

# THE CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC CENTER

Archdiocese Of Galveston-Houston  
1949 Cullen Blvd. & I-45 South • Houston, Texas 77023

January 27, 2008

#### Mission Statement

The Catholic Charismatic Center is dedicated to bringing all people to the full life of Jesus Christ and His Church through the empowerment of the Holy Spirit

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#### OFFICE HOURS:

Monday.....Closed  
Tuesday.....9:00 am to 4:00 pm  
Wednesday.....9:00 am to 4:00 pm  
Thursday.....9:00 am to 4:00 pm  
Friday.....9:00 am to 4:00 pm

#### PASTORAL STAFF:

Rev. Michael G. Scherrey, CC, Director.....Ext. 11  
Rev. Francis Frankovich, CC, Asst. Dir.....Ext. 14  
Rev. Ed Wade, CC, Asst. Dir.....Ext. 24  
Director Emeritus: Rev. Richard E. Paulissen, M.M.

#### Special Events

Deacon Johnny Salinas

#### Marriage/Annulments

Deacon Steven Griesmyer Sr.

Leave message with receptionist.

#### Baptism Preparation

Maria Cruz.....Ext. 40

## Sunday Movies at the Center

Showing Sunday, February 3,  
Running Time 105 minutes

*Maria & Goretti*

MARTINA PINTO  
MASSIMO BONETTI  
LUISA RANIERI  
FLAVIO INSINNA  
CLAUDIA KOLL



SAINTS AND SOLDIERS



INDEPENDENT SPIRIT AWARD NOMINEE  
BEST FIRST FEATURE AND CINEMATOGRAPHY

Coming Sunday  
February 10, 2008!  
Running Time  
90 Minutes



## Events at The Catholic Charismatic Center

### From the Director...



My Brothers and Sisters,

In the first reading, Isaiah talks about the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali. He says "The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has shone." This prophecy about Jesus was given by a prophet 750 years before Christ. Every prophecy in the Old Testament that dealt with the coming of Christ was fulfilled by Jesus, in the New Testament. Today's gospel of Matthew fulfills Isaiah prophecy when it says "When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and went to live in Capernaum by the sea, in the region of Zebulun and Naphtali, that what had been said through Isaiah the prophet might be fulfilled." Just think, all of the Old Testament prophecies were fulfilled by Jesus Christ. After reading this, you have to believe that Jesus Christ is Lord.

In the second reading Paul talks about the various people who are creating division among the Christians in Corinth. He encourages the community not to have division among them. He says, "...that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and in the same purpose." Today what might cause division would be things like, 'I belong to the Charismatics, or I belong to the Legion of Mary, or I belong to the Knights of Columbus, etc.' We can belong to organizations or movements within the wider Church, but we are all part of one body, one church, united to serve our Lord Jesus Christ. Christ sends us not to baptize, but to preach the gospel. We do not preach it through our intellect, but through our hearts and actions in love.

Sorrow and darkness can certainly be words that describe much of our world today. Many communities have a sense of depression and gloom. There is a lack of connectedness in many countries, which causes a sense of anguish that haunts the world and our lives. Too many people are into the pleasure of the moment; they want what they want, when they want it, how they want it, and the amount they want. We are to be messengers of light and hope in our community because of the challenge through Jesus Christ. We need His value system, His direction, and His focus to give us life in this world and the next. Amen..... Amen!

In Christ,

**Fr. Michael Scherrey C. C.**



**Fr. Michael Scherrey, Andrea Luna,  
Josephine Oghomi, Michael Vallado, Juan Ottino  
Victor Villarreal II, Christine Eyanuku  
Leslie Jordan, Eloise de la Rose, Lyle Dailey  
Sarah Zuazua, Robert Serrano jr., Jason Guzmán  
Marta Gonzales, Johnny Bernado, Joshua García**

### The Catholic Charismatic Center Evangelization Ministry...

**Would like to invite those that wish to become a team member!**

Our next meeting will be on *Date:* Feb.10<sup>th</sup>, 2008

*Place:* Room 210, *Time:* 1:30 - 3:00pm.

To become a team member you must have taken a "Philip Retreat".

Meeting dates are normally on the second Sunday of each month. Please call for meeting information.

