

Holy Week Mission

"Without Prayer.....Your Voice is Silent"

April 11, 12, 13

Are you so involved scurrying around with business, children, family, social activities etc., that you have little time for quiet contemplation with God? A parish mission is a time of special grace when God calls us into a deeper relationship with Him, a time for personal growth, a time to listen to God, a time for spiritual refreshment and renewal.

Join twin brothers Fr. Bob Gielow and Fr. Dick Gielow each evening at 6pm in Church as we begin Holy Week. There will be a special mass with a homily from the twins designed for a Lenten Renewal. A reception will follow each evening to enhance our community life. (*April 13 session will flow into individual Penance.)

The twins have been conducting parish missions for more than 40 years and just celebrated 50 years of priesthood. They have ministered as principal of high school, director of campus ministry, director of athletics and retreat master. They have advanced degrees in Philosophy, Theology, Religious Education, Counseling, Divinity, Religious Studies and Pastoral Studies. Their ministry has offered them experiences all over the world. They don't always conduct parish missions together, so this is something special.

They were born in LaSalle, Ill. and are members of the Congregation of the Mission (Vincentians) founded by St. Vincent De Paul. Fr. Dick lives in Leawood, Kansas and Fr. Bob lives in Lemont, Ill. They have one sister, Mary Ann who lives in Tucson and is Director of Development at St. Cyril's Church.

