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Church Remodeling—Phase I Milestones

December 07	January 08	February 08	May 08	June 08
Pour interior on grade slabs; Lay Exterior block bearing walls; Parish sign names on beams.	Erect structural steel and decking	Roofing installation completed	Complete interior sheet rocking and finishes.	Move into Phase II!

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From the Pastor,

This letter continues the discussion we began last week about Burundi. Our focus this week will be on its geography and its economy.

Burundi is situated on a high plateau that encompasses mountainous as well as hilly regions, a plateau in the east, and some low plains. The lowest point is at Lake Tanganyika (approximately one-half mile above sea level) and the highest point is on Mount Karonje (approximately 1.7 miles above sea level). Burundi has an equatorial climate, with temperature variations depending on the altitude of the terrain.

Agriculture employs most of the labor force (90%), and the primary cash crop is coffee (about 80% of exports in 2004). While agriculture is currently the mainstay of the economy, there are a number of natural resources waiting to be developed. This development, however, is dependent upon Burundi achieving sufficient political stability to attract investors.

Burundi has the potential to be self-sufficient in food production. Unfortunately, however, political instability, along with the issue of soil erosion (resulting from overgrazing and cultivation of marginal land), has resulted in a 30% reduction in its subsistence economy. These challenges, as well as the need to cope with a large number of displaced people, has made Burundi dependent on international humanitarian aid.

This is a snapshot of Burundi in recent years, a picture I hope will help us envision the area where our refugees began their journey to Boise.

Next week our discussion will continue with an exploration of the history of Burundi and its people. In the meantime, if you would like to find more information about Burundi, there are excellent resources on the Internet. These websites include the U.S. Department of State site — <http://www.state.gov/countries/> and Wikipedia — <http://www.wikipedia.org/>, and many others.

Peace, Father Tom Faucher, Pastor

Del Pastor,

Esta carta continua nuestra plática sobre Burundi. Esta semana me gustaría compartir información adicional acerca de Burundi, comenzando con su geografía y su economía.

Burundi está situada en una alta meseta que abarca regiones montañosas, colinas, una meseta en el este y algunos llanos en las partes bajas. La altitud mínima se encuentra a las orillas del Lago Tanganica (de aproximadamente media milla -800 metros - sobre el nivel del mar) y la elevación más alta se encuentra en el monte Karonje (aproximadamente 1.7 millas – 2700 metros- sobre el nivel del mar). Burundi tiene un clima ecuatorial con variaciones de temperatura de acuerdo a la altura del terreno.

La mayor parte de su fuerza laboral se dedica a la agricultura (90 %), siendo la cosecha del café lo que les genera más entradas (el 80% de sus exportaciones en el 2004). Aunque la agricultura es actualmente su principal soporte económico, tienen una cantidad de recursos esperando ser desarrollados. Sin embargo, este desarrollo depende de que Burundi alcance la suficiente estabilidad política para atraer inversionistas.

Burundi tiene el potencial de ser autosuficiente en la producción de comida. Desafortunadamente, la inestabilidad política además del problema de la erosión del suelo (resultado del pastoreo excesivo y la cultivación de

Church Remodeling—Phase II Milestones

July 08	August 08	September 08	October 08	December 08	January 09
Demolition—Center Section of existing Church	New Masonry—wall on 26th Street Side	Erect Structural Steel & Framing Install roofing	Reconstruct Floor System	Interior Sheet rocking & Finishes; Install Audio/Visual System; Remove Temporary wall between Phase I and II; tie finishes together.	Install Furnishings and move in!

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tierra marginal), ha resultado en una reducción del 30% de su economía de subsistencia en los últimos años. Estos retos, así como la necesidad de lidiar con grandes desplazamientos de gente, hace que Burundi sea dependiente de la ayuda humanitaria internacional.

Esta es una fotografía de Burundi en los años recientes: una foto que espero nos ayude a visualizar el lugar desde donde nuestros refugiados empezaron su viaje hasta Boise.

La próxima semana nuestra plática continuará con una exploración de la historia de Burundi y su gente. Mientras tanto, si quieren conocer más sobre Burundi, hay recursos excelentes en la Internet, como los siguientes: <http://es.wikipedia.org/wiki/Burundi> , <http://www.luenticus.org/mapas/burundi.html> , etc.

