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LOST AND FOUND

Please stop by the Parish Office for lost items. Our shelf is filled with items such as eye glasses, umbrellas, cell phones, etc. Items not picked up will be donated to PV Resale.

Welcome To Saint John Fisher

Answer The Call to Shine Brightly For Others

God calls upon each one of us to share our gifts with our brothers and sisters in Christ who are in need. Through **Together in Mission** we can share our mighty deeds and give healing and faith to the communities that simply would not be here without your support. Though our Church is large, our strength lies not in our numbers but in our compassion and ability to respond to the call of help.

Every gift matters, regardless of the size, when we give what we can and answer the calling of our faith. For those of you who have already committed to a gift, thank you! For those of you who have yet to make a gift this year, there is still time to participate in this vital appeal.

Together we can make sure God's love and presence are felt by all, especially those in need. God bless you for your generosity.

Faith Direct - Electronic Giving

Fast. Pray. Give up your Envelopes! We invite you to help your parish save money by giving up your offertory envelopes this Lent! Enrolling with Faith Direct will provide St. John Fisher with consistent support and simplify your giving without the wasteful envelopes. Join us in giving up envelopes this Lenten season! Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: CA436. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

Scrip: The Un-Fundraiser

Did you know that you can generate additional funds for St. John Fisher School without any additional cost to you by purchasing **gift cards** for your favorite restaurants, stores, entertainment, and travel? Vendors give back a percentage to SJF school to further our mission and ministry.

Scrip is simply **gift cards** for retailers, restaurants, and services, both local and nation-wide. Instead of using cash, checks, or your credit card when you purchase goods or services, you use your Scrip gift cards. The great thing about Scrip is that you can use it for everyday purchases, groceries, gas, prescriptions, gifts, etc. You won't be spending **any more** money than you already do.

We have gift cards for over 100 popular vendors available on an immediate pick up basis **after the 9am and before the 10:45 am Masses on Sunday**. Additionally, they are available in the school office during the school day. Although it requires a little planning on your part, getting in the habit of using Scrip for your purchases is as easy as **1-2-3!**

Have you remembered St. John Fisher Church / School in your will or trust? For information, contact Gayle Plecha at 310-377-5571 or gplecha@sjf.org.

Presidents' Day

Monday, February 20, is Presidents' Day and a national holiday. There will be one Mass at 9:00 am. There will be no Eucharistic Adoration. The Parish Office, Offices of Faith Formation, and School Offices will be closed.

Help: One Hour a Week to Pray?

From 9 am to 9 pm Monday through Friday, people pray for one hour in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, honoring the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. What you pray, how you pray, in the silence of your heart, is up to you. *Can you spend but one hour each week with our Lord? Pray-ers are welcome to sign up for any hour. Some of the hours we especially need people for are Wednesday 5:00 pm; Thursday 10:00 am, 12:00 pm, and 1:00 pm; Friday 5:00 pm, 7:00 pm and 8:00 pm.* For more information, contact Carlyn Quinto: 310-377-5571 or Rose Loggin: rloggin@aol.com.

Child Care Available at the 9:00 and 10:45 am Masses

Child care is available for the little ones during the 9 am and 10:45 am Masses in the Auditorium below the Parish Activities Center. Let your children come and have a fun time with Mrs. Blessie and Mrs. Rosie while you get a few minutes of peace and serenity at Mass! Advance registration is not required.

BAPTIZED

11/27/16

Malakai Awshee, son of Kristopher Awshee & Mary Nadjarian.
Catherine Annabelle Thuy Kulli, daughter of Martin Kulli & Maryann Vu

Hollie - Joy Ngekwi Ntung, daughter of Joseph Ntung & Helen Fufor

12/10/16

Caroline Marie Meierhans, daughter of Christopher Meierhans & Erica Alterwitz

12/13/16

Cristiano David Yep, son of Thomas Yep & Christina Brown

12/25/16

Sage Riley Yap Menchavez, daughter of Ray Menchavez & Sarah Bernice Yap

Romolo James Santarosa, son of Justin Santarosa & Eliza Hynes

12/31/16

Sunny James Ginter, son of Jacob Ginter & Catherine Canetti
Matteo Ocean Canetti, son of James Canetti & Heide Nemecek
Beckett Wu Giarratano, son of Paul Giarratano & Frances Wu

