



SAINT PAUL SERRA CLUB



ST. PAUL CLUB #9 [9/27/1940] REGION #8

SEPTEMBER 2011

UPCOMING DATES/PROGRAMS:

Carefully Note the Change of Dates and Venues as We Coordinate With Midway

September 2nd, Friday

7 am Mass at Assumption
7:30 am Breakfast & Speaker
St. Joe's Hospital Cafeteria

Speaker Pending

September 14th, Wednesday

7 am Mass At SJV Seminary
7:30 am Meeting –lower level

Board meeting with Midway
Note: Meeting at St. John
Seminary - Lower Level

September 19th, Monday

5 pm Evening prayer
St Marys Chapel – St Paul Seminary
Barbeque follows

Steak Fry-St. Paul Seminary
(see enclosed flyer)

“ Mary, Queen of Vocations, Pray for Our Seminarians ”

September Programs

September 2nd-Being Coordinated

September 14th- **Board Members Only:** Note the change of board meeting location to the St John Vianney Seminary, with Mass at 7 AM and meeting at 7:30 AM in lower level.

September 19th- See enclosed flyer. The Steak Fry is an annual Midway Serra Club event which always draws a nice crowd and provides a great meal! Join Serrans from around the Twin Cities. Prayer at 5 PM at St Marys Chapel, meal following. Be sure to RSVP by September 13th.



Holy Humor III

A minister waited in line to have his car filled with gas just before a long holiday weekend. The attendant worked quickly, but there were many cars ahead of him. Finally the attendant motioned him toward a vacant pump. Reverend, said the young man, "I'm so sorry about the delay. It seems as if everyone waits until the last minute to get ready for a long trip". The minister chuckled:" I know what you mean. It's the same in my business."

Serra Clubs

Did you know.....

Since it was founded in 1935, in Seattle, Washington, USA Serra has chartered 1,150 Serra Clubs in 46 countries on six continents.



Little Boy Explains God

It was written by an 8-year-old named Danny Dutton, who lives in Chula Vista, CA. He wrote it for his third grade homework assignment, to 'explain God.' I wonder if any of us could have done as well?

[... And he had such an assignment, in California, and someone published it, I guess miracles do happen! ...]

EXPLANATION OF GOD:

'One of God's main jobs is making people. He makes them to replace the ones that die, so there will be enough people to take care of things on earth. He doesn't make grownups, just babies. I think because they are smaller and easier to make. That way he doesn't have to take up his valuable time teaching them to talk and walk. He can just leave that to mothers and fathers.'

'God's second most important job is listening to prayers. An awful lot of this goes on, since some people, like preachers and things, pray at times beside bedtime. God doesn't have time to listen to the radio or TV because of this. Because he hears everything, there must be a terrible lot of noise in his ears, unless he has thought of a way to turn it off.'

'God sees everything and hears everything and is everywhere which keeps Him pretty busy. So you shouldn't go wasting his time by going over your mom and dad's head asking for something they said you couldn't have.'

'Atheists are people who don't believe in God. I don't think there are any in Chula Vista. At least there aren't any who come to our church.'

'Jesus is God's Son. He used to do all the hard work, like walking on water and performing miracles and trying to teach the people who didn't want to learn about God. They finally got tired of him preaching to them and they crucified him But he was good and kind, like his father, and he told his father that they didn't know what they were doing and to forgive them and God said OK'

'His dad (God) appreciated everything that he had done and all his hard work on earth so he told him he didn't have to go out on the road anymore. He could stay in heaven. So he did. And now he helps his dad out by listening to prayers and seeing things which are important for God to take care of and which ones he can take care of himself without having to bother God. Like a secretary, only more important.'

'You can pray anytime you want and they are sure to help you because they got it worked out so one of them is on duty all the time.'

'You should always go to church on Sunday because it makes God happy, and if there's anybody you want to make happy, it's God!'

Don't skip church to do something you think will be more fun like going to the beach. This is wrong. And besides the sun doesn't come out at the beach until noon anyway.'

'If you don't believe in God, besides being an atheist, you will be very lonely, because your parents can't go everywhere with you, like to camp, but God can. It is good to know He's around you when you're scared, in the dark or when you can't swim and you get thrown into real deep water by big kids.'

'But...you shouldn't just always think of what God can do for you. I figure God put me here and he can take me back anytime he pleases.....'

And, that's why I believe in God.'

ARCHDIOCESE OF SAINT PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS

THE MONTHLY PRAYER REQUEST

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FOR PRIESTS
--SEPTEMBER 2011--

THE MONTHLY PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS ARCHDIOCESE OF SAINT PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS —OCTOBER 2011—

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WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness and holiness of your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to you. In Jesus name we pray. Amen

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THE MONTHLY PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS —NOVEMBER 2011—

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Mass, rosary, fasting
Day of offering
Eucharistic adoration
Offering of sufferings, or

pray, Amen

Whatever the Lord inspires you to offer Him

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