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ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH MESSAGE

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EPIPHANY

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL! May the blessings of God bring true happiness into every home! With effort, you can become a better person. Through kindness and respect, every neighborhood can become a better place to live. By daily prayer and regular attendance at Mass every Sunday, your family will become more closely knitted, peace and harmony will prevail. Resolve, at this very moment, to become more Christ-like in 1972!

MANY THANKS TO ALL who prepared and worked so hard to make the Christmas Ceremonies so beautiful and inspiring. The ladies who decorated the church, set up the crib, the ushers, the altar boys, the choir, the organists, the lectors, and many others who worked behind the scenes for many hours. Also the "new look" for our altar was done by a parishioner. The priests of the parish wish to thank all for the lovely Christmas cards, the gifts and the many goodies which made their way to the Christmas tree at the rectory.

SPECIAL PROGRAM TO DISCUSS how and what is being taught in the religion classes at our school and in the afternoon classes will be held on Thursday, January 13, at 8:00 pm, in the church. This is primarily for parents and religion teachers. It is being sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office of Religious Education. Speakers will be provided by the Archdiocese. There will be group discussion. Program will last until 9:30 pm. This should be very interesting. So check off your calendar. More later.

THE OFFERTORY GIVING PROGRAM will begin its fifth year this month and the name has been changed to Conscientious Offertory Giving (COG) as the support of the Church is a matter of conscience. It is only with the cooperation of all that this program can be successful in our parish. To coincide with this change, our church support envelopes have been converted to a more efficient system this month. Parishioners who use on a weekly basis will receive cards of two different colors each month. This is only for easier handling in the office and the color scheme does not matter - just use one each week.

ST. ANGELA LADIES AUXILIARY (S. A. L. A.) will have its monthly meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 5, at 8:00 pm, in the Adult Education Center, 832 Melody Dr. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Veronica Egan, child psychologist. Plan to attend.

WORLD DAY OF PEACE

January 1, 1972

"If you want peace, work for justice". This incisive formula announced by Pope Paul VI. is being presented to all Catholics throughout the world on January 1, 1972.

Jesus Christ has challenged all of his followers to be "peacemakers". This must begin, with concrete action, at home, with neighbors and at work.

POPE PAUL'S PRAYER FOR PEACE

We give you thanks for the desires, efforts and the achievements which your Spirit of Peace has inspired in our days, stirring up love where there was hate, sympathy where there was suspicion, solidarity where there was indifference. Open our hearts still more to the needs of love for all our brothers, so that we may be more truly makers of peace.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR NEW YEAR'S DAY

VIGIL MASSES on Friday, December 31st

5:30 pm & 7:00 pm

MASSES ON NEW YEAR'S DAY

7:00 am - 8:30 am

9:45 am - 11:00 am

Please note - no Masses at 12:15 and 5:30 pm

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

SUNDAY JANUARY 2

7:00 - Mr. Charles Koehl

9:45 - Wilven K. Labit

12:15 - Robert H. Mueller

MONDAY JANUARY 3

6:30 - Purgatorial List

8:30 - James Gibbons Ford

TUESDAY JANUARY 4

6:30 - Joseph Lesley Borne

8:30 - Leo W. Klein

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 5

6:30 - Edwin B. Norris

8:30 - Stella Many Landry

No 5:30 Vigil Mass on Saturday

8:30 - Mrs. Marie Zainey

11:00 - Thomas F. Root

5:30 - For the Parish

THURSDAY JANUARY 6

6:30 - Joseph Bravo

8:30 - Mr & Mrs A L Powell

FRIDAY JANUARY 7

6:30 - Mrs. Mary Roy

8:30 - Mr. V. Boeckelman

SATURDAY JANUARY 8

6:30 - Peter P. Banville

8:30 - Perrone Family

BAPTISMS THIS WEEK:

Kenneth Allen Bowman

John Joseph Kahn, Jr.

Catherine Anne Feltman

Jason Matthew Baldassaro

BANNS OF MATRIMONY:

John Carl Vastola

Lloyd B. Elsas

Leonard Labiche

Bryan Paul Klotz

Lester A. Calvin, Jr.

Gary William Spitzkeith

Daniel Robert Brennan

& Deborah Marylee Quartararo (1st)

& Jacqueline M. Navarre (2nd)

& Maureen Horil (3rd)

& Jennifer Rose Mathes (3rd)

& Rosemary Hooter (3rd)

& Susan Geraldine Bannister (3rd)

& Anne Alexis Emling (3rd)

THOUGHT FOR TODAY: WISE MEN STILL SEEK CHRIST.

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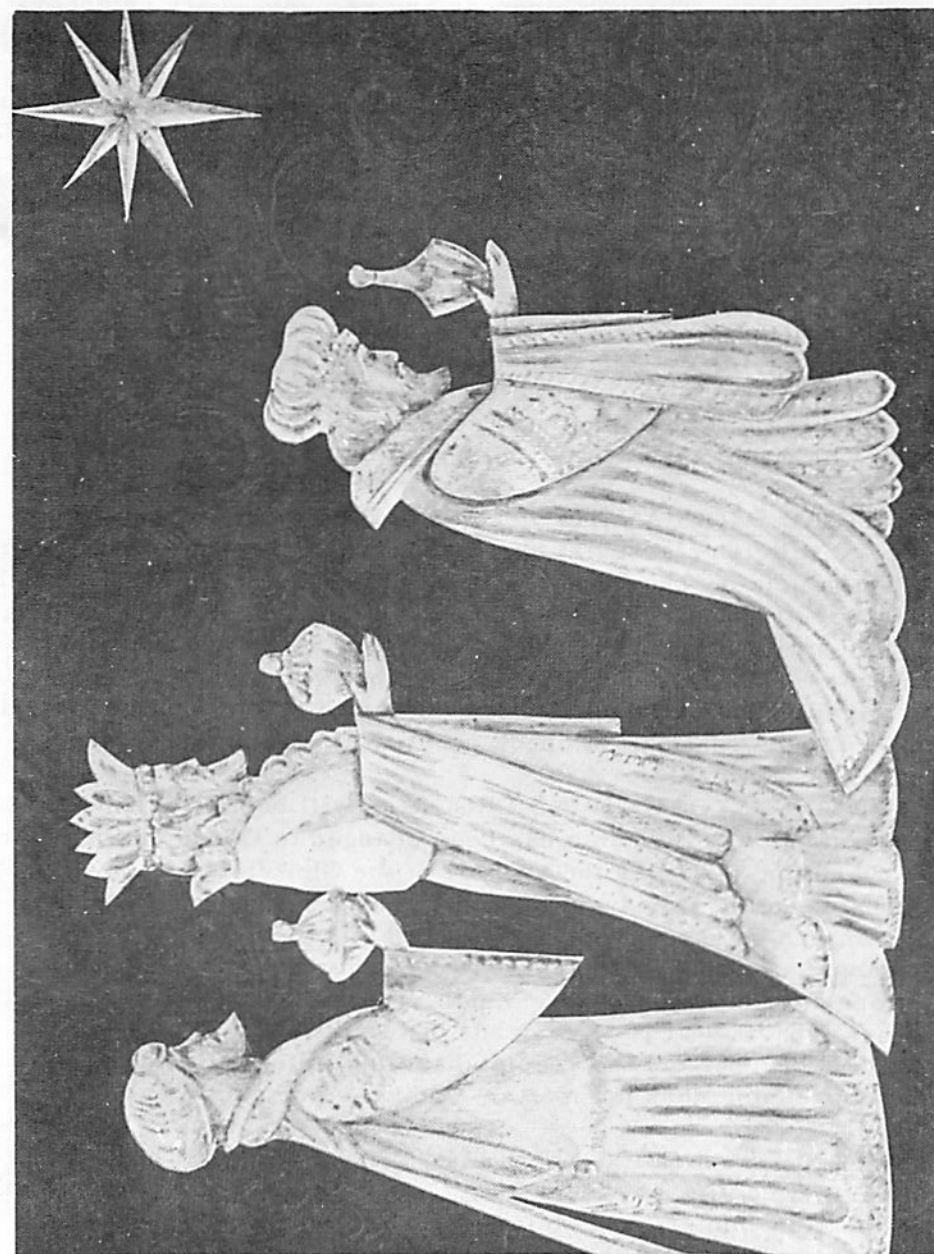
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BAPTISM OF THE LORD

CONSCIENTIOUS OFFERTORY GIVING (COG) emphasizes that the support of the Church and its works is truly a matter of personal conscience. The established method of Church Support is through the envelope system - on a weekly, monthly, or annual basis. Every family has the opportunity to opt for whatever it chooses. Fortunately, the majority of the families in St. Angela's do use the envelope system. At this time of the year, we would like to encourage the families who do not use to fall in line with those who do cooperate. Very soon, we will be contacting our parishioners through the mail to solicit their participation. Begin to consider now, according to your conscience, what will be your just return to the Lord for all the blessings received!

SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR PARENTS ON JANUARY 13, at 8:00 pm in our church. The Archdiocesan Office of Religious Education will sponsor a speaker and brief film on what and how religion is being taught in our schools today. Every parent who is interested in this subject matter, should make every effort to attend! There will be general discussion and an opportunity for questions. So parents, here is your chance! Often, we hear the question, "My goodness, what are they teaching my children these days?" Well, now is the time to find out and voice your opinions.

EAGLE COURT OF HONOR will be held on Sunday, January 9, at the 8:30 am Mass. Wayne Herman, son of Mr. & Mrs. Ed Herman, 1112 Beverly Garden Dr. will receive the highest honor of the Boy Scouts. All members of St. Angela's Scouting Family will assemble at 8:00 am on Sunday and witness this most impressive ceremony. The Eagle Award is a most difficult achievement to attain. Wayne is the first Scout of St. Angela's Troop 30 to do so. Our congratulations to him and his parents!