1/14/17

John Luke Cimmarusti, son of Ralph Cimmarusti & Katherine Nelson
Antonio Juan Dileva, son of Anthony Dileva & Monique Flores

1/22/17

Joziah Michael Garcia, son of Jan Michael Garcia & Jocelyn Sebastian
Beatrice Antonia Bettio, daughter of Massimo Bettio & Sylvia Martignago

August William Donovan, son of Daniel Donovan & Julie D'Antoni
Laila Faith Alegria, daughter of Eric Alegria & Christine Abboud

MARRIAGE

Oliver Mapanao Maiquez & Christina Misun Kim

MASS SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 18, SATURDAY

8:00 am Richard Zigrang, Jr.†
5:00 pm Michael McCarthy† Fr.Kalu

FEBRUARY 19, SUNDAY

7:30 am Dan Healy† Fr. Aguilar
9:00 am Raymond Avelino† Fr. Caro
10:45 am Patricia Arndt† Fr. Bandsuch
12:30 pm Mary Taylor† Msgr. Gilb
5:00 pm Parishioners Msgr. Sork

FEBRUARY 20, MONDAY

9:00 am Darth Koski†

FEBRUARY 21, TUESDAY

8:00 am Terri Witherell
5:15 pm Richard Zigrang, Jr.†

FEBRUARY 22, WEDNESDAY

8:00 am Sandra Bonde†
5:15 pm Richard Zigrang, Jr.†

FEBRUARY 23, THURSDAY

8:00 am Cosimo Louis Occhipinti†
5:15 pm Josephine Metzger†

FEBRUARY 24, FRIDAY

8:00 am Leda Connor†
5:15pm Tom Mullen†

FEBRUARY 25, SATURDAY

8:00 am Xesar Inducil†
5:00 pm Peter Westhead† Msgr. Sork

FEBRUARY 26, SUNDAY

7:30 am Parishioners Fr. Kalu
9:00 am Leo C. Young† Fr. Bandsuch
10:45 am Mary Alice Sandoval† Msgr. Gilb
12:30 pm Ronnie Pesusich Fr. Aguilar
5:00 pm Sandra Bonde† Fr. Aguilar

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday: Sir 1:1-10; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19

Thursday: Sir 5:1-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mk 9:41-50

Friday: Sir 6:5-17; Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35; Mk 10:1-12

Saturday: Sir 17:1-15; Ps 103:13-18; Mk 10:13-16

Sunday: Is 49:14-15; 1 Cor 4:1-5; Mt 6:24-34

Home is Holy: Celebrate Mardi Gras!



Mardi Gras is the last Tuesday before Lent begins, and the end of the Carnival season. Carnival is a period of fun and feasting between the end of Christmas season and the beginning of Lent. This year Mardi Gras falls on February 28. Mardi Gras is celebrated in different ways in various places in the world. The official colors for the holiday are green, gold, and purple. Green stands for faith, gold stands for power, and purple stands for justice. Rich foods are often consumed at Mardi Gras, reflecting the tradition of fasting from such foods for Lent. Pancakes, King’s cakes, and beignets (fried sweet pastries) are popular treats, but you can make your own family tradition with a fun meal together. Enjoy!

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Religious Education Class Schedule



Sunday Religious Education classes, Preschool through Grade 8, will NOT meet on February 26 and 28. Staff and catechists will be attending the Religious Education Congress in Anaheim.

First Communion Parent Classes



Classes have begun for the parents of all children who will be celebrating First Communion in May. The final “C” class is scheduled for Friday, March 3, 7:30-8:45 pm.

