Happy Mother's Day

From all the Parish Staff

NEWS UPDATE
MARIAN DEVOTIONS – Wednesday, May 13, 20, 27 at 7:00 pm Rosary with short reflection. (Please note – 6:00-7:00 pm Confessions as usual).

FESTIVAL NEWS – MAY 15, 16, 17 – This is our annual parish fundraiser. Your help and support is necessary to make the Festival successful. A) By purchasing and/or selling all the raffle tickets mailed to you. There are more available at the rectory office. If you did not receive tickets in the mail please pick them up at the rectory office. B) By coming to the festival and spending your money (with joy!) don’t cook that weekend, we have great food and much variety. C) By sponsoring a booth in memory of a loved one, whose name will be posted at the booth of your choice, or if you own a business and would like your business to be advertised. D) By volunteering to help, if possible, before, during or after the festival (contact Linda Montoya at the rectory office). E) By donating food items for the various food booths i.e. Filipino, Mexican, Linguica and Snack Bar. (If you would like to donate to the Filipino Booth please contact Cora Mendoza at (510)781-4938). The Cake Booth is in URGENT need of your baking talent. Please bring your cakes, pies, cupcakes, cookies, brownies at the Festival May 15, 16, & 17. The donation of your delicious goodies will help make our festival even more successful. We are bringing back the Silent Auction. If you have any new or nearly new items that you would like to donate, such as items that you bought or were given and never used, please bring to the rectory office.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER – Married Couples: In the readings we are commanded to love one another. Jesus tells us in the Gospel that through living in love we will have complete joy! Attend a Marriage Encounter to gain the tools to truly love your spouse more and receive the joy that it can bring. Strengthen, renew, and rekindle your marriage sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on May 15-17, August 7-9 or November 20-22. Early registration, 4 to 6 weeks out is highly recommended. For more information contact Ray & Roberta @ 916.806.4601 or Joe & Sue @ 925.680.7767 now or go to oaklandwwme.org

THOUGHTS FOR THE DAY - CHRISTIANITY – My mother was the most beautiful woman I ever saw. All I am I owe to my mother. I attribute all my success in life to the moral, intellectual, and physical education I received from her – George Washington – LITTLE THINGS – Faithfulness in little things is a big thing. – St. John Chrysostom –