



ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 5, 2014

MISSION STATEMENT

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER is a Eucharistic community of believers commissioned through our Baptism to share the Gospel message of Jesus Christ with all people. Out of our diversity we create unity through respect for every person, common celebrations, sacramental worship, Christian education of all ages, and outreach programs.

WELCOME!

We are pleased that you have chosen to worship here today and hope you will find this community a place where your faith can be nourished. Visit the Parish Center or www.sjwchurch.com.

MASSES

Saturday

8:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m. (Vigil), English

Sunday

7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m., English

1:30, 7:30 p.m., Spanish

5:30 p.m., Vietnamese

Monday - Friday

6:30, 8:30 a.m., English

First Friday: 7:30 p.m., Spanish

Holy Days

6:30 p.m. (Vigil), English

6:30, 8:30 a.m., 6:45 p.m., English

5:30 p.m., Vietnamese

8:00 p.m., Spanish

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor

Rev. Kevin Rettig

Associate Pastor

Rev. Julio Ramos

Associate Pastor

Rev. Joseph Van Vu

Deacon

Dn. Augusto "Gus" Mora

School Principal

Sr. Barbara Joseph Wilson, CSJ

Music and Liturgy Director

Nicholas Calzada

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Confirmation and Youth Ministry

Dinh Phan

Religious Education

Karina Villanueva

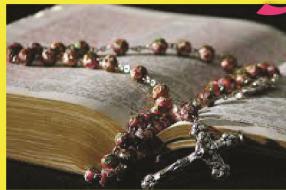
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Parish Secretary

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The Holy Rosary a Gospel Prayer



Our parish Rosary Group prays the rosary year-round, Monday through Saturday, following 8:30 a.m. Mass in the church. All are welcome!

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. The feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, celebrated on October 7, was introduced by Pope St. Pius V (1504-1572) to commemorate the victory of the Christian forces over the Ottoman Turks in the Battle of Lepanto, October 7, 1571. The rosary is primarily a scriptural prayer, described by Pope Pius XII as "a compendium of the entire Gospel." In praying the rosary, we meditate on the life of Jesus: the joyful mysteries surrounding his birth; the luminous mysteries of his ministry of teaching and healing; the sorrowful mysteries of his passion and death; and the glorious mysteries of his triumph and resurrection.

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Parish Center Hours: Mon.-Fri.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00 -9:00 p.m. • Sat.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. • Sun.: Closed



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-9, 10c; Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15; Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
Thursday: Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 11:5-13
Friday: Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-6; Lk 11:15-26
Saturday: Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 11:27-28
Sunday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20;
 Mt 22:1-14 [1-10]

MASS INTENTIONS

To have a Mass said for a loved one or for another intention, stop by the Parish Center to make arrangements.

Sunday October 5

7:30 a.m. Rafaela German (RIP)
 9:30 a.m. Ted Concepcion (RIP)
 11:30 a.m. Rosario Galimberti (RIP)
 1:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
 5:30 p.m. Thomas Tham Huynh (RIP)
 7:30 p.m. Nicolasa Barboza (RIP)

Monday October 6

6:30 a.m. Mary Weeks (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Jim and Fatima Bagamaspad (Thanksgiving)

Tuesday October 7

6:30 a.m. Elena Castellanos Garay (Birthday)
 8:30 a.m. Jaime Farrales (RIP)

Wednesday October 8

6:30 a.m. Magdalena Rendon (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Elisa and Teresita Cruz (RIP)

Thursday October 9

6:30 a.m. Vilma Magcamit (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Dionisio Alejandro Sr. (RIP)

Friday October 10

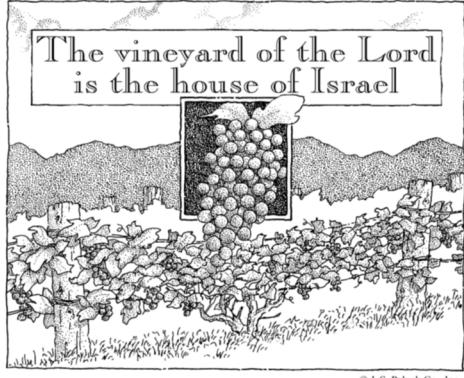
6:30 a.m. Armida Munoz (Birthday)
 8:30 a.m. Doris Wiratunga (Get Well)

