

The Most Holy Trinity

TODAY'S MESSAGE

JOURNEY OF FAITH

We are on a long and eventful journey. Today's readings for Trinity Sunday succinctly cover the depth and breadth of our human travels.

The very beginnings of our journey are revealed in the reading from Proverbs. God's plan filled with divine wisdom was born before the earth was made. In today's Gospel, Jesus speaks of his own personal journey. He has come from the Father and will return to the Father. Only then will the Advocate—the Spirit of Truth—take us onward.

This does not diminish the fact that the journey will be hard. The very setting of the Gospel is the night before Jesus died. As Saint Paul writes to the Romans, "We even boast of our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, and endurance, proven character, and proven character, hope" (Romans 5:3-4).

Ultimately, our human journey is modeled by the Holy Trinity—a family of love among Father, Son, and Spirit that we are all called to emulate.



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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 3:

9:00 am SAG Vince Giovannotto †
 10:30 am OLR James † & Edith Dubbs †
 10:30 am STA Sue Lubaise †
Readings: Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

Monday, June 4:

7:15 am
 8:30 am Lois & Otto Niehues †
 12:15 pm Jerri Mendola †
Readings: Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8; Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday, June 5: St. Boniface

7:15 am
 8:30 am Peter Lau †
 12:15 pm Juliana Luz †
Readings: Tb 2:9-14; Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday, June 6: St. Norbert

7:15 am
 8:30 am Mary Donnally & family
 12:15 pm Ernesto Ledesma, Jr †
Readings: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday, June 7:

7:15 am
 8:30 am Greg Jones & family
 12:15 pm William Gretz, Sr
*Readings: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a;
 Mk 12:28-34*

Friday, June 8:

7:15 am
 8:30 am
 12:15 pm
Readings: Tb 11:5-17; Mk 12:35-37

Saturday, June 9: St. Ephrem; Blessed Virgin Mary

12:15 pm Lois & Otto Niehues †
 5:00 pm SAG
Readings: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Mk 12:38-44

PRESIDERS SCHEDULE

Saturday & Sunday June 9 & 10, 2007

St. Albert the Great

Sat 5:00 pm Fr. Medina
 Sun 9:00 am Fr. Aranha

St. Thomas Aquinas

Sun 7:30 am Fr. Hester
 Sun 8:45 am Fr. Marini
 Sun 10:30 am Fr. Medina
 Sun 12 noon Fr. Harris

Our Lady of the Rosary

Sun 9:00 am (español) .. Fr. Medina
 Sun 10:30 am Fr. Schultz

7:15 DAILY MASS JUNE SCHEDULE AT STA

June 4th-8th 7:15 Mass Monday thru Friday.
 June 11th-29th- 7:15 Mass Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
 Tuesdays and Thursdays: NO Masses or Communion Services.
 Sorry for any inconvenience.

CONGRATULATIONS Fr. TONY

Fr. Tony Medina's 25th Anniversary of his ordination will be celebrated Friday June 8 at St. Albert the Great. Mass is at 6:30 pm followed by a reception in the Seton Auditorium with a Mariachi band and famous Latino singer Manuel. Contact Patty or Jean at the Pastoral Center 494-2496 for more information or to help out. Please join us in this special day for Fr. Tony.

PLEASE PRAY

FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND — David Simmons, Tina Reyes, Marian, Mary Lou, Marian Partelow, Laurie, Dave Carlson, Chet Maksim, Mary Hansen, Joel Roberts, Judy Smith, Ron Price Jr, David Rapisardi, Phil Lutz, Filip Koperwas, Mary Ann Rundell, Bee Gasser, Barbara Woods, Vincent Boyle, Phillip Chang, Mary Imbornone, Devin Wakefield, Crescentia, Jennifer Wagner, Laury, George Falkenthal, Bill Wall, Jack Morrisroe, Nicholas Humy, Mary Lau, Sadie Young, Charlene Briggs, Steve Alba, George Schardt, Patricia Ann Berwald-Jones, Carmen Fuentes, Rev. Isaiah Jones, Norman Swope

FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED — Dean Miller, Patricia Gildea-Vaden, Renata Wood, John Fontaine, Elizabeth Cunningham, Patricia Leu, Alamtaj Shirazian, Sue Lubaise, Hal Lesser, Welmer (Bing) Jully

