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Dear Friends!

It's hard to believe that summer is more than half way over! The new school year will be here before you know it.

So as a reminder, please, **THIS IS THE TIME to get people registered for RCIA and for CCD.** We do not want to wait and we do not want to miss people or have them come late after having missed the beginning sessions which are often some of the most important.

CCD starts Wednesday, August 17, at 6PM. It meets every Wednesday when public school here is in session. We now have a pre-K section and so children ages 3 and 4 can come too on Wednesday night.

RCIA (which is for all adults lacking one or more of their sacraments) starts Monday, August 22 and will meet on Monday evenings at 7PM.

And a new and wonderful thing this year: we will be having class also for adults and all the parents on Wednesday nights. Just as there is something great here on Wednesday night for children there will be something great for adults as well while CCD is going on. The adult session will be in the church every Wednesday from 6:30-7:20PM. Attendance will be taken for all those who have children in the CCD, just like it is taken for the kids.

All are welcome, however, and encouraged to come--not just those who have children in CCD. Do not miss this opportunity to really learn your faith. All materials will be provided, you need to only show up.

Parents are the primary educators of their children. This is a VERY IMPORTANT AND CRUCIAL aspect of parish ministry, namely equipping adults to really know and be able to defend and pass on their faith.

More on this in the weeks to come. But for now, know that there is something great happening here, something to look forward to.

It's not enough to have for our children only, with them showing up here once a week and not having anything reinforced in their homes. What good is that?

It's probably the single best thing we could do for our children (our future, and our greatest treasure), namely, having their parents, grandparents, and guardians be renewed in their understanding of the faith so that the home can become more and more the primary place where the faith is learned and practiced.

God bless you all and have a great week! Get at least one person signed up for RCIA, that's your homework assignment.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Simon



After the 10:30am every Sunday in the month July. Additional dates and times are as follows:

- Wednesday, July 20th from—11:30am—
1:30pm
- Wednesday, July 27th from—4:00 pm—
6:00pm

Adult Bible Study AM session

Every Wednesday morning, starts at 9AM sharp. We are doing the great Bible Timeline, a journey through the whole Bible. Please come join us in this awesome journey! This is an incredible way to grow in your faith and to learn about the whole Bible. Please do not miss this opportunity! Everyone is welcome

Adult Bible Study PM session

Every Wednesday evening at 6:00PM sharp located in the school building, come and learn more about our Catholic faith and the Bible. All are welcome! The Bible study is the same as in the morning, but allowing those who work or have school to come. Hopefully one of the times (either 9AM or 6PM) works!

Catholic Women's Bible Study**with play group for kids too!**

Meets every Tuesday morning at 9:30 am. Call Maria Northcutt at (575) 309-2353 or Rosa Bouchard at (575) 762-2336 for more information at (240) 401-8236.

We would like to thank Keelin Cromar for getting this started. You have been a blessing to our parish community. God bless you and your family in your new adventure!

**CCD EARLY REGISTRATION****REGISTER EARLY !!!!!**

Please take the opportunity to register for CCD, RCIA, Confirmation and Youth Group. Lora Rodriguez, our Director of Religious Education will be taking registrations in the school building after the 10:30am every Sunday in the month July. Additional dates and times are as follows:

- Wednesday, July 20th from—11:30am—1:30pm
- Wednesday, July 27th from—4:00 pm—6:00pm

Please bring a copy of their Baptismal and First Holy Communion Certificates if you did not bring them last year. The cost will be \$25 per family.

If you have any questions, you may contact Lora Rodriguez at (575) 309-8130.

**We are in need of volunteers to help!**

Distribution is held every Saturday of the month. Anyone interested in volunteering, please come at 8:30 am! This is a truly beautiful ministry living the Gospel and really helping many in need here in our community.

If you are interested, please call Rosie Buchan at (575) 309-5040 so she can give you further information and to inform you of a time to meet to help prepare for our distribution, or call the parish office and leave your name and phone number so that we may contact you.

Our next distribution will be—July 16, 2016.**The Food Pantry is in need of the following items:**

Canned Vegetables,

Canned Meats,

Canned Fruit,

Cereal,

Adult Toothbrushes,

and Lunchbox Snacks

Any help will be greatly appreciated. You can place items in the baskets in the back of the church or bring them into the parish office. Thank you and may God Bless you.



Early registration is taking place for Apologetics. This class is for young adults who have made their Confirmation and is also open to all adults who want to learn more about our Catholic faith. Please follow CCD early registration times and dates.



