	508	\$ 2,816.50
Electronic payment		\$ 1,520.00
Mail in		\$ 1,203.00

Little Children's Liturgy

10:00am \$ 11.81 12:00pm \$ 14.45

Pastor's Notes

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Dear Parishioners,

Many of you have been waiting to hear about the new translation of the liturgy and when it is coming out. The time has finally arrived. Although the changes have been published on the web, the new verbiage for the mass and the new missals will not be implemented for a while yet. But you may want to take a look at the changes by clicking on the USCCB website: www.usccb.org/romanmissal. I think the changes will better reflect the reality of what is truly happening at the mass.

To help everyone understand the reasoning behind the changes and also to prepare for them, we are starting a new educational series on liturgy that will appear in the bulletin for 40 weeks, beginning today. I hope you will take the time to read the material with your mind's eye on what you see, hear, say and do each time you attend mass. The series should be quite enlightening and a good supplement to the information you already know about the Church and our faith, even though it doesn't directly address the missal changes.

And while we are on the subject of mass, *have you given any thought to my recent plea for you to become involved in ministry?* We are in dire need of ushers, extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist, lectors, altar servers and sacristans. There is also still an urgent need for a couple more teachers and teacher's assistants for classes that will be starting very soon! Please know that the Lord sees your willingness and wants to bless you in a special way through your participation in His work. But until you say "yes" and start doing it, the blessing becomes stalled.

I do understand that some of our parishioners are unable to volunteer because of unyielding work schedules, sickness, and other difficult situations. Those people can also participate in some of the other ways open to every parishioner: prayer is vital to the work of the church and meaningful donations help to keep us in operation. The Lord knows what each one can and cannot do and blesses them accordingly.

I pray for all our parishioners regularly and I ask that you join me in praying for this parish and also that our liturgies will enjoin the hearts and minds of all those who attend. May God bless you and guide you in all your decisions, and may those decisions lead you closer to God.

Your Pastor,

J. Becke Wnizka

Second collection



Next week's second collection is for Seminary & Clergy Education. The Bishop has written us a letter about it, which can be found on page nine.

"LITTLE THINGS" DO COUNT!

It is time to total up some of the "little things" we donate to the church. Here are the totals for the period of July 2008 through June 2009:



Albertson's	\$3004.56
Aluminum Cans	\$1689.00
Ink Cartridges	\$ 763.50
Pennies From Heaven	\$ 520.38
Visiting Mary	<u>\$ 180.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$6157.44

Keep the "Little Things" coming!

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Donuts and Theology

Donuts and Theology will return on Sunday, September 13, after the 8:am, 10:00am, and noon Masses in the overflow room.

September topics are:

- September 13 The Liturgical Year
 - September 20 Vestments and colors
 - September 27 Music and Art
- On Tuesday, September 15, and Tuesday, September 22, beginning at 7:00pm, Fr. Bede will present a more in-depth look at the Liturgical Year.



Marthas and Marys' Upcoming Events:

It is that time of year again - The M & Ms are selling Entertainment Books now. The cost has gone up to \$30 per book, but the coupons have also increased in value and quantity. What better time to save with the 2 for 1 offers than **RIGHT NOW!!** To get your book, stop by the Gift Shop.

Calling All Crafters and Bakers!!! Get your needles, glue guns, sequins, yarn, flour, sugar, etc ready and moving!!! The annual M & M Craft Fair and Bake Sale is scheduled for Nov. 14 and 15, 2009. Your generous donations have made our past Fairs a great success and once again, we need your help. Please contact Lori Gabriel -445-7548 if you have any questions regarding your donations.

The next M & M meeting is scheduled for September 8, 2009. This group is open to all women of the Parish ages 18 and up. Come join us for prayer, fun, and fellowship. Mark your calendars and join us on September 8, 2009 at 7pm in the Youth Room.

SENIOR LUNCHEON

The next Senior luncheon will be on September 9, 2009 at 12:00. All seniors of the parish are welcome to enjoy the sumptuous meals prepared by our "World-Renowned" Senior Luncheon chefs! Reservations can be made by calling Bob Chiodo at 649-5989 no later than September 5, 2009. If you'd like to bring along your favorite dessert, please call Bob to let him know what you will be bringing. Bon Appetit!!



Outreach

"You ain't gonna learn what you don't wanna know."
Jerry Garcia

Are you ready to see how many lives you've made brighter in the month of August? The statistics are hot off the presses! Outreach served 540 families in which there were 1325 children, 1138 adults, and 47 senior citizens!



