

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH

May 30th 2010 The Most Holy Trinity

The mission of St. Thomas Aquinas Parish is to seek the greater honor and glory of God and the salvation of souls by sanctifying, teaching, and shepherding the faithful through orthodoxy.



PASTORS CORNER



My dear family,

A blessed Trinity Sunday to you all!

Tomorrow is **Memorial Day**. In the midst of all of our "start-of-summer" fun, remember the real meaning of the day - to call to mind those who have died in the service of our country, and to pray for the eternal rest of their souls.

May 31st is also the Feast of the Visitation - the day we recall our Lady, pregnant with the Lord, going to visit her cousin, St. Elizabeth, soon to give birth to John the Baptist.

What a nice day to go to Mass! **There will be only one Mass on Memorial Day**, at 9:00 a.m.

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Our dear friend **Msgr. Mukasa** comes this **Wednesday** to be with us for the month of June. This will allow Fr. Mansfield, Fr. De Palma, and me to take a little vacation in June. As always, we welcome Msgr. Mukasa!

Next Sunday is the Feast of Corpus Christi - the day when the whole Church celebrates the Real Presence of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar.

The observance special to this day is the outdoor Procession of the Blessed Sacrament, where we publicly show our faith in the Real Presence and ask the blessing of our Eucharistic Lord on our parish. **The procession will be at 3:00 p.m.**, starting in the Church. **I strongly encourage all of our parishioners to come and take part in this public act of faith in the Real Presence.**

A blessed week,

Msgr. Doug Raun

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1594 Sara Rd. S.E.
(in Panorama Plaza)
Rio Rancho, NM
(505) 892-1511 Fax 891-3044
Church & Mailing Address:
1502 Sara Rd SE,
Rio Rancho,
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Mon-Fri 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.
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OBERAMMERGAU - PASSION PLAY

**GERMANY— AUSTRIA— SWITZERLAND
HEIDELBERG—LUCERNE—SALZBURG
NUREMBURG—MUNICH**

SEPTEMBER 13-25, 2010

**\$4299.00 PER PERSON
DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
FROM ALBUQUERQUE
(INCLUDES AIRPORT TAXES AND TIPS)**

**SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR:
MSGR. DOUGLAS RAUN**

**This play only takes place every 10 years
For more information call the office at 892-1511**

for a six-minute presentation about this play that occurs once every ten years...

Check out this video on YouTube:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B-BPe36YBXM&feature=youtube_gdata

Collection for the Religious Teachers Filippini:

We thank the Parishioners for their overwhelming generosity. May God continue to bless you in many ways.

Gratefully,

Sr. Anne Louise Abascal, MPF-Superior

Sr. Alma Blume, MPF

Sr. Dolores Jensen, MPF

Sr. Roseann Fernández, MPF

**FIRST THURSDAY INDULGENCE
FOR THE YEAR OF PRIESTS**

All of the faithful who attend Mass on the first Thursday of the month (which is the day dedicated to our Lord Jesus Christ, the Eternal High Priest) and who offer up any prayers and whatever good works they do on that day to Jesus Christ for the sanctification of priests, are granted a **PLEN-ERY INDULGENCE**, on the usual conditions of confession (within seven days before or after), communion, and prayers for the Pope.

On every day of the Year Of Priests, the faithful may gain a partial indulgence if the recite five times the Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be, in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, for the sanctification of priests.



FUNERALS

Ronald Lee Hyatt

Please call our Parish Office as soon as possible in order to coordinate liturgical services.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Frances Duran

Symphony Scarlet

Grace Flora Saavedra

Abigail Marie Saavedra

Isabella Lynette Joan Garcia-Gutierrez

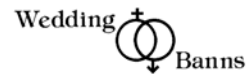


Every Sunday after 12:30 Mass.

Please call our Parish Office.

At St. John Vianney Mission

Every 2nd and 4th Sunday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass



2nd Banns

Hope LoCicero and Austin Lucero

Ronda Gomez and David Fernandez

Michelle Gallegos and Chris Corcoran

Stefani DeMedina and Antonio Saccoccia

3rd Banns

Jodi Cortesi and Alexander Grannan

Please call our Parish Office four months prior to your wedding day to make arrangements and complete the paperwork.

