

<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u>				
Saturday	-	June 25	-	6:30 AM
+Mr. & +Mrs. Caji and Rosie Botelho Requested by Doreen & Ignatius Botelho				
Saturday	-	June 25	-	5:00 PM
Dillon Romero --- Req. by his Grandmother				
Sunday	-	June 26	-	7:30 AM
+Eudocia Ramirez Req. by her daughter Rosario				
Sunday	-	June 26	-	9:00 AM
Living & Deceased members of the Chavez and Moran Families				
Sunday	-	June 26	-	10:30 AM
Kathryn Cooper ---Req. by David & Leanne Cooper				
Sunday	-	June 26	-	12:30 PM
Missa Pro Populo				
Sunday	-	June 26	-	5:00 PM
+Frank Meyer ---Req. by Joemil Campos				
Monday	-	June 27	-	6:30 AM
+Robert Seipel---Req. by Suzann Clark				
Monday	-	June 27	-	8:00 AM
Thanksgiving for Fr. Louis Marx's 45 th Ordination Anniversary Req. by the Altar Society				
Tuesday	-	June 28	-	6:30 AM
Fr. Marcelo de JesusMaria C.R., Special Intention				
Tuesday	-	June 28	-	8:00 AM
+Marvin Canton---Req. by his sister Xiomara Largaespada				
Wednesday	-	June 29	-	6:30 AM
Fr. Marcelo de JesusMaria C.R., his Birthday				
Wednesday	-	June 29	-	8:00 AM
+Roberto O. Pineda-- Req. by his daughter				
Thursday	-	June 30	-	6:30 AM
+Josephine Santos---Req. by Vilma & Alfredo Ladores				
Thursday	-	June 30	-	8:00 AM
The Joe Del Toro Family--Req. by The Casey Family				
Thursday	-	June 30	-	9:00 PM
Poor Souls in Purgatory --- Req. by Sylvia Vasquez				
Friday	-	July 01	-	6:30 AM
+Albert Keys---Req. by his wife Estella				
Friday	-	July 01	-	8:00 AM
Holy Souls in Purgatory				
Friday	-	July 01	-	7:00 PM
Ashley & James Lanphar---Req. by the Porretta Family				
Saturday	-	July 02	-	6:30 AM
+Michael Marra ---Req. by Margaret Coats				
Saturday	-	July 02	-	5:00 PM
+Wendy Hartman & +Armando Hernandez Req. by the Rodriguez Family				

INTENTIONS FOR THE SICK

Vanessa Vargas, Mother Lily, Marianne Ennis, Anita Hoth, Joyce Starks, Ray Cisneros, Lil Zachary Smith, Carol Cuellar, Darlene Wheat, Susie Hudson, Everett Hunt, Sylvia Todd, John Sherrett, Bill & Dorothy White, Peter & Barbara Halpin, Eugene Hackbarth, Michael Espalin, Christina Runge, Guillermo Aceituno, Robert & Marysia & Tyler Johnson, Gabriel Aguirre, Steve Espalin, Bentrina Johnson, Garrett Espalin, Charles Traynor, Mary Elizabeth Quan, Margaret and Gordon Goodrich, Miguel Vasquez Sr., Robert McElhenney, Florence Groffredi, Josh Patton, Jennifer Caballero, JoAnne Doreen Agcaoili, Dolores Smoll, Jacey Noel Joyce, Tim Kline, Arlene Bush, Frank Moreno, Ophelia Carmona, Rolando Bunao, Fr. Jim Williams, Mark Berquist, Jim Metzger, Cecilia Ordonez, Nenita De La Santo, Ana Floersch, Ray & Pam Powers, Laurie Sousa, Mario Escobar, Bernadine McGregor, Lydia Brown, Mary Gerardo, Karen Pimentel, Noah Portka, Theresa The, Dan Fredericks, Millie Higgins, Ed Cramn, Mary Schlesinger, Joyce Sebo, Baby Nathan Marinzack Jr., Christina Guerra, Gary Metoyer, Richard Rhinehart, Sue Strough, Josette On-Sy, George Wood, Helen Ferrel, Donna Beckman, Baby Joseph, Baby Rose, Sherri McCaffrey, Jonathan Martinez, Fr. Joe Quattrotane, Michelle Clum, Baby Lola Ortega, Theresa Ortega, Frieda Dunn, Olivia Vazquez, Doloras Gallegos, Barbra & Ferdinand Roccahti, Jose Magana, Clementina Rodriguez, John L. Petersen, Nancy Runage, Patty Zanini, Lupe Guerrero, Anthony The, Anthony Nigliazio, Nancy Yarbrough, Jaime Hernandez, Florentina Valenzuela, Francisco S. Salcido, Thelma Ryan, Susan Galvan, Linda Baginski, Jacob Wood, Elysa Campbell, Claudia Lares, Natalia Rios, Joe Combee, Paul Henry, Lila Barbee, Cecilia Consiglio, Aurelio Gamboa, Fortunato Moran, Carla, Jaclyn, Madelyn, Ethan, & Kailen Hannemann, Angeline Batista, Luis Ortiz, Marian Woodford

