



“Jesus’ mother said to the servant,  
‘Do whatever he tells you.’ ”  
John 2:5

## January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2010

### Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Readings for Next Sunday

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Nehemiah 8.2-4a, 5-6, 8-10++  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Corinthians 12.12-30  
Gospel: Luke 1.1-4; 4.14-21

#### Ministries for Next Week's Liturgy (Jan 16/17)

##### Readers

5 pm Cathy Boland, Chris Buhagiar  
9 am Dennie Radcliffe, Helena Lessard  
11 am Claudia Young, Theresa Vanhaverbeke,  
Krista Kacaba



#### Eucharistic Ministers:

5 pm Barb Maziarczyk, Violet Landry, Natalie Stretton  
9 am Terry Perkins, Lorraine Lamb, Pat Kidd  
11 am Ken Boone, Pete Peters, Pam Daley



#### Ushers:

5 pm Laura Vanhaverbeke, Linda Pleasance  
9 am Pat & Malcolm Kidd  
11 am Terry Gallagher, Ted Pierik



#### Altar Servers:

5 pm Megan & Emily Elliott, Liam Caume  
9 am Amber Hayes, Stephanie Sheridan,  
Melissa Choo-Shee-Nam  
11 am Emma & Siobhan Ward, Victoria Doris



#### Children's Liturgy:

11 am Helen Henriques

\*\*Youth in grades 7-12 are welcome to help with our children's liturgy program, please call Maria Kraemer 905 983 6289 for more information.\*\*



#### Church Cleaners:

January 25-January 30 – Pam Daley



Parish Web Site: [www.sfarcc.org](http://www.sfarcc.org)

#### Please Pray for our Sick

If you would like our parish to pray for a sick relative or friend please call the parish office at (905) 987-5446 and we will be happy to include their names in our Sunday Eucharist.

#### Financial Information

January 10  
Initial Offering \$ 140.00  
Offerory \$1,945.00



*Thank you for your continued support!*

*If you are currently using envelope numbers  
235, 17 or 269,  
please call the Parish Office*

#### St. Vincent de Paul Society

For assistance please call 905-786-2249

#### Mass Schedule & Intentions

##### January 18<sup>th</sup> - January 24<sup>th</sup>

Monday, January 18	9:00 am	
Tuesday, January 19	9:00 am	St. Francis School
		Everyone Welcome
Wednesday, January 20	10:30 am	Fosterbrooke
	7:00 pm	before K of C Mtg
Thursday, January 21	9:00 am	
Friday, January 22	9:00 am	
Saturday, January 23	5:00 pm	Mass for the People
Sunday, January 24	9:00 am	
	11:00 am	For Henry Eikens Requested by, Sien Eikens

#### From the Pastor Desk:

##### This Week:

Saturday, January 16, 7:00-9:00, St. Francis New Life Group for separated/divorced Christians  
Monday, January 17, World Day of Migrants and Refugees  
A World Day of Migrants and Refugees has been promoted by many Episcopal Conferences in the world in communion with the one promoted by the UNO on June 20. "If the *dream* of a peaceful world is shared by all, if the refugees' and migrants' contribution is properly evaluated, then humanity can become more and more of a universal family and our earth a true *common home*." – John Paul II, 2004 message

#### Children's Sacrament News

##### Confirmation

Tuesday, January 19, 7:30-8:30,  
Parents/Students Session #2 in the Parish Hall.  
All confirmation candidates and their parents  
MUST ATTEND ALL SESSIONS.



#### St. Francis New Life Group – Jan. 16/10

Widowed, separated and divorced Catholics are welcomed to attend the next meeting of the St. Francis support group. We meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of every month at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic church in Newcastle at 7 pm. The topic for the January 16<sup>th</sup> meeting is dealing with the stress of the above marital situations.

#### Thought for the Week – Holy Quotable

"I see God as I see my own eyes." (Eastern European Proverb)

#### JoKE of the Week

##### THINGS REALLY SAID IN COURT:

(Taken from a book titled 'Disorder in the American Courts.'  
These are things people actually said in court, word for word, recorded by court reporters.

**Attorney:** Do you know if your daughter has ever been involved in voodoo?

**Witness:** We both do.

**Attorney:** Voodoo?

**Witness:** We do.

**Attorney:** You do?

**Witness:** Yes, voodoo

### Fr. Peter Seabrooke

#### Youth Choir

We are in the process of establishing a youth choir to sing at the 11:00 Mass on the last Sunday of the month, starting February 28<sup>th</sup>. Rehearsals will be held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm in the church starting January 27<sup>th</sup>. If you child is interested please contact Bob Heurkens at 905 983 5845. Willy's excellent and growing choir will continue on, on the other Sundays. Speaking of her choir, if anyone plays a guitar or keyboard and would like to join Willy please contact her or give Fr. Peter a call.



#### Coming in the New Year!!

Are you a Catholic with a hectic lifestyle, with specific concerns of a doctrinal or moral nature, lacking knowledge of the catechism or wondering what your faith can do for you? Then, Awakening Faith, a six week program that allows you to explore, learn and share with others about your Catholic faith in a friendly confidential setting, is just for you. The sessions are held Tuesdays 7 to 9 pm starting February 9<sup>th</sup> at St. Francis of Assisi Parish hall, Newcastle. For more information see the Events link on the St. Francis of Assisi website [www.sfarcc.org](http://www.sfarcc.org) or see the Awakening Faith introductory video at [www.awakeningfaith.org](http://www.awakeningfaith.org).



#### Defib Arrival & Training

Thanks to a very generous donation, an AED or Automatic External Defibrillator has been purchased for our parish. A training session(s) will be made available very soon to all those wishing to learn how to use the machine. Please sign up for this Awareness Level Training in the Gathering Room after mass.



#### Jubilee Mass

Are you celebrating a special anniversary of your marriage in 2010? If so, we invite you to attend a collective and thanksgiving Mass on Sunday, February 14<sup>th</sup> at 11 am. Please notify the office so jubilee attendants can be announced.

#### 2010 Offertory Envelopes

There are still some boxes of envelopes to be picked up in the back of the Gathering Room. Please check the label on your box to be sure that we have your complete address on file. This is important for the mailing of the tax receipts.



#### Development & Peace

**(Bishop DeAngelis has approved allocation of D&P to be sent to Development and Peace in Montreal)**

There will be a 'Share Lent' workshop held @ St. Alphonsus Church, Peterborough on January 23<sup>rd</sup> from 9 to 1. No charge & a 'Solidarity Lunch' are included. This workshop will give you a good background on the D & P mission for 2010 and ideas for promoting D&P. Anyone interested in attending please contact Doreen @705-878-1485 or e-mail Maureen Gunther at [magunter@yahoo.ca](mailto:magunter@yahoo.ca)

#### Bingo Night

A fun night of Bingo at St. Joseph's Parish in Bowmanville. Come join us for a fun night of entertainment and prizes, Thursday nights (7PM) in the parish Hall at St. Joseph's Parish in Bowmanville. Sponsored by the Knights, this is a great night of fun and also supports our Catholic churches. All welcome--Bring your friends!

