

FROM THE DESK OF FR. JIM:

I wish to announce that Maria Cornell has joined our Parish Staff , effective May 15th. She will be the Director of Religious Education and lead our Parish Liturgy Committee. Maria has many years of experience in parish ministry. She was a Youth Minister at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and Immaculate Heart of Mary. She has also worked in the field of Religious Education at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish.

STUDY GROUP - PAULINE BOOKS & MEDIA

This is a six-week study on the new Synod Document of Pope Benedict XVI: Sacrament of Charity. Meetings are scheduled for Tuesday evenings, 6:30-8:00 pm, at Pauline Books & Media, 2640 Broadway, Redwood City. For details and registration call Sr. Susan at 703-1106

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

We have received \$123,836 from 396 parishioners, toward our assessment of \$126,000. This represents 98% of our goal. Thank you for your support.

GRIEF MINISTRY - SATURDAY MORNING PRAYER GROUP

You are welcome to join members of St. Pius Grief Ministry and other parishioners who wish to spend some dedicated prayer time. The focus is for those who are actively grieving, and for those who are recovering from grief after the loss of a loved one. The group will meet at 8:30 am, right after the 8:00 am Mass on Saturday mornings all summer long. For more information, please call Linda Beroldo at 366-3153 or email: grief_help@hotmail.com

FR. JIM'S ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY

The St. Pius Staff congratulates Fr. Jim on the 40th Anniversary of his Ordination, June 3rd.

GRIEF MINISTRY - COMING IN THE FALL

The St. Pius Grief Ministry will be holding a "Focused" Grief Support Group. This group will meet once per week for 10 weeks on Monday evenings in the Parish Center, 7:00 - 8:30 pm. Sessions will be facilitated by trained grief ministers. For more information call Linda Beroldo at 366-3153 or email grief_help@hotmail.com

SUNDAY COLLECTION

2006-2007 Fiscal Year as of 5/21/07
 Budgeted \$497,647.28
 Actually received \$494,515.64
 Shortfall (\$3,131.64)

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples who feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. For confidential information call (415) 893-1005 or email: [SF @Retrouvaille.org](mailto:SF@Retrouvaille.org) or visit the web at www.Retrouvaille.org

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CYO

SUPPORT FOR SENIORS Is there a Senior in your life whose safety and care need monitoring? Licensed therapists, social workers, and gerontologists work together to help elders stay at home by providing a range of care solutions, counseling and home care services. Sliding scale fees. Call 650-592-9325 for more information.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED

Christopher Philpott
 Kathryn Raynald-Richard
 Angelina San Bartolome
 Saniya Latu

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK AND THEIR CAREGIVERS IN OUR COMMUNITY:

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| Deacon Steve | Kirk Budowich | Clyde Melton |
| Mary Lou Putnam | Steve Alonso | Jillian Geenen |
| Fr. Michael Keane | Charlotte Kelley | Jocelyn Maroun |
| Keira Bowman | Lana Vanderzyl | Deborah Baca |
| Grace Dotoli | Andrea Brady | Jerret Peagel |
| Bev Eggleston | Ann Pierazzi | Connor Crain |
| Pierre Hondagneu | Rich Ferrari | Irene Morilla |

ALL NAMES WILL REMAIN ON THIS LIST FOR ONE MONTH. PLEASE CALL AFTER THAT TIME IF YOU WOULD LIKE A NAME TO REMAIN ON THE LIST, 361-1411. IF WE DO NOT RECEIVE A CALL THE NAME WILL BE REMOVED.

BOOTH SPONSORS FOR FESTIVAL: Sponsorships are \$150 and your name or business will be displayed on a booth. If you are interested, please call Mercedes, Booth Sponsorship Chairperson, at 367-8349. Thank you to the following: Putnam Dealer Group, Putnam Lexus, Dr. Joseph Krauss, DDS, Pribuss Engineering, Inc. Mechanical Contractors, Eric Barrett from Barrett Insurance Services, Gray's Paint & Wallpaper, Copymat, Crippen & Flynn Woodside Chapel, A. Parenti Insurance, The Kenneally Family, Del Rio Roofing Co., Inc., A&D Automatic Gate & Access, INTERSTATE Grading & Paving, Inc., Dr. Gabrielle Thodas, DDS MSD, Kathy Wright from Everlasting Beauty, William Conklin, Attorney at Law, T & H Building Supply, Schoenstein Physical Therapy, Engelhart Electric, Chesler Construction, Huguette Bartels, Lyle Rausch, M.D., The Lawson Roofing Co., Inc., the Hannig family, Dennis & Stephanie Durkin, The Saddle Room, Italian Catholic Federation, Br. 130, CBPS, Inc., Industrial Plumbing & Supply, LLC, Sigona's Farmers Market, Chim Chimney, Dudley Perkins Co., Harley-Davidson/Buell & Ironstone Metal Works, Inc., Dennis & Teri Costello from Golden West Sales, Redwood Chapel, Masarie & Sons Contractors, John & Allison Hermann from ReMax Today, Fraternal Order of Eagles RWC #418, Maurine Xavier from Progression Financial, John Figone from Countrywide Home Loans, Cathy McCarty from Cashin Company, Laura Bertolacci from ReMax Today, Hannig Law Firm LLP, Danford Foundation, Joe Sheetz from Green Again Landscaping, Fred & Tammy Nurisso from Broadway Mechanical Contractors, All Star Karate Center, Dr. Kenneth Holman, DDS, a friend of St. Pius, the McGraw Group, the Redwood City 49'ers, the Reshke family, Diane Kneis from Coldwell Banker and the Law Offices of Green, Chauvel, Descalso & Minoletti.

