



ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 30, 2016

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. Roberto Rueda

Associate Pastor

Rev. Joseph Van Vu

Deacon

Dn. Augusto "Gus" Mora

School Principal

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Music and Liturgy Director

Eileen Wandel

Faith Formation Director

Bill Sparks

Youth Ministry and Confirmation

J.P. Fernandez

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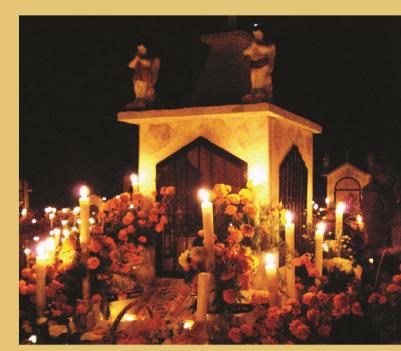
Karina Villanueva

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Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

Angela Escobar



DIA DE LOS MUERTOS

Day of the Dead

In Latin America, particularly Mexico and Central America, Día de los Muertos (November 2) celebrates the lives of the dearly departed. To honor the deceased, families decorate the graves of loved ones and create elaborate ofrendas (altar, literally "offering") in their homes to welcome the departed spirits. Día de los Muertos is a celebration of life and death. During the month of November, let us pray for those we knew and loved and who have entered eternal life.



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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: Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131:1bcde-3; Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3;
Mt 5:1-12a

Wednesday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9;
Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from no. 668 or from Mass-
es for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016

Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Phil 3:17 – 4:1; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9;
Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2
Thes 2:16 – 3:5; Lk 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]

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 30

- 7:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
- 9:30 a.m. Alfonso Castellanos Luna (Birthday)
- 11:30 a.m. Anthony Ramsaran (RIP)
- 1:30 p.m. Ramiro Ramirez (RIP)
- 5:30 p.m. Pedro Marthel (RIP)
- 7:30 p.m. Carmen Castaneda (RIP)

Monday October 31

- 6:30 a.m. Robert Di Francia (RIP)
- 8:30 a.m. Recio Family (Intentions)

Tuesday November 1

- 6:30 a.m. Gabriel Quirarte Aguayo (RIP)
- 8:30 a.m. Pelamati Family (Intentions)
- 5:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
- 6:45 p.m. Maria del Rosario Leal (RIP)
- 8:00 p.m. Toñita Castro (RIP)

Wednesday November 2

- 6:30 a.m. All Souls Novena
- 8:30 a.m. Agatha Mao and Phillip Thiet (RIP)
- 8:00 p.m. Reina Meza (RIP)

Thursday November 3

- 6:30 a.m. All Souls Novena
- 8:30 a.m. Vilma Galimberti (Birthday)

Friday November 4

- 6:30 a.m. Gloria Simon (RIP)
- 8:30 a.m. All Souls Novena

Saturday November 5

- 8:30 a.m. Memorial Society
- 5:30 p.m. All Souls Novena

Sunday November 6

- 7:30 a.m. All Souls Novena
- 9:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
- 11:30 a.m. Gladys Hunziker (Birthday)
- 1:30 p.m. Crisastoma Salazar (RIP)
- 5:30 p.m. Anne Tu Anh (RIP)
- 7:30 p.m. Raul Perez (Birthday)



PARISH LIFE

GOD IS WITH US

The book of Wisdom tells us that the spirit of God is in all things. What a wonderful thought, and what a wonderful image to keep in front of us as we travel down life's road. For if the path is revealed in the treading, it's good to know that God is with us—and all around us—every step of the way.

But Paul knows that this divine presence is not timid. Instead, God calls out to us, and Paul prays that we, along with the Thessalonians, might be made worthy of that call. And who knows more about God's call than Zacchaeus, the tax collector? Jesus called him out of a tree, for goodness' sake. Or perhaps more correctly, as we reflect upon the end of today's Gospel reading, for heaven's sake.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The recent "October count" tracking the statistics of participation at Sunday Mass calls to mind the situations of churches where it is difficult or impossible for Catholics to worship freely. This is especially striking in English Catholic history, as freedom of worship was systematically dismantled at the time of the Reformation. It seems that most English people retained deeply Catholic sympathies throughout the period of religious upheaval. Catholics who refused to participate in the public worship of the Church of England were called "recusants," and beginning with the reign of Elizabeth I, they were subject to strict penalties. Recusant literally means "a person refusing to obey a command." Most of those laws were in force until the early 1800s, and Catholics were not entirely emancipated from the duty of Anglican worship until 1829.