Please note our email address:
bulletin@paloaltocatholic.org

BULLETIN ARTICLE DUE
 June 17 .. **Thu** June 7 noon
 June 24 .. **Thu** June 14 noon



Our Weekly Offering

May 20 \$ 8,300.00
 Catholic Charities \$ 7,896.00
thank you for your continued generosity

Year To Date

Actual YTD... \$ 573,143.89
 Budget YTD .. \$ 547,364.00
 Variance..... + 4.71%

June 3, 2007

THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Sunday, June 3: The Most Holy Trinity
8:00 am Bible Study (OLRH)
10:30 am Spanish Confirmation
(DC)

Monday, June 4: Ninth Week in Ordinary
Time

Tuesday, June 5:

Wednesday, June 6:

6:30 pm RCIC (DC)
7:15 pm Community Life (SAGC)
7:30 pm Transitions (PC)

Thursday, June 7:

7:00 pm Communications
Ministry (PC)

Friday, June 8:

12:30 pm STAY Board (PC)
6:00 pm Fr. Tony's 25th
Anniversary Party
(SESA)
7:00 pm Spanish Young Adult
(OLRH)

Saturday, June 9:

6:00 pm STAY Middle School
(SAGC/SESS/SESA)

NO BEGINNING

Fear not that your life shall come to an
end, but rather fear that it shall never have
a beginning.

—John Henry Newman

PULPIT PLEA

There is a great need at SAG for Eucharistic Ministers, lectors, ushers, musicians and greeters. Mike Dorosin will extend a "pulpit plea" for volunteers at the 5 p.m. Mass on Saturday, June 9th, and Linda Gargiulo will do the same at the 9 a.m. Mass on Sunday, June 10th. There also will be someone in the vestibule at each Mass to answer questions and take sign ups. *Please prayerfully consider this opportunity to serve your fellow parishioners in a way that best suits your interests and abilities.*

UPCOMING PARISH & DIOCESE EVENTS

BEGINNING JUNE 3RD – WIDOW/WIDOWERS SUMMER PLANS Our monthly meetings will be suspended during the summer but we have a full schedule of social get-togethers starting on Sunday, June 3, 3 p.m. matinee of "Movie Music Madness" by Peninsula Pops Orchestra at Spangenberg Theatre, Gunn High School, \$20, seniors \$16, no reservation necessary; On June 7 a classic Katharine Hepburn movie and Mighty Wurlitzer Organ at the Stanford Theatre. Meet for dinner at 4:30 p.m. at Pasta Q restaurant, no reservation necessary; on June 24, Sunday brunch at the Crowne-Plaza Cabana at 10:30 a.m., \$22.95. For reservations by June 23, phone Joan Meyn, (650) 494-3467, Information on organization, call Georgette (408) 243-2034, Carmen (650) 851-8844,

THURSDAY JUNE 14TH – CATHOLIC PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS CLUB

The CP&B Club invites you to our last breakfast meeting for the season. Our guest will be Anne Grycz, Director, Institute for Leadership in Ministry (ILM). Her topic will be "Lay Leadership in the Church of San Jose". The meeting will be held on Thursday, June 14th at the Holiday Inn (formerly Hyatt), 1740 N. First Street, San Jose, at 7:30AM (optional Mass at 6:45AM). Cost is \$20 Members, \$25 Non-Members. Contact: Jessica King at 408-491-9229 or cpbcinfo@gmail.com or www.sj catholicprofessionals.org

ONE BREAD, ONE BODY—CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY

On this year's Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, the Catholic Church throughout the state of California has called each diocese to celebrate the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ with processions that highlight the Eucharistic Body of Christ and the Ecclesial Body of Christ. We are invited in particular to recognize the enduring contribution of the immigrant: new and old, in building up the Body of Christ, the Church. Please join participants across the diocese at noon on Sunday, June 10th at Cesar Chavez Plaza in downtown San Jose for a prayer service, Eucharistic procession to the Cathedral of St. Joseph with a Benediction in the Cathedral Garden. This will be followed by a Legislative Briefing on the Current State of Immigration Reform in the Cathedral Hall at 1:00 p.m. by Kevin Appleby, Policy Director of Migration and Refugee Services, U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops.



