

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 26, 2017

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

CJ Kruska

Music and Liturgy Director

Eileen Wandel

Faith Formation Director

Bill Sparks

Youth Ministry and Confirmation

J.P. Fernandez

Religious Education

Karina Villanueva

Business Manager

Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

Angela Escobar

Jesus Heals

“I was blind,
but now I see.”

—John 9:25

El Greco
(Domenikos Theotokopoulos)
*The Miracle of Christ
Healing the Blind, 1570*
(detail)
Oil on canvas
Metropolitan Museum of Art
New York



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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: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday: Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

MASS INTENTIONS

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

Sunday March 26

7:30 a.m. Marilyn Dallman (RIP)

9:30 a.m. Jorge Raul Diaz Alva (RIP)

11:30 a.m. Aldo Pereira (RIP)

1:30 p.m. Felix Mesa (RIP)

5:30 p.m. John Baptist Bang (Intentions)

7:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

Monday March 27

6:30 a.m. Antonio Malabag (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Thanh Nguyen (Intentions)

Tuesday March 28

6:30 a.m. Maria Gallardo (Intentions)

8:30 a.m. Marguerite Burnelle (RIP)

Wednesday March 29

6:30 a.m. Arturo Rogero (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Ernesto S. Bisquera (RIP)

Thursday March 30

6:30 a.m. Marie Tran Thi Thuoc (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Anthony Nguyen Xuan Rat (RIP)

Friday March 31

6:30 a.m. Joseph Nguyen Van Thuan (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Thanh Nguyen (Intentions)

Saturday April 1

8:30 a.m. Memorial Society

5:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

Sunday April 2

7:30 a.m. Joseph Pham Huu Tuan (RIP)

9:30 a.m. Maria Khan Dinh (RIP)

11:30 a.m. Vernon Amaranto (RIP)

1:30 p.m. Jose and Cristina Baltazar (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Phero Kieu (Intentions)

7:30 p.m. Amada Garrido (RIP)



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PARISH LIFE

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

ARCHDIOCESAN COLLECTION

Today our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. This Collection supports six Catholic agencies benefiting millions of vulnerable, displaced, and impoverished families and individuals around the world. From direct humanitarian service to helping victims of human trafficking and working to reunify families, the funds from this Collection make a real difference in lives across the globe. How will you help? Please support The Catholic Relief Services Collection. Envelopes are in the carts.

LENTEN MEDITATION BY FR. KEVIN

For all Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, April 1 at 2:00 p.m. in the Church

HOLY WEEK HELP

- We are in need of palms for the Palm Sunday celebration. All kinds and sizes are acceptable. If you are able, please bring them to the northeast end of the schoolyard (closest to the Parish Center back yard) on **Saturday, April 8** by 9:30a.m.
- Help is also needed to prepare the palms. If you can assist us, please come to the far end of the pavilion area on **Saturday, April 8** at 9:30 a.m. (Note: this is the same day as our Church Spring Cleaning) Please bring heavy gloves and shears, if possible.
- You can help us decorate the church for Easter by providing an Easter lily or other flowering plant. Please bring them to the church any time during Holy Week. Intention papers in memory of a loved one can be found in the basket in the choir area.
- Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, and Altar Servers are needed for Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Vigil. Sign-up lists are posted in the sacristy.

USHERS NEEDED

We have an urgent request! We need help during Holy Thursday and the Easter Vigil mass. Need people that can help guide and direct the traffic and crowds those evenings in the parking lot and during the processions into the church. There will be a meeting at 7:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, April 12** in the Hall. If you have any questions or would like to sign up please call the Parish Center (818) 341-6634 and leave your name and number. Thank you!

GOOD FRIDAY

On Good Friday, our parish will take up the annual Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land. Your financial contribution helps to support the struggling Christian community and to protect Christianity's holiest places. Please be generous.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Due to the Holy days the Sunday bulletin for Palm Sunday, April 9 have to be sent to the printer earlier than usual. If your group or ministry would like to include something in that bulletin, please bring a copy of the announcement to the Parish Center or email it to: angela_escobar4@hotmail.com by **Monday, March 27**.



