



Saint John Vianney

A Mission Church of St. Thomas Aquinas Parish

Father's Message

Brothers and Sisters,

Greetings and Peace in Christ Jesus.

To bring to a close the Year of the Eucharist, Archbishop Michael Sheehan has released a pastoral letter on the Eucharist. The Eucharist is the heart of the Christian life, for our Lord said, "Unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you do not have life."

Being that the Eucharist is truly the flesh and blood of Christ Jesus, we must receive the Eucharist with reverence--being in a state of grace, having fasted for at least one hour before receiving, not chewing gum, not talking while approaching the altar to receive, and so on. Please take time to read Archbishop Sheehan's pastoral letter on the Eucharist, and give the Eucharist the devotion and love and honor and respect and reverence our Lord deserves.

In Christ Jesus,

Father Scott.

December 4, 2005
Second Sunday of Advent

Next Sunday

First Reading
Isaiah 61:1-2a, 10-11

Second Reading
1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

Gospel

John 1:6-8, 19-28



Holy Day of Obligation
Feast of the Immaculate Conception of
the Blessed Virgin Mary
Thursday December 8th, 7PM

Parish Directory

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Holy Rosary

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

Holy Mass

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

December 4th - 8:00AM

Usher..... Tom Anderson
Usher..... Tony Quinones
EM of Holy Communion Margaret Bjornstad
Rosary Leader Rochelle Quinones
Alter Server Steven Chavez
Alter Server Ian Burnside
First Reader Vicky Howell
Second Reader..... Julie Burnside

December 4th - 11:00AM

Usher..... James Sandoval
Usher..... Carl Beyer
EM of Holy Communion John Lombardo
Rosary Leader Dora Sandoval
Alter Server Angela Jenkins
Alter Server Jessica Van Loben Sels
First Reader April McClellan
Second Reader..... Jose Guillen

December 8th - 7:00PM

Usher..... Carl Beyer
Usher..... Ed Uhrich
EM of Holy Communion Walter Kyse
Rosary Leader
Alter Server Arkulas Beyer
Alter Server Jordan Harrington
First Reader David Crawford
Second Reader..... Julie Burnside

Understanding The Catholic Mass

Introductory Rites

- ◆ Entrance Song
The entrance hymn is the first of the four proper hymns sung during mass. The procession leads with the altar cross to the altar. The priest then goes on the altar and kisses it in reverence.
- ◆ Greeting
After the hymn the priest greets the faithful usually with the traditional , “The Lord be with you.”
- ◆ Penitential Rite / Kyrie
During the penitential rite, we reflect our sins and ask God to forgive them. The most common invocation is, “Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy.” This is a general absolution and cannot replace going to the sacrament of confession.
- ◆ Gloria
Gloria in Excelsis is Latin meaning, “Glory in the Highest.” This is the Christian hymn of thanks, praise and triumph for redemption. Because of the joyful nature of the Gloria, it is omitted in more somber occasions, such as Advent or Lent.
- ◆ Opening Prayer
Originally called the Collect, the priest now invites us to pray in silence.

Liturgy of the Word

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Communion Rite

Concluding Rite

Christmas Masses at St. John Vianney

December 24th - 7:00PM December 25th - 11:00AM No 8:00AM Mass Dec. 25th

A PRAYER FOR PRIEST

Keep them, I pray You, dearest Lord,
Keep them, for they are Thine -
Your priests whose lives burn out before
Your consecrated shrine.
Keep them, for they are in the world,
Though from the world apart;
When earthly pleasures tempt, allure,
Shelter them in Your Heart.
Keep them, and comfort them in hours
O loneliness and pain,
When all their life of sacrifice
For souls seems but in vain.
Keep them, and O remember, Lord,
They have no one but Thee,
Yet they have only human hearts,
With human frailty.
Keep them as spotless as the Host,
That daily they caress;
Their every thought and word and deed,
Deign, dearest Lord to bless.

Snacks

We are still looking for volunteers to help with the snacks after mass. This is a great opportunity for a family to serve God and his church. As Jesus calls us to be a community this service is vital. It let us not be bodies in seats racing to our cars after mass but neighbors getting to know one another, forming the bonds Jesus calls us to form. To volunteer speak with one of the present volunteers and they will assist you.

December 11, 2005, 8:00AM

Usher	Ed Uhrich
Usher	Karl Lucero
EM of Holy Communion	Harlan Harrington
Rosary Leader	Catherine Uhrich
Alter Server	Adam Branchal
Alter Server	Jaeson Chavez
First Reader	Peggy Riley
Second Reader	David Crawford

December 11, 2005, 11:00AM

Usher	Carl Beyer
Usher	Nick Coca
EM of Holy Communion	Jeremy McClellan
Rosary Leader	Margaret Bjornstad
Alter Server	Arkulas Beyer
Alter Server	Ariana Jenkins
First Reader	Vicky Howell
Second Reader	April McClellan

Thank you for reading our bulletin. Any suggestions, comments or articles can be sent to bulletin@sjvnm.org or let one of the ushers know after mass. We also like to hear about births, baptisms, marriages or other news about our church members. Please visit our website at www.sjvnm.org and click on **Subscribe** to be added to the eMailing list.