Saturday October 11

8:30 a.m. Vernon Amaranto (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. Giuse Pham Huong (RIP)

Sunday October 12

7:30 a.m. Nenita C. Tynac (RIP)
 9:30 a.m. John Dang Dinh (RIP)
 11:30 a.m. Anthony Ramsaran (RIP)
 1:30 p.m. Ashley and Julio Sandoval (Birthday)
 5:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
 7:30 p.m. Nicolas Cisneros (RIP)



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PARISH LIFE

WHY CATHOLIC

Many Catholics have inherited their faith without really knowing why they are Catholic. They have not been exposed to the solid faith formation provided by the "Catechism of the Catholic Church."

"Why Catholic? - Journey through the Catechism" offers us a tool to reference, share, read, pray over, and treasure the rich resources found in the "Catechism of the Catholic Church." Our Catechist team is ready to introduce you to this rich resource for living and knowing our faith. They will be presenting the second book in this four book series "Why Catholic? - Journey through the Catechism;" this second book is titled "Celebrate - The Sacraments," it has twelve sessions. The first meeting is on **Wednesday, October 1** at 7:00 p.m., in the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Conference Center room. Contact Bill Sparks (818) 341-6634, ext. 1012 for more information.



IN THE VINEYARD

As usual, today's first and third scripture readings are obviously related, with the second continuing one of Paul's Letters—these days, the Letter to the Philippians. The vineyard stories from Isaiah and Matthew both talk about evildoers coming to a bad end. In Isaiah, it's the vineyard itself that produces "wild grapes" instead of the crop the owner dreamed of and worked for. So it will be "trampled" and "overgrown with thorns." In Matthew, those to whom the owner leased the vineyard destroy the dream. So the owner "will put those wretched men to a wretched death and lease his vineyard to other tenants" (Matthew 21:41). Yes, if we reject divine love we come to a bad end. And with all this talk of the unfaithful being trampled and thrown out, it's comforting to hear Paul's message to the Philippians, who were by no means perfect. "Have no anxiety at all," Paul said. "Then the God of peace will be with you" (Philippians 4:6, 9).

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The sacrament of penance has a long and difficult history. The Church sometimes struggles with how best to be faithful to the image of an all-forgiving God. Once a very public rite with publicly visible participation on the part of the penitent, it became in time a very private matter. By the fourteenth century, when a prayer of absolution and a laying on of hands was still required in sacramental confession, theologians were saying that even that was too much liturgy. All that was required was confession itself, and the sacramental words *Ego te absolvo*, or "I absolve you." In 1614 the Council of Florence tried to flesh out this bare skeleton, requiring that if possible the priest should wear a stole, that the confession should be in church, and that there be questions about the person's state in life, occupation, and last confession. This is the first time the Church recommended that the penitent and priest be separated by a grill, thereby eliminating the ritual laying on of hands once so central to the sacrament, substituting the priest's raised right hand in blessing. This is the rite that remained in force until the sacrament became the subject of very stormy debates at the Second Vatican Council, leading to a major reform in 1974 that is still only partially received. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



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GIFT SHOP

The Gift Shop is open Sundays from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

SAN LORENZO RUIZ CELEBRATION

A big thank you to everyone who made the event successful and for those who purchased tickets for the raffle of the Painting of Rentzel Esquerra Navarro, "Guardian of God's Daughter." Perla Togonon is the lucky winner (ticket #516720). The total funds generated: \$1,967. Thank you for the food and monetary donors, volunteers, readers, Charismatic Choir Ministry, Eucharistic Ministry, our DJ -Everlasting Mix, Oliver Valencia, and surprise performers: Rentzel and Raenelle Esquerra Navarro, Romy Navarro, Neil Ugarte, Kimberly Nuval, and Mike Tupaz. What a great night! Thank you all, until next year. God Bless!
The Filipino Coordinating Council

2015 MASS INTENTION BOOK

The 2015 Mass intention book is now available. If you wish to offer a Mass, come to the Parish Center. Only one paid intention will be accepted and printed in the bulletin for each Mass. Selected Masses will be reserved for church use. The stipend is \$10 per Mass.

