

March 7, 2010

Parish Maintenance Collection Today

The generous support of the parishioners who continue to give to these special collections is appreciated. All the money stays in the parish and is used to do repairs and improvements to the parish plant.

Annual Ministries Appeal In-pew

A total of \$19,069.00 was pledged, donated and contributed at the English and Spanish Masses last weekend. This includes \$12,050.00 from 55 new pledges, \$4,764.00 from 135 one-time donations and \$2,255.00 in cash donations. This total added to the \$24,345.00 that was already pledged brings us to \$43,414.00. We are only \$8,836.00 short of the parish target of \$52,248.00. The participation and generosity of all who have responded is greatly appreciated. Additional new pledges or donations will be gratefully received. Special envelopes for this are in the church wall pockets or you may have received one in the diocesan mailing with the Appeal materials.

Preparation Masses for First Holy Communion

We welcome again the children preparing for First Holy Communion to the 9:00 a.m. Mass today. This is the last of three Masses in preparation for their First Holy Communion the weekend of April 17/18. This week they are learning that the Mass is about "Giving Thanks to God".

March Wedding Anniversary Blessing

Couples who are celebrating wedding anniversaries this month are invited to the 11:00 a.m. Mass next Sunday, March 14th for a special blessing. Please call the rectory this week and leave your names and the number of years you are married.

Educating Adults in their Catholic Faith

Come to the hall next Sunday, March 14th from 9:30-10:45 a.m. and listen to Geoff Wood talk about the writings of St. Luke from his Gospel and The Acts of the Apostles. Everyone is welcome. Geoff is the author of the weekly reflection on the Sunday Gospels that you will find in the wall pockets at the church exits. For more information contact Ann McGee at 542-6448.

Lent at St. Rose

Daily Masses:

Monday-Friday: 7:30 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

Stations of the Cross:

English: Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Spanish: Friday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Lent is a special time to celebrate the sacrament in preparation for Easter. The scheduled time is every Saturday from 4:00-5:15 p.m. Two Penance Services are scheduled for Friday, March 26th at 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. These are the last scheduled times

before Easter. Individual appointments with the priests can be scheduled at other times. To do this call the parish office.

Stations of the Cross

The Stations this Tuesday in the church at 7:00 p.m. will be presented by the young people in the Parish Youth Ministry. Families with children of this age are especially invited and encouraged to attend.

Holy Water Fonts stay empty during Lent

They will remain empty until we can fill them with the Easter water that will be blessed at the Easter Vigil. This is to highlight the connection of holy water to the waters of Baptism and the Renewal of Baptism promises on Easter Sunday.

We pray for those who are sick: Donna Aruda, Marsha Stewart-Wilson, Delores Ingemansson, Roseanne O'Rourke, Msgr. Tom Keys, Julia Fadem, Alan Watson, Ellen Schoppe, Suze Giraldi, Margie Heil, Bud Maccario, Al Maggi, Virginia Wilburn, Henry Matteri, Laurie Maguire, and Delores Abel.

We pray for those who have died: Dr. Bill Finnegan, Joseph Scerna Sr., and Veronica Sherlock.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon.	7:30 am	Donna Aruda
	12:10 pm	Wally Long
Tue.	7:30 am	St. Rose Parishioners
	12:10 pm	Frances Roy+
Wed.	7:30 am	Roger O'Connor+
	12:10 pm	Msgr. Tom Keys
Thu.	7:30 am	Roseanne O'Rourke
	12:10pm	Virginia Sherlock+
Fri.	7:30 am	Jan Ostheimer+
	12:10 pm	Hortense Bugbee+
Sat.	8:00 am	Brenda Pena+

February 28th Collection

275	Sunday Envelopes	\$5,465.00
60	DirectCheck	\$1,669.00
	Loose (checks & cash)	\$3,143.00
	Total	\$10,277.00

Shortfall **-\$838.00**

Santa Rosa Diocesan Pastoral Council

8th Annual Plenary Session

"Energizing the Laity"

Bishop Daniel Walsh: *Prayer Service & "Message to DPC"*

Deacon John Norris: "ENERGIZING THE LAITY"

DPC Representative Brian Connolly:

"COMMUNICATIONS TASK FORCE"

All Present: "VIEWS & DISCUSSION"

WELCOME - LAITY, RELIGIOUS, CLERGY

St Mary of the Angels Church, Ukiah - March 20, 2010, 8:00AM-3:15PM

Complimentary Registration - Continental Breakfast - Buffet Lunch

See Complete Program on santarosadpc.com

Register Today! Yvette Fallandy, yvf@sonic.net or phone (707) 546-9666