

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 31, 2010

PARISH CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK:

- Jan 30 (Sat) Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 - 4:00 PM—Reconciliation (Individual)
 - 4:15 PM—Rosary
 - 5:00 PM—Mass
- Jan 31 (Sun) Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Catholic Schools Week begins
 - 6:15 AM—Rosary
 - 7:00 AM—Mass
 - 8:15 AM—Rosary
 - 9:00 AM—Mass w/Na Keiki
 - 10:30 AM—Religious Education Classes
 - 12:00 NN—PC (CH)
 - 4:15 PM—Rosary
 - 5:00 PM—Ilocano Mass
- Feb 1 (Mon)** - 7:00 AM—Mass
 - 7:45 AM—Rosary
- Feb 2 (Tue) The Presentation of the Lord**
Candlemas Day
World Day for Consecrated Life
Groundhog Day
 - 7:00 AM—Mass w/Novena w/Blessing of candles
 - 7:45 AM—Rosary
- Feb 3 (Wed) St Blaise**
St Ansgar
 - 7:00 AM—Mass w/Bl of Throats
 - 7:45 AM—Rosary
 - 10:00 AM—Vicariate Mtg—Resurrection of the Lord
 - 6:00 PM—Na Leo (CH)
 - 6:30 PM—Youth Ministry Mtg (Rm 8)
 - 7:30 PM—Voices of Faith (CH)
- Feb 4 (Thu)** - 7:00 AM—Mass
 - 7:45 AM—Rosary
 - 8:00 AM—Wahiawa Ministers' Mtg
 - 9:00 AM—Craft Workshop (PH)
 - 6:30 PM—Choir of Angels (CH)
 - 7:00 PM—OLS Prayer Group (PH)
 - 7:00 PM—Adult Bible Study (Conf Rm)
- Feb 5 (Fri) St Agatha**
First Friday
 - 7:00 AM—Mass w/Exposition
 - 7:45 AM—Rosary
 - 8:00 AM—Home/Hospital Visits
 - 10:00 AM—Benediction
 - 5:30 PM—Ilocano Bible Sharing (Lib)
 - 6:00 PM—Fil-Am Choir (PH)
- Feb 6 (Sat) St Paul Miki and his companions**
Conf. I Day of Recollection—Benedictine Monastery
 - 11:00 AM—Matilde Lastimado Burial; MMP
 - 1:00 PM—Baptism Seminar (PH)
 - 4:00 PM—Reconciliation (Individual)
 - 4:15 PM—Rosary
 - 5:00 PM—Mass
- Feb 7 (Sun) Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life
Building Fund Collection
Scout Sunday
 - 6:15 AM—Rosary
 - 7:00 AM—Mass
 - 8:15 AM—Rosary
 - 9:00 AM—Mass w/Na Keiki
 - 10:30 AM—Religious Education Classes
 - 10:30 AM—Burning of Branches (Sch)
 - 12:00 NN—PC (CH)
 - 2:30 PM—Combined Choir (CH)

TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19

Before I formed you in the womb I knew you.

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13

The greatest of these is love.

Luke 4:21-31

Amen, I say to you,
no prophet is accepted in his own native place.



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Luke 5:1-11

STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEKEND OF JANUARY 23 AND 24:

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS	\$3,358.00
DAILY/WEEKDAY COLLECTIONS	40.00
VOTIVE CANDLES	258.95
BLACK/INDIAN MISSIONS COLLECTION	412.00
CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA COLLECTION	521.00
CHRISTMAS	50.00
HAITI EMERGENCY	450.00
BUILDING FUND	545.00
FOOD PANTRY	100.00
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS	80.00

MAHALO FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

If you would like to receive parish envelopes, please call the parish office at 621-5109 ext. 221. Please be sure to print your name and address on ANY envelope that you use for your parish donations.

The 2009 Year End Contribution letters have been mailed to anyone who identifiably contributed \$100.00 or more to our parish. If you have any questions please call Janice at 621-5109 ext. 221.

Praise Be To God

Our 50 year old church now sports a brand new skylight and roofing, a fitting gift on our 70th Parish Anniversary. We sincerely thank each and every parishioner who helped generously with their last penny. Our thanks also to the Diocesan and Parish Building Committees as well as to the Skylight and Roofing Contractors and workers. A financial summary will be reported in next week's bulletin.