Antonio Aquinos, Deb Moreno,  
Alice Guzman And Roxi Bernardo

### Valentine Dance.

**Fund Raiser for the CCE building Fund.**

*Date:* Saturday, February 9

*Place:* Catholic Charismatic Center.



**Volunteers Needed! Volunteer's Meeting.**

*Sunday Meetings:* January, 27 & February 3.

After Mass in Room 108 *Time:* 12:30-1:30pm.

**Ticket On Sale Now!**

**\$10 .00 per Adult, (over the age 18)**

**\$15.00 per couple, \$5.00 per child**

*(Cost Includes Dinner & Dance Admission)*

*Contact:* **Christine Camacho @ 713-269-4230**

Or **Maria Cruz @ 832-758-4403**

**See future bulletins for more information!**

## Events at The Catholic Charismatic Center

### “CCC Ministry Retreat at the Christian Renewal Center”.

Friday, MARCH 7<sup>th</sup> & Saturday, March 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Rooms Are Still Available,  
Reserve Your Room as soon as possible!**

A Deposit of \$35.00 Per person is required to confirm your room! Collection of deposits will be on Sunday, January 27 after Mass at table 4, or at the Center’s office, Tuesday thru Friday 9:00am till 4:00pm.

*For financial information Call:  
Pat at 713-236-9977 ext 18.*

**Retreat to be held in Eugene Hall  
Friday, March 7 Time: 7:00pm-10:00pm  
Saturday, March 8 Time: 9:00am-9:00pm**

*A Love Offering Will Be Taken.*

### 1<sup>st</sup> Friday’s Active Adoration Ministry

All Night Active Adoration has been canceled for Friday, February 1, 2008 and will resume on March 7<sup>th</sup>. Please intercede for the Companions of the Cross and all Priests every month.

### Intensive Anger Management for Adults

Anger is a difficult emotion that we all struggle with from time to time. If you are finding that problems with anger are negatively affecting your life, then you will find this program beneficial. Successful anger management involves a change in lifestyle, and this program will incorporate skill-building in stress management, emotional intelligence, and communication. There will also be opportunities to incorporate scripture and discussion of spiritual beliefs and values in relation to the program content.

*Presented by: Larry Balsam LCSW Catholic Charities Family Counseling*

*Based on: Anderson & Anderson Intervention Model  
Format: Eight 2 hr sessions, including follow-up,  
Date: Mondays, 7-9 pm*

*Place: Catholic Charismatic Center 1949 Cullen Blvd  
Group Size: Maximum of 36 committed participants  
Adult Workbook “Gaining Control of Ourselves”*

*Cost: \$45 for the entire program  
Grant offered for women: women who participate and complete the program are offered a refund at the end of the program*

#### Schedule

Session I: Pretest and Introduction .....Feb. 25  
Session II: The Wheels of Behavior.....Mar. 3  
Session III: The Heavy Cost of Anger.....Mar. 10

#### Spring Break

Session IV: Personal/Self Awareness Inventory ...Mar. 31  
Session V: Anger as a Secondary Emotion....April 7  
Session VI: Emotional Intelligence.....April 14  
Session VII: Communication.....April 21  
Session VIII: Follow-up, Posttest and Review.....May 19  
*Registration: Feb 3 and Feb 10 after mass in lobby*

### Charismatic Prayer Gathering

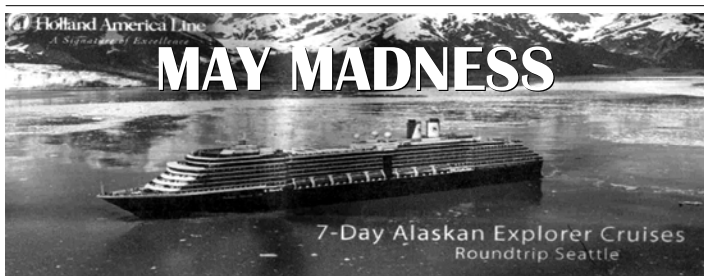
**Date: Saturday, February 9**

**Group Facilitator/Leader: Fr. Ed Wade**

**Place:** Catholic Charismatic Center in the Chapel.

**Time:** 6:30 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

Praise & Worship, Proclaiming and listening to God’s word. Intercession for the needs of the community with various spoken proclamations and sharing in a way that “ will build up the community “



