



Welcome to Resurrection Catholic Community Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time August 29, 2010

*"You have approached Mount Zion and the city of the living God."
~ Hebrews 12:22a*

UPCOMING EVENTS

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Sunday:

- 11:30 PM Just Living Meeting (CCR)

Tuesday:

- 10:00 AM Gardening Committee (outside)
- 2:00 PM Knitting Ministry (CCR)

Wednesday:

- 12:30 PM Bible Study (CCR)
- 7:00 PM Lazarus Ministry Meeting (lounge)

Thursday:

- 7:00 PM Music Rehearsal for 10:15 mass (church)

Friday:

- 9:00 AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (BSC)
- 7:00 PM Taize Prayer (church)

Saturday:

- 8:30 AM Contemplative Prayer Group (DMC)



LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY



TAIZÉ PRAYER...First Friday evening of the month, September 3 at 7:00 PM. Come and join us for this wonderful time of contemplative prayer, singing and lectio divina (silent meditation on scripture).

LITURGICAL MINISTRY—ARE YOU CALLED?

A true celebration of Eucharist takes more than just a priest and a church full of people – it takes a team of committed disciples to bring the ritual alive each mass, each week. Is Jesus calling you to liturgical ministry as a youth or adult acolyte, greeter, lector, usher, Eucharistic minister, music minister or liturgy planner? Pray about it. Watch some of these liturgical ministers in action and ask yourself, "Am I being called to do this?" We are particularly in need of more ministers at the 6 PM Sunday mass. Call Deacon Patrick at 840-3750 for more information.

THE MASS NEVER ENDS—IT MUST BE LIVED! TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We are invited to continue to reflect upon the Gospel reading (Luke 14:1, 7-14) 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.

- How often do you do things for others and expect absolutely nothing in return?

- When was the last time that you personally did something for someone in need, for "the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind?"
- Do you ever catch yourself envying those who get greater honor and esteem than you? How do Jesus' words today both challenge and comfort you?

GOOD NEWS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday:** Sir 3:17-18,20,28-29; Ps 68:4-7,10-11; Heb 12:18-19,22-24; Lk 14:1,7-14
- Monday:** 1 Cor 2:1-5; Lk 4:16-30
- Tuesday:** 1 Cor 2:10-16; Lk 4:31-37
- Wednesday:** 1 Cor 3:1-9; Lk 4:38-44
- Thursday:** 1 Cor 3:18-23; Lk 5:1-11
- Friday:** 1 Cor 4:1-5; Lk 5:33-39
- Saturday:** 1 Cor 4:6-15; Lk 6:1-5
- Sunday:** Wis 9:13-18; Ps 90:3-6,12-17; Phlm 9-10,12-17; Lk 14:25-33



Handbell Rehearsal & "Classes" begin September 14 at 6:30 PM in the church conference room.



Greetings to all those would be handbell ringers! We welcome back our regulars and invite those of you, young & old, to come join us. No previous experience is necessary - if you can count and read, half the challenge of learning is done. I know the parish loves to hear the bells, and secretly would love to learn to play. Talk to any of the current or former bell ringers and see what they have to say. [regulars=Deanna Young, Sue Ferreira, Alice Kollman, Carol Laflin, & former ringers= Doris Knudsen, Suzanne Buse, Jenny Pinkerton, Faye Jahnigen, Laurel Henderson, Claire McAdams, Gloria Dioszegi, Maggie Young]. I look forward to a new season and hope, with increased ringers we can play at more liturgies. We ask for prayers that God will bless our music ministry and speak to your hearts to encourage you to join in this wonderful music ministry. Feel free to contact me 831-768-1377, or leave your name and number at the parish office and I will contact you. God bless you - Marie San Antonio/Director

Attention 8:15 AM Music Group - Rehearsal begins Thursday, September 9 at 6:30 PM in the church conference room.

