

## MSGR. MURPHY ON SABBATICAL

Msgr. James Murphy's sabbatical leave from the Cathedral begins next week. He has been given permission by Bishop William Weigand to work on a book about St. Toribio Romo (whose relics are in the Cathedral altar) and the Mexican Cristero War. While Msgr. Murphy is away, Fr. Nicholas Ho will be administrator of the Cathedral Parish, assisted by Tom Waddock who is the Parish Manager.

During his sabbatical, Msgr. Murphy will be based in Guadalajara, the archdiocese in which St. Toribio was ordained and served as a priest before he was killed by government troops in 1927. Msgr. Murphy's book on St. Toribio will be published by Liguori Publications



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(owned by the Redemptorists), the same company that published his 45-page booklet on St. Toribio last year.

In addition to working on the book, Msgr. Murphy will be doing vocations recruitment for the Diocese of Sacramento at the request of Bishop Weigand. A special "exchange program" between Sacramento and Guadalajara is also under discussion, whereby Sacramento would send priests to Guadalajara to learn Spanish and Guadalajara would send priests to Sacramento to learn English.

As of now, the bishop has given permission for five months leave, with the possibility of more time depending on the success of the recruitment efforts and the need to do more research on the book.

### ADDITIONAL CATECHUMENS

Inadvertently, the following were not listed in the Easter Bulletin. Please welcome these Catechumens who also completed the Sacraments of Christian Initiation at the Easter Vigil Mass.

Corbeau West  
Sunil Ramdass  
Valerie Swartz  
Stephanie Stoll

Julie Tedford  
Tina Utigard  
Christian Strubbe  
Teresa Taylor

### YOUTH GROUP MEETS WEDNESDAY

The Cathedral Youth Group meets on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm in the Cathedral Lower Level. The next meeting will be on **Wednesday, April 9, 2008** at 6:30 pm. All young people are encouraged to join the Youth Group.

### LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION | MAR. 29-30, 2008

Our collection last week was **\$10,775.18**. We wish to thank all those who made this collection possible.

### CATHOLIC BREAKFAST CLUB

Please join the Catholic Breakfast Club on **Wednesday, April 9**, for "**Marian Spirituality and the Genius of Women in the Workplace**," presented by Sr. Maximilian Marie, O.P. Sr., Ave Maria, O.P. Sr., and Mary Michael, O.P., of the Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist—one of the fastest growing order of sisters in the United State. Their order, which serves as teachers and Catholic school administrators and offers vocational retreats, is drawing young people (average age is 28). Recently invited by Bishop Weigand to staff a Catholic School in our Diocese, the Sisters have opened their Regina Caeli Mission Convent in Loomis and will be opening a Spiritus Sanctus Academy this year in Granite Bay. This is a great opportunity to learn about Our Lady, our Sisters, and ourselves. Don't miss it! The Catholic Breakfast Club is sponsored by the Diocese of Sacramento and meets monthly at the Sacramento Hilton, 2200 Harvard Street. Tickets are \$30.00 or \$20.00 for members who pay in advance. Reserve your seat online at [www.catholicbreakfastclub.org](http://www.catholicbreakfastclub.org).

### CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB

Join the Catholic Alumni Club for a casual singles get together at Roundtable Pizza, today **Sunday, April 6, 2008**, at 6:00 pm at Howe & Arden, Sacramento. For more information contact **Joyce Geary** at [bbgeary@surewest.net](mailto:bbgeary@surewest.net).

### WELCOME BACK FOR EASTER

A program for non-practicing Catholic's who are considering a return to the Sacraments, and to regular church attendance, will be held on six consecutive Thursdays from 7:15 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., beginning **April 3, 2008**, in the Lower Level of the Cathedral. For more information, without obligation, please call **Tim Longdon at (916) 359-5540 or Jorge Usi or Sister Jenny at (916) 444-5364**.

### ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL PRODUCTION

St. Francis High School proudly presents "**The Sound of Music**" in the new St. Francis Theatre, 5900 Elvas Avenue, Sacramento. The Opening Night Gala is on **April 17** at 7:30 pm with tickets of \$25 per person. Evening shows are on **April 18, 19, 25, and 26** at 7:30 pm. Additionally, there is a matinee on Saturdays (April 19 & 26) at 1:30 pm. Tickets are \$10 for 18 and under; \$15 for adults. Buy tickets at [www.ticketguys.com/stfrancis/](http://www.ticketguys.com/stfrancis/). For more information, call **(916) 452-3461 ext 200**.

### Today's Scripture Focus

*If you invoke as Father him who judges impartially, ... conduct yourselves with reverence during the time of your sojourning, realizing that you were ransomed from your futile conduct, ... not with perishable things like silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ as of a spotless unblemished lamb.*

1 Peter 17

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION EASTER RAFFLE WINNERS!

