## JON STEWART GETS FOUL AGAIN



On last night's episode of "The Daily Show with Jon Stewart," the host mocked Fox News for a soft interview with Sen. John McCain. Pretending to be a reporter, Stewart asks of himself, "Is Jon Stewart fair to

Republicans?" Although this skit had absolutely nothing to do with Catholicism, Stewart managed to turn it into another one of his vintage Catholic-bashing moments.

Stewart: "Does the pope s\*\*\* [bleeped] in the woods? Because if not, not only am I not fair to Republicans, I think a bear wearing a hat gave me Communion."

[Next is an image of Stewart kneeling with his hands folded in prayer, and a large bear dressed as the pope holding a Host and ciborium; Stewart is kneeling waist high to the bear.]

Stewart: "I'm not going to make that other joke that I was just about to make-it was about one of us not using our teeth."

Bill Donohue replies: "If I belonged to some other religion, I would do more than knock his teeth out. Lucky for Stewart, I am a Catholic."

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