Join **Fr Ed Wade** and a host of your Charismatic Center friends for a **7 Night ALASKA GLACIER CRUISE** MAY 2008 on one of Holland America’s Luxury Liners \$350.00 per person deposit due: ON REGISTRATION from at least 16 people to hold our block of 16 cabins—Final payment due: MARCH 10, 2008

**For information: Col Samuel Morthland**

Travel Agent 005-175 with American Network Travel  
Houston, TX 77062 (281)480-9308, [smorthla@aol.com](mailto:smorthla@aol.com)  
Sunday, January 27 & February 3 at the Visitor Booth after Mass.

## Events at The Catholic Charismatic Center

### *Come...Experience God's Love and Gift of Healing*

Queen of Peace, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel & Catholic Charismatic Center Invite you, your family and friends to a

#### **Companions of the Cross - Texas Parish Mission**

with **Fr. Fernando Suarez, CC** and **Fr. Jeff Shannon, CC**

Fr. Fernando with Cardinal Rosales of Manila, Bishops Arguelles and Quizon - Philippines, Jan 2007



#### **Mar 8 and 9, 2008, Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Mount Carmel**

Fr. Fernando will preach at all Saturday and Sunday Masses at Queen of Peace  
Fr. Jeff will preach at all Saturday and Sunday Masses at Our Lady of Mount Carmel

#### **Mar 11, 2008 at 7pm, Catholic Charismatic Center**

Eucharistic Celebration and Talk– The Power of the Cross, Confessions after Mass (no Healing Service)

#### **Mar 12, 2008 at 7pm, Catholic Charismatic Center**

Eucharistic Celebration and Talk – The Power of the Eucharist, followed by Healing Service

#### **Mar 13, 2008 at 7pm, Catholic Charismatic Center**

Eucharistic Celebration and Talk– The Power of Healing, followed by Healing Service

Queen of Peace, Fr. Christian Riesbeck, CC, 3011 Telephone Rd., Houston, TX 77023, Tel: (713) 921-6127  
Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Fr. Sean Wenger, CC, 6723 Whitefriars, Houston, TX 77087, Tel: (713) 645-6673  
Catholic Charismatic Center, 1949 Cullen Blvd., P.O. Box 230287 Houston, TX 77223, Tel: (713) 236-9977



#### ***Fr. Fernando Suarez CC***

Fr. Fernando Suarez was born on February 7, 1967 in Butong, Taal, Batangas in the Philippines. Fr. Fernando discovered that the Lord had given him a very special gift around the age of 16. God began to use him in a powerful way as he reached out to people who were in need. The sick and troubled were able to find the healing touch of Jesus through his hands. Today, Fr. Fernando Suarez has prayed with literally thousands of people in need of healing graces of God, all over the world, with much success for those with faith. He now regularly conducts Healing Masses, retreats and missions, with large numbers of people in attendance.

For more information, please visit: <http://www.fatherfernando.com/> and <http://marymotherofthepoor.org/>

**Readings for the Week of January 27, 2008**

Sunday Third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Is 8:23—9:3; Ps 27; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17;  
Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Monday St. Thomas Aquinas, priest, doctor  
2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89; Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24; Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday 2 Sm 7:4-17; Ps 89; Mk 4:1-20

Thursday St. John Bosco, priest  
2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Ps 132; Mk 4:21-25

Friday 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51; Mk 4:26-34

Saturday Presentation of the Lord  
Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Sunday Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; Ps 146; 1 Cor 1:26-31;  
Mt 5:1-12a

**OFFICE STAFF:**

Adela Castro, *Data Management*..... Ext. 19  
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Alfonso Ramirez, *Security/Maintenance*.....Ext. 27  
John E. Martinez, *Marketing*..... Ext. 13  
Ruben Campbell, *Hispanic Ministry*..... Ext. 22  
José Molina, *Security/Maintenance*.....Ext. 27  
Margaret Colunga, *Receptionist*..... Ext. 10  
Pat Allison, *Stewardship & Ministry*..... Ext. 18  
Skip Davey, *Administrator*..... Ext. 31  
Teresa Valadez, *Bookstore Mgr*..... Ext. 20