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Give yourself a pat on the back, because there would be no Outreach without your donations of food, clothing, school supplies, and cold, hard cash! Thank you to each and every one who took the time to brighten the lives of strangers, desperately in need.

Wish lists:

Pantry:

Spaghetti sauce, pasta, mac & cheese, peanut butter, **protein** (canned chicken, tuna, ham, Spam, beef stew), Ramen, **RICE, DRIED BEANS**

Lunches: Soft drinks, water, chips

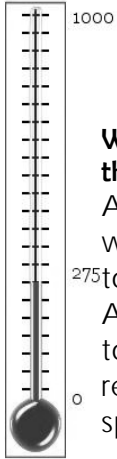
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WANTED!

REFRIGERATOR

THE MEN'S CLUB IS SEEKING THE DONATION OF A 16-24 CUBIC FOOT REFRIGERATOR, IN WORKING ORDER. IF YOU HAVE ONE TO DONATE, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE.

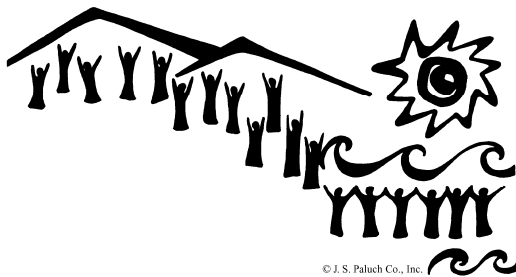
the fruitful vine



We're still going strong! Thank you to those who have recently responded. At the time of this print deadline, we have received 275 responses to our Fruitful Vine Stewardship Annual Commitment. Thank you to everyone who has faithfully responded to the care of our spiritual home.

It's still not too late to respond! Additional copies of the Fruitful Vine Stewardship Annual Commitment Form are available throughout the parish.

If you have any questions at all, please contact the Stewardship Committee via the parish office and someone from that committee will be in contact with you within 48 hours.



Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs to the kingdom? — *James 2:5*

FOUND: A beautiful leather-bound Bible was found in the SJNC parking lot. If you think it may be yours, please contact the office.

LOST: A parishioner has lost his cellphone in the worship space. If you find it, please contact the office.

FAITH FORMATION

JHYG

The Junior High Youth Group is calling all 6th, 7th, and 8th graders!

JHYG meets the 2nd Monday and last Friday of every month at 6:00 pm.

RSVP Jenn at 399-6710 or email

JLBauchrowitz@cox.net



High School Youth Group (HSYG)

The SJNC / HSYG meets every Wednesday from 5:30-6:45 pm.

Help with planning service projects and social activities as well as discussing what is important to you.

ALL HIGH-SCHOOL AGED YOUTH ARE INVITED!!

Faith Formation classes begin soon!

Faith Formation classes will begin on:

Saturday	September 12	9:30am – 10:45am
Sunday	September 13	7:45am - 10:15am
Sunday	September 13	10:30am – 1:15pm
Tuesday	September 15	5:30pm – 6:45pm
Wednesday	September 16	5:30pm – 6:45pm
Thursday	September 17	5:30pm – 6:45pm

Parent Orientation meetings will be during your child's class time occurring on one of these days:

Tuesday -Sept. 22, Wednesday-Sept. 23

Thursday- Sept. 24 Saturday - Sept. 26

Parents of children in the second year of sacrament preparation (**Eucharist II** or **Confirmation II**) are asked to attend the **Saturday 9:30am** Orientation, immediately followed by information specific to the Sacrament. Parents of children in Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, Level I, Sunday mornings, please choose a day that is convenient for you to attend the Parent Orientation.

event-ville!

6th Annual Guam Dinner
Friday, September 18th 5pm

SJNC Parish Center

Featuring:

Tevekanui Polynesian Dance Group, Fire Dancers plus the music, culture and Cuisine of Guam.

Tickets on sale now after Mass and in the parish office.

\$10.00 Adults \$5 Children (4-11),
Kids 3 and under free.

Drinks sold separately.

Come Party the Chamorro (Guam) Way!



Festi-ville!

5th Annual SJNC Fall Festival

Friday, October 30, 2009 3-9pm

International Food Fair, Music,
Beer Garden, Entertainment, Prizes,
Games, Scavenger Hunt and more.

Sponsors, Donations,
and helpers are needed.

Check for information at
Festival Bulletin board in the lobby.

Fall Festival Committee Meeting:
Wednesday, Sept. 9 7pm Youth Room.

You are not only welcome but are
encouraged to join us.



