

Last Sunday's Collections

Thanksgiving in gratitude for God's Gifts
Thank you for supporting your parish ministries

	<u>Received</u>	<u>Needed</u>
Envelopes	\$3,741	\$6,223
Plate	\$1,779	\$1,869
Building Fund	\$2,441	\$4,950
Short:	\$5,081	



Please remember your parish family over the summer months, we depend on you.

Diocesan Development Fund Report

June 2008

Parish Obligation	\$40,500.00
143 Parishioner's donation	\$19,067.13
Balance due by December	\$21,432.87

If every family, that has not already given, would give a one time offering of \$30 we would meet our obligation. Please use the DDF envelop in your Sunday envelop packet.

Parish Maintenance Work Party

Every 2nd Saturday of the month
8:00 am to noon Saturday August 9th

Come and labor for the Lord

Current projects are: tree trimming, painting, weeding, mulch, landscaping, entry sign, earthquake preparedness and minor repairs. Contact: Tom Teer 652-1532

We pray for the Sick of Holy Spirit

L. Dochnal, J& J. Hameister, N. Gleissner, C. Snavely, M. Montello, M. McAtee, U. Ortega, E. Estrada, L. Gomes, G. Lopez, E. Espinoza, J. Ellison, R. Banuelos, G. Viso, J. Healey, S. Davis, J. Rickard, R. McIntosh, J.Vessley D.Burroughs, M. Pino, C. Desjarlais, C. Tan, B. Gresbrink, D. Jubera, H. Green, D Teegarden, G Wunchel, E. Stangel, L. Anctil, G. Snyder, A. Necochea



Faith Formation News

Registration thru August. Required documents:

- Baptismal Certificate &
- First Communion Certificate
- Fee: \$50.00 each child

Registration is incomplete without certificates and fee.

Registration Time: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 to noon & 1:00 to 3:00 pm
Tuesday 3:00 to 8:00 pm



Who do you know that would be a good teacher for your children and teens? Names of potential teachers and helpers for all ages levels would be appreciated; call the parish office to suggest someone. Teachers and aide are interviewed and provided with training

Two Diocesan Retreats offered on the topic of Overcome the Trauma of Abuse. See flyer posted on outside bulletin board.

The Challenge

of Forming Conscience
for Faithful Citizenship



Over the summer, this section is dedicated to a brief summary of the U.S. Bishop's reflection Forming Conscience for Faithful Citizenship.

The complete version is available free at www.faithfulcitizenship.org. Learn what the Catholic Church teaches, be informed and vote.

Please pray for our military

Richard Dawson, Raul Ilizaliturri, Alex Boyce, L. Hart, Raul Butto, J. Dernberger, Shaun Boyce, Christina Vasquez, Jason Putney, James Rohland, Keith Ellison, Anthony Hebert, Santiago Saucedo, Edward Clark III



Continue to pray for lasting peace in the world

Readings for the week July 28 2008

Monday: Jer 13:1-11, Dt 32:18-21/Mt 12:31-35
 Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22/Jn 11:19-27
 Wednesday: Jer 15:10,16-21/Mt 13:44-46
 Thursday: Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53
 Friday: Jer 26:1-9//Mt 13:54-58
 Saturday: Jer 26:11-16,24/Mt 14:1-12
 Next Sunday: Is 55:1-3/Rom 8:35,37-39/Mt 14:13-21

"The law of Your mouth is to me more precious than thousands of gold and silver pieces," says the psalmist today. Does the amount of my offering suggest that I could honestly say the same?

Weekend Mass Intentions

5:00 pm Mass Allan Grainger & Keneth Schmidt †
 7:30 am Mass Parish People
 9:00 am Mass Gerardo Esquivel †
 11:00 am Mass Edward Ogando Millet †

Weekly Calendar

Monday, July 28

Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, July 29

8:15 am Liturgy of the Word & Communion

9:30 am Spirituality—*Letters of St. Paul*

10:45 am Bereavement

7 pm Spanish Prayer Group

Wednesday, July 30

8:15 am Mass

Thursday, July 31

8:15 am Mass

Friday, August 1

8:15 am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

6:00—8:00 pm

Friday, August 1st

Holy Spirit Parish



Come, bring your family and spend some time in silent praise. Noise drains energy, increase stress, and wears on the nerves. Silence calms us. The quieter we become the more we are able to hear the voice of the Spirit. Make this opportunity for sacred silence a part of your schedule this week.

**Annual Parish Harvest Fest**

Let's make this our most fun filled successful event ever. What would you like to do to help with food, games, entertainment, or publicity? Don't wait to be asked, put your talents to work for the

good of the parish, call the Parish for more information.

STAFF RETREAT DAY

Parish Office is closed all day Wednesday, August 6. Please keep your staff in prayer as they prepare to meet the needs of the parish for this coming year.

SAINT PAUL**Spirituality Sessions**

9:30 –10:30 am Tuesday in the Church

Being this is the Year of St. Paul we will center around and discuss the Letter St Paul has written. For more information contact Sr. Paulea

Pastoral Council

In September we will begin the process for transitioning new council members onto the council. You, the parishioner, are asked to make recommendations for potential members. You will be given the requirements and the responsibilities of the council to assist you in making recommendation. The Mission Statement of the Pastoral Council follows:

We the Pastoral Council of Holy Spirit Catholic Church place ourselves under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and commit ourselves to prayer. We adhere to the doctrine and teaching of our Catholic Traditions in communion with the Holy Father, the Bishop and the Pastor/Pastoral Coordinator. We offer ourselves as faithful, loving servants of God to assist our pastor/pastoral Coordinator in caring for His flock, as instruments for the pastor / pastoral coordinator in interpreting God's will for our community. Toward that end we endeavor to lay foundations and give support for our spiritual development, common good, human dignity, solidarity and option for the poor, and to serve and build up the Body of Christ. In accepting this responsibility we dedicate ourselves to be present, to share honestly and to strive for unity and truth.