

# ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH

June 13th, 2010

## Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



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,

Many thanks to everyone who helped with, and came to, the Corpus Christi Procession last Sunday. Even with the horrible heat, we had about 600 people come to honor our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. God bless you.

A reminder - we always need more people to commit to spending one hour a week with our Lord in the Adoration Chapel. Nothing will be a greater blessing for your spiritual life, you gain graces for our parish, and you allow everyone to come be with the Blessed Sacrament at any time they are able to go. If you are being called to do this, please call out Adoration Coordinator, Gay Bitonel, at 806-676-0333. (Yes, she does live in the parish - don't let the area code fool you.)

Yes, it is hot. But that is never an excuse for not dressing modestly and neatly in Church. Parents - please remind your kids about this. (Every year I talk about this. Every year I get people calling telling me "to do something about the immodest dress in the church!" But if I correct - privately, gently, kindly - a person about how they are dressed - well, I get angry parents calling saying "I can hardly get my daughter to mass as it is: no wonder young people don't come to Mass: are you some sort of prude with sexual hang-ups, etc, etc, etc." And of course there is the call to the Archbishop's office that the Pastor has been picking on their daughter. And you wonder why I am losing my

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hair :) ! Anyhow, dear people, I know this is 2010, not 1950, but modesty and neatness are never out of style for a Christian - especially in God's house.

I'm sorry that I did not write about this sooner, but it is June - the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. This devotion (which is closely related to the Divine Mercy) centers on the Heart of Jesus as the symbol of the infinite personal love God has for each one of us - a Love made Flesh in Jesus Christ. It is a devotion rooted in the Gospel - think of the attention St. John gives the piercing of our Savior's Heart - but received renewed emphasis with the private revelations our Lord gave to St. Margret Mary in the 17th century, with the famous "Fifteen Promises" our Lord made to those devoted to His Heart.

The starting point of all Christianity is to realize the love God has shown us in Christ. There are many ways of practicing the devotion to the Sacred Heart, the most popular being the receiving of Holy Communion on the First Friday of the month in honor of the Sacred Heart. Our Lord promised St. Margret Mary that those who do this for nine consecutive Fridays would be given the grace of final perseverance - that is, that they would die in the state of grace. I personally love the Litany of the Sacred Heart, with the beautiful verse that concludes it - "Oh Jesus, meek and humble of Heart,. Make our hearts like unto Thine."

Fr. Mansfield and Fr. DePalma are on vacation this week, so it's just Msgr. Mukasa and I running the show. If you call the office, please be patient!  
A blessed week!  
Msgr. Raun

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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](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**

Dear Msgr. and Parishioners,

Thank you for granting the Sisters the opportunity to speak at the Masses on April 17th and April 18th. We are most grateful for the generous donation of (\$20,587.85), which the Sisters collected at your parish for the benefit of the care of the Sisters at St. Joseph Hall. Know that we, the Religious Teachers Filippini, remember all of you in our daily prayer. May God Bless you and grant you all you need.

Sincerely in Christ,  
Sister Betty Jean Takacs, MPF  
Provincial Superior



**FUNERALS**

*Mary Thele  
Maria Gonzales*

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



**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

**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



**1st Banns**

*Annette Montoya and Bill Ortiz  
Cintia Avila and Louie Schnakenberg*

**3rd Banns**

*Amy Vigil and Brian Walton*

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

*“Living for Christ gets better and better  
but seldom gets easier.”  
R. Whitson Seaman*

**NEW PARISH WEB SITE** [www.stanm.org](http://www.stanm.org)  
Visit the site and click on Subscriptions to receive the bulletin via e-Mail.

**Next Week's Readings  
June 13th-June 20th**

- Sunday: 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13/Gal 2:16, 19-21/  
Lk 7:36---8:3 or 7:36-50
- Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Mt 5:38-42
- Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Mt 5:43-48
- Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
- Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Mt 6:7-15
- Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Mt 6:19-23
- Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Mt 6:24-34
- Next Sunday: Zec 12:10-11; 13:1/Gal 3:26-29/Lk 9:18-24

## Upcoming Events

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting the 1st Annual **Spaghetti Dinner** on **Saturday, June 26th** from **3:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.** Dinner will be served in **St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Father D'Arco Hall** and includes spaghetti, meatballs, Italian dressing salad, garlic toast, vanilla or chocolate pudding, coffee and tea. Donation: \$5.00, children 10 and under \$3.50. For additional information call Ron Cook @ 896-1159. Please come and enjoy a fantastic dinner for a great price.

