



Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community

Second Sunday of Easter

April 11, 2010

“Once I was dead, but now I am alive forever and ever.”
- Revelation 1:18a

UPCOMING EVENTS

CFCA (Christian Foundation for Children & Aging)

This weekend, April 10 & 11, please welcome Fr. Donald MacKinnon, C.Ss.R. who will be with us to celebrate masses and tell us about the work of CFCA. CFCA is a lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that has served more than 475,000 children, youth and elderly in 24 developing countries since 1981—empowering them to make more choices in their lives, live with dignity and reach their potential. CFCA’s unique sponsorship program is highly personalized. It matches a child, youth or aging person to a project overseas with a sponsor in the U.S. who cares about and encourages them. For about a dollar a day, a sponsor helps to provide much-needed nourishing food, medical and dental care, the chance for a child to go to school, livelihood programs for families and much more. Many people in our parish already sponsor children through this organization. To learn more, call (800) 875-6564 or visit CFCA online at www.cfcausa.org



ANNUAL TEA & VINTAGE STYLE

SHOW...All ladies of the parish are invited to join the Women’s Guild on April 18 for our Annual Tea & Vintage Style Show. This year’s event will feature a century of vintage

hats. Tickets are \$20 for adults & \$10 for children 12 and under and will be for sale after the masses. You may also purchase tickets by calling Jan Finney at 684-2879.

THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Sunday:

- CFCA Presider/Speaker at all masses
- 11:30 AM Community Table (hall & kitchen)
- 11:30 AM Pax Christi Hosts Coffee & Muffins (breezeway)
- 1:30 PM Retrouvaille POST Session (hall)

Monday:

- 9:30 AM Food Bagging for Poor (hall)
- 10:30 AM Women’s Guild Board Meeting (CR 4&5)

Tuesday:

- 9:00 AM Tithing Committee (lounge)
- 10:00 AM Gardening Committee (outside)
- 2:00 PM Knitting Ministry (CCR)
- 6:30 PM Handbell Rehearsal (CCR)
- 7:30 PM RCIA (DMC)



Wednesday:

- 9:30 AM Staff Meeting (lounge)

- 12:30 PM Bible Study (CCR)
- 7:00 PM Pastoral Council (lounge)
- 7:00 PM Pax Christi (CCR)

Thursday:

- 9:30 AM Women’s Bible Study (CCR)
- 3:45 PM K-6 Faith Formation (MCC & church)
- 6:00 PM Retrouvaille POST Session (hall)
- 6:00 PM Baptism Class (church)
- 7:00 PM Music Rehearsal (church & CCR)

Friday:

- 3:00 PM English Tea Set-Up (MCC)

Saturday:

- 8:00 AM English Tea Set-Up (MCC)
- 8:30 AM Contemplative Prayer Group (DMC)
- 9:00 AM—noon Parish Work Day (outside)

LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY

THE MASS NEVER ENDS—IT MUST BE LIVED!

We are invited to continue to reflect upon the Gospel reading (John 20:19-31) and homily as we live out our Eucharist this week. Reflect upon it in your heart and mind, and discuss it with your family, friends and faith community members.

- Describe a time when you felt devastated, lost, or paralyzed by fear. What helped you to move beyond these feelings?
- Jesus came into the disciples’ fear and guilt and gave them peace and mercy. How have you experienced deep peace and mercy in your life?
- “Seeing is believing,” we often say. How have you been blessed in your life by believing in things you haven’t seen?
- The things that were written in John’s gospel are there so that “you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that through this belief you may have life in his name.” How have the things written about Jesus in the Bible helped you to believe and find life in Jesus?