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 NEWS

Sunday, April 2 is Bundle Sunday for our Parish. The St. Vincent De Paul truck will be here from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. to receive your donations. Bring usable clothing, shoes, small appliances, household items, linens, books, etc. For large items including furniture and appliance, please phone (323) 224-6280 or (800) 97-HELP-1 for a special free pick up at your home. For those in need, please call the St. Vincent de Paul voicemail (818) 773-1864.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us for this incredibly moving experience during **Fridays** of Lent.

6:00 p.m. English
7:00 p.m. Spanish
8:00 p.m. Vietnamese

DEANERY 5 – LENTEN RECONCILIATION SERVICE

St. John Eudes	Wednesday, March 29	7:00 p.m.
St. Bernardine of Siena	Tuesday, April 4	7:30 p.m.
Our Lady of Lourdes	Wednesday, April 5	7:30 p.m.
St. Mel	Wednesday, April 5	7:00 p.m.
St. Catherine of Siena	Thursday, April 6	7:00 p.m.
St. Euphrasia (@ St. John Baptist De La Salle)	Thursday, April 6	7:00 p.m.
St. John Baptist De La Salle	Thursday, April 6	7:00 p.m.
St. Bridget of Sweden	Friday, April 7	7:00 p.m.
St. Cyril of Jerusalem	Monday, April 10	7:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Grace	Tuesday, April 11	7:00 p.m.

SJW CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Are you looking for a way to get involved in a prayer community? Reserve your Thursday nights from 7:00-9:00 PM and come join the Saint Joseph the Worker Charismatic Prayer Group at the church for an evening of praise and worship, inspirational talks, group sharing, bible reflection, and a monthly healing service.

Healing mass schedule:

April 20 - Fr. Bill Adams
May 18 - Fr. Charles Lueras
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	3/19/2017	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$18,661	\$17,856	+ 4.5

2017 Env \$ 11,268 (60.4%) E-giving \$ 964 (5.2%)

2016 Env \$ 10,041 (56.2%) E-giving \$ 897 (5.0%)

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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

Noel Columbres, Larry LeVine, Mark Cox, Giselle and Gilbert Gonzalez, Jack Samalot, Martha Medina, Jean Ewing, Lucia Guerrero, Oscar Marroquin, Marcia Permentilla, Lynne Williams, Evangelina Espinoza, Joshua S. Alvarez, Wendy Pelamati, Lisa Grady, Ferdinand, Rolando and Vidiamor Morales Jr., John D. F. Black, David Nisbet, Ian Fabregas, Ghaith Altehsh, Samouill Yamin, Bob Zemke, Herminigildo Villanueva, Clara Hurtado, Joyce Masloski, Dwight Ramos.

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:

Juan Mario Chavez Loayza, father of Raul E. Chavez
Francisco Valladares, husband of Emerita Garcia
Vinh Tran, parishioner
Francis Fuerbernger, long-time parishioner
Rossana Romo-Coronado, parishioner
Celerina Reyes, aunt of Cynthia Mejia
Lucio Menjivar, son of Lucio y Rosa Menjivar



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.

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Keep kids aware of the dangers online

Just about everyone in your community has access to the internet, and it can be a valuable tool for learning, communicating and educating. In the classroom, kids can go online to do research and assignments. Adults should also be educating kids about the dangers that lurk online – predators and strangers who are trolling for information can pose as anyone, and it is important that kids use caution on any site, no matter what they are doing. For more information on internet safety, email jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or call (213) 637-7227 to request a copy of the VIRTUS® article “Safety and Technology.”

EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

SJW SCHOOL NEWS

Who are the Knights of St. Joseph the Worker School?

Our Mission

St. Joseph the Worker is a Catholic parish school in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. By affirming and modeling the virtues Jesus lived and taught, the school community reflects the parish's Catholic identity. As a parish school, we serve the community foremost by providing a caring, Catholic, educational environment dedicated to fostering each student's ability to grow academically, spiritually, physically, and socially. Together with the family, the faculty and staff provide the students with a foundation for success from Transitional Kindergarten through 8th grade to high school and college, helping students develop into autonomous, moral, and responsible adolescents and adults.

A St. Joseph the Worker Student:

- Is a Catholic Christian who lives in peace with God, the “dear neighbor,” and the earth.
- Has a responsibility to promote social justice.
- Is a life-long learner.
- Respects the human body as created by God.
- Appreciates the arts and the beauty of God's creation.

Look What's New at St. Joseph the Worker School!