NEW PARISH WEB SITE www.stanm.org

Visit the site and click on Subscriptions to receive the bulletin via e-Mail.

Liturgical Ministry Calendar - May - June
2nd Evening Reflection for EMHC (7:00 p.m. in church)
6th Feast of the Corpus Christi, Solemn Vespers and Outdoor Exposition beginning at 3:00 p.m. @ church.

Next Week's Readings
May 30th - June 6th

- Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15
- Monday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Lk 1:39-56
- Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Mk 12:13-17
- Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Mk 12:18-27
- Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/Mk 12:28-34
- Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17/Mk 12:35-37
- Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8/Mk 12:38-44
- Next Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

TO ALL USHERS

"In view of the busy schedules of all our volunteers, we are going to adjust our meetings to once a quarter vice monthly. Our next meeting for the ushers / hospitality ministers will be on August 19th at 7:00 p.m. I encourage all of you to attend. I thank you for your service to the

"PRO LIFE ROSARY"

Come pray with us for our most vulnerable brothers and sisters, the pre Born sidewalk in front of the Planned Parenthood office in the NW corner of the Target mini mall West of Hwy 528. We always pray the last Saturday of the month from 10:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.

SENIOR EXERCISE

If you would like to do light exercise, come join us at the Religious Ed. Bldg., Room 7, Monday and Thursday 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Men and women welcome. For more information call Betty Larson at 891-3577.

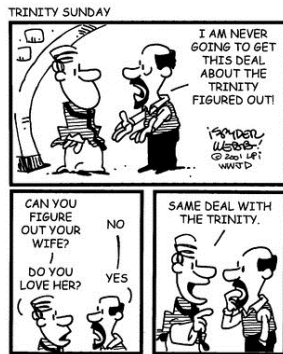
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Your gift to St. Vincent de Paul will help the poor to believe in the mystery of God's love. To find out more about how your St. Vincent de Paul Society helps those in need, plan to attend one of the general meetings, held the first Thursday of each month in the church office building. You would be most welcome. The next general meeting will be held June 3, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. For more information, please call 892-0526.



Trinity

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.



PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION TESTIMONIES

Posted in our Blessings Received Book
Thank-you:

- For** opening my eyes.
- For** being here for me.
- For** remission from cancer.
- For** helping me through my illness.
- For** my husband coming closer to the Lord.
- For** blessing me with wonderful friends and family.
- For** helping me in a great time of need after my mother's death.



Steven Woodbury 892-1511 x105

Steven.Woodbury@stanm.org

ADORATION

Jesus Christ finds means to console a soul that remains with a recollected spirit before the Most Blessed Sacrament, far beyond what the world can do with all its feasts and pastimes. *Saint Alphonsus Liguori*
If you are visiting the chapel and spending time with our Lord, but are not a committed adorer, won't you please consider doing so. By that, I mean, will you please call one of our coordinators and say "yes" to committing yourself to one hour a week with the Most Blessed Sacrament? Committed adorers are the means for a chapel to remain open 24 -7. Visitors can only take advantage of dropping in if devoted adorers are willing to commit. Our numbers are very low, because we have lost so many people to sickness, relocation, or death. We have such a wonderful community of faithful Catholics and the chapel is always busy with people coming and going, but we desperately need your visit to secure each hour is covered. An adorer that signs in lets us know that Jesus is NEVER alone. Please consider this appeal and let your visit each week be your ministry to St. Thomas Aquinas Parish. Thank you and God bless you.
Gay Bitonel, Head Coordinator

Hours needed:

Monday 2:00 a.m. Wednesday 2:00 a.m.
Thursday 2:00 a.m. Friday 2:00 a.m. and 3:00 a.m.
Early morning hours 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. always in need of help.

