



During the brief season of Thanksgiving, we are all called to thank God for the gift of life and ask His grace to use it so that others may enjoy the right to life and share in life's gifts.



All are invited to celebrate the Anniversary of the Dedication of Holy Spirit Catholic Church at a special trilingual Mass on Sunday, December 4 at 10:30 a.m.

SCHEDULE OF CONFESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14
7:30 p.m.—Penance Liturgy (English)
Includes Individual Confessions

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19
7:00 p.m.—Penance Liturgy (Vietnamese)
Includes Individual Confessions

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21
9:30-10:30 a.m.—Confessions

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22
10:00 a.m.—Penance Liturgy (Vietnamese)
Includes Individual Confessions

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23
3:00-4:30 p.m.—Confessions

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24
NO CONFESSIONS



The Parish Office will be closed on Wednesday, November 30, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. due to a Staff Retreat.

HIS HANDS CHRISTIAN SERVICE



As you prepare for the Christmas holidays, please remember the needy in our community.

We have scheduled Saturday, December 17, as the distribution date for our Christmas "baskets" this year. We will be outside the church after all Masses next weekend accepting your help by:

- Donating a turkey or chickens
- "Adopting" a family by preparing a basket for them (a suggested list will be provided), or
- Donating cash or a check payable to His Hands.

Thank you for caring and sharing!

His Hands Office Hours:
Mon. thru Fri. 9:00 AM to 12 Noon
Phone # (714) 968-2111.

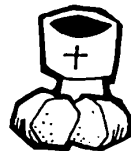
FIRST FRIDAY REMINDER - Devotions of the Holy Wounds Rosary and the Seven Dolours of Mary are offered for the Souls in Purgatory following the 9:00 AM Mass.

FIRST SATURDAY REMINDER - The First Saturday of every month is dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Devotions are held at 8:15 AM followed by the Fatima Rosary.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday, Dec. 4, we will have All Night Adoration after the 6:30 PM Mass until Monday, Dec. 5, before 6:30 AM Mass. Come and keep Jesus company for one hour. Weekly Exposition from Fri. @ 9:30 AM until Sat. @ 9:00 AM.



Are you tired, depressed and weary?
Take Holy Communion once a week. Side effects includes happiness, contentment and a greater love of mankind.

CHRISTMAS 2005 MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve, Saturday, December 24

3:30 p.m. (English) Kingdom Seekers Choir
5:30 p.m. (English) Children's Mass—Hall
5:30 p.m. (English)—Hall
7:00 p.m. (English/Spanish)
8:30 p.m. (Vietnamese)

Christmas Day, Sunday, December 25

12:00 Midnight, 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m.,
10:30 a.m., 12:00 noon 5:00 p.m. (all in English)
1:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. (both in Vietnamese)

Our Lady of Guadalupe Society invites you to Our Lady's celebration on Monday, December 12. Las mananitats with Mariachi at 4:30 a.m., Mass at 5:00 a.m. Reception and raffle following Mass in Doyle Hall. **1st prize—\$100.00; 2nd—\$50.00; 3rd and 4th—\$25.00.**



Novena for Our Lady of Guadalupe will held as follows:



Saturday, December 3, 7:30 p.m.—Room 7.
Sunday, December 4, 6:00 p.m.—Room C-3
Monday, December 5, 6:00 p.m.—Room C-3
Tuesday, December 6, 6:00 p.m.—Room C-3
Wednesday, December 7, 6:00 p.m.—Room C-3
Thursday, December 8, 6:00 p.m.—Room C-3
Friday, December 9, 6:00 p.m.—Room 7
Saturday, December 10, 6:00 p.m.—Room 7
Sunday, December 11, 6:00 p.m.—Room 7