EVERY YEAR, ST. ANGELA'S PARISH honors married couples who celebrate their Twenty-Fifth Silver Wedding Anniversary. The special Mass and ceremonies will take place on Sunday, Jan. 30, at the 5:30 pm Mass. So if your wedding anniversary is coming up any time during the year of 1972, please accept this as a personal invitation to participate. Each couple will be presented with an engraved certificate and a testimonial buffet will be served for the couples and their immediate family. Please call the rectory this week and give your names. Arrangements must be made and hence reservations are necessary.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 3993. . . 2012 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$4916.00 . . . CHRISTMAS CHARITIES COLLECTION WAS \$3815.81 . . . THERE WILL BE NO CCD CLASSES FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL OF RELIGION (1 to 8th) THIS TUESDAY, JAN. 11th - SECOND SEMESTER WILL START ON JAN. 18th from 4:15 to 5:15 . . . OUR DIAL-A-PARISH IS BROKEN - WILL TRY TO GET IT FIXED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE . . . AGAIN WE APPEAL TO OUR SCHOOL PARENTS TO PAY THE CURRENT TUITION - MANY ARE STILL IN ARREARS . . . SALA WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE WHO BAKED OR BOUGHT GOODIES FOR THEIR "CHRISTMAS GOODIE SALE" - IT WAS A HUGE SUCCESS - PROFIT OF \$228.45 WAS REALIZED . . . THOSE INTERESTED IN MAKING A RETREAT AT MANRESA JAN 20 - 23, CONTACT HENRY HAFFNER 835-7808.

ST. ANGELA MERICI SCHOOL BOARD

Our cover this week features the newly elected and appointed members of St. Angela School Board. They are reading left to right front row: Mrs. Marilyn Heap, Mrs. Anne Branley, Sr. Mary Ellen, Mrs. Joyce Palermo and Mr. Anthony Hymel. Back row, Father Calato, Mr. Donald Ranna, Mr. Gerard Mialaret and Mr. Robert Maher.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

<u>SUNDAY JANUARY 9</u>	SAT EVE 5:30 - MR. & MRS. L. J. SHEEHAN
7:00 - MRS. JOSEPHINE LEE	8:30 - MRS. EMILY MALONEY
9:45 - DR. EMMANUEL F. SALERNO	11:00 - MRS. LUCILLE VITRANO
12:15 - LOUISE MARCELLO	5:30 - MRS. MIRIAM KELLER MAURER
<u>MONDAY JANUARY 10</u>	<u>THURSDAY JANUARY 13</u>
6:30 - ROBERT PRITCHETT	6:30 - JAKE SCIAMBRA
8:30 - FRANK ZIMMERMAN	8:30 - FEDERICO & HALL FAMILIES
<u>TUESDAY JANUARY 11</u>	<u>FRIDAY JANUARY 14</u>
6:30 - THANKS TO SACRED HEART	6:30 - ERNEST MARTIN
8:30 - LEON ABENE	8:30 - THANKS TO ST. JUDE
<u>WEDNESDAY JANUARY 12</u>	<u>SATURDAY JANUARY 15</u>
6:30 - MR. & MRS. FELIX TARANTO	6:30 - GIACCONE FAMILY
8:30 - C. A. KENNEDY	8:30 - MARGIE MOUNT

BAPTISM THIS WEEK:

BRYAN RICHARD BIRD

BANNS OF MATRIMONY:

JOHN CARL VASTOLA	& DEBORAH MARYLEE QUARTARARO (2nd)
LLOYD B. ELSAS	& JACQUELINE M. NAVARRE (3rd)

SATURDAY ALTAR LADIES

TEAM NO. 1 WILL CLEAN CHURCH ON SATURDAY, JAN. 8th.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY:

A GOOD MEMORY IS FINE - BUT THE ABILITY TO FORGET IS THE TRUE TEST OF GREATNESS.



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SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

CONSCIENTIOUS OFFERTORY GIVING (COG) allows us the opportunity to consider what portion of our blessings we will return to Almighty God and the work of His Church. On Sunday, the priests of the parish will speak on our spiritual need, to be thankful to God by what we offer Him monetarily. On the following Sunday, laymen from the parish finance committee will discuss the budget of the parish and encourage use of the envelope system. We have many families who contribute substantially, others who do fairly well, and of course, those who do nothing at all. We appeal to the conscience of all to do their share, according to their means. If God has blessed you, then there is an obligation to make a return!

THE FRONT COVER FEATURES THE FLOOR PLAN of the over-hang near the sacristy area. This will be enclosed to provide for classroom facility. After completion, we will enclose the other over-hang near Melody Dr. (on the same end of our building) for another classroom facility. This will enable us to empty out two classrooms in the Annex for much needed meeting facility. We are envisioning a successful response to the COG and it is projected that we can meet the cost out of current revenues from the Offertory Collection. This represents the results of many months of planning on the part of the Building Committee of our parish, fully approved by the Parish Council.

ALL COUPLES CELEBRATING 25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY anytime during the year 1972 are invited to participate in special ceremonies at the 5:30 pm Mass on Sunday, January 30th. The marriage vows will be renewed during the Mass, with a beautiful engraved certificate presented to each couple. Please notify the rectory of your names during this week. A buffet supper will be served to the couples and their immediate family immediately after the Mass.

ST. ANGELA MEN'S ASSOCIATION (SAMA) will have its monthly meeting with installation of new Officers on Thursday, January 20, at 8:00 pm, in the Annex. All men of the parish are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

SUNDAY MASS IS OUR GREAT weekly Christian event, the family worship of God's people gathered together with Christ. There is no better way to show our love, and thanksgiving to our Father in Heaven. Is Sunday Mass part of your life? Think about it.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 3925. . . 1931 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$5089.00 . . . THE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD WILL MEET ON WED., JAN. 19, AT 8:00 PM IN THE RECTORY. PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOMED . . . OUR THANKS TO JOE BRIUGLIO AT LAKESIDE REXALL DRUGS, 2311 VETERANS BLVD., FOR FURNISHING THE 1972 CALENDARS TO ALL THE PARISHIONERS . . . MORE INFORMATION ON THE C.O.G. WILL BE MAILED TO ALL PARISHIONERS DURING NEXT WEEK . . . IF YOU RECEIVE THIS MESSAGE ON THURS., JAN. 13, ATTEND SPECIAL MEETING TONIGHT AT 8:00 PM . . . PARISH COUNCIL MEETING TUES, JAN 18th, 8 PM IN RECTORY . . . CCD CLASSES START TUESDAY 4:15 PM.

PRAYER FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE

O God, may your grace enkindle in all men a love for the many unfortunate people whom poverty and misery reduce to a condition of life unworthy of human beings. Arouse in the hearts of those who call You Father a hunger and thirst for social justice, and for fraternal love in deed and in truth. Grant, O Lord, peace in our days, peace to souls, peace to families, peace to our country, and peace among nations. Amen (By Pope Pius XII)

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

<u>SUNDAY JANUARY 16</u>	SAT EVE 5:30 - STEPEHN J. SCULLY, JR.
7:00 - MRS. CORA ALBERT	8:30 - MRS. S. C. BROCATO
9:45 - VICTOR N. BONO	11:00 - HERBERT BABIN, SR.
12:15 - MALCOLM P. EHRHARDT	5:30 - MR & MRS F. GRILLETTA
<u>MONDAY JANUARY 17</u>	<u>THURSDAY JANUARY 20</u>
6:30 - VICTOR DI GIOVANNI	6:30 - MR. WM. NEEVES
8:30 - MRS. NAN DIXON	8:30 - ROBERT WOLFE
<u>TUESDAY JANUARY 18</u>	<u>FRIDAY JANUARY 21</u>
6:30 - THANKS ST FRANCES CABRINI	6:30 - MRS. MARY ROUSSELL
8:30 - A&J GESSLER & A. ROHDA	8:30 - MR. W. K. LABIT
<u>WEDNESDAY JANUARY 19</u>	<u>SATURDAY JANUARY 22</u>
6:30 - WM. C. CREDO, SR.	6:30 - MR. JOHN BONDI
8:30 - NANCY ZITO	8:30 - CHARLES M. BLANCHARD

BAPTISMS THIS WEEK:

JENNIFER HELEN DUNN

KEITH JOHN CASEBONNE

MICHELLE NICOLE RIECKE

BANNS OF MATRIMONY:

RANDY JAMES APRODITES
JOHN CARL VASTOLA

& CYNTHIA ANN TRENTICOSTA (1st)
& DEBORAH M. QUARTARARO (3rd)

IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF MR. ROBERT LEFORD, MR. CLIFFORD MERCIER AND MR. STERLING MURRY. MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

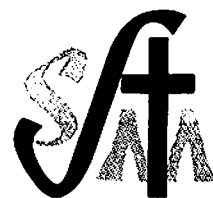
SATURDAY ALTAR LADIES

TEAM NO. 2 WILL CLEAN CHURCH ON SATURDAY, JAN. 15th.

