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... woe to me if I do not preach the Gospel! 1 Corinthians 9:16

Y hay de mí si no predicara el Evangelio!



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Evening of Renewal & Revival

Fire U. nto E. very Life (FUEL)

Sat. May 17, 6:30—9 pm

Theme: Renewal of the Grace of Baptism

Guest Speaker: Dr. Bob Rice

Prince of Peace (park in back of church)

7893 N Grissom Rd.

Ministry for Children and Youth

Info: Leonor Madrid 684-0630

Refreshments Provided

Noche de Renovación

Encuentro Católico Carismático

Sabado 31 De Mayo de 7-9 p.m.

Centro de la Renovación Carismática

Testimonio y Platica con Roel & Raquel Hinojosa

Ministerio de Música de St. Bonaventure

Habrà su corazón permita que el Espíritu Santo Reine

Info: Eleanor Huron 432-1509

May

- 3rd 8 a.m. To 12:00 Noon, **Cruzada por un Milagro**—Dios Sana Hoy. Capilla del CCCR con Jesus & Evelyn Ramos
- 8th 8:00 p.m.. Hazme Volar Charismatic Program on CTSA Channel 15
- 10th Eve of Penetcost Celebration, St. Mary Magdalen, 7:30—9:30 p.m. Diocesan event.
- 15th 7—8 p.m., Fanning the Flame, Charismatic Program, CTSA Channel 15
- 19th Spiritual Spa Day at St. Mary Magdalen. 9 am—2pm presented by H.O.T.S.
- 17th **Eve of Renewal & Revival** with Dr. Bob Rice, Prince of Peace Church, 6:30 to 9:00 p.m.
- 31st **Noche de Renovación/Asamblea** 7—9 p.m., CCCR

June

- 12th 8:00 p.m.. Hazme Volar Charismatic Program on CTSA Channel 15
- 14 9—12, Healing team workshop, CCCR
- 16th 7—8 p.m., Fanning the Flame, Charismatic Program, CTSA Channel 15
- 21st Healing the Family Spiritual/Emotional System, Fr. Bob Sears, 9 am to 5 pm
- 28th Noche de Renovacion/Asamblea, 7—9 p.m., CCCR

Mass & Anointing of the Sick

Bishop Tom Flanagan

Tuesday, May 13th

10:30am

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ARCHDIOCESAN GATHERING OF CHARISMATIC RENEWAL

Receive the Sober Intoxication of the Spirit—*Recibe la Embriaguez Sobria del Espíritu*

Eve of Pentecost Celebration (Bilingual)

Celebración de la Vigilia de Pentecostés

Saturday, May 10, 7:30 to 9:30 PM

St. Mary Magdalen Church, 1701 S Clower (off IH-10 & West Ave.)

Celebrate the fullness of the Holy Spirit as in a new Pentecost

CELEBRANT: FR. JOSEPH MARY MARSHALL & FR. WILL COMBS

Info: CCCR, 210- 226-7545

Cruzada por un Milagro - Dios Sana Hoy.

Con Jesús y Evelyn Ramos evangelistas y cantantes del Señor y

Sábado, 3 de Mayo 8am-12am Programa Sujeto a Cambios

Centro de la Renovación Carismática, 1707 S. Flores 8:00 a.m. a 4:00 p.m.

Lideres del Grupo de Oración: "Jesús - Palabra de Vida"

\$15.00, costo para cubrir gastos de alimento y administración

Coordinadores de Evento: Alfonso y Minna Delgado

Para mas Información Tel. (210) 722-5113 y (210) 437-3345.



Most Rev. Thomas J. Flanagan, Liaison for CCCR
 Father Bob Hogan, BBD, Associate Liaison
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From The Staff

Pentecost Sunday, May 11:

“Strive eagerly for the spiritual gifts” (1 Cor 14:1). “Wait for ‘the promise of the Father’ about which you have heard me speak; for John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit” (Acts 1:4-5). As they waited for the Holy Spirit, “All of these devoted themselves to prayer” (Acts 1:14). Pentecost is a very special feast for the Charismatic Renewal. Let’s not take it for granted, but be truly “devoted” to prayer in the 9 days before Pentecost like the early Church.

We are including in the newsletter a “Pentecost Novena,” developed by the National Office for Catholic Charismatic Renewal. We encourage you to use it yourself, and give copies to your prayer group. When we take united, devoted intercessory prayer seriously, it opens the doors for God to work in a powerful way. We cannot have a powerful influence on our parishes and archdiocese if our groups are too independent and isolated. We need united, devoted prayer, coming together like the early Church before Pentecost. Let’s all come together (and invite someone to come with you) for our Pentecost Eve bilingual celebration on Saturday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. at St. Mary Magdalen Church (I-10 and West Ave.). We need this united, devoted prayer for a greater outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our city, our churches and our archdiocese. I cannot emphasize enough how important this is for the Renewal. Let’s be truly “devoted.” We need to work and pray together. Please come yourself and remind your groups about the monthly nights of Renewal in English and Spanish (see the information in this newsletter).