Perpetual Adoration Contacts

Pauline Salata: (Midnight-6 a.m.) at 892-0524
Louie & Terry Santa Maria: (6-12 p.m.) at 896-0307
e-mail: flagshipsm12659@msn.com
Paul & Anise Yarbrough: (Noon-6 p.m.) at 899-0981
e-mail: yarburro@msn.com
Pat & Jolyn Murphy: (6 p.m.-12 Midnight) at 892-4931 or e-mail: jpmurphrc@msn.com

PILGRIM VIRGIN: To have the Pilgrim Virgin of Fatima in your home, and to receive Her Blessings in your life, call Gerri Hoover 892-0414

Virgin I: - Theresa Martinez - June 1st—15th

Virgin II: - John & Julie Chimento - June 1st—15th

TABERNACLE FLOWERS: May 29th—June 4th , In Celebration of the marriage of Vivianna & Justin Brown by their parents

Please contact Betty Larson at 891-3577 or Elaine Jones at 922 -9758 to reserve a week for your intentions. The weeks run from Saturday through Friday. The cost this cost with another person for both your intentions.

Adoration Chapel Candles:

CULTURE OF LIFE CORNER

As we end this Month dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God and of the Unborn, let us ask her who nurtured and helped Jesus, to teach us how to protect all life. "Pray to God, the Father and Maker of all, to adorn all creation with splendor and beauty and to fashion human lives in His image and likeness. Ask God to awaken in every heart, reverence for the work of His hands and renew among His people, a readiness to nurture and sustain His precious gift of life. Touch with pity the hearts of those women pregnant in our world today who are not thinking of motherhood to see the child they carry as your image and made for eternal life." Amen. (taken from Prayer for Life and for the help-Less unborn.)

Submitted by Charles Griego

BeFriender Ministry

Do you know of someone who is homebound, in a nursing home or hospital, elderly or lonely? BeFrienders provide pastoral care to people in **difficult and transitional situations**, and are trained to provide a **listening presence** to others. They embody the caring presence of God and of the community and serve as a living reminder of God's love. If you are in need of this caring presence or know of someone in need, please call Gloria at 891-0388. You can pick up a brochure located in the book racks by all the church doors.



WHY GOD MADE MOMS

Answers by 2nd grade school children to the following question:

What did Mom need to know about Dad before she married him?

1. His last name.
2. She had to know his background. Like is he a crook? Does he get drunk on Beer?
3. Does he make at least \$800.00 a year? Did he say **NO** to drugs and **YES** to chores?

If you could change one thing about your mom what would it be?

1. She has this weird thing about me keeping my room clean. I'd get rid of that.
2. I'd make my mom smarter. Than she would know it was my sister who did it and not me.
3. I would like her to get rid of those invisible eyes in the back of her head.

What would it take to make your mom perfect?

1. On the inside she is already perfect. Outside, I think some kind of plastic surgery.
2. Diet. You know, her hair.. I'd diet, maybe blue.

Bereavement Support Group

St. Thomas Aquinas Bereavement Support Group meets **Mondays at 5:00 p.m. in the St. Lucy Filippini room**, adjacent to the Parish office. For information contact Mary Davidson at 892-9886 or Patricia Furlong 831-5428. If no response within two days, please call back.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS COUNSELING CENTER offers individual, couple, and family counseling with afternoon and evening appointments. A fee is charged for each hour session. For more info call the

Counseling Center, 417-2467
or Deacon Burns, 892-1511, ext. 113
or for e-mail go to
www.trburnscounselor.mysite.com.

Stewards reverence all of life, as it is the ultimate and first gift from God.

List of DVD's or CD's

- 5 Mass, November 27, 2008—**Thanksgiving Day**
- 9 Mass, December 24, 2008-- **Christmas Eve & Midnight Mass**
- 7 Mass, December 14, 2008— **3rd Sunday of Advent**
- 1 Mass, December 28, 2008— **The Most Holy Family**
- 4 Mass, January 4, 2009-- **The Epiphany of the Lord**
- 2 Mass, January 11, 2009—**The Baptism of the Lord**
- 7 Mass January 18, 2009—**2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- 8 Mass, January 25, 2009—**Mass of Parish Patron: St. Thomas Aquinas**
- 1 Mass, January 30, 2009—(**St. Paul (Fr. Michael DePalma)**)
- 9 Mass, February 1, 2009—**4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Fr. Michael DePalma, Homilist)**
- 7 Mass, February 22, 2009—**7th Sunday in Ordinary Time (1st Mass Fr. Jeffrey N. Steenson)**
- 8 Mass, March 1, 2009—**1st Sunday of Lent (Fr. Michael DePalma, Homilist)**
- 8 Mass, March 8, 2009—**5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Msgr. Doug Raun)**
- "**Introduction to Church History**" six talks (over 12 hours of teachings) given by Msgr. Raun DVD album form for \$30.00.