BIBLE STUDY

Mondays, at 7:00 p.m. in the Religious Education office, we are studying the "Revelation." Enter into discussion and study which invites the modern reader to revisit a volatile period of history through apocalyptic, symbolic writing. Enter into the struggle between good and evil and experience God's ultimate triumph. You are invited to join us in this most interesting study. This is a great opportunity to look into the bible and see how God is calling and directing us. Studying scripture helps us to learn and know more about God's Word and why, where and for who it was written, thereby helping us to understand how it applies today. Studying the Scriptures leads us to a greater knowledge of Jesus and our faith. You are invited to come and be enlightened. Don't forget to bring your bible. Study materials are available at the meeting.

Daytime Bible Study

Please make an effort to join us Friday mornings for St. Joseph the Worker Church Daytime Bible Study. Study and discussion is the Little Rock Scripture Study's "First Corinthians" We meet at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Center dining room. Don't forget to bring your bible, all are welcome.

For more information on Bible Study here at St. Joseph the Worker Church please call Bill Sparks (818) 341-6634 ext. 1012.

PRAY FOR YOUR PARISH FINANCES

Bring your full tithe to the church so there will be ample provisions in my Church. Test me in this and see if I don't open up heaven itself to you and pour out blessings beyond your wildest dreams. (Malachi 3:10)

Weekly Goal	9-28-14	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$14,918	\$16,082	- 7.2%

2014 Env \$ 9,703 (65.0 %) E-giving \$ 873 (5.9%)
 2013 Env \$ 10,066 (62.6 %) E-giving \$ 498 (3.1%)

DEVOTIONS/PRAYER GROUPS

Rosary

Monday-Saturday 9:00 a.m. (Church)

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 8:00 a.m.- 6:30 p.m. (SJW Chapel)

First Friday 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. (SJW Chapel)

Grupo de Oración

Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursday 7:00 p.m. (Church)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday 6:30 p.m. (SJW Chapel)

SACRAMENTS

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m. .

Confirmation Process (Grades 9th - 12th)

Year One – Bimonthly

Tuesdays 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Year Two – Bimonthly

Tuesdays 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Information: Dinh Phan, ext. 1018

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Information: Bill Sparks, ext. 1012. See also page 4.

Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals

Call the Parish Center.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

This sacrament of healing is received by those who are seriously ill, approaching serious surgery, or near death. Please contact the Parish Center to arrange a convenient time. If a parishioner who has not been anointed is near death, please call the Parish Center at any hour.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Bobbie Stephens, Jeric Inouye, The Foley Family, Luz Custodio, Sally Tay, Irma LeDuff, Lynn Marfil, Larry Le Vine, Bobina Eden, AnnaMay Shaw, Maria Elena Flores, Scott and Teresa Muller, Maryann Goppes, Nelia Evangelista, Virginia A. Kahn, Yvonne Burke, Mario Hernandez, Josie Buenavaje, Karina Flores, Julia Bellagamba, Nancy Sweeny, E. Menter, Yna and Miriam Legaspi, Rod Marfil, Leo Tay, Luca Torterolo, Evelyn Mendoza, Bubut Aquino, Nic Suarez, Ofelia Ororpeza Silva, Alfredo Velazquez, Ferdinand, Rolando and Vidiamor Morales Jr., Rev. Ramon Gonzalez Ponce, Wendy Pelamati.

If you have a loved one or friend in our parish community who would like a visit from a Eucharistic Minister to the Sick please call the Parish Center.

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of:
Mario Herrera, brother of Ana Hernandez



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Information: Karina Villanueva (818) 998-4166

Schedule of Classes

Elementary Grades 1–5 English

Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.–5:30 p.m. or
Saturday, 9:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m.

