

# Meet Father Daniel McCaffrey

Father Daniel McCaffrey was ordained in 1958. A year later he departed for the Moslem country of Pakistan where he served for seven years as a missionary. Father holds a Doctorate in Sacred Theology from the University of St. Thomas Aquinas (Angelicum) in Rome. In 1968 during the Vietnam Conflict, Father joined the United States Army Chaplain Corps. While on active duty for twenty years, he served in Vietnam, Korea, Germany and Honduras, as well as numerous army installations throughout the United States.

During his ministry he has worked in the Apostolate of Marriage Enrichment establishing successful Natural Family Planning programs on the diocesan and parish levels. Father is a priest of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City.

### **Parish Mission**

Pope Francis has sent out a wake-up call for a new missionary outreach.

What better way to support this challenge than through a solid review of our Faith as presented in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, the first universal summary of her teachings in 400 years.

This in-depth presentation would bring parishioners to a greater level of appreciation of what it means to be a Catholic and inspire them to actively engage in Pope Francis' evangelical mission to the whole world!

#### Here is a suggested schedule:

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Sunday: What the Catholic Church believes

(The Creed)

Monday: What the Catholic Church

celebrates (Sacraments)

Tuesday: What the Catholic Church prays (the

Our Father, prayer, spiritual life)

Wednesday: What the Catholic Church lives

(Commandments, Natural Family Planning and its impact on marriage and family life, Theology of the Body according to the mind of John Paul

II - overview).

Confessions at opportune times

Program is flexible, according to local needs

From Joseph Cardinal Ratzinger:
The crisis the Church is going through,
particularly in the United States, is "a weakness
of faith" that calls for conversion and "clear
moral teaching." (Zenit.org)

#### **Testimonials**

"I continually have a steady flow of new penitents who directly or indirectly come from your parish mission...I hope more parishes invite you to the Archdiocese of Detroit"

Fr. Paul Wood Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Imlay City, MI

"Many, many thanks for a wonderful mission. Our Lady of the Rosary will never be the same again after your Lenten mission."

Fr. Dac T. Tran, OFM, Greenville, SC

"I attended three of your four talks this past week during the mission you gave at Annunciation Parish. A previous commitment precluded me going on Wednesday night...I heard that you received a standing ovation. Rightly so." Mr. Harvey Bailey, Hamilton, Ont., Canada

"It's a real blessing for all of us to hear your message." Mr. David P. Iacono, St. Lawrence Church, Tampa, Fl

"Parents were pleased with what their children remembered and repeated to them. Teens came back evenings in succession. Older parishioners were happy to hear things they had not heard in many years. People were appreciative to hear teachings they knew but had forgotten, and are still sharing this fact with parish leaders weeks after the mission...Many have returned to the Sacrament of Reconciliation after many years. We had some return to the practice of their faith."

Ann M. Kolb, St. Mary's Church, Greenville, Ohio Director of Religious Education

"We have heard many positive comments and compliments about your visit with us. May God bless you and help you continue your good work." Jeanie Klepinger, Business Manager, All Saints Parish Logansport, IN

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by Fr. Daniel McCaffrey

A spiritual event that will spark new interest in what it means to be a Catholic today.