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May 3, 2009



ST. TERESA OF AVILA CHURCH

11600 Atwood Rd., Auburn, CA 95603
(530) 889-2254
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Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil.....5:00pm
Sunday.....8:30am, 11:00am & 5:00pm

Daily Masses

Monday - Saturday.....8:30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 3:00pm – 4:30pm

The priests are honored to celebrate the Sacrament of Penance at any time; please call for an appointment with the priest of your choice.

Eucharistic Adoration

Saturdays.....9:00am—3:00pm

Baptisms: For the celebration of Baptism, please call the Parish Office, for information.

Marriage: If you are a member of our parish, please contact a priest or deacon of your choice at *least* six months in advance of your desired wedding in order to participate in a process of marriage preparation.

Confirmation: For teens, the Sacrament of Confirmation is a two-year preparation process; please contact our coordinator of religious education; for adults not yet confirmed, please call the parish office.

Ministry to the Sick: Please call parish office
(530) 889-2254

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Steve Gold, Youth Director - (530) 217-9523

If you are new or visiting our parish, we welcome you. If you would like to register with our parish, please contact the parish office or visit our web site at www.stteresaauburn.com to download the census form.

Also, please notify the parish office for address changes or member updates.



Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 3, 2009

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.

— 1 John 3:1

SAVED BY THE ONE WHO WAS REJECTED

Some city teenagers often scorn and reject farm kids. Yet it's no exaggeration to say that humanity owes its life to farmers who care for the world's crops and livestock. This week's scriptures remind us that Jesus was as rejected as a shepherd, a farm boy, yet we owe our very lives to him.

In this Sunday's reading from the Acts of the Apostles Peter tells the people that salvation comes through Jesus Christ, the one who was rejected. In John's letter we hear that we have become God's beloved children through Jesus, whom the world did not know. Lastly, in the Gospel Jesus describes himself as the Good Shepherd who "lays down his life for the sheep" (John 10:11). Will you join Jesus in laying down your life for God's beloved flock?

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May 4, 2009 — May 10, 2009

Monday:	8:30am	+	Dwayne Whitman
Tuesday:	8:30am		Barbara Pahl
Wednesday:	8:30am		Lynn Foote & Family
Thursday:	8:30am		T. Smith & Family
Friday:	8:30am		Girud Guyre & Family
Saturday:	8:30am		Barbara Pahl
Saturday:	5:00pm		Betty DeBarger
Sunday:	8:30am	+	Mary Brendis
	11:00am		All Parishioners
	5:00pm		Pat Shapton

WELCOME SUNDAY is today after the 8:30 and 11:00am Masses. The adult choir will be your hosts and hostesses.



Welcome Sunday

Please stop by and introduce yourself and mingle with other parishioners.

TODAY'S READINGS



First Reading — There is no salvation through anyone else (Acts 4:8-12).

Psalm — The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone (Psalm 118).

Second Reading — See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God (1 John 3:1-2).

Gospel — The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep (John 10:11-18).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday:	Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday:	Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Jn 12:44-50
Thursday:	Acts 13:13-25; Jn 13:16-20
Friday:	Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday:	Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14
Sunday:	Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Fourth Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations
Tuesday:	Cinco de Mayo



Weekly Offering for:

*Average Weekly for April 26, 2009
(Based on 41 weeks)*

**Thank You
For Your Offering**

\$11,705.00

WELCOME: If you would like to register with our parish, please complete the following and place in our collection basket.

FAMILY NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ CELL: _____



FIRST COMMUNION PHOTOGRAPHS

When children are born into a family it is a time of blessing for all. God brings the children to us and asks us to raise them. When parents prepare children for their First Holy Communion, they bring their children to God—to Christ. First Holy Communion Day is one of the earliest memories most of us have. But it needs to be more than just a memory. How can we keep the beauty of this closeness to Christ alive?

Photographs are important to all of us. They also show our value system. When I visit homes, I always want to see family pictures. You see all kinds of family groupings: wedding days, family reunions, baseball and soccer pictures. But now-a-days you see little or no pictures on display of First Holy Communion Day. Not long ago while visiting a grandmother who was dying, the pictures she had on display were of her grandchildren’s First Communion days, she felt blessed by her children and grandchildren. To my parents, these First Communion pictures had a special place in our home. Every visitor saw a celebration of our faith and they became a source of blessing to us grown children and to all my nieces and nephews.

Let First Communion day be a deepening of our love of Christ. May we the parish family of St. Teresa of Avila share the joy of our children. If you can find your own First Communion picture or that of your children, share it. In the weeks ahead, get that film developed and display the First Communion pictures. Send them to grandparents and Godparents, and relationships will deepen.

