

## Gospel: Matthew 14:13-21

The fact that people left their work, town, families to see Jesus meant his reputation had spread far and wide. Many would make their journey for the first time to meet this preacher and healer not knowing what they wanted from him or how he might touch them emotionally, spiritually for the rest of their lives. For a man to enlighten five, ten people is extraordinary. But to impact over 5,000 people is divine, and these people knew they were in the presence of the divine. It's likely they left for home feeling more at peace with themselves, their families and communities bringing

with them the presence of the divine back to their lands.

## Mass Intentions: Week of August 3, 2008

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Sunday	9:30 a.m.	 Joe Reeder (healing)		Second.
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	 Terry Childs		
Monday	8 a.m.	 World Peace		
Wednesday	8 a.m.	 John Lawson		
Thursday	8 a.m.	 Dan Farley		and the second s
Friday	8 a.m.	 Summer Olympic in Beijin	ng	
Saturday	10 a.m.	 Sisters of the Immaculate	Conce	eption, R.C.M

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## From the Pew

The Summer **Olympic** Games commences this Friday, August 8<sup>th</sup> in Beijing, China. We wish all the athletes enjoy a safe and exciting 2-week competition. All nations come together in harmony and a display of friendship and sportsmanship for all.

Cia & Pat Donahue's niece, Mary McConneloug, is one of only

two women to represent the USA in the Beijing Olympics. In 2004, position for women in the Athens the ONE. She came in 9th, which up in Fairfax , the 3rd child in a in Mountain Biking there was only one Olympics and Mary was is pretty good. Mary grew family of 5. Mary went to

St. Anselms, San Domenico and University of Santa Clara. Just a few weeks ago, Mary won the 2008 National Mountain Bike championship for women. Cia is going to Beijing to support her niece. We might catch a glimpse of Cia cheering on the event on TV. Good luck, Mary!

What is a **Parish**: "Our Faith and Family communities, combined together, provide each of us with a large circle of friends who pray together, and who share with each others the joys and sorrows of our lives. We try to give support to any one in any way we can, when needed. We love laughter and fun activities that we do together, and enjoy sharing this fun with others outside our Faith group. We try to have the virtues of charity, compassion and understanding for all who touch our lives. We give thanks and all the glory to God for these loving friendships and for our small but Grand Faith Community!" ... submitted by Joy Vagasy.

**Padre Pio Mass**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month, 10 a.m. at St. Cecilia's.

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Preparing for Disaster: In Case of Fire

- Remain calm
- Stay low to the ground
- Feel all doors before opening
- Get out of the house immediately if the smoke detector goes off
- Never go back into a burning house
- Orop to the ground and roll to put out flames that catch your clothing
- Stay by the window near the floor if you cannot get out of the house. Wait for the rescue.

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St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas		\$	508.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio		\$	290.00
Total:		<u>\$</u>	798.00
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"One World One Dream" ... Olympic Motto