Fr. Bob Hogan and Fr. Will Combs will also be involved in the interdenominational Global Day of Prayer. You are invited to come Sunday, May 11, from 6:30-9:00 p.m. at the Alamo Convention Center (near Alamo Stadium at 281 and Hildebrand). The goal of this day is “to unite the global body of Christ, to seek God for revival, to intercede on behalf of our world, and to collaborate for the blessing and transformation of our cultures.”

Prayer Group’s are strongly encouraged to use the materials they were given at the Spring Training Sessions, March 29 and April 5 (“Raising Up Prophets and Leaders”). We especially encourage you to use the 4 week workshop, “Growing in Openness to Prophetic/Inspirational Gifts.” Charismatic Prayer Groups need to be open to the prophetic gifts that demonstrate to people that “God is really in your midst” (1 Cor 14:25). Fr. Bob has copies of the materials. We are happy to help groups to put on this workshop. We need to keep growing and help our people to continue to grow in the full grace of the Holy Spirit! May we “strive eagerly” for the grace of the Holy Spirit to renew our lives and the life of the Church!

Reminder: The worldwide charismatic renewal is doing the Pentecost Novena. **Lets join them in the Archdiocese of San Antonio and expect the “Sober Intoxication of the Spirit with Joy”**

From The Service Committee

“May the Peace of the LORD be with You.”

In John 21:3, Simon Peter announces “I am going fishing.” Those with him replied, “We’re going with you.” They went out, but caught nothing. Fishing is unpredictable and sometimes it’s poor for days, weeks, yes even years. It takes Endurance or Divine Intervention, much like it did for Simon Peter and the disciples when, after fishing all night without catching anything, Jesus told them to “Cast their net over the right side of the boat and you will find something.” Like Simon Peter, those Leaders who came to the Spring Training sessions with endurance also received what I call “divine intervention” with the powerful teachings Fr. Bob Hogan gave us. I thank those who attended the workshops. I know the Lord blessed you. Those who could not attend may come see Fr. Bob and pick up a booklet of the talks.

The Service Committee had a full agenda as we discussed the upcoming events sponsored by the CCCR. It is good that we have many activities but we need your help in executing them. Please respond positively when Committee members ask you to help with publicity, registration, music, greeters, set-up and clean-up. A big event will be the one Day Retreat & Healing Mass with Fr. Robert (Bob) Sears, S.J., PHD. on June 21st, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. He will speak on “Healing The Family & Dealing With Spiritual Depression.” Location will depend on how many pre-register so we need your help in this. Call the CCCR, 210-226-7545 to register sign up to work on the set-up team.

We look forward to seeing you at the Eve of Pentecost Celebration at St Mary Magdalen on May 10th. The Celebration will begin at 7:30 p.m. Come receive the sober intoxication of the Spirit as the apostles did on that first Pentecost. Come praise, worship and receive the fullness of power through the Eucharist. Bilingual Mass with Fr. Joseph Mary Marshal and Fr. Will Combs. We thank the Pastor & Community for hosting us.

The Evening of Renewal & Revival Fuel For The Journey Family Event is Nov. 17, at Prince of Peace. Guest Speaker is Dr. Bob Rice who will be speak on “Renewal of the Grace of Baptism”. (Titus 3:5) The “Meet & Greet” begins at 6:15 PM and praise begins at 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Refreshments to follow.

Remember, “seek first the kingdom of God” and He will bless you.

Thank you for your support, your prayers and gifts
 May God Bless You.
 Brother Jerry Syring,, S.C.C.

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CTSA TV, Cable Ch 15, Charismatic Programs:

- **Fanning The Flame Live , CTSA Channel 15, Every 3rd Monday at 7pm. Tune in call us. This is a charismatic program.**

If you like to witness how the Holy Spirit moves here in San Antonio, then join *Michael and Erica Rodriguez* on **Fanning The Flame every 3rd Monday of the month**. This program is live and is aired from **8 pm to 9 pm on CTSA (channel 15)**. Call in for comments, questions, or for the prayers in your heart. There are too many ways to introduce our guest for May. **Father George Montague, S.M.** is going to grace San Antonio with his wisdom, knowledge, leadership, charisma, and not to mention his unique humor. He is a college professor, an author, a member of the Community of the Beloved Disciples, and a wonderful friend. He is also celebrating his **Golden Jubilee of his priestly ordination this year**. You will have to tune in on **May 19th** to hear his message for you. See you there!