“D” Classes are scheduled for Sunday, March 5, 10:30-11:45 am, Friday, March 10, 7:30-8:45 pm, and Sunday March 12, 10:30-11:45 am. All meetings will be in the Auditorium below the PAC gym. Parents are reminded that attendance at the parent meetings is an essential part of preparation for your child’s First Communion. Parents who have attended the required meetings will receive information about choosing First Communion Liturgies in mid-March.

Thank You For Joining Us at Mass!

Every Sunday after the 9 am Mass, children are invited to come receive a small gift to thank them for coming. Look for the “Thank You” cart outside of Church on the Gathering Plaza and bring your children over to receive a small gift.

Margaret Johnson
 Director of Religious Education K-8
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Ash Wednesday Event

All high school students are welcome to attend our annual Ash Wednesday Prayer Experience on Wed., Mar. 1st from 6:30 pm-8:15 pm in the Auditorium.

For Confirmation students, this will count as a PEW for second semester. We’ll meet in the Auditorium at 6:30 pm for a special prayer service. We will all go over to the church at 7:25 pm for the Ash Wed. service. Parents and families can meet us there.

Confirmation- Year 1

Year 1 class will be offered Sunday, Feb. 26 at 2:45 pm--Candidates only, **OR** class will be Monday, Feb. 27 at 6:45 pm-- Candidates only.

Note: We will be starting classes a bit early so we can show a very special movie and use the whole time needed as it is a first run feature.

Both sessions in Barrett Hall.

Gospel Recap "Break the Cycle, like Jesus & MLK"

One of the hardest things we must learn how to do as Christians is to love our enemies. The best example of this is Jesus, who forgave his executioners from the cross, “Father, Forgive them for they know not what they do.” Jesus challenges his disciples to break the cycles of sin that suck many people in and cause so much destruction in the world. ‘Turning the other cheek’ means standing up for your own rights, without resorting to violence or seeking revenge. Our world can be so dark and with February being Black History Month, remember what Martin Luther King said, “Darkness can’t drive out Darkness; only Light can do that. Hate can’t drive out Hate; only Love can do that.”

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ADULTS



Interested in Becoming Catholic

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? Are you missing some of your sacraments, such as First Communion or Confirmation? Our RCIA program runs September through April with classes taking place on Sunday mornings. Inquiry sessions are held the first Sunday of the month in the Parish Conference room from 10:30 am-11:30 am. There will be a session on March 5th, “Role of Scripture in the Church.” All are welcome, reservations are not needed. Questions: please email Misty at mjesse@sjf.org.

Dive-In University Series South

The 2017 Dive-In series runs from March 6-23. This year’s focus is “Grace Through Faith.” Hosted by thirteen parishes in the South Bay, Dive-In provides a multi-parish adult faith formation program with something for everyone. Twenty four seminars will be presented connecting faith with real life in areas such as contemporary moral issues, evangelization, faith and science, marriage and family, church history, scripture, prayer, and current events. Sessions include multi-media presentations, and always allow time for your questions. For a list of presenters, bios, session descriptions, locations and to download the 2017 Dive-In Guidebook please visit the website at www.diveinuss.org.

Registration: \$5 per class (includes one guest) purchase at participating parish or at the door. Series pass: \$25 per person (good for all talks and includes one guest pass).

On Sunday, Feb. 26th, passes and guidebooks will be available after the daytime Masses at St. John Fisher.

Fair Trade Market at SJF, Sunday, March 5th

What is Fair Trade? Our faith calls us to live out the Gospel values on a daily basis. Catholic social teaching principles of respecting the dignity of work and caring for the poor are key ways we can do this. Through fair trade we can use our economic power to contribute to the common good and live out these values. On March 5th, St. John Fisher will be hosting a Fair Trade event in Barrett Hall from 8 am to 2:00 pm. We hope to see you there. Contact John for more information at **310-378-1882**.

Misty Jesse

Director of Evangelization

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK

February 26, 2017 - *Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

First Reading: Isaiah 49:14-15

Isaiah’s words remind us that God never forsakes us. When in your life could these words bring consolation? When could you share these words with others?

