

## Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 22, 2007



Have you ever resented someone who, in your view, did not appear to be “pulling their weight?” That is how Martha felt as she was tending to the hospitality needs while her sister was sitting and talking with Jesus. She expected Jesus to tell Mary to get busy but instead Jesus gently rebuked her! The point is not really who was doing the “right” thing – they were both doing what they were called to do. Martha’s problem was that she wanted everyone to do as she did. It is easy to resent others for not having our priorities but it is not our job to tell others what they should do. Our concern should be on what we are doing. Are we tending to those things we have been called to do?

*You are anxious and upset about many things; only one thing is required.*

— Luke 10:41

### MASSSES for the WEEK

Sat, 7/21	5:00	†Charlie Borg
Sun, 7/22	9:00	†Nancy Gibbons
	11:00	†Anna Grubensky
	5:00	
Mon, 7/23	9:00	
Tue, 7/24	9:00	<b>Parish Family</b>
Wed, 7/25	9:00	
Thu, 7/26	9:00	
Fri, 7/27	9:00	
Sat, 7/28	9:00	
	5:00	†George & †Nina Sammut
Sun, 7/29	9:00	†Nancy Gibbons
	11:00	†Marguerite Gussner
	5:00	<b>Parish Family</b>

### Remember In Your Prayers

*Karen Andresen, Diane Andrews, Laverne Austin, Dalhi Besmehn, Bob Bianchi, Leah Borg, Christopher Braga, Leonard Breschini, John Cain, Alma Carlsen, Mary Carnazzo, Fran Cava, Janice De Carli, Linda Dungan & family, Margaret Eadi, Joyce Eastman, Cliff Escobar, Bernadine Fitzsimmons, Adam Garcia, Joey Gardner, Peter Garin, Randy Gibbons, Christopher Gomez, Rita, Mary Lou Kelner, Sr. Marie, Sam Lavorato, Joe Leavitt, Bill Lee, Luis Lopez, Petra Bianchi Macfarlane, Geralyn Moore, Ryan Perry, Jean Plinck, Rendell Requiro, Ed Roberti, Paddy Roche, Patricia Roel, Bill & Emma Smith, Carson & Pam Souza, Marlene Stadille, Suzanne Stewart, Linda Silvestri, Carrie Thompson, Carol, Jim Thornberry, Rachele Uganiza, Garrett Weeks, Terry Weldon, Penny Austin-Wilson, Sandy Wilt, Javier Zavala, Jessica Zobel.*

If you or someone you know would like the faith community of St. Joseph’s Parish to join you in prayer for special needs, contact the parish office, 455.2249. We do remove names after one month, so if we have taken a name from the list of a person still in need of prayers, please give us a call and we will happily put him or her back on the list.

### For Your Information

Plate Collection \$8,686.46

**Parish Library** – Open every Sunday during hospitality after the 9:00 am liturgy, and at 4:30 on Sundays. We have Fr. Jim’s homilies on tape in case you missed one. Also, if you do have a tape or a book checked out,

please remember to return when due. Thank You.

**Ministry Directory** – St. Joseph’s Parish Ministry Directories are available in the vestibule. Be sure to pick up this handy reference if you don’t already have one.

### Meetings This Week

Scripture Study	Wed, 9:30, 7:00, hall
Choir	Wed, 7:00, church
Bridge	Thur, 10:00, hall
Youth Group	Thur, 6:30, hall

### Sacred Heart School News Victoria Torcolini, Principal

“... This year, we were forced to dramatically increase tuition from \$3,700.00 to approximately \$4,800.00, after several years of operating at a stiff deficit. We hated to do this, but it was either raise tuition or shut down.

“For years SHS has been educating the children of all the parishes up and down the Route 101 corridor from King City to Prunedale/Castroville. Sacred Heart Church has always given the school a substantial amount of financial assistance. Now we are also asking for help from the other parishes. . .”

I will be making an appeal for a second collection for tuition assistance for SHS at the 9:00 and 11:00 o’clock masses on ~~Sunday, July 22~~. (The collection will be taken up at all four masses.)

