

CATHEDRAL SERVICES FOR 9/11

The Cathedral parish will mark the anniversary of 9/11 with two special liturgies. The regular 12:10 pm Mass on Monday, September 11, will be a Mass for Peace, marking the fifth anniversary of the terrorist attack. Bishop William Weigand will be the main celebrant and Msgr. James Murphy will preach. We invite you to make a special effort to participate that day as we ask the Lord's blessing on the global fight against terrorism.

In addition, there will be an inter-faith service at 5:30 pm Monday evening, September 11, to mark the anniversary. Dr. David Thompson, Pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church,



will preach. This liturgy will take the place of the normal 5:10 pm Mass on weekdays. We invite those who normally come to the evening Mass to join our brothers and sisters from other faith traditions at this special liturgy. Bishop Weigand will preside. In addition, on September 11, a ceremony will be held on the steps of the State Capitol at 10:00 am, organized by the Sacramento Police Chaplains. While the Cathedral is not an official sponsor, the bells on our building will be rung during this service. Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger is expected to attend.

ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION

MASS TODAY AT 3:00 PM

As part of the 76th Annual Italian Federation Convention being held at the Sheraton Grand Hotel, Bishop Weigand, Bishop Garcia, and Bishop Walsh of Santa Rosa will celebrate Mass at 3:00 pm today for convention participants and anyone else who wishes to attend. Mass is followed with a dinner dance at the Grand Sheraton. For tickets and more information, call toll-free [1-888-ICF-1924](tel:1-888-ICF-1924) or visit their Web site www.icf.org.

LAY FORMATION INSTITUTE

The Lay Formation Institute of the Diocese of Sacramento will present a workshop on *"Prayer and Contemplation"* on Saturday, September 16, at the Diocesan Pastoral Center, 2110 Broadway. The workshop will be facilitated by Sr. Katherine Doyle, RSM, and runs from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm. Cost is \$20. For more information, contact Dr. Holly Peterson at the Pastoral Center at [733-0153](tel:733-0153) or e-mail to hpeterson@diocese-sacramento.org.

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Fr. Nicholas Ho, Parochial Vicar at the Cathedral, is calling all high school, college students, and young adults to attend our weekly fellowship meetings on Wednesdays from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm in the Cathedral Lower Level. Our first gathering after summer is on September 6th 2006. Bring your friends and neighbors and let us make a difference with Catholic Fellowship. Contact [Sr. Jenny at 444-5364](tel:444-5364).

DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION

The September Diocesan Second Collection will be taken up on September 16-17 for the Priests Retirement Fund. This is a small but practical way for parishioners in the parishes to thank our priests for their long and loving services. Please consider making a donation. There will be special envelopes in the Cathedral vestibule.

SHOP MACY'S TO AID THE SACRAMENTO LIFE CENTER

The Sacramento Life Center is inviting you to "Shop for a Cause" on September 16, 2006, at any Macy's in the USA. The Life Center is selling \$5.00 shopping passes, which allow you to purchase most items for 10 to 20 percent off regular sales prices, or clearance items. The Life Center benefits by being able to retain 100% of the revenue from the passes sold. To purchase a shopping pass, please contact Sara at the [Sacramento Life Center at \(916\) 451-4357](tel:916-451-4357).

BISHOP GALLEGOS MATERNITY HOME GARAGE SALE TODAY

The Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home will hold a Garage Sale on from Friday through Sunday, September 1 to 3, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm at 6423 Lang Avenue, Sacramento (off of 47th Ave exit on Hwy 99 East, 2nd right). Please visit the Maternity Home for low prices on furniture, appliances, clothing, electronics, and sporting goods. Donations and volunteers would be appreciated. Info at [395-9370](tel:395-9370).

REGISTER FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES TODAY!

Classes for Religious Education will begin on Saturday September 16, 2006.. All parents are urged to register their children today after all Masses, and every weekend until classes begin. In addition, Sister Jenny is available every day except Friday in her office in the Lower Level. Her telephone number is **444-5364**. Classes for both English speaking and Spanish speaking students are listed below:

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- ENGLISH CATECHISM** Starts Sept. 16
Saturdays 10:00 -11:30 am
grades kindergarten-6th
- SPANISH CATECHISM** Starts Sept. 17
Sundays 11:30 am-12:45 pm
grades kindergarten-7th
- CONFIRMATION** Starts Sept. 19
Tuesdays 6:30-8:00 pm
grades 7-12 English
grades 8-12 Spanish

CATECHISM TEACHERS NEEDED

Our Cathedral Religious Education Programs need support staff at all levels as well as catechists to prepare children for the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation. If you have experience in administrative support (clerical), office management, fundraising, newsletter preparation, or operational support, the program needs you. If you are interested in catechesis as a teacher or as a catechist aid in a classroom, the program needs you. Please contact the Office of Religious Education for further information. An application for Volunteer Ministry may be obtained on-line at our web site www.cathedralsacramento.org or by calling the Office of Religious Education at (916) 444-5364 to request an application form.

VOLUNTARY LEGAL SERVICES PROGRAM CLINIC

The Voluntary Legal Services Program of Northern California provides an Employment Law Clinic every Thursday evening from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm in its downtown office at 517 12th Street (between E and F Streets). The mission of the Employment Law Clinic is to provide free legal advice and assistance to low-income people regarding any job-related problem. Clients are asked to sign up before attending the Clinic by calling (916) 551-2102. Spanish interpreters are available. Visit the Voluntary Legal Services Program Web site at www.vlsp.org.

RED MASS IN OCTOBER

On October 4, 2006, (time to be announced) Bishop Weigand and the legal community are sponsoring the annual Red Mass at the Cathedral, followed by dinner at the Sutter Club. Bishop Tom Curry will be the homilist and noted legal scholar Professor Doug Kmiec will be speaking about religious freedom and Constitutional law.

SAN LORENZO RUIZ MEMORIAL

The Filipino Community of the Cathedral will honor San Lorenzo Ruiz at the regular Sunday 11:00 am Mass on September 24. All are welcome to attend.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MON 9/4/2006	Labor Day Holiday
12:10 pm:	Librada Martinez, S.I.
5:10 pm:	NO MASS (State Holiday)
TUES 9/5/2006	
12:10 pm:	Thomas Arthur O'Brien +
5:10 pm:	McCandless +
WED 9/6/2006	
12:10 pm:	Marie Bertelsen +
5:10 pm:	Winfred Surkein +
THURS 9/7/2006	
12:10 pm:	Consuelo G. Zepeda +
5:10 pm:	Remedios Ferrerb, S.I.
FRI 9/8/2006	Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
12:10 pm:	Rosielyn Thompson, S.I.

New Parishioner Registration and Change of Address Form

Name: _____ Envelope No.: _____
 Phone: (____) _____
 Address: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Fill out and deposit in Offertory Basket. Thank You!