In honor of Fr. Mike DePalma and his farewell reception on Sunday, June 26th in Fr. D'Arco Hall, the monthly Knights of Columbus breakfast is cancelled for June. Come say thanks to Fr. DePalma.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Your donations to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul pay utility and rent bills for those in need, and your thoughtfulness carries with it Christ's love and compassion. Perhaps you are interested in joining this team of dedicated volunteers. To find out more about the work of St. Vincent de Paul, please call the office at 892-0526.

### PROJECT DEFENDING LIFE

Please help our moms in need. If you are able to donate a vehicle to one of our moms that has chosen life for her baby, please contact Laura at 620-3894 or [laura@defendinglife.org](mailto:laura@defendinglife.org) The Mom's Ministry with project defending life helps women in crisis pregnancy. We offer financial, emotional and spiritual support to our new moms in need. Last month we helped 57 young ladies, and to date have had 20 babies born. Please help if you can.

### 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 ministry and the Parishioners of St. Thomas"

### "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.

## Liturgical News

Steven Woodbury 892-1511 x105

[Steven.Woodbury@stanm.org](mailto:Steven.Woodbury@stanm.org)

### ADORATION

What a beautiful Feast of Corpus Christi this past Sunday. The Procession was a wonderful public expression of love and adoration for Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. I was so impressed with the people that came out to take part in the walk. Some of whom were walking with crutches; not to mention the 100 degree temperatures. Thanks also to the people that signed up to take an hour of Eucharistic Adoration. The registration tables had been set up all weekend with sign-up going on after all the masses. During the 6:00 evening Mass, we heard rain coming down. Although it was hot and we need rain desperately, I was praying that the sign up sheets would not be ruined by the rain and wind. I asked Jesus to protect those precious names. When I finally got outside to check things out; one table was perfectly fine. Another table had only one sheet attached to it and the other sign up sheet was in the parking lot, laying perfectly still despite the fact that the wind was blowing quite hard. The third table was totally soaked but the names were perfectly preserved. I thanked Jesus for this small miracle. The need for adorers is great and this means so much to the coordinators that work so hard to keep things running smoothly in the Adoration Chapel. If you missed the chance to sign up, please do not hesitate to call and take an hour. God bless you!

Gay Bitonel

Head Coordinator, Eucharistic Adoration

806/676-0333

#### 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](mailto:flagshipsm12659@msn.com)

Paul & Anise Yarbrough: (Noon-6 p.m.) at 899-0981

e-mail: [yarburro@msn.com](mailto:yarburro@msn.com)

Pat & Jolyn Murphy: (6 p.m.-12 Midnight) at

892-4931 or e-mail: [jpmurphrc@msn.com](mailto: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: - Helen Tomaskovic - June 15th—30th**

**Virgin II: - John & Julie Chemento - June 15th—30th**

#### TABERNACLE FLOWERS:

**June 12th thru June 18th - In Memory of Jackie Costa**

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:

**Church Calendars are still available in the office.**

## CULTURE OF LIFE CORNER

What does being or becoming Pro-Life mean if not accepting and practicing the extraordinary graces which come from God and expressed to us by His Most Blessed Mother. " Everyone must say the Rosary as a general condition for the reception of grace" ( Fatima). Those are the ways of Providence! " For His special and intimate friends, Our Lord [ through His suffering and shedding of the blood from His Most Precious Sacred Heart], offers not a crown of roses but one of thorns; He does not lead them Thabor (Mount Thabor) but to Calvary; does not offer them riches, honors, pleasures, but a cup of ignominy, a heavy cross. (Full story of Fatima). It's your responsibility! Come to the table. Join in with those partaking of the nourishment from the blood of the Sacred Heart. Or be one of whom Jesus spoke: "Will you walk away also?" Jesus and Mary invite you, as you have never been before. Pray on the 3rd Saturday with the KofC, and the last Sat. with "Pro-Life Rosary," in front of Planned Parenthood's Office, or on the 19th with Project Defending Life in front of Dr. Boyd's Abortion Clinic. Make and hour of Adoration.  
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.



### PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION TESTIMONIES

Posted in our Blessings Received Book

**Thank-you:**

**For** my faith.

**For** the love of my life.

**For** time spent with my son.

**For** my brother surviving a beating.

**For** my mom always being there for me.

**For** the strength to communicate with my wife.

**For** being there when my family needed you the most.



### 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](http://www.trburnscounselor.mysite.com).

### 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 5<sup>th</sup> 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



Kairos meets every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. Mass, followed by a Bible study at the Life House. This is open to all high school aged students.

We still have spots for World Youth Day 2011 and Camp Tepeyac in AZ. If you're interested in attending either please contact us at 896-8097.

Life Teen is on break for the summer and will resume when school starts again.