RCIA REGISTRATION

Have you been Baptized? Have you made your First Holy Communion? Have you made your Confirmation? Are you thinking of becoming Catholic? This is the time where you can complete your sacraments or learn more about our Catholic faith. Classes are beginning soon so register early. Registration will be taking place **after the 10:30am Mass every Sunday in July in the school building**. Please follow CCD early Registration schedule for additional dates and times. If you have any questions, please call Lora Rodriguez at (575) 309-8130.

Sacrosanctum Concilium



Seminarian Tim Meurer will be offering a class this **Wednesday, July 20th at 7:00** in the school. The class will be on *Sacrosanctum Concilium*, a document from the Second Vatican Council about liturgical celebration. If you have ever wondered what Vatican II actually said about celebrating the Mass, praying the Liturgy of the Hours, sacred music, and more, this is the class for you!



SATURDAY July 16, 2016

5:30 P.M. † Jose H. Chavez

SUNDAY July 17, 2016

8:30 A.M. For the people of the parish

10:30 A.M. † Anna Nguyen Thi Cuong
† Anna Tran Thi Huong

MONDAY July 18, 2016

5:30 P.M. † Delfino, † Frances, and † Tan Encinias

TUESDAY July 19, 2016

7:00 A.M. † Emelie Silva

WED July 20, 2016

12:10 P.M. † George Roger Barnard

THURSDAY July 21, 2016

7:00 A.M. † Joseph & † Beatrice Sandoval

FRIDAY July 22, 2016

5:30 P.M. † John & † Jennie Bojorquez

SATURDAY July 23, 2016

5:30 P.M. For the people of the parish

SUNDAY July 17, 2016

8:30 A.M. † Allen Jesko

10:30 A.M. Benny Sena (Health)

Youth Group/Confirmation Volunteers

If you are interested in volunteering for Youth Group/Confirmation, whether it would be teaching or being a teacher's aide, or even helping in the kitchen....

There will be a meeting on July 19th at 6:30pm in the school building.

Please help make a difference in showing our youth God's love.

MINISTERS – SATURDAY – July 23, 2016**SACRISTANS**

5:30 P.M. Katie Haynes– Burns

ALTAR SERVERS5:30 P.M. Jodyn Everett
Ryan Rowley
Jacob Rowley**LECTORS**5:30 P.M. Ed Gomez
Augustine Martinez**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**5:30 P.M. R-Stephen Haynes*
R-Mario Trujillo
L-Vivian Trujillo
L-Julie Wilhelm**MINISTERS – SUNDAY – July 24, 2016****SACRISTANS**

8:30 A.M. Mike & Anna Nagro

10:30 A.M. Carlos & Dora Rivero

ALTAR SERVERS8:30 A.M. I—David Garcia
Jovan Garcia
Victoria Gutierrez
Jacob Gutierrez10:30 A.M. Francisco Rodriguez
Jacob Rodriguez
Elijah Rodriguez**LECTORS**8:30 A.M. NadiaTeale
Barbara Anaya10:30 A.M. Diana Moya
Ricky Sisneros**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**8:30 A.M. R-Robert Timmons*
R-Jesse Alvarez
L-Katie Haynes– Burns
L-Lyn Carwile10:30 A.M. R-Carlos Rivero*
R-Dora Rivero
L-Roselia Vicuña
L-Cindi Cantu**CHURCH CLEANING**July 2 – * Anita Fite, Anna Nagro,
Fran Calvert**ALTAR LINENS**

July – Norma Walters

**EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
TO THE HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOMES****July 17, 2016**

Retirement Ranch	Rick Rowley
Clovis Healthcare	Nancy Gilestra
Wheatfield's Community	Marcy Kos
Home Route One	Teresa Weeks
Home Route Two	Marcy Kos

NEXT WEEKS GOSPEL***A Gospel reading according to Luke****Luke 11: 1-13*

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when he had finished,
one of his disciples said to him,
"Lord, teach us to pray just as John taught his disciples."
He said to them, "When you pray, say:
Father, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come.
Give us each day our daily bread
and forgive us our sins
for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us,
and do not subject us to the final test."

And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend
to whom he goes at midnight and says,
'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread,
for a friend of mine has arrived at my house from a journey
and I have nothing to offer him,'
and he says in reply from within,
'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked
and my children and I are already in bed.
I cannot get up to give you anything.'
I tell you,
if he does not get up to give the visitor the loaves
because of their friendship,
he will get up to give him whatever he needs
because of his persistence.

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive;
seek and you will find;
knock and the door will be opened to you.
For everyone who asks, receives;
and the one who seeks, finds;
and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.
What father among you would hand his son a snake
when he asks for a fish?
Or hand him a scorpion when he asks for an egg?
If you then, who are wicked,
know how to give good gifts to your children,
how much more will the Father in heaven
give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?"