

**Holy Spirit Catholic Church  
Parish Mission Statement**

*January 12, 2006*

We, the Parish Community of Holy Spirit Catholic Church, are a family of many cultural backgrounds. Our mission is to enrich the spiritual life of all parishioners, through the active participation in prayer and the sacraments, promoting opportunities to grow in faith and hope, and providing a place to come together in the love of God and neighbor.

We are committed to the needs of our parishioners and to reach beyond to serve the needs of others. We are called by the Spirit to witness the forgiving, healing and saving presence of Jesus as one Church and one people.



Our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, had called for a day of prayer for peace in the Middle East. In all our Masses last Sunday, you must have noticed we fervently prayed for peace. All our prayer and special petitions were for peace in our world. I suggest that we continue doing so.

In the official communication from our Bishop, our Holy Father is urging us to dedicate a day of prayer for an "immediate cease-fire between the warring sides and the establishment of a humanitarian corridor in order to bring aid to the suffering people."

We pray for peace. Our Lord and Master is the Prince of Peace. Before he left his disciples he said to them, "Peace is my gift to you and peace I leave with you." In our world, this precious gift is very elusive. Yet peace is possible in these unsettling times. We cannot completely abandon the idea of peace. In this time of conflict, we are not cheerleaders but peace makers.

Jesus said, "Blessed are the peace makers for they shall be called children of God." Blessed are those who lay down their lives to bring peace with God.

This Sunday the Gospel narrative is about the multiplication of the loaves. The implication is that Jesus supplies our needs with abundance. The world needs peace. How we yearn for the comforting of the world. We continue to pray for peace. We join with the rest of the catholic world - parishes and institutions - to dedicate a time of prayer and penance to implore God for the precious gift of peace. AMEN.

Fr. Marito Rebamontan, Pastor

**Sick Relatives & Friends**

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|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Laurie Adams *           | Cleo Mariacher *     |
| William "Frank" Balmanno | Joyce Meersman       |
| Theresa Bouchy           | Dan Morgan *         |
| Barbara Bradford *       | Peggy Murgolo*       |
| Ann Brown *              | Stacey Neria*        |
| Sean Bryan *             | Parker Nguyen *      |
| Ed Butorac *             | Maria Theresa Nina*  |
| Tony Carbone             | Leo Nories *         |
| Catherine Caron          | Roger O'Conner       |
| Marian Catani *          | August Olim          |
| Anne Crabtree            | Alison Ouren         |
| Mario Cerami Sr.         | Bill Perez*          |
| Sarah Cesario            | Lucy Piampiano *     |
| Karen Charlot *          | Katherine Polito     |
| John Cirillo             | Louise Ponso*        |
| Eileen Coates *          | Richard Porter       |
| John Colucci             | Chris Pratt          |
| Virginia Conrad *        | Greg Roscoe          |
| Maria Louise Cook        | Kathleen Rose*       |
| Helen Crystal *          | Nicole SantaCruz *   |
| Steven Cundall *         | Dorothe Schmidt *    |
| Kit Dorren               | Mary Schulz *        |
| Anita Drouin *           | Laureen Sharpe *     |
| Maria Farrell *          | Janie Shaw           |
| Addy Fry                 | Jay Simpson          |
| Joanne Giordano *        | Suzy Skoczylas *     |
| Diana Good               | Jim Stewart          |
| Joseph Gorsic Sr.        | John Thomas *        |
| Janet Grogan             | Robert R. Trujillo * |
| Louise Harvey            | Marsha Viglione      |
| Lee Heins *              | Marlene Volta        |
| Darryl Hill *            | Sarah Wray           |
| Darlene Jabora *         | Dorothy Willis *     |
| Mary Jarosz *            | Brandy Worden        |
| Dennis Johnson *         | Karin Yoder *        |
| Ralph Kazarian *         | Jim Zimmer           |
| Brian Lynn               |                      |

**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** -- When they had eaten, there was some left over, as the LORD had said (2 Kings 4:42-44).

