



# Pope John Paul II

Catholic Church and Missions



**June 6, 2010**  
**CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY**

## Weekly Mass Schedule

**June 7, Monday -**

JP II - Pope John Paul II

7:30 am Daily Mass-Liturgy of the Hours follows

**June 8, Tuesday -**

JP II - Pope John Paul II

7:30 am Daily Mass-Liturgy of the Hours follows

**June 9, Wednesday - St. Ephrem**

JP II - Pope John Paul II

7:30 am Daily Mass-Liturgy of the Hours follows

IHM - Immaculate Heart of Mary

5:00 pm Daily Mass

**June 10, Thursday -**

JP II - Pope John Paul II

7:30 am Daily Mass-Liturgy of the Hours follows

**June 11, Friday - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

IHM - Immaculate Heart of Mary

7:30 am Daily Mass-Liturgy of the Hours follows

**June 12, Saturday - The Immaculate Heart of Mary**

IHM - Immaculate Heart of Mary

7:30 am Daily Mass-Liturgy of the Hours follows

JP II - Pope John Paul II

5:00 pm Sunday Anticipated Mass

**June 13, Sunday - Eleventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**

JP II - Pope John Paul II

8:00 am Sunday Mass

4:00 pm Life Teen Mass

IHM - Immaculate Heart of Mary

10:00 am Bilingual Mass

MISSION MASS - Trujillo

1:00 pm - St. James

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



**Pray for the peace of Jerusalem:**  
May they prosper who love you. May peace be within your walls,  
and prosperity within your palaces. (Ps. 122:5-7)

**Welcome Visitors**  
**Please Sign Our Guest Book**  
**And Worship with Us Often**

## Weekly Activity Schedule

**June 7, Monday - Memorial Day**

JP II: 5:30 pm - Men's Fellowship

**June 8, Tuesday**

*No Scheduled Events*

**June 9, Wednesday**

IHM: 4:00 pm - Rosary

6:00 pm - IHM Choir Practice

**June 10, Thursday**

JPII: 8:00 am - 9:00 pm - Adoration

IHM: 10:00 am - Altar/Rosary Meet

Parish Hall: 11:30 am - Loaves & Fishes

**June 11, Friday**

*No Scheduled Events*

**June 12, Saturday**

IHM: 8:30 am - Organ Practice

**June 13, Sunday**

IHM: 6:00 pm - Cenacle

JP II: 9:00 am - RCIA

5:30 pm - Life Teen Program

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**Padre's Place**



**CHRIST FORETOLD**

In Genesis, Melchizedek is described as a king who is also a priest. As this story is usually interpreted, Melchizedek's action of bringing out bread and wine and blessing it with praise to the Creator is a prophetic action. Seen as a prefiguration of the action of Jesus, he foretells to Abram the One who is to come, the Messiah.

The psalm echoes this theme in the time of David the King, who praises and thanks God and proclaims the preexistence of the Christ, who is given princely power from "the day of your birth, in holy splendor" (Psalm 110:3). God has promised this to David and his descendants forever, and God will never go back on this promise. © Copyright J.S. Paluch Co.

**Parish Pastoral Council**

- Rev. Carlos Alvarez, Pastor
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**TIME & TALENT  
JUNE 12 and 13**

Representatives will be available after Mass to tell you about their areas of ministry, and to help you find your place at the "Family Table!"

**Lector, EM, Library, Office, Life Teen, Food Bank, etc. You are Needed!**

Everyone has talent and at least a little time, so join us and let us get to know you better!

**Today's Readings**

**First Reading:** Melchizedek, the king of Salem and a priest of God Most High, brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).

**Psalm:** You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110)..

**Second Reading:** Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-26).

**Gospel:** Jesus speaks to the crowd about the kingdom of God and then feeds them with five loaves and two fish (Luke 9:11b-17).

**Readings This Week**

- Mon.** 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Mt 5:1-12
- Tues:** 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Mt 5:13-16
- Wed:** 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Mt 5:17-19
- Thur:** 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Mt 5:20-26
- Fri:** Ez 34:11-16; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7
- Sat:** 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Lk 2:41-51
- Sun:** 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13; Ps 32; Gal :16, 19-21; Lk 7:36 -8:3 [7:36-50]

**Mass Intentions**

June 4, Friday

7:30 ☩Fanio Trujillo

June 6, Sunday

- 11:00 ☩ Anna Espinosa
- 11:00 ☩Vincent F Duran
- 11:00 ☩Fermina Duran

June 13, Sunday

11:00 ☩ Anna Espinosa

☩ Repose ♥ Health ♦ Anniversary



**Retreats in Durango! 8 am - 4 pm**

**The Wonderment of God - Saturday, June 26, 2010**

Discovering the presence of God through prayer and the ebb and flow of our daily existence. How attentiveness to the moment can draw us to the fountain of God's love.