"LENTEN MISSION 2010" CD Albums Now Available
The four talks of the Lenten Mission: *Baptized and Sent to Evangelize* with Fr. Celsus Auguste (9 CDs including Homily 5th Sunday of Lent 9 AM Mass introducing the Mission) are now available in CD album form. Even though there are 9 CDs the cost is kept at \$30.00. Call the office to place your order. Make checks payable to St. Thomas Aquinas Parish. Richard J. Torretto

High School and Life Teen Justin Bucalo 896-8097

Justin.Bucalo@stanm.org



Life Teen Summer Camp!! We will be attending summer camp this **JULY 18-23 in Prescott, AZ**. It is open to all high school aged teens (incoming freshmen through newly graduates)

Life Teen is scheduled **every Sunday**. Please contact the Youth Office if you have more questions.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2011
WILL BE IN MADRID SPAIN!!

Are you a young adult who is interested in coming to **WYD in 2011**? We will be going on a **14 day pilgrimage in August 2011**. We will travel to **France and Spain**. If you are interested in coming please contact us at 896-8097. We still have spots available. Please note that you must be over the age of 18 by August 2011 (unless accompanied by a parent or legal guardian) to attend. **No exceptions.**

Young Adults Catholic Group Deacon Little
890-6574 Deacon.Dave@stanm.org

Meets the **2nd and 4th Fridays** of the month. We meet each month at **my house**. We appreciate RSVPs so we know how much food to prepare. For more information, call 890-6574. The Young Adult Group We **will meet again June 25th**.

Children's Religious Education
Phone - 892-1497 CRE@stanm.org

Religious Education
begins again the
Tuesday after Labor Day, September 7th.

Adult Ministries Jeannette Schlicher

892-1511 x104

AquinasAM@yahoo.com

ALPHA IS COMING!

What is Alpha? The Alpha Course is an 18-week, practical introduction to Catholic Christianity, which builds a foundation for further learning and growth in faith. ALL adults are welcome in The Alpha Course, whether active Catholics, returning Catholics, or non-Catholics simply wishing to know more about Catholicism. In our parish, adults wishing to receive Baptism, Confirmation, or First Communion in the Catholic Church must also begin their preparation with Alpha. Each class starts with a meal provided by the parish, and then follows with a talk on a foundational Christian topic. Our next Alpha Course will begin on Tuesday, 5/25/10. Classes will be held every Tuesday in Fr. D'Arco Hall from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Come and join us—and bring a friend. Please contact Viana at vianasikes@yahoo.com, or at 892-8965, to register.

NEW ACTS COURSE SCHEDULED

What is ACTS? ACTS is our parish's Adult Catholic Theology School. **"Introduction to Vatican II," a six-week course, will be presented by seminarian Jim Larkin on Mondays, 6/7/10-7/12/10, 7:00-9:00 p.m., in Fr. D'Arco Hall.** Jim will review the more significant documents to emerge from this modern Church council, what they meant for the Church, and address much of the confusion which still exists surrounding it. Please bring your own copy of the Vatican II documents, or purchase one at the class.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

- May 31st** - Rev. Hilaire Valiquette, OFM, Pastor,
St. Augustine, Isleta Pueblo
June 1st - Rev. Paul Valley sP
June 2nd- Rev. James Vance, Pastor,
San Ysidro, Corrales
June 3rd—Rev. Joseph M. Vanderholt,
SJ, Parochial Vicar,
Immaculate Conception, Albuquerque
June 4th - Rev. Joe D. Vigil, Pastor,
Our Lady of Guadalupe, Albuquerque
June 5th Rev. Bennet J. Voorhies, Pastor,
Our Lady of the Annunciation, Alb.
June 6th – Rev. Ronald F. Walters, OFM,
Province Treasurer, Assumption Friary, R.R.
Also remember in prayer those priests who have died.