I hope next weekend we will have the pictures of our First Holy Communion children in our Church display cases. First Communion Day is a blessing for our families and with the help of photographs it can be a blessing that lasts for

God Bless, Fr. Mike

Giggles: Baltimore Catechism

The teacher had striven for months to prepare her class for Confirmation. She had great difficulty with one young man in trying to get him to memorize the answer to the following question, “Is it lawful to pray to idols?” The answer was “By no means, for they have neither life, nor sense, nor power to hear or help us.” Unfortunately, when the examination day arrived and the examining priest came to the poor student—the question he asked him was, “Are we obliged to contribute to the support of our priests?” Without hesitation our genius replied, “By no means, for they have neither sense nor power to hear or help us.”

Teacher: “Sean, use the word “information” in a sentence.”

Sean: “Geese fly information.”

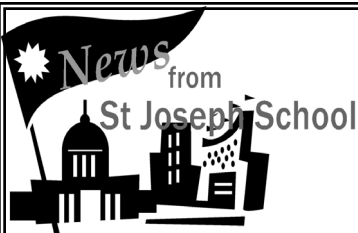


**Soul Endeavors
Cancer Support Ministry Group**

Join others in our faith community that have been effected by cancer in a new ministry, Soul Endeavors, which will begin it's monthly meeting schedule on Saturday, June 13th at St. Teresa of Avila's parish in Auburn. It will be held in the parish office starting at 10:00am and ending at 11:15am. The meeting will be a spiritually focused support group offering prayer, reflection, and sharing. The group will be open to anyone affected by the disease including current patients, survivors, and loved ones.

Each monthly session will provide time for sharing one's spiritual and emotional challenges and/or victories. We will actively and openly discuss ALL aspects of the disease process from initial diagnosis, treatment, and possible progression of the disease or recurrence.

The group will be facilitated by fellow parishioner, Claudia A. Beckwith, a breast cancer survivor. If you have any questions or concerns, please call 530-906-1623 or leave message at the parish office for Claudia to return you call.



Registration: Are you looking for a partnership in educating your child where love of God and love of neighbor are at the core? St. Joseph Catholic School and Preschool are currently accepting applications in all grades for the 2009-2010

school year. The school's focus is to work in collaboration with parents to educate the whole child: spiritually, academically, physically, and emotionally. Please contact the school office at 530.885.4490 for an application, or schedule a tour of the school with our principal, Mira Wordelman.

Strategic Planning: St. Joseph Catholic School is one of the largest and important ministries of our parish. The school's mission is to assist parents in raising and educating children in the love of God and love of neighbor. We work with students to build a sense of community service and to develop leadership qualities that allow our students to become responsible members of our church and our society. We are asking the parish community to help develop a five-year strategic plan to continue that mission. Please take a few moments to read the enclosed letter and reply to the survey that is attached. Your input is critical to ensure that this ministry is meeting the needs of our parents and our parish. Please place the survey next Sunday in a box that will be located in the back of the Church.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the following First Communicants who received the Eucharist on May 2nd:



*Veronica Alonzo*MichelleAngel*
Clare Arnold*ElizabethArtim* Rachel*

*Barnes*Klarissa Beaton*WilliamBerry*Jason
Boche*Nickolas Bowers*Chad Bucher*Hayden
Coen*Sara Cole*Emily Conway*Tessa Crouch*
Angelina DelTessandoro*MelanieDelaveaga*
Tonya Ellner*Grace Estrada*LoganFeece*
Parker Franscella*JadenGravatt*NoahGravatt*
Shaylee Gravatt*AlfonsoGuido*ShawnHarris*
Josephine Hernandez*AmyHiatt*DavidHornbek*
AshleyHuckins*Katie Huston*Sophia Johnson*
Abigail Jones*AnnaKampp*MikaylaKauinana*
GabrielKenes*ColbyLafaille*Alexa Lanternman*
Taryn Lawrence*CarloLopez*Adison LoPiccolo*
MayaMadison*Eric Mahoney*Alexandra
Melendez*Sarah Pentek*Makayla Perez*
Michael Perez*Julia Piziali*RaquelQuarite*
Sal Quarite*Rosemary Reuter*Bernard Reynon
*Elizabeth Riley*Nathan Rowe*Austin Ryder*
Adam Santos*Hunter Schott*Mason Summers*
NicoleTait*Jack Watts*Ryan Whalley*
Brendan Woytus*Chase Wuelfing III*Bailey Young*
Emily Youngblood**

CALLING ALL CAMPERS!

