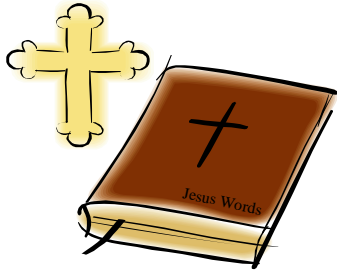


Saint John Vianney

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January 21, 2007
Third Sunday
in Ordinary Time



Brothers and Sisters in Christ Jesus,

This past Saturday, Archbishop Sheehan joined us for our most recent fund raiser luncheon. He stressed the importance of building a church on Rio Rancho's west side. As we get closer to making our dream a reality, now is no time to relax our prayer and efforts. Now is the time to increase our prayer and our efforts, having faith in the fact that God is, and will continue, blessing our hard work. If all continues on the present course, we will be celebrating Christmas Mass in a new building. YAY!

A rather pompous deacon was teaching a children's Sunday school class, and asked the kids, "Why would people look at me and think I'm a Christian?" One small child looked up and answered, "Because they don't know you?"

Have a blessed week.

In Christ Jesus,

Fr. Scott Mansfield

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Holy Rosary

Sunday 7:40AM
Sunday 10:40AM

Holy Mass

Sunday 8:00AM
Sunday 11:00AM

There was a Scottish tradesman, a painter called Jack, who was very interested in making a pound where he could. So he often would thin down his paint to make it go a wee bit further. As it happened, he got away with this for some time. Eventually the Catholic Church decided to do a big restoration job on one of their biggest churches. Jack put in a painting bid and because his price was so competitive, he got the job. And so he set to, with a right good will, erecting the trestles and putting up the planks, and buying the paint and...yes, I am sorry to say, thinning it down with the turpentine. Well, Jack was up on the scaffolding, painting away, the job nearly done, when suddenly there was a horrendous clap of thunder. The sky opened and the rain poured down, washing the thin paint from all over the church and knocking Jack fair off the scaffold to land on the lawn. Now, Jack was no fool. He knew this was a judgment from the Almighty, so he fell on his knees and cried, "Oh, God! Forgive me! What should I do?" And from the thunder, a mighty Voice spoke, "Repaint! Repaint! And thin no more!"

Calendar

February 18, 11AM.Potluck
February 182nd Graders First Confessions
February 21, 7PM Ash Wednesday Mass

Critic / Praise Corner

Critic.

- ◆ All those who make a great show of being seen volunteering and does so very little.
- ◆ To the parents of a neighborhood kid who spoils their child and then wonder why he is in trouble all the time.
- ◆ All those who ask for help but are perfectly capable of helping themselves.

Praise.

- ◆ All those who are not seen but does the majority of volunteering support.
- ◆ To all those parents who see themselves as parents and take the time and energy to guild and raise their children.
- ◆ To all those that help themselves and those who are truly in need.

Send your praise / criticism to bulletin@sjvnm.org and let your voice be heard. Snail mail to Carl Beyer / 1848 Mesa Grande Loop NE / Rio Rancho / NM / 87144. Discretion will be use in posting.

January 21, 2007 8:00AM

Usher..... Karl Lucero
 Usher..... James Dory
 EM of Holy Communion Jose Guillen
 Rosary Leader..... Catherine Uhrich
 Altar Server..... Charles Lucero
 Altar Server..... Ian Burnside
 First Reader..... Julie Burnside
 Second Reader Lillian Ortiz

January 21, 2007 11:00AM

Usher..... Tony Quinones
 Usher..... James Sandoval
 EM of Holy Communion John Lombardo
 Rosary Leader..... Rochelle Quinones
 Altar Server..... Angela Jenkins
 Altar Server..... Ariana Jenkins
 First Reader..... April McClellan
 Second Reader Cheryl Montoya



January 28, 2007 8:00AM

Usher John Christensen
 Usher Tom Anderson
 EM of Holy Communion..... Harlan Harrington
 Rosary Leader Catherine Uhrich
 Altar Server Peter Lucero
 Altar Server Jordan Harrington
 First Reader Peggy Riley
 Second Reader..... Jose Guillen

January 28, 2007 11:00AM

Usher Phil Griego
 Usher Ed Uhrich
 EM of Holy Communion..... Jeremy McClellan
 Rosary Leader Joanna Dunn
 Altar Server Adam Branchal
 Altar Server Arkulas Beyer
 First Reader Vicky Howell
 Second Reader..... Pinky Bjornstad

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