**Psalms** -- The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs (Psalm 145).

**Second Reading** -- Strive to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace (Ephesians 4:1-6).

**Gospel** -- Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted (John 6:1-15).

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

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| Monday:    | Jer 13:1-11; Mt 13:31-35                            |
| Tuesday:   | Jer 14:17-22; Mt 13:36-43                           |
| Wednesday: | Jer 15:10, 16-21; Mt 13:44-46                       |
| Thursday:  | Jer 18:1-6; Mt 13:47-53                             |
| Friday:    | Jer 26:1-9; Mt 13:54-58                             |
| Saturday:  | Jer 26:11-16, 24; Mt 14:1-12                        |
| Sunday:    | Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97;<br>2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10 |

*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 **Theodore Castle** and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

**WEDDING BANNERS**

**August 5**

Sonomi Gen & Bao Vo  
Ivy T. Ho & Leif M. Pham

**August 19**

Xuan Nguyen & Chieu Nguyen  
Thu Quynh Do & Long Thai Dinh

**August 26**

Vicky Magana & Raymond Medina

**MASS INTENTIONS\***

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| <b>July 31</b> | <b>6:30 AM</b>  | Michael Mitchell †         |
|                | <b>9:00 AM</b>  | Mary Bojorquez †           |
| <b>Aug. 1</b>  | <b>6:30 AM</b>  | Holy Souls in Purgatory    |
|                | <b>9:00 AM</b>  | Michael Duyet †            |
| <b>Aug. 2</b>  | <b>6:30 AM</b>  | Catarina Quynh Vu †        |
|                | <b>9:00 AM</b>  | Mary Huong & Thuy Nguyen † |
| <b>Aug. 3</b>  | <b>6:30 AM</b>  | Tom Madden †               |
|                | <b>9:00 PM</b>  | Jane Moran                 |
| <b>Aug. 4</b>  | <b>6:30 AM</b>  | Cindy, Jason, Chelsi       |
|                | <b>9:00 AM</b>  | John & Theresa Tran        |
| <b>Aug. 5</b>  | <b>9:00 AM</b>  | Michael Vo Hong †          |
|                | <b>5:00 PM</b>  | Martin Frake †             |
| <b>Aug. 6</b>  | <b>6:30 PM</b>  | Crecensio Fonseca †        |
|                | <b>7:30 AM</b>  | Edward Driscoll †          |
|                | <b>9:00 AM</b>  | Barbara Freese †           |
|                | <b>10:30 AM</b> | Michael Moran †            |
|                | <b>12:00 PM</b> | Vivian & Walt Wood         |
|                | <b>5:00 PM</b>  | Pro Populo                 |
|                |                 | † 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,  
Linda: 714-963-7871.



**CONFIRMATION PREPARATION  
FOR YOUTH**

Confirmation preparation is a two year process for high school age youth. Students attending Catholic high schools need to attend Confirmation preparation in the parish. Classes are on Monday or Tuesday evenings, beginning in October. For more information and registration forms, please come to the R.E. office or call 963-7871.

**REGISTER FOR R.E. NOW!!!**

R.E. Registration for 2006-2007 school year has been mailed to families who were registered last year. Each family must register again each year. Please return forms as soon as possible. If you did not get it in the mail or want a registration packet, please contact the R.E. office (963-7871).

**Simple Spiritual Exercises in  
Everyday Life**



The Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius Community here at Holy Spirit will be offering a series of brief forms of prayer in the Ignatian method. The first series will cover moving into everyday life with Christ, like the first disciples did after Jesus' Ascension. This involves individual daily prayer and meeting once a week in a group setting for one month. The group meetings began Tuesday, July 18 at 6:30 pm and occur weekly through Aug. 8. Contact Bonnie at 714-593-9665 if you have questions.

**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

**HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC  
YOUTH FELLOWSHIP**

**CYF meetings are held on  
Sunday evenings in Doyle Hall.**

Beach day for those who missed it was really windy. We had invited some other Churches and thankfully some actually came. Once we started the fire and had smores it was a lot of fun. Some young people brought guitars and we sang around the bon fire. So you missed a great opportunity to make a lot of beautiful noise, maybe next time.

