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## The Fullness of the Faith

Nationally Renowned Catholic Speaker  
**Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC**

To speak at  
St. Jeanne de Lestonnac School, Temecula

The Topic will be:

### His Conversion Story

Wednesday, November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2006

7:00 p.m. – 9:00p.m.

*Child Care will not be available*

*Free Admission. Good Will Offering will be taken.*

The son of self-proclaimed "hillbillies" from the back woods of West Virginia, Donald Calloway was raised without any religion or a father figure to model. Finally baptized as a Protestant at the age of ten, he never received any formal Christian instruction. And when his family moved to California, he slipped into the "MTV lifestyle" - sex, drugs and rock music. This pagan rebellion intensified to total mayhem when his family relocated to Japan and he ran away from home.

Satisfaction of the senses became young Donald's rule of life that escalated to a life of crime. Constantly on the move to avoid arrest, he and his friends soon got connected with the Japanese Mafia. During this time of endless wanton wandering filled with wine, women and song, Donald's mother became Catholic and fervently prayed for her fifteen-year-old prodigal son to return home. Even as God was miraculously moving his entire family to convert to Catholicism Donald resisting any attempts to be evangelized and turning once again to petty robbery in order to survive. In 1992, this rebel without a cause reached a breaking point in his life. Fortunately, he discovered a book on Marian apparitions and devoured its powerful message of repentance. The Blessed Virgin Mary had literally stolen his heart and introduced spiritual concepts like heaven, hell, repentance and sin. There was no turning back!

Rev. Donald Calloway, M.I.C., is the assistant rector of the National Shrine of the Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, MA. As a convert to the Catholic Faith, Father Calloway left a rebellious life of wine, women and song to embrace God's saving truth. After studying at the Franciscan University in Steubenville, OH and the Dominican House of Studies in Washington, D.C., he was ordained to the sacred priesthood in 2003.

#### Directions

St. Jeanne de Lestonnac School  
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Directions: Exit Rancho California in Temecula, head east to Butterfield Stage, turn right on Butterfield Stage first left to the school.

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