Paz, Padre Tom Faucher, Párroco

Este año la fiesta de los santos apóstoles Pedro y Pablo tiene un significado especial: comenzamos el año dedicado a san Pablo. En efecto, el Papa Benedicto XVI hizo el anuncio hace exactamente un año: "me alegra anunciar oficialmente que al apóstol san Pablo dedicaremos un año jubilar especial, del 28 de junio de 2008 al 29 de junio de 2009, con ocasión del bi-milenario (dos mil años) de su nacimiento que los historiadores sitúan entre los años 7 y 10 después de Cristo".

¿Qué pretende el Papa al proclamar este año jubilar paulino? Es una ocasión que nos puede iluminar a nosotros cristianos de hoy, que sentimos la responsabilidad de dar testimonio de Cristo y "con temor y temblor" – como Pablo- quizá sentimos la dificultad de hacerlo con coherencia y el miedo de que no seamos escuchados. "Por sus cartas sabemos - dijo el Santo Padre - que san Pablo no sabía hablar muy bien; más aún, compartía con Moisés y Jeremías la falta de talento oratorio. 'Su presencia física es pobre y su palabra despreciable' (2 Co 10,10). Por lo tanto, los extraordinarios resultados apostólicos que pudo conseguir no se deben atribuir a una brillante retórica o a refinadas estrategias apologéticas y misioneras. El éxito de su apostolado depende, sobre todo, de su compromiso personal al anunciar el Evangelio con total entrega a Cristo".

No olvidemos que a san Pablo debemos el primer escrito del Nuevo Testamento: la Carta a los Tesalonicenses, probablemente alrededor del año 50. Fue él quien inauguró, por así decirlo, lo de enviar cartas a las comunidades que, al inicio del cristianismo era todo lo que éstas tenían (todavía no habían sido escritos los Evangelios). Yo sé que san Pablo no goza de mucha popularidad y no sé por qué. Yo, en particular, siento una gran admiración por él y es uno de los principales santos de mi devoción (junto con san José y san Agustín). Los invito a aprovechar la oportunidad de conocer al hombre escogido por Cristo para una misión única: darle una estructura y organización a Su Iglesia. A esa misión entregó su vida por completo. No hay mejor ejemplo de un apóstol que san Pablo quien era bilingüe y bicultural. Es decir un modelo para nuestro tiempo.

Su amigo y servidor, Padre Jesús Camacho

This year, the feast of the Apostle Saints Peter and Paul has a special meaning: we begin a year dedicated to Saint Paul. As a matter of fact, Pope Benedict XVI made the announcement exactly a year ago: "I am glad to officially announce that we will dedicate a jubilee year to Saint Paul, from June 28, 2008 to June 29, 2009; to mark the (approximate) two thousand anniversary of his birth, dated between years 7 and 10 AD according to historians."

What is the Pope's intention by proclaiming this Pauline Jubilee year? It is an occasion that can enlighten us, current Christians, who feel responsibility to give testimony of Christ, and with "fear and trembling" – like Paul- we may feel the difficulty to do it with coherence, and we may feel the fear of not being listened to. "We know by his letters, the Pope said, that Saint Paul didn't speak very well and furthermore, he shared his lack of speech talent with Moses and Jeremiah. 'His bodily presence is weak, and his speech contemptible' (2 Co 10:10). Therefore the extraordinary apostolic results cannot be attributed to his brilliant rhetoric or refined strategies of missionary or apologetic argumentation. His apostolic achievement depends, above all, on his personal commitment to announcing the Gospel with a total dedication to Christ.

Let's not forget that we owe credit to Saint Paul for writing the first New Testament manuscript: The letter to the Thessalonians, written probably around year 50 AD. It was he who initiated, in a manner of speaking, the

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pastoral resource of sending letters to the communities, which at that time was the only thing they had (the Gospels had not been written yet). I know Saint Paul is not very popular and I don't know why. I feel great admiration for him. He is one of the main saints I am more devoted to (along with Saint Joseph and Saint Augustine). I invite you to take the opportunity to know the man chosen by Christ for a unique mission: to give structure and organization to His Church. He dedicated his life to this mission entirely. There is no better example of an apostle than Saint Paul who was bilingual and bi-cultural; a current model for our time.

