



JANUARY 9, 2011
Feast of The BAPTISM of OUR LORD

Jesus' baptism in the Jordan River is the second "epiphany" – the second manifestation of his identity and mission. The Father's voice reveals that Jesus is the "Son/Servant," the man filled with the Spirit of the Lord, sent to "establish justice on the earth." His mission will also entail taking upon himself the weight of mankind's sinfulness, as foretold in the last of the Servant's Songs. Jesus' baptism reminds us of our own baptism when the Father pronounced over us the most affirming sentence we will ever hear: "You are my beloved child!" It is this unparalleled dignity which entitles us to participate in the Eucharist, the Banquet of our Lord. Let us do so today with gratitude and love.



YEAR 2011 ENVELOPES – Year 2011 Envelope Boxes are still available after each Mass or at the FCMM Office. Please discard your Year 2010 envelopes and don't forget to complete all necessary information (NAME and ADDRESS) when using your new ones at least for the months of January and February 2011 !

NOTE :: We encourage you to follow the minimum donation of \$ 5.00 every Sunday and \$10.00 for the monthly pledge. Thank You !



SEÑOR STO. NIÑO – A Special Celebration of the Feast of the Sto. Niño will be held on Sunday, January 16, 2011 at 11:30 a.m. There will be the recitation of the Novena Prayers, Blessing of Children and Blessing of Images after the Mass. Devotees who would like to sponsor the Mass are requested to contact Mrs. Susie Alejandro, Mrs. Luming Silverio or the FCMM Office.

A **pot-luck** reception and Fiesta Filipino Program will follow after at the Church Basement. Please contact the Family Life Ministry for Food Assignments.



'UNDECORATE' THE CHURCH! -

We will need your help on SATURDAY, **January 15** at 10:00 a.m. to "un-decorate" the church and prepare it for the big feast of the Sto. Niño. Remember that "Many hands make light work." If you can lend a hand, it will be deeply appreciated...even a few minutes would help. THANK YOU VERY MUCH !!!



New Year Meditation on PEACE!

Do not look forward to what might happen tomorrow; the same everlasting Father, who cares for you today, will take care of you tomorrow and everyday. Either He will shield you from suffering, or he will give you unfailing strength to bear it. Be at peace then, and put aside all anxious thoughts and imaginings.

(St. Francis de Sales)





STEWARDSHIP - *"In truth, I see that God shows no partiality. Rather, in every nation whoever fears him and acts uprightly is acceptable to him."*
- Acts 10:34-35

St. Peter reminds us that from the very beginnings of the Catholic Church everyone was invited to participate. We cannot be an "us" and "them" Church. By our common Baptism, we are all united with Jesus in carrying out His work here on earth. God shows no partiality but He does expect all to be active in living and building up the faith.



Your OFFERINGS for the week ending *January 2, 2011* totaled \$1,895.00



THANK YOU for your continuing generosity !



- ❖ To the **new arrivals** from the Philippines;
- ❖ To the **visitors** from other places;
- ❖ To those who have **been away and are back**;



We join in the **Thanksgiving Intentions** of:

BOBBY, CHERRY and CHRISTOPHER PERLAS, PERLA ABARQUEZ, RODEL & VANESSA, MR. & MRS. LARRY & ALICE PANADO and FAMILY. LEONORA ESPRITU, MERLY GUMAL & FAMILY, MR. & MRS. FELIMON TADEO and FAMILY, NILO & EDITH VALENZUELA, JUN & JUDITH DIAZ, GABRIEL JOSHUA TABAMO, THE AMBAYEC FAMILY, THE MENTES FAMILY, THE BIBAT FAMILY, CHANEL BAUTISTA, MR. & MRS. EFREN & ZENY OLAES, THE ESTOQUE FAMILY, THE CANAPI FAMILY, JOHN NICHOLAS MEJIA, MR. & MRS. TONY TAN, LOUISE FOZ & FAMILY, THE SERASPE FAMILY, ANNABELLE MANAOAT, MARIA THERRZ SALINAS, MRS. ZENAIDA DIZON, JOHN & LORIE PALISOC, NESTOR & WILMA VILLARAMA, MRS. & MRS. HENRY UMALI, IAN DELA CRUZ, THE BELTRAN FAMILY, MEL VILLANUEVA, THE REMEGIO FAMILY, TONY & NORMA FOA, JENNILYN RUNTAL, MR. & MRS. FRANCISCO DARIA, MANNY & LINA LAGASCA, DR. GENE SANTANDER, THE SOGUILON FAMILY, JOSEFINA BANGALAN.



Please join in lifting up to the Lord the **special intentions** of: MARITESS BERNABE, BERNADETTE JALEA, ALICE ALCAIDE, LUMEN TADEO SILVERIO, THE ESTOQUE FAMILY, FRANCISCA BUENDIA. May the Lord grant them their heart's desires.

❖ Your prayers are humbly requested for all **the sick and suffering members** of our Mission community and their loved ones especially: FR. ROGER BEGIN pme, SR. ELIZABETH RELACION mic, ELECITA ARACENA, JESS ALCAIDE, JULIA PERLAS-TAN, ALFREDO PADERANGA SR., FE PADERANGA, JOSEFINA BANGALAN, JOSIE LIMLENGCO, DAWN DELA PAZ, CARMENCITA TRIVINIO, NORA ESPIRITU, ANNIE MOJADO, GREGORIO DEL MONTE. EDMOND GABA. May God bring them healing and peace.

❖ Remember also all of our **deceased relatives and friends**, especially: ESTANISLAO CELEBRADOS, VILMA SUNGA BONIFACIO, MARCIANO PENARANDA, LUCIO SEPTIMO, WILLIAM, VALENTINO VALLE, FELIX -DODONG- LIZA, AIDA VILLANUEVA, ABELARDO FERNANDO, RITA MOLINA, NAOMI BRONSTEIN, JACINTO TALATTAD, CRISPIN & BALBINA MAGNO, ANTONIO, MARCELINA, SEVERINO ALLANA, LYDIA TABANAO FERRARIN, MANUEL REYES, ANTONIA REYES, CELIA RODRIGUEZ, CONCORDIA LAZARO, SR. MARIE FLORENCE, ANTOINETTE MBONE, RACHEL NYANYIMA, THERESAMMAH THURAI, DR. AMNON KHAN, SALWA BRICH, JULIA GARCIA PERLAS, PEDRO DIMACULANGAN, VIRGILIO MANGUABT, CONSOLACION MARIANO, PEDRO MEJIA, MARIO UMALI, ERNESTO TABLANDA, AUREA PADILLO SALAZAR, PACITA MARIBAO JUMADAS, EUSEBIO ELIAS UMALI, MARIO ELIAS UMALI, ANTONINA GONZALES, ASUNCION BRIAUDIT YANEZ, LINDA DEMAPILES BRIGAUDIT, PONCIANO, MARINA & VALENTINO ALEJANDRO, MAURA LIM, FRANCOIS LEGAULT, LAUDINA BADO, FELIX CAMBALIZA SR., EDUARDO CAMBALIZA, ROSALINA BIGCAS, AUREA REOLO, CONSOLACION BACOSA. and those dying everyday in battles and calamities around the world. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

