



## Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time June 17, 2007

It is easy to think that those who are "good Christians" will always do the right thing. The reality, however, is very different. If you read the Scriptures there are many examples of God's chosen ones doing things that were less than honorable. Even King David had Uriah killed so he could have Uriah's wife. The important lesson for us is to realize that when we fail to live up to our beliefs and ideals all is not lost. Like David, we need to admit our failure, accept God's forgiveness, make amends and do better in the future.

**I confess my faults to the Lord, and you took away the guilt of my sin.**

— Psalm 32:5

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### MASSSES for the WEEK

Sat, 6/16	5:00	<b>August Caresani, Sr.</b>
Sun, 6/17	9:00	<b>Wayne Fellom</b>
	11:00	<b>Sandy Umari</b>
	5:00	
Mon, 6/18	9:00	<b>Parish Family</b>
Tue, 6/19	9:00	
Wed, 6/20	9:00	<b>Gene Cochetti</b>
Thu, 6/21	9:00	
Fri, 6/22	9:00	<b>John</b>
Sat, 6/23	9:00	
	5:00	<b>Charlie Borg</b>
Sun, 6/24	9:00	<b>Nancy Gibbons</b>
	11:00	<b>Raymond E. Griffin</b>
	5:00	<b>John</b>

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### Remember In Your Prayers

*Karen Andresen, Diane Andrews, Laverne Austin, Dalhi Besmehn, Bob Bianchi, Leah Borg, Leonard Breschini, John, 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, Art Hunsdorfer, Rita, Mary Lou Kelner, Sr. Marie, 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, Rachelle 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.

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### For Your Information

Plate Collection \$9,278.74

**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

I-HELP	Mon, 5:00, hall
Scripture Study	Wed, 9:30 & 7:00, hall
Choir	Wed, 7:00, church

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### Religious Education News

The registration forms for 2007-08, 1<sup>st</sup> grade through Confirmation, are now available. If your child fails to pick up a new registration form in class, please pick one up at the parish office during office hours.

Registration is also due for pre-school and kindergarten children (ages 3 – 5). This class meets during the 9:00 am liturgy. If you have not received a form, they are available in the parish office. For more information call Susan Sterrett, 455-9513.

A copy of your child's Baptismal certificate must accompany all new registrations. Please note that high school students (parishioners only) also need to register at this time.

**Registration deadline is June 30.** No exceptions will be made except for new parishioners. For more information call the parish office, 455.2249.

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### Carmel Mission Youth Ministry Rummage Sale! Saturday July 7th - Sunday July 8th

Donations are now being accepted. Drop off times (July 2 through July 5 only): Saturdays 2:30 - 5:30; Sundays 9:00 to 1:00; and 10:00 - 7:00 daily. Please bring your good, clean, saleable "junk" to the Murphy Center parking lot. Items needed are: furniture, books, tools (all kinds),

clothing, jewelry, shoes, sporting equipment, housewares, linens, etc....

Pick up is available. Please contact the Youth Ministry office at 624-1271 ext 217 to schedule.

Thank you for your support!

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## Hey Young Adults!

Come attend a young adult retreat focused on prayer for young adults, ages 20-25. It will be a time of good meals, prayer through songs, silence, and worship. In addition opportunities to make new friends, share stories, and more. The retreat begins at 7:00pm on June 22 and ends at 4:00pm on June 23. We will gather at Mission San Antonio in Jolon, CA. Please contact the Office of Young Adult Ministry, 320-6082 to register and for further information.

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## 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!**

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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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## 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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## Did You Prepare for Marriage With Engaged Encounter?

If you've been married a few years it is time to join us for a Marriage Encounter Weekend. It will give you the tools to deepen your relationship. The next weekends are June 29–July 1 and Sept. 7–9. For registration or information contact Vic?Joan Penacho, 638-9498, or [ME@penacho.com](mailto:ME@penacho.com).

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## St. Joseph's on iTunes!

We mentioned last week that we were working on Podcasting the recordings of the weekly readings and Father Jim's homilies.

We're there! podcasts are available for most of the weeks of the 2007 Liturgical year, starting with Advent, Christmas Midnight Mass, Weeks of Ordinary Time, Lent, Holy Week Homilies, and the Easter Season. We're striving to have the weekly recordings available no later than Sunday evenings.

For those of you with iTunes you can go to the iTunes Store, search for St. Joseph's Spreckels, and the podcast will pop right up and you can subscribe to it.

If you want to listen on a computer or have another podcasting tool that you use, 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.

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Please join us in celebrating Blessed Junipero Serra's Feast Day at Carmel Mission on Saturday, June 30. The grounds will be open from 11:30 to 4:30. Admission is free. During the day there will be craft demonstrations, docent tours, a farmer's market, children's activities, music, and dancing. Mass at 5:30 will be followed by a BBQ (\$12.50 per person) – reservations required.

Come meet "Fr. Serra" who will open the gates at 11:30 for the opening ceremonies in the Basilica. He will stroll the grounds and be available for conversation in his room in the museum. For more information call 624-1271, ext. 212.

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## Send a Kid to Camp



Camp St. Francis, sponsored by the Franciscan Workers, is preparing for a “kick-off” summer camp, AND A GREAT YEAR of youth activities . . . providing children with after-school enrichment programs at Margaret’s Place, our mobile computer lab, field trips, and

other special adventures.

Our first 2007 camp will be at San Lorenzo Park in King City. We will be taking excursions in the area and filling the days with arts and crafts, sports activities, campfires, *bottomless boat races*, and searching for *dinosaur eggs*.

Camp St. Francis is about building self-esteem, mutual support, and cooperation . . . It is about affirmations and dream sharing . . . and convincing the children how special they are.

Please consider helping to make this summer extra special for the children served by the Franciscan Workers! All of our youth programs are offered at no charge to their families so your help is vital. Summer camp cost is \$100 per child. Any funds that we receive beyond camping costs will be used for school supplies, computer programs, art supplies, and field trips. Thank you so very much.