**Marriage/Annulments:**

Deacon Steven Griesmyer Sr. (*Leave a message with receptionist*).... Ext. 10  
Or email to: [sgriesmyer@birch.net](mailto:sgriesmyer@birch.net)

**ENGLISH MINISTRY:**

Patricia Allison, *Stewardship & Ministry* .....Ext. 18

**HISPANIC MINISTRY:**

Ruben Campbell, *Coordinator*.....Ext. 22

**BOOKSTORE**

Tuesday..... 10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Wednesday.....10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Thursday..... 7:30 pm Mass, (*before & after Mass*)  
Friday..... 10:00 am - 2:00 pm (*before & after 7:30 Mass*)  
Sunday.....Before & after 10:30 am Mass



*Come & Join the men of the Catholic Charismatic Center  
as we pray and seek God's will.  
Date: Every Saturday Morning!  
Time: 6:00 am-  
Place: Catholic Charismatic Center*

**Regularly Scheduled Mass and Events**

- **MONDAY:** Center and Offices Closed
  - **TUESDAY:**  
10:30 am - Holy Spirit Intercessory Prayer /Chapel  
12:00 Noon - English **MASS** / Chapel  
7:30 pm - Choir Practice / Main Sanctuary (English)
  - **WEDNESDAY:**  
12:00 Noon-Spanish **Mass** / Chapel  
*Prayer teams are available before and after Mass*  
7:15 - 9:00 pm - Men's Bible Studies, Room 110,  
7:15 - 9:00 pm - Women's Bible Studies, Room 108
  - **THURSDAY:**  
6:00 - 7:00 pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
6:30 - 7:15 pm - Confessions or by appointment  
7:00 - 7:30 pm - Prayer Teams / Rm. 120  
7:00 - 7:30 pm - Rosary - Chapel  
7:20 - 7:30 pm - Praise & Worship-Main Sanctuary  
7:30 pm - **HEALING MASS**  
**1st Thursday of each Month before Healing Mass**  
**Blessing of the Salt, Water and Oil.**  
**Last Thursday of each Month Eucharistic Soaking**  
**after Healing Mass .**  
*Prayer teams are available before and after Mass*
  - **FRIDAY:**  
12:00 Noon - English **MASS** / Chapel  
1st Friday-English - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel, 10:00 pm - 5:00 am  
6:30 pm - 7:45pm Confessions or by appointment  
8:00 pm **Spanish Mass**  
*Prayer teams are available before and after Mass*
  - **SATURDAY: Scheduled Events**  
6:30 pm - 8:15 pm Charismatic Prayer Meeting in Chapel,  
*Charismatic Prayer Meeting second Saturday of each month.*  
See Bulletin for Special Scheduled events or Masses
  - **SUNDAY:**  
9:00 am - 9:45 am - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
9:30 am - 10:00 am - Confessions or by appointment  
9:30 am - 10:30 am - Youth Bible Study 7-17 yrs, Rm 110  
10:00 am - 10:30 am - Prayers Teams / Rm. 120  
10:00 am - 10:30 am - Praise / Main Sanctuary  
10:30 am - **MASS**  
**Prayer Teams** are available before Mass in room #120  
and after Mass in the Main Sanctuary.  
**Nigerian Mass:** 2nd Sunday 1: 00 pm / Chapel  
Fellowship upstairs in fellowship hall after Mass  
**African Women:** Every 3rd Sunday after Mass in room 112  
**Sons of God:** Every first Saturday, 9am-12pm in room 120
- BAPTISMS:** Announced at Mass on Sundays prior to start of classes or call 713-236-9977 (English, Ext. 40) (Spanish, Ext. 33)
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Please call the office for appointment.
- SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**  
Sunday.....9:30 am - 10:00 am  
Wednesday.....11:00 am -11:45 am  
Thursday..... 6:30 pm - 7:15 pm  
Friday.....6:30 pm - 7:45 pm  
Or by appointment.
- ORIENTATION MEETINGS FOR 2008**  
4th Tuesday of every other Month at 7:00pm. In Rm. 112.  
Next orientation meeting, March 25, 2008.