Sick Relatives & Friends

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| Laurie Adams * | Chris Loper |
| Don Beck * | Terry Malone |
| Herb Baker, Sr. | Cleo Mariacher * |
| Theresa Bouchy | Isabella Martinez |
| Barbara Bradford * | Joyce Meersman |
| Ann Brown * | Dan Morgan * |
| Sean Bryan * | Peggy Murgolo* |
| Ed Butorac * | Oginia Nasr * |
| Marian Catani * | Parker Nguyen * |
| Karen Charlot * | Maria Theresa Nina* |
| Eileen Coates * | Leo Nories * |
| John Colucci | Kathy O'Conner |
| Virginia Conrad * | Alison Ouren |
| Ray Cruz | Julie Pekarck |
| Steven Cundall * | Bill Perez* |
| Kit Dorren | Lucy Piampiano * |
| Anita Drouin * | Katherine Polito |
| Maria Farrell * | Greg Roscoe |
| Joanne Giordano * | Nicole SantaCruz * |
| Roger Gonzales | Dorothe Schmidt * |
| Diana Good | Mary Schulz * |
| Pat Harris | Anna Selley |
| Louise Harvey | Thomas Smith * |
| Lee Heins * | Suzy Skoczylas * |
| Darryl Hill * | Josephine Soresi |
| Sherry Hill * | Sandy Steinbach |
| Jakob Hoppenthal | Jim Stewart |
| Darlene Jabora * | John Thomas * |
| Dennis Johnson * | Robert R. Trujillo * |
| Ralph Kazarian * | Marsha Viglione |
| Lucille Keller * | Marlene Volta |
| Bryan "Buddy" Kojima * | Dorothy Willis * |

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — We are the clay and you, O Lord, are the potter: we are the work of your hands (Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7).

Psalm — Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved (Psalm 80).

Second Reading — God is faithful; by God you were called to fellowship with the Son (1 Corinthians 1:3-9).

Gospel — Be watchful! Be alert! You do not know when the time will come. (Mark 13:33-37).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Is 2:1-5; Mt 8:5-11
 Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Lk 10:21-24
 Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22
 Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Mt 7:21, 24-27
 Friday: Is 29:17-24; Mt 9:27-31
 Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Mt 9:35 -- 10:1, 5a, 6-8
 Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 85; 2 Pt 3:8-14; Mk 1:1-8



Thursday, December 1, is **World AIDS Day**. A Candlelight Vigil in memory to those we have lost to HIV/AIDS will be held from 6:30-7:00 p.m., on the Artists Plaza (corner of 2nd and Sycamore street), in Santa Ana. Please call Pat Goodman at (714) 847-6617 if you would like to carpool.

Rest in Peace

Our Parish Community wishes to extend our sympathy to the family and friends of **Harry Sunbury, Frank William Lopez Jr.**, and all those who have died. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.



Please pray for the safety of all the men and women serving overseas.



WEDDING BANNERS

- December 3**
 An Binh Nguyen & Tim Nguyen
 Lan Bich Nguyen & Khang Nguyen Nguyen
- December 10**
 Trinh Dinh & Nguyen Nha Luong
 Tien Bach Pham & Michael Tang
- December 17**
 Phuong Dinh & Hien Nguyen

MASS INTENTIONS*

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| Nov. 28 | 6:30 AM | Katherine Hubert † |
| | 9:00 AM | Haruko Mary Weber † |
| Nov. 29 | 6:30 AM | Souls in Purgatory † |
| | 9:00 AM | Elizabeth & Harold Kaiser † |
| Nov. 30 | 6:30 AM | Angele Blanc † |
| | 9:00 AM | Duc & Hong Nguyen |
| Dec. 1 | 6:30 AM | Tom Madden † |
| | 9:00 AM | All Souls † |
| Dec. 2 | 6:30 AM | Walter Wingelnik Jr. † |
| | 9:00 AM | Luis Hernandez † |
| Dec. 3 | 9:00 AM | Kelly Mohan † |
| | 5:00 PM | Martin Frake † |
| | 6:30 PM | Pro Populo |
| Dec. 4 | 7:30 AM | Sylvia Vigil † |
| | 9:00 AM | Camille Blanc † |
| | 10:30 AM | Haruko Mary Weber † |
| | 12:00 PM | Jack Wilde † |
| | 5:00 PM | Celestina Lauigan |

† Rest in Peace

*A funeral Mass takes precedence.
 If your Mass changes, you will be notified.