Hazme Volar (en vivo), Canal 15 del CTSA (por cable) Segundo jueves del mes a las 8 p.m. Hagan sus llamadas al numero en la pantalla del TV. Anfitriones: Jesús y Evelyn Ramos.

Originalmente de Puerto Rico y ahora de San Antonio, Jesús y Evelyn tienen formación en toda fase de la renovación carismática y además son músicos y cantantes al nivel profesional. Jesús tiene maestría en Santa Escritura y es profesor de La Palabra. Sintonicen al programa, que es en vivo, a las 8:00 p.m. cada segunda jueves del mes y hagan sus llamadas a ellos. Gracias, Jesús y Evelyn! Llamen al CCCR, 226-7545, si tienes preguntas o comentarios.

Prayer Groups at CCCR

Mondays 7:00 pm Flame of Love (bilingual) Prayer Group Leader: Isabel Martin Info. 645-9380, Chapel	Tuesdays 9:30 a.m. to Noon “Upper Room” Praise, 9:30; Mass at 10:30 CCCR Chapel—Mass & Anointing of the sick 2nd Tuesday of the month with Bishop Tom Flanagan Helen 264-5364
Tuesday 7-9pm, Chapel (Bilingue) Jesus, La Palabra de Vida Group Info Jesus & Evelyn, 487-0432	Miercoles, 7:00 p.m. Tree of Life Prayer Capilla/Chapel del CCCR Leader: Eleanor, 432-1604
Monday: CCCR Upper Room Second Wed. Walk with the Spirit Richard Lucio	Healing Mass Every Friday 12 noon Mass

Mini Conferencia Carismatica– Info: 432-8044 o Sylvia al 932-2075 y Anna Marie 237-9827

La Familia Sanada en el Poder del Espiritu Santo

Predicadores: Padre Elias Arambula de Mexico, Maria Vadia de Miami, Florida Musica: Halle!

Mayo: Viernes 16, 6:30pm-9:30pm Sabado 17, 8:30am-9pm Domingo 18, 1pm-5pm

Iglesia San Judas 130 s. san Augustine st. Entrada \$10 por personas (incluye los tres dias)

Prophecy given at recent Praise Ablaze Night

'I am giving you an armor like never before. Before you had an armor that was giving you faith, but today,

I am giving you an armor that you know is mine.

An armor that is covering you. You know it is I giving you this armor. My blood is that armor.

You are trained. You are equipped.

You know how much I love you!

JOY! GLORY! HALLELUJAH!

You are invited to a Praise Ablaze Night, a unique worship and word gathering.

Blessed are those who have learned to hear the joyful call to worship, for they will walk in

Your presence, O Lord. (Ps 89:15)

It is all about Him-the Lord, our God! Praise His name!

Lift your minds and heart to the great I AM-worship Him

'Face to face' saying 'Lord, you are...'. In return, God's prophetic word will ring in your spirit as He inhabits the praises of His people. Inspired by the scripture of John

4:23

('The Father seeks and desires those who would worship

Him in spirit and in truth'). Praise Ablaze Night recently

began its third year of gathering in a local home every

first Saturday evening, 6:30-9:30 pm, to rejoice and enjoy

a shared meal (Acts 2:46).

Any adult desiring to deeply worship the Lord are encouraged to be present as well as those who are gifted in the prophetic (Acts 2:47).

Space is limited, so call to confirm. Directions will be given for the location near I-10 E and 1604 S.

RSVP. 655-7724 or 823-1345

Archdioce Healing Ministry

We will not have a Morning Healing workshop in May. We recommend everyone attend the Day of Pentecost Vigil at St. Mary Magdalen Church on May 10th, 7:30 to 9:30 P.M.

I thank all the teams that helped during the conference. The healing team room was very well covered. Your help is appreciated.

Nelda and Pedro Palacios
210-680-3255

Ministerio de Sanacion Arquidiocesano

No habrá taller de Sanacion el mes de mayo. Se les recomienda a todos los equipos de Sanacion que vayan a la vigilia del día de Pentecostés a Santa Maria Magdalena el 10 de Mayo de 7:30 a 9:30 p.m. Agradecemos mucho a todos los equipos que ayudaron durante la conferencia. La sala asignada para los equipos de sanacion fueron muy bien atendidas por todos los ministros. Gracias!