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)

Do you remember how you became a Catholic? Some of us are born into a Catholic family and are lovingly taught the faith from birth, others marry into the faith and feel a longing to belong, or are invited to a Catholic event and feel a stirring in their heart to learn more. In each instance, somewhere along the way, there is a person or persons, willing to take the journey with the one searching, longing, inquiring. What is God calling you to do? Please consider becoming a part of the RCIA team, an exciting and life changing event as you share the beauty and depth of our faith with those seeking to belong. Call or email Misty at 310 -377-4573 x130; mjesse@sjf.org.

EARLY IDENTIFICATION CAN HELP TO PREVENT LONG-TERM EFFECTS

Knowing how to identify potential signs of abuse and neglect can help parents and other adults take action more quickly and help prevent further abuse. Adults who spend a lot of time with kids – parents, teachers, family members – should be on the lookout, as children who have suffered from abuse may experience guilt, anxiety, learning difficulties, aggression or self-destructive behaviors. To request a copy of the VIRTUS© article “Early Identification is Crucial” email jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or call 213-637-7227. *Parish Safeguard the Children Contact: Margaret Johnson, 310-377-4573 x136, mjohnson@sjf.org.*

STEWARDSHIP OF OUR TIME & TALENT**January 22 – January 28, 2017**Hot Meals Delivered: **175**Sandwiches Delivered: **800**

These efforts were funded by St. John Fisher Charitable Outreach (Obra Buena). If you would like to volunteer or donate, please contact Misty Jesse.

ADULT FAITH & STEWARDSHIP CALENDAR**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - February 25-26, 2017**Shrove Tuesday** - February 28, 2017**Lenten Soup Suppers** - Fridays, March 3 - April 7, 2017**Fair Trade Market** - March 5, 2017**Dive-in USS** - March 6 - 23, 2017**Dawn Unity** - March 7, 2017, Host: SJF**Lenten Series with Fr. Francis** - Thursdays, March 16 - April 6, 2017**SJF Outreach Ministry Retreat** - March 25, 2017, Host: DMJ Retreat Center**Parish Mission with Mike Patin**-March 26-28, 2017**Growing in the Word: Acts** - April 3-May 15, 2017**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - April 8-9, 2017**Scholastic Luncheon Series #3** - April 10, 2017**Sanctus Retreat** - April 22, 2017**Bible Timeline: Matthew Session #3** - Apr. 25-June 6, 2017**Dawn Unity** - May 2, Host: Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**Catholic-Jewish Women of the South Bay** - May 9, 2017**Military Ministry Memorial Day Collection** - May 20-21, 2017**Anointing of the Sick** - June 3, 2017**Volunteer Thank You Lunch** - June 3, 2017**Family Promise of the South Bay** - June 11-18, 2017**Family Promise of the South Bay** - July 23-30, 2017**Family Promise of the South Bay** - September 3-10, 2017**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - September 16-17, 2017**Red Cross Mobile Blood Drive** - October 1, 2017**Scholastic Luncheon Series #1** - October 10, 2017**PV Resale Christmas Boutique** - November 3-4, 2017**Veterans Day Breakfast & Celebration** - November 11, 2017**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - November 18-19, 2017**Stewardship Moment**

"But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you..." Matthew 5:44

Love your enemies, easier said than done, no doubt. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and turns our attention away from "me" and moves it toward God and others. It allows us to have a little more empathy for "our enemy." When we pray for others, even "our enemies," maybe it softens their hearts as well.