Recusants paid heavy fines for not attending the state church. Holding on to Catholic faith was therefore a luxury of the very rich, who maintained private chapels, and sent their daughters and sons to English convents and monastery schools on the continent. Remarkably, the first among all British peers, the Dukes of Norfolk, the hereditary Earls Marshal of England, have never given up their Catholic faith. Many of these wealthy recusant families founded the colony of Maryland, and later many members of the old Catholic families continued on to the Kentucky frontier in search of greater religious freedom.

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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 enrolled 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.

OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Center and all parish facilities will be closed on Friday, November 11, due to the Veteran's Day holiday.

There will be no 6:30 a.m. Mass.



PARISH LIFE

GIFT SHOP

Our Gift shop is open on Sundays 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Great gifts for any occasion!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Thanksgiving Food Drive

Thanksgiving is rapidly approaching. Please help us make this a joyful holiday for families in need by providing the items listed below. The food may be dropped off at the church or parish hall **before November 18**. The following items are requested:

Frozen Turkeys	Cranberry Sauce
Chicken Broth and Gravy	Cake Mix
Canned Vegetables of any kind	Flour & Sugar
Cooking Oil	Evaporated Milk
Canned Sweet Potatoes or Jams	Jell-O or Pudding
Dry Cereal / Oatmeal - any kind	Macaroni & Cheese
Canned Soup / Dry Soup - any kind	Peanut Butter & Jelly
Dry Pasta & Spaghetti Sauce	Stuffing
Canned Meat - Spam, Corned Beef, etc.	Rice & Beans

May God bless you for your support.

ALL SAINTS DAY - NOVEMBER 1

Tuesday, November 1, is All Saints' Day and a Holy day of Obligation. Masses will be at 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 6:45 p.m. (English); 5:30 p.m. (Vietnamese); 8:00 pm. (Spanish). There will not be a Vigil Mass because of Halloween.

ALL SOULS DAY NOVENA

Our All Souls Novena will begin **Wednesday, November 2**, and continue through **Thursday, November 10**. Remember your family and friends, with nine days of Masses. Novena envelopes will be available in the vestibule of the church and at the side exits.

SJW CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Are you looking for a way to get involved in a prayer community? Reserve your Thursday nights from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and come join the SJW Charismatic Prayer Group at the church for an evening of praise and worship, inspirational talks, bible reflection, group sharing and a monthly healing service. Our next healing mass is scheduled for **November 17**, Fr. Roberto Rueda will be the celebrant.

All are welcome!

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	10/23/16	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$17,006	\$16,215	+ 4.9%

2016 Env \$ 9,322 (54.8%) E-giving \$ 1,594 (9.4%)

2015 Env \$ 9,528 (58.8%) E-giving \$ 1,662 (10.3%)

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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: JP Fernandez, 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

Efren Marfil, Ditas and Alan Amlipao, Meng and June Rabapo, Mara and Sophia Wuerith, Maria Beltran, Elizabeth Sanchez, Jen Vernon, Edgar Perez De La Rosa, Rose Clifford, Jack Samalot, Willie Bulan, Anthony Hargan, Roy Plumley, Bubut N. Aquino, Carlos Hector Milan, Karen Borosich, Jorge Marrero, Rosanna Coronado, Eddie Rojas, Enrique Alvarez Gonzalez, Wendy Pelamati, Lisa Grady, Ferdinand, Rolando and Vidiamor Morales Jr., Jose Antonio Perez Ledesma, Gloria Ledesma, John D. F. Black, David Nisbet, Ian Fabregas, Ghaith Altehsh, Samouill Yamin, Maria Romero, Tony Medina, Joyce Masloski, Matei Vizginia, Maxim Mady, Fugaru Anca, Yermin Nahla and Tony.

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 souls of:

Guillermina Ramos de Vazquez, wife of Ramon Vazquez
Lynn Palomares, parishioner



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Information: Karina Villanueva, ext. 1016.

