



Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 21, 2009

Whoever is in Christ is a new creation.

— 2 Corinthians 5:17



Two explorers were on a jungle safari when suddenly a ferocious lion jumped in front of them. "Keep calm" the first explorer whispered. "Remember what we read in that book on wild animals? If you

stand perfectly still and look the lion in the eye, he will turn and run." "Sure," replied his companion. "You've read the book, and I've read the book. But has the lion read the book?"

Fear is no stranger to any of us. It comes to all of us in many shapes and sizes. It has the power to rob us of the best parts of our life, the power to steal whole days, weeks, and years from us, and to lock us up behind dark walls. Fear has the power to rob us of life. We can flitter away time in worry and fear.

Jesus Christ wants to set us free from fear. He has called us to live life to the full. He does not want us to live a life maimed and stunted with fear. He tells each of us; "Don't be afraid". You might think it was easy for Jesus to be so confident because he has the power to quell storms. That is true; he stilled the waves of the sea. But think of the time when we find Jesus powerless and in fear, alone in the garden of betrayal. In that moment like every other moment in his life he turns in trust to God our Father. Jesus knows what fear is because he has experienced it himself. That moment of agony in the garden did not stunt his life but deepened his trust. He believed that all would be well. He trusted, and in his trust gave us life. The question of the apostles, ("Teacher don't you care...?") challenges us to examine our view of God and our assumptions about his presence in a seemingly chaotic world.

SUPPORT FOR SENIORS

Is there a senior in your life whose safety and care need monitoring? Licensed therapists, social workers, registered nurses 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.

-Catholic Charities

A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY FOR MARRIED COUPLES!

Attend a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** but still be home at night. Space is limited for this special non-residential weekend. If you want to rediscover the glow you had as newlyweds, call Paul & Yvonne at 650-366-7093 to reserve your place right away! 2009 SF-WWME Weekends: July 17-19, Pacifica (non-residential); November 6-8, San Mateo (residential). Website: sf.lovemoredeeply.org

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT ST. DUNSTAN PARISH....

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| Tuesday, June 23 | Novena in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament after the 8 am Mass |
| Thursday, June 24 | Bible Study at 10 am in the Convent
Prayer group meets at Mary mount Green Hills at 7:30 pm |
| Saturday, June 27 | Retrouvaille meets in the convent |
| Monday thru Saturday | Morning Prayer in the church at 7:15 am |
| Monday thru Friday | Rosary recited in the church at 7:40 am |

17th Annual International Marian Conference

July 3-5, 2009 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel Conference Center of Foster City, 1221 Chess Drive, Foster City, CA 94044

Theme: **"Mary Mother of Christ"**

- Seven International Speakers
- Eucharistic & Charismatic Devotions
- Youth & Children's Programs
- Healing Service

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ST. DUNSTAN GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP – NOW IN ITS 4th SUCCESSFUL YEAR

If you or someone you know is struggling with the loss of a loved one, please join the St. Dunstan Grief Support Group for ongoing sessions to help process your grief and loss issues. For more information please call Barbara Cappel, L.C.S.W. at 692-7543 or Carol Hensley at 692-1488.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS: Those who wish to attend the Baptism Preparation Class should call the rectory well in advance to register. Classes are held on the 1st Saturday of the month at 10:30 am and the 3rd Monday of the month at 7:30 pm in the convent, 1111 Magnolia Avenue.

Parishioners, as a courtesy to others, please silence your cell phones during all Masses. Your cooperation is appreciated.





Happy Father's Day to all fathers in the parish.

Fathers everywhere,
We honor you and wish to say
May God's blessings be with you
In a special way today!

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Are you interested in learning more about the beliefs and practices of the Catholic Church? Are you baptized but never received First Communion? Never were Confirmed? If you answered yes to any of the above questions, our RCIA process can be of help to you. RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation Adults. It is a process designed to meet the needs of adults who are considering joining the Church or who wish to receive the sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation). For more information regarding our Inquiry Sessions, call the rectory at 697-4730. **Classes begin in September at the rectory.**

HELP RECYCLE: The St. Vincent de Paul Society has started a program to recycle small appliances; stereos, speakers, computers, monitors, printers, TV's DVD's VCR's, microwaves, small kitchen appliances, etc., whether they are working or not. Do something good for the environment and save yourself the cost of paying dumping fees. Items can be brought to stores conveniently located in Daly City, SSF, San Mateo, Redwood City, or call 871-6844 for pick-up. All proceeds from the recycling program benefit the needy in San Mateo County.

St. Dunstan Youth Group is looking for choir members! If you are interested in singing with other high school students at the Youth Mass, the first Sunday of each month, please contact Aly Garcia @ 692-4872 or stdunstanyouth@att.net. **All Confirmed Catholic high school students** are invited to join our Youth leadership team. Meet new people, have fun, and gain leadership skills. Contact Aly Garcia.

HELP ST. DUNSTAN SCHOOL BY SIGNING UP FOR ESCRIP TODAY!

Join the original and largest electronic fundraising program where participating merchants contribute each time you make a purchase using your free grocery loyalty or debit/credit cards that are registered with eScrip. There are no receipts to collect, no vouchers or certificates to buy, no hassles for you, and every purchase counts. Call the school office at 697-8119 for more information.

Need a copy of the Sunday bulletin or of a particular schedule, church and parish information? Please visit the St. Dunstan Parish website at www.saintdunstanchurch.org.

If any of your loved ones have been hospitalized, we ask that you please call the rectory to let the priests of the parish know so that they are able to visit them. The hospitals do not inform us when one of our parishioners has been admitted, so it is up to their family members to let us know. Thanks for your help!