Your friend and servant, Fr. Jesús Camacho



Scripture Readings

June 29—July 5

SUN.	Acts 12:1-11; 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19
MON.	Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Mt 8:18-22
TUES.	Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Mt 8:23-27
WED.	Am 5:14-15, 21-24; Mt 8:28-34
THURS.	Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29
FRI.	Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13
SAT.	Am 9:11-15; Mt 9:14-17

2007 PARISH SURVEY SUMMARY— RESUMEN DE LA ENCUESTA PARROQUIAL 2007

The Development and Finance Committee conducted a parish-wide survey in November, 2007. The committee analyzed the results, and shared this analysis with other committees within the parish. These results have now been summarized, and are available (in both Spanish and English) at the back of the church. The results are quite interesting; feel free to take a copy for review.

El comité de Desarrollo y Finanzas dirigió una encuesta en toda la parroquia en noviembre del 2007. El comité analizó los resultados y compartió este análisis con otros comités de la parroquia. Estos resultados ahora se han resumido y están disponibles en inglés y en español en la parte de atrás de la iglesia. Los resultados son muy interesantes; anímese a tomar una copia para darse cuenta.



Please consider sending your government check for the *Stimulus Package* to the Church Building Fund.

CALENDAR – CALENDARIO

Sun., June 29	• 9:30 a.m., Barrett Baptism (Church)
Mon., June 30	• 7 pm. Comité Hispano de Santa Maria (Salón A)
Tues., July 1	• 7 pm. Estudio Bíblico (Salón A)
Wed., July 2	• 7 p.m., Liturgy Committee (Rm. E)
Fri., July 4	Independence Day! Parish Office Closed • 10 a.m., Mass (Church) • 2:30 pm. Boda — Erika Orozco y Armando Gonzáles (Iglesia)
Sat., July 5	• 9:30 a.m., Fisher Baptism (Church) • 11 am. Quinceañera, Alison Campo (Iglesia) • 1 p.m., Grimm, Sweet Sixteen (Church) • 2 pm. Quinceañera, Andrea Gutiérrez (Iglesia)

- Our refugee families from Burundi need work - so if you have manual jobs such as yard work, house work, etc., please consider hiring one of our refugees.
- A 12-year old boy needs a bicycle. If you have a bicycle you no longer need, please consider donating it. Your gift would be greatly appreciated!

Please call the parish office if you can help. Thank you!

Contributions*:

June 21 & 22: \$5,591.00
Last Year: \$6,404.00

***Building Fund not included.**

Advertiser of the Week—The Eye Associates, Gregory J. Kent, M.D.!

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Thank you! It was a great week at Power Lab VBS. I want to express my thanks and gratitude to the many volunteers who helped make Power Lab VBS a wonderful experience - **Station Leaders:** Linda Becker (Wacky Works Crafts), Elaine Davis (Cinema Science), Sara Jenkins (Bible Blast), Charlotte Mallet (Test Tube Treats), Renee Martinez (Squeaky Beakers), Tammy Morrison (Environment), Maureen O'Toole (Sonic Sing & Play) (Faith Fusion Finale), James Teply (Hyperspeed Games), Susan Thometz (Wacky Works Crafts). **Crew Leaders:** Natalie Baca, Erin Burke, Matt Burke, John Burlile, Josh Davis, Maureen Elia, Bernadette Fernandes, Troy Garcia, Olga Garza-Ramirez, Lisa Madigan, Michelle Pettyjohn, Sean O'Toole, Caitlin Patrick, Tina Spade and Jan Winner. **Jr. Crew Leaders:** Elliott Davis, Noah Elia, Daniel Elia, Parker Jones, Marcellino Ramos, Katie Simpson, Mary Kate O'Toole, Brenna Patrick, Alison Pettyjohn and Liz Thometz. **And thanks to all the Power Lab campers.** See you next summer for Crocodile Dock VBS, a ragin' Cajun celebration where fearless kids shine God's light!

St. Alphonsus Haiti Project – The Power Lab Vacation Bible School campers raised \$141.39 toward beans, rice and fruit trees for the hospital and orphanage supported by the St. Alphonsus Haiti Project. They will continue to raise money during the summer and fall by saving allowance, doing extra chores and other activities to raise money for this worthwhile project.

During the months of July and August, we will be having a second collection at all of the English language masses for the purpose of buying new songbooks and obtaining more money for our music programs. I think it is obvious that we need new songbooks. We will have bookracks in our new pews to go with our new songbooks. This is not a budgeted item, and a second collection is the only way to obtain the money.