We look forward to a wonderful season. There's lots of new music to learn, and I'd love to find a flute player, another guitarist, and any other instrument you might play to join us. Again I'm putting out a call for the men of the parish to step up to the plate and commit to joining us. We could make a mighty joyful sound with 4 part harmony. I would also encourage



those high school musicians to give thought to joining us. It would give you an opportunity to give to your parish and perhaps receive community service hours for your high schools. Come join us to sing joyfully, make a great noise, and sing the praises of the Lord. Feel free to contact me 831-768-1377 or leave your name and number at the parish office and I will contact you. God bless you - Marie San Antonio/Director

Intentions for August 28– September 5

Saturday, 08/28

5:00 PM (Fr. Ron) +Elizabeth Davis;+Charles Chikis

Sunday, 08/29

8:15 AM (Fr. Ron) +Gabriel Suarez
 10:15 AM (Fr. Ron) Nathan Pisciotta;+Johnny Domench; +Anna & Peter Momi
 6:00 PM (Fr. Ron) The People of the Parish; +Betty Duggan;John W. Lindner

Monday, 08/30

8:30 AM Communion Service

Tuesday, 08/31

8:30 AM (Fr. Ron) Immigrants

Wednesday, 09/01

8:30 AM (Fr. Ron) Gabriel Project



Thursday, 09/02

8:30 AM (Fr. Ron) +Lori Matusich

Friday, 09/03

8:30 AM (AR) +Vince Rice

Saturday, 09/04

5:00 PM (AR) The People of the Parish; +Babe Perron

Sunday, 09/05

8:15 AM (AR) +Nick Rajkovich
 10:15 AM (Fr. Ron) +Victoria Salak;+Harvey Willrodt; +Mary Emily Verdugo
 6:00 PM (Fr. Ron) Joci, Joanna, Irene, & Dave Davis

OUTREACH



AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Date: Wednesday, September 8, 2010

Location: Markey Community Center

Time: 12:30 PM to 5:30 PM

To schedule your appointment to give blood, please log onto www.redcrossblood.org (sponsor code: **APTOS**), or call 800-733-2767, or call the parish office at 831-688-4300 and we can schedule an appointment for you.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN...Christians throughout Santa Cruz area are invited to take part in the national **40 Days for Life Campaign** from **September 22 through October 31**. In addition to 40 days of peaceful prayer and fasting for an end to abortion, please consider volunteering to pray outside of the Planned Parenthood on Pacific Avenue in downtown Santa Cruz, during the 40 days, and spread the word to others about this important life-saving effort. **Recruitment and Orientation meetings** are scheduled for August 30 and September 14. To get more information, or to volunteer to help, please contact: **831 515-8058** or www.40daysforlife/santacruz.

COPA—HELPING US MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Do you have concerns about healthcare, the economy, housing, public safety and gangs? Do you feel powerless to have any real impact on these huge problems facing us all? Come and learn about COPA, Communities Organized for Relational Power in Action, which was started by Resurrection and other parishes of the Diocese of Monterey along with other faith communities and community organizations. We created COPA to help us as individuals and various communities to come together and address these challenges which affect us all. We have a monthly parish COPA team meeting on the first Sunday of each month. If you'd like to learn more about how COPA can help you make a difference, come to the next parish meeting Sunday, September 5 at 11:30 AM in the church conference room (behind the altar) or call Deacon Patrick at 840-3750.

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 looking for people who may need these items.** Call Sue PUNCHES at 661-0732.



GABRIEL PROJECT... 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. **We are currently assisting a single pregnant woman who needs baby supplies and financial assistance. If you'd like to help, contact our coordinator, Virginia Kaufman at 247-5461.**



FOOD FOR GOD'S PEOPLE...Our monthly food drive will be next weekend, September 4 & 5.

Please bring your non-perishable food items with you to mass or to the parish hall during the week. Donation envelopes are available on the counter above the bulletins if you would rather that we do the shopping. Thank you for your past and continued generosity.

SOCKS FOR SOULS: Parishioner, Will Siep, has been providing new socks, shoes, blankets and sleeping bags to the homeless. To support this ministry, he is asking for donations of unwanted items (electronics, small appliances, small furniture or tools) to be sold at the Skyview Flea Market. All proceeds given to **Socks for Souls**. Financial donations can be made using the special **Socks for Souls** envelopes in the church entrance. Checks should be made payable to Resurrection Church. Thank you to all who contributed financially to this ministry. For more information, call Will at 430-8162.



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.

HOMEBOUND COMMUNION MINISTRY... Each week specially trained members of our community visit our homebound members to bring them Communion and loving support. More ministers are needed for this. Is God inviting you to share in this blessing? Your part would be to visit 3-5 homebound members once every five weeks. Your visits can be scheduled at your convenience on any day. For more information please call the parish office.

