



# Saint John Vianney

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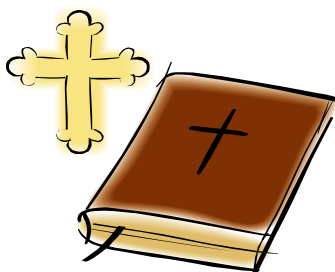
Friends in Christ,

Each one of us is called by our Lord to be a worker in His vineyard. There is a saying I once heard during a homily: "We can give by going, or go by giving." A way we can "go by giving" is by financially supporting the St Vincent DePaul Society. This wonderful organization, which is dedicated to helping persons who struggle financially, has helped countless people in our parish. However, without the financial assistance of God's people, the St Vincent DePaul Society would be unable to do its work. Thank you who have contributed in the past so generously to the St Vincent DePaul Society. In doing so, you have gone into the field by giving.

September 24, 2006  
Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Next Sunday Readings

First Reading  
Numbers 11:25-29  
Second Reading  
James 5:1-6  
**Gospel**  
Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



God's peace be with you.

Fr Scott Mansfield

### Parish Directory

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### Holy Rosary

Sunday ..... 7:40AM  
Sunday ..... 10:40AM

### Holy Mass

Sunday ..... 8:00AM  
Sunday ..... 11:00AM



### St. John Vianney Building Fund

Father Mansfield wants his bell tower filled so we can build the first stage of St. John Vianney Parish Buildings.

Be sure and fill out your pledge cards.

Our goal is \$800K for phase 1. This will allow the Arch-Diocese to match the funds and the construction will commence.

Thank you for reading our bulletin. Any suggestions, comments or articles can be sent to [bulletin@sjvnm.org](mailto:bulletin@sjvnm.org). We also like to hear about births, baptisms, marriages or other news about our church members. Please visit our website at [www.sjvnm.org](http://www.sjvnm.org) and click on **Subscribe** to be added to the eMailing list.

# Five Finger Prayer

1. Your thumb is nearest you. So begin your prayers by praying for those closest to you. They are the easiest to remember. To pray for our loved ones is, as C. S. Lewis once said, a "sweet duty."
2. The next finger is the pointing finger. Pray for those who teach, instruct and heal. This includes teachers, doctors, and ministers. They need support and wisdom in pointing others in the right direction. Keep them in your prayers.
3. The next finger is the tallest finger. It reminds us of our leaders. Pray for the president, leaders in business and industry, and administrators. These people shape our nation and guide public opinion. They need God's guidance.
4. The fourth finger is our ring finger. Surprising to many is the fact that this is our weakest finger, as any piano teacher will testify. It should remind us to pray for those who are weak, in trouble or in pain. They need your prayers day and night. You cannot pray too much for them.
5. And lastly comes our little finger - the smallest finger of all which is where we should place ourselves in relation to God and others. As the Bible says, "The least shall be the greatest among you." Your pinkie should remind you to pray for yourself. By the time you have prayed for the other four groups, your own needs will be put into proper perspective and you will be able to pray for yourself more effectively.

## September 24, 2006 8:00AM

Usher..... Karl Lucero  
 Usher..... James Dory  
 EM of Holy Communion..... Harlan Harrington  
 Rosary Leader..... Catherine Uhrich  
 Alter Server..... Charles Lucero  
 Alter Server..... Sergio Guillen  
 First Reader..... Andrew Lucero  
 Second Reader

## September 24, 2006, 11:00AM

Usher..... James Sandoval  
 Usher..... Ed Uhrich  
 EM of Holy Communion..... Jeremy McClellan  
 Rosary Leader..... Joanna Dunn  
 Alter Server..... Mathew Sandoval  
 Alter Server..... Brandon Paboucek  
 First Reader..... Vicky Howell  
 Second Reader..... Cheryl Montoya



## October 1, 2006 8:00AM

Usher..... Tom Anderson  
 Usher..... John Christensen  
 EM of Holy Communion..... Harlan Harrington  
 Rosary Leader..... Fred Bates  
 Alter Server..... Peter Lucero  
 Alter Server..... Fernando Lucero  
 First Reader..... Julie Burnside  
 Second Reader..... Peggy Riley

## October 1, 2006, 11:00AM

Usher..... Tony Quinones  
 Usher..... Nick Coca  
 EM of Holy Communion..... John Lombardo  
 Rosary Leader..... Rochelle Quinones  
 Alter Server..... Jessica Van Loben Sels  
 Alter Server..... Krista Savela  
 First Reader..... April McClennan  
 Second Reader..... Jose Guillen

If anyone would like to donate money for altar flowers or the flowers themselves for any Sunday, please let the sacristans know. All money or flowers must be received by the Saturday before, as flowers are usually bought on Saturday afternoon or evening.

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