FESTIVAL HOURS

Saturday, June 2nd, 1 - 10 pm
Sunday, June 3rd, 1 - 8 pm

CYO SUMMER CAMP STAFF NEEDED

We are accepting applications from applicants at least 18 years old or high school graduates for these exciting CYO Summer Camp positions: Counselors, Specialty Counselors and Head Counselor. Camp Staff will be employed from June 18th to August 12th. Meet new people and form lasting friendships. Eight weeks of housing and food plus a salary range of \$1692 to \$2184 for the summer. Learn youth development skills while you lead fun filled activities. Visit <http://camp.ccyo.org/staff> for more information.

FESTIVAL NEWS – June 2nd & 3rd

Homer Crouse Hall has turned into a Game Room with Dance Revolution and Race Car arcades. Come and compete against each other. The **SILENT AUCTION PREVIEW** will be 6 -7 p.m. **SATURDAY:** Don't forget the **PASTA DINNER, 4-8 PM.** The **LIVE & SILENT AUCTIONS** will be held in **FITZSIMON CENTER.** Please come & check out the fantastic items up for auction! The **SILENT AUCTION** will have 2 closings, one on Saturday at 6 p.m. and the other on Sunday at 6 pm. **SUNDAY: BBQ CHICKEN DINNER, SILENT AUCTION CLOSING AT 6 P.M., SKATES THE CLOWN** from 2 to 5 pm. and our annual **RAFFLE DRAWING** at 8 p.m. This is your chance to win \$10,000!!!! IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER PLEASE CONTACT DANIELLE GHIOZZI at 361-1411 or dannilg@sbcglobal.net

ST. PIUS FESTIVAL - JUNE 2ND & 3RD

49er Gold Rush Cheerleaders at St. Pius!!!!!!

You will have the opportunity to have a "meet & greet" with the Gold Rush Cheerleaders. They will be here on **Saturday**, in Fitzsimon Center from 6:30-9 p.m. to sign autographs & take photos.

While you are in Fitzsimon check-out the incredible items in our **Auctions.**

The **LIVE AUCTION:** A Taste of Africa in California, Fighter Pilot for a Day, Dinner prepared by Fr. Linh, Dinner with Fr. Jim prepared by his own personal cook & Personal Training for a month by the Gold Rush Cheerleader's own trainer!

The **SILENT AUCTION:** Napa Valley Hot Air Balloon Ride, A US Flag that flew over the State Capitol in honor of St. Pius, A Custom Oil Painting from one of your own photos, Winery Tours, Summer Camps and so much more.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Do you have an hour to spare helping our neighbors in need? Come to the next Volunteer Orientation to learn the many opportunities available to assist the poor through the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Volunteers are needed to answer the help line and give general office assistance, as well as to serve lunch at the SVdP Homeless Help Centers in San Mateo, Redwood City or So. San Francisco. Call Margi Jung at 373-0622 to reserve a spot at the Orientation on Tuesday, June 5th at the San Mateo Office. The rewards are heavenly!

Question for Adults: Today we celebrate the relationship of love among the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. When this coming week will you create time to listen to and experience God’s love for you?

Question for Children: God fills us with love. How, this week, will you show your family - your mom, dad, brothers, sisters, grandparents, cousins - that you love them as God loves them?

JOURNEY OF FAITH

We are on a long and eventful journey. Today’s readings for Trinity Sunday succinctly cover the depth and breadth of our human travels.

The very beginnings of our journey are revealed in the reading from Proverbs. God’s plan filled with divine wisdom was born before the earth was made. In today’s Gospel, Jesus speaks of his own personal journey. He has come from the Father and will return to the Father. Only then will the Advocate—the Spirit of Truth—take us onward.

This does not diminish the fact that the journey will be hard. The very setting of the Gospel is the night before Jesus died. As Saint Paul writes to the Romans, “[W]e even boast of our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, and endurance, proven character, and proven character, hope” (Romans 5:3-4).

Ultimately, our human journey is modeled by the Holy Trinity—a family of love among Father, Son, and Spirit that we are all called to emulate.

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — The wisdom of God played on the surface of God’s earth, finding delight in the human race

Psalm — O Lord, our God, how wonderful you name in all the earth! (Psalm 8).

Second Reading — The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us (Romans 5:1-15).

Gospel — The Spirit of truth will guide you to all truth (John 16:12-15).

SCHEDULED MASSES

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| Sat. | June 2 | 5 pm | Randy Cardellini |
| Sun. | June 3 | 8 am | Charles & Louise |
| | | 9:30 | Fragulia |
| | | 11:30 | Stanley C Anzulewicz |
| | | 5 pm | Eric Schoenstein |
| Mon. | June 4 | 8 am | People of St. Pius |
| Tues. | June 5 | 8 am | Ronald Brugioni |
| Wed. | June 6 | 8 am | Bill McGrath |
| Thurs. | June 7 | 8 am | Katie Kuczynski |
| Fri. | June 8 | 8 am | Olga Cignetti |
| Sat. | June 9 | 8 am | Robert Granara |
| | | | Margaret Martella |