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Parent Meeting



For
First
Penance

Thursday, 23 January
7:00 P.M.
Lower Church



All Students in
Grade 2
Grades 3FF, 4FF, 5FF,
6FF, 7FF, 8FF, TFF
*(Todos los estudiantes
en las clases de
Formación de Fe (FF) y
grado segundo.)*

*While Sunday is the Holy Day of
Obligation, consider attending a
daily Mass and deepen your
relationship with Our Lord.*

MONDAY – FRIDAY
7:30 A.M.
12:10 P.M.



WEDNESDAYS
7:00 P.M.
(ESPANOL)

SATURDAYS
9:00 A.M.

This Week's Feast Days

MONDAY, 13 JANUARY
SAINT HILARY, BISHOP,
DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
FRIDAY, 17 JANUARY
SAINT ANTHONY, ABBOT

Introducing a New Series featuring the Writings of

Bishop Venerable Fulton J. Sheen

Each week I will feature a different quote from the many books and writings of Bishop Sheen. He is a 20th century figure in our One, Holy, Catholic, Apostolic Church and his prophetic writing is more relevant than ever in these troubled times we live in. I pray you will find his words to be meaningful in your own spiritual life.

WEEK TWO SELECTION FROM:

LIFT UP YOUR HEART ON HOW TO PRAY

... One of the most powerful means of overcoming the externalization of life is to find support in prayer and meditation. But as soon as prayer is suggested, there are those who will immediately retort: "Praying does no good." This statement has an element of truth in certain cases: not theological, but psychological. When it is said by those who are unwilling to curb their promiscuous habits or to tame their carnality, then the statement, "It does no good to pray," is true—but only of themselves. Their prayers are ineffective, not because God refuses to hear them, but because they refuse to fulfill the first condition of prayer, namely a longing to revise their natures to accordance with God's laws. To have any effectiveness, a prayer for help must express an honest desire to be changed, and that desire must be without reservation or conditions on our part....All prayer implies an act of the will, a desire for growth, a willingness to sacrifice on our own part; for prayer is not passive, but is a very active collaboration between the soul and God. If the will is inoperative, our prayers are merely a list of things we would like God to give us, without ever asking us to pay the price they cost in effort and a willingness to change. Prayer is dynamic, but only when we cooperate with God through surrender.

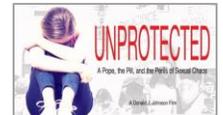


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FILM Selection Of The Week: *Unprotected*

#Metoo. Sexting pressure. The Hook-up culture.

Teenage depression. How did the culture become so toxic for women? And how did one man foresee this all so clearly 50 years ago? From the producer of the acclaimed documentary, *Convinced*, this powerful film reveals the devastating effects of the sexual revolution, and the counter-cultural movement today that is rising from its ashes.



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