Elementary Grades 1–5 Spanish

Saturday, 11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Middle School Grades 6–8 English

Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.–8:30 p.m.

Special Education

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.–7:45 p.m.

Elementary and High School (Vietnamese)

Sunday, 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

RCIA

(RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)

Curious about Catholicism and want to know more? Interested in becoming a Catholic? Would you like to receive the Sacraments of Initiation?

Information: Bill Sparks, ext. 1012.

Inquiry Classes

Adults (English)

St. Therese of Lisieux/St. Martin de Porres Conference Rooms

Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Adults and Youth or Teens (Spanish)

St. Therese of Lisieux/St. Martin de Porres Conference Rooms

Friday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.

Adults (Vietnamese)

St. Therese of Lisieux/St. Martin de Porres Conference Rooms

Monday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.

Youth or Teen 12-18 years (English)

Parish Center Dining Room

Two Wednesdays a month 7:30 p.m.–8:30 p.m.

Children 7-12 years (English)

Our Lady of La Vang Conference Room

Two Wednesdays a month 6:30 p.m. –7:30 p.m.

Children 7-12 years (Spanish)

Parish Center Dining Room

Friday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Learn to stop inappropriate activity before it happens

Teach your child to respect the word “stop!” Teach your preschooler that “stop” means “stop,” and that your child has the right to stop people from touching his or her body. Obviously, exceptions will have to be made for doctors and parents, but even parents must listen when a child doesn’t want to be tickled or hugged anymore. Reinforcing this excellent lesson gives your child the power to recognize – and to stop – “bad touching” by others if it should happen.

EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER SCHOOL NEWS

E-mail: sjwwintk@aol.com (818) 341-6616

For updated news and activities go to:

saintjosephtheworkerschool.net

Catholic Schools – Faith, Academics, Service

Pre School

SJW has two sessions of Pre-School for four-year olds: one from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and the other from 11:45 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. The sessions are academic, and have been successful during the past fourteen years of preparing students for Kindergarten. Day Care is available from 7:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. and from 2:45 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Come and visit and you will see the classes in session. We are still accepting applications for the 2014-15 school year.

Saint Joseph the Worker School Alumni

We are trying to improve and update our alumni list. If you are an alum or know the address or e-mail of one, please send it to sjwwintk@aol.com or mail it to: Saint Joseph the Worker School, 19812 Cantlay Street, Winnetka 91306. If you are interested in helping in a leadership position, please indicate that on your information.

Parish Envelopes for School – Other Donations for School

Many thanks to all of you who help to support the school with your monthly donations and use of the school envelopes. May you and all Parents and Grandparents who continue to sacrifice to send their children for a High Quality Catholic Education be blessed a hundredfold.



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YOUTH NEWS

11:30 a.m. Sunday Mass

Our 11:30 a.m. Mass is specifically focused on you, the young people of our parish. Please join your friends and peers at this Sunday celebration. We invite you also to take an active part in these Masses by being an usher, greeter, lector, choir member, or Eucharistic minister.

Confirmation

Year 1 Tuesday, October 7 First Session - only for those Candidates that have already attended their Interview and Orientation

Year 2 Tuesday, October 14 First Session at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Center Hall.



PARISH LIFE

2014-15 ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CHILDREN'S CHOIR

SJW Children: Do you like to sing? Do you like to perform? Here is a chance for you to sing and perform and to make new friends! The SJW CHILDREN'S CHOIR is once again recruiting members for the coming year. No previous choral experience necessary - just a love for singing! Singing in the Choir gives you the chance to learn about our faith through music. The Choir is scheduled to participate in the Thanksgiving Day Mass, SJW Christmas Program, the Family Mass on Christmas Eve, Palm Sunday just to name a few. Choir rehearsals are on Saturdays from 10:15 a.m.-11:00 a.m. in the school's Music Room. The first rehearsal is on Saturday, October 11. Sign-up forms are available at the Parish Center where you can also obtain additional information about the Choir. See you at the first rehearsal!