### End of Season Sale

Corpus Christi Book+Store has an excellent selection of First Communion items still in stock. They are ALL on sale at 25% OFF their regular price.

Take advantage of an overstock of picture frames, crosses, prayer books, missal sets, rosaries and jewelry. Buy ahead for next year and save. Call us at 422-6609 to check stock or email us at [info@thelittleway.com](mailto:info@thelittleway.com) with your questions.

Corpus Christi Book+Store is located at 47-5 San Miguel Avenue, behind Valley Center Bowl in South Salinas. Resist the amazon.com urge – shop locally!

### Homilies Online!

Did you think Father Jim gave a good homily this week? Hear it again at [www.stjchurch.org](http://www.stjchurch.org) and click bulletin.

## **Dorothy's Place 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Calendar of Events**

Saturday, August 25, 11:00 to 4:30 – Soul on Soledad Street Festival. Free admission! Live music! Great food! Community booths! Crafts!

Saturday, December 1 – Interfaith Conference and Common Prayer. Theme: *Activating Compassion*. Location, time, and speakers to be announced.

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### **St. Joseph's Podcasts!**

Podcasts are available of the weekly readings and Father Jim's homilies for most of the weeks of the 2007 Liturgical year. We're striving to have the weekly recordings available no later than Sunday evenings. We're happy to see that many have already downloaded them!

The easy way to get them is go to the iTunes Store, search for **spreckels**, and the podcast will pop right up and you can subscribe to it.

The URL for the Podcasts is: <http://www.switchpod.com/users/st.josephsspreckels/feed.xml>

Give them a try, and we've also setup an email address for Podcast specific questions and comments at [stjos\\_spreckels@yahoo.com](mailto:stjos_spreckels@yahoo.com). Let us know what you think, and pass around the news to those you know who may have left the parish, moved far away, or might need a little 'spiritual refreshment' during the week.

### **Prophetic People Speak Truth Faith Formation Conference: Empowering Those in Ministry**

Date: September 21-22, 2007  
Place: Santa Clara Convention Center

The Archdiocese of San Francisco and the dioceses of Monterey, Oakland, San Jose, and Stockton have come together to offer those in ministry a premier conference featuring local and national speakers, such as Steve Johnson from the Markkula Center for applied Ethics at Santa Clara University, Rev. Jose Antonio Rubio, Zeni Fox, Bill Huebsch, Ida Miranda, Tony Alonso and many more!

Are you teaching religious education? Are you a Eucharistic minister, lector, or lay presider? Are you interested in the direction the church is going?

**This conference is for you!**

For conference registration or more information go to [www.sitecreator.com/faithformation](http://www.sitecreator.com/faithformation) Or call 831-373-1335.

Remember to pick up a copy of this months **Observer** and **The Everyday Catholic**. They are available in the vestibule of the church and are a very informative reading.

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## **Spaghetti Supper**

### **Santa Rita Chapel Renovation Fundraiser Spaghetti Dinner and Dance**

**Sunday, August 4**

**Dinner 5:00 to 7:00; dancing 6:00 to 9:00**

**\$12/person; under 12 years \$6**

**Music by the Up Beats**

**American Legion Post 694**

**694 Legion Way, Marina**

All proceeds go to benefit the restoration of the historic 1873 Santa Rita Chapel, located at 2214 N. Main Street, Salinas. For further information contact Barbara Brown at 770-1680 or 595-5263.

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### **Join the Catholic Daughters of America on a pilgrimage to Our Lady Queen of Peace Shrine in Santa Clara.**

Wednesday August 15, 2007, departing Sacred Heart Church on Stone Street in Salinas at 8 am and returning at 4 pm.

The cost is \$38.00 and includes lunch at China Stick

For more information call Mary Otto at 422-3425 or Agnes Casina at 422-1696.

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### **Hospital Ministry**

We are in need of more hospital volunteers. This requires some training and a security check. If you think this might be a ministry you would be interested in call Margo Lopez, 758-9002, evenings or leave a message.

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Thank you for your patience while we've been painting and making some improvements to the outside of the church. We also have new drapes in the hall.

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**ENJOY SUMMER**