INTENTIONS FOR THE DECEASED

William Brown, Nick Wolber, Frank Awayan, Fr. Michael O'Day, Carrie Thomas, Joe D'Ambrosio, Irene Ross, Patricia Burns, Dorothy Nigliazio, Josephine A. Garcia, Gisela Leonard, Manuel Mendoza, Mary Seko, Bobby Yingling, Ed Lyons, Rita Castillo, Guia Stuart, Thomas Consiglio, Ramon Mora Jr., Ivan Spencer, Arthur Africano, Henry Dominquez, George W. Alexander, Delora Duran

SACRIFICIAL GIVING In the Gospel, the disciples suggest that Jesus disperse the crowd so that they might *individually* seek food and lodging. The miracle of the feeding of the five thousand is Jesus' powerful reminder that when we *share* our

CHOOSE LIFE – Pregnancy Hot Line (909) 985-0205
On this Solemnity of Corpus Christi let us pray for:
That all people may come to realize that abortion is killing, and begin obeying God's commandment, "Thou shalt not kill."
For all men who have helped create an unexpected pregnancy that they may encourage and not discourage the expectant mother and for women who have had an abortion, that they may find healing and peace, we pray to the Lord.

RETURN TO ME SEMINAR
The Pope John Paul II Society of Evangelists will be holding a four day seminar here at San Secondo d'Asti. The purpose of this seminar is to teach the lay Catholic to find within themselves the skill and abilities that will enable them to reach out to their fallen-away family and friends and to teach them where to find the tools that will enable them to do so effectively. **Date of Classes: Sunday, July 10th, 17th, 24th & 30th from 2:00 - 4:00PM**

CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY
June 26th, 2011

The Priest: Christ Present Among Us

“The Lord Himself will give you a sign, behold, a Virgin shall be with Child and will bear a Son, and His name will be Emmanuel, for God IS with us.” These words of the prophet Isaiah are echoed in Jesus' last testament to His Disciples before Ascending into heaven: “Behold, I am with you always, even until the End of Time!” Both prophecies are fulfilled preeminently in His Real and substantial Presence in the Holy Eucharist.

For the Eucharist is God's Presence among us, His loving, nourishing, healing, comforting, enduring, self-giving Presence among us. “And His Delight was to be among the sons of men!” But the Eucharist is more than Christ's substantial Presence, His Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity under the appearances of bread and wine. For the Eucharistic Sacrifice is also the same sacrifice as the Sacrifice on the Cross. “The Mass makes present the sacrifice of the Cross; it does not add to that sacrifice, nor does it multiply it... [Rather, the Mass] makes Christ's one, definitive redemptive sacrifice always present in time,” according to Pope John Paul II in his encyclical Ecclesia de Eucharistia.

Through the Eucharist, then, we are with Christ on Calvary and receive His Grace at its source. But as our Holy Father points out so emphatically, without the Priest, there can be no Eucharist. For the ministry of the Priest is “essential for validly linking the Eucharistic Consecration to the Sacrifice of the Cross, and to the Last Supper. The assembly gathered together for the celebration of the Eucharist, if it is to be a truly Eucharistic assembly, absolutely requires the presence of an ordained Priest as its president.”

The Holy Father comments that though the power of consecration is reserved to bishops and priests, rather than belittling the role of the laity, within the context of the Mystical Body this power should be seen as a gift that “redounds to the benefit of all.” We see, then, the Eucharist and the priesthood are essentially linked. Our Holy Father goes so far as to say that the Holy Eucharist “is the principle and central raison d’etre of the sacrament of priesthood, which effectively came into being at the moment of the institution of the Eucharist.”

