

SAINT DUNSTAN PARISH

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MASSES:

Weekdays: 6:30, 8:00 a.m. & 5:10 p.m.

Saturdays: 8:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m. (for Sunday)

Sundays: 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 a.m., & 5p.m.

Eve of Holy Days: 5:10 p.m. Vigil

Holy Days: 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.,

5:10 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 8:30-9 a.m. & 3:30-4:50 p.m.

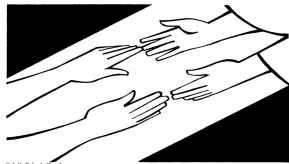
BAPTISM: Sundays at 12:30 pm preceded by instruction for the parents and godparents. Please call the rectory to register for classes.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements for the marriage preparation program must be made at least six months prior to the date of marriage. Call the Rectory for an appointment.

ANOINTING THE SICK: Call the rectory when you know of anyone who is ill at home, in the hospital, scheduled for surgery or homebound.

DEVOTIONS: Morning Prayer Monday through Saturday at 7:15 am. The Rosary will be recited in the church Monday through Friday at 7:40 am. The novena in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help is held every Tuesday morning after the 8:00 am Mass, followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, First Friday devotions include a Holy Hour from 4:00 - 5:00 pm, followed by Mass. First Saturday devotions as requested by Our Lady of Fatima, are held in the church from 7:00 - 8:00 am followed by Mass. Come and let our parish pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

REGISTRATION IN THE PARISH: Our warmest welcome



Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 23, 2009

As for me and my household, we will serve the LORD. — *Joshua 24:15b*



Dear Parishioners,

I have survived my first week as pastor of St. Dunstan parish. The cold wind from the fog was new to me, but your warm welcome made up for all that. Thank you. Here is some information about me.

I was born in Co.Cork, Ireland 1943. I was ordained priest in 1969 and in 1970 I was sent to Kenya, East Africa. I attended a language school in Nairobi and tried to learn Swahili. My first appointment was to a parish among the Giriama people. It was located 30 miles from Mombasa. The Mission there had been opened in 1904. The British colonial power allocated 1,000 acres to the Mission. Typical of most missions a Grade school and a High School was developed. Also a medical clinic. Very early in its history ex-slaves who did not want to return to their homes were allowed to settle there. This created problems. They were looked down on by the outsiders. The schools and the medical center were very popular. Conversions and Baptisms were very slow. Polygamy was the main obstacle.

I worked there for nine years, most of my work was of a social service nature. Bringing pregnant mothers to the hospital ; delivering famine relief to drought areas; encouraging people to build schools. I developed a small village polytechnic—teaching carpentry, tailoring. We even had a typing class. They could not speak English., but they could type it. Some of them got a job from that. When I was transferred after nine years they made me an Elder of the Giriama tribe. I had a great time. There was great work done in that areas by Peace Corp volunteers.

I will continue this next week.

Fr. Diarmuid Casey

The annual St. Dunstan Men's Retreat is scheduled for Sept. 18-20, 2009, at The Jesuit Retreat Center of Los Altos. This year's retreat is entitled "Echoes of Vatican II" and will be directed by Fr. Joseph Fice, S.J. The cost is \$225 per person. For more information, contact Dan Capodanno at 650/588-0324 .

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION PROGRAM TINY EMBRYO'S HEART BEGINS TO BEAT

Conception takes place when a sperm joins with an ovum to form one cell. The cell contains the genetic makeup for every detail about the new human -- it's sex, hair color, height, skin tone, etc. More than 500 cells will be present when the tiny embryo reaches the womb 7 to 10 days after fertilization. By day 21 his heart will begin to beat. Muscles are forming and arms, legs & eyes will begin to show. Please pray for the safety of your spiritually adopted unborn child. May his/her mother choose life (not abortion) for the new human being developing in her womb.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

- Tuesday, August 25** **Novena** in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament after the 8 am Mass
First Day of School of the 2009–2010 school year. Welcome back!
- Thursday, August 27** **No Bible Study** this week
Prayer group meets at Mary mount Green Hills at 7:30 pm
- Monday thru Saturday** Morning Prayer in the church at 7:15 am
- Monday thru Friday** Rosary recited in the church at 7:40 am

From the Office of Religious Education and Youth Ministry

We are looking for volunteers to join our team in the rewarding ministry of working with the children in our parish. If you have been thinking of becoming more involved in a church ministry--please consider volunteering in our Religious Education Program.

We need catechists, classroom aides and office support. Our classes are held on Tuesday afternoon's from 3:45-5:00 p.m. and will begin in September. Training is available for all individuals wishing to teach as well as materials that explain the textbooks and lesson plans. The St. Dunstan School of Religious Education is an important part of the St. Dunstan Parish community. We are dedicated in providing our students with a desire to share in the adventure of faith, learning, liturgy and life. Our programs provide faith formation for children to grow in love, knowledge, appreciation and desire to become active members of the Catholic Church. It is our hope that you will give consideration to the idea of becoming one of our volunteers and share with us your time, talent and your prayers. For more information, please contact the Director of Religious Education--Sheree Leone at (650) 697-7451 or stdunstanccd@att.net. **CCD Registration Packages for the 2009-2010 school year are available.** To request a package, please call the Office of Religious Education at (650) 697-7451 or visit our website at saintdunstanchurch.org and click on the Religious Education (CCD) link to download registration materials and information about our program.