**FIRST COMMUNION PICTURES ARE NOW IN.
PLEASE PICK THEM UP IN THE R.E. BUILDING.**

A PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

O my Jesus, I beg you on behalf of the whole Church: Grant it love and the light of your Spirit and give power to the words of priests so that hardened hearts might be brought to repentance and returned to you, O Lord. Lord give us holy priests; you yourself maintain them in holiness. O Divine and Great High Priest, may the power of your mercy accompany them everywhere and protect them from the devil's traps and snares which are continually being set for the souls of priests. May the power of your mercy, O Lord shatter and bring to naught all that might tarnish the sanctity of priests, for You can do all things. I ask You for a special blessing and for light, O Jesus, for the priests before whom I will make my confessions throughout my lifetime. ("Prayer of St. Faustina" from her Diary 1052)



St. Thomas Aquinas School
Sr. Anne Louise Abascal 892-3221

1100 Hood Road www.stthomasaquinaschool.org

Where Faith & Knowledge Meet



Mullikin Sports Camp

When/Where: Camp will be held at the St. Thomas Aquinas School gym located at 1100 Hood Rd. Rio Rancho, NM 87124

Camp #1 June 14-18 9:00-12:00

Camp #2 June 21-25 9:00-12:00

Camp #3 July 19-23 9:00-12:00



Times: Camp will be held from 9:00-12:00 Monday through Friday. Drop off and pick up for camp will be at the east gym door. Please provide your camper with a snack and water bottle for the camp.



Cost: The cost for each camp will be \$50.00 per person.

My staff and I will provide a safe, positive environment that emphasizes critical lessons in many team and individual sports. We learn many different skills while playing fun and exciting games. All camps are open to boys and girls, ages 5 and up. Camp is operated by Heidi Mullikin, PE teacher at St. Thomas Aquinas School.

Please turn your permission slip into the office with payment made to Heidi Mullikin. Pre-registration is important to ensure your space at camp. There must be a minimum of 10 students enrolled for camp to run successfully. In the event of cancellation due to low enrollment, your fee will be refunded in full. You may contact me at _____ or 505-419-1404 with any questions.

REGISTER TODAY

The parents of _____,

hereby allow my child to participate in the Mullikin Sports Camp. The program staff may attend to any problem or injury in a conscientious manner while attending.

Neither I nor my child will hold, the staff, St. Thomas Aquinas School, or the Archdiocese of Santa Fe liable for any injuries or expenses relating to injuries incurred while my child is in attendance at camp.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Emergency Contact Number: _____

Camper's Name: _____

Summer School

St. Thomas Aquinas School will once again offer the **Summer Academy program**. Reading and math will be offered for remedial and advanced levels of students entering grades 1-8 in the fall. You may register for a two-week or four-week session. The sessions start on **Monday, June 7th**. A **10% discount is offered for enrolled siblings**. The **registration deadline is Friday, May 14th**. Applications are available online at www.stasnm.org, at the school office and also at the parish office. For more information, contact St. Thomas Aquinas School at 892-3221.

Do You Give Gift Cards? Then Try SCRIP.

Get your favorite gift cards and support St. Thomas Aquinas School at the same time. SCRIP carries gift cards for over 100 retail businesses, and it is easy and convenient to use. **How does it work?** The many participating SCRIP retailers agree to sell gift cards to our school at a discount. Families like yours buy the gift cards for full face value, they redeem them for full face value, and our school keeps the difference as revenue.

How do you order? You can order online at www.shopwithscrip.com. You'll need to setup an account, and you'll also need the school's enrollment code: E1A29FF51L639. Another way to order is by going to the school's website at www.stasnm.org and click on **Support STAS**. Under **SCRIP Gift Card Orders** you'll find printable order forms that you can complete and bring to the school office. If you have any questions, call the school office at 892-3221. Please consider using SCRIP for all your gift card needs. And thank you for your continued support.

The mission entrusted to us as teachers of the faith consists in recalling, in the words of the Apostle of the Gentiles, that our Savior "desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth"

(1 Timothy 2:4). This, and nothing else, is the purpose of the Church: the salvation of individual souls.

Pope Benedict XVI, Address to Brazilian Bishops.

Enrollment Openings

St. Thomas Aquinas School has a limited number of **openings in kindergarten and 7th grades**. Interested families should contact Rosanne Sloan, school registrar at 892-3221, ext. 37 for more information on the enrollment process. All incoming students are given placement tests. Please visit the school's website at www.stasnm.org for information on tuition costs and other facts about the school.