Food Bag Distribution Next Week

The Food Pantry will be sponsoring our first food drive for 2017 on Feb. 25 and 26. The Food Pantry Ministry greatly appreciates your continued support of those we serve. We will be collecting nonperishable food and personal hygiene items to support Harbor Interfaith, Peter and Paul Poverty Programs, and the Sisters of Rolling Hills Charity. If you would prefer to make a monetary donation, please use the pink envelope attached to the grocery bag. If you would like to participate in the Food Pantry Ministry please contact: Frank Brown at fj.brown@verizon.net or Courtney Krakie at ian.sarah@yahoo.com

Outreach Retreat of Care and Compassion

St. John Fisher's Stephen Ministry is hosting a spiritual retreat at the Mary and Joseph Retreat Center (MJRC) on March 25th from 9 am to 12 pm. Ms. Wendy Rappe, Spiritual Development Coordinator at the MJRC, will be the facilitator. If you volunteer or work in ministries involved with care and outreach for the elderly, the homebound, the sick, or the bereaved, please join us; spouses are also welcome. A continental breakfast will be served starting at 8:30 am. Tickets for the event are \$10/person. RSVP by March 18th to Bob Cash at bobcash116@aol.com.

PV Resale Supports Richstone Family Center

Located in Torrance, STAR operates three homes for developmentally disabled adults. Because of the many hours of service provided by generous volunteers, including those from St. John Fisher, this life changing ministry received \$5,035. Your support makes possible Palos Verdes Resale's quarterly distribution of \$110,000. If you would like to donate items to PV Resale please take your donations directly to the thrift shop or call to arrange a furniture pick-up.

Palos Verdes Resale Thrift Shop

2321 Pacific Coast Highway, Lomita, CA 90717

310-534-1722 - Open Tuesday - Saturday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm**Misty Jesse****Director of Evangelization****(310) 377-4573 x130 | mjesse@sjf.org**



SJF Father Daughter Dance – A Night To Treasure

Last weekend, St. John Fisher School hosted a Father Daughter Dance for all school and parish families. The evening was filled with special moments, laughter, and love.



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PRAY FOR THE SICK

Juliet Dhingra, sister of Amy Klose
 Ken Dyda
 David Lee
 Margaret Majid

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR...

Marcella Achacoso, Christine Acuna James R. Anthony Josephine Appel Tony Armenio Lori Avelino Brooke Bagdasar Janet Barry Janet Brennan Tola Boubion Dick Buchholz Diane Casto Alex Egger Lenny & Gloria Fink Dan Finnegan Katsuko Fujimoto Msgr. Eugene Gilb Frank Guerra Maria Gilbert-Kempf Carmen Haro Anh Hoa Ethel Hörst Cathy James Walter Kamholz Jean Keller Corrine Larson Mable Louise Loggin Anthony MacGilfrey	Carol Marsh Barbara Marshall David & Joan Matson Tom Mattis Mary McDonough Ethel McMahon Thadd McNamara Florence McTaggart Andrew Mendez Sally Moore Clare Nolan Nancy O'Conor Maureen O'Crowley Lee Beverly O'Donald, Levy Olivares Catherine Reese Evamaria Rewinski Fr. Raymond Roh Mary Rush Adam Rybicki Hy Sing Joan Sing Jo Smith David Tomblin, Sr. Tom Villardi Marguerite Wilkie Rosemary Zoolalian
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PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Gloria Lee, wife of Clarence Lee
 Alice Healy Sesno, wife of Frank Sesno
 Marvin Merrill, father of Mike Merrill
 Marisa Tufaro, grandniece of Marie & Ron Davis

PRAY FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL AND FAMILIES

1st Lt. Andrew Alessandra, USA
 Capt. Glenn Baker
 Lt. Col. Robert Barry, Jr., USAFR
 Danny Bender, USN Seal
 Scott Bender, USN Seal
 ADC Michael R. Boubion, USN
 Capt. Ryan Brown, USA
 James D. Cheatham, USN
 Lt. Col. Andrew Foster, USA
 Cpt. Blake Gillman, USA
 Brian Kawagoe, USA
 Lt. James M. Keener, USN
 Maj. Jordan Mastroianni, Jr., USA
 Gen. H.R. McMaster, USA
 Private First Class Jonathan Perrin, USM
 Sean Raymond Reagan, USAF
 Michael Simonell, USAF
 Erik Stevenson, USN
 1st Lt. Hannah Thomas, USA
 1st Lt. Mark Thomas, USA
 Lt. Nicholas Tramontin, USNR
 Daniel Vasquez, US Army
 Luis Vega, PO2, USN
 C. Stuart Vick, USN
 Capt. JAG Rachel Walkup, USA

If you have a loved one serving in the Military and would like his/her name on the prayer list and/or picture on the Military Board, please contact Joan, 310-377-5571. Pictures should be approximately 4" x 5", and may be dropped off at the office, ATTN: Joan Barry. **IMPORTANT:** Please include a contact name and phone number. The Military Board is in the church narthex.

