

MASS INTENTIONS

- + Debbie Pinasco (Sat., 1/30 – 5:00PM)
- + Debbie Pinasco (Sun., 1/31 – 9:30AM)
- + Debbie Pinasco (Sat., 2/6 – 5:00PM)
- + Doris Gogna (Sun., 2/7 – 9:30AM)

Please say "Thank you, Lord" by offering a Mass for your intentions – especially for the gift of your life and all the blessings you receive.

THE 11:30AM MASS IN SPANISH IS FOR OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

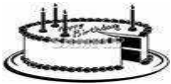
Loretta Filipelli, Peter Krasinsti, Monte Leoni, Adam Manzo, Alfred Mikelich, Dolores Molini, Cindy Navarro, Dorothy Nomellini, Pearl Raggio, Andrea Rodriguez, Johnnie Vaccarezza, Richard Dondero, Delia Alberto, Margarita Aguado, Irene Camarena, Louis Solari, Connie J. Jenison, Eldon Kuntz, Jesús Diaz, Gloria Chavoya, Ken Hamann, Fred Godinez, Andrea Martinez and Fr. Alex

*"Are there any who are sick among you?
Let them send for the priests of the Church"*

... James 5:14-15

In an EMERGENCY to attend to the sick, please call:

Fr. Alex @ (209) 614-9633



"HAPPY BIRTHDAY!"

Jan. 30th Ysenia Vargas, Justin Wheaton, Gilberto Navarro, Kelly Louise Coleman, Dina De Martini, Dominic Alonso

Jan. 31st Daniel Lagorio

Feb. 1st Valerie Prato, Norma Cornejo-Castro, Ariana Ochoa, Laurene Miller, Victoria Poggio

Feb. 2nd Gregory Manassero, Celeste Castillou, Daniel Luna Martínez, Joseph Sanguinetti, Damien Jiménez

Feb. 3rd Juan Rubio, Flora Arredondo, Christopher Dondero, Gonzalo Marguez, Olga Guajardo

Feb. 4th Ernie Schenone Jr., Anthony Sanguinetti

Feb. 5th Gregory Ferrari, Alexandria Poggio, Rose Marie Arrigone, Kimberly Scheffel

**** WE WANT TO INCLUDE YOU! ****

**** PLS CONTACT THE PARISH TO UPDATE
YOUR FAMILY BIRTHDAYS ****



CONGRATULATIONS!

**James & Dina De Martini on their
60th Wedding Anniversary!**

Special THANK YOU!

To **Louise Costa** with much appreciation for her generous donation for our Altar Wine.

January 23-24, 2010 Offering

\$1,661.72 \$1,494.78
[Last Year] [This Year]

Second Collection [HAITI RELIEF FUND] - \$1,354.32

Children's Collection: \$33.00

Next week's Second Collection will be for: LATIN AMERICAN APPEAL

Thank you for supporting your parish.

"Give and it shall be given back to you. For the measure you use will be measured back to you."

Luke 6:38

**ENGAGED ENCOUNTER / MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER /
RETROUVAILLE**

All three of these programs are designed to assist couples in preparation for marriage and in improving their marriages after the wedding. Many couples have already attended *all three* ministries and have benefited from the opportunity to begin, enhance, continue, and/or heal their marital growth.

- For preparation right from the start:
ENGAGED ENCOUNTER (EE) – March 19-20, April 30, May 2
- For Improvement & enhancement:
MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: (ME) – February 12-14
- For trouble marriages & renewal:
RETROUVAILLE: February 12-14

EE: www.sacramentoe@gmail.com or call: BOB & TRISH VLASAK (916) 534.8602

ME: srsgristra@comcast.net or call RAUL & GAYLA PONCE (866) 825.2046

Retrouvaille: www.retrouvaille.org or Sacramento@RetroCa.com or call FRED & BARBARA (800) 283.5952



CATHOLIC PROFESSIONAL &

BUSINESS CLUB BREAKFAST MEETING

February's Guest Speaker: BILL LYONS.

WHEN: Tuesday, February 9th.

MASS at 7:00 AM.

Breakfast from 7:30 AM - 8:30 AM.

