

GRACE ABOUNDS

Thank you for all your continued faithful support. Every offering is beautiful to the Lord. Each sacrifice is blessed and blessing for others. The parish has not been immune to the unsettling economy. By working together and relying on our faith with the Spirit to guide us, we will emerge from these difficult times richer in faith, hope and love filled with the joy of the Spirit

Last Sunday's Collections:

June 28	<u>Received</u>	<u>Needed</u>
Envelopes	\$6,851	\$7,223
Building Fund	\$4,108	\$4,638
DDF	\$638	
Short: \$ 902		

A LEGACY OF FAITH Wills—Trusts—Bequests

Remember Holy Spirit as you plan your estate.

Live the moment. Dream the future. By giving just a percentage of your estate to the parish could make the difference for us to respond to the ever growing needs of our parish. Please speak with Joyce Frichtel, Pastoral Coordinator for details.

The Year of the Priest



*"Without a priest
there's no Eucharist"*

Most Catholics understand that the well - being of our priests depends on the whole parish community. That's one reason why the Catholic Church is observing a special "Year of the Priest," which started on June 19, the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

The Second Vatican Council, which convened the early 1960's, beautifully described the role of the priest by noting three functions: "preach the Gospel and shepherd the faithful and...celebrate divine worship". Interestingly, most Catholics may be most familiar with "celebrating divine worship," for example, the Mass. But the Second Vatican Council gives renewed priority to the ministry of the Word, which makes for a Gospel - based priesthood, and to the pastoral care of the faithful, which makes for a service-based ministry. (Catholic Update)

This year is a year to reflect on the sacredness of the priesthood, Eucharist and the Sacraments, and a year to affirm and remember the men who have given their lives to the service of God's people.

CHRISTMAS IN SUMMER

Once again we are asking for your gently used, outgrown or new toys. They will be refurbished as needed and gifted to members of our community. Place your contributions in receptacle provided. Call Dolores at 927-7570 to help with the refurbishing. School - age youngsters invited and welcomed. Contributions will be accepted until October 1, 2009. Thank you for your interest and cooperation.



Thank you!

To all 66 persons who participated in the blood drive here at our church June 6th. Apologies and thanks for your patience waiting in the long lines. You did such a great service for others by giving the precious gift of life!



Milly Remily
Health Minister

We Congratulations & Welcome Esmeralda Esquivel

Esmeralda, her husband and their daughters Irai & Sarahi have been members of Holy Spirit since 2001. Esmeralda brings with her extensive training, a desire to address the needs of youth and enormous amount of energy. Esmeralda is eager to get to know the youth and meet the parents.



Please pray for the Sick of Holy Spirit



L. Dochnal, J. Hameister, N. Gleissner, C. Snavelly, M. Montello, M. McAtee, U. Ortega, E. Estrada, L. Gomes, G. Lopez, E. Espinoza, J. Healey, R. Banuelos, G. Viso, J. Rickard, R. McIntosh, J. Ellison, M. Taylor, M. Pino, C. Tan, D. Burroughs, G. Wunchel, M. Swing, P. Hawkins, D. Peterson, A. Howe, J. & R. Green, R. Garcia, S. Davis, C. Swanson, D. Quinlan, B. Solares, R. Matillo, C. Ventura, D. Teegarden, Fr. Jerry, Fr Earl Henley, J. Terry, V. Ramos G. Goubert. A. Day, B. Black and O. Salvail.

Readings for the week July 19, 2009

Monday: Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1-6/Mt 12:38-42
 Tuesday: Ex 14:21-15:1/Ex 15:8-10,12,17/Mt 12:46-50
 Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5,9-15/Jn 20:1-2,11-18
 Thursday: Ex 19:1-2,9-11,16-20/Dn 3:52-56/Mt 13:10-17
 Friday: Ex 20:1-17/Mt 13:18-23
 Saturday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28
 Next
 Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

The Letter to the Ephesians reminds us that Christ is creating a new world order: one that brings about relationships based on love, peace, reconciliation, hope and unity. As a Eucharist community, we are stewards of Christ's new creation. How are we promoting peace and reconciliation? How are we showing love for our neighbors? What are we doing to encourage unity and understanding among those with whom we gather around the Lord's Table each week?

Weekend Mass Intentions

5:00 pm Mass
 7:30 am Mass Margarite Osborne
 9:00 am Mass Parish People
 11:00 am Mass Marie Little Teer †

Weekly Calendar

Monday, July 20
 Parish Office Closed
Tuesday, July 21
 8:15 am Liturgy of the Word & Communion
 9:30 am Spirituality Session - **The cry of the prophet**
 10:45 am Bereavement Session - **Healing of Memories**
No Spanish Prayer Group
Wednesday, July 22
 8:15 am Mass—Mary Catherine O'Neill †
Thursday, July 23
 8:15 am Mass— Gene Mueller †
Friday, July 24
 8:15 am Mass



Please Pray for our Military

Richard Dawson, Raul Ilizaliturri, Alex Boyce, L. Hart, Raul Butto, J. Dernberger, Shaun Boyce, Robby & Christina Preston, 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, Levi Dejarnett, Nestor Canales, Sarah Hellam Jared Adams, Adrian

Faith Formation News

Don't miss the registration deadlines for Faith Formation & Sacrament Preparation. Registrations dates are:

June 15—July 15
8:00 am - 12:00 pm
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

All registrations after July 15, will be on a waiting list. Baptism Certificate is required on the date of registration.

Faith Formation Office will be closed from July 15—August 10, 2009

Breakfast Pancake Sponsored by Knights of Columbus

When: Sunday July 26

Where: Holy Spirit Church

Time: After all masses



Chipping Away at DDF

Diocesan Development Fund



Every **parish is obligated** to financially support diocesan ministries. Our obligation is **\$38,600**. To date 160 Households have pledged **\$18,721.19**. **The remaining balance of \$19,878.81 is due in December.** We can do it if we **“chip away” every week!**

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DIVORCED?

Have you ever thought that maybe your former marriage is not valid?

Is this the year - the season that you finally resolve your failed former marriage and seek an annulment? Are you curious? Do you know a friend or relative who could benefit some knowledgeable information? What are you waiting for? We will support you every step of the way and bring you to a determination. Find out everything you ever wanted to know, but were afraid to ask about annulments and remarrying in the Catholic Church. Total confidentiality; call MJ 951-927-6169