Last weekend's
Regular Collection:
\$5,682.00

This weekend's Second Collection is for the Parish Maintenance & Development Fund

Next weekend's Second Collection will be for our Holy Father's Peter's Pence Collection

Thank you for all your support!

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Father's Day; Summer begins
Monday: St. Paulinus of Nola;
St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More
Wednesday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
Saturday: St. Cyril of Alexandria;
Blessed Virgin Mary

Many thanks to those who served as Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers this weekend:

Sat. June 20

5:00 PM Lector: J Ryan

Eucharistic Ministers: R Attard, N Holoher, F Axiaq, E Danli, J&L Clothakis

Altar Servers: Rossi, Totah, Totah, Antunez

Sun. June 21

7:00 AM Lector: B. Penner

Eucharistic Ministers: S Nussbaum, M Hutchings, S Bosso

Altar Servers: Salameh, Uchi-Tabaloc, Valdez, Bertin

8:30 AM Lector: E Linak

Eucharistic Ministers: D&S CApodanno, J Lilles, M Ocafrain, M Anderegg, D Magsaysay

Altar Servers: Salem, Solano, Yip, Celio

10:00 AM Lector: J Sigona

Eucharistic Ministers: F Sigona, P Maloney, M&L Kelly, G Maldonado, L Borromeo

Altar Servers: Salinda, Sosa, Alaraj, Cabarse

11:30 AM Lector: T Dizon

Eucharistic Ministers: J Roensch, R Barrera, T Restrivera, B Tiamson, C Cannizzaro, B Santos

Altar Servers: Barrera, Restrivera, Chavez, Chavez

5:00 PM Lector: P McLaughlin

Eucharistic Ministers: M McLaughlin, J&G Ledbetter, B Cappel, H Santana, F Gutierrez

Altar Servers: Sheker, Sheker, Capitolo, Abello

Special thanks to all of our ushers for their dedicated service at our weekend Masses.

Mass Intentions for the Week***June 21 - June 27, 2009***

<u>Sunday</u>	7:00 am	For Parish
	8:30 am	Frank Agius
	10:00 am	Bertu "Bart" Chetcuti
	11:30 am	Salvatore & Anthony Alioto
	5:00 pm	Dylan Cappel
<u>Monday</u>	6:30 am	Felix Laxamana
	8:00 am	Fran & Joe Sigona (living)
	5:10 pm	Kelli Raffanti
<u>Tuesday</u>	6:30 am	Frances Synder (living)
	8:00 am	Lorna Dankwerth
	5:10 pm	Sebastiano Lima
<u>Wednesday</u>	6:30 am	Domenica Rossi (living)
	8:00 am	Roseann Marchionna
	5:10 pm	Selena, Aldo & Corrado Lorenzoni
<u>Thursday</u>	6:30 am	Charlene Spediacci (living)
	8:00 am	William Strambi
	5:10pm	Michael Monteroso
<u>Friday</u>	6:30 am	Chris Bantug
	8:00 am	Paul Priolo
	5:10 pm	Laura Dahler Pavloff (living)
<u>Saturday</u>	8:00 am	Antonia Caputo
	5:00 pm	Jasper & Eileen Starkie

We pray for the sick members of our parish family and for those who care for them: Madison Kitz, Lisa Kitz, William Dill, Ted & Eileen Damian, Pat Saracini, Bill Barca, Helen & Vicky Noceti, Irene Thommen, Kyong Cruz, Ciera Whipple, Dorothy Rives, Elsie Noceti, Steve Bacho, Mary Farr, Barbara Modica, Karen Shirley, Jose Conrado Vasquez, Lucy Garcia, Frances Snyder, Jack & Rene Sagrafena, Mrs. Larry Duggins, Antoinette Ramos, Joe Hamilton, Pauline & Joseph Burgio, Noralee Gelhaar, Geraldine Feehan, Martin Hidalgo, Norman Roos, Lyle Dibbs, Gloria Giannini, Maxine Coutts, Anna Mae Stewart, Jonathan Cerezo, Nick Cannuli, Kathy Montiel, The Yakaitis Family, Susan Silvera-Dunn, George Rodriguez Jr, Nafal Jweinat, Michael Coffaro, Diedra Bradshaw, Irma Sweeny, Charlene Spediacci, Esther Litton, Jan Diamond, Viola Burdick, Ronald Reyes, Josephine Muscat, Patricia O'Neill, Virginia Ryan Rogers, Michael Wisherop, Helen Maternia, Elsie Clark, Bernice Malloy, Wayne Devora, Beverly Buhs, Rita Gilmore, Marisa Hosea, Judy Marks, Rita Bartolo, Gerda Altherr, Stephen Petinak, Richard Castro, Donald Clancy, Dan Bray, Rene Tiamson, Dondon Pasco, Dotty Mandiloff, Robert Weldon, Joseph Conrad Rodriguez, Raymond Reudy, Mona Pasco, Rick Trecartin, Mike Casella, Fr Bruce Dreier, John Costa, Gene, Rita & Roberta Berry, Sr. Theresa Antoinette, Rachel Sanchez, Sue Furrer, Emily Marshall, Mrs Nancy Starrh, Kathy Perl, Susan Negueloua, Kevin Maloney, Domenica Rossi, Alma Cozzolino, Arceli Perez, Erika Kiel, Christopher Beloy, Harry Aubright, Joseph Caruana & Michael Murray **We pray for the deceased members of our parish family:** Frank Mirabella