



YEAR OF FAITH 2012
2013

NOVEMBER 04, 2012
31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



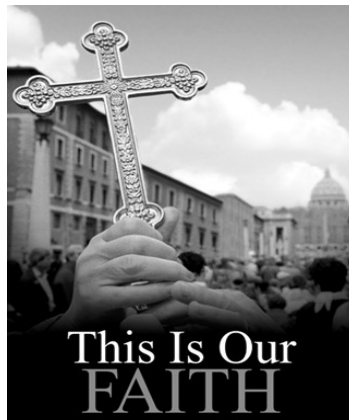
On this first Sunday of November we are invited to reflect on and live out the two greatest commandments – love for God and love for our neighbor. As Jesus said, there is no greater commandment than these two, just as there is no other way by which people can live in harmony and lasting peace. Love for God is, indeed, the foundation of all because God is the beginning, center, and end of all that exists.

*But love for God should always be accompanied by love for our fellowmen,
for no one can claim to love God who is invisible,
if one does not love the neighbor one sees.*

For us Christians, it is not enough that we love our neighbor as we love ourselves. Jesus challenges all his disciples to climb a step higher, that is, to love our neighbor as Jesus has loved us. Such is the challenge addressed to us in a world choked by practical atheism, disfigured by man's inhumanity to man, and polluted by so many forms of adulterated love.

Reflections on the Year of Faith

• Fr. Sal Putzu, SDB



On October 11, 2012 the Catholic Church formally inaugurated the "Year of Faith," the initiative proclaimed by the Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI with his Apostolic Letter "Porta Fidei" (The Door of Faith). This observance, which started on the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council (11 October 1962), will fittingly end on 24 November 2013, Solemnity of Christ the King, "the beginning and fulfillment of our faith" (Heb 12:2). This "Year of Faith" will be, therefore, a wonderful opportunity for all Catholics to reflect on the content of their faith, in order to be able to better understand the truths it encompasses, and their implications in all aspects of their moral lives, the liturgy, and other religious practices.

The Bishops of the Philippines, have decided that, during the Year of Faith, all the faithful will undergo a thorough formation centered on **THE CREED**.

This comprehensive "formation plan" will be offered in this bulletin starting next issue in a simple presentation/explanation of the main points of this "Catechetical Plan" proposed by the Philippine Bishops.



Through the kindness of the sponsors that appear at the back page of this sheet, this bulletin is furnished to the FCMM Community without charge! We feel the sponsors get good coverage with their ads, and at a relatively low cost — and we urge you to patronize them. Once again, the time has come to renew your support for the bulletin. The Printers have done a fine job in publishing our weekly bulletin and we hope our present sponsors renew their ads. Also, if others are interested, please call Mrs. Fe Elamparo (514- 738 1683) or the FCMM Office (514- 387 - 5292)

LOVE

is the command of the Lord



The Ten (10) candidates of the Search for the 2012 FCMM King and Queen of Angels has raised a total of:

\$100,774.16 **WOW!**

for the **FILIPINO CHURCH OF MONTREAL !**

With this and your expected continued help, we will be able to continue to maintain our Church and embark on other important projects !



to the **CANDIDATES' parents, business managers, friends, supporters, benefactors and to everyone who made this fund-raising project a big success !**

THE 2012-2015 FCMM KING and QUEEN of ANGELS and their COURT OF HONOUR

Queen Of Angels CHANEL-GRACE BAUTISTA	King Of Angels DUSTIN JACOB MENESES ALCAIDE
Princess of Archangels EVANGELINE MARIE FOZ ELAMPARO	Prince of Archangels JARED JOSEPH VISARIO
Princess of Guardian Angels LOUISE-MARIE KARDOS	Prince of Guardian Angels NOEL JAMES ANDAL
Princess of Principalities MARY-JAEL YASIS	Prince of Principalities JUSTIN SERGE TEOFISTO
Princess of Powers JOELYNE ARBOLEDA	Prince of Powers ARIEL-JAY LAZARO

AQUINO

We hope to see you all during our 23RD Anniversary Dinner Reception featuring the **CORONATION** of the FCMM King and Queen of Angels and their Court of Honor on **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2012** at The Hellenic Community Center.