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)

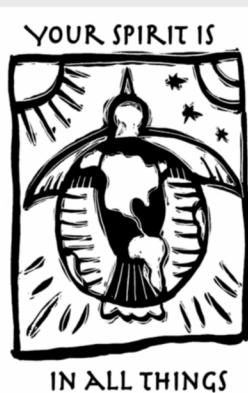
Our Lady of La Vang Conference Room

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.



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EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER SAN MANUEL BINGO & CASINO



BUS DAY TRIP



PLEASE SUPPORT OUR 8TH GRADE

NOVEMBER 12, 2016

PICKUP TIME:
8:30AM

RETURN TIME:
BETWEEN
5:00PM-
6:00PM

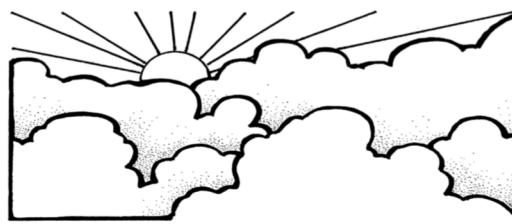
RATE:
\$25 PER PERSON

DEPART AND RETURN LOCATION:
ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CHURCH
19812 CANTLAY ST, WINNETKA, CA 91306

SNACKS PROVIDED, \$15 GIVEN AT CASINO FOR PREVIOUS GUESTS,
NEW GUESTS HAVE A CHANCE TO WIN \$20 UP TO \$1000.

PLEASE BRING LEGAL ID

MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
SUZETTE GOROSPE 818-282-2316



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DONUTS AND COFFEE

The SJW students invite you to stop by the gazebo after the 7:30 and 9:30 Masses. We have a great selection of fresh donuts along with Peete's coffee, iced and hot tea, hot chocolate and cold bottled water. All items are only \$1.00 each. Thank you

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Teach your kids not to fear a predator's manipulation

Fear is a powerful motivator, and unfortunately, it fuels the secrecy behind many instances of child abuse. A predator will use fear to manipulate his or her victims, making it hard to end the abuse. Often, abuse victims are too scared or embarrassed to speak up, especially if the abuser is someone they know. Abusers can use close relationships to inspire fear of retaliation and may also stress that no one will believe their victim. For a copy of the VIRTUS® article "Don't Let a Perpetrator Use Fear to Manipulate Your Child," email mailto:jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or call (213) 637-7227.



PARISH LIFE

YOUTH NEWS

Confirmation process

Year 1

Tuesday, November 8 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Hall
Candidate and Sponsor Session

Sunday, November 13 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Mandatory Retreat at Holy Spirit Retreat Center, Encino, CA.

Sunday, November 20 11:30 a.m. Mass
Ritual: Blessing of Candidates & Sponsor

Tuesday, November 22 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Hall
Regular Candidate Session

Year 2

Tuesday, October 25 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Hall
Regular Session

Tuesday, November 15 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Hall
Candidate & Sponsor Session

Tuesday, November 29 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Hall
Regular Candidate Session

Youth Ministry Project

The Red Cross Blood Drive will be on Sunday, December 4 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. We need youth to assist in our Saturday/Sunday Mass sign ups leading to the event. We also need youth to assist during the event by being the receptionists. Email JP Fernandez at jpf@sjwchurch.com for more information.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Please pray for the following priests this week:

October 30 Rev. Sengol Rajan Arockiasamy
St. Mary Catholic Church, Palmdale

October 31 Rev. Cyprian Carlo
St. Cyril of Jerusalem Catholic Church, Encino

November 1 Rev. Alberto Cuevas
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, Santa Clarita

November 2 Rev. John Collins
St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Church, Burbank

November 3 Bro. Benedict Dull, O.S.B.
St. Andres's Abbey & Retreat House, Valyermo

November 4 Bro. Angelus Echeverry, O.S.B.
St. Andres's Abbey & Retreat House, Valyermo

November 5 Rev. Msgr. John Kieran Foley
Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, Montrose

November 6 Rev. Msgr. Joseph W. Herres
Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Los Angeles

IN THE COMMUNITY

CHAMINADE COLLEGE PREPARATORY HIGH SCHOOL

CCPH is hosting its annual 8th Grade Step-up day "The Chaminade Experience" on **Friday, November 4** from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. This is an opportunity for 8th graders to experience campus life as a Chaminade student. They will attend classes, meet our teachers and students, learn about our athletic and extracurricular programs and discover all that Chaminade has to offer. A permission slip is required and may be found on the Chaminade High School Admissions website at www.chaminade.org. For more information call the Admissions office at (818) 347-8300 extension 355.