GOOD NEWS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday: Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4,13-15,22-24; Rv 1:9-13,17-19; Jn 20:19-31
- Monday: Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8
- Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7-15
- Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21
- Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36
- Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15
- Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21
- Sunday: Acts 5:27-32,40-41; Ps 30:2,4-6,11-13; Rv 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19



Intentions for April 10– 18

Saturday, 04/10

5:00 PM (DM) The People of the Parish

Sunday, 04/11

8:15 AM (DM) +Bill Bruce; +Peter Murphy
10:15 AM (DM) +Pat Lowey; Ed & Gail Podgorski
6:00 PM (DM) +Georges Abirached

Monday, 04/12

8:30 AM Communion Service

Tuesday, 04/13

8:30 AM (MM) +Jim Popek

Wednesday, 04/14

8:30 AM (AR) +Vince Rice

Thursday, 04/15

8:30 AM (MM) +Lori Matusich

Friday, 04/16

8:30 AM (AR) Parish Assistance Ministry

Saturday, 04/17

5:00 PM (Fr. Ron) Lazarus Ministry

Sunday, 04/18

8:15 AM (Fr. Ron) +Natalie Musselman
10:15 AM (Fr. Ron) Men & Women in Armed Services;
Peace in the Middle East
6:00 PM (Fr. Ron) The People of the Parish;
+Char Allen



OUTREACH



COMMUNITY TABLE THISSUNDAY @ 11:30 AM...We invite our neighbors from the streets to join us at an Easter season feast. Please bring a dish to share with our homeless friends. In the hall.

PRAYER LINE: Please call Casey Harmon (425-1117) or Rosalie Flores-Aguon (359-9799) if you or someone you know is in need of prayer.

MANTLES OF CARING...We meet every Tuesday from 2:00 to 3:30 PM in the church conference room. Drop in at any time. All are welcome! We are making shawls, scarves, baby items, slippers, etc. for those in need. **We are currently in need of extra yarn.** If you would like to donate any yarn to the group, please drop it by during our meeting time or for any questions or requests, call Sue Punches at 661-0732.



FOOD FOR GOD'S PEOPLE...Our monthly food collection for the poor who come to the parish will be held next weekend April 10 & 11. (This is one week later than usual due to Easter). Please bring your non-perishable food items with you to mass or to the parish hall during the week.

GRATEFUL RECIPIENTS: Thank you so much for all those who donated items to the couple with 4 children. They were very appreciative.

CAN YOU HELP?

- A single mother with 2 children is in need of a small table with 3 chairs. If you have these items to donate, please contact Jan Finney 684-2879

PAX CHRISTI - THE PEACE OF CHRIST IN ACTION

At each mass, we share the Peace of Christ with one another. Pax Christi USA, an official outreach of the U.S. Catholic bishops, promotes the gospel imperative of peacemaking as a priority in the Catholic Church through prayer, study and action. Pax Christi USA rejects war, preparations for war, and every form of violence and domination. We advocate primacy of conscience, economic and social justice, and respect for creation. Visit www.paxchristiusa.org. The Santa Cruz chapter of Pax Christi will be hosting a hospitality table after the 10:15 mass on Sunday, April 11. Please stop by the table to find out more about Pax Christi. In addition, we will be holding the next monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 14 (7:00 PM) at Resurrection in the Church Conference Room (room behind the altar). All are welcome!



PLEASE PRAY for our Parishioners who are in need of healing:

Tim Freitas, Berta Hees, Michael Lucas, Michelle Brown, Dorothy Locke, Marilyn Palmer, Lew DePedro, Louretta Gibson, Kathy Osmonson, Marie Pitchford, Mary Repetti, Norma & Brian Heath, Ed Avona, Mary Kusanovich Cross, Benny del Re, Tess Day, Bill & Flora Stewart, Louise Bagnall, Sharon Turner, Carrie Levin, Matilda Castello, Dottie Bella, Louise Kirkpatrick, Brian de Diego, Allan Hughes, Lidia Vivola, Vera Borroel, Michael Matus, Peter Mannina, Peter Empson, Grace DeDiego, Pat Stocker, Trent Feliss, Tony K, Jim Miller, Jan Gallagher, Maria Bernstein-Brumbaugh, Ginger Moore, Dave Peasley, Alisha Smith, Marc Adato, Joan Lawlor, Tom Lazore, Ariel Johnson, Marie San Antonio, Catherine Rumanos & Family, Jim Feeney, Lt. Col. USMC Joseph A. Lucia III, Kathy Lackey, Ginny Dillingham, Zoe Nink, Phil Karleen, Jennifer Alvear, Helen Schomberg & Charles Chikis.