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 **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.**

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

**The Cursillo Ultreya  
is on the 4th Tuesday of each month in the  
St. Lucy Filippini room from 6:30pm to 8:30pm.  
Next meeting June 22nd.**

Everyone Welcome!

Come and share the love of the Father, by acclaiming the Lordship of Jesus the Son, through the power of the Holy Spirit. *Praise and Worship, Teachings,*

*Intercessory Prayer, Fellowship.*

**Bring your Bible. Bring a Friend.**

**TO REGISTER WITH THE PARISH**, stop by or call the office (1594 Sara Rd, 892-1511) or send an e-mail to: Contact @stanm.org.

**If you would like something to be  
considered for the bulletin you can email me at Jeanie.Pinel@stanm.org**

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.

## Men's March for Life. Father's Day Weekend 2010

Men from around the Archdiocese of Santa Fe will be gathering for a **March for Life rally on Saturday, 19-June, at Our Lady of Fatima Parish in Albuquerque.** The March is being held to show our families and our communities that Catholic men are passionate about life and proud to be fathers. Our society needs to see that men are not afraid to stand up for those who are the most defenseless among us.

**7:30a.m.-11:00 a.m. Saturday, June 19th.**

**Meet at 7:30 a.m. at Our Lady of Fatima Parish.**

For more information concerning the march, please go to [www.MenUnderConstructionNM.org](http://www.MenUnderConstructionNM.org) or contact Brad Hayden, St. Peter's Men's Apostolic Ministry, at 890-3151.



# Mass Intentions

**Monday**      June 14th, Monday, Weekday

9:00 a.m.    † Geraldine Ryan by Cecilia Friend  
 † Kathy Chávez by Rose Chávez  
 † Patricia Lippman by Helen & Joseph Ingoglia

6:00 p.m.    † Mary Lucero by Betty Krewer  
 Chuck & Sharon Tirone by Tony and Jerri Mora  
 William Puotinen by Marilyn Policastro

**Tuesday**      June 15th, Tuesday, Weekday

9:00 a.m.    † Edward Carmedy by the Wityak family  
 † Simon Angel by Janice McCord & family  
 Richard Vianchi by the Porta family

6:00 p.m.    † In loving memory of Wayne E. Hanson  
 by his wife & family  
 Michael and Patricia Lawton 25<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

**Wednesday**      June 16th, Wednesday, Weekday

9:00 a.m.    † Luis Maldonado by Reina & family  
 Charles & Richard Higer  
 † Elaine Wymen by Anna Andreassen

6:00 p.m.    Special Intentions by Juanita C. Schlicher

**Thursday**      June 17th, Thursday, Weekday

9:00 a.m.    † Deceased family members by Reina Maldonado  
 Fr. Scott Mansfield 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination by friends

6:00 p.m.    Fr. Scott Mansfield ordination anniversary  
 by Anthony & Marie Di Blasi  
 Fr. Scott Mansfield on his 10<sup>th</sup> year of ordination  
 by friends

**Friday**      June 18th, Friday, Weekday

9:00 a.m.    † June Ransdell by daughter

6:00 p.m.    † Pat Savaiano by Richard Heller

**Saturday**      June 19th, Saturday, Weekday

9:00 a.m.    † George Ganssle by Geraldine Ryan  
 Donna Newkirk by Henry  
 For the Antone family by the Antone family

5:00 p.m.    † Thomas Ruiz by the family  
 You know Lord what my Mom, sister, brothers &  
 their families need, please bless them. I trust in you.  
 by Niemczak family  
 Gods blessing for Kristin & Jeff Reed family  
 by Niemczak family

4:00 p.m.    For the People in the Parish  
 @ SJV

**Sunday**      June 20th, Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m.    † Peter Daniel Moyna by the Moyna family  
 † Francis Jeffrey Moyna by the Moyna family  
 † Robert A. & Harold Gallegos by family

9:00 a.m.    For the People of the Parish  
 † José (Tacho) Gonzales happy father's day  
 by Angela Gonzales & family  
 † Marion Henning by Cathie Bieri

11:00 a.m.    † Richard C. Buxton by children  
 To the Eternal Father  
 † Frank & Eulalio Torres & Vences Jaramillo

12:30 p.m.    † Bertha S. Perez by Anna  
 † Robert Trujillo by Mr. & Mrs. Felix Archibeque  
 & Family

6:00 p.m.    † Bill Cortez by Ernest & Elena Duran  
 Kiko & Angelique Varela by Frank & Evelyn Smith

8:00 a.m.    † @ SJV Joseph Nava by Margaret Nava

10:00 a.m.    † @ SJV Rudolf Jack Daute by gloria Dautel

## Catholic Congress in Spanish

The Office of Hispanic Ministry of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe in collaboration with the Spanish speaking parishes of the Archdiocese announces the First Catholic Congress in Spanish in our Archdiocese

**July 16<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. and Saturday, July 17<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. at the Convention Center in Alb., NM**

**With Tony Melendez in Concert on Friday, July 16th, Doctor Fernando Casanova as Keynote Presenter on Saturday, July 17th and the participation of our own Archbishop Michael J. Sheehan**

Tony Melendez is the well known musician who performed for John Paul II. Dr. Casanova is a former Protestant Pastor from Puerto Rico, who converted to Catholicism and now teaches Theology at the Seminary in Puerto Rico, and gives conferences on the Catholic Faith all over the world.