PARISH EVENTS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday:
9:30 AM—12 Noon, 2:30 PM—5:30 PM
Thursday: 10:00 AM—12 Noon,
Sunday: 9:00 AM—11:30 AM



Sr. Anna, Sr. Jennifer or Linda: 714-963-7871.

Religious Education/Registration is open

Register your 3, 4, and 5 year old children for classes during the 9:00 or 10:30 a.m. Sunday Masses. Forms available at the R.E. Office or call 963-7871.

If you are able to teach on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday afternoons for the Elementary Program as a substitute catechist, please call the R.E. Office at (714) 963-7871.



MAKE YOUR HOME IN MY HEART!

An Advent Retreat for Adults and
Christmas Retreat for Children
Given by the Sacred Heart Sisters, at the
Heart of Jesus Retreat Center

Sunday, December 11, 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

With Mass at 2:00 p.m.

Donation, \$15.00 per person, lunch is included

To RSVP or for more information

Please call (714) 557-4538



Entertainment books make great Christmas gifts!! Buy several today in support of Youth Ministry.

Be Prepared! Make sure that your family has an **emergency plan for earthquakes** and other natural disasters. For more information, go to www.72hours.org or www.fema.gov.



Vocation View

At the beginning of Advent, watch and wait; be attentive to the ways in which God comes into your life. Be willing to be surprised. (Mark 13:33-37).

For more information on vocations, contact Msgr. Will Davis at (714) 282-3000.

Crisis Pregnancy Help

Life Center: 714-835-5433
Birth Choice: 949-261-2981
24-Hour Hotline: (Eng. & Viet.)
714-721-8557 714-721-6628
Project RACHEL: (post abortion),
1-800-RACHEL6.



HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

CYF meetings are held on Sunday evenings in Doyle Hall.

- **NO CYF meeting 11/21/05.** Stay home and tell your parents how thankful you are for them. Seriously.
- **Entertainment books** are still available. Please buy one and support **YOUTH Ministry** activities.
- **T-Shirts are coming.** Do you remember if you ordered one? You are going to look soo cool
- Did you mark **Dec.1st** down?? Remember St. Bonaventure is having an awesome guest speaker. Please make plans to go.
- With the holidays coming we will have a **special combined YOUTH** group meeting for both High School and Jr. High.. Keep watching the bulletin for details. I know you are curious.
- Have I told you **RETREATS ARE COMING!!!!!!** Please call me and let me know which retreat you want to work. Parents I will be having special meetings just for you to go through the paper work and collect fees. It will be fun.
- **Please take care during the holiday season. Drive safely.**

For more info, leave a message for Marianne O'Conner in the YOUTH Ministry Office: 963-7256, or youthministry@hscfv.org.



Missing something? Holy Spirit's prior bulletins are on our website at www.hscfv.org. Just click on the "Bulletins" link on the left side of the web page.



Support Our Church by Joining Us for Stonefire Sundays!— Stonefire Grill, 18727 Brookhurst Street in Fountain Valley, 11:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. **all Sundays in November.**

15% of all proceeds will be donated to our church. When you come, simply announce our church!

PARISH EVENTS

ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Adult Confirmation Classes will be held Thursday evenings, starting February 2, 2006, and run until Confirmation on Pentecost, Sunday, June 4, 2006. If you are an adult, have been baptized and received your First Communion, please join this class, be confirmed and become a fully initiated member of the Catholic faith. For more information on the class outline and schedule, please contact the Parish Office at (714) 963-1811 or Richard Radecki at (714) 531-8088.

COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY, NOV. 20, 2005

Regular Collection: \$ 18,054.00
PSA Pledges: \$ 196,732.00

Thank you for your generosity!



We are in need of old Pentium computers. If you want to get rid of your old Pentium computer, we will get them refurbished and send them to schools in the Gulf Coast.

Bring your computer to the Parish Office Nov. 28-Dec. 2 (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.) or December 3-4 (9 a.m. to 2 p.m.). Help the schools in Mississippi! For more details, call Deacon Phil at 963-1811, x126.