## Eventos de la Comunidad Hispana

### III DOMINGO ORDINARIO

#### INICIA EL MINISTERIO DE JESUS

Cuando la oscuridad llega, inmediatamente encendemos la luz para poder continuar nuestras actividades, nos hemos impuesto tanto a ella, que casi no agradecemos ese don de la electricidad, pero: Recuerdas los grandes apagones que hubo en Nueva York? La ciudad quedo paralizada, los sistemas de aire acondicionado, las bombas de gasolina, de agua, los elevadores etc. Quedaron varados, los hospitales fueron evacuados y solo así la gente se dio cuenta de cuan imprescindible es la luz para nuestra vida moderna.

Ahora bien, si eso sucede con la luz eléctrica, Que no será para nosotros la LUZ DE LA GRACIA? Sin la luz de Dios estamos perdidos, La Luz de la gracia, nos llega mediante el anuncio del Evangelio, Jesús inicia su ministerio, no solo con palabras, sino con hechos, esa es la diferencia, Jesús proclamaba que el Reino de Dios estaba cerca y mediante señales y prodigios la gente se acercaba y se convertía de corazón.

Nosotros, cristianos del Siglo XXI, no somos diferentes a los cristianos de otras épocas, necesitamos de la presencia sobrenatural de Dios para ser transformados.

La finalidad del evangelio es hacer de nosotros otras personas, y esa es la razón por la cual Jesús vino a este mundo.

El otro aspecto que nos presenta la palabra de Dios es la

situación de las divisiones entre los cristianos, no solo a niveles de confesiones religiosas separadas de Roma, (Ortodoxos, Protestantes, etc.) sino las divisiones dentro de la misma fe católica, Pablo nos recuerda que Jesús es quien murió por nosotros, que los dirigentes de las comunidades solo prestan un servicio para hacer crecer a la comunidad, pero si prestamos nuestra atención exclusivamente a ellos, la división surge.

Porque sucede esto? Por meras cuestiones de la carne, pues San Pablo mismo denuncia a la comunidad esa situación y les recuerda que es Jesucristo el motivo de nuestra unidad.

Como de paso, recordemos que esta semana, a nivel mundial esta destinada para orar por la Unidad de los Cristianos, oremos por la Unidad tan deseada por Jesús, pero nosotros debemos ser luz como Jesús, para mantener la unidad en nuestras comunidades, permitamos a Jesús que sane toda dolencia, pidámosle a Jesús que nos limpie de toda lepra que nos hace apartarnos de los demás, solo así podremos ser testimonio para los demás.

En conclusión, la obra de Jesús no ha terminado, su ministerio continua mediante el trabajo de los sacerdotes y de los laicos que nos comprometemos a ser los brazos, piernas, ojos y labios de Jesús y seguir sanando, liberando y proclamando que Jesús esta vivo y es la Luz que disipa toda las tinieblas del corazón.

Quieres tu ser instrumento de unidad y de evangelización?

### Actividades

- **Martes:** *Ensayo de Ministerio de Música 7-9 p.m.*
- **Martes y Jueves:** *Nuevo Amanecer, Apoyo para adictos 7-9 p.m.*
- **Miércoles:** *Rosario, Asamblea y Eucaristía de 9:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.*
- **Miércoles:** *Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos "Agua Viva de 7-9 p.m.*
- **Jueves:** *Crecimiento o Formación De 7-9 p.m.*
- **Viernes:** *Rosario, Asamblea y Eucaristía de 6:30—9:30 p.m.*

### IMPORTANTE

**CURSO DE EVANGELIZACION JUVENIL**  
**Sábado 2 de FEBRERO, 8:30am-7:00 p.m.**  
**Domingo 3 de 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.**  
**Aquí en el Centro Carismático**  
**Te esperamos!!!**

### AVISO IMPORTANTE

Las evangelizaciones y cursos de crecimiento están trayendo bendición a muchos hermanos, por esta razón te invitamos a que nos apoyes con tu aportación en especie, para atender las necesidades de los hermanos en estos cursos Como? Donando alimentos NO Perecederos.

**Comunícate con hno. Rubén Campbell**  
 TEL. 713 236 9977 EXT. 22  
**DIOS BENDICE AL DADOR ALEGRE**

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