Frassati Academy

A new concept in Catholic homeschooling, For more information call Janice Martinez at 352-0698 or Chris LaLonde 891-1488.

Parish Directory

Pastor (Ext. 107).....	Rev. Msgr. Douglas A. Raun
Vicar (Ext. 110).....	Rev. Fr. Scott Mansfield
.....	Rev. Fr. Michael DePalma, in residence
Deacons.....	Rev. Mr. Roger Ayers, James Baca, Tom Burns,Kenneth Hill, David Little, Leroy Sanchez, Frank Smith
Business Manager (Ext. 101).....	Martin Sedillo
Accountant (Ext. 108).....	Ana Martinez
Acct Asst (Ext. 111).....	Jeannie Pinel
Acct Asst (Ext. 109).....	Liz Large
Adult Ministries (Ext. 104).....	Jeannette Case Schlicher
Ayuda Español (Ext. 360).....	Deacon James Baca
Bulletin Editor (Ext. 111).....
Catholic Social Action (Ext. 112)	Deacon Frank Smith
Communications & Development (Ext. 115).....
Funeral Notices.....	Extension 353
Maintenance (Ext. 129).....	Gilbert Garcia & Manuel Fernandez
Marriage & Family Life (Ext. 103).....	Deacon Ken Hill, Director
Associate Director.....	Deacon Frank Smith
Music & Liturgy (Ext. 105).....	Steven Woodbury
Receptionist.....	Maria Harrington
Religious Education (892-1497)	Sr. Alma Blume MPF
Administrative Asst (892-1497).....	Laura Smith
Sacristan.....	Anne McCluskey
Secretary to the Pastor (Ext. 107).....	Kathy Girón
Special Mass Schedule.....	Extension 350
Weather Closures/Cancellations.....	Extension 359
Web Site.....	www.stanm.org
Youth Ministries (896-8097).....	Justin Bucalo
Assistant (896-8097)..... Rita Montano

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday (fulfills Sunday obligation).....	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m. (Bilingual) & 6:00 p.m. (Life Teen)
Monday - Saturday	9:00 a.m.
Monday - Friday	6:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

**24 hours each day in the Adoration Chapel
located on the west side of the Church**

Mission Church St. John Vianney

1000 26th Ave N.E., Rio Rancho

Mass Times

Saturday.....	4:00 p.m.
Saturday Confessions	3:00 p.m.—3:45 p.m.
Sunday.....	8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Religious Education	11:15 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday - Friday.....	8:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
Saturday.....	8:30 a.m., 3:00 - 4:30 p.m., 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Around the Archdiocese

You are invited to join the **Wings Ministry at Risen Savior Cath. Community (7701 Wyoming Blvd. NE) on Sunday, June 13th. We begin with Mass at 12:30 p.m. and follow with a pot-luck lunch in the Marian Center gathering Hall.** The main entrée will be provided. Please bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share. Wings Ministry invites those who are physically challenged, blind, hard of hearing, and their families, friends and caregivers. Please call the Parish office at 821-1571 to RSVP.

Nativity

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Alameda and 4th is offering a **Vacation Bible School from June 14th -18th and is opening it up to the neighboring parishes. All children from 3 1/2 years (must be toilet trained) to 5th grade are eligible to attend** this fun filled week learning about Jesus from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. We will be taking them to Mass and providing them with a different theme of their faith for each day. Snacks will also be provided. There is a \$15 fee for the entire week. Please contact Chonita at 898-5253 ext. 1 today to get your child registered.

Summer at St. Pius X - Fun classes with hands on activities open to all area middle school students ages 10 - 14. Two week sessions run from **June 17-18, June 21-July 2, and July 6-26.** Contact 831-8400 for more information.

