

January 3, 2010



Coffee and Donuts

This morning in the parish hall after the 7:30 & 9:00 Masses.

Christmas Donations in the Parish

The extraordinary generosity of all who contributed to the parish for Christmas is greatly appreciated. A total of \$40,658.00 was contributed. This is amazing in these tough economic times. In addition, parishioners also contributed \$1,315.00 for the purchase of the plants, trees, and wreaths that decorate the church. Thanks! All those in whose memory or honor the donations were made are being remembered at all the Masses in the parish during the Christmas season.

Offertory Envelopes for 2010

Those who have not picked up their envelopes for the New Year can pick them up today. They are set out in alphabetical order on a table at the back of the church. We thank all who are using this method to financially support the church.

January Wedding Anniversaries

Couples celebrating wedding anniversaries this month are invited to the 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, January 24th for a special blessing. Call the parish office during week and leave your names and the number of years married.

We pray for those who are sick: Margie Heil, Bud Maccario, Al Maggi, Virginia Wilburn, Henry Matte-ri, Laurie Maguire, Delores Abel, and Elodia Uresti.

We pray for those who have died: Gerry Shaughnessy (father of Kathy Negri), Mary Christine Trimble, Fred Oberti

Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon.	7:30 am	John La Forge
	12:10 pm	Julie Maggi+
Tue.	7:30 am	Dewey & Irene Baldocchi+
	12:10 pm	Mary Halverson+
Wed.	7:30 am	Roger O'Connor+
	12:10 pm	Mary Alice Swenson McCarthy+
Thu.	7:30 am	Martin Tandecke
	12:10pm	Ordie Gabriel+
Fri.	7:30 am	Mary Christine Trimble+
	12:10 pm	Doris Smith+
Sat.	8:00 am	Teresa Pina Shambre+

December 27th Collection

208	Sunday Envelopes	\$4,475.00
60	DirectCheck	\$1,636.00
	Loose (checks & cash)	\$3,022.00
	Total	\$9,133.00
	Shortfall	-\$1,982.00
	Maintenance	\$ 3,022.00

Community Events

Rachel's Vineyard: Healing the Pain of Abortion January 15-17 in Santa Rosa

This weekend will help you experience the mercy and compassion of God and transform the pain of the past into hope, joy and love. For confidential inquiries call 967-1101, email rachelsvineyard@gmail.com. Visit www.rachelsvineyard.org.

Spiritual Enrichment Center

Sponsoring a lecture by Dr. Darleen Pryds at St. Eugene Parish Life Center on Saturday, January 9th from 9:00 a.m.-noon. Her topic, *Christian Living in our World today*, is relevant and timely as we begin the new year. The suggested donation is \$25.00. St. Rose parishioners are encouraged to avail of this adult education in the faith experience. For more information, or to register, call the Spiritual Enrichment Center at 546-1781.

Natural Family Planning

Join other married and engaged couples on January 9 for a class in Natural Family Planning. Register at www.ccli.org or call 538-3635 for more information.

Busy Persons Retreat

Beginning January 16 and continuing on the third Saturday of each month through June, a retreat experience will take place at the Christian Brothers Mont La Salle Novitiate (off Highway 29 on Redwood Road in Napa) from 9:00 a.m. until noon. The Retreat Director is Brother Richard Moratto, FSC. Each retreat includes Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, communal and personal prayer and discussion. Refreshments available throughout the morning. A great way to start the New Year. All are welcome For additional information call 252-3795.

Sonoma Co. Pro Life 2010 Rally of Life

Your presence at this year's Rally for Life is vital. Rally is on Sunday, January 24th at 2:00 pm at the Veterans Memorial Building, Santa Rosa. Special guest speaker is Dr. Clenard Childress, Pastor.

Mark the Date

The annual Adult Faith Formation day hosted by the Diocesan Department of Religious Education will take place on Saturday, February 6th at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parish in Rohnert Park. This year's *Dia de Luz/Day of Light* will focus on *Christ is Life*. More information will be published over the next couple of weeks. St. Rose parishioners are encouraged to avail of this adult education experience. Call 566-3366 for brochures or check the diocesan website: dre@srdiocese.org.