WOMEN'S JOURNEY

We encourage all women of the parish 18 years and over to take this opportunity to pray, learn, share and to discover the gifts we have been blessed with as women.

When: Every second and fourth Thursday of the month

Where: SJW Parish Center

Time: 7:00 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.

For more information contact Martha Rosel at (818) 974-2703 or Lupe Vega at (818) 340-7687

SJW MEMORIAL SOCIETY

St. Joseph the Worker Memorial Society is intended as a meaningful and beautiful way for persons to remember their beloved deceased or to express their condolences to friends who have lost a loved one. Persons enrolled in the Memorial Society will share in the spiritual benefits of special Masses and prayers offered throughout the year, every year. A Mass is offered for those enrolled every first Saturday of the month at our 8:30 a.m. Mass. The enrollment list is kept in the Parish Center and is accessible during office hours. Each memorial is presented in a handsome leatherette folder, containing an enrollment card where the name of the person remembered is inscribed, along with the person who the deceased. The leatherette folder with personalized enrollment card is particularly suitable on the occasion of a death, to bring to a viewing or funeral, or to send as an anniversary remembrance. Call the Parish Center to make arrangements.

ORGAN DONOR NEEDED

Our parishioner Rose Clark has a relative, Linda Hayes, who needs a kidney transplant. So many other people are in need of the same, if anyone would feel called to offer a kidney for this person or any other person in need please call the Yale New Haven Transplant Center, (203)785-2565.

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IN THE COMMUNITY

HIGH SCHOOL NIGHT

All parochial, private and public 7th and 8th grade students are invited to St. Mel's Annual High School Night on **Thursday evening, October 9**, at 7:00 p.m. sharp. Take advantage of this informative evening to meet with representatives from local Catholic high schools: Louisville, Crespi, Marymount, Loyola, Alemany, Notre Dame, Providence, St. Genevieve, and Chaminade. Each school will give a brief presentation and answer any questions you might have. Come and meet with the schools of your choice.

Best wishes in the selection of your high school!

IGNATIAN VOLUNTEER CORPS

The **IGNATIAN VOLUNTEER CORPS** is looking for a few good people! If you are semi-retired or retired, your lifetime of experience can be turned into service for others. There are schools and other local non-profit agencies serving the poor and marginalized in the **San Fernando Region** that will benefit from your knowledge, skills and compassion. This Jesuit affiliated ministry invites you to assist those in need, work for a more just society and grow deeper in your Christian faith.

For more information on becoming an Ignatian Volunteer and sharing in this work contact Anne Hansen at ahansen@ivcusa.org or call (310) 338-2358.

"BE MY VOICE" A PREGNANCY COUNSELING CENTER ANNUAL GALA EVENT

Saturday, October 18

The tide is turning! In this nation more people than ever are standing up for life. Don't miss out on this very informative and exciting evening while supporting and being the voice for HIS precious little ones. In addition to an elegant dinner your ticket will include a self-guided tour of the Ronald Reagan Library and Air Force One. Please call if you wish to sponsor a table (\$1000/10 seats) or would like to attend, hope to see you there. For more information contact Norma or Nancy, (818) 895-2500.

CHAMINADE COLLEGE PREPARATORY

Chaminade Family Spirit Night is being held on **Friday, October 24** for 6th, 7th and 8th grade students and their families. This is a special evening of fun, food, fellowship, and football beginning at 5:15pm with pre-game performances of our Eagle Regiment Band and cheerleaders and a light supper. Families will be treated to a preview of the football game and a presentation on our Athletic programs. Our Ambassadors will give families a tour of the campus, and will escort them to reserved seats in our stadium to be our guests for the football game against Crespi. Please RSVP to the Admissions Office at (818) 347-8300 ext. 355.



