

The Epiphany of the Lord January 7, 2007

Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem!
Your light has come,
the glory of the Lord shines upon you.
Isaiah 60:1

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CCD

English - Mondays - 6:45pm to 8pm

Spanish - Fridays 6pm to 7:30pm

Trxie 362-3827

YOUTH MINISTRY

Jr High Youth Ministry

7th & 8th Grades - 6:45pm to 8pm—Mondays

High School Youth Group—Sundays

7:00pm—8:30pm - The Hall

Renee Kwoka 369-8669

SJV SCHOOL Grades K-8

Ongoing applications.

For information - Julia Boen 363-4610 x100

RE/Jr High
Classes
Resume 1/8/07

Classes
Resume 1/7/07

RCIA Mon Evenings 7:00pm - 8:30pm - Hall

Joe 362-4847 Dolores 635-7751 Mary 638-5558

CHILDREN'S LITURGY of the Word

2nd & 4th Sundays—10am Mass

Children 4th grade and under.

NEXT BAPTISM Classes 2007

Jan 7-8-9 Baptism Jan 14—12noon Mass

Parish Office to register—362-1385

SPANISH BAPTISM Classes 2007

Class Jan 18 Baptism Jan 20

Spanish 368-9410

CHOIR PRACTICE For Masses:

5:30 Sat 8:00 Sun 12:00noon Sun

Monday evenings-6pm Parish Office Conference Rm.

New Members Welcome!

Spanish Sundays 6:30pm & Thurs. 6pm in parish office

READING MATERIAL Spiritual reading / family prayer ideas in the Book rack. Donation box next to book rack.

CARING CONNECTIONS Parish Outreach Ministry to new members of the parish, to the sick, homebound and to the families of the bereaved. Meets 2nd Mon-Sept thru June - 7pm Church Meeting Room, New members always welcome.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

Meetings 3rd Tuesday SW room of the hall

at 7:00pm. Information: Rosemarie Githens 635-6065

SJV MR & MRS CLUB We would like to have you as a member.

Won't you join us. Meetings - 2nd Saturday - 8pm - Hall

Socials - 4th Saturday, Info? Rolf & Dolores Lyons 635-7751

YLI -YOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE-Immaculate Mary #238

2nd Wed of the Month—7:30pm-Hall

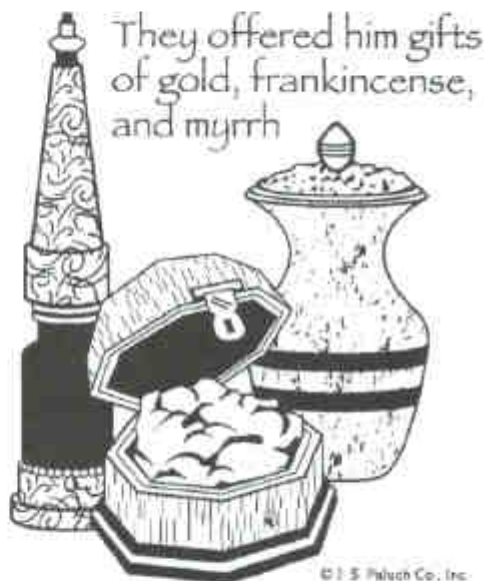
Information: Marilyn Walter 638-7905

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR -

First Sunday of the Month in the Parish Hall

After the 8:00 & 10:00 Masses—Sept thru June

FAMILY BREAKFAST Third Sunday of the Month in the Hall sponsored by the Knights of Columbus after the 8:00 & 10:00 Masses. Free Notary service.



LOOKING IN THE RIGHT PLACES

"Appearances can be deceiving," as the saying goes. As we celebrate the *epiphania*, the "appearing" of the eternal Word of God on earth, this is still true.

What rapturous foresight must have filled Isaiah as he wrote the words we hear today. How, for four hundred years, they must have filled the hearts of the people of Israel with hope for the day when God's glory would shine on them. How deceived some must have felt when the glory of God came to them in the lowliest and humblest of human lives.

We have many expectations about how the divine presence will appear among us. But we can also set ourselves up, through these expectations, to miss the divine glory when it truly appears. We get caught up in looking for the star, forgetting that the star is not the divine sign, the babe is. It may take a persistent journey for us to come upon the true appearance of God's glory in our lives: Jesus Christ.

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Meet Your Neighbor Today After the 8:00 & 10:0 Masses in the Hall.

Thank You

- To all who gave financially to the Christmas collection which was \$25,045. Our best ever.
- To Ann & Harry Fields, their fellow committee members from the Mr & Mrs Club and all who gathered to celebrate at the New Year's Eve dinner Dance.
- A lovely event which was enjoyed by all who attended.

Caring Connections Meeting

Monday, Jan 8 @7:00 pm in the church meeting room.

Catholic Alumni Club Today

A "Meet & Mingle" gathering will be held Sun Jan 7 @ 5pm at Coco's 1830 Arden Way, Sacto. An organization of single Catholic professional men and women that encourages friendship and camaraderie among people of similar backgrounds. Call Irene @916-802-6940

Mass Intentions

Saturday	5:30pm	Katrinka Mackiewicz† Sarah Spadoni †
Sunday	8:00am	Dave Boulter † Bessie Stone †
	10:00am	Ed Lammerding † Catherine Webb †
	12:00pm	Trinidad Marquez †
Monday	8:00am	Eleanor Maynard † Masako Buckley †
Tuesday	8:00am	Thomas Wrightman † Antonio Banzon †
Wednesday	8:00am	Richard Safalac †
Thursday	8:00am	Wes Elwood Mace † Alfred Klose, III
Friday	8:00am	Anna Marie Mace †
Saturday	5:30pm	Gavino Peralta † Gil Benitez †

Question of the Week

This week, how will you seek God?

Question for Youth:

How can you show respect to people who are different from you?

Question for Children:

How can you help someone find Jesus this week?

SJV Women's Weekend Retreat

Christ the King Retreat Center
Jan 12-14, 2007

The comfortable bedrooms with private baths, the beautiful grounds and the good food will round out the presentations given by the staff. For reservations call Connie Lagerstrom 635-3865 or Sharon Cocker 362-5984 or the Retreat Center 916-725-4720. View the Center at www.passionist.org/retreats/christtheking.



Adult Bible Study
Book of Revelation
Starts Jan 3 to Feb 21, 2007
Call Lynne @ 362-4104

Have you ever thought about becoming a Catholic Priest? Single Catholic men, 21 years of age or older are invited to explore the possibility of a priestly vocation. You are invited to attend a Discernment Retreat, 4:00pm on Friday, Jan 26 through 1:00pm, Sunday, Jan 28 at St. Patrick's Seminary to better understand if a vocation to the ministry of God's priesthood is for you. 916-733-0258



Knights of Columbus Crab Feed

Sat Jan 27, 2007—SJV Parish Hall
Doors open 6:30pm—Live Music
Until 11pm by North of Disorder—
Dinner 7:30pm.

Donation: \$35—Raffles and Raffles.
Tickets & Info contact: Paul Labbe @ 369-7054

→ Tickets on sale after all the Masses.

ALTAR ATTENDANT SCHEDULE

Jan 6/7

5:30 Lauren Szoboscan & Kayla Nanoo
8am James Avila & Nicole Ceniza
10am Alex McFall & Marisa Neklason
12noon Wesley Miller & Kayla Clark

Jan 13/14

5:30 Nicholas Hanson & Danielle Magadia
8am Meredith Bragg & James Avila
10am Anthony & Luke Raus
12noon Natalie & Nicole McDonough