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITIES

Christian Family Movement (CFM) meets one Friday a month to explore living out one's faith in everyday life. Interested? Please call Joan & Frank Lee at 310-377-5571.

Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy meets the second Tuesday of each month after 5:15 pm Mass. Call 310-377-4573 for more information.

Families of Nazareth: Mondays at 9:30 am meets in the **Auditorium Conference Room; Tuesdays** at 7:30 pm in the **Faculty Room; Men's group on Mondays** at 7:30 pm in the **Rectory Meeting Room**. Call 310-377-4573 for more information.

A-Men Scripture Study meets weekly at a local Starbucks on Friday at 6:30 am. David de Miranda at 310-377-5571.

A-Men & Women Faith Sharing meets from 7:00-8:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month. Meetings are held in the Multi-Purpose Room of the church. For more information, Hanan - 310-377-5571.

Monday Evening Faith Sharing meets weekly in a home near Silver Spur and Hawthorne. For more information, please contact Luz Smith, 310-377-5571.

Mary Our Mother meets the second Wednesday of each month. Questions? Contact Jacintha Knapp 310-377-5571.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW AND HAVE FUN

Monday Morning Scripture Study meets 10:00-11:30 am at Marian Residence.

Catholic Update meets Wednesdays at 9:30 am in Cityside Room.

The Seekers, men's group, meets most Thursdays in the Cityside Room at 10 am.

Book Club meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in Room 108. For book information, see goodreads.com/group/show/140472-sjf-book-club

Senior Fitness Class, every Tuesday & Thursday, 9:30 - 10:30 am in the gym. \$5/class or 6 classes for \$25. Sign up in Parish Office or at class.

PRAYER GROUPS/DEVOTIONS

Eucharistic Adoration, Monday - Friday: 9:00 am to 9:00 pm, Carlyn Quinto, 310-377-5571 Rose Loggin-rloggin@aol.com

First Friday 24-hour adoration: 8 am Friday to 8 am Saturday

For more questions on adoration, contact the parish office.

Chapel of Divine Mercy, Thursday 5:50 pm - 6:30 pm, Church

Charismatic Prayer Group, Friday: 6:30 pm- 8:30 pm, Rectory Meeting Room, Peter Fernandes, 310-377-5571

Queen of Peace Prayer Group, Odette Smith, 310-377-5571. Every Tuesday, after 5:15 pm Mass, Chapel of the Blessed Mother

Rosary, Monday - Saturday: Before Mass at 7:25 am and after 8:00 am Mass, Chapel of the Blessed Mother

Prayer Tree Marguerite Wilkie, 310-377-5571.

Pilgrimage With Fr. Francis

New Dates for St. Patrick's Ireland with Fr. Francis!

Join us this summer from June 24 - July 5 on a St. Patrick's Ireland pilgrimage with Fr. Francis Aguilar. Highlights include Dublin, Brazen Head Pub Dinner, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Clonmacnoise, Westport, Knock Shrine, Kylemore Abbey, Galway, Belfast, Armagh, Beautiful Killarney, Stunning Dingle Peninsula, Muckcross Estate & Gardens.

Price is \$3999 per person, includes non-stop air from LAX to Dublin & back, hotel transfers, air taxes/surcharges, all breakfasts, 5 dinners, 10-night stay at 4.5 star hotels, tour guides, deluxe motorcoach, admissions per itinerary, etc. **BOOK NOW UNTIL FEB. 20, 2017 to SAVE \$200 PER PERSON.**

Pick up brochures at Parish Office. More info, call Ely at **310-944-3355**.