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Gál 1:6-12; Sal 111 (110):1b-2, 7-9, 10c; Lc 10:25-37
Martes: Gál 1:13-24; Sal 139 (138):1b-3, 13-15; Lc 10:38-42
Miércoles: Gál 2:1-2, 7-14; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Lc 11:1-4
Jueves: Gál 3:1-5; Lc 1:69-75; Lc 11:5-13
Viernes: Gál 3:7-14; Sal 111 (110):1b-6; Lc 11:15-26
Sábado: Gál 3:22-29; Sal 105 (104):2-7; Lc 11:27-28
Domingo: Is 25:6-10a; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Fil 4:12-14, 19-20; Mt 22:1-14 [1-10]

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Póngale alto a actividades inapropiadas antes que éstas sucedan

Enseñe a sus niños a respetar la palabra “alto”. Enseñe a sus hijos preescolares que “alto” significa “alto” y que sus hijos tienen el derecho de ponerle alto a personas que tocan su cuerpo. Obviamente, excepciones tendrán que ser hechas para los médicos y los padres, pero incluso los padres deben escuchar cuando un hijo no desea ser cosquilleado o abrazado. Reforzar esta excelente lección da a sus niños el poder de reconocer – y poner alto – al “contacto físico inapropiado” por parte de otros, si llegara a suceder.

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

La práctica de usar nudos en una cuerda para contar oraciones tiene una larga trayectoria en la fe cristiana. Originalmente un cordón con 150 nudos o piedritas se usaba para contar la recitación de los 150 salmos encontrados en la Sagrada Escritura. Con el tiempo, visto que mucha gente no podía leer o recitar de memoria los salmos, se sustituyeron por el uso de 150 Padrenuestros. A finales de la Edad Media muchos sustituyeron los Padrenuestros con el saludo del ángel Gabriel a María. En el siglo XVI se formuló lo que hoy reconocemos como el Ave María, y en el año 1569, el Papa Pío V estableció el Rosario en su forma y uso actual. En 1592 un fraile dominico mandó hacer una imagen de la Virgen del Rosario para su convento en Guatemala. Según la leyenda, María viajaba por América con su Hijito y éste se quedó dormido en Guatemala, por lo cual se quedaron allí. En 1821 los independistas guatemaltecos tomaron a la Virgen del Rosario como protectora y en 1833 fue nombrada patrona oficial de Guatemala.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, © J. S. Paluch Co.



VIDA PARROQUIAL

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

El Grupo de Oración los invita los miércoles a las 7:00 p.m. en el Salón Parroquial. Tenemos oración en el Espíritu Santo, testimonios, prédicas, alabanzas. Si te sientes cansado de los problemas de la vida diaria, ven y entrégaselos a Jesús. El tiene la solución. Ven a despertar al Espíritu Santo que vive dormido en ti, él quiere consolarte, guiarte y enseñarte el camino de la felicidad. Para información comunícate con Luis Manuel al (818) 441-3813.

GRUPO DE JÓVENES ADULTOS

“Nueva Generación”

(Mayores de 21 años)

Te invitamos a venir al Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos todos los viernes a las 7:00 p.m. en el salón de Santa Elizabeth Ann Seton del Centro de Conferencias. Para información comunícate con Oscar Lima (818) 425-5263 ó Guadalupe Martínez (818) 855-3782.



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LIBRO DE INTENCIÓNES PARA LAS MISAS

El libro de intenciones para las misas ya está disponible en la oficina parroquial. Si desea ofrecer una misa por favor pase a la oficina y resérvela. Solamente una intención por misa, la donación es de \$10.

EN LA VIÑA

Como de costumbre, la primera y tercera lecturas de las Escrituras del día de hoy están evidentemente relacionadas, mientras que la segunda lectura continua una de las cartas de Pablo, que en estos días es la conocida carta a los filipenses. Las historias de la viña, de Isaías y Mateo, hablan de malhechores que van a “acabar mal”. En Isaías, es la propia viña la que produce “uvas amargas” en vez de la cosecha que el dueño soñaba con tener y por la que trabajó. Por lo tanto, la viña será “pisoteada” y “cubierta con espinos”. En Mateo, son aquellos a los que el dueño arrendó la viña los que destruyeron el sueño. Por consiguiente el dueño “hará morir sin compasión a esa gente tan mala y arrendará la viña a otros” (Mateo 21:41). Efectivamente, si rechazamos el amor divino vamos a acabar mal. Además con todo este hablar sobre los infieles que son pisoteados y expulsados, es un consuelo oír el mensaje de Pablo a los Filipenses quienes, bajo ningún concepto, eran perfectos. “No se inquieten por nada”, dice Pablo (Filipenses 4:6). “Y el Dios de la paz estará con ustedes” (Filipenses 4:9).