In order to have Christ among us, then, we need the Priest. For through him and him alone, God comes to be with us in the Holy Eucharist. Christ remains among us, however, in more ways than in His substantial presence in the Eucharist. As the Second Vatican Council teaches following the long tradition of the Church, Christ is also really Present among us “in the Person of His Minister.” The priest makes Christ present because he acts in persona Christi at every liturgical celebration. In persona Christi, as Pope John Pail II teaches, “means more that offering ‘in the name of’ or ‘in the place of’ Christ. In persona means in specific sacramental identification with the Eternal High Priest Who is the author and principal subject of this sacrifice of His, a sacrifice in which, in truth, nobody can take His place.” When, therefore, the Priest says, “This is My body... This is My blood,” it is Christ Himself who speaks and offers Himself to the Father.

When the Priest absolves us from our sins, he does not say “Christ absolves you from your sins.” Rather, he says, “Ego te absolve... I absolve you,” that is, Christ acting in me absolves you from your sins. On the Altar, in the Confessional, praying the Divine Office; Christ is there, really present, in the Person of His Minister. But this presence extends beyond the celebration of the Sacraments: “The Eucharist extends its efficacy to all the Minister's Actions, since the Priestly function does not only include

Sanctification, but also Shepherding and Teaching” says Cardinal Schotte.

The words of the homily and the counsels allows himself to be led by the Sprit, are in the special way efficacious Words of Christ for those who receive them. This efficacy derives not only from his Priestly Ordination, but also from the Eucharist, that is to say, from his Union with Christ. For as the Second Vatican Council teaches, “The pastoral love [of the Priest] flows mainly from the Eucharist Sacrifice, which is therefore the center and root of the whole Priestly life.”

We should be open, therefore, to receive these words of the Priest with particular attention. For through the Priest, Jesus is speaking to our hearts. As Our Lord says in the Gospel, “He who receives anyone whom I send, receives Me; and he who receives Me, receives Him Who sent Me.

--Rev. Wolfgang Seitz, ORC, Director – Mission Office, USA

UPCOMING ALTAR BOY TRAINING

We are scheduling an Altar Boy Training, starting with a **mandatory** meeting on July 9th inside the Parish Hall from 9:00AM – 12:00PM. The training schedule is as follows: Saturday, July 16th, 23rd & 30th from 9:00AM – 12:00PM in the church.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their Monthly Breakfast, Sunday, **July 3rd**, after the morning Masses in the parish hall.

EUCHARISTIC MONTHLY ADORATION – June 30th

San Secondo d'Asti will have their **Monthly Eucharistic Adoration**. on June 30th. Adoration hours are from 9:00 AM on Thurs. until 6:00 AM on Friday and open to the entire parish. If you would like to participate sign your name on our Adoration sign-up board in the back of the church.

THE ALLIANCE OF TWO HEARTS – July 1st

Communion for Reparation & 2,000 Hail Mary's Devotion Vigil. Every **1st Friday**—ALL NIGHT BLESSED SACRAMENT EXPOSITION: Schedule of Devotion: **Fri., July 1st** 4:30 PM – Spiritual Rosary, 7:00 PM First Friday – Holy Mass. Following Mass, Divine Office of Reparation followed by 2,000 Hail Mary's, Sat. 6:30 AM Latin Mass.

Our Tabernacle CORPUS CHRISTI

In our visits to the Blessed Sacrament, our Holy Hours and our Holy Communions, here are some of the most basic items we should pray for and about:

Pray to Our Lord for humility, for patience, for meekness, for contempt of the world, for a lively faith, a firm hope, and ardent charity;

For brotherly love of our enemies, for prosperity of the Church, for conversion of sinners, heretics and infidels;

For the souls in Purgatory;

For devotion to the Passion, to the Blessed Sacrament, to His Immaculate Mother for the crowning grace of perseverance.

--Blessed Sacrament, Our Greatest Treasure (Muallar)

**Lest we forget and take for granted:
Corpus Christi—the Body of Christ!**

I am the LIVING BREAD come down from Heaven –anyone who eats this Bread will live forever. The Bread that I will give IS My Flesh for the Life of the World!