The next information night for RCIA will be Tuesday, Nov. 29, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center, Room 7.

REMINDER: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion's Annual Christmas Party and Toy Drive will be Friday, December 2, 6 - 9 p.m. in Doyle Hall. If anyone else would like to donate toys, I will be glad to take them for you. The toys need to be new and unwrapped for girls/boys up to age 12. They will be distributed by His Hands. If you have any questions, please call Joan Kennedy at (714) 865-5295.



Catholic Spirit Singles Christmas Luncheon

Sunday, Dec. 4, 12:00-4:00 p.m., at Mile Square Park Golf Course, Warner Avenue/Ward. Contact Jim at 714-573-0291 or Joan at 714-839-2155. \$21.50 per person.



Needed: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion especially for our Noon Mass on Sunday. We are very short handed. So if you attend this Mass each week and are looking for a way to serve our Parish, please call Joan Kennedy at (714) 865-5295. God Bless!



Santa's coming to the Annual Christmas Dinner Party, Saturday, December 10, 6:30 p.m. in Doyle Hall. Get tickets at Sunday Masses or call Sully at (714) 847-6239.

Save the Date!

Holy Spirit Christmas Concert

Holy Spirit Music Ministry is pleased to invite everyone to our First Annual Christmas concert to be held on Friday, December 16 at 7:00 pm in the church. Those participating include the 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Choirs, the Spanish Choir, the new Children's Choir and the Singing Knights. The Concert is free and will be followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. Please come and enjoy the sounds of the season.



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 HOLY SPIRIT COUNCIL 9667**

Nov. 28: Singing Knights at Hunt Valley
Dec. 3: Boutique Setup
Dec. 4: Boutique and Cleanup
Dec. 4: Adoration



Become a member of the Knights of Columbus!
Jim DeLuca 714-963-2125 fvbrewer@earthlink.net

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS

Religious Christmas cards are on sale after all Masses. Send religious Christmas cards this year to remind everyone of the true meaning of Christmas!



YOU ARE NEEDED!

How many people need just a little of yours or my encouragement? How many people are happy to hear you will pray for them? How many people would like to pray with you and then maybe talk to you?



HOLY SPIRIT PARISH welcomes you to consider becoming a **STEPHEN MINISTER** who listens and prays but does not counsel. A Stephen Minister learns the art of listening in a series of classes totaling 50 hours given in the parish. The time a Stephen Minister commits to helping people is very flexible. Interested in knowing more? Call Harvey Dorren, Stephen Leader, 841-2988, Roger Stollenwerk, Facilitator, 968-3406, or Anthony Le, Vietnamese Facilitator, 720-4465.

KNIGHTS' LADIES CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE



Join us in the Parish Hall on Sunday, Dec. 4, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. for our 11th year in bringing you handcrafted treasures for the Holiday. Featuring jewelry, religious items, Christmas baked goods, tamales and much more. Bring the children to see Santa and receive a special gift.