GABRIEL PROJECT UPDATE... The Gabriel Project is an ecumenical movement of churches committed to helping women and families in crisis pregnancies. The church community helps meet the mom's emotional, spiritual and material needs. If you're interested in volunteering for this ministry, please fill out one of the pink volunteer forms on the information table in the church entrance or at the parish office. For more information about this project, contact our coordinator, Loretta Kuechle at 728-2349.

LAZARUS AT OUR DOOR – A COMMUNITY MINISTRY

The Lazarus At Our Door ministry is a way that we help one another care for those in need. Some of us are reaching out to people who are suffering, others of us can support them with prayers, resource work or with help in meeting financial needs. However we participate, we are all sharing in the work of helping people who need help.

For more information on how to participate in this ministry, call Deacon Patrick at 840-3750. Our next meeting is Wednesday, April 28 at 7:00 PM in the hall.

LAZARUS NEEDS!

- A couple living in their car are both disabled and need housing (they have SSI income).
- A woman is going to nursing school, but is in need of some financial assistance.

We are also accepting financial contributions to this ministry. 100% of your monetary gift will be used to help "Lazarus" on the path to healing and wholeness. Checks can be made out to the parish, with the notation "for Lazarus". Your donations have helped several people with housing and living expenses. Envelopes are available on the donor book counter. Call Deacon Patrick if you can help with any needs: 840-3750.

FAITH FORMATION

BIBLICAL SPIRITUALITY... We meet Wednesdays from 12:30 to 1:30 PM in the church conference room (facing the cemetery). We prayerfully reflect upon the Sunday mass readings and homily, with an emphasis on how God's Word speaks to our lives today. All are invited! The study is facilitated by Deacon Patrick Conway. For more information, call 840-3750.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP... Meets the 2nd Saturday of every month at 10:00 AM in front of Markey Community Center. Also join us for Theology on Tap, the last Thursday of every month. Meet us in front of Markey Community Center at 6:00 PM to carpool to Monterey, or just meet us at Bullwacker's Pub on Cannery Row in Monterey at 7:00 PM. Contact Matthew Smithey 831-566-8402 mattsmithey@yahoo.com



GOOD SHEPHERD NEWS
SUPPORT OUR PARISH SCHOOL

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL EVERY TIME YOU SHOP FOR GROCERIES! Just clip the Box Tops coupons from hundreds of your favorite products and drop them in the Box Top box located on the table in the church entrance. The school receives 10 cents for every single box top that is turned in. (**Please no soup labels**). You can also earn money for the school by ordering products online through the Box Tops Marketplace. Check it out at: www.boxtops4education.com/earn/marketplace/

ANNOUNCEMENTS



PARISH LANDSCAPING WORKDAY...

On Saturday, April 17, we will be having a landscaping workday. We will be spreading 60 cubic yards of mulch throughout the landscaped grounds. This is an important part of our landscaping maintenance. It conserves the use of water throughout the summer as well as preventing weed growth. We will begin at 9 AM and hopefully finish by 12 noon. The more hands the

faster we'll finish. You don't have to come the entire three hours. Whatever time you can donate will be very much appreciated. Please bring a rake and a shovel if you have these tools, if you don't we will have some available. Drinks and snacks will be available. Hope to see you there!

WOMEN'S GUILD MONTHLY LUNCHEON & MEETING... be held April 19 in the classrooms in Markey Community Center. We gather at 11:30 AM. Our guest speaker is the Director of the Monterey Bay Chapter of Habitat for Humanity who will make her presentation at 12:00 noon. Lunch will commence at 12:40 PM. Any questions or transportation needs, call Kathy at 566-1433.

DO YOU SHOP AT SAFEWAY OR NOB HILL? Then please consider using SCRIP to help support the parish. You don't have to purchase any paper scrip from us you simply register your Safeway Club Card, your Nob Hill Card (which we will provide to you), and you can also register your Macy's Card and/or debit and credit card and earn money for our parish from a list of quite a few participating merchants. A percentage of your purchases are returned to the parish. You can participate two ways: **Nob Hill** – pick up your card in the parish office. **eSCRIP...** Register your **Safeway** club card, **Macy's Card** and any other credit or debit cards at www.escrip.com or call the parish office. Our group ID # is 1371073720



RECYCLING... Don't forget to recycle. We have a bin in the hall for plastic (please remove lids, no milk containers), glass (no wine bottles please), and aluminum cans. Our recycling efforts help support our youth group. Items must state that they have a CA Redemption Value.