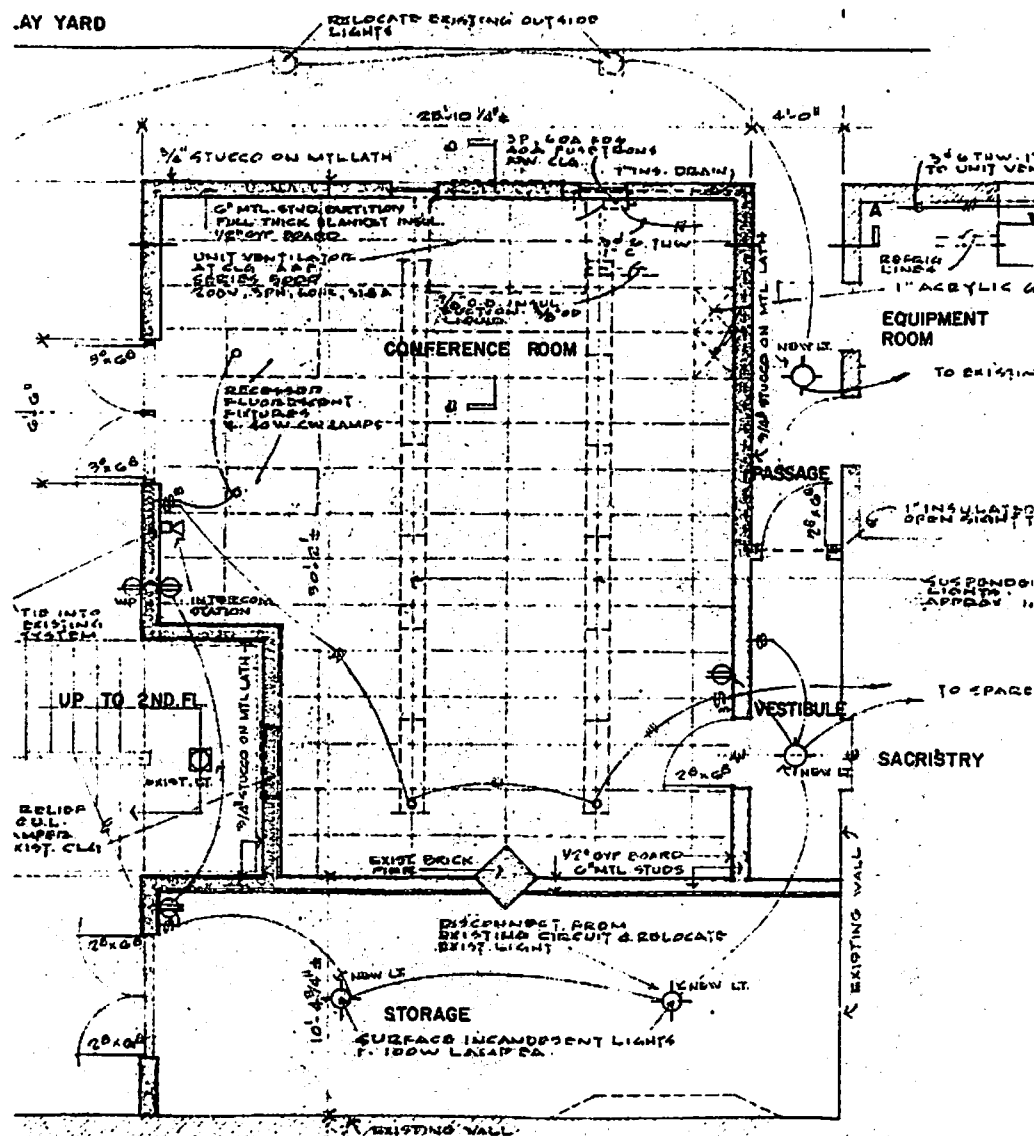
THOUGHT FOR TODAY

REMEMBER WE CAN ALWAYS GIVE WITHOUT LOVING - BUT WE CANNOT LOVE WITHOUT GIVING.

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THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

WE BELONG TO CHRIST. This bond established in our Baptism cannot be broken unless we choose to do so by serious sin. This likewise establishes a bond of unity among all Christians. As Catholics and fellow parishioners, it creates an even more intimate type of community. At Sunday Mass, we can express our unity by worshipping together. In the Mass, we express our faith (Creed); we give God our praise (Gloria); we give thanks to God for the presence of Christ our Lord (Eucharistic Prayer); and we join in at the Banquet Table (Holy Communion). Yes, we really belong to Christ. But He awaits our move - do we simply "sleep in" on the Lord's Day?

DURING THIS WEEK every family will receive mail concerning the COG, Conscientious Offertory Giving. Please take serious and quick action on this. Every family is asked to consider an increase in Church support. At the Sunday Masses, laymen of the parish will discuss the budget and the facts and figures of the Envelope System.

ANYONE INTERESTED IN FORMING A PLAY GROUP for 3 & 4 year olds (boys and girls)? If so call Carolyn Seiler at 833-3688 for more information and particulars. Do it now!

A SOCIAL CLUB for all Single Catholics over thirty is being organized at St. Louis King of France Parish. Eligible members must be single or widowed, aged 30 to 55, and practicing Catholics. First meeting will be held on Friday, Feb. 4, at 8:00 pm in the cafeteria. For more info call 833-0030 or 482-7690.

ST. ANGELA CYO DANCE on Saturday, January 22, from 8 to 11:30 pm, in the annex. The Band: Ri - \$1.50 & 1.25 at door.

WE SHOULD NEVER ASK GOD TO DO what we should do ourselves. Sometimes, instead of asking Him to help someone or remedy some situation, we should be doing something about it ourselves. Our prayer should normally thank Him for making us capable human beings, who can do such great things in partnership with Him, and a plea that we might use our talents in the best way possible.

YOU CAN HELP THE USHERS on Sundays by returning the missalettes and quietly lifting the kneelers after Mass.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 3912 . . . 1903 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$5059.00. . . FRONT COVER FEATURES WAYNE HERMAN TAKING THE EAGLE SCOUT OATH. PICTURED l. to r. A. J. GRAVOIS, MR. & MRS. EDWARD HERMAN, MR. PHILIP FACQUET AND MR. RALPH GUERRA. WAYNE IS THE FIRST EAGLE SCOUT FROM ST. ANGELA. HE IS A SOPHOMORE AT RUMMEL HIGH SCHOOL . . . BE SURE TO USE THE FREE NURSERY EVERY SUNDAY DURING THE 9:45 and 11:00 MASSES.

COUPLES CELEBRATING 25TH ANNIVERSARY

THIS IS THE LAST CALL FOR COUPLES CELEBRATING THEIR 25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY DURING THE YEAR 1972. A SPECIAL MASS, WITH RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS, WILL BE OFFERED ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, AT 5:30 PM. PLEASE NOTIFY THE RECTORY OF YOUR NAMES AND THE NUMBER OF PERSONS IN YOUR IMMEDIATE FAMILY. A BUFFET WILL BE SERVED IN THE ANNEX AFTER THE MASS. AN ENGRAVED CERTIFICATE WILL BE PRESENTED TO EVERY COUPLE.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

SUNDAY JANUARY 23

7:00 - MRS. SYLVIA SCHULTZ
9:45 - HOWARD J. CHAUVIN
12:15 - MRS. MARIE ELSTROTT

MONDAY JANUARY 24

6:30 - PURGATORIAL LIST
8:30 - MR. & MRS. D. BRONZO

TUESDAY JANUARY 25

6:30 - THANKS TO PADRE PIO
8:30 - ADAM JOHNSON

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 26

6:30 - MALCOLM GUTHRIE, JR.
8:30 - MRS. G. N. WEISS

SAT EVE 5:30 - VIOLET SEAMON

8:30 - JOSEPHINE ACCARDO
11:00 - WILLIAM C. HUBER
5:30 - MRS. LAURA RUFFINA

THURSDAY JANUARY 27

6:30 - WILFRED HENRY BOTSAY
8:30 - MRS. VERONICA V NEIDERHAUSER

FRIDAY JANUARY 28

6:30 - EDWARD E. CHRISTIANSEN
8:30 - MR. & MRS. S. SALVAGGIO

SATURDAY JANUARY 29

6:30 - MR. & MRS. ALBERT CAMINITA
8:30 - MRS. GERTRUDE BECKER

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TEAM NO. 3 WILL CLEAN CHURCH ON SATURDAY, JAN. 22nd.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY:

Take time to THINK - it is the Source of Power;
Take time to READ - it is the Fountain of Wisdom;
Take time to PRAY - it is the Secret of Perpetual Youth;
Take time to LAUGH - it is the Music of the Soul;
Take time to be FRIENDLY - it is the Road to Happiness.



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FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

LET US SEEK PEACE, AND PURSUE IT! The gospel on Sunday presents some of the noblest, and least understood words of all history: the Beatitudes. They are not counsels for the perfect; rather, they are the basic values of Jesus' kingdom. Let us truly worship God on Sunday and ask Him and ourselves what it means to be a peace-maker. If you want to be specific as a peace-maker, why not start by forgiving some old injury, forgetting some old grudge? Will you call up, look up, or write a letter today to someone who has hurt you, with whom you really have not been on friendly terms, or whom you may have offended? This is being a peace-maker, not just praising or praying about it.

CONGRATULATIONS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS upon the couples who will be honored on Sunday, January 30, at the 5:30 pm Mass, on the occasion of their 25th Wedding Anniversary. The couples are asked to sit in the reserved seats in church. During the Mass the marriage vows will be renewed. After the Mass, a courtesy buffet will be served for the couples and their immediate families. St. Angela's is proud to honor the 1972 Jubilarians. It is refreshing to celebrate this joyful event in the lives of the of the twenty-four couples who have announced their participation.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION for all Second Graders will be received on Sunday, March 26th, at the 8:30 am Mass. Children not enrolled in our school or in the Tuesday afternoon classes should phone the rectory for further instructions. On February 8th and 9th, at 8:00 pm, there will be a very special meeting for the parents of these children. The agenda of the meeting will be the same each night; hence, parents are expected to attend only one meeting. Parents will share in the preparation of their children for the reception of this great Sacrament.

PLEASE RETURN YOUR PLEDGE CARD this Sunday as you come to Mass or mail to the rectory. Our thanks to John Eckholdt for his presentation last Sunday at all of the Masses. The C. O. G. can only be successful if all parishioners do their fair and conscientious share in the support of the Church. Do put God and His church in your budget; at the top of the list and not at the bottom. Let your conscience be your guide!

ON SUNDAY, JAN. 30TH, at the 11:00 am Mass, there will be guitar music with special hymns led by the Folk Mass Group.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 3903. . . 1911 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$4007.00 . . . BE SURE TO GET OUT AND VOTE FOR THE CANDIDATES OF YOUR CHOICE ON FEBRUARY 1ST. . . THE ST. ANGELA SCHOOL BOARD WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY, FEB. 2, AT 8:00 PM. ON THE RECTORY. . . THE PARISH COUNCIL WILL MEET ON THURSDAY, FEB. 3, AT 8:00 PM IN THE ANNEX. NEW OFFICERS WILL BE ELECTED . . . CANDLEMAS DAY IS FEB. 1ST. ON THIS DAY THE CANDLES ARE BLESSED. BLESSED CANDLES FOR HOME USE WILL BE AVAILABLE ON SUNDAY, FEB. 6th, FROM THE USHERS . . . THURSDAY, FEB. 3, IS THE FEAST OF ST. BLAISE. THROATS WILL BE BLESSED AFTER THE 6:30 and 8:30 MASSES AND ALSO FROM 7:00 to 7:30 PM . . . FRIDAY, FEB. 4, IS THE FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH. SHOW YOUR DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS BY ATTENDING MASS AND RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION. . . CONFESSIONS WILL BE HEARD ON THURSDAY, FEB. 3, 7:00 to 7:30 PM.

