

—Do we merely endure suffering and miss the opportunity to reap the benefits it can yield?—

GRACE ABOUNDS through your gratitude and generosity. Holy Spirit is blessed with many generous parishioners working together to meet the needs of an ever growing parish family.

Last Sunday' Collections

February 8	<u>Received</u>	<u>Needed</u>
Envelopes	\$7,282	\$7,223
Building Fund	\$4,495	\$4,638

Wills- Trusts—Bequests

Remember Holy Spirit as you plan your estate.

A percentage of your estate would benefit your parish for years to come. Please speak with Joyce Frichtel, Pastoral Coordinator for details

**Diocesan Development Fund (DDF)
Financial January 2009 Report**

Parish Obligation	\$38,600.00
73 Household pledged	\$7,495.00
Balance Due 12/30/09	\$31,105.00

A \$35.00 pledge from those households, not pledged, would pay off this obligation.

**Are you single, widowed, separated,
divorced or a single parent?**

Would you like to meeting others?
Need a new beginning?

A **singles Ministry Group** has formed for the Valley. The first meeting is March 6th—
See the posted flyer or call 487-2076

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, Patrick Lee, Josh
West, Nicholas Vandegriffe, Ashleigh Howard,
Michael Manual Rolando Reyes and Sarah
Hellam



FAITH FORMATION CORNER.

No Faith Formation the week
of February 16.

Tour of the Holy Land

You, our parish family, will be remembered in our prayers as we (22 of us) journey through the many holy sites. As we walk the Via Dolorosa we will remember in particular the sick in our parish and those in great need. You will be held in our hearts.

Sr. Paulea Kraft

Ladies Tea & Fashion Show

Sunday, February 22 at Holy Spirit Parish from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Fashions depicting Presidential First Ladies of the 20th Century. Contact JoAnn Serna 658-8392 for reservations and tickets.

Race for Humanity

Attention Runners & Walkers

Make a Difference~ race to erase homelessness

10K-5K-1 Mile Family Walk

Saturday, April 25

Mt San Jacinto College— Menifee Campus

See posted flyer

Visitors of the Sick

A workshop with practical suggestions to prepare EMs to bring Eucharist to the sick and home-bound. Saturday, March 21 in Riverside. **See posted flyer for more details**

Please pray for the Sick of Holy Spirit

L. Dochnal, J & J. Hameister, N. Gleissner, G. Vendley, C. Snavely, M. Montello, M. McAtee, U. Ortega, E. Estrada, L. Gomes, G. Lopez, E. Espinoza, J. Ellison, J. Healey, R. Banuelos, G. Viso, J. Taylor, J. Rickard, R. McIntosh, D. Burroughs, M. Pino, C. Tan, D. Jubera, G. Wunchel, M. Swing, O. Marvick, P. Hawkins, D. Peterson, R. Davis, A. Howe, T. Boyce, J. & R. Green, R. Garcia, S. Davis, C. Kramer, C. Swanson, Teresa Siller.

Lord, cure the bodies, nurse the souls and heal the hearts of all the sick.

Readings for the week February 16, 2009

Monday: Gn.4:1-15,25 / Mk 8: 11-13
 Tuesday: Gn. 6:5-8;7:1-5,10 / Mk 8:14-21
 Wednesday: Gn: 8:6-13,20-22 / Mk 8:22-26
 Thursday: Gn 9:1-13 / Mk 8:27-33
 Friday: Gn. 11:1-9 / Mk 8:34-9:1
 Saturday: Heb. 11:1-7 / Mk 9:2-13

In today's second reading St. Paul urges the Corinthians to "do all for the glory of God." If we follow that advice in everything we do, we cannot help but be good stewards!

Weekend Mass Intentions

5:00 pm Mass Lou Sales +
 7:30 am Mass People of the Parish
 9:00 am Mass Emma Vera +
 11:00 am Mass Elvia Encinas +

Weekly Calendar

Monday, February 16

Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, February 17

8:15 am Liturgy of the Word & Communion

9:30 am—Spirituality

10:45 am—Bereavement

7:00 pm Spanish Prayer Group

Wednesday, February 18

8:15 am Mass—Hazel Hester +

10:00 am—Crafters

Thursday, February 19

8:15 am Mass

Friday, February 20

8:15 am Mass

Easter Sacraments

We pray for **Paula Diego**, who on Holy Saturday, at the Easter Vigil, will be fully initiated into the Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

Jennifer Cole, Barbara Kaylor, Allen Hughes, Susan Santucci and Nicole Matos already baptized Christians will be received into the Catholic Church by making a Profession of Faith and the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist.

You are encouraged to write them a note of welcome. These notes will be presented to them at the Easter Vigil. Return your cards to the parish office

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Lent

At baptism, Christians take on three lifelong disciplines; prayer, fasting and almsgiving. During Lent we recall our baptismal promises, and exercise these three disciplines.

Lenten Fast & Abstinence

Healthy Catholics ages 14 and older are to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday and every Friday of Lent. On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday healthy Catholics (18-59) are to fast; limiting food to one full meal with minimal food at the other two meals of the day with no food between meals.

Ash Wednesday Services

8:15 am Mass ~ Noon Service ~ 5:00 pm Mass
 7:00 pm Spanish Mass. *See the bulletin board for Mass times at the surrounding parishes.*

Lenten Day of Prayer

Remember We Are Dust

Our Connection to Creation

Saturday, March 14 from 9:00 am- 4:00 pm at the Diocesan Pastoral Center. Cost: \$15 per person- includes lunch. Register by phone at 909-475-5195, or email at agarcia@sbdiocese.org by March 4. **See posted flyer**

Offices of Social Concerns & Small Faith Community

Lenten Day of Reflection

given by Bro. John Gray, B.B.S.F. a *Byzantine Brother of St. Francis* on March 21 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm at Holy Spirit Parish. A Love Offering will be taken. Come in comfortable clothing, bring your own lunch & pen & paper.

Lord, make your people mindful of those who go hungry. Amen +