

Important Shrine Events



First Communion Sunday will be May 4, 2003 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Fifth graders from the religious formation class will lead the 20 children into the church. Many hours of preparation will culminate in the reception of the Holy Eucharist for children and their families.

May Crowning of the Virgin Mary will take place following the 10:00 a.m. Mass, Sunday, May 11. Children from the religious formation classes will lead the procession. A fifth grade girl will be chosen to crown the statue. All children are welcome to participate.



Shrine K.C. Council Grows To 45 Active Members

Jeff Iberg, grand knight and 30 men formed the St. Therese Knights of Columbus Council in the year 2000. Jeff, who first joined the Knights while in the military service in San Diego in 1995, finds the group to be a wonderful bunch of guys. He is greatly encouraged to see the Shrine Council growing in membership, almost on a monthly basis. There are now 45 members.

The monthly Mexican breakfast being served by the Knights is a fund raiser for two projects. Three flag poles have been purchased and will be erected near the parish office where the U.S. flag, papal flag and Knights of Columbus flag will fly.

The second project will be a memorial to the unborn child. This statue will be placed in a memorial garden. While still raising funds for this project, the statue and garden are in the process of being designed.

Jeff is married to Lisa who serves on the parish council, and their two children attend religious education classes at the Shrine. Having the Knights Council at the Shrine adds to a vibrant parish life. We thank the Knights for their enthusiasm and assistance.

A church that had problems with outsiders parking in its parking lot, put up the following sign:

CHURCH CAR PARK—FOR MEMBERS ONLY
Trespassers will be baptized!

Dear GOD—From Kids

Dear GOD,

Instead of letting people die and having to make new ones, why don't You keep the ones you have?

—Amy

Dear GOD,

Maybe Cain and Abel would not kill each other so much if they had their own rooms. It works with my brother.

—Larry

Dear GOD,

If You watch me on Sunday, I'll show you my new shoes.

—Mickey

Dear GOD,

In school they told us what You do. Who does it when you are on vacation?

—Jane

Dear GOD,

Is it true my father won't get in Heaven if he uses his bowling words in the house?

—Anita

Dear GOD,

Did You mean for the giraffe to look like that or was it an accident?

—Jan

Dear GOD,

I went to this wedding and they kissed right in church. Is that okay?

Neil

Dear GOD

Thank you for my baby brother, but what I prayed for was a puppy.

—Joyce