Shrove Tuesday Luncheon - February 28

Sponsored by the St. John Fisher Women's Council. The Luncheon is our annual fundraiser for the local charities we support. Our Guest Speaker will be Bishop Sartoris. Admission will be \$25. Reservations can be made at the Parish Office, 5448 Crest Rd. Rancho Palos Verdes until February 24. Call Elaine Sweers at **310-377-5571** for more information.

Catholic Co-Ed Softball Players Wanted

Greater South Bay Catholic Co-ed Adult (ages 18+) Softball League Seeks Players for their exciting 2017 Season! Games are held on Sunday Afternoons from February thru June in Torrance. Singles & Couples welcome; Female Players especially needed! If interested, please contact ASAP: Fred at **310-377-5571** (Home) or fredlawler@hotmail.com.

Day of Recollection

The Auxiliary of the Little Sisters of the Poor invite interested women to join them for their Lenten Day of Recollection which will be led by Fr. Francis Aguilar, the Associate Pastor from St. John Fisher Catholic Church on Wednesday, March 23, 2017 (9:00 am to 3:00 pm) at Jeanne Jugan Residence, 2100 S. Western Ave. in San Pedro.

Please return this form with your RSVP and \$25.00 donation payable to: Auxiliary of the Little Sisters of the Poor

No later than March 9, 2017

Ms. Barbara G. West

949 W. 26th Street #111

San Pedro, CA 90731

Name:

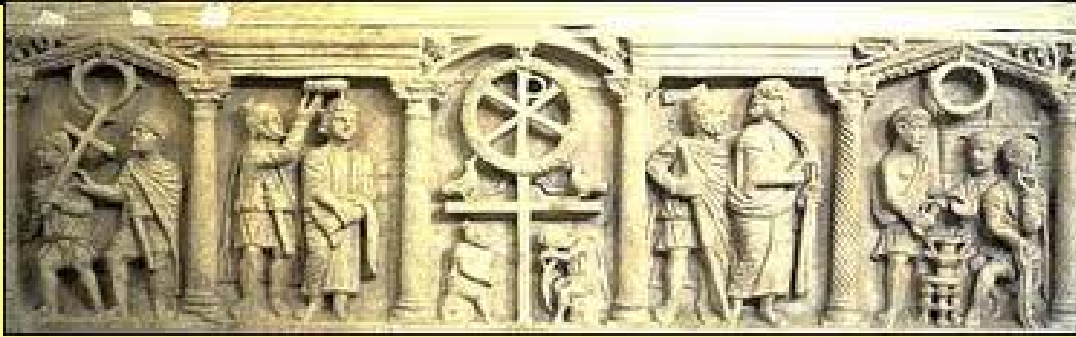
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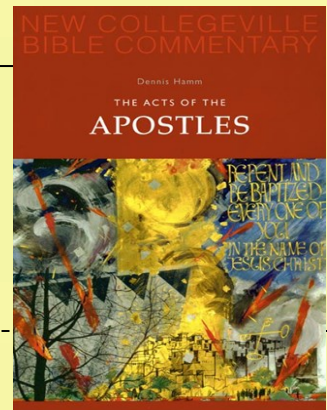
Call **310-548-0625** ex 212 for further information.



St. John Fisher Catholic Community
FAITH ENRICHMENT SCRIPTURE STUDY SERIES 2017
GROWING IN THE WORD:
THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

Join us as we explore part two of the “Gospel of Luke”. The book of Acts continues the story of Jesus in the emerging Church, particularly through the acts of two apostles: Peter and his mission to the Jews and Paul and his mission to the Gentiles. Luke provides us a written record which depicts the two apostles continuing the routine of Jesus: they travel, work miracles, preach the Good News, are persecuted and imprisoned. Together we will journey through the Acts of the Apostles using the Collegeville commentary edition along with the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

**** Newcomers always welcome****



Presenter: Misty Jesse, PhD, DMin
Meeting place: SJF Auditorium (below the PAC)
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