

TALK ON THE DA VINCI CODE MAY 21

The Da Vinci Code is in the news again. The movie version of Dan Brown's potboiler is due out May 19, and by all accounts the movie will stick closely to the story line in the novel. Dr. Barry Sugarman, Executive Vice President of the University of Sacramento, will give a lecture on The Da Vinci Code in the Lower Level of the Cathedral on **Sunday, May 21, at 3:30 pm.** All are welcome. Come and learn the facts about Jesus and Mary Magdalene and how to separate truth from fiction in this controversial book. Dr. Sugarman is a parishioner at the Cathedral.

The main plot in the The Da Vinci Code is that Jesus and



Mary Magdalene had children and their descendants live in secret today. Important clues to this are supposed to be hidden in the paintings of Renaissance artist Leonardo Da Vinci. The novel has sold more than 40 million copies in 44 languages worldwide. Several books have appeared debunking Brown's story line, which he claims is based on fact.

Two weeks ago, Time magazine featured Opus Dei (which is also a central part of Brown's plot) on its cover, pointing out that the organization is not the villain Brown tries to portray.

CONTINUING ADULT EDUCATION

Due to the success of the Lenten Series at the Cathedral, *From the Religious Sense to Christianity*, we will continue the discussion with an evening class, reading together "The Religious Sense" by Monsignor Luigi Giussani. Meetings are held from 7-8 pm on Wednesday evenings in the Lower Level of the Cathedral. All are welcome! The book, "The Religious Sense" will be available for sale on Wednesday nights.

NEW CATHEDRAL BOOK

A new expanded edition of our coffee book "The Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament" has just come off the press. It is available in the gift shop in the Lower Level of the Cathedral for \$20 on Sundays. This second edition has an extra chapter detailing the re-opening of the Cathedral on November 20, 2005, plus 18 colored photographs of the opening Mass and dedication. Also

included in the book are chapters on the history of the Cathedral, the 2005 restoration of the building, and the stained glass windows.



JERICHO FUNDRAISER MAY 8

Support the work of social justice and enjoy a relaxing evening at JERICHO's Annual Fundraiser on Monday, May 8, 2006, from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm at the California Chamber of Commerce, 1215 K Street, Suite 1400, Esquire Plaza. Tickets for the Live & Silent Auctions, Food, Drink & Music are \$35 per person. For the past 19 years, JERICHO has engaged faith communities around the state and Legislators to find workable solutions to improve the lives of poor people in California. **Tickets: (916) 441-0387.**

BISHOP GALLEGOS MATERNITY HOME GARAGE SALE

The Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home, located at 6423 Lang Avenue, Sacramento (Highway 99, exit 47th Ave East, 2nd right), will hold a Garage Sale this weekend, May 5-7 (Friday through Sunday). Please visit the home for low prices on furniture, appliances, clothing, electronics, and sporting goods. Donations and volunteers are needed. The Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home provides shelter and care for 12 mothers and babies in a loving home designed to meet their needs during a crisis pregnancy. **Call (916) 395-9370** for donations or if you would like to volunteer time.

FIRST COMMUNION TODAY



The Cathedral Parish welcomes the following students of our Religious Education Program to participate in receiving the Body and Blood of Christ for the First Time today. First Communion for English students is at the 9:00 am Mass. First Communion for Spanish students is at the 1:00 pm Mass.

ENGLISH CLASS

Roman Joseph Acenas	Aerial Ritchie Martinez
Hunter William Brown	Ivy Juanita Martinez
Garret Edward Brown	Carina Cristal Martinez
Jasmine Alexis Broxton	Jesse Humberto Naranjo III
Nathan Joel Anthony Cho	Hailey Correa-Ohta
Audrey Mia Edwards	Julianna Peceli
Alexandria Junis Glaude	Meaghan Elizabeth Radican
Bryan Gonzalez	Sarah Marie Ramirez
Sarah Marie Gonzalez	Precious M. Ramirez
Miguel Angel Gutierrez Jr.	Yridiana Rivera
Joshua Isaiah Hernandez	Denise Sanabria
Carolina G. Juarez	Megan Allison Valdez
Andrew Robert Lingao	Landon Maristela-Yarber
Robert Lobatos	
Alyss Logan	

SPANISH CLASS

Veronica Aguirre	Karen Michelle Gomez
Amanda J. Aguirre	Jose Gonzalo Gonzalez
Lizbeth Aguirre	Isabel Arana Herrera
Moncerrat Avila	Jesse Juarez, Jr.
Marco Esteban Barrios	Maria Laura Lopez
Edith Susana Calderon	Lesly Joceline Lopez
Bryan Enrique Cantoran	Marcos Molina
Ariel Enrique Cantu	Arnold Molina
Orlando Francisco Cardenas	Miguel Angel Montelongo
Ruben Orozco Chavez	Ana Laura Orozco
Celeste Clara De La Cruz	Cesar Ortega
Contancia Zulema	Karla LiLiana Reyes
Dominguez	Jessica Cantu Ruiz
Alberto Escalera	Alfonso Carrillo-Santillanes
Sebastian Esparza	Jean Carlo Solorio
Angel Garcia	Alan Brian Solorio,
Miguel Jaimes Garduno	
Carlos Jesus Gomez	

WOOD CROSS REPAIR

Sister Jenny, our Religious Education Director, has a large cross in need of repair. Please contact her at **444-5364** if you have good wood working skills to help repair this much needed cross.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MON 5/8/2006	Easter Weekday
12:10 pm: All Souls	
5:10 pm All Souls	
TUES 5/9/2006	Easter Weekday
12:10 pm: All Souls	
5:10 pm All Souls	
WED 5/10/2006	Blessed Damien of Molokai
12:10 pm: Marta Turner +	
5:10 pm: All Souls	
THURS 5/11/2006	Easter Weekday
12:10 pm: Daisy Maciel, S.I.	
5:10 pm Romo Family, S.I.	
FRI 5/12/2006	Sts. Nereus, Achilleus, & Pancras
12:10 pm: Mike Bibby, S.I.	
7:00 pm: Raul Montellano +	

New Parishioner Registration and Change of Address Form

Name: _____ Envelope No.: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Address: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Fill out and deposit in Offertory Basket. Thank You!