Stewardship of Treasure HOLY WEEK COLLECTIONS April 1—4, 2010	
Operation Rice Bowl	\$336.93
Holy Thursday	\$1,159.47
Holy Land (Good Friday)	\$785.54
Easter	\$21,022.07
Easter Collection Need (Budget)	\$22,500.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL SUPPORT!

If you miss a week your donation can be mailed to the parish office at P.O. Box 87, Aptos, CA 95001-0087. Thank you.

ST. FRANCIS CENTRAL COAST CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL is hosting its annual Spring Festival April 25 from 12:00 -5:00 PM at Kennedy Youth Center, 2401 East Lake Avenue in Watsonville. This year's event will include a barbecue chicken meal with ravioli. There will be fun booths, games, a craft fair, along with music and entertainment. There will be a raffle drawing with prizes as well as St. Francis logo wear for sale. Meet students, faculty and families, along with your neighbors at the Spring Festival. Tickets are \$15, per meal and are available by calling 724-5933. Thank You for supporting St. Francis Central Coast Catholic High School!

BISHOP'S ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 16th Annual Bishop's Golf Tournament and Auction Dinner will be held on Friday, May 7, 2010, at Rancho Cañada Golf Club, Carmel. Proceeds from this event were previously shared between Catholic Charities and Catholic Schools. Catholic Charities has decided to allow the Tuition Assistance Fund to be the sole beneficiary this year. All proceeds from the 2010 Bishop's Golf Tournament and Auction Dinner will go directly to the Catholic Schools Tuition Assistance Fund. The registration form can be found at www.dioceseofmonterey.org or contact Mimi Schwertfeger at the Department of Catholic Schools (831) 373-1608, schools@dioceseofmonterey.org



Marriage Saving – the Post Session Phase –The post-weekend phase of Retrouvaille is as crucial to the healing of a troubled marriage as the initial weekend experience. During the post-weekend sessions, the weekend technique is further developed and combined with additional tools to explore other areas of the marriage relationship. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **May 7-9, 2010**, call 831-479-1260 or email: Monterey@RetroCA.com or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

Welcome! Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God for you. If you are not registered, please fill out this form and place in the collection basket or mail to the parish office.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

- New Parishioner
- New Address
- New Phone Number
- Moving—Remove from List
- Please send contribution envelopes
- Please send information on Electronic Giving

BISHOP'S ANNUAL MINISTRIES APPEAL (AMA) UPDATE 2010

Our Diocesan goal is \$31,300 this year and our total goal is \$51,300. We have reached our diocesan goal so now everything we receive will be returned to the parish. We will use this money for these things: parish operating expenses, upgrading our website & landscaping around the parish. Thank you to everyone who has responded to this appeal.

Bishop's Annual Ministries Appeal as of April 6, 2010

# of households participating	Amount Pledged	% of total goal
168	\$38,534	75%

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS FOR JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Confirmation Coordinator: Shannon McLeod 688-4300 x17 or ssmcleod@hotmail.com
 Youth Coordinator: Kary Bagnall 688-4300 x14 or kebagnall@sbcglobal.net

YOUTH GROUP

- **April 24**—Youth Group Bake Sale Preparation at 10:00 AM. Call Kary for the details.
- **April 25**—Youth Group Bake Sale after the morning masses

CONFIRMATION 1st YEAR

- Remember part of preparation for Confirmation is attending Youth Group!

CONFIRMATION 2nd YEAR

- **April 25**—3:00—6:00 PM Session 6

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GRADUATING SENIORS

The Women's Guild & Knights of Columbus are offering two seniors of Resurrection Youth Group a \$500 scholarship to be used for educational purposes. An application form is available from Kary or from the parish office. Criteria includes: active participation in youth group activities, a good grade point average, and a statement regarding your career goals. There will also be an interview with the scholarship committee. **Deadline is April 18, 2010.** Scholarships will be awarded May 16, 2010.