**Losses: Important to Spiritual Growth - Friday, July 2, 2010**

We will explore the meaning of losses in life and how they relate to relationship to God. The loves, illusions, dependencies, and impossible expectations we have to give up to mature spiritually.

**\$35 Includes Light Breakfast and Full Lunch**

**For information and Directions call Mary Ann at 970-759-2833**

**Web Site: [www.silentmeadowsretreat.com](http://www.silentmeadowsretreat.com)**



**Calling all  
Lectors & EEM's**

**Tuesday, June 22 - 6:00 pm  
Saturday, June 26 - 10:00 am**  
Pope John Paul II Church.

Training classes will be held for Lectors and EEM's (Extraordinary Eucharist Ministers.)

Both current and NEW persons interested in serving the Lord are invited to participate!

# St Gianna

## Pope Benedict XVI's Intention for June

June's general intention is one that is dear to the Heart of Jesus, to which we give special honor in this month of the Sacred Heart.

We respect human life because God gave it to us. We respect each and every human life also because God came to us with a human body. Jesus, God made man, loved us with a heart that was both human and divine. Humanity rejected God's plan, but God didn't give up on us. He sent his Son to life and die and be raised so that we - each one of us - could live forever in union with God.

Jesus died even for babies developing in the womb today, even for elderly people who have lost their faculties. These are lives to be respected and cared for until God calls them home in a natural death. Our world has many official proclamations and documents affirming that all are "created equal" with certain "inalienable rights." That's a good start. Yet those basic human rights are often denied to whole populations, such as the unborn.

Pope Benedict asks us to pray that national and international institutions may go further than they ever have and proclaim the human right to life from conception to natural death. The Pope has said that safeguarding God's creation begins with safeguarding human life in the womb.

*"If we wish to build true peace," said Pope Benedict, "how can we separate... the protection of the environment and the protection of human life, including the life of the unborn? It is in man's respect for himself that his sense of responsibility for creation is shown. As St. Thomas Aquinas has taught, man represents all that is noble in the universe. Furthermore, as I noted during the recent World Summit on Food Security, 'the world has enough food for all its inhabitants' provided that selfishness does not lead some to hard the goods which are intended for all"* (Jan. 10, 2009, Pope Benedict at the annual meeting for Vatican ambassadors).

**Reflection:** How will you speak up for the God-given right to life of every person from conception to natural death?

## Prayer Requests

All Pine Ridge Residents

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|-----------------|------------------|
| Wendi Andrias   | Mike Jaramillo   |
| Marty Arel      | Donna Johnson    |
| Don Bartlett    | Bradley Mescar   |
| Shane Butler    | Onofre Moya      |
| LeAnn Carter    | Lilly Lobato     |
| Mark Douglass   | Georgia Payne    |
| Michael Fisher  | Jean Sadler      |
| Irene Gomez     | Grace Short      |
| Virgina Gomez   | Sharon St. Peter |
| Therese Gomez   | Janet Thompson   |
| Erica Hannahosa | Janet Williams   |
| Andy Holcomb    | Margaret Wimmer  |



Send Prayer Requests to:  
[info@popejohnpauliichurch.org](mailto:info@popejohnpauliichurch.org)

# Adoration at JP II Thursdays

8:00 am to 9:00 pm

If you are unable to keep your appointment with Him,  
**PLEASE call someone to fill in!**

To Volunteer for an hour

Call Ellie Douglass at 264-4505.



## Marriage Encounter

### Don't take a summer vacation from caring for your marriage.

Bring a breath of fresh air to your relationship. The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** are:  
**August 6-8 in Montrose,**  
**August 13-15 or October 22-24 in Colorado Springs.**

Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at [www.wwmesection9.org](http://www.wwmesection9.org), call 719-591-9045 or email [registration\\_couple@marriageencounter.net](mailto:registration_couple@marriageencounter.net)

## WITH GRATITUDE



Please give a Big Hand of Thanks for the loving guidance, counsel, & commitment of the following

**Teachers, Assistant Teachers, & Leadership of the Religious Education (RE) classes!**

**Teachers:** Mrs. Susan Wright, Ms. Ruby Archuleta-Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Douglass, Mrs. Susan Hampton, Mrs. Blanca Escobar, and Mrs. Rosie Griego.