**Jr. High CYF meeting**—remember I promised a walking field trip plus snacks to anyone, I mean everyone who shows up. Please bring a friend.

**August calendar is on the way, some highlights just for you.** River Rafting..... River Rafting...anyone, anyone?? Magic Mountain 2 day camping trip! Kingdom Seekers concert, Fun Night at CSUF student center. I hate to tell you what starts after all this fun is had....

**RE registration forms**, yeah I am asking your parents for them. I hope you turn them in soon. If you are thinking about volunteering for R.E. how about working a retreat?? Interesting segue don't you think? Really, if you can last 1 hour a week why not spend a weekend with our teens preparing for Confirmation? I have the dates already, can you feel that tug on you heart?

Can you believe it is the end of **JULY**—Confirmation II students get your service projects done **NOW**. Please don't what until our meetings start, just git er done!!!

**For more info, leave a message for  
Marianne O'Conner in the YOUTH  
Ministry Office: (714) 963-7256, or  
youthministry@hscfv.org.**



*Summer is Here!!!  
Don't forget the sunscreen!!*

PARISH EVENTS

**COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY, July 23, 2006**

Regular Collection: \$ 18,958.00

2006 PSA Pledges: \$ 228,535.00

Pledges: 959 (27% of 3500 active families)

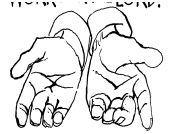
*Thank you for your generosity!*

Are you interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Faith community? We are conducting an Inquiry Series on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM, to explore the process and meaning of becoming a Catholic. If you have not been baptized, have been baptized in another Christian Faith Tradition or baptized Catholic and have not received your First Eucharist, please join us for this informative series. Those who wish to receive the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil in 2007 will be invited to enter formal preparation beginning September 24. For further information, please call Roz Esh at (714) 537-1701.



**HIS HANDS CHRISTIAN SERVICE**

- Please share your excess fruit and vegetables. Bob Sassone (962-8107) will be glad to pick them for you.
- School supplies are needed for the coming school year in September. Please bring your donated items to His Hands during office hours.
- His Hands will be closed from August 21 to September 5.
- **Tuesday, July 25:** Visitation to Parkhurst, 2:00-4:00 PM.



**His Hands Office Hours:**

**Mon. thru Fri. 9:00 AM to 12 Noon**

**Phone # (714) 968-2111.**

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
HOLY SPIRIT COUNCIL 9667**

**Aug. 2:** Bocce, 5:00 PM

**Aug. 4/5:** Adoration

**Aug. 8:** First Degree Business Meeting, 7:30 PM

**Aug. 9:** Bocce, 5:00 PM

*Become a member of the Knights of Columbus!*

**Roy Sapp, (714) 374-1064 [roy.sapp@verizon.net](mailto:roy.sapp@verizon.net)**



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Adoration this month will be on Friday, Aug. 4, after the 6:30 PM Mass and will continue until the 9:00 AM Mass on Saturday, August 5. Come and keep Jesus company for one hour. Weekly Exposition Fridays from 9:30 AM until Saturdays at 9:00 AM.

**FIRST FRIDAY REMINDER** - Devotions of the Holy Wounds Rosary and the Seven Dolors 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.



*The lad gave what he had—five loaves and a couple of dried fish—and all were fed. Just imagine if we give what we have... Consider being a priest, deacon, brother, or sister, (John 6:1-15).. For more information on vocations, contact Msgr. Will Davis at (714) 282-3000.*

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASSES**



The next marriage preparation program starts at Holy Spirit Church on Sept. 1, 2006. Classes will be held in meeting rooms 1, 2 and 3, 7:30 PM to 9:00 PM.

On completion of the marriage preparation program, couples receive a certificate that fulfills the requirements for marriage preparation in the Catholic Church.

You should plan to enroll as soon as possible for this program. Please pick up a registration form at the Parish Office. For more information, please call Deacon Bill Cobbett at (714) 963-1811, ext. 122 or email [deaconbill@hsccfv.org](mailto:deaconbill@hsccfv.org).