PLEASE PRAY for our Parishioners who are in need of healing: *Berta Hees, Michael Lucas, Michelle Brown, Dorothy Locke, Marilyn Palmer, Lew DePedro, Louretta Gibson, Kathy Osmonson, Marie Pitchford, Mary Repetti, Norma & Brian Heath, Benny del Re, Tess Day, 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, Donna Victorino, Trent Feliss, Mark Duggan, Ellen Jennings, Rick Housouer, Bev deHart, Greg Finegan, Tony K, Jim Miller, Jan Gallagher, Maria Bernstein-Brumbaugh, Ginger Moore, Dave Peasley, Alisha Smith, Marc Adata, Joan Lawlor, Tom Lazore, Ariel Johnson, Marie San Antonio, Catherine Rumpanos & Family, Jim Feeney, Lt. Col. USMC Joseph A. Lucia III, Kathy Lackey, Ginny Dillingham, Zoe Nink, Jennifer Alvear, Jose Rufino, Susan Bass, Annie & Sean Enright, Jack Kolp, The Pinard Family, Marjorie Wharton & Family, Jim Andrade.*



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. If you'd like to learn more about how you can participate in this ministry, call Deacon Patrick at 840-3750 or come to a meeting this Wednesday at 7 pm in the hall lounge.

LAZARUS NEEDS!

- A couple living in their car are both disabled and need housing (they have SSI income).
- A woman in nursing school is in need of some financial assistance.
- A handyman is looking for any kind of work—no job too small!
- A woman is looking do some part-time house cleaning work.

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 many people with housing and living expenses. Envelopes are available on the donor book counter.

SUMMER FESTIVAL & FARMER'S MARKET

Thank you to all those who worked so hard last Sunday to put on a fantastic event and all those who attended! The event was a huge success.



People had a great time and enjoyed the music, food, and games. The event raised \$2,231.30 for the parish.

FAITH FORMATION

K-6 FAITH FORMATION classes begin Thursday, September 23 at 3:45 PM in Markey Community Center. Registration information will be available this week. Call the parish office for more information.

FIRST EUCHARIST preparation begins with a family meeting on Sunday, September 12 at 11:30 AM in the church (following the 10:15 AM mass). For more information, contact Deacon Patrick at pfconway@sbcglobal.net or at 840-3750.

BIBLICAL SPIRITUALITY... Each Wednesday from 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm in the church conference room (facing the cemetery), we prayerfully reflect upon the upcoming Sunday mass readings, 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 Deacon Patrick at 840-3750.



Stewardship of Treasure PLATE COLLECTION August 21 & 22, 2010	
Weekly Plate Collection:	\$10,660.20
Weekly Plate Collection Need (Budget)	\$8,333.00
Average Plate Collection after 48 weeks <i>this</i> fiscal year	\$8,699.78
Average Plate Collection after 48 weeks <i>last</i> fiscal year	\$8,452.51
Black & Indian Missions & Catholic University of America	\$1,642.62

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.

\$10,000 ANNUAL RAFFLE

RAFFLE TICKETS ON SALE THIS WEEKEND

You may drop off your ticket that you received in the mail at the ticket table, and purchase or take more tickets to sell. We can use your help to make Resurrection's biggest fundraiser a big success!

***The drawing will be held on October 24
at the 3rd Annual Spaghetti Dinner
Raffle Tickets are \$100.00 Each***

If you have a NEW item to donate or you would like to help seek out donations, sell tickets, or help behind the scene, please call Kary Bagnall at 688-4300 ext. 14.

Some of our prizes include:

- Grand Prize of \$10,000 Cash
- \$1,000 in groceries from Deluxe Foods of Aptos
- \$50 & \$100 Gift Certificates from Bittersweet Bistro
- 2 Month Membership to Curves
- \$25 Gift Certificate to Bark Place
- Complete National Parks Book
- Dinner for 2 with Fr. Ron
- \$25 Gift Certificates to Bay Photo
- Lunch for 2 at Café Sparrow
- 2 Tickets + Parking to 49er Game
- Pasta Night Basket
- Cash prize of \$100 from Tony Taylor Insurance Services, Inc.
- 2 people can enjoy a day of sailing on the Monterey Bay with captain Don Newman on his Catalina 350 Yacht



As of August 23 we have sold 179 tickets. Thank you.

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

INFANT BAPTISM MINISTRY... Are you a parishioner who is grateful for your Catholic faith and would like to help welcome new couples and their babies into our parish family? Then perhaps you'd like to be part of our parish infant baptism ministry. For more information, call Kary Bagnall at 688-4300.

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

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

REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR YOUTH GROUP AND CONFIRMATION 1st & 2nd Year were mailed last week. If you didn't receive the registration packet please call the parish office or stop by. If you have any questions about the programs please contact Kary for Youth Group or Shannon for Confirmation.

