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**Corpus Christi
6 – 7 June 2015**

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER--for Vocations to the Priesthood and the Military Chaplaincy; for our deployed troops and their families; for our parishioners who are ill; and for our deceased:

Deployed: FC2 Joseph Reed, USN; Carol Yannarella, USAF; Ginny Ortiz, Peace Corps; Kevin Voelker, USA

Deceased: Angel Bracetty (uncle of Ham Ortiz), Sue Higgins

Healing: Buddy Craven, Bob Daknis, Joseph Toth, Jeanmarie Jonston, Jim Campbell, Betsy Hendrix, Alfred Prados, Jim Egan, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Kevin Tighe, Bob Schaaf, Alexis Coffey, Frank Bernardo, Bonnie Benne, Richard Wicks, Richard Brysacz (father of Margaret Asten), Morris McGregor, John Bikus, Suzie Kumashiro, Bill Hubbard, Hamlin Ortiz (father of Ham Ortiz), Randy Krug

~ Please contact Pam to remove names from the Deployed and Healing prayer lists. ~

Dear Catholic Community,

With the upcoming Word Meeting of Families in Philadelphia and the visit of Pope Francis, I invite you to pray the following prayer. This is an official prayer for the synod:

God and Father of us all, in Jesus your Son and our Savior, you have made us your sons and daughters in the family of the Church.

May your grace and love help our families in every part of the world be united to one another in fidelity to the Gospel.

May the example of your Holy Family, with the aid of your Holy Spirit, guide all families, especially those most troubled, to be homes of communion and prayer and to always seek your truth and live in your love. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Pray for us!

I invite you all to pray this prayer daily.

Blessings,

Fr. Fred

Introduction to Today's Readings

First Reading: Exodus 34: 3-8



Second Reading: Hebrews 9: 11-15

Today's passage from the book of Exodus describes the covenant between God and the Israelite people. A covenant is a solemn agreement made between two parties and was usually sealed in blood. In ancient times, blood was considered the source of life. To sprinkle two people with the same blood bonded them closely as if they were blood relatives.

On Yom Kippur, the high priest sacrificed a goat on the altar in the temple. Then he took some of the blood into the holiest place in the temple sanctuary where only he was allowed to go. There, he sprinkled that blood as a renewal of the covenant made at Mount Sinai, and prayed that God would forgive the sins they had committed during the previous year. This ritual is the backdrop for today's reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord. Psalm 116

June 8 – June 26

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	8	9 Bible Study 1100	10	11	12	13  Anointing of the Sick
14 Pastoral Council Meeting 1030 AMS Guest Speaker 1100  Anointing of the Sick	15	16 Bible Study 1100	17	18	19	20
21 Happy Father's Day 1 st Day of Summer	22	23 NO Bible Study	24	25	26	

JBM-HH Catholic Community

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Mass: 5PM Saturday Vigil, 9AM Sunday, Noon M-F. **Daily Mass:** Noon in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Reconciliation: 11:30-11:45AM Tuesday-Friday in Room 112

Catholic Coordinator: Pam Ortiz info@jbmhhcatholicparish.com

Parish Registration: Forms may be obtained from an usher or from website. Notify Pam of any changes.

Sacraments and Sponsor Letters: Requires registration. Fr. Fred has pastoral jurisdiction only for active duty military and their family members

Bulletins: Available on website; advance copy e-mailed each Thursday

Announcements

Community Milestones Newly baptized: Jonathan on 16 May and Lucas on 25 May. New registrants – the Stanton family. Welcome to the Church and to the community!

Community Members Needed: The Pastoral Council needs Marine Corps and Coast Guard volunteers to join a working group that will develop the community's Mission, Vision and Core Values statements. These statements must be developed by the Pastoral Council and the pastor in conversation with the entire JBM-HH Catholic Community. The team currently has Navy, Air Force, and civilian membership. This is a great opportunity for active duty or retired personnel and/or dependents (youths, spouses) that are interested in helping discern and develop our community's vision for the future. Volunteers need not be active in a ministry to participate. The project is now getting started and will run through the summer months. If interested please email Pam Ortiz at info@jbmhhcatholicparish.com or Ham Ortiz at hamortiz@netscape.net.

VBS Registration now open! Summer vacation and Vacation Bible School are just around the corner. JBM-HH Memorial Chapel will host kids ages 4 through rising 6th graders for Everest: Conquering Challenges with God's Mighty Power from 9:30am to 12pm, **July 13 through July 17**. Register at the chapel through **July 6**. Kids will embark on cool adventures as they climb through Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play team building glacier games, enjoy yummy treats, experience Bible expeditions, and test out sciency-fun gizmos!! For more information, call Betsy Hendrix at (703) 696-6635.

Offertory for 30-31 May 2015

Please make checks payable to C.T.O.F.

1700 Vigil: \$1,636.75 0900 Mass: \$2,257.21 **TOTAL: \$3,893.96**

Attendance: 353