Tickets at \$ 40.00 are now available from the Special Projects Committee and the FCMM Office.

JOIN US for the 2nd Anniversary of the FCMM Faith Sharing Sessions

Friday, November 09, 2012-
6:00 p.m. - Mass

Followed by Fellowship @ The Church Basement



ELECTIONS FOR (2) ADMINISTRATORS-

A Special Assembly of FCMM parishioners will be held on Sunday, December 02, 2012, after the 11:30 Mass to elect two (2) new Administrators to serve for a term of three years. Mr. Luisito San Juan and Mr. Raymundo Foz finish their terms this December. We are most grateful for their service and guidance. Both of them are finishing their second terms and as such may not be re-elected anymore.

To be eligible for nomination as an FCMM Administrator, one must be a Filipino, over 18 yrs of age, a practicing Catholic and active supporter of the FCMM. The position of FCMM Administrator has a big task in the Mission integral to its existence. This early we ask you to consider people who can help the FCMM . Please help us find good Administrators. Thank You.



Raise funds for the FCMM every time you shop!!
GET GIFT CARDS FROM THE FCMM IN TIME FOR YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING !

For more information and details, come to the FCMM Office
or see Ms. Marites Quirapas



**NON – PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS,
PERSONAL HYGIENE SUPPLIES, and
SCHOOL SUPPLIES** are being
collected this month to fill up boxes
to be sent to the Philippines !!!



**A Project of the FCMM Missionary Animation and Action Club
DEPOSIT THEM IN THE BOXES LOCATED AT THE CHURCH'S DOORS.**



**“...Which commandment is the first of all?... and
you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and
with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your
strength.” (Mark 12:28-30)**

When people talk about their gifts of time, talent and treasure, many combine time and talent together, thinking they are giving their time and talent to their parish ministry. But, don't be confused, your gift of time refers to the time you give back to God. Spend time in prayer with God throughout the day – thanking Him, asking Him for forgiveness and listening for His guidance. Have the courage to trust God more and make room for Him in your heart.



**Your Offerings for the week ending
October 28, 2012 totaled \$ 1, 620.50**

**Thank you for your continuing generosity !
God bless you always!!!**



- ❖ 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:

THE YUMU;-TUBON FAMILY, FELIX MINON, REY MALABUYOC, KRISTAL MARY FOZ, MR. & MRS. CESAR CASTILLO, TONY TAN, MR. & MRS. HENRY UMALI, DUSTIN JACOB MENESES ALCAIDE, MR. AMANCIO & CRISTITA MAGNO-ALLANA and FAMILY, MR. & MRS. RUDY BAUTISTA and FAMILY, MR. & MRS. CRIS ESTOQUE and FAMILY, .



❖ 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, SR. LUZ PADERANGA op, ALFREDO PADERANGA SR., FE PADERANGA,**

JESS ALCAIDE, ELECITA ARACENA, ANNIE MOJADO, BALDOMERA AMBAYEC, JULIA PERLAS-TAN, JOSEFINA BANGALAN, DAWN DELA PAZ, JOSIE LIMLENGCO, CARMENCITA TRIVINIO, BERNARDINO FERNANDO, IKE OSDON, TERESITA JALEA, WILFREDO DARIO, JOHN NICHOLAS MEJIA, TERESITA PLAMENCO, JAMES OLIVER MARTINEZ. May God bring them healing and peace.

❖ Remember also all of our **deceased relatives and friends**, especially **HONORIO SUMAYA, ISABELITA DE JESUS, ELLA RICAFORT, RUBEN AGUILERA, ESTELITA ENRIQUEZ, CIRIACO CALUMPIANO, ALL SOULS IN PURGATORY** 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.

MASS INTENTIONS

The Sacrifice of the Mass contains within it all of the graces of God and all that man can do to worship Him. Stop by or call the FCMM office (514 – 387 5292) during normal business hours and ask how you can have a Mass offered for your intention.



The SANCTUARY LAMP this week is burning for the **GLORY OF GOD** and **FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF DECEASED FAMILY MEMBERS** offered by **PEARL DARIO**.