CONFIRMATION 1st & 2nd Year and YOUTH GROUP INFORMATION NIGHT will be September 12 at 4:30 PM in Markey Community Center. For information, call Kary in the parish office.

FALL EVENT: Our high school youth group will be attending the "On Fire" Nor Cal Jam 2010 at Six Flags Discovery Kingdom, Vallejo on Saturday, October 16 from 9:00 AM to 10:00 PM. Admission is \$35 (which includes early entrance into the park with a full day of unlimited rides, morning concert with Matt Maher & Sarah Hart, Mass with the Bishops, Keynote Speaker, all you can eat lunch buffet, afternoon event for the parents, and an evening concert featuring Tenth Avenue North with special guests Addison Road and Matt Maher). For more information, call Kary in the parish office.

AN INVITATION TO A WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:

Ladies, I have a message for you from Jesus: He wants each one of you to come spend some time with Him in His Word! He knows all about you and wants you to come discover more about him. The Women's Bible Study will begin a 10 week study on the Gospels seeking to know better the Word who became flesh. This study will draw us closer to Jesus as we study events, parables and stories from his life that will help us to answer the question Jesus once posed to Peter, "Who do you say I am?" We will focus on building a personal relationship with our Savior as we ponder another question Jesus asked his disciples, "Who do people say the Son of Man is?" We will explore what it means to have a personal relationship with Jesus and how that can help us to always have an answer for our faith. Class starts September 30 from 9:30 – 11:30 AM in the church conference room. We will meet every Thursday (except Veteran's Day & Thanksgiving) through December 16. Discussions will be facilitated by Elizabeth Knapp. Contact Elizabeth Knapp at 475-3850 for questions or to sign up. Materials fee of \$10.00.

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



RESURRECTION'S \$10,000 RAFFLE....Our annual raffle is coming soon! If you have a NEW item to donate or you would like to help seek out donations, sell tickets, or help behind the scene, please call Kary Bagnall at 688-4300 ext. 14. This is Resurrection's biggest fundraiser—we hope you will be able to help make this a successful event. Tickets are on sale after all masses.

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. If you can help sort the recycling once a month, please contact Kary in the parish office.



Thinking about Separation or Divorce? – Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Do you know how to save that marriage? Or do you feel helpless? Retrouvaille is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **Sept. 24-26, 2010**, call 831-479-1260 or email: Monterey@RetroCA.com or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

LAST CALL FOR NEW BULLETIN ADVERTISERS!!!

We are now working on the new bulletin for the next quarter (Oct/Nov/Dec). And YES, we do have room for YOUR AD! Reasonable rates as follows: Grand Slam: \$455 per quarter = \$1,820 per year; Home Run: \$375 per quarter = \$1,500 per year; Triple: \$310 per quarter = \$1,240 per year; Double: \$230 per quarter = \$920 per year; Single: \$130 per quarter = \$520 per year. Payments can be electronically deducted each month or you can pay quarterly. We are happy to work with you to design an attractive and effective ad (no additional cost for this). Call or email TODAY if you want to be included or if you know of a business that we should contact. Contact Ann Fitts, 688-4841, ann@guisc.com before September 1. And please support our advertisers!

ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC KITCHEN NEEDS CLOTHING

DONATIONS: The soup kitchen is in need of men's clothing in good condition, including socks, underwear, and trousers. Donations may be dropped off at the kitchen, located at 205 Mora Street, between 8:00 AM and 2:00 PM, Monday through Friday. If you have any questions, please call 459-6712. Thank you!

THANK YOU FROM YLI: YLI Santa Cruz #95 thanks all those parishioners who contributed to our school supplies drive. The backpacks, notebooks, pens, paper, etc. were distributed to CASA, Live Oak Family Resource Center and Valley Churches. All the supplies you donated were received with so much love and gratitude and many children and teens will benefit this new school year.

PARENTS—ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S SAFETY

We know that this is of utmost importance to you, as it is to us. Most of us generally assume that mass and church events are always safe places for our children, and they usually are. But since these gatherings are open to the general public, we have to be mindful of the possibility of disturbed or even dangerous persons coming into our midst. Please keep your children in sight at all times. We are particularly concerned about the Sunday morning donut hospitality time, when some children enter the hall without their parents. It is not safe for them to be in the hall without parental supervision, so please don't let that happen. Let's all take responsibility for making sure that our parish is a safe place for all our children!