ATTENTION ALL 8TH GRADE GIRLS

Louisville High School invites you to join us on **Friday, November 4** from 8:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. for our annual 8th Grade Visit Day. Your parents will drop you off on campus and you will join other 8th grade girls for a fun-filled day at Louisville. Come meet our students, faculty and staff, experience an all-girl classroom and enjoy our hospitality as we showcase our campus and our students. We'll provide snacks, lunch and entertainment. Don't miss this special day designed especially for you. Please register online on the Admissions page at www.louisvillehs.org or call us at (818) 346-8812. We can't wait to meet you!

"PROVIDENCE PREVIEW DAY"

Not your typical Open House!

Providence High School, a Catholic, co-educational, nationally recognized, college-preparatory high school, will be hosting their annual Providence Preview Day for prospective students and their families on **Saturday, November 19** from 2:00 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. Registration starts at 1:30 p.m. with greetings and presentations in our gym. Parents and students will have an opportunity to learn about our Merit Scholarships and financial assistance and online application process. Become an active participant in classroom lessons taught by our faculty and take a guided tour of the campus. Providence is located at 511 S. Buena Vista St. in Burbank. For additional information visit www.providencehigh.org. or call the Admissions Office @ (818) 846-8141 ext. 14501.



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November 12th and 13th
10:00- 3:00

Bring friends, family and neighbors!
Handcrafted and Vintage treasures, Jewelry,
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Gourmet Delights

For more information call
Juana Torres 310.889.2135



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Fil 2:1-4; Sal 131 (130):1bcde-3; Lc 14:12-14
Martes: Ap 7:2-4, 9-14; Sal 24 (23):1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3;
 Mt 5:1-12a
Miércoles: Sab 3:1-9; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Rom 5:5-11 ó 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40, o lecturas de entre la Misa para los difuntos
Jueves: Fil 3:3-8a; Sal 105 (104):2-7; Lc 15:1-10
Viernes: Fil 3:17 – 4:1; Sal 122 (121):1-5; Lc 16:1-8
Sábado: Fil 4:10-19; Sal 112 (111):1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lc 16:9-15
Domingo: 2 Mac 7:1-2, 9-14; Sal 17 (16):1, 5-6, 8, 15; Tes 2:16 – 3:5; Lc 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Enseñe a sus hijos a no temer la manipulación de depredadores

El miedo es un motivador poderoso, y desafortunadamente, aviva el secreto detrás de muchas instancias de abuso infantil. Un depredador usará el temor para manipular a sus víctimas, haciendo difícil terminar el abuso. Muchas veces, las víctimas de abuso están tan asustados o avergonzados como para hablar, especialmente si el abusador es alguien que ellos conocen. Los abusadores pueden usar una relación cercana para inspirar temor a la venganza y pueden también recalcar que nadie les creerá a sus víctimas. Para una copia del artículo VIRTUS® “Don’t Let a Perpetrator Use Fear to Manipulate Your Child” (No deje que un depredador use el miedo para manipular a su hijo) envíe un correo electrónico a jvienna@la-archdiocese.org o llame al (213) 637-7227

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

El 31 de octubre muchos se visten de monstruos y al día siguiente, los cristianos celebramos a *todos* los santos. Es interesante el contraste entre los dos días. Un día recordamos brujas y zombis y al siguiente conmemoramos vírgenes y mártires, religiosos y laicos comprometidos todos con una cosa en común: su amor a Dios, un amor que se hace carne en obras de caridad y justicia.

La mayoría de los santos se hicieron santos gracias a los monstruos que los rodeaban. Los primeros mártires cristianos murieron a mano de los monstruos romanos, muchos religiosos medievales se refugiaban en Dios para protegerse de los monstruos internos que los tentaban con sexo, dinero y poder. Y en América muchos como Manuel Chin Sooj se hicieron testigos de la justicia en manos de los monstruos de gobiernos injustos.

Los monstruos, en fin no pueden vencer a los santos por eso en Guatemala el martirio de Manuel Chin Sooj, animó a los obispos guatemaltecos a unirse con la carta “El clamor de la tierra” a los esfuerzos de pobres en búsqueda de tierra y dignidad humana.

