

confronting the culture of **DEATH**
BY building a
culture of **LIFE**



Join us for a Presentation
by Fr. Peter J. West, Associate Director, Priests for Life

Monday, November 2, 2009 at 7:00 pm

St. Francis Hall (downstairs), St. Francis Parish, 9th and Juniper, Brainerd, MN 56401

- **Many people claim to speak for the Church but what are the Church's teachings on sanctity of life issues?**
- **How do these Church teachings apply to the issues facing us today – including the healthcare reform debate?**
- **What strategies can we use to live out our faith and bring truth to the public square?**

Questions or General Information:

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Fr. Peter West was ordained for the Archdiocese of Newark in 1991. In his priesthood, he has worked extensively with teens and young adults. In his pastoral ministry, Fr. West has also preached frequently on the topic of abortion. He has helped dissuade women from having abortions and helped post-abortive women find healing and peace.

Fr. West spent almost seven years in pastoral ministry before being released by Archbishop McCarrick to serve with Priests for Life in 1998. Priests for Life, a non-profit Private Association of the Faithful, is a pro-life network of over 40,000 priests and deacons which seeks to train and motivate the clergy to be more effectively pro-life. In his ministry with PFL, Fr. West has spoken to both priests and laity at over 300 parishes throughout the United States and appeared on radio and TV spreading the Gospel of Life. Fr. West is based in Staten Island, NY.

