



OUR HOLY REDEEMER SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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☦ DOES YOUR HEART NEED MORE FIRE FOR YOUR LOVE OF GOD?

☦ DO YOU NEED A REFRESHER on the CATHOLIC FAITH AND SACRAMENTS TO ASSIST YOU IN TEACHING YOUR CHILDREN?

☦ HAS YOUR FAITH GROWN A LITTLE LUKEWARM?

Consider attending this upcoming series of talks and turn up the fire of your love for Him who is All Loving and Merciful!

First Class on WEDNESDAY
26 February (Ash Wednesday)

THIS MONTH'S TOPIC:

GOD'S MERCY THROUGH SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Time: 7:30 -9:00 P.M.

RSVP by Mon, 2/24

to reserve a spot.

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Class will be held in religious education office at 87 Pine Street.



This Week's Feast Days

MONDAY – FRIDAY
7:30 A.M. AND 12:10 P.M.

WEDNESDAYS:
7:00 P.M.(ESPAÑOL)
SATURDAYS: 9:00 A.M.



ASH WEDNESDAY
26 FEBRUARY
4:30 P.M.
(ALL STUDENTS TO ATTEND)



Week Eight Selection

Bishop Venerable Fulton J. Sheen

THE PRIEST IS NOT HIS OWN

ON THE TWO NATURES OF EVERY PRIEST

No other Apostle arouses as much sympathy as Peter in the priest's heart. He seems very close to each of us in his conflicts and emotions, his strength and his weakness, his resolve to be Heroic and his disastrous failure to live up to his aspiration. At one moment he is humble, at another proud. He affirms fidelity to his Lord, then denies. He is so supernatural, yet so very weak and natural...



Like Peter, every priest has two 'natures:' a 'human nature' which makes him another man, and a 'priestly nature' which makes him another Christ. The Epistle to the Hebrews identifies these two aspects. The priest is different from ordinary men as the one who offers sacrifice in their name. Nevertheless, the priest is like every man in his weakness.

An angel would not make a fitting priest to act on behalf of men. He doesn't possess a body subject to temptations, nor has he experimental acquaintance with human suffering...But, though a priest is like men, he must also be unlike them. He is withdrawn from among men, so that he may act in Christ's name and appear as Christ to men.



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FEATURE Of The Week: *Forgiven*

Forgiven explores the grace and healing offered in Confession and shows how this sacrament of mercy reveals the depth and bounty of God's love.

By looking at God's revelation of his mercy in Scripture and making a step-by-step examination of the Rite itself, Forgiven communicates God's invitation to each one of us to come experience his indescribable love in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.



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