HEALTH CARE ADVOCATES

Save the date, **Monday, June 18**, for an important public meeting advocating health coverage for all adults. Over 200,000 adults in Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties are uninsured today. Peninsula Interfaith Action (PIA) has been working all year on countywide task forces to expand health coverage in both counties. New health coverage plans are nearly ready for approval in San Mateo County, but Santa Clara County needs more prodding.

Now is the time to find the funding to turn these plans into realities! A mass meeting will take place at 7:30 pm on Monday, June 18, at Woodside High School, 199 Churchill Ave, Woodside, CA. Liz Kniss, a Santa Clara County Supervisor and Adrienne Tissier, a San Mateo County Supervisor, will be present to hear the will of the people. For further information (ride sharing, etc.) please call George Chippendale at 856-6350.

St. Thomas Aquinas Parish

STAGES IN OUR SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

Sr. Helen Thompson, BVM, will present an opportunity to explore Evolution of Stages in Our Spiritual Development on Saturday, June 16, 9:30 am to 3:00 pm at St. Albert the Great Hospitality Center. Sr. Helen is a faculty member at GTU in Berkeley. In this session, she will present a road map through the four stages of the evolution of spiritual consciousness, both on a Western cultural and individual level. She talks about how shifts in consciousness come about, and how they affect our culture, our Church and ourselves. Parish members who heard Sr. Helen speak in Sacramento were highly impressed by her clarity of thinking and her ability to present these transitions in thinking from pre-modern to post-modern times. She shows us the filters we inherit from our families and culture, and how to change these filters in our ever changing world as we move on our spiritual path.

There is no charge, but a free-will offering will be appreciated. Please bring a sack lunch. RSVP to Sr. Elizabeth Avalos at sociateabvm@mac.com or call her to (408)569-7222 for more information.

STAYOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

STAYouth [middle school (6–8), high school (9–12), confirmation (8–high school)]

St. Thomas Aquinas Youth (STAY) www.paloaltocatholic.org/STAY/

Registration for 2007-08 – Updated STAY information for fall, session calendar, registration form, and maps to our church/meeting sites are available via the STAY web site under the appropriate link. Please pre-register before the end of the school year. Checks payable to St. Thomas Aquinas Parish; submit forms & checks to Rob Manfrey at the Pastoral Center.

Junior High and Senior High - No formal sessions on June 2 & 3 in lieu of Confirmation. End-of-Year parties on weekend of June 9-10 for each level respectively.

Crossroads Rite for 5th Graders into STAY – At the 5pm Mass on June 9, STAY will be presenting Catholic Youth Bibles to our current 5th graders to welcome them into junior high youth ministry. All are welcome to join in the middle school end-of-year party after mass.

Confirmation – We set a parish record this weekend of 75 new Confirmandi!!! Congratulations to our newly confirmed. See individual youth names listed on the inserted flyer.

YOUNG ADULT [college-age, 20s, 30s, early 40s – single and/or married]

Our **Deanery 2 Young Adult** web site is www.YoungAdultCircle.org Young Adults from our local parishes gather regularly for social, spiritual, service, and sports.

Summer Speaker Series – Miracles – Thursday, June 21 – Fr. Kevin Joyce from SpiritSite will kick off our brand new monthly summer speaker series and teach/talk about the reality of miracles. Doors 7:00pm; Talk 7:30pm at St. Albert the Great Hospitality Center. Spread the word and invite friends, neighbors, co-workers, etc.

Circle All-Stars – Deanery softball team – Our June games are 6/3 @ 1pm; 6/10 @ 2:30pm; and 6/24 @ 2:30pm. All games at Santana Park (Monroe and Tisch Sts. in San Jose near Valley Fair Shopping Center). Come cheer us on, meet new young adults, and make new friends.

Rob Manfrey, Youth & Young Adult Coordinator, 650-494-2496 ext. 21, STAYouth@paloaltocatholic.org

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Thank you to the **entire parish for helping us make our goal** for the diocesan Capital Campaign: Rooted in Faith, Embracing our Future. As of April 16 the parish has a total of **426** pledges for a total of **\$2,050,728** or **163%** of goal.

Thanks to all who have pledged including contributions from these parishioners:

Mia Ruhm
Micheal Lin
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Omalley Stoumen
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PARISH PHOTOGRAPHY

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