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

DONATE TO THE PARISH WITHOUT WRITING A CHECK OR PULLING CASH OUT OF YOUR WALLET...Donations can be made via your credit card (Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express) or via Electronic Funds Transfer from your checking or savings account. Call Karen in the parish office if you would like the authorization form emailed to you or go to our page on the Diocesan website to print a form www.dioceseofmonterey.org, click on Parishes, click on Resurrection, click on Bulletin/Documents, click on EFT/Credit Card Authorization Form.

SIGN-UP TO RECEIVE EMAILS FROM RESURRECTION AND BISHOP GARCIA...Yellow cards are available on the table in the church entrance. Your name will be added to our email list and only will be used by us and Bishop Garcia. Our correspondence with you will be confidential and your replies to us will be as well. You may also register online at www.dioceseofmonterey.org

DID YOU KNOW? That we have documents on our page of the Diocesan Website that you can view and/or print including current bulletins, flyers, marriage preparation guidelines, K-6 Faith Formation calendar, youth calendar, monthly parish calendar, etc. Go to www.dioceseofmonterey.org, click on Parish/Chapels, click on Resurrection, click on Bulletin/Documents.

CHRISTIAN'S IN COMMERCE—You are warmly invited to attend our monthly men's group meeting of the Santa Cruz Christian's in Commerce. We meet every Wednesday, from 7:00 to 8:00 AM in the lower level of Saint Joseph's church in Capitola. Join us for an hour of fellowship: song, prayer, and sharing in our lord's presence. We are a inter-denominational Christian group. For more information call Mark Penniman at 831-419-8186.

HOLY EUCHARIST 6TH ANNUAL WINE TASTING & AUCTION: Sunday, September 12, 2010 from 3:00 to 6:00 PM. Local vintners and gourmet hors d'oeuvres. \$35.00 per person (must be 21 years) \$40.00 after September 5. The event will be held at the church at 527 Corralitos Road, Corralitos. Call 722-7590 for more information.

LEARNING FROM LOSS: A GRIEF RETREAT, with Carol Kaplan, MFCC.—St. Francis Retreat Center, San Juan Bautista, 831-623-4234, **September 10-12, 2010** Carol has led presentations, retreats, and provided counseling for those dealing with grief and loss, and those who minister to them. This retreat will look at grief and loss as part of the rhythm of life, and consider the important lessons learned by coming to terms with such losses. *Retreat begins Friday with dinner and ends with lunch on Sunday. \$170.00 per person double occupancy; \$210.00 private; Commuter rate \$100.00.*

First Friday Days of Recollection at St. Francis Retreat Center, San Juan Bautista, 831-623-4234 **September 3, October 1, November 5, December 3** 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM: includes registration, conferences, Mass and lunch. Presented by the friars and staff of St. Francis Retreat. *\$20 suggested donation.*

An Evening of Reflection and Learning - What is Spiritual Freedom? In What Ways Am I Not Free? Are Things, Feelings, the Past, Expectations, Approval, Regrets, Perfectionism Binding Me? *Join us to explore the Scriptures and the Saints about freedom. What is it that God wants for us?* Presenter: Dr. Susan Mahan, Wednesday September 8, 2010 7:00 -9:00 PM at Villa Maria del Mar Retreat Center, 2-1918 E. Cliff Drive, Santa Cruz. \$15 suggested donation. Refreshments are available. Eligible for Teacher/Catechist Hours. For more information call 475-1236.

2nd Monterey Bay Marian/Eucharistic Conference on October 15-16, 2010 at Madonna del Sasso Church in Salinas. Guest speakers are Mother Assumpta Long, O.P., Fr. Michael Barry, SS CC, Fr. Patrick Dooling, and Wayne Weible. David Balch is our Master of Ceremonies. Contemporary Christian Music by the Great Harvest of the Lord led by Sidney Edoria. Pre-registration is \$25.00; Door Registration is \$35.00. For more information, please call Madonna del Sasso Church at (831) 422-5323 or Fely Garden at (831) 229-8655.

RESURRECTION RE-USABLE SHOPPING BAGS



Would you like to use a Resurrection re-usable shopping bag when you go to the grocery store or to a farmer's market? The bags are pre-printed with the logo shown here (the circle around the Resurrection figure is green) and are made of a cream colored non-woven polypropylene. They are 13" wide x 14.5" high x 10" gusset. The bags are \$3.00 each and proceeds benefit the parish. Stop by the parish office if you would like to purchase one or several.