THE FOLLOWING 45 PARISHIONERS ARE THE RECIPIENTS OF PRIZES RAFFLED OFF IN OUR RECENT EASTER RAFFLE FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION. THE REAL WINNER IS OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS WHICH CURRENTLY HAVE OVER 500 STUDENTS. THANK YOU TO ALL THE BUSINESSES AND PARISHIONERS WHO DONATED PRIZES TO MAKE THIS YEAR'S EASTER RAFFLE SUCH A ROUSING SUCCESS.

Gay Ranellone	IPOD
Miguel Rinco	DVD player
Anthony Simene	Foosball game
Karen Vargas	Kool Toyz
David Woo	Wine basket and Lotions basket
Samantha Garcia	Barbie basket
Julio Bracamonte	Camera basket
Barbara Mitchell	Tonka basket
Tom Smith	Nerf Airtech
Gen Peralta	Scooter and helmet
Breanna Taylor	Fashion Boutique
Elisa Rayon	Electronic Key board
Joaquin Gomez	Bug Bunny Basket
Nicolas Metzgos	Nerf Hoop and Hot wheels
Cameron Johnson	Nerf Hoop and Hover disc
Tom Norden	Cathedral picture
Antonio Manzo	Men's tool case and Coffee Basket
Adriana Mlakar	Barbie and cat in castle & Fashion Fever Barbie
Aurea Pagala	Movie basket
Patrice	Wine and pasta basket
Caridad Wrigit	Wine and cheese basket
Maria Gonzalez	Travel Set
Michael Gonzalez	Cars basket
Emily	Dora basket
Manuel Morales	Candles and Lotions basket
Leticia Palpalletoc	Tea and cookie basket
Jessica Lopez	Winnie the Poo basket
Jose Valdez	Orange Soccer ball basket
Iruing Norrega	Yellow Soccer ball basket
Jesus Jimenez	Baby gift basket
Donner	Pink Kitten basket
Eliza Gonzalez	Pink Dog basket
Pat	Baking Set basket
Samantha Garcia	Ballet Barbie basket
Cervando J Gomez	Crayola and book basket
Bere	Ballerina Barbie basket
Francisco Sevilla	Avon and makeup basket
Agustin Vargas	Cooke Lee and fan basket
Family Lopes	Watch and earrings basket
Eberardo Acosta	Cooke Lee basket

David  
Elvie Mc Cray  
Paula Trujillo  
Abel  
Tiffany

Lotion basket  
Cooke Lee basket  
Stationary basket  
Angel and bath set basket  
Rmmikub game basket

### LITURGY COURSE AT CATHEDRAL

The Pontifical Institute School of Faith, endorsed by Bishop Weigand, will begin a Course in Liturgy to be held each Tuesday beginning March 4 at 7:15 pm in the Cathedral Lower Level. The course will answer some of the questions in our understanding of the Eucharist. What does Liturgy mean? Is Christ really present in the Eucharist? Why do we celebrate Mass? The course will run 12 weeks ending on May 20, 2008. The cost of the course is \$40 plus \$10 for materials. The main teacher will be Reverend Oscar Figueroa, Director of the Office of Liturgy of the Diocese of Sacramento. For more information, please contact **Deacon Jorge Usi** or **Mr. Ruben Arocan** at the Rectory (444-3071 or 444-3070).



### CATHEDRAL DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

<b>MON 4/7/2008</b>	<b>ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE</b>
	<b>12:10 pm:</b> Salvador A. Rivas +
	<b>5:10 pm:</b> Remedios A. Ferrer, S.I.
<b>TUES 4/8/2008</b>	<b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b>
	<b>12:10 pm:</b> William Sheppar +
	<b>5:10 pm:</b> Valdis Obukh +
<b>WED 4/9/2008</b>	<b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b>
	<b>12:10 pm:</b> Connie Placencio +
	<b>5:10 pm:</b> Michelle Shaw S.I.
<b>THUR 4/10/2008</b>	<b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b>
	<b>12:10 p.m.:</b> Ryan Lumagui +
	<b>5:10 p.m.:</b> Ed & Carmen Simene +
<b>FRI 4/11/2008</b>	<b>ST. STANILAUS</b>
	<b>12:10 pm:</b> Jon Buyan +
	<b>NO 5:10 PM MASS ON FRIDAYS</b>

**CATHEDRAL TOURS EVERY WEEK  
AFTER 9:00 AM AND 11 AM MASSES**

### New Parishioner Registration and Change of Address Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Envelope No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Fill out and deposit in Offertory Basket. Thank You!*