




LENTEN PENANCE
 All are challenged to do penance during the Lenten Season in order to prepare for the feast of Easter.
CHURCH REQUIREMENTS:
Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. To abstain means to refrain from eating meat. This is required of all Catholics who are 14 years of age and older.
Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast as well. To fast means limiting oneself to one full meal and two lighter meals in the course of a day. This obliges Catholics from the ages of 18 to 59.



St. Patrick's Day is celebrated during Lent on Friday, March 17 this year. During Fridays of Lent we abstain from eating meat but if you wish to eat meat on March 17, you may do so but abstain on another day of that week.


HIS HANDS CHRISTIAN SERVICE



- **Monday, Mar. 13:** Luncheon for the Poor in Southwest Center, Santa Ana. Please bring your donations to the Mission by 10:30 a.m.
- **His Hands needs backyard fruit**, especially oranges, for the poor. You may bring them to the Mission during business hours. If you need fruit picked, call Bob Sassone at (714) 962-8107.
- His Hands is also in need of **clean, stain-free clothing and children's items.**


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

Orange Diocese Council of Catholic Women—
Next meeting, Tuesday, March 21, at St. Martin de Porres, 19791 Yorba Linda Blvd., in Yorba Linda. Registration is at 9:00 a.m. Donation is \$10.00 and includes coffee, juice, rolls and lunch. Please call Vivian for reservations by March 15, at *82-963-6774



THE NEEDS ARE GREAT—PRAY WITH US

The victims of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita need our help. As part of our Lenten discipline to pray, everyone within the Diocese of Orange is invited to join in a national stewardship of prayer effort called One Church One Community to pray for those affected by the devastating storms. Each week during Lent, there will be an intention during the Prayers of the Faithful. You are also invited to personally join in this prayer effort. Please visit the website: www.OneChurchOneCommunity.org for more information.



HOLY SPIRIT PARISH
PENANCE SERVICES, (Includes Confessions)

Monday, April 3: 7:00 PM (Vietnamese)
Tuesday, April 4: 7:00 PM (English)
Thursday, April 6: 7:00 PM (Vietnamese)

CONFESSIONS:

Tuesday, April 11: 3:00—5:00 PM
Wednesday, April 12: 9:30-10:30 AM
 5:00—7:00 PM


MASSES and OTHER LITURGIES

Holy Thursday: April 13
 9:00 AM, Morning Prayer
 5:30 PM, The Lord's Supper (Vietnamese)
 7:30 PM, The Lord's Supper (English)

Good Friday: April 14
 9:00 AM, Morning Prayer
 2:00 PM, Passion of Our Lord (English/Spanish)
 3:30 PM, Stations of the Cross (English)
 5:00 PM, Passion of Our Lord (English)
 7:00 PM, Passion of Our Lord (Vietnamese)


Holy Saturday: April 15
 9:00 AM, Morning Prayer
 5:30 PM, Easter Vigil (Vietnamese)
 8:30 PM, Easter Vigil (English)

Easter Sunday: April 17
 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 Noon (all in English)
 1:30 PM, 6:30 PM (Vietnamese).



Fr. John Corapi lecture series, 7:00 p.m., Room 7 in the Parish Center. Why not make your own personal mini-retreat by attending these Thursday evening talks on the subjects we need to be thinking about before Easter. For more information, please call Norma at (714) 839-1176 or Roz at (714) 537-1701.

A Prayer For Immigrant Justice



Blessed are You, Lord God,
 King of all creation.
 Through Your goodness,
 we live in this land
 that You have so richly blessed.
 Help us always to recognize our
 Blessings come from You
 and remind us to share them
 with others, especially those who come
 to us today from other lands.
 Help us to be generous, just, and welcoming, as You have
 been and are generous to us.

The Catholic Campaign for Immigration Reform,
www.usccb.org

Sick Relatives & Friends

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| Laurie Adams * | Betsy Kasulka |
| David Amundson | Ralph Kazarian * |
| Theresa Bouchy | Bryan "Buddy" Kojima * |
| Barbara Bradford * | Robert Kuentz |
| Ann Brown * | Terry Malone * |
| Sean Bryan * | Cleo Mariacher * |
| Ed Butorac * | Joyce Meersman |
| Marian Catani * | Dan Morgan * |
| Karen Charlot * | Peggy Murgolo * |
| Eileen Coates * | Oginia Nasr * |
| John Colucci | Parker Nguyen * |
| Virginia Conrad * | Maria Theresa Nina * |
| Helen Crystal * | Leo Nories * |
| Steven Cundall * | Alison Ouren |
| Kit Dorren | Ann Pacitti |
| Anita Drouin * | Bill Perez * |
| Linda Engebretson | Lucy Piampiano * |
| Maria Farrell * | Katherine Polito |
| Fr. Steven Felkner | Peggy Poole |
| Nancy Ferrand | Greg Roscoe |
| Karen Frey | Nicole SantaCruz * |
| Addy Fry | Dorothe Schmidt * |
| Joanne Giordano * | Mary Schulz * |
| Bill Gleason | Lauren Sharpe * |
| Rene Gonzalez | Suzu Skoczylas * |
| Diana Good | Jim Stewart |
| Norma Goodrich | Bonnie Tachinsky |
| Louise Harvey | John Thomas * |
| Lee Heins * | Robert R. Trujillo * |
| Darryl Hill * | Marsha Viglione |
| Sherry Hill * | Marlene Volta |
| Darlene Jabora * | Dorothy Willis * |
| Dennis Johnson * | Karin Yoder * |