SALA MONTHLY MEETING

THE ST. ANGELA LADIES AUXILIARY WILL MEET ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1st, AT 8:00 PM IN THE ANNEX. A PROGRAM DEALING WITH HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR HOME WILL BE GIVEN BY THE ORGANIZATION "WOMEN AGAINST CRIME". REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED AFTER THE MEETING. (PLEASE NOTE: MEETING ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1st, INSTEAD OF THE USUAL FIRST WEDNESDAY OF MONTH).

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9:45 - KIRK BARRIOS	11:00 - JEANNE CHALONA
12:15 - MRS. ROSE SULLIVAN	5:30 - GALLO FAMILY
<u>MONDAY JANUARY 31</u>	<u>THURSDAY FEBRUARY 3</u> (St. Blaise)
6:30 - JOSEPH A. BRAVO	6:30 - JOSEPH LESLEY BORNE
8:30 - MRS. GERTRUDE BECKER	8:30 - MIRIAM KELLER MAURER
<u>TUESDAY FEBRUARY 1</u>	<u>FRIDAY FEBRUARY 4</u>
6:30 - MRS. HENRIETTA HERMAN	6:30 - EUGENIE KERNER
8:30 - STANLEY GORDY, SR.	8:30 - LEON ABENE
<u>WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 2</u> (Candlemas)	<u>SATURDAY FEBRUARY 5</u>
6:30 - ROBERT H. MUELLER	6:30 - EDWIN B. NORRIS
8:30 - ROMAIN VIGUERIE	8:30 - MRS. MARGIE MOUNT

BAPTISMS THIS WEEK:

THEODORE VICTOR DE AGANO III
DONALD CHARLES PLAISANCE

STEPHANIE ELIZABETH CALMES
KEITH CHRISTOPHER LAING
SCOTT MARTIN ST. GERMAIN

BANNS OF MATRIMONY:

THOMAS MILLIKEN	&	SANDRA JUNEAU	(2nd)
RANDY JAMES ASPRODITES	&	CYNTHIA ANN TRENTICOSTA	(3rd)

SATURDAY ALTAR LADIES TEAM NO. 4 WILL CLEAN CHURCH SAT., JAN. 29th.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY:

WE MAKE A LIVING BY WHAT WE GET, BUT WE MAKE A LIFE BY WHAT WE GIVE.

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

THE REV. VICTOR CIARAMITARO was ordained a priest last week in Memphis. He will be visiting St. Angela's this week end and will celebrate the 9:45 am Mass. During the past year while at Notre Dame Seminary, he has assisted us here especially on Sundays. The parishioners congratulate him and wish him many years of fruitful service in the vineyard of the Lord. Father Vic belongs to the Diocese of Memphis and will receive his permanent assignment there. There will be a second collection taken up for him at all of the Masses this Sunday.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will be received by Second Graders on Sunday, March 26, at the 8:30 am Mass. There will be a special meeting for the parents of these children on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 8th and 9th, at 8:00 pm in the Church. All parents are expected to attend at least one of the meetings. The agenda is the same on both nights. The two meetings are being held only to accomodate the parents. Plan to attend one.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION will be administered to all Eighth Graders of the parish on Monday, April 17, at 7:30 pm. Bishop Caillouet will be the confirming prelate.

BLESSED CANDLES for home use will be available from the ushers this week end after all of the Masses. See one after Mass.

LADIES, THERE IS A NEED for altar and church workers. Why not join a team of six ladies and work for only an hour or so every six weeks? The groups work on Saturday afternoons and on Thursdays. You can have your pick of days. The church is your home so why not volunteer and help. To place your name on the roster of workers, call Lara Calamari at 834-2582.

IN REPLY TO SOME INQUIRIES concerning the article in the Clarion Herald last week re pilot meetings in various parishes about religious education in our schools and school of religion, such a meeting was already held here and was broadly communicated prior to the meeting (it was held on January 13). The purpose of the meeting was to assist the Archdiocesan Board in getting "feed back" from parents. From the "feed back" it now seems obvious that very many of our parents should avail themselves of the adult religious education program that has been offered here for the past four years.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 3926. . . 1923 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$4293.00 . . . THE WHEEL N DEAL SQUARE DANCE CLUB WILL HAVE ITS MASKERS DANCE ON MONDAY, FEB. 7th, AT 8:30 PM IN THE ANNEX. COSTUMES REQUIRED. . . THE FRONT COVER FEATURES THE COUPLES WHO ATTENDED THE MASS LAST SUNDAY IN OBSERVANCE OF THEIR TWENTY-FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY. SPECIAL THANKS TO THE COUPLES OF THE PARISH WHO PREPARED AND SERVED THE DELICIOUS BUFFET AFTER THE MASS . . . COUPLES CELEBRATING THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY DURING THE YEAR 1972 WILL BE HONORED AT THE CATHEDRAL ON JUNE 11, AT 3:00 PM. PLEASE CONTACT THE RECTORY AND GIVE NAMES FOR RESERVATIONS . . . IF YOU RECEIVE THIS MESSAGE ON THURSDAY, FEB. 3, THE FEAST OF ST. BLAISE, THROATS WILL BE BLESSED FROM 7:00 until 7:30 pm.

Ways of GIVING — LOVE is selfless

Love is GIVING:

Giving IN;

Giving UP;

FORgiving;

THANKSgiving.



PLEASE RETURN INTENT CARDS IF YOU STILL HAVE ONE

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 6

7:00 - LOUISE MARCELLO

9:45 - VICTOR N. BONO

12:15 - ANDREW MOORE

MONDAY FEBRUARY 7

6:30 - THOMAS F. ROOT

8:30 - MRS. STELLA MANY LANDRY

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 8

6:30 - PETER P. BANVILLE

8:30 - PERRONE FAMILY

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 9

6:30 - MARGY MOUNT

8:30 - JAMES GIBBONS FORD

SAT EVE 5:30 - MR. PAUL CHIARELLO

8:30 - MR & MRS A. L. POWELL

11:00 - PAUL CHIARELLO

5:30 - MRS. HILDA JUNKER

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 10

6:30 - MRS. ROSE SMITH SULLIVAN

8:30 - FEDERICO & HALL FAMILIES

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 11

6:30 - MR. WILLIAM NEEVES

8:30 - MR. V. BOECKELMAN

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 12

6:30 - MR & MRS FELIX TARANTO

8:30 - MRS. GERTRUDE BECKER

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THOMAS LAWRENCE BLASH

THOMAS MILLIKEN

&

KATHERINE MARY HEBERT

&

SANDRA JUNEAU

(1st)

(3rd)

IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF MRS. JUNE NAPOLI WHO DIED LAST WEEK. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.

ALTAR LADIES

TEAM NO. 5 WILL CLEAN THE CHURCH SATURDAY, FEB. 5th.

TEAM NO. 6 WILL CLEAN THE CHURCH THURSDAY, FEB. 10th.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY:

GOOD DEPENDS NOT ON THINGS BUT ON THE WAY WE MAKE USE OF THINGS.

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ST. ANGELA'S
LENTEN ADULT EDUCATION

Informal Sessions
832 Melody Drive

1. SIX TUESDAYS - STARTS FEBRUARY 22 - 8:00 pm

Learn more about the pressing issues in moral theology today
Text - "A New Look at Christian Morality" by Charles Curran
Discussion leaders - Mr. William Miller and Sister Andre

2. SIX TUESDAYS - STARTS FEBRUARY 22 - 10:00 am

Discussion on the nature of love in the light of St. John's Gospel
Text - "Why Am I Afraid to Love?" by John Powell
Discussion leader - Sister Andre

3. SIX THURSDAYS - STARTS FEBRUARY 24 - 2:00 pm

Same as # 2 above

4. SIX THURSDAYS - STARTS FEBRUARY 24 - 8:00 pm

For college students and young adults
Discussion on dating, marriage, birth control, abortion,
divorce and the practical aspects of these topics
Discussion leader - Father Joseph Latino

REGISTRATION FORM

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Telephone number _____

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

THE HOLY SEASON OF LENT STARTS ON ASH WEDNESDAY.

This Lent there will be a total effort on the part of parishioners, who truly desire to be apostolic, to spiritually energize every person living within the boundaries of St. Angela's Parish. Our goal will be to invite every Catholic of St. Angela's to observe the six weeks of Lent in a more prayerful and holy manner. Our faithful and Mass observing persons who are not of the Catholic Faith are invited to join us during Lent. The entire program for Lent will be explained by your Pastor at all of the Masses this week-end. A special brochure will be mailed out to all families and will arrive at your homes on Ash Wednesday. Only through the cooperation of all can this attempt be successful. It will require only a minimal effort on the part of all. Actually, we can create a very strong force for good in our community. We can really revolutionize our Sunday Masses by the input of our total attention, our prayerful devotion, and by inviting the hundreds of Catholics who for some reason or another have gotten in the bad habit of not coming. We appeal especially to our young adults, particularly college students, to take up the banner during Lent and bring the cause and message of Jesus Christ to all who will lend an ear and even to those who do not. Plan now to spend the Six Weeks of Lent with Christ!

LENTEN SCHEDULE: Masses on Ash Wednesday: 6:30, 8:30, 12 Noon and 5:30 pm. The ashes will be distributed after all of the Masses and also at 7:30 pm.

DAILY MASSES DURING LENT: 6:30, 8:30 am and 5:30 pm.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Every Friday at 7:30 pm.

As indicated above, every family will receive in the mail a brochure on Ash Wednesday outlining the total Lenten Program for St. Angela's. The Religious Education Program for adults and college students is attached to this Message.

ST. ANGELA SCHOOL will be closed on Feb. 14, 15 and 16th.