Old St. Mary's Picture Book Keepsake - Proceeds to go toward the new church's stain glass.

- **Small version with DVD - \$20 donation***
- Large version with DVD - \$35 donation
- Contact: Carol Herring at cherring@stmarys-boise.org or stop by the table after mass.

*** New Price!**

Las pláticas prebautismales para el mes de julio son el 14, 16 y 21 de julio a las 8 PM en el centro parroquial. Los bautizos de julio serán el sábado 26 de julio.

Hablen a la oficina parroquial para hacer una cita con el Padre Jesús para pedir el bautizo. Los requisitos son los siguientes.

REQUISITOS PARA BAUTIZAR:

1. Que los papas llamen para hacer una cita con el Padre Jesús la primera semana del mes.
2. Asistir a dos pláticas durante el mes (en grupo), a las 8 p.m. Fechas arriba.
3. Traer el acta de nacimiento de la criatura y acta de matrimonio por la iglesia de los papas y los padrinos.
4. Los Bautizos se llevan acabo el último sábado del mes en dos grupos: uno a las 10 de la mañana y otro dentro de la Misa de 7p.m.

Magnificat...Please register your E-mail address so you may receive it electronically to save parish money. Send to magnify@cablone.net or parish office, mbaca@stmarysboise.org ASAP. Thank you.

St. Mary's Parish wishes to recognize the men and women, sons and daughters, of our parish who are serving in the Armed Forces. **Please pray for these people in the armed services who are protecting us.**

Gy. Sgt. Jason Anton	Marine Corps
Staff Sgt. John G. Carmonne Jr.	Marine Corps
Staff Sgt. Cameron Carpenter	Air Force Nat'l Guard
Major Grant S. Fawcett	U.S. Army
Capt. James Corrigan	U.S. Air Force
Captain John R. Fawcett	U.S. Army
Major Marne Suttan Fawcett	U.S. Army
PFC Andrew E. Friton	U.S. Army
Staff Sgt. Amber Hansen	U. S. Army
Captain Tom Hitt	Air Force Nat'l Guard
Sgt. Benjamin Lee	U.S. Army
FC6 Christopher Mais	U.S. Navy
Lt. Col. William McQuade	U.S. Army
PV2 Ashley Peachey	U.S. Army
Lt. Col. Gregory W. Smith	U.S. Army
PFC Adam Schumacher	Army Nat'l Guard
Spec. James Schumacher	Army Nat'l Guard
Corporal Jake Thacker	Marine Corps
Lt. Bernadette Tavelli	U.S. Air Force
Sgt. Shawn Michael White	U. S. Army

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July, 2008	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lector 1	Darlyne Pape	Gene Fadness	Marina Edwards
Lector 2	Ray Hoobing	Roger Vega	Julie Weston
Priest Host 1			
Alt. Eucharistic M - Host 1	Jason Jaszkwiaak	Marilyn Tratz	Toni Post
Head Eucharistic M - Host 2	MaryAnn Hogg	Kathy Carney	Tom Ditter
Eucharistic Minister - Host 3	Larry Winner	Pat Edwards	Nicole Casabonne
Eucharistic Minister - Host 4	Jan Winner	Cathy Stephenson	Margo Mojica
Deacon - Alternate - Cup 1	Virginia Medek	Bill Teske	Carolyn Crooks
Eucharistic Minister - Cup2	Eileen Hoobing	Kathy Vawter	Isabelle Yale
Eucharistic Minister - Cup 3	Liz Lister	Jim Kelsch	Janet Casabonne
Eucharistic Minister - Cup 4	Rod Jaszkwiaak	Merikay Jost	Francois Casabonne
Hospitality Captain	Miriam Adams	Gerard Family	Don/Sharon Lieske
July 5 - 6 12 - 13			
Altar Server Cross Bearer	Parker Jones	Michaela Gerard	Roman Campanella
Altar Server Candle Bearer	Gabby Basterrechea	Andrew Pfeiffer	Trevor Meyer
Altar Server Candle Bearer	Hanna Keaton	Alison Pettyjohn	Sean O'Toole
July 19 -20 26 -27			
Altar Server Cross Bearer	Gunnar Hardy	Troy Garcia	Kelsey Wilson
Altar Server Candle Bearer	Maria Baca	Alison Pettyjohn	Heather Neace
Altar Server Candle Bearer	Callie Falash	Matt Burke	Joy Ann Young