FOURTH ANNUAL ST JOHN NEUMANN FALL GOLF TOURNAMENT



October 3, 2009-7:00am

Shotgun Start

NELLIS AFB-SUNRISE VISTA GC
\$85.00 per person-\$340.00 per team
(Single sign-ups welcome)

**(Includes: green fees, cart, range balls,
lunch, goodie bag)**

Four person scramble format -
Check-in starts at 6:00am

Lunch, awards and raffle drawing at end of
play -

Signup deadline is Sept 20, 2009

Raffle tickets will be sold
the day of the event at 6 for \$5.00

Peoria Team low net (1st & 2nd)

Team low gross (1st & 2nd)

Men and Woman longest drive

Men and Woman closest to the pin

White Tees for men

Forward Tees for woman

For more information contact :

Don Schaefer at 233-2745

Email: mrdon2@cox.net

Dave Slavik at 399-5117

Email: dlslavik@embarqmail.com

Website's up!

**The St. John Neumann website is up
and running! You can check it out at
www.sjnc.org.**

LEARNING ABOUT OUR FAITH

The following articles are the first in a series of 40 catechetical lessons being offered to our parishioners.

Each lesson will detail every action of the Mass.

The Eucharist (1)

The word, Eucharist is derived from “eucharistein” which means to give thanks. Some biblical scholars are of the opinion that, in the time of Jesus, this Greek word did have the nuance of “praise”. Their argument is based on the manner both Paul (1 Cor. 11, 23-25) and Luke (Lk. 22, 19-20) present the Eucharistic words of Jesus. They use the word, eucharistein both for the bread and the cup. In a strictly Jewish Palestinian setting, one was supposed to pronounce a blessing or praise over the bread and a thanksgiving over the cup. Hence Mark (Mk.14,22-24) and Mathew (Mt. 26, 26-28) follow this tradition in reporting the Eucharistic words of Jesus. Paul and Luke, on the other hand, represent the gentile Greek setting of the word, where eucharistein could have both meanings, namely praise and thanksgiving.

The Greek word, Eucharistia, appears, for the first time, as a technical term for the Eucharist, in Didache (The teaching of the twelve apostles). This document is dated to the period between the end of the first century and middle of the second century A.D. In chapter 10, there is a short description of how the Eucharist has to be celebrated. This was probably the way the first Christians celebrated the Eucharist. A point to be noted here is the absence of the eucharistic words of Jesus. Many explain this, saying that these words were taken for granted, because the emphasis here is on the detailed description of the ritual.

The next important thing is how we are to understand the Eucharist as praise and thanksgiving. To do this, we have to go back to the original context of the Eucharist. According to the gospels of Mathew, Mark and Luke, Jesus is reported to have instituted the Eucharist in a Jewish Passover context (Mt. 26,17-19; Mk. 14, 12-16; Lk. 22, 7-13). John connects Jesus’ Discourse on the Bread of Life with the Jewish Passover (Jn. 6, 4). Passover, at that time, was praise and thanksgiving to God for the great act of liberation of the Israelites from the bondage in Egypt. In the same vein, Eucharist was understood as praise and thanksgiving for God’s great act of liberation of mankind, from the bondage of sin, put into effect through the ministry and the death of Jesus. “..for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins.”, (Mt.26, 28).

Parables and Miracles of Jesus

Terminology and Meaning

The word, Parable, comes from the Greek word “parabole” which could mean a comparison, proverb, simile, metaphor or some sort of analogy referring to another reality. Etymologically, the word means “to throw beside or throw against”. Hence the idea of similarity as well as challenge may be intended here. “Parabole” is the general rendering of the Hebrew word “mashal” by the Septuagint, the Greek Text of the Old Testament. “Mashal” too has a wide variety of meanings as mentioned above, including the notions of riddle and allegory. Its root-meaning is “to be like, to compare” etc. Parable is an extended metaphor or a string of metaphors connected with one another in terms of a common purpose and portraying one main idea. The difference between allegory and parable is precisely this. That means the metaphors in the allegory are interpreted separately and individually; but, in interpreting a parable, one has to take into account its main thrust and purpose.

Elements that go to make a Parable

An analysis of a parable of the simplest form will suffice to determine the important literary elements that go to make a parable.

“You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trodden under foot by men” (Mathew 5, 13). The following literary elements can be isolated in this short parable, namely, (1) It contains something taken from daily life or Nature. (2) There is a comparison or analogy. (3) It contains a message. (4) Offers a challenge to make an option to live according to the message presented.