SECOND GRADERS receiving their First Holy Communion on March 26 will be measured for the gowns on Tuesday, Feb. 22. St. Angela School children will be measured during the school day and the Elementary School of Religion children at the afternoon classes. Please circle this date on your calendar and if your child is sick on this date, other arrangements can be made by your notification of the school or rectory.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 3931. . . 1927 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$3665.00 . . . FRONT COVER FEATURES THE PROGRESS ON THE CLOSING IN OF THE AREA NEAR THE SACRISTY. THIS WILL SERVE AS A CLASSROOM THEREBY FREEING ONE OF THE ANNEX CLASSROOMS FOR A MUCH NEEDED MEETING FACILITY. ONCE THE OTHER SIDE, NEAR MELODY DRIVE IS ENCLOSED THE MEETING FACILITY IN THE ANNEX WILL BE ENLARGED . . . QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE DEANERY A.C.C.W. WILL BE HELD ON FEB. 24th, 8:00 pm, AT ST. CHRISTOPHER CHURCH, ALL LADIES ARE INVITED . . . WITH THE NEW BAPTISMAL RITE, PARENTS ARE REMINDED THAT IT IS NECESSARY TO MEET WITH ONE OF THE PARISH PRIESTS PRIOR TO THE BAPTISM OF THEIR CHILD. CONTACT THE RECTORY FOR AN APPOINTMENT . . . EVERY SUNDAY THERE IS A FREE NURSERY DURING THE 9:45 and 11:00 am MASSES . . . PLEASE COMPLY WITH USHER DIRECTIONS EVERY SUNDAY. IT'S FOR YOUR SAFETY AND GOOD ORDER DURING THE MASS.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

<u>SUNDAY FEBRUARY 13</u>	SAT EVE 5:30 - MR. & MRS. L. J. SHEEHAN
7:00 - ERNEST MARTIN	8:30 - MR & MRS L V DOMINIQUE
9:45 - PAMELA RAY GRUBB	11:00 - EVERETT COLLINS, SR.
12:15 - MALCOLM P. ERHARDT	5:30 - MRS. MARIE ZAINY
<u>MONDAY FEBRUARY 14</u>	<u>THURSDAY FEBRUARY 17</u>
6:30 - MRS. CAROLINE V. RUSSO	6:30 - VICTOR DI GIOVANNI
8:30 - MRS. MARY ROY	8:30 - MRS. ANNA IANNAZZO
<u>TUESDAY FEBRUARY 15</u>	5:30 - MRS. MARY ELLEN DAVIS
6:30 - GIACCONE FAMILY	<u>FRIDAY FEBRUARY 18</u>
8:30 - JAKE SCIAMBRA	6:30 - MRS. CORA ALBERT
<u>WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 16</u>	8:30 - W. K. LABIT
6:30 - LESTER STECKLER	5:30 - DR. EMMANUEL F. SALERMO
8:30 - FRANK BARRECA II	<u>SATURDAY FEBRUARY 19</u>
12:00- MR & MRS F. GRILLETTA	6:30 - EDWARD GLEASON
5:30 - SPECIAL INTENTION	8:30 - A&J GESSLER & A. ROHDA

BAPTISMS THIS WEEK:

ROBYN LOUISE BURKE

BANNS OF MATRIMONY:

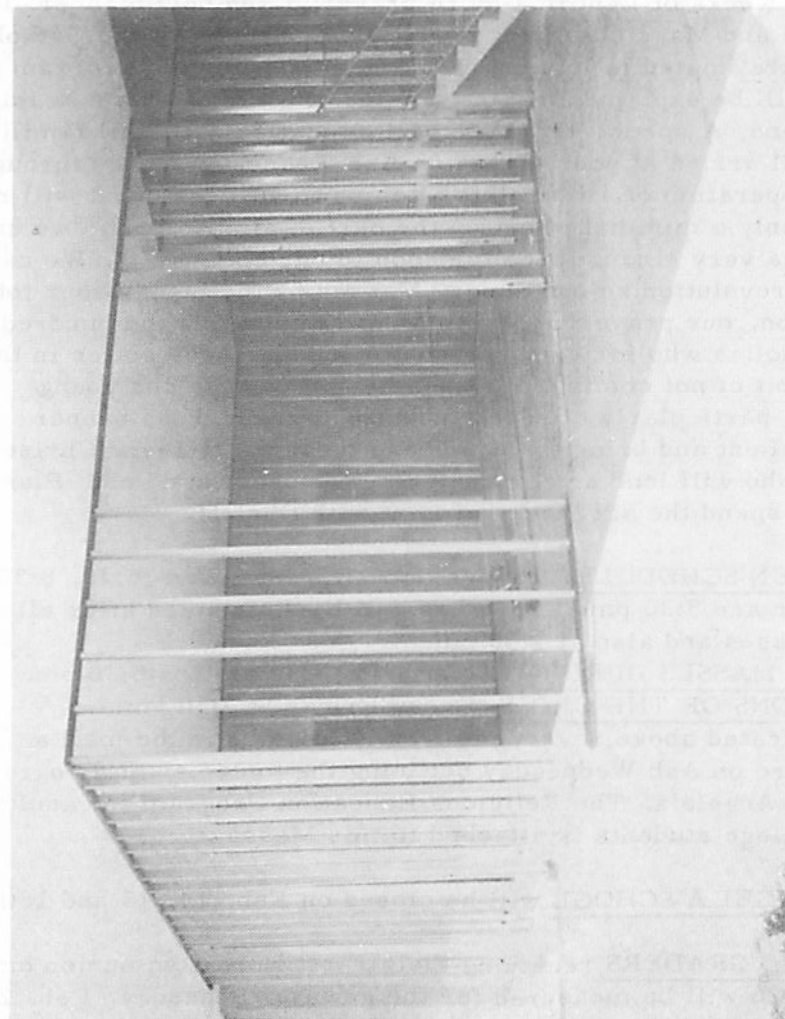
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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

THEME FOR THIS WEEK IN LENT: SIN. This is an unpopular subject. Perhaps, the unpopularity lies, not in the refusal to accept evil, but in the refusal to name it "sin". Sin implies moral perversion and guilt, two concepts that do not reflect favorably on man. Sin is something that affects the relationship between God and man. Hence, now during Lent, we must come to some conclusion about sin. The Prophet Jeremiah, in his day, loudly proclaimed: "Cleanse your heart of evil, O Jerusalem, that you might be saved." We, at St. Angela's, can well heed his admonition. The subject for the homily on Sunday: SIN.

IT IS HOPED THAT PARTICIPATION in the Lenten Program will continue to be on the upward swing for the remaining weeks of Lent. It was noticeable that many parishioners did make a positive effort to improve our Sunday Worship at Mass -- their devotion during Mass, their reverence and respect for what was going on during Mass. One parishioner and his wife proudly brought along four couples to Mass and afterwards introduced them to the priests of the parish. About half the parishioners wore their name-tags. Please continue for the next 5 Sundays. During Lent, the folk Mass with guitar music will be celebrated at 11:00 am. On this Sunday the 4th grade children will sing at the 9:45 am Mass.

ST. ANGELA LADIES AUXILIARY (SALA) will have its monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 1, at 8:00 pm in the Adult Education Center, 832 Melody Dr. Panel discussion on the "Right to Life" will be given followed by refreshments.

SCHOOL NEWS: LEARNING FESTIVAL will be held in our school on March 2 and 3. Students will be able to browse and purchase educational materials, handicrafts, etc. The area of interest will represent all children. The Learning Festival will be open from 8:30 am until 3:30 pm. Materials will be on display for the parents attending the Open House on Friday night, March 3. **SOCIAL STUDIES FAIR**, sponsored by the 7th and 8th Graders, will be conducted in the Annex on Sunday, Feb. 27, after all the morning Masses.

CYO MEETING ON SUNDAY, FEB. 27, at 7:00 pm in the Annex.

DIAL YOUR PARISH has been repaired, call 837-2079.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 4017. . . 1985 RECEIVED COMMUNION. . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$ 6152.00. . . THE 4th GRADERS WILL DRAMATIZE THE PASSION OF OUR LORD AT STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON THIS FRIDAY AT 7:30 PM . . . SISTER LOIS WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE MANY PARENTS OF OUR SCHOOL CHILDREN WHO RESPONDED TO THE APOSTOLATE QUESTIONNAIRE SHE SENT OUT. . . SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION WILL BE ADMINISTERED TO ALL 8TH GRADERS ON APRIL 17, at 7:30 PM BY BISHOP CAILLOUET. STUDENTS ATTENDING PRIVATE SCHOOLS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ENROLL IN THE TUESDAY AFTERNOON CLASSES, 4:15 until 5:15 PM, IN OUR SCHOOL. . . BE SURE TO BRING YOUR LIST OF FAMILY GOOD WORKS TO MASS ON SUNDAY. PLACE THEM IN CONTAINER IN THE MIDDLE AISLE. THESE WILL BE PRESENTED TO GOD AT THE OFFERTORY OF THE MASS.

SIGN OF PEACE AT MASS

This ceremony was introduced at Mass to express in a visible way the oneness and unity among those worshipping. It was intended to be an external sign of that which was already believed and accepted internally; namely, that we are one in faith. Whatever our feelings, if honestly pondered, this simple sign can be a most expressive and effective preparation for Holy Communion. "See how these Christians love one another."

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 27	SAT EVE 5:30 - MRS. ROBERT E. LE BLANC, SR.
7:00 - KIRT BARRIOS	8:30 - MRS. EMILY MALONEY
9:45 - MRS. LAURA RUFFINA	11:00 - JOSEPH I. YOUNG
12:15 - MR. WEIGEL	5:30 - MRS. MARY GENTRY
MONDAY FEBRUARY 28	THURSDAY MARCH 2
6:30 - PURGATORIAL LIST	6:30 - MELISSA RYAN KLINE
8:30 - MRS. MARABELLE NAGIM	8:30 - ROBERT H. MUELLER
5:30 - ROBERT ELZEY	5:30 - MRS. EMILE G. HARO, SR.
TUESDAY FEBRUARY 29	FRIDAY MARCH 3
6:30 - ZITO FAMILY	6:30 - WILLIAM FROME
8:30 - MRS. MC CAFFREY	8:30 - MR. CLAY ALBERADO
5:30 - BERTHA & WM. MOHAN	5:30 - MRS. HILDA JUNKER
WEDNESDAY MARCH 1	SATURDAY MARCH 4
6:30 - MRS. E. J. WAGUESPACK, SR.	6:30 - EUGENIE KERNER
8:30 - FRANK BARRECA II	8:30 - FLORENCE WIER JOHNSON
5:30 - MRS. IDA LEJEUNE	

BAPTISMS THIS WEEK:

SUSAN RUTH CHOCHES
SCOTT MICHAEL GIBSON

BANNS OF MATRIMONY:

LEONARD JOHN MONTELEONE	&	KATHY JANE FOURNET	(1st)
ROBERT HOCKMAN	&	JANICE BAUDIN	(2nd)

ALTAR LADIES TEAM NO. 2 WILL CLEAN CHURCH ON SATURDAY, FEB. 26th.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY: IF YOU WANT TO BE MISERABLE - HATE SOMEBODY.