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- I will bless you abundantly and make your descendants as countless as the stars of the sky (Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18).
Psalm -- I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living (Psalm 116).
Second Reading -- If God is for us, who can be against us? It is God who acquits us, who will condemn? (Romans 8:31b-34).
Gospel -- This is my beloved Son. Listen to him (Mark 9:2-10).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 [1-3, 7-8, 12-17]; Ps 19; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25
 Alternate readings (Year A):
 Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

GIRL SCOUT COOKIES ARE HERE!!!

Girls Scouts will be selling cookies after all Masses on the patio, Mar. 11-12, Mar. 18-19. Thank you for your support.



GREETERS NEEDED!

WANTED! We are in need of Greeters to welcome parishioners at the following Masses—7:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 noon and 5:00 p.m. Sundays. Please call Bev White at (714) 963-9275 if you can make a commitment for one month, 2 or 3 times a year.

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



Rest in Peace

+ Our Parish Community wishes to extend our sympathy to the family and friends of all those who have died. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

WEDDING BANNERS

March 18
 Quyen Nguyen & Paul Gerst
March 25
 Loan Pham & Huyen Pham

MASS INTENTIONS*

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| Mar. 13 | 6:30 AM | Mary Gardner |
| | 9:00 AM | Robert Perrone † |
| Mar. 14 | 6:30 AM | Kathleen & Samantha Gardner |
| | 9:00 AM | Joseph Cavello & John Cavello Jr. † |
| Mar. 15 | 6:30 AM | John & Mary Gardner |
| | 9:00 AM | Kathleen Hengshoon † |
| Mar. 16 | 6:30 AM | Rupert Gardner † |
| | 9:00 AM | Angelo Silvestro † |
| Mar. 17 | 6:30 AM | Nora Mclsaac |
| | 9:00 AM | Saturnina Tantuico † |
| Mar. 18 | 9:00 AM | Bernie Soriano † |
| | 5:00 PM | Jack D. Culbertson † |
| | 6:30 PM | Mary Rogers † |
| Mar. 19 | 7:30 AM | Columbina Encinas † |
| | 9:00 AM | Roberta Noonan † |
| | 10:30 AM | Maria Diem Do † |
| | 12:00 PM | Pro Populo |
| | 5:00 PM | Richard Spangler † |

† 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 help on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday afternoons for the Elementary Program as a classroom assistant, please call the R.E. Office at (714) 963-7871.

PRAYER FAIR IS COMING!

Listeners Needed!

Anyone who would like to listen to children say their prayers, please come help at the **Prayer Fair**. Please let us know if you can help on **Monday, Tuesday and/or Wednesday, March 13, 14, 15** (R.E. Office: 963-7871). Thank you.



The Sisters of the Society Devoted to the Sacred Heart invite you to witness the Consecration of the Profession of the Evangelical Counsels (Chastity, Poverty and Obedience), during the Eucharistic Liturgy of Religious Profession on Saturday, March 25, 2006 at Our Lady of Lourdes Church (Northridge, CA). Main Celebrant of the 1:00 p.m. Mass with Bishop Gerald Wilkerson, Auxiliary Bishop, Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Please pray for Sister Teresa Liu and Sister Audrey Toth who will be professing their final vows. Thank you.

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.



HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC YOUTH FELLOWSHIP CYF meetings are held on Sunday evenings in Doyle Hall.

- My dear friends, the **First Annual Oscar** party at Lamppost was fun. There were just a few of us there but I would rather watch a show like that with a few friends and really enjoy the company. Please remind me gently next year to do the same thing and give you more notice.
- I am sorry but there will **NOT** be a CYF meeting this week.
- Had a surprise Jr. High CYF meeting for those lucky people that come to class on Tuesday, I thought it was fun and I hope they did too. **Now if I could just get them to come on Sundays!!**
- **Free the Fire permission slips** will be available this week in the Parish Center and the YOUTH Ministry Offices. Please call if you have any questions and **PARENTS**, please remember the **MANDATORY MEETING** on April 3, 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. I promise I will not waste your time. This is a very important meeting. Speaking of Free the Fire, it will be a big retreat, lots of people going. Please keep the team, which is meeting now, in your prayers. Thanks.
- Seniors and people just out of High School, I really want to have a retreat for you. I need to know if 5/20 or 5/27 works better. Could you please take time from your busy schedule and just leave me a message at the Youth Ministry office??? **Please???**
- **Mark your calendars, Sat. April 8 for the Concern America Walk a Thon.** I will be there proudly wearing my Tee Shirt and I hope you will join me. What? You don't have your shirt yet??? What are you waiting for. I still have my list and would love to give you one, come on they are only \$10.00 and you will look fabulous walking "around" Mile Square (funny).
- Still looking for service projects?? Call me I have some lined up just for you!