Different Kinds of Parables

The parables of Jesus may be divided into three principal types, namely, (1) Parabolic Sayings (2) Short Parables (3) Parable-Stories. Parabolic Sayings are the simplest form of parable. It is simply a metaphor embedded in a saying of Jesus, e.g. “You are the salt of the earth.....” (Mathew 5, 13). Short Parables, in their brevity, develop the single metaphor found in them, in a way it becomes live and challenging. An example may illustrate this fact. “Again the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it.” (Mathew 13, 45-46). Parable Stories take the form of very a short story, with different characters and situations enriching it. This fact can, at times, complicate the understanding and interpretation of such a parable, e.g. Parable of the ‘Prodigal Son’ (Luke 15, 11-32).

Pray for Our Military Family Members

- Beginning with this bulletin, we will be publishing our military members only once per month. Please pray for our military men and women who are serving in combat zones, especially those who are loved ones of St. John Neumann parishioners.
- When your service member returns, please notify us, so we have room for another family.



Our Prayer List

Due to space restraints and the growing number of requests, we will not be able to put the prayer list in the bulletin at this time. If you have someone who is ill or homebound that you'd like the parish to include in prayers, *and if you have the person's permission to use his/her name*, please continue to write it in the prayer list book in the lobby.

We ask that everyone include the intentions of these folks, who are written in the prayer intention book, in your daily prayers. They are suffering from illnesses, job losses and difficulties of all kinds and could benefit from your intercessory prayers.

Thank you.



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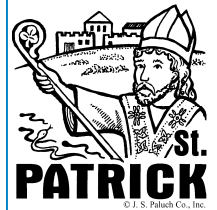


TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Back to work we go! Summer break is over and there is much to accomplish in school and in the workplace. It's a venerable Catholic custom to assign patron saints to the trades and occupations of life. This is largely in the realm of popular devotion, and although from time to time the Vatican declares a saint to be patron of this or that, the process is free-wheeling and just about uncontrollable. Still, there is a saint for almost any purpose whether you are on death row (Dismas), having eye trouble (Lucy), or pursued by poisonous toads (Hubert). Medieval guilds would often associate themselves with heavenly patrons, so Saint Joseph has the carpenters, Saint Thomas More the lawyers, and physicians get Saint Luke. If you're stuck in the airport, St. Joseph of Cupertino is on call since he was said to rise off the floor when he prayed, and if you're in a long line at the ATM, Saint Anthony Claret is for you.

In recent years, the Vatican has, from time to time, assigned a new patronage, as when Saint Aloysius Gonzaga was named the patron of HIV-AIDS patients, since as a young Jesuit novice he had cared for his fellow novices during a terrible plague. Anything that matters to us—nation, parish church, occupation, illness—can have a patron, and it is an aspect of Catholicism that has enormous appeal. To believe in the “communion of saints” is to know that the ties that bind us as a communion do not unravel with death, and that when we stand before life's struggles, we do not stand alone. Who is your patron saint?

—Rev. James Field, © Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

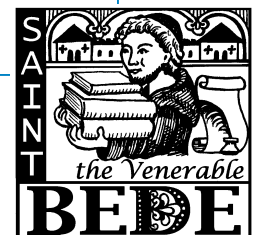


St. PATRICK
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St. Dymphna

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SAINT
the Venerable
BEDE

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AROUND THE DIOCESE

Fall Faith Festival 2009
Saturday, September 12, 2009
9:00 - 11:30 am

Christ the King Catholic Community
4925 S Torrey Pines Dr.
(corner of Tropicana)

For more information or to register, call:
Department of Faith & Ministry Formation
(702) 735-6044
or visit our website at:

[www.lasvegas-diocese.org/
faith_formation_upcoming_events.html](http://www.lasvegas-diocese.org/faith_formation_upcoming_events.html)

*Fall Faith Festival qualifies as two hours credit
toward catechist certification.



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My Dear Parishioners,

The Diocese of Las Vegas is blessed with dedicated priests who give generously of their lives to serve the spiritual needs of the people in our parishes, schools, missions, hospitals, and Catholic Charities.

Each September the Diocese through this second collection asks for your generosity to assist in supporting our priests when they become ill, disabled or to meet special health needs.

We are also very blessed to have five men studying for the priesthood at Mount Angel Seminary in Oregon and Saint John's Seminary in California, and a candidate who will begin his studies later this year. Funds from this collection help the diocese to pay for their educational and formational needs. Our seminarians have generously answered God's call to serve His people and I ask you to give generously to help our Church support these men.

I thank you in advance for your support of this collection that assists our seminarians and priests.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Joseph A. Pepe, D.D., J.C.D.
Bishop of Las Vegas

Retrouvaille . . . Weekend on October 16-18, 2009

Retrouvaille has helped thousands of couples at every stage of disillusionment, even those thinking of separation or divorce. Don't wait until it gets that bad. To speak to a couple who has made the weekend & for more information call Chuck and Carol Moore at (702) 615-4339.