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Sin pollutes the air men breathe

We all feel within ourselves our own selfishness and sinfulness continually warring against the impulse of love. The Scriptures themselves remind us of the tension in which we live. On the one hand the Scriptures speak of the new life we have received in Christ Jesus; on the other hand the Scriptures speak of the need for struggle and growth. The weeds will continue to grow in the field.

Conversion is never fully accomplished. The Christian continually struggles to overcome the hardness and selfishness of his own heart. Our own sinfulness is a constant reminder that salvation is God's gift to us. The Christian who has experienced the love of God is truly changed and must now act in accord with the new life he has received.

Embarrassing questions . . .

A meditative reflection on the moral teaching of Jesus raises embarrassing questions.

Do Christians really put into practice the ethical teaching of their Lord?
Can we truly say to Jesus: "When you were hungry, thirsty, naked, lonely, abandoned, and in prison, we were there to comfort you?"

Is the primary concern of the Christian the neighbor in need or are we more interested in preserving and augmenting status, wealth and power?

Am I really willing to give all that I possess for my neighbor in need?

Am I really willing to forgive my enemies the same way that Christ did?
How difficult it remains to speak well of those who have hurt me in the past.

Am I always willing to turn the other cheek or to walk an extra mile?
How often do I really go out of my way to help others?

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THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

THEME FOR THIS WEEK IN LENT: CHARITY. The central point in Christ's teaching, the topic to which He returned again and again, is love. No religion or philosophy before or since has taught love as Christ did. It distinguishes his teaching from all others. Only Christianity presents an all-powerful God who is yet so loving that He becomes one of us, is disgraced and dies for us, and sums up his whole teaching in love. "A new commandment I give you, that you love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another!" (John 13, 34-35).

A SUCCESSFUL LENT can be a most contagious experience! Have you really gotten into the spirit of Lent? Don't wait, fully participate! Bring your neighbor to Mass ... wear your name tag ... writing out your family good works and bringing them to Mass insures a week of action for Christ ... time for that confession ... come to a Mass at least once during the week ... make a visit to the Blessed Sacrament on your way to work ... go one full day without as much as a critical thought against your neighbor ... be more understanding of people who just turn your insides ... for once wear a smile, and be more trusting of God, neither you nor the world will fall apart!

SCHOOL NEWS: LEARNING FESTIVAL will be held on March 2 and 3. The children will be able to see educational handicrafts in the hallways of the school. These same materials will be on display for the parents attending the Open House on Friday Night, March 3. (Please note: even though some parishioners do not have children in our school, they are invited to visit and see our school between 7:30 and 9 pm.)

REGISTRATION FOR NEW STUDENTS will take place on Wednesday, March 16, 12:30 pm until 3:00 pm, in the Ladies Scaristy (enter on Melody Dr. near flag pole).

ON SUNDAY AT THE MASSES the weekly hand-out of Lenten reading material will be in the form of True/False quiz. Let this be a family project. The answers will appear next week.

MEMBERS OF KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Ludovicum Council, will attend the 8:30 am Mass on Sunday. Welcome to St. Angela's. The 11:00 am Mass will feature guitar music.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 4062. . . 1996 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$4668.00 . . . ON MARCH 1st, 10 AM - 12 Noon, ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AT 1643 METAIRIE RD., FOR TRANSPORTATION CALL LILLIAN FRAUGHT 831-1878 . . . ALL SINGLE CATHOLIC MEN AND WOMEN OVER THIRTY INTERESTED IN JOINING A SOCIAL CLUB ARE INVITED TO A MEETING ON MARCH 3, 8 pm AT ST. LOUIS KING OF FRANCE SCHOOL. FOR MORE INFO CALL ALICE AT 834-0034 . . . PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO THE 23RD ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF PROMPT SUCCOR (2635 STATE ST) ON SUNDAY MARCH 5, AT 3:30 pm . . . EACH DAY FOR A SPIRITUAL MESSAGE CALL 837-2079. THIS IS A 24 HR. SERVICE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.

A PRAYER FOR A HAPPY HOME

God, grant me the serenity to accept things I cannot change; the courage to change the things I can and the wisdom to know the difference. Living one day at a time and enjoying one moment at a time. Accepting the hardships as the pathway to peace; taking, as He did, the sinful world as it is, not as I would have it. Trusting that He will make all things right if I surrender to His will.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

<u>SUNDAY MARCH 5</u>	SAT EVE	5:30 - MR & MRS L J SHEEHAN
7:00 - EDWIN B. NORRIS	8:30 - ROBERT R. RODRIGUEZ	
9:45 - PETER P. BANVILLE	11:00 - MR & MRS A. CATALINOTTO	
12:15 - JOSEPH LESLEY BORNE	5:30 - MR. ALFRED LA POINTE	
<u>MONDAY MARCH 6</u>	<u>THURSDAY MARCH 9</u>	
6:30 - PURGATORIAL LIST	6:30 - LOUIS B. CRESSON	
8:30 - MR & MRS A. L. POWELL	8:30 - FEDERICO & HALL FAMILIES	
5:30 - JERTRUDE RYAN	5:30 - MARGY MOUNT	
<u>TUESDAY MARCH 7</u>	<u>FRIDAY MARCH 10</u>	
6:30 - GIACONNE FAMILY	6:30 - JAKE SCIAMBRA	
8:30 - MR V. BOECKELMAN	8:30 - STELLA MANY LANDRY	
5:30 - CLIFFORD MERCIER	5:30 - ROSE SMITH SULLIVAN	
<u>WEDNESDAY MARCH 8</u>	<u>SATURDAY MARCH 11</u>	
6:30 - MR. WILLIAM NEEVES	6:30 - MIRIAM KELLER MAURER	
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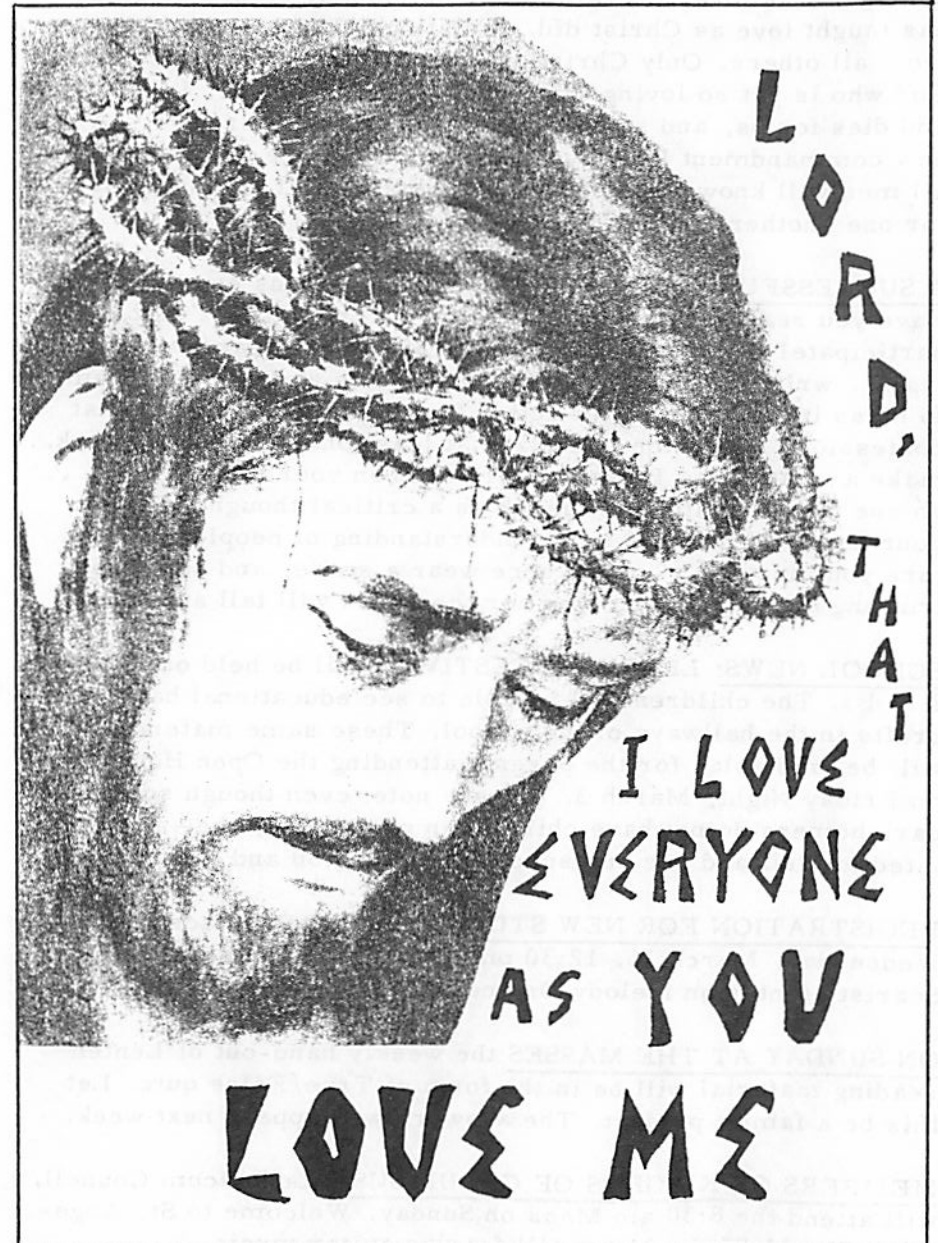
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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

THEME FOR THIS WEEK: COMMUNITY RESPONSIBILITY. "When man develops the earth by the work of his hands or with the aid of technology .. he carries out the design of God manifested at the beginning of time, that he should subdue the earth, perfect creation and develop himself." (Vat. II, Church in the Modern World, no. 57). When we work we are carrying out God's plan, as surely as when we pray. As Catholics, we must be dedicated to make our world a better place, to end war, poverty, and discrimination. We at St. Angela's must start with ourselves - honestly evaluating our attitudes - are we truly concerned about making our community more Christian? Once our attitude improves, then we are ready for action that will better our home and neighborhood life. Each of us is a vital link and a true member of the world family.