Junior High Think Tank sponsored by the Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry from the Archdiocese of Santa Fe invites you to a day of discussion on issues regarding our Junior High Youth. **Our Lady of Assumption in Albuquerque will be hosting from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm on Friday June 18, 2010.** The registration deadline for this is Wednesday June 16th with a fee of \$10.00 per person. This workshop is for all Pastors, PLC's, Deacons, CL's, Youth Ministers and Mid School religious education teachers. For more information and or to register please contact Della @ (505) 831-8142 or dmontano@archdiosf.org

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Wonder of Myself

A Special one day class for mothers and their adolescent daughters, ages 10-12, designed to emphasize the beauty and gift of human sexuality. Self Esteem, friendships, peer pressure, the physical and emotional changes of adolescence, reproductive systems, the menstrual cycle, reproductive hygiene, decision making and chastity will be discussed in a relaxed comfortable atmosphere. **June 26th. Cost \$15.00 per person. Call Family Life to Register 831-8117, Albuquerque.**

St. Thomas Aquinas Ministries

Altar & Rosary Society: Saralee Wisner - 792-5516
Altar Servers: Cindy Keaveny - 892-5649
Apostolate Our Lady of Fatima: Gerri - 892-0414
BeFriender: Gloria Hultine - 891-0388
Bereavement: Mary Davidson - 892-9886 or
Patricia Furlong 831-5428
Caring 4 Kids: Victoria at 261-1488
Challenge Girls Club: Cathy Casaus 890-3222
Catholic Daughters of America: Mary Chambers - 896-0256
Catholic Homeschoolers: Jennifer Coca 994-4460
Charismatic Prayer Group: Nila Baker
Counseling Center: 417-2467 or Dn. Tom Burns - 892-1511, ext. 113
Elizabeth Ministry: Rhonda Neel - 899-3817
Eucharistic Adoration: Ben & Gaylene Bitonel - (806) 676-0333
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
Doug & Karen Taylor - 896-7985
Finance Council: 892-1511 ext.101
Girl Scouts: Joyce Sypher - 896-1205
Holy Cross Association: John & Penny Marselle - 400-7245
Home & Hospital Ministry: Eileen Walling - 891-1775
Knights of Columbus #6696: William M. McCarty II - 681-0570
Lectors: Maria Burns—771-2005
Life Teen Liturgical Coordinator: Jeanette Mata - 250-5489
Natural Family Planning: José & Elvira Guillén - 892-5783
Nursery: Channele Leonhardt 239-2866
Parish Social Committee: Debbie Hanko - 379-0561
Pastoral Council: Coleen Maddy - 404-1392
Pre-Cana: Michael & Michelle Beglau 270-6137
Public Affairs Committee: Felicie Truscio - 891-1304
Respect Life: Felicie Truscio 891-1304
Rosary Makers: Jim Tauer - 896-6127 or Jane Ricci - 892-9260
St. Peter's Men's Apostolic Ministry: Brad Hayden, 890-3151

Usher/Greeter: Deacon David Little 890-6574
Venture Scouting: Mike Jacobs — 962-2126
Welcoming Team: John & Mecki Kahrs - 890-6534
Young Adult Catholics: Deacon Dave Little - 890-6574

Crisis & Immediate Help

Albuquerque Rape Crisis Center: 266-7711
All Faith's Receiving Home: 271-0329
Catholic Charities: 724-4670
Child Abuse/Neglect: 841-6100 or 1-800-797-3260
Haven House: 896-4869 or 1-800-526-7157
Missing Children's Hotline: 1-800-587-4357
National Runaway Switchboard: 1-800-621-4000
S.A.F.E. House 247-4219
Suicide Crisis Hotline: 247-1121 or 266-7711

Support & Other Groups

AIDS Hotline: 1-800-342-2437
Ala Teen or Al Anon: 262-2177
Alcoholics Anonymous: 266-1900
Birthright Rio Rancho: 891-1430
Blue Star Mother: 660-4523
Boy Scouts: Cathy or Rick Dobbins at 896-2447
Children, Youth & Families: 841-4482
Concerned for Disabled: 892-6467
Consumer Credit Counseling: 884-6601
Cub Scouts: Jerry Marler 227-9868, gajrdmarler@msn.com
Gamblers Anonymous: 260-9899
NAMI (Mental Illness): 990-2292
NM Commission for the Blind: 841-8844
Overeaters Anonymous: 896-1359
St. Felix Pantry: 891-8075 - Food & Clothing Support
St. Thomas Aquinas Counseling Center: 417-2467 or 892-1511 ext. 113
Society of St. Vincent de Paul: 892-0526
United Way Information & Referral Help Line: 247-3671
Venture Scouts: Mike Jacobs 962-2126