**Vacation Bible School
will be "happening"
June 22nd through June 26th.**



Volunteers are still needed. Our volunteer meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 6, 2009 at 2:00pm in the Chapel. If you are interested in helping, please call 823-7122. Forms available online at: www.StTeresaAuburn.com

Religious Education Registration Forms for the 2009/2010 school year will be available on Sunday, May 10, 2009 from 9:45 to 10:45am in front of St. Joseph's school office. Please register early so we can have an accurate count for next year. We will also have VBS material available.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with the First Communion retreat last weekend. The children had a great time and learned more about our loving Savior, Jesus. It would not have been possible without the help of all the terrific volunteers.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE
Week of May 10, 2009
Altar Servers

Saturday, 5/9/09, 5:00pm:
 Nathan Jacques, Alicia Gutierrez, Mitchell Whitney

Sunday, 5/10/09, 8:30am:
 Chris Eggert, Duncan Osgood, Shelley Smith

Sunday, 5/10/09, 11:00am:
 Rachel & Sarah Fenner, Drew Oakes

Sunday, 5/10/09, 5:00pm:
 Nico Barbieri, Austin Rossi, Alena Voss

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday, 5/9/09, 5:00pm:
 Laurie Ellis, Jim McKeivitt, Joyce Swartz
 Chuck & Renee Mercer

Sunday, 5/10/09, 8:30am:
 Donna Keeley, Diana Lemmon, Candie Malinowski
 Dennis & Karen Williams, Jeanine Overton, Sandra Liebergot

Sunday, 5/10/09, 11:00am:
 Rob Fecko, Anita Miller, Gina Orlando,
 Dana & Russ Zeller, Sally & Chuck Manzer

Sunday, 5/10/09, 5:00pm:
 Danielle Wordelman, Michele Broussard, Gail Beeman
 Michael & Michelle Barbieri, Marianne Ellner, John Sheehan

Lectors

Saturday, 5/9/09, 5:00pm:
 Pat & Ann Hess

Sunday, 5/10/09, 8:30pm:
 Trish Jensen, Barbara Kilborn

Sunday, 5/10/09, 11:00am:
 Teresa & Faith Oakes

Sunday, 5/10/09, 5:00pm:
 Mary Cait Hogan, Andrea Perez

Greeters

Saturday, 5/9/09, 5:00pm:
 Kelly Woytus, Carol & Bob Thomas, Pete Leash

Sunday, 5/10/09, 8:30am:
 Marcia & Mike Kitchell, Velma Minter, John Kysar
 Joan Thompson, Betty Mathews

Sunday, 5/10/09, 11:00am:
 Kaitlin Woytus, Peg & Jim Moore
 Jennifer & Mark Lowe, Ruth Wright

Sunday, 5/10/09, 5:00pm:
 Kathyne Giles, Barbara Johnson
 Andrew Zehm, Mark Champlin

Ushers

Saturday, 5/9/09, 5:00pm: Not Filled

Sunday, 5/10/09, 8:30am:
 Bill Fixmer, Pete Ivovic, Ron Malinowski, Jim Morgan

Sunday, 5/10/09, 11:00pm:
 Paul Law, Bill Stirman

Sunday, 5/10/09, 5:00pm: Not Filled

Sacristan

Saturday, 5/9/09, 8:00pm: Jim McKeivitt
Sunday, 5/10/09, 8:30am: Julia Eggert
Sunday, 5/10/09, 11:00am: Joe Offer
Sunday, 5/10/09, 5:00pm: Mark Champlin

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, May 11, 2009

9:30am	Bible Study	Chapel
3:00pm	SJS Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
6:00pm	Jr. Cantors Practice	St. Teresa
6:30pm	Pastoral Council	Parish Office
7:15pm	RCIA	Chapel

Tuesday, May 12, 2009

3:00pm	SJS Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
3:30pm	Children's Choir Practice	Chapel
6:00pm	Parent Club Meeting	Parish Hall
7:00pm	Circle of Friends	Fireplace Room

Wednesday, May 13, 2009

9:15am	Rosary Making	Bell Tower
5:30pm	Bingo	Parish Hall
6:30pm	Adult Choir Practice	St. Teresa
8:00pm	Gregorian Chant Choir	St. Teresa

Thursday, May 14, 2009

3:00pm	SJS Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
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Friday, May 15, 2009

8:00am	SJS International Day	Parish Hall
4:30pm	SJS Bear Night	Parish Hall
6:00pm	Pinhero/Redmond Rehearsal	St. Teresa

Saturday, May 16, 2009

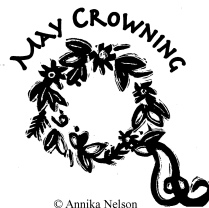
2:00pm	Pinhero/Redmond Wedding	St. Teresa
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Sunday, May 17, 2009

12:00pm	Confirmation Retreat	Parish Hall
3:30pm	Youth Choir Practice	St. Teresa

MINISTRIES UPDATE

Seniors Group: Thursday, May 7th, 2009, we will hike along the west side of Folsom Lake from Sterling Pointe. Meet in front of the Hall at 9:30am. Bring water and expect to return by 1:30pm. Call Howard Clunn at 268-9233 for more information.



MAY PROCESSION

On May 17th, 2009 our parish will have our annual May procession in honor of Our Lady. The day will begin with a blessing of our new statue "Our Lady of the Welcomes."

Bishop Quinn will be leading the celebration which will begin at 2:30pm in front of the Church and ending at the school quad with food and beverages being served. Mass will follow at 5:00pm. All parishioners are invited and encouraged to participate in the celebration. There will be no Religious Education classes on this day in hopes that all families will attend.