**Tickets are \$ 5.00 in advance and \$10.00 at the door**

**Tickets for sale at the following parishes:**

St. John the Baptist in Ohkay Owingeh Pueblo, Our Lady of Guadalupe in Santa Fe, Our Lady of Sorrows in Bernalillo, Our Lady of Guadalupe, Holy Ghost, San Martín de Porres, San José, the Catholic Center in Albuquerque, Misión San Juan Diego in Meadowlake, Our Lady of Guadalupe in Clovis and St. Helen in Portales. Translation from Spanish to English is available upon request For more information call Deacon Juan at the Office of Hispanic Ministry 505-831-8152 or email jbarajas@archdiosf.org.

### **ONGOING WEEKLY MEETINGS (Religious Education Building)**

**Blue Army:** Tuesdays, 10:00 a.m.; Kathy-898-5591, Joann-899-9647. (Call Kathy or Joann with your prayer petitions.)

**Prayer for Vocations/Chaplet of Divine Mercy:**

**Wednesdays, after 9 a.m. Mass**

**Al-Anon:** Thursdays, Noon, rm. 6

**Charismatic Prayer Meeting:**

**Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. (St. Lucy Filippini Room)**

**St. Peter's Men's Apostolic Ministry**

**Thursday at 7:00 p.m.** in the Parish Office

**Rosary Makers:** Fridays, 10:00 a.m.,

rm. 6, Religious Ed. Bldg., 896-6127

**Bible Study:** Jeannette, 892-1511 x104

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

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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: \_\_\_\_\_

St. Thomas Aquinas Celebrates  
**10th Anniversary of the School**

All Alumni and Parents are Invited  
to join us in celebrating our 10th Anniversary on:

**August 22, 2010**

**9:00 a.m. Mass**

**followed by a reception in Fr. D'Arco Hall.**

Please join us on this special occasion.

Thank you, Sr. Roseann

**Enrollment Openings**

St. Thomas Aquinas School has a limited number of **openings in kindergarten, 1st, 2nd, 6th 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](http://www.stasnm.org) for information on tuition costs and other facts about the school.

**Team Up With St. Thomas Aquinas School**

There are many ways to support our Catholic school and one way you can help is by shopping at Smith's grocery store. This school year, Smith's will donate \$1,000,000 to local participating schools!

When you enroll in the Smith's Earn & Learn program and use your Fresh Values Card each time you shop, St. Thomas Aquinas School benefits. Smith's will donate a percentage of sales to St. Thomas Aquinas School at the end of the school year. To enroll you'll need your fresh values Card and an enrollment barcode.

You can print out a copy of the enrollment barcode by visiting [www.stasnm.org](http://www.stasnm.org) or you can call the school office at 892-3221 and request a copy.

St. Thomas Aquinas Roman Catholic Homeschoolers (STRCH) meets for field trips, playgroups and First Friday Mass and Fellowship. Please join us at

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/STRCH-RRNM>  
for our full calendar of events or

Contact: Jennifer Coca, [cocajennifer@yahoo.com](mailto:cocajennifer@yahoo.com)  
[LactationRN@yahoo.com](mailto:LactationRN@yahoo.com).

**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

### 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.

In honor of the 2009-2010 "Year for Priests" St. Joseph's on the Rio Grande Parish invites you to a Spaghetti Dinner to raise funds to sponsor seminarians from the Archdiocese of Santa Fe

**Friday, June 18, from 5:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.**

**Ticket sales** will be held in the SJRG gathering space after masses May 22-23, May 29-30 and June 5-6.

**Tickets may also be purchased** at the SJRG Parish office during regular office hours through June 4th.

**Tickets will be available** at the door while supplies last. Dine in or carry out available.

Dinner will be held at St. Jude's Parish Hall.

**Cost: \$10 for adults, \$6 for kids 4-12, under 4 FREE**

**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 16<sup>th</sup> 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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## 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:** Jerry Miller - 269-3810  
**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 506-9127, [gajrdmarler@msn.com](mailto: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