Condolences to the bereaved families of:

+Matilde Lastimado: Feb. 6; Burial; 11:00 AM; MMP
+Corazon Behic: Feb. 10; Pry Svc; 11:30 AM; MMP

Mass Intentions:

- Jan. 31** Nestor Sr., Nestor Jr. & Edison Manzano (+)
 Julius Tolentino Sr. (+)
 Jacinto Dagan (Birthday)
 Balerio Piano (Birthday)
 M/M Balerio Piano (52nd Wedding Anniv.)
- Feb. 2** Marcela Icarangal (+)
- Feb. 3** Ped T. Panganiban (+)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**Religious Education Classes this Sunday at
10:30 AM.**

**Sign Up Now for RCIA Sessions for
Un-Baptized Adults**

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults or RCIA is the process by which UN-BAPTIZED adults or adults of other faiths are brought into full communion with the Roman Catholic Church. If you are aware of anyone in our parish community who has expressed an interest in becoming a Catholic, please encourage them to contact Jack Kampfer at 621-5109, ext. 226.

**Donate Your Personal Computer's
Used Inkjet Printer Cartridges**

Bring those used-up inkjet printer cartridges to church and drop them in the box under the usher's table at the front entrance. Our religious education program can receive \$1 for every reusable cartridge you donate.

New Year's Resolutions

It's early in the new year, and there's still plenty of time to make some resolutions for 2010. Here is another suggestion for a spiritual resolution: Many of us complain that we find it difficult to find time to pray. If you don't have time to pray an entire rosary, why not pray a single decade. That's only one Our Father, 10 Hail Marys, and a Glory Be. You can pray it walking or driving, or while you're in line at the store. You don't need anything but your fingers to keep track of your progress. You might try this with your family as an after dinner practice. If you need instructions on how to pray the rosary, go to the website www.rosary-center.org.howto.htm.

YEAR FOR PRIESTS 2009-2010

Five Ways to Support My Parish Priest

By Lorene Hanley Duquin Our Sunday Visitor

4. Be Prepared to Believe the Best.

A lot of what you hear on the parish grapevine is either untrue or is, at best, greatly exaggerated. Most people really want their priest to succeed in his ministry. But a few negative people can do a lot of damage—not just to the priest but to the entire parish.

Sometimes, negativity stems from misunderstandings. Often, people will make assumptions about something they hear a priest say, or see him do, that have no basis in reality. Keep in mind that Father might not be able to fully explain something he may have done because he is bound by confidentiality. Or he might appear to be distracted or distant, when he's actually worried about something in the parish or exhausted after being up all night with a dying parishioner. Until you have all the facts, it's best to give him the benefit of the doubt. (cont. next week)

LITURGY NOTES

Preparations for Ashes

Baskets have been placed around the church for our annual collection of blessed branches to be prepared into "ashes." Prayers and resolutions written on slips of paper may also be placed in the baskets. The branches and prayer/resolutions will be gathered and burned on Sunday, February 7, at 10:30 AM at the school. Please plan to join us.

Presentation of the Lord ("Candlemas")

On Feb. 2nd, parishioners are invited to bring their own candles to be blessed at the 7:00 AM Mass.

Feast of St. Blaise with Blessing of Throats

On Feb. 3rd, the Feast of St. Blaise, we shall have the annual Blessing of Throats, at the 7:00 AM Mass.

Our Lady of Lourdes

Pope John Paul II designated February 11 as Word Day of the Sick, "a special time of prayer and sharing, of offering one's suffering for the good of the Church and of reminding us to see in our sick brother and sister the face of Christ who, by suffering, dying and rising, achieved the salvation of humankind." (*Letter Instituting the World Day of the Sick, May 13, 1992*) In honor of Our Lady of Lourdes and in celebration of World Day of the Sick, **the Sacrament of Anointing and Healing** will be administered on **Thursday, February 11 at 7:00 AM and 7:00 PM**. The anointing is for those who are ill, facing surgery, going to war and/or are 70 years of age or older.

Valentine's Day Blessing

There will be a blessing for all couples at the weekend Masses on February 13th and 14th.

Knights of Columbus Membership Campaign

On February 6th and 7th, the Knights of Columbus will be visiting Our Lady of Sorrows Parish to recruit new members to re-invigorate Our Lady of Sorrows Council 6302. Members will be available after all Masses to speak to anyone interested in obtaining more information about the Order and joining the Knights.

St. Francis School Open House

A Catholic School for young women and men

Sunday, January 31, 2010

1:00 PM—3:00 PM

Now accepting applications for the
2010-2011 school year

Bishop's Retreat for Men Interested in Priesthood

March 12-14, 2010

Camp Erdman

For more info call the Vocation office at 585-3343