

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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.

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 21, 2018

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. Beto Villalobos

Associate Pastor

Rev. Roberto Rueda

Associate Pastor

Rev. Thuan Nguyen

Deacon

Dn. Augusto "Gus" Mora

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J.P. Fernandez

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Karina Villanueva

Business Manager

Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

Angela Escobar

FILIPINO COUNCIL

St. Joseph the Worker is home to people from around the world. As our mission statement says, "Out of this diversity we create unity." The Filipino Council plays an important role in fulfilling this aspect of our parish mission. The group coordinates the Filipino community's participation in parish events and organizes celebrations and liturgies to promote an appreciation of the diversity in our parish. Annual events include the Feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz, Simbang Gabi (Advent novena), and the celebration of Santo Niño (Infant Jesus of Prague).



Top row, left to right: Ronald Lacap, Tess Lacap, Ressa Maschino, Marilou Fabros, Eden Flores, Nelly Sandan, Deacon Gus Mora

Second row: Tessie Millado, Annie Uy, Onie Mora

Third row: Vicky Morales, Fe Gonzales

Fourth row: Melita Bernabe, Lulu Mercado, Gaudie Estrada, Sr. Aurora Solano

Not pictured: Roy Cacacho, Cora Diamse, Norma Fabregas, Lydia Queza, Linda Ricafrente, Ada Roces, Erlinda Tuazon

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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: Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-14; Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday: Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 13:1-9
Sunday: Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

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 21**
 7:30 a.m. Dora Caoyonan (Birthday)
 9:30 a.m. Maria and Mauro