



The Most Holy Trinity

June 11, 2006

Go . . . and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

— Matthew 28:19

FR. GUILLERMO RODRIGUEZ NAMED PASTOR (It's worth repeating!)

Fr. Guillermo Rodriguez was named Administrator of our parish for a term of one year, July 1, 2005—June 30, 2006. Now Cardinal Roger Mahony has appointed Fr. Guillermo as Pastor of St. Matthew's parish, taking effect the first day of July 2006 and concluding at the end of the thirtieth day of June in the year 2012.

Let us keep Fr. Guillermo in our prayers as he takes up this new service as pastor. We are blessed to have Fr. Guillermo in this time of shortage of priestly and religious vocations. We will share his ministry, realizing the Church as the Body of Christ in Word and Sacrament.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS...

Please let Sr. Dolores know the dates you are not available for service during July and August. These dates are needed by next Wednesday, June 14th (562.439.0931 x 5) or barling@stmatthewlb.org.

LITURGY COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a Liturgy Committee Meeting on **Tuesday, June 13th at 7pm in the rectory.** We hope all members will be able to attend.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Please join us next Sunday after the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Our organization meets on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of every month in Room #1 of the Education Building.

JUNE 18 — THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

First Reading: Exodus 24:3-8

Second Reading: Hebrews 9:11-15

Gospel: Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Brian Sheridan

AIDS WALK—LONG BEACH

St Matthew's will once again sponsor a walking team for *Aids Walk Long Beach*, which will take place on Saturday, June 24th. This weekend and next weekend members of Comunidad are collecting sponsorship donations after all the Masses. You are welcome to join Comunidad's parish team by receiving your 'walking papers' after Mass. You may then ask family, friends, and co-workers to sponsor you.

You may enjoy a delicious brunch today at Uncle Morty's New York Style Deli, 2030 East 4th Street. Morty's has generously volunteered to donate 10% of their June 11th profits to St. Matthew's walking team.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING TODAY

We will have Blood Pressure Screening available to all parishioners in classroom #2 after the 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Masses. All are welcome!!

PASSIONIST

ANNUAL FAMILY FESTIVAL

Sunday, June 25 - 11:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

700 N. Sunnyside Ave. — Sierra Madre, CA

www.materdolorosa.org

Family Fun Day is an opportunity for families to share an afternoon of fun, food and games (*all games are free*) on the beautiful grounds of Mater Dolorosa. The event will be reminiscent of an old fashioned picnic with a three legged race, a hula hoop contest, an art contest and other fun activities. There will be great food and a wonderful plant sale also. More importantly, it is only through the success of this annual event that we are able to welcome many, many retreatants who are unable to make even a nominal donation for their annual retreat.

CAN YOU HELP??

The Office of Family Life's Marriage Preparation Program is looking for married couples (*married in the Catholic Church*) to help engaged couples prepare for the Sacrament of Matrimony through our One Day Marriage Preparation Classes. If you are interested, please call Candy Metoyer at 213.637.7250.

ARE YOU CONSIDERING A RELIGIOUS VOCATION?

For help in choices please call Sr. Kathy Bryant in the Vocation Office at the Archdiocese of L.A. 213.637.7514 or Fr. Ed Jalbert at 805.937.5378.