LENT IS HALF OVER. We must intensify our acts of lenten resolutions. Please refer to your lenten brochure for full participation. If you have misplaced yours, call the rectory and we will mail you another one. Every family is asked to bring their Family Good Works to Mass on Sunday and place them in the basket in the center aisle. These will be brought up to the altar at the Offertory of the Mass.

ST. ANGELA LADIES AUXILIARY (SALA) will sponsor a St. Patrick Day Cake Sale after all the Masses on March 12th. If any one would like to bake a cake, please do so and bring to the Annex on Saturday, March 11, from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm. For more information call Betty Clasen, 834-3802.

THIS SUNDAY, A SPECIAL COLLECTION will be taken up for the Catholic Relief Services. This is an annual collection that finances ongoing aid programs for the poor of all races in 70 countries. More than 27 million men, women and children benefit directly from the social welfare programs. Every family is asked to be generous in the second collection.

REGISTRATION FOR NEW STUDENTS for enrollment in our school in September will be held on Thursday, March 16, 12:30 until 3:00 pm, in the Ladies Sacristy (enter on Melody Drive near the flagpole).

ST. ANGELA MEN'S ASSOCIATION (SAMA) will meet on Thurs. March 16, at 8:00 pm in the Annex. All men are invited.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 4058. . . 1987 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$4495.00 . . CONGRATULATIONS TO ST. ANGELA'S SEVENTH GRADE BOYS TEAM FOR WINNING THE METROPOLITAN BASKETBALL LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP . . . ALSO CONGRATS TO METAIRIE PLAYGROUND 11-12 YR. OLD BOYS FOR BECOMING THE EAST BANK CHAMPS . . . PARISH COUNCIL MEETS ON THURS. MARCH 9TH, AT 8 PM AT THE ADULT EDUCATION CENTER. . . ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S TRUE/FALSE QUIZ- 1-FALSE, 2-FALSE, 3-TRUE, 4-TRUE, 5-FALSE, 6-TRUE, 7-TRUE, 8-FALSE, 9-FALSE, 10-TRUE, 11-FALSE, 12-FALSE, 13-FALSE, 14-TRUE, 15-TRUE. . . CONFESSION FOR 1ST COMMUNION CHILDREN, MONDAY AT 7:00 PM.

CHOIR MEMBERS NEEDED

THE CHOIR IS IN NEED OF NEW MEMBERS ESPECIALLY MALE VOICES. WITH HOLY WEEK APPROACHING, SPECIAL SINGING PROGRAMS ARE BEING PREPARED. PARISHIONERS MAY JOIN THE CHOIR ONLY FOR THE HOLY WEEK SERVICES. PLEASE CONSIDER THIS A PERSONAL INVITATION. THERE WILL BE PRACTICE ON WEDNESDAY AT 8 PM IN CHURCH. FOR MORE INFO CALL LOUIS DUPUY 888-6524.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

SUNDAY MARCH 12

7:00 - ERNEST MARTIN
9:45 - HOWARD J. CHAUVIN
12:15 - MR & MRS FELIX TARANTO

MONDAY MARCH 13

6:30 - PURGATORIAL LIST
8:30 - ROBERT J. LEFORD
5:30 - ROSIE & ANTHONY BAZILE

TUESDAY MARCH 14

6:30 - JOSEPH F. ZITO
8:30 - ALPHONSINE VIDON
5:30 - FREDERICK J. D'AQUIN, JR.

WEDNESDAY MARCH 15

6:30 - SPECIAL INTENTION
8:30 - FRANK BARRECA
5:30 - MRS. SYLVIA SCHULTZ

SAT EVE 5:30 - VIOLET SEAMON

8:30 - BIAGGIO DI GIOVANNI
11:00 - MRS. MARY ROY
5:30 - JOSEPH A. BRAVO

THURSDAY MARCH 16

6:30 - MR & MRS F. GRILLETTA
8:30 - MR. EDWARD GLEASON
5:30 - MRS. S. C. BROCATO

FRIDAY MARCH 17

6:30 - VICTOR DI GIOVANNI
8:30 - A&J GESSLER & A. ROHDA
5:30 - PHILIP SCHNEIDER

SATURDAY MARCH 18

6:30 - HAROLD J. STEPHENS
8:30 - MARGIE MOUNT

BAPTISMS THIS WEEK:

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NANETTE ALISON CORNS

ERIKA ANN SAMPEY

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Parish Message



Do you live in this Community?

RESPONSIBILITY calls for maturity on the part of the Christian community in its approach to the problems of society and the world today. Problems of peace and poverty are complex; enthusiasm can never be a substitute for the competence which is required in all these areas. Change will not come about quickly. Likewise, it is not always easy to know and read the will of God in trying to find particular solutions to complex problems.

Throughout the whole world there is a mounting increase in the sense of autonomy as well as of responsibility. This is of paramount importance for the spiritual and moral maturity of the human race. Responsibility means a willingness to continue the efforts to find better solutions to the complex problems which face man today. Thus we are witnesses of the birth of a new humanism, one in which man is defined first of all by this RESPONSIBILITY TO HIS BROTHERS AND TO HISTORY.

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

THEME FOR THIS WEEK IN LENT: HOPE. Christian Hope envisions an attitude of deep yearning for God, with complete confidence and trust in Him. This complete confidence allows us to place our lives into His hands. We become totally convinced that He will take care of all our needs and will never abandon us for an instant. Hope permits us to realize that our sins are pardoned, when we are truly sorry for them, and that He will turn even misfortune and suffering into our eternal advantage. St. Paul described the effects of Hope in his life when he wrote, "Now may the God of Hope fill you with joy and peace in believing..." (Romans XV, 13).

TO THE MANY PARISHIONERS who are observing the Lenten Program, we say, "May God Bless You for Your Love of Him!" It has been most noticeable that many more have been participating in the various Lenten services. Do not falter in your efforts. And for those who have not begun Lent as yet, there is still time to make the best of what remains. Why not begin your Lent this week? If you have lost your copy of the Lenten Program call the rectory and we will mail you another one.

PLEASE NOTICE: The Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 24, will be conducted at 8:00 pm instead of 7:30 pm.

VERY, VERY IMPORTANT MEETING for all men of the parish will be held by the St. Angela Men's Association (SAMA) on Thursday, March 16th. The men will meet in Church at 8:00 pm for Mass and the meeting will follow. The purpose of this meeting is to announce a MINI-FAIR, to be held on May 7th, and sponsored by SAMA. So men, please come to the meeting and find out more about this social that will benefit the entire parish. We especially look for the fathers of our school children. We have not called on you in quite a while!

THE SECOND GRADE CHILDREN will receive their First Holy Communion on Sunday, March 26, at the 8:30 am Mass. All children are expected to be present at our school on Friday, March 24, from 8:30 am to 2:45 pm. Bring lunch and 10¢ for milk. On Saturday, March 25, all children are expected for a practice session from 9:00 am until 10:30 am. Remember no picture taking during the ceremonies.

FOR A DAILY MESSAGE DIAL YOUR PARISH: 837-2079.

ITEMS OF INTEREST: THE ATTENDANCE AT MASS LAST SUNDAY WAS 4023. . . 1946 RECEIVED COMMUNION . . . ENVELOPES LAST WEEK WERE \$ 6147.00. . ANY LADIES INTERESTED IN HELPING STAFF THE SUNDAY NURSERY DURING THE 9:45 and 11:00 AM MASSES SHOULD CALL THE RECTORY. . . THE REV. GERALD DOUGLASS WILL BE ORDAINED TO THE DIACONATE, SATURDAY, MAR.25, AT 1:30 PM, ST. PIUS X CHURCH. ALL ARE INVITED. . . MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO COME TO DAILY MASS DURING LENT AT 6:30, 8:30 am and 5:30 PM . . . WE APPEAL TO OUR SCHOOL CHILDREN PARENTS TO MAKE A VISIT TO THE CHURCH ON YOUR WAY TO SCHOOL.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WINNERS

IN REGIONAL JR. HIGH SCIENCE COMPETITION, TIMMY TAYLOR WON 1ST PLACE FOR HIS ENTRY - "MAKING OF A HURRICANE". HE WILL GO ON TO STATE COMPETITION. IN REGIONAL JR. HIGH SOCIAL STUDIES, MARLEEN BRENNAN WON 1ST PLACE FOR "NORTHERN IRELAND, A MODERN DAY CRUSADE". SHE WILL GO TO STATE COMPETITION. PAM WHITE RECEIVED HONORABLE MENTION FOR ANTHROPOLOGY ENTRY AND PATRICE SHIPPEY WON AWARD FOR ENTRY WITH MOST RESEARCH IN SOCIAL STUDIES.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

<u>SUNDAY MARCH 19</u>	SAT EVE 5:30 - MRS. ROBERT E. LEBLANC, SR.
7:00 - MRS. LORETTA KOEHLER	8:30 - JOSEPHINE ACCARDO
9:45 - FRANK J. ZIMMERMAN	11:00 - DR. & MRS. G. N. WEISS
12:15 - MRS. MARIE ZAINY	5:30 - FOR THE PARISH
<u>MONDAY MARCH 20</u>	<u>THURSDAY MARCH 23</u>
6:30 - MR. ANTHONY WHITE	6:30 - LAWRENCE SAUER
8:30 - STERLING E. MURRY	8:30 - LAWRENCE HILLER
5:30 - MR & MRS. THOMAS CARLIN	5:30 - ROBERT J. LEFORD
<u>TUESDAY MARCH 21</u>	<u>FRIDAY MARCH 24</u>
6:30 - WILLIAM C. HUBER	6:30 - MR & MRS D. BRONZO
8:30 - ROBERT PRITCHETT	8:30 - JUNE NAPOLI
5:30 - LOVINCY G. MONTZ	5:30 - LOUIS LANZA
<u>WEDNESDAY MARCH 22</u>	<u>SATURDAY MARCH 25</u>
6:30 - NANCY ZITO	6:30 - MRS. MARABELLE NAGIM
8:30 - CHARLES M. BLANCHARD	8:30 - MR. W. K. LABIT
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IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF MR. WILLIAM BAIRD, JR, MRS. MARGARET CLAY AND MR. PAUL C. BOURGEOIS. MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