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WHERE THERE'S A WILL THERE'S A WAY

St. Joseph the Worker is a special place, where we are touched daily by God's presence among us. Rooted in the legacy of our founding parishioners, we have become the dynamic faith community we cherish today. A gift to the future of our parish will support its spiritual richness and many good works for generations to come.

Please remember St. Joseph the Worker in your will or trust. To learn more about planned giving opportunities that can benefit St. Joseph the Worker, please contact the Parish Center or H. Richard Clossen, Director, Trust and Estate Programs. Archdiocese of Los Angeles: (213) 637-7472; HRClossen@la-archdiocese.org; www.estateplanning.com/trustsacc.

To make a gift: Our correct legal title is: The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Los Angeles, A Corporation Sole, for the benefit of St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church

PARISH REGISTRATION

To promote a spirit of belonging, we encourage all who worship here to become registered parishioners. Having registered makes the process much easier when it is time for infant baptism, school or religious education enrollment, weddings, when asked to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor, and funerals. Simply attending Mass here does not make you a registered parishioner. Please call or visit the Parish Center to request a registration form or complete the form online at the parish website: www.sjwchurch.com. Also, please contact the Parish Center if you have a new address or phone number. The staff is able to serve you better if the parish records are accurate.

REQUESTING USE OF PARISH FACILITIES

Parish and School groups that would like to reserve any facility in the parish must contact Angela Escobar in the Parish Center (818) 341-6634, ext. 1003. Only rooms reserved in advance are open. If your group needs to cancel a reservation, please let Angela know so that the room can be made available to another group. Also, if your group needs a particular room arrangement, please bring a copy of the requested floor plan to the Parish Center a week ahead.

BULLETIN AND MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS

The deadline (strictly observed) for submission of Bulletin and Mass announcements is the previous Monday at noon. Deliver a copy of the bulletin or Mass announcement to the Parish Center or email it to Angela Escobar: angela_escobar4@hotmail.com. To submit a photo to accompany the bulletin text, send a digital file (jpeg or TIF), color or black/white, 300 dpi. See the front cover for the parish mailing address and fax number. For more information please contact Angela Escobar, (818) 341-6634, ext. 1003.

DEVOTIONS & PRAYER GROUPS

Rosary Group

Monday–Saturday 9:00 a.m., Church

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 8:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m., SJW Chapel

First Friday 7:00 –9:00 p.m., SJW Chapel

Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursday 7:00 p.m., Church

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion

Wednesday 6:30 p.m., SJW Chapel

Grupo de Oración

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Conference Center Hall

Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos

"Nueva Generación en Jesucristo"

Friday 7:00 p.m. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Conference Room

First Friday Mass, Church

Rosary 7:00 p.m.; Mass 7:30 p.m.

Catholic Mothers Guild (Vietnamese)

Third Sunday 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Our Lady of La Vang Conference Center room

Sacred Heart Group (Vietnamese Men)

Fourth Sunday 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Our Lady of La Vang Conference Center room

Vocation Ministry (Vietnamese)

Periodic gatherings to pray for vocations

SJW GIFT SHOP

THOUGHTFUL GIFTS FOR ALL SEASONS

Greeting Cards • Books • Jewelry

Fr. Kevin's Homily CDs • Choir CDs

Rosaries • Religious Articles and Crucifixes

Sacramental and Devotional Items

At the Sherman Way entrance to the church

Wednesdays: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Sundays: 7:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