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Altar Server	Joanne Peters, 963-3096
Altar Society	Betty Perry, 848-9733
Baptism Class (English)	1st Wednesday, Parish Center, 7:30 PM.....Deacon Bill Cobbett, 963-1811
Baptism Class (Vietnamese)	2nd Friday, Parish Hall, 7:00 PM.....Deacon Jerry Dao, 963-1811
Bereavement Support and Education	Sandra Murray, 842-8486
Blessed Sacrament	Friday, 9:30 AM to 8:45 AM Saturday (Benediction).....Rochelle Giuseffi, 839-7617
Charismatic Prayer Group	Holy Spirit Parish Center, Room 9, Wednesday, 7:30 PM Joyce Meersman, 545-9077
Catholic Spirit Singles	3rd Sunday, 1:00 PM, Parish Hall..... Jim Roerich, 573-2091
Commentator Coordinator	Rich Skoczylas, 891-0737
Devotions of the Holy Wounds	1st Friday following the 9:00 AM Mass.....Rochelle Giuseffi, 839-7617
Divine Mercy Prayer Group	Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Fridays 3:00 PM..... Tom Peters, 963-3096
24 Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Monthly, 4th of each month begins after the 6:30 AM Mass
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion—Altar	Joan Kennedy, 968-9860
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion—Homebound	Roz Esh, 537-1701
Greeters	Bev White, 963-9275
His Hands	Board Meeting, 2nd Tuesday, 12 Noon at the Mission..... Genny Victorino, 968-2111
Holy Communion Needed	Parish Office, 963-1811
Hospitality	Bev White, 963-9275
Immaculate Heart of Mary Devotions ...1st Saturday of each month 8:15 AM.....	Rochelle Giuseffi, 839-7617
Italian Organization	2nd Thursday, Parish Hall
Knights of Columbus	2nd Tuesday of the month, Parish Hall..... Jim DeLuca, 963-2125
Ladies Knights	2nd Tuesday of the month, Parish Hall..... Bev White, 963-9275
Lectors	Rich Skoczylas, 891-0737
Line Dance Group	1st Thursday, 3rd Tuesday, Parish Hall.....Larry Doan, 963-9424
Marriage Preparation Info	3rd Wednesday, Parish Center, 7:30 PM.....Deacon Bill Cobbett, 963-1811
Marriage Prep, Class— “Unitas” ...3 times yearly, Parish Center.....	Deacon Bill Cobbett, 963-1811
Men’s Bible Study	Parish Hall, Every Monday, 7:00 AM.....Bob Novielli, 556-8658
Music Ministry	Michele McCurdy, 963-1811x124
Our Lady Of Guadalupe	1st Tuesday of the month, Parish Hall..... Lyda Luna, 378-5189
Pastoral Council	PastoralCouncil@hsccfv.org
Peace and Justice	Pat Goodman, 847-6617
RCIA	Parish Hall, Every Wednesday, 7:30 PM, July To May..... Roz Esh, 537-1701
Respect Life	Rochelle Giuseffi, 839-7617
Rosary Cenacle	Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Mondays, 7:00 PM..... Patricia Rensing, 968-5843
Rosary for Peace	Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Sundays, 3:00 PM..... Roz Esh, 537-1701
Scripture Study	Room 7, Sundays, 1:15 PM,.....Roz Esh, 537-1701
Scripture Study	Saturdays, please call for location..... Roz Esh, 537-1701
Span. Charismatic Prayer Group ...Parish Hall, Every Monday 7:00 PM.....	Hortencia Newhouse, 541-0507
Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius ...Parish Center, Every Friday 6:00 PM.....	Bonnie Gorsic, 593-9665
Stephen Ministry	Harvey Dorren, 841-2988
Tuesday Bible Study	1:00-2:30 PM, Room 9 in Parish Center.....Naomi Napoli, 714-842-3967
Vocation Cross	Roz Esh, 537-1701
Women’s Bible Study	Parish Hall, Every Thursday 7:00—8:30 PM..... Ruth Vinson, 549-7750.

Special Presentation—“**Moments of Grace**”. Please plan on attending a special presentation by Grace MacKinnon at St. Bonaventure Church in Huntington Beach, Thursday, December 1, 7:00 p.m. Grace will be visiting from Texas to share her life of growing up as a disabled child, being institutionalized, surmounting great difficulties to become a public speaker, teacher, defender of human life, and most recently, premiering her program, “The Abundant Life” on EEWTN. Don’t miss this inspiring evening—well worth your time!

Applications for the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program Waiting List will be accepted from November 1-30. The South Orange County Family Resource Center can assist people with their applications. To set up an appointment, please contact Cynthia Campos at (949) 364-0500. For more information, please log onto: www.ochousing.org, or call the Waiting List hotline at (714) 480-2740.

An interfaith annual **Peace Prayer Service** will take place Tuesday, Nov. 29, 7:00 p.m. at Sts. Simon & Jude, 20444 Magnolia Street (at Indianapolis) in Huntington Beach. An evening of prayer, music and fellowship to reflect on the inspiration and meaning of peace in our world and hearts. A free will offering will be collected for the Catholic Worker and Pace e Bene, www.paceebene.org. Refreshments to follow. Call Pat at 714-847-6617. All are welcome!