**Assistant:** Diane Feckler

And a Special Hand for the leadership and guidance of **Program Director Sanda Behr!**

**The Lord Bless each and every one of you mightily for all you do for our children!**

## Food Bank

### Food Bank Needs Continue! Please help with Cash or:



Paper Goods: Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Fruit Jello, and Spaghetti Sauce, Rice, Beans, Sugar, Pasta, Dish Detergent, and Cleaning supplies.

Also, note that small sizes of items are appreciated as we cannot always break larger canned goods, etc. into individual boxes easily!



**Bless You for Your Faithfulness!**

## Sacred Heart Devotion-History

### Month of the Sacred Heart



It was to Margaret Mary Alacoque (1647-1690), a humble Visitandine of the monastery at Paray-le-Monial, that Christ chose to reveal the desires of His Heart and to confide the task of imparting new life to the devotion. There is nothing to indicate that this pious religious had known the devotion prior to the revelations, or at least that she had paid any attention to it. These revelations were numerous, and the following apparitions are especially remarkable: One which occurred on the feast of St. John, when Jesus permitted Margaret Mary, as He had formerly allowed St. Gertrude, to rest her head upon His Heart, and then disclosed to her the wonders of His love, telling her that He desired to make them known to all mankind and to diffuse the treasures of His goodness, and that He had chosen her for this work (27 Dec., probably 1673); another, probably distinct from the preceding, in which He requested to be honored under the figure of His Heart of flesh; another, when He appeared radiant with love and asked for a devotion of expiatory love — **frequent Communion, Communion on the First Friday of the month, and the observance of the Holy Hour** (probably June or July, 1674); another known as the "great apparition" which took place during the octave of Corpus Christi, 1675, probably on 16 June, when He said, "Behold the Heart that has so loved men . . . instead of gratitude I receive from the greater part (of mankind) only ingratitude . . .", and asked her for a feast of reparation of the Friday after the octave of Corpus Christi, bidding her consult Father de la Colombière, then superior of the small Jesuit house at Paray; and finally, those in which solemn homage was asked on the part of the king, and the mission of propagating the new devotion was especially confided to the religious of the Visitation and the priests of the Society of Jesus. A few days after the "great apparition", of June, 1675, Margaret Mary made all known to Father de la Colombière, and the latter, recognizing the action of the Spirit of God, consecrated himself to the Sacred Heart, directed the holy Visitandine to write an account of the apparition, and made use of every available opportunity discreetly to circulate this account through France and England. At his death, 15 February 1682, there was found in his journal of spiritual retreats a copy in his own handwriting of the account that he had requested of Margaret Mary, together with a few reflections on the usefulness of the devotion. This journal, including the account and a beautiful "offering" to the Sacred Heart, in which the devotion was well explained, was published at Lyons in 1684. The little book was widely read, even at Paray, although not without being the cause of "dreadful confusion" to Margaret Mary, who, nevertheless, resolved to make the best of it and profited spiritually by the book for the spreading of her cherished devotion. Moulins, with Mother de Soudeilles, Dijon, with Mother de Saumaise and Sister Joly, Semur, with Mother Greyfié, and even Paray, which had at first resisted, joined the movement. Outside of the Visitandines, priests, religious, and laymen espoused the cause, particularly a Capuchin, Margaret Mary's two brothers, and some Jesuits, among the latter being Fathers Croiset and Gallifet, who were destined to do so much for the devotion.

Finally, on 11 June, 1899, by order of Leo XIII, and with the formula prescribed by him, all mankind was solemnly consecrated to the Sacred Heart. The idea of this act, which Leo XIII called "the great act" of his pontificate, had been proposed to him by a religious of the Good Shepherd from Oporto (Portugal) who said that she had received it from Christ Himself. She was a member of the Drost-zu-Vischering family, and known in religion as Sister Mary of the Divine Heart. She died on the feast of the Sacred Heart, two days before the consecration, which had been deferred to the following Sunday.

<http://www.newadvent.org/cathen/07163a.htm>