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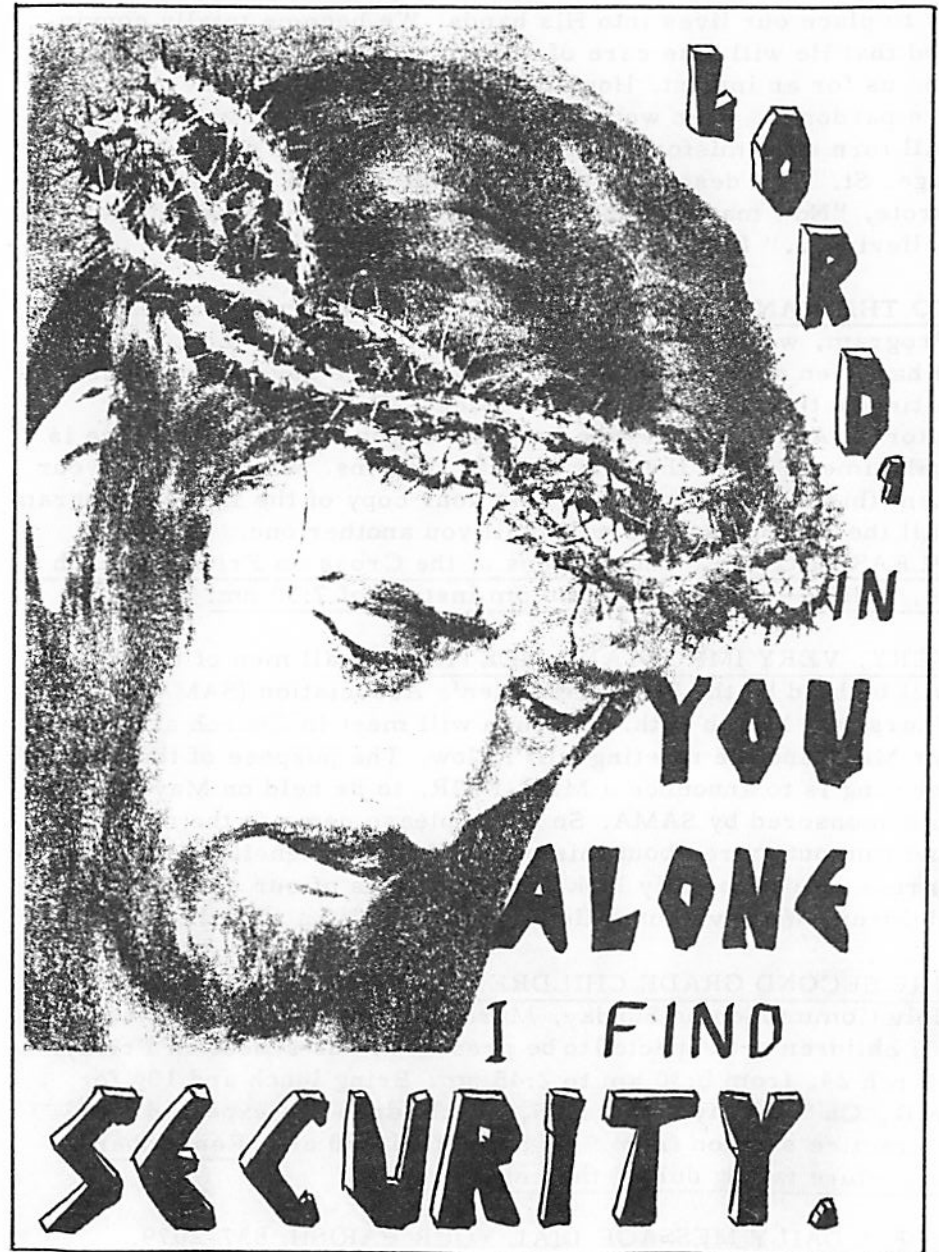
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A future to hope in

For the Christian, then, there isn't much choice. He may be neither optimistic nor pessimistic, but he must be hopeful. By our excitement about the possibilities of the future and our confidence in its certainty, we must radiate hope to those who need it, and all men need it. Our life, our celebration in liturgy, our priesthood emanating confidence and love, and our laity loving each other and their fellow men with ever more intense passion, are a sign that pessimism and optimism are irrelevant and despair is folly.

It is terribly difficult to see how there is any other source for hope besides one founded in faith and manifested in love. We will inspire men to reverence for the world in which they live and the history in which they are taking part, because the world is a place and history the process for the exercise of love.

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH MESSAGE

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PASSION SUNDAY

BLESSING OF THE PALMS will take place at 5:30 pm on Saturday, March 25, outside the church doors, with procession into the Church. All are asked to congregate outside the church, receive a palm and join in the procession into the church. This solemn ceremony initiates for us Holy Week, a time for serious reflection on the passion and death of Our Lord. You will notice the Holy Week schedule of Services in this issue. Please keep for easy reference near phone.

THE CHILDREN OF THE PARISH from the Second Grade, will receive their First Holy Communion at the 8:30 am Mass on Palm Sunday. Parents are reminded that all children making First Communion are to attend special sessions on Friday, March 24, from 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. Each child should bring a sandwich and 10¢ for milk. On Saturday, March 25, all children should report to school again at 9:00 am, with dismissal at 10:30 am. Because of the number of children, parishioners are asked to allow the church for the parents and relatives. On this date, March 26, nursery will be open during 8:30 am and 9:45 am Masses and not during the 11:00 am Mass. Nursery opens at 8:00 am on this day.

IF THERE ARE SICK or shut-ins at your home, please call the rectory and arrange for Holy Communion at home.

WHITE FLOWERS are needed for Holy Thursday & Easter Sunday. Bring or have sent on Holy Thursday and Holy Saturday mornings. Many Easter lillies have been ordered & monetary offerings will be appreciated.

SALA WISHES TO THANK all who baked or purchased a cake and made their Cake Sale a success. Profit of \$271.55 for SALA.

AUTHORIZATION TO SELL subscriptions to the St. Anthony Messenger has been granted to Mr. Leonard Jehle.

THE VERY ATTRACTIVE Stations of the Cross plaques will again be on sale Sunday after the Masses. a \$6.50 value for only \$3.00. See ushers or CYO members as you leave Church.

PLEASE BE REMINDED that the Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 24, will begin at 8:00 pm instead of 7:30 pm.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY - Passion of Our Lord

7:00 - Kirt Barrios
9:45 - Sterling E. Murry
12:15 - Andrew Moore

5:30 - Mrs. Wallis Foret
8:30 - Mrs. Emily Maloney
11:00 - Mrs. G. N. Weiss
5:30 - Mrs. Laura Ruffina

MONDAY IN HOLY WEEK:

8:30 - Clifford Mercier

6:30 - Purgatorial List
5:30 - Mrs. Mary Ellen Davis

TUESDAY IN HOLY WEEK:

8:30 - Mrs. Ethel Orgeron

6:30 - Louis E. Cresson
5:30 - Joseph I. Young

WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK:

8:30 - Stanley L. Gordy

6:30 - Jake Schiambra
5:30 - Mrs. Marie Villarubia

CONFESSIONS - 7 to 8 PM - MONDAY - TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

HOLY THURSDAY:

LOW MASS 10:00 - Zito Family

7:30 PM - LORD'S SUPPER

ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT after 7:30 Mass till Midnight
CONFESSIONS - 4 to 6 PM.

GOOD FRIDAY:

(NO MORNING SERVICES)

3:30 PM - SOLEMN LITURGY OF DEATH OF CHRIST

VENERATION OF CROSS - 4 to 7:30 PM

CONFESSIONS - 5 to 6 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 7:30 pm - Choral Program of Sacred Music
starting at 7:00 pm.

VENERATION OF THE CROSS - 8 to 9 PM.

(THIS DAY IS RECOMMENDED DAY OF FAST & ABSTINENCE.)

HOLY SATURDAY:

(NO MORNING SERVICES)

7:00 PM - EASTER VIGIL SERVICES - Service of Light, the Readings,
Liturgy of Baptism and Easter Vigil Mass.

CONFESSIONS - 4 to 5 PM and 5:30 to 6:30 PM.

(THIS MASS FULFILLS YOUR OBLIGATION FOR EASTER SUNDAY)

BANNS OF MATRIMONY:

JOSEPH A. BENIGNO
RONALD MITCHELL HANIES

& ELVIRA CORTINAS (2nd)
& LINDA SUE WHITE (2nd)

BAPTISMS THIS WEEK:

JOSEPH MARION COLLETTI
MARLO LEE KEARNEY
SHERI ANNETTE REUTHER

CHRISTOPHER G. CUCULLU
ANN MARION MC NAMARA
COREY BENJAMIN TODARO

CHAD JOSEPH EVANS
KAY E. MULLICAN



St. Angela Merici

Parish Message

ST. ANGELA MERICI CHURCH

Pastor: Father Joseph Calato

Assistants: Father Jerry Dabria

Father Joseph Latino

Rectory: 900 Beverly Garden Drive
835-0324

Convent: 828 Melody Drive
834-7628

School: 835 Melody Drive
835-8547
Staffed by Ursuline Nuns

Adult Education Center: 832 Melody Drive
Sr. Andre — 835-5370

Sunday Masses

Eve of Sunday —	5:30 P.M.
7:00 A.M.	8:30 A.M.
9:45 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
12:15 A.M.	5:30 P.M.

Nursery service every Sunday during
9:45 and 11:00 A.M. Masses in school
building.

Weekday Masses

6:30 A.M.	8:30 A.M.
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Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena

Tuesday	7:30 P.M.
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Holy Days of Obligation

Eve of Holy Days —	5:30 P.M.
7:00 A.M.	8:30 A.M.
9:45 A.M.	12:00 Noon
6:00 P.M.	7:15 P.M.

Confessions

Saturday: 4:30 —	5:15 P.M.
6:15 —	7:00 P.M.
Thursday before First Friday	
7:00 —	7:30 P.M.

Baptisms:

Arrangements should be made prior to
Baptism. Mother & Father should contact
the rectory to speak to one of the priest.

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