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

OFICINA CERRADA

La oficina parroquial y todos los salones del centro de conferencia estarán cerrados el viernes 11 de noviembre por el feriado del Día de los Veteranos.

Sólo tendremos una misa en inglés a las 8:30 a.m.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

DIOS ESTÁ CON NOSOTROS

El libro de la Sabiduría nos dice que el Espíritu de Dios está en todas las cosas. ¡Qué maravilloso pensamiento! ¡Qué maravillosa imagen para tenerla frente a nosotros mientras vamos por el camino de la vida! Si el camino se revela al andar, es bueno saber que Dios está con nosotros – y alrededor de nosotros- a cada paso.

Pero Pablo sabe que esta divina presencia no es tímida. En vez de eso, Dios nos llama, y Pablo ruega que nosotros, junto con los tesalonicenses, nos hagamos dignos de ese llamado. ¿Y quién sabe más acerca del llamado de Dios que Zaqueo, el recaudador de impuestos? Todos sabemos que Jesús lo llamó que bajara nada menos que de un árbol, por su bien. Tal vez más correctamente, al reflexionar en el final de la lectura del Evangelio de hoy, podríamos decir que para bien del cielo.

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DIA DE TODOS LOS SANTOS

El **martes 1° de noviembre** es la Solemnidad de Todos los Santos, día de precepto. La misa en español es a las 8:00 p.m.

MISA EN CONMEMORACIÓN DE LOS FIELES DIFUNTOS

El **miércoles 2 de noviembre**, día de los fieles difuntos, tendremos la misa a las 8:00 p.m. Les invitamos a traer una foto pequeña enmarcada de sus familiares difuntos. Habrá un lugar especial para colocarlas antes de la misa. Al final de la misa, no olviden llevarse sus fotografías.

También les recordamos que nuestra novena de misas en honor a nuestros difuntos empezará el miércoles 2 y continuará hasta el jueves 10 de noviembre. Recuerde a sus familiares o amigos durante nueve días de misas que serán celebradas por ellos. Encontrara los sobres en el vestíbulo de la iglesia y cerca a las puertas de salida de los lados del templo. Gracias.

LA SOCIEDAD DE SAN VICENTE DE PAUL

Colecta de alimentos

El Día de Acción de Gracias se acerca rápidamente. Por favor ayúdenos a llevar alegría a las familias en necesidad al proporcionar los alimentos que aparecen a continuación. Puede dejar su donación en el salón parroquial o en el templo antes de **18 de noviembre**. Necesitamos lo siguiente:

Pavos congelados	“Cranberry Sauce”
Caldo de pollo enlatado	verduras enlatadas
harina y azúcar	aceite
leche evaporada	gelatina
camotes enlatados	cereal/avena
“macaroni & cheese”	mermelada
mantequilla de maní	“cake mix”
sopas enlatadas	arroz y frijoles
salsa de tomate para tallarines	fideos
carnes enlatadas: “Spam, Corned Beef, etc...”	

Que Dios los bendiga por su apoyo.



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 Kimberly Jetton, Planned Giving Manager, Archdiocese of Los Angeles; (213) 637-7504; plannedgiving@la-archdiocese.org.

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.



ESPECIALLY NEEDED

- Canned meat products (beef and chicken)
- Chunky soups and stews
- Beef and bean chili
- Canned tuna
- Macaroni and cheese
- Spaghetti and sauce
- Boxed mashed potatoes
- Peanut butter and jelly
- Canned fruits
- Rice, beans
- Cereal, oatmeal
- Soap, detergent
- Toothpaste, toothbrushes

St. Vincent de Paul Society food pantry

We give food to
80 or more families a month
We serve about
100 meals a week

Hunger is year-round.
Let us serve
our neighbors in need.

**WE NEED YOUR HELP
TO FILL THE PANTRY**

Place food donations in the
St. Vincent de Paul boxes
at the church entrances any time
Non-perishable food products ONLY
Please check expiration dates

REMEMBER NEXT WEEKEND IS TUNA SUNDAY

Bring a **LARGE CAN OF TUNA**
to Mass next weekend and help our
parish ministry to the homeless and hungry
of Los Angeles Skid Row.



You can also bring your cans or cash donations to the Parish Center at any time.