

PARISH LIBRARY NEWS

Lent - 2007

Psalm 22

1 MY GOD, MY GOD, WHY HAVE
YOU FORSAKEN ME?

Why art thou so far from helping me,
from the words of my groaning?

2 O my God, I cry by day, but thou dost
not answer; and by night, but find
no rest.

3 Yet thou art holy, enthroned on the
praises of Israel.

4 In thee our fathers trusted; they trusted
and thou didst deliver them.

5 To thee they cried, and were saved;
in thee they trusted, and were not
disappointed.

6 But I am a worm, and no man;
scorned by men, and despised by
the people.

7 All who see me mock at me, they make
mouths at me, they wag their heads;

8 "He committed his cause to the Lord; let
him deliver him, let him rescue him,
for he delights in him!"

9 Yet thou art he who took me from the
womb; thou didst keep me safe
upon my mother's breasts.

10 Upon thee was I cast from my birth, and
since my mother bore me thou hast
been my God.

11 Be not far from me,
for trouble is near
and there is none to help.

12 Many bulls encompass me, strong
bulls of Bashan surround me;
13 they open their mouths at me, like a
ravaging and roaring lion.

14 I am poured out like water,
and all my bones are out of joint;
my heart is like wax,
it is melted within my breast;
15 my strength is dried up like a
potsherd, and my tongue cleaves
to my jaws;
thou dost lay me in the dust of
death.

16 Yea, dogs are round about me; a
company of evildoers encircle me;
they have pierced my hands and
feet—

17 I can count all my bones--
They stare and gloat over me;
18 they divide my garments among them,
and for my raiment they cast lots.

19 But thou, O Lord, be not far off!
O thou my help, hasten to my aid!

20 Deliver my soul from the sword,
my life from the power of the dog!

21 Save me from the mouth of the lion,
my afflicted soul from the horns of
the wild oxen.

22 I will tell of the name to my brethren;
in the midst of the congregation I

will praise thee;

²³ You who fear the Lord, praise him!

All you sons of Jacob, glorify him,
and stand in awe of him, all you
sons of Israel!

²⁴ For he has not despised or abhorred the
affliction of the afflicted;

and he has not hid his face from him,
but has heard, when he cried to him.

²⁵ From thee comes my praise in the great
congregation;

my vows I will pay before those
who fear him.

²⁶ The affliction shall eat and be satisfied;
those who seek him shall praise the
Lord!

May your hearts live for ever!

²⁷ All the ends of the earth shall remember
and turn to the Lord;

and all the families of the nations
shall worship before him.

²⁸ For dominion belongs to the Lord,
and he rules over the nations.

²⁹ Yea, to him shall all the proud of the
earth bow down;

before him shall bow all who go
down to the dust,
and he who cannot keep himself
alive.

³⁰ Posterity shall serve him:

men shall tell of the Lord to the
coming generation,

³¹ and proclaim his deliverance to a
people yet unborn, that he has
wrought it.

Commentary: With the opening words,
Jesus invokes the psalm. A psalm that is
well known to the Jews of his time.

Note that it is not a psalm or statement
of despair, as is often implied. It is
instead: a) Invocation and a call for help
(v.1-2); b) Motive of faith (v.3-5);
Lament (v. 6-8); d) Prayer of confidence
(v. 9-10); e) Prayer for help (v. 11); f)
Lament (v. 12-15); g) Prayer for help (v.
19-21); H) first song of Thanksgiving
(v. 22-26); I) second song of
Thanksgiving (v. 27-31).

Note: Psalm and commentary are from
Psalms 1 by Carrol Stuhlmeier, C.P.
pages 144-151

DVD's (possible Lenten viewing):

Fr. John Corapi, S.O.L.T. a) Form Your
Conscience; b) The Moon Under Her
Feet (contains 4 talks); c) Mercy
(contains 4 talks); Catechism Question
and Answer - from his talks on the
catechism.

Led By The Light of Truth Two
presentations, each containing the
conversion stories of 3 people. Vol1:
Stephen Ray, Johnnette Benkovic. Vol2:
Jesse Romero, Bob Fishman, and
Thomas Smith.

No Price too High contains the
conversion story of Alex Jones and a
second presentation of A Dinner with
Alex Jones.

No Turning Back, the story of Father
Donald Calloway's conversion.

DVD PRESENTATION - St. Mary (Carlyle) Adult Education
Winter - 2007

Presentations: Tuesday @ 1:30 P.M.

Catechism of the Catholic Church - Set 1
Fr. John Corapi, SOLT,STD

Where: Hospitality Room of Center

Date	Topic
Jan. 9 th	1. Introduction to the Catechism.
Jan. 16 th	2. Nature of the Catechism.
Jan. 23 rd	3. Divine Revelation: Sacred Tradition.
Jan. 30 th	4. Divine Revelation: Sacred Scripture.
Feb. 6 th	5. Faith: Response to God's Love.
Feb. 13 th	6. The Creed Part I.
Feb. 20 th	7. The Creed Part II - Divine Plan.
	Feb. 21 st Ash Wednesday
Feb. 27 th	8. The Creed Part III - Jesus Christ.
Mar. 6 th	9. Conceived by the Spirit.
Mar. 13 th	10. The Life & Mission of Christ is a Mystery.
Mar. 20 th	11. Paschal Mystery: Part I.
Mar. 27 th	12. Paschal Mystery: Part II.

Break for Holy Week & Easter

Apr. 11th

DVD PRESENTATION - St. Mary (Carlyle) Adult Education

Winter - 2007

Presentations: Wednesday @ 6:30 P.M.

Catechism of the Catholic Church - Set 1
Fr. John Corapi, SOLT,STD

Where: Hospitality Room of Center

Date	Topic
Jan. 10 th	1. Introduction to the Catechism. 6
Jan. 17 th	2. Nature of the Catechism. 5
* Jan. 24 th	3. Divine Revelation: Sacred Tradition. 4
Jan. 31 st	4. Divine Revelation: Sacred Scripture. 4
Feb. 7 th	5. Faith: Response to God's Love. 2
Feb. 14 th	6. The Creed Part I.
Feb. 21 st	Ash Wednesday - No Presentation
Feb. 28 th	7. The Creed Part II - Divine Plan.
Mar. 7th 14 th	8. The Creed Part III - Jesus Christ.
Mar. 14th 21 st	9. Conceived by the Spirit.
Mar. 28 th	10. The Life & Mission of Christ is a Mystery.
Mar. 28 th	11. Paschal Mystery: Part I.
Apr. 11 th	12. Paschal Mystery: Part II.

* Meet in Library

** Break for Holy Week & Easter

Handwritten notes:
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Apr 11th
Apr 18th