



Diocesan Events:

- 1) **Chrism Dinner**-Deadline for reservations is today, Friday, March 12, 2010.
Bob Canton and the prayer group, the Children of God- Saturday, March 27, 2010- 9:30 AM- celebration of their 25th year anniversary to be held in the St. Luke's Parish Gym. Mass will be at 3:00 PM –Dinner Concert 4:30 PM. (Lunch will be provided) All clergy and consecrated members of the Diocese of Stockton are invited to attend any or all parts of the celebration.

For more info, please call Jessie or Vivian at 209-477-1668. RSVP preferred.

- 2) **Latino Leadership for Church and Society Course** – The Latino Leadership for Church and Society course will begin on March 27, 2010. The goal of this course is to develop a Gospel-based leadership with a vision of leadership for the ecclesial community in an intercultural dialogue and in the promotion of social justice with the necessary skills to be more effective in the life of the Church and society. (Spanish only)

If you are interested in sending people from your parish, please contact Digna Ramirez-Lopez at 546.7628 at the Office of Hispanic Ministry. Space is limited.

Informational Items:

- 1) **Marriage Tribunal Aide Training** -- There are NO more spaces available for the two-day Marriage Tribunal Aide Training scheduled for March 13th and 20th at Our Lady of Fatima, Modesto. We apologize to those people that were unable to register. We will be looking at providing another training for the upcoming year. If you wish to receive information on this or any other training courses provided by the School of Ministry Office please contact Isela Quezada at 546-7630.

- 2) **Liturgical Notes:**

- Next Tuesday, March 16, is the 11th anniversary of Bishop Blaire's installation as Bishop of Stockton. Mass for the Bishop (Sacramentary, page 874) should be celebrated.
- Many of the questions parishes are asking regarding the Paschal Triduum are answered on the USCCB website at: <http://www.usccb.org/liturgy/triduumquestions.shtml>. If you have additional questions, please call the Office for Worship.
- If you have not done so, please return your plastic oil bottles from last year's Chrism Mass during the coming week. DO NOT bring old oil bottles to the Chrism Mass to turn in.

Please send any questions and concerns to Ray Desagun: rdesagun@stocktondiocese.org