Nelda y Pedro Palacios
210-680-3255

OUR APPRECIATION

Thanks to the conference comitteé and all who worked so hard to put the conference together. It was a fantastic event and the Holy Spirit moved in great power.

The crew from St. Mary Magdalen was very welcoming and accommodating. Thanks!

The Bookstore crew, who through the year are always working and giving of their time, were especially busy the week before, during the conference and the week after, pricing, packaging, loading and serving the people of God. This is a labor of love and we ask God for special blessing upon them.

We love you!

†Healing Masses and Special Services†

CHARISMATIC MASSES & OTHER SERVICES:

Monday: St James, 907 W Theo, Last Mon. at 5:30 P.M.

Second Mon.: St Agnes Healing Mass 6PM & Healing Service after Mass with Deacon Roy Munoz

Tuesday: 1st Tues. St. Vincent De Paul's Chapel (4422 W Loop 410) at 7:00 p.m.

1st Tues.: St. Jude (130 S. San Agustin) 7:00 p.m.

Tues.: CCCR Chapel (1707 S. Flores), 10:30 am. Salt, water, oil & religious articles blessed

Last Tues: St. Cecilia (125 W. Whittier), at 7:00 p.m.

Every 3rd Wed., **Holy Family** 152 Florencia, 7:00 p.m.

3rd Wed. St. Lawrence (236 E. Petaluma) At 7:00 p.m.

Last Wed., San Juan de los Lagos (3231 El Paso St.) at 7:00P.M.

Last Thurs: St. Phillip of Jesus (131 Bank) 6:00 pm Children Healing Mass

Last Thurs: St Mary Magdalen (1710 Clower) at 7pm

Fridays: St. Agnes (814 Ruiz by San Jacinto) Healing Mass Every first Friday, 7:00 P.M, with Fr. Einer Ochoa. Exposition 8am-6:50pm

1st Fri. **St. Dominic's** (5915 Ingram Rd.) 7pm to 4am

1st Sat. of the month, **St. Agnes** 9AM devotion to Our Lady with the four mysteries of the Rosary&Mass at 10am

Sun., HEALING SERVICE Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto, (5700 Blanco Rd) 2-4 p.m.

Spiritual Spa Day

with Maria Vadia & Nancy Greenhaw

Monday, May 19

8:30 am—2:30 pm \$10

St. Mary Magdalen Hall Must Register for meal counts call 481-1371

Presented by H.O.T.S.

Kids Say The Godliest Thing

My family and I were in the middle of a parking lot, when I needed to change our baby girl's diaper. I stood outside the truck and began the process I know oh so well. In doing so, my head was bowed down in plain sight of my **3 ½ year old son, Abram**. As I'm changing Julia, he asked "why did God made you brown?." I asked, "Brown? What do you mean?" I'm expecting to hear something in regards to my complexion. He said, "Well, your hair is brown and black in the inside." I busted out laughing, because needless to say, I have been coloring my hair for a year now. My hair was parted right down the middle and YES, I was in need of some touching up.

Praise God for the grays, because these Jesus moments are priceless.

Sent by: Erica – San Antonio send all stories to Erica at kidsforjc@yahoo.com by the 20th of the month

CROSS OF THE RENEWAL

The International Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services office in Rome has designed and has made available a cross called the "Cross of the Renewal." It is a crucifix with an arch surrounding the top of it and ending with a dove. It is a fund raiser for the ICCRS but 30% will go to the CCCR. It comes in different sizes, such as a lapel size, to three inches and also with the rosary. It is beautiful. Stop by the CCCR bookstore and see it or take some to show the prayer groups.

This serves two purposes, raise funds and promote the Renewal and our ministry in the Holy Spirit. Call the CCCR: 210-226-7545 and ask for Santa.



Day Retreat

"Healing The Family Spiritual/Emotional System"

The foundational development of family healing through the Holy Spirit within the intergenerational family system leads to a healed family that expresses God's triune love.

Part 1: Healing The Family

Part 2: Dealing With Spiritual Depression

Saturday, June 21, 2008, 9AM to 5PM

With Mass & Healing Service

Fr. Robert (Bob) Sears S. J. PHD

Call For FREE Registration!

210-226-7545

Possibly Held at CCCR

St. Agnes Catholic Church

814 Ruiz St., SA, TX 78207

Every first Friday of the month, Healing Mass, With Fr. Einer Ochoa

8AM-6:50PM: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Benediction: 6:50PM

Healing Mass: 7PM

Global Day of Prayer– San Antonio

May 11, 2008

6:30PM– An Evening of Prayer

Alamo Convocation Center near

Alamo Stadium

281 at Hildebrand

[Www.gdopsa.org](http://www.gdopsa.org)