Next weekend, August 29 & 30, members of the **St. Vincent de Paul Society** will be stationed at the doors of the church after each Mass, taking up their 5th Sunday Collection. Please give generously. Your donations will help those in need in our parish area.

TV FOCUS ON CHURCHES OF ROME, MEDIA

Special programs on EWTN include "Pilgrim Churches of Rome" an engaging tour of seven historic churches frequented by pilgrims for centuries. It airs August 23 at 7 pm & August 25 at 11 am (1hr).

Also, media veteran Teresa Tomeo will host "Noise" a five part series about the media from a Catholic perspective. The series airs August 24-28 on Comcast Ch 229, AT&T Ch 652, Astound Ch 80, San Bruno Cable Ch 143, DISH Satellite Ch 261 and Direct TV Ch 370.

September is recruitment month for the St. Mary's Cathedral Choir of Boys and Girls. The choir is free of charge and open to boys or girls in grades 3 through 8. Prior experience is not necessary. Rehearsals will be held on Tuesdays from 4:00 to 5:30 pm at the Cathedral, where the choir also sings about twice a month for Masses and various special events. For more information or to set up an audition, please call Dr. Christoph Tietze at 415-567-2020 ext. 213 or send an email to tietze@stmarycathedralsf.org.

ST. DUNSTAN GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP - NOW IN ITS 6th 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.



*John & Lee Clothakis
celebrated their 55th
wedding anniversary on
August 21st!*

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.**



**Last weekend's
Regular Collection:**
\$6,317.00

Last Weekend's Second Parish Maintenance &
Development Fund Collection: \$2,279.00

Thank you for all your support!

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Bartholomew
Tuesday: St. Louis of France; St. Joseph
Calasanz
Thursday: St. Monica
Friday: St. Augustine
Saturday: The Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist

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.

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

Sat. August 22

5:00 PM Lector: *L. Clothakis*

Eucharistic Ministers: J Clothakis, R Attard, C Orfino, J Ryan

Altar Servers: Peralta, Alvarado, Salinda

Sun. August 23

7:00 AM Lector: *R. Flahavan*

Eucharistic Ministers: B Penner, M Hutchings, M Wyman

Altar Servers: Sosa, DeGuzman, Quilici

8:30 AM Lector: *D. Capodanno*

Eucharistic Ministers: S Capodanno, L Bates, S Jajeh, M Andereg

Altar Servers: Solano, Celio, Uchi-Tabaloc

10:00 AM Lector: *P. Maloney*

Eucharistic Ministers K whitfield, R Garrison, J&F Siona

Altar Servers: Whitfield, Ching, Chan

11:30 AM Lector: *P. Hain*

Eucharistic Ministers: R Barrera, M Rogers, B&C Martin

Altar Servers: Hain, Casco, Casco

5:00 PM Lector: *P McLaughlin*

Eucharistic Ministers: M McLaughlin, F Gutierrez, H Santana, F Gutierrez, K Phelps

Altar Servers: Abello, Cabarse, Doyle

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

Mass Intentions for the Week*August 23 - August 29, 2009*

<u>Sunday</u>	7:00 am	For Parish
	8:30 am	Maurice Frank (living)
	10:00 am	Gene Franz & Family (liv/dec)
	11:30 am	Paul Tsih
	5:00 pm	Estela C. Teotico
<u>Monday</u>	6:30 am	Shirley Flick
	8:00 am	Ann Byrne
	5:10 pm	Lillian Finocchio
<u>Tuesday</u>	6:30 am	Intentions of the Jim Gillis Fam.
	8:00 am	Charles & Josephine Sherry
	5:10 pm	Jacqueline O'Shea
<u>Wednesday</u>	6:30 am	Intentions of 6:30 am mass attendees
	8:00 am	Deceased friends & relatives of Al Jacinto
	5:10 pm	Tom Carolan
<u>Thursday</u>	6:30 am	Marcella Mahoney
	8:00 am	Lorna Dankwerth
	5:10pm	Cadone & Ghiazza Family
<u>Friday</u>	6:30 am	Millie Wilson
	8:00 am	Joe & Mary Spiteri (living)
	5:10 pm	Michael Monteroso
<u>Saturday</u>	8:00 am	Paul Butch Davis
	5:00 pm	Pedro Iturburua

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, Kyong Cruz, Ciera Whipple, Dorothy Rives, Elsie Noceti, Steve Bacho, Mary Farr, Karen Shirley, Jose Conrado Vasquez, Lucy Garcia, Frances Snyder, Jack & Rene Sagrafena, Mrs. Larry Duggins, Antoinette Ramos, Joe Hamilton, Pauline & Joseph Burgio, Noralee Gelhaar, Martin Hidalgo, Gloria Giannini, Maxine Coutts, Anna Mae Stewart, Jonathan Cerezo, Nick Cannuli, Kathy Montiel, 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, Bernice Malloy, Wayne Devora, Beverly Buhs, Rita Gilmore, Judy Marks, Rita Bartolo, Gerda Altherr, Stephen Petinak, Richard Castro, Donald Clancy, Rene Tiamson, Dondon Pasco, Doty Mandiloff, Robert Weldon, Joseph Conrad Rodriguez, Raymond Reudy, Mona Pasco, Rick Trecartin, Mike Casella, John Costa, 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, Harry Aubright, Joseph Caruana, & Michael Murray, **We pray for the deceased members of our parish family: Rose Quinn and Giulio Sodini**