- New Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten Play Yard Surface (Completed August 2016)
- New LED Lighting (Completed August 2016)
- Knight Academy - Afterschool Enrichment and Study Skills Program (Fall 2016)
- EXCEL Taekwondo Classes (Fall 2016)
- New Security Door (Spring 2017)
- STEM Expo - Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (Spring 2017)
- Outdoor School - Science Camp (Fall 2017)
- 8th Grade Trip to Washington D.C. (Spring 2018)

School Info At A Glance:

Weekly Mass attendance for ALL students

- Sacramental Preparation for 1st and 2nd grades
- Average a 18/1 Student to Teacher ratio
- Wait List for Transitional Kindergarten
- Focus on Faith - Service Project Lessons: Caring for Environment (TK-2nd), Poverty (3rd-5th), and Afflicted (6th-8th)
- Focus on Excellence - Mastery Learning with Project Based Learning: Mix of Traditional and PBL Assessments, iPads for STAR Testing
- Athletic Teams:** Volleyball, Flag Football, Basketball, Track and Field, Swim, and (NEW) Dance
- (NEW) **Campus Clubs:** Cooking Club, Art Club, Board Game Club, Gamers Club, and Theater Club.

For more information, please contact:

Mr. CJ Kruska, M.A. Ed. - Principal

Email: cjkruska@la-archdiocese.org

Phone: (818) 341 - 6616

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



PARISH LIFE

RCIA

My Friends in Christ,

Today we completed the second Scrutiny. Our Elect are closer to their goal; becoming fully initiated members of this community, this Church. As you know, these Scrutinies are celebrated with the Elect only at the steps of the altar. We pray for them and through a prayer of exorcism ask the Lord to free them from the temptations that surround them daily, and to keep them from sin. We pray that they are strong in their faith and that through these Scrutinies and our prayers and support they are better able to face daily temptations. We pray for strength in our faith and that through these prayers and Scrutinies we are better able to face our daily temptations.

In preparation for these Scrutinies we ask the Elect and Candidates to tell, "what is their blindness?" This requires they do some self-examination. We ask them to list these weaknesses and strengths. We then take their lists and include them into the Universal Prayers, which is what you hear in the Universal Prayer (intercessions) read during the time they are kneeling at the altar. It is a time when we can join them in this search. I urge you during this time of Lent take some time to look into yourself and find what is keeping you from forgiveness and loving those around you. I challenge you not to surf the top, I urge you to go deeper; to encounter the light of Christ and allow it to illuminate your life.

The third scrutiny will be celebrated next Sunday at the 9:30am mass. The third scrutiny looks at life, as we hear of the raising of Lazarus from the dead. (John 11:1-45) How has the experience of being Catholic been an experience of death; of life? Try to answer this for yourself this week and bring that to mass with you on Sunday.

Keep an eye on this space; it is where you will find information about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) here at St. Joseph the Worker. You will learn about the celebrations of the rites and rituals that are part of the Order of the Catechumens. These are great celebrations; I hope they add to your sense of community and your spiritual experience. I ask you to please pray for our Elect, and Candidates as they prepare to be fully initiated members of our St. Joseph the Worker community. They are appearing on the screens in the church, please pray especially for them.

Elect: Michael Daniel Roa Adán, Francisca López Alexandra, Elizabeth Chávez, Dianne Dinh, Mi Do, Guariola González, Vilma Isabel González Hernandez, Thi Ly, Ryan Ochoa, Roció Pénate, Oscar Romero, Eduardo Sánchez, and Yashira Almanza Valer.

Candidate: Florinda Savina Lopez Ajpop, Sharon Carlos, Andy Bladimir Chicas, William Cornejo, Natalia Gonzalez, Jason Kobe Hernandez, Javier Navas, Ligia Navas, Phu Minh Nguyen, Kaytie Isabel Pine, Hoa Quang, Anahi Salazar, Mayra De La Torre, Jose Pedro Tellez, Daniela Berenice Tellez.

In Christ,

Bill Sparks

Adult Formation Director

CONFIRMATION CLASSES FOR ADULTS

Calling those of you that have not received Confirmation. We are ready to present classes for preparation for receiving confirmation for adults. These classes begin **Thursday, April 6**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Our Lady of Guadalupe meeting room. This is for those adults that have not been Confirmed and desire to complete their initiation and are regularly attending mass and receiving Holy Communion. Please sign up for this by calling or coming to the Parish Center, (818) 341-6634 and leaving your name and telephone number and a good time when you can be reached.