THIRD ORDER CARMELITE OPEN HOUSE

God may be calling you to a spiritual closeness with Him as a Third Order Carmelite. The Third Order Carmelite of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is a community of men and women, married and single, from all walks of life who are seeking to put the truths of the Gospel into the realities of their daily life. You are invited to contact Marge Bryk @ 405-8910 for more information about our Carmelite Community and an Open House planned for Saturday, September 26, 2009 after the 8:00 am Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"He has done all things well."

Jesus works miracles in us if we take time to listen how to make our marriage even greater than it is. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is October 9-11, 2009, in Boulder City. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information, call Jim and Mary Carr at 702-263-2004.

For information on Spanish-language weekends, call Jose and Patti Santiago at 702-544-3755.



Job Opening **Thrift Store Cashier/Donation attendant**

Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada is looking to hire a friendly, bilingual (English/Spanish) individual to work in our thrift store. Previous cash handling experience and a steady job history required. Benefits offered. 32-40 hours per week. Pay is \$7.55 per hour. Please fax resumes to 702.646.2183 or email to jmiddleton@catholiccharities.com .

Parish Staff

Pastor	Fr. Bede Wevita	
Visiting Priests	Msgr. Joe Cosgrove	
	Fr. Albert Felice-Pace	
Deacon	Frank Oettinger	
Parish Secretary	Nancy Hoover	x 201
Receptionist	Leonarda Serna	x 200
Business Administrator	Cheryl Shaffer	x 216
Director of Faith Formation for Children	Cathy Trawinski	x 210
Director of Youth & Young Adult Ministry	Greg Sinclair	x 214
Asst. to Faith Formation & Youth Ministry	Rosie Arellano	x 217
Coordinator of CGS	Helen Silva	x215
Director of Events & Activities	Mary Santos	x 211
Coordinator of Pastoral Care	Kathy Oettinger	
Director of Music & Adult and Children's Choir	Sean Davis	255-5269
Cantors	Sean Davis & Lissy de Jesus	
Organists	Kara Davis & Delma Reid	
Maintenance Supervisor	Chuck Miller	
Custodian	Tio Serna	
Grounds Maintenance	Joe Mischel	

Parish Calendar

Baptismal Prep	1st Tuesday, 7pm
	3rd Saturday, 10am
Marthas & Marys	2nd Tuesday, 7pm
Young Adult Choir	Tuesdays, 7pm
Children's choir	Wednesdays, 6:00 pm
Adult Choir	Wednesdays, 6:45 pm
Men's Club	1st Wednesday, 7 pm
Senior Luncheons	2nd Wednesday, bi-monthly, 12 noon
Finance Committee	4th Wednesday, 5:30 pm
Bible Study	Thursdays, 8:45 am
Staff Meetings	Thursdays, 10 am
RCIA	Thursdays, 6:45 pm
Lector Workshop	Thursdays, 7pm
Moms & Tots	1st & 3rd Thurs., 9:30am
Parish Council	Last Thursday, 7pm
Jr. High Youth Group	2nd Monday & Last Friday, 6-7:30pm
Little Children's Liturgy	Sunday 10am & 12noon

Contacts for Ministries/Organizations

Altar Linens	Mary Lou Bodan	658-1953
Altar Servers	Marie Ricci	399-6327
Baptismal Preparation	Call the office to register	657-0200
Bulletin	Maureen Zander, Caroline Jasso	657-0200
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd	Helen Silva cgs@sjnc.org	657-0200
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	Marge Nelson	649-3318
Gift Shop	Nelda Schafer	657-0200
Junior High Youth Ministry	Jenn Bauchowitz	399-6710
Hospitality	Elsie Lyon	657-0200
Lectors	Bob & Adrian McKechnie	645-4882
Little Children's Liturgy (ages 3 through Kindergarten)	Candy Kenny, Tania George, & Helen Silva littlechildrensliturgy@yahoo.com	
Marthas & Marys	Lori Gabriel	445-7548
Men's Club	Bob Huddleston	385-3943
Military Family Support Group	Caroline Jasso	672-2451
Ministry to Sick & Shut-ins	Deacon Frank Oettinger	657-0200
Outreach	Marge Pinto	657-0200
RCIA	Phil Lee	642-5450
Sacristans	Max Fightmaster	657-0200
Senior Luncheons	Bob Chiodo	649-5989
Sponsor Couple Program; Marriage Prep	Deacon Frank Oettinger	657-0200
Ushers	Bob & Adrian McKechnie	645-4882
Youth Group	Greg Sinclair	657-0200 x 214

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