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

PARISH EVENTS

COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY, MARCH 5, 2006

Sunday Collection: \$ 21,752.50

2006 PSA Pledges: \$ 182,435.00

Of Pledges: 636 (18% of Parishioners)

Thank you for your generosity!

There will be a *second collection* taken up this weekend for "Parishes In Need." This **restricted** fund is for the purpose of assisting parishes in the Diocese of Orange that exhibit ongoing needs that cannot be paid for by the ordinary income of those parishes. Thank you for your generosity.

Ladies of The Altar Society

We will have our annual Potluck Luncheon on **Wednesday, Mar. 22** at 11:30 AM in Doyle Hall. The new schedules for linen and altar care will be distributed at this time. If your last name begins: A to G—bring casseroles, H to O—bring dessert, P to Z—bring salad. Paper products and drinks will be provided. If you have any question, please call Betty Perry at 848-9733.



Marriage Information Night

Marriage Information Night is held on the third Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. in the Parish Center.

At Marriage Information Night, you will learn about the Church's requirements for the celebration of the Sacrament of Matrimony. You will learn how to reserve the Church for the date and time you want, what documentation you need to provide, how to obtain them and what expenses are involved. You will also receive information about the marriage preparation classes that you will be required to attend before you can marry in the Church.

Couples should plan to attend Marriage Information Night as early as possible before the proposed date of the marriage. It usually takes a year to complete the entire marriage preparation process.

For more information call Deacon Bill Cobbett at (714) 963-1811, x 122.



CONCERN AMERICA'S NINTH ANNUAL WALK OUT OF POVERTY, SATURDAY, APRIL 8

Registration: 7:30 a.m., walk begins: 8:15 a.m. around Mile Square Park, starting in the Holy Spirit Church parking lot. Concern America is a non-profit, nongovernmental, international development & refugee aid organization. Everything Concern America does is designed to enable local people in materially poor communities to permanently lift themselves out of poverty. To request a walk packet or to make a donation, please contact Rose Mary at 1-800-CONCERN.



Stations of the Cross

Stations are held every Friday during Lent:

- **6:00 p.m.**—Vietnamese in the Church
- **7:00 p.m.**—English in the Church or Doyle Hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLY SPIRIT COUNCIL 9667



Mar. 14: Business Meeting

Mar. 17: Silky Sullivan Parking

Mar. 17: Fish Bake

Mar. 18: St. Patrick's Dinner

Mar. 19: Pro Life Rosary

Become a member of the Knights of Columbus!



COME ONE & ALL TO THE ANNUAL HOLY SPIRIT

ST. PATRICK'S DINNER

MARCH 18, DOYLE HALL

HAPPY HOUR: 6:00 P.M., DINNER: 6:30 P.M.

ADULTS: \$ 15.00

UNDER 12: \$ 12.00, UNDER 5: FREE

TRADITIONAL IRISH DINNER AND DANCERS.

Sponsored by the Holy Spirit Knights of Columbus and the Knights Ladies.

LENTEN FISH DINNER

When: Fridays in Lent 5:00 to 7:00 PM, Mar. 17, 24, 31 & April 7

Where: Doyle Hall

Menu: Catch of the Day, Pasta w/ sauce, Veggies, Rolls, etc.



Donation: Adults – \$8.00, Children under 12 – \$4.00

Bring your family – friends – neighbors. Come for a great meal followed by the Stations of the Cross.

Holy Spirit Parish announces:—a pro-life written essay contest for high school Juniors and seniors in the Diocese of Orange. The contest is sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 9667, the Holy Spirit Respect Life Committee, and the Scripture Study Group.



The contest prizes: First place (\$200), Second place (\$100), and Third place (\$50).

Guidelines for the contest can be obtain at the Holy Spirit Parish Office, 17270 Ward St. in Fountain Valley or on the website: www.hsccfv.com/prolife-essay.html. Winners will be announced and prizes awarded in June.

DON'T MISS OUT! **EUROPE TRIP!!** Anna-Lisa George (Mater Dei teacher & long-time 9:00 a.m. choir member) is planning her 2nd annual Europe trip for mature, responsible students, family and friends. We're going to London, Belgium (Brussels & Bruges), Amsterdam, and Paris, from June 17-25. Are you looking for a senior trip for your student? Would you like to join us? For information, e-mail msgeorgestour@aol.com.


Crisis Pregnancy Help

Life Center: 714-835-5433
Birth Choice: 949-261-2981
24-Hour Hotline: Vietnamese
 714-721-8557

Project RACHEL: (post abortion),
 1-800-RACHEL6.



For the past 10 years, Sr. Joanne Gallagher has organized a conducted tour of Ireland. This year the tour goes from July 8 to July 21. Cost : \$1,998.00 person (twin share), excluding airfare and travel insurance. For more information, contact Sr. Joanne at (925) 989-3862, jgallagher@ctkph.org or Sue Ann Pohl, travel agent at (714) 960-4311, sue@travelcenterhb.com.



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
- Eucharistic Adoration.....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 SacramentMonthly, 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, 1st Mondays, 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@hscfcv.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.