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IN THE COMMUNITY

RESPECT LIFE

Crisis Pregnancy Hotline (800) 973-7334

Abortion Recovery Help (877) 467-3463;

www.rachelsvineyard.org

Angels Way Maternity Home (818) 346-2229

REDISCOVER YOUR MARRIAGE

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) simply means 'rediscovery'. The program offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. For confidential information call (661) 257-7980 or email: ornelasdachs@sbcglobal.net or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

A MINISTRY FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Looking for a way to share the many blessings of married life? Catholic Engaged Encounter needs couples to help minister to engaged couples. No experience necessary and free training is provided! If you would like to share what you've learned as a married couple and meet a terrific community of married couples, please consider the ministry of Catholic Engaged Encounter. For information call Tom and Diane Krause (310) 316-3477 or visit www.CEEofLA.org; EngagedEncounter@verizon.net

VALLEY FAMILY CENTER

Valley Family Center is located in the city of San Fernando. All services are in English and Spanish. Counseling services include: Marriage, family and child. Special groups: Teen girls, children 5 - 12, children of divorced couples, victims of abuse, children's bereavement group, parenting educational classes, domestic violence perpetrator groups (as needed) Learning Center: tutorial, basic skill building for children and teens. Sliding scale fees.

Call to make an appointment (818) 365-8588.

REFORMATION COMMEMORATION RESOURCE NOW AVAILABLE

Together with our Lutheran sisters and brothers, we commemorated the 500th anniversary of the Reformation with a two-part event: a symposium (Sunday, March 5) on the roots and consequences of the Reformation and an ecumenical prayer service (Wednesday, March 8) celebrating fifty years of Lutheran-Catholic dialogue. There were numerous requests for access to Sunday's PowerPoint presentation by Dr. Lisa Dahill, Associate Professor of Religion, California Lutheran University. Dr. Dahill has agreed to make the PowerPoint available to those who are interested. If you would like to receive the PowerPoint file, please contact Colleen Trujillo: colleenht@yahoo.com.



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Is 65:17-21; Sal 30 (29):2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54

Martes: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Sal 46 (45):2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Miércoles: Is 49:8-15; Sal 145 (144):8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Jueves: Ex 32:7-14; Sal 106 (105):19-23; Jn 5:31-47

Viernes: Sab 2:1a, 12-22; Sal 34 (33):17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Sábado: Jer 11:18-20; Sal 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53

Domingo: Ez 37:12-14; Sal 130 (129):1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Mantenga a los niños conscientes de los peligros en internet

Casi todos en su comunidad tiene acceso a internet, y puede ser una valiosa herramienta para el aprendizaje, la comunicación y la educación. En el aula, los niños pueden usar Internet para hacer investigaciones y tareas. Los adultos también deben estar educando a los niños sobre los peligros que se esconden en la Internet, los depredadores y extraños que buscan información puede hacerse pasar como cualquier persona, y es importante que los niños tengan cuidado en cualquier sitio, no importa lo que estén haciendo. Para obtener más información sobre seguridad en internet, envíe un correo electrónico a bmelenandez@la-archdiocese.org o llame al (213) 637-7508 para solicitar una copia del artículo VIRTUS® "Safety and Technology" (Seguridad y tecnología).

RESERVACIÓN DE CUARTOS 2017-2018

¡Atención líderes! Les recordamos que el próximo viernes 7 de abril es el ultimo día para entregar las fechas que desean reservar para sus reuniones. Por favor pase por la oficina a dejar las formas. Cualquier pregunta comuníquese con Angela Escobar. Gracias.

CLASES DE PREPARACIÓN MATRIMONIAL

El **domingo 2 de abril** tendremos en el salón parroquial empezando a las 8:00 a.m. las clases de preparación matrimonial para parejas casadas por el civil o viviendo juntas y que se están preparando para recibir el sacramento de matrimonio. Por favor llame a la oficina parroquial (818) 341-6634 si aun no se han registrado.