**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 it 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.



Often Christians object to looking at pictures of aborted babies, considering such pictures to be indecent. They get angry at those who are showing the pictures instead of getting angry at those who are killing the babies. By this distortion of anger, they are just covering up the guilt of their own non-involvement.

**Crisis Pregnancy Help**

**Life Center:** 714-835-5433

**Birth Choice:** 949-261-2981

**24-Hour Hotline: Vietnamese**  
714-721-8557

**Project RACHEL: (postabortion),**  
1-800-RACHEL6.

**Website:** [www.birthchoiceclinic.org](http://www.birthchoiceclinic.org)



The Orange County Strengthening Marriages Project is a federally-funded grant awarded to the Orange County Social Services Agency in partnership with Catholic Charities of Orange County and California State University, Long Beach. This project is designed to improve family functioning and provide more stable family environments. There is no cost to participants, financial support is provided through Promoting Safe and Stable Families funds administered through the Families and Communities Together, FaCT program. Free child care is also provided. There are 3 classes in English and 3 offered in Spanish. Call Angela Apodaca at 714-347-9618. [www.ocstrengtheningmarriages.com](http://www.ocstrengtheningmarriages.com)

**MINI-CONGRESS 2006**

**Learning Our Faith, Loving Our Faith,  
Living Our Faith!**

Take advantage of the many Faith Formation opportunities available during this year's MINI-CONGRESS at Marywood Center, September 9, 8:00 AM-3:30 PM. Our Keynote Speaker will be **Fr. Allan Deck** presenting: Lively Faith: *Evangelizing Church*. Bishop Tod Brown challenges us to look deeply into our lives to discover the role that Christian faith plays in them, The Bishop invites us to turn that little spark of faith into a raging fire by transforming our lives through love of God and neighbor. This is a call, a mission, given to each and every baptized Catholic. But why are so many indifferent and unaware of Jesus Christ's personal call to them? Why are our homes, parishes, schools and organizations not really taking up that mission with enthusiasm and passion? In this presentation, Fr. Deck links formation with the call to really be an evangelizing Church.

The Institute for Pastoral Ministry will be sending out the Mini-Congress Brochure next week. If you would like to receive a brochure and are not on our mailing list, please call (714) 282-3071 and leave your address.

A Police and Community Forum sponsored by the O.C. Human Relations Commission will take place on Tuesday, August 1, 2006, from 5:30 PM. to 7:30 PM, at the Delhi Community Center, 505 East Central, Santa Ana, CA 92707. Come and contribute to building bridges and trust between the local community and police. Officials from local law enforcement and recognized community leaders will be participating in a panel discussion of critical issues. To RSVP please contact: Iliana Welty, 714-567-5054.

Planned Giving provides an opportunity to give a gift that forever perpetuates our Catholic faith. For more information, please call the Orange Catholic Foundation at (714) 282-3020 or call the Parish Center Office at 9714) 963-1811.

**John Paul the Great Catholic University opens this fall in San Diego** offering exciting degree programs in Entertainment Media and Entrepreneurial Business. **JP Catholic is currently recruiting freshmen students** interested in growing in their faith while obtaining hands on experience in business, video gaming, film, radio, TV, music and cutting edge technology. Please visit our website at [www.jpccatholic.com](http://www.jpccatholic.com). Student orientation begins Sept. 18.

The Catholic Deaf Community, Diocese of Orange has exciting new changes in its schedule. On the first Sunday of each month we will celebrate a mainstreamed Mass at 11:00 a.m. with the parish community of St. Juliana's, 1316 North Acacia Avenue, Fullerton, Ca. On all other Sundays we will have the regular Deaf Mass at 12:45 PM. Everyone is welcome. For more information or to be added to the mailing list for upcoming events, please contact the Catholic Deaf Center at (714) 547-0824 voice, (714) 547-7316 tty (voice callers use 711) or e-mail: [cwild@rcbo.org](mailto:cwild@rcbo.org), or [www.rcbo.org](http://www.rcbo.org).