WHERE: Doubletree Hotel Modesto

Visit us on the internet @ <http://cpbc-modesto.org>

MOBILE FARMER'S MARKET

"Fresh" Fruits and Vegetables **FREE** for families with children and seniors with low income and limited resources.

Second Tuesday - every month

11:00 AM-12:00 PM

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Sponsored by the Emergency Food Bank Stockton/San Joaquin County in collaboration with Holy Cross Catholic Church

GIVING TREE OF LIFE

Watch for a letter from Fr. Alex regarding our beautiful **Tree of Life**, inviting you to participate by remembering someone you love and, at the same time, supporting your parish.

Stop by the Hall to see the Tree, select the particular leaf and/or stone that you like best and **RESERVE IT TODAY**. The donation for each leaf will be \$250, and for each stone, \$1,000.

Remember this Tree, and your **memorial to your loved ones**, will be displayed prominently for them and your community to see for many, many, many years to come!



SECOND COLLECTION CLARIFICATION

Per the Diocese, the Second Collections taken on 1/17 and 1/24/2010 were for **HAITI** disaster relief.

The Second Collection for the **CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA** has been changed and will be taken up on **Sunday, February 7, 2010**. Much of that collection will be earmarked for Haiti as well.

For those who used their pre-printed offertory envelopes on January 24th [LATIN AMERICA] envelopes, additional different envelopes for Latin America will be available in the pews and the vestibule.

Our apologies for the inconvenience.

PARISH APPEAL for THE CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

Although approximately *half* of the world's Catholic population lives in Latin American, the Church in the region is losing members in an alarming rate.

The CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA is challenged by several factors drawing away the faithful: the lack of available faith formation, the pressure to migrate in pursuit of a better living that comes from living in a globalized society, resulting in the breakdown of family and community. This tension can contribute to the destabilization of families and faith communities.

The Collection for the CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA (2/7/2010) funds pastoral projects, such as rural evangelization, seminary formation, and catechists to nurture the faith in the region.

Please keep faith with the CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA through your support of this collection. Watch your Bulletin for future details.



SHEPHERD THE WORD

The **DIOCESAN MINISTRY DAY** is planned for **March 6, 2010**, at **St. Mary's High School** in Stockton. This annual event brings together members of all parishes in the Stockton Diocese, as well as may from neighboring ones, for a day of inspiration, reflection and learning. Many topics from the spiritual to the practical are presented, broken open, and discussed in the keynote reflection sessions and the over 25 workshops available. There will be signing for the deaf during the Keynote Address.

Confession will be available again during the day and Mass has been added this year. Please watch for the registration booklets in your parish – available in January 2010.

Any questions, please e-mail
JOAN CASEY – PUBLICITY at jn.csy@yahoo.com
or call 209.874.2951.

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ONE DAY RETREAT IN MODESTO

“One Heart, One Mind ... With Mary”
4th ANNUAL SILENT MARIAN RETREAT FOR ADULTS & TEENS
And CHILDREN'S MARIAN RETREAT

Saturday, February 6, 2010 – 8:00am to 5:00 pm

St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Modesto

Speakers include Fr. Patrick Greenough, OFM, the national president of the MILITIA OF THE IMMACULATA for the United State and Canada.

The retreat includes Daily Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, private reflection, availability of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and prayer.

Pre-registration to assure a continental breakfast and lunch is recommended for adults and teens.

Limited tickets may be available at the door.

Separate activities are planned for walking-toddlers and K-6th grade children. Registration for children ends February 1st.

For more information and registration forms, please visit www.stjmod.com or call **Suzanne Flint** at **209.521.8299**.

Fr. Alex has asked us all for our prayers on behalf of his family through this particularly difficult time for them. If you'd like to send a message to Fr. Alex, his GOA-email

is: fr.pacheco@gmail.com

NOTE: email to Goa is very slow

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTION S, PLEASE CALL PAT @ 941-2268

Do you have an announcement that needs to go into the Bulletin?

ALL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS MUST BE TURNED IN – FAXED OR E-MAILED – TO THE PARISH OFFICE BY TUESDAY, 12:00 NOON