ANUNCIOS EN EL BOLETIN

Debido a la Semana Santa, el boletín del 9 de abril, Domingo de Ramos, será enviado a la imprenta antes de lo acostumbrado. Si su ministerio desea incluir algún anuncio en esas fechas, por favor comuníquese con Angela Escobar, (818) 341-6634 anexo 1003, a más tardar mañana **lunes 27 de marzo**. Gracias.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

Colecta Arquidiocesana

Hoy nuestra parroquia realizará la colecta para "Catholic Relief Services". Esta Colecta financia a seis agencias católicas que benefician a millones de familias y de individuos vulnerables, desplazados y empujados en todo el mundo. Los fondos provenientes de esta colecta marcan la diferencia en muchas vidas alrededor del mundo ya que sirven para prestar servicios humanitarios directos, ayudar a las víctimas del tráfico humano y a reunificar familias. **¿Los ayudará?** Por favor, apoyen la colecta de "Catholic Relief Services" ya que estarán ayudando a **Jesús con otro rostro**. Los sobres se encuentran en los carritos al lado de las puertas de la iglesia.

VIA CRUCIS

El Via Crucis en español será todos los viernes durante la Cuaresma a las 7:00 p.m. en el templo.

EN PREPARACIÓN A LA SEMANA SANTA

- Necesitamos palmas para la celebración del Domingo de Ramos. Todas clases y tamaños son necesarias. Si puede por favor tráigalas al área de las bancas de la escuela el sábado 8 de abril a más tardar a las 9:30 a.m.
- También necesitamos ayuda para preparar las palmas. Si puede ayudarnos, por favor venga el sábado 8 de abril a las 9:30 de la mañana y si tiene traiga guantes y tijeras. Ese mismo día limpiaremos minuciosamente la iglesia.
- Usted puede ayudar a decorar la iglesia para la Semana Santa, proporcionando un lirio de Pascua u otras plantas con flores. Por favor tráigalas a la iglesia durante Semana Santa. Las tarjetitas de intención en memoria de un ser querido están en una cesta en el área del coro.
- Necesitamos Ministros de Eucaristía, ujieres y servidores del Altar para el Jueves Santo, Viernes Santo y Vigilia Pascual. Las listas de inscripción están publicadas en la sacristía.

NECESITAMOS UJIERES

¡Tenemos una petición urgente! Necesitamos ayuda durante el Jueves Santo y la Misa de la Vigilia Pascual. Necesitamos personas que puedan ayudar a dirigir el tráfico y a las multitudes esas tardes en el estacionamiento y durante las procesiones en la iglesia. Habrá una reunión a las 7:00 p.m. el **miércoles, 12 de abril** en la salón parroquial. Si usted tiene alguna pregunta o le gustaría ayudar llame al centro parroquial (818) 341-6634 y deja su nombre y número. Gracias

COLECTA DE VIERNES SANTO

El Viernes Santo, nuestra parroquia hará una colecta para la Tierra Santa. Le pedimos que sea generoso. Su contribución apoyará el trabajo de la Comunidad Católica en el Medio Oriente y protegerá los lugares Santos en los Templos Cristianos.

PRESENTACION DE LA PASION Y MUERTE DE JESUS

El Viernes Santo, después del servicio de las 3:00 p.m., el Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos estará presentando la "Pasión y Muerte de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo" en vivo, en el estacionamiento de nuestra parroquia. Vengan a presenciar los momentos que cambiaron el curso de la humanidad donde el amor triunfa sobre el odio y el pecado. Donde Jesús dio su vida por amor a cada uno de nosotros.



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

Tuna
Canned meat
Canned vegetables
Rice and beans
Canned fruit
Evaporated milk
Dry cereal and oatmeal
Peanut butter and jelly
Macaroni and cheese
Dry pasta and spaghetti sauce
Cooking oil
Toiletries

St. Vincent de Paul Society **LENT** food drive

Let us open our hearts to those in need

Place food donations in the St. Vincent de Paul boxes at the church entrances any time before Easter Sunday. Non-perishable food products ONLY

Cash/check donations welcome. Use the St. Vincent de Paul envelope found in the pews and place in the collection basket.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

VIA CRUCIS | STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross, also known as the Via Dolorosa (Way of Sorrows) or Way of the Cross (Via Crucis), invites us to put on Christ's sandals and walk prayerfully from station to station, placing ourselves in the events of his crucifixion, from his being condemned to his burial.

Every Friday during Lent in the church

6:00 p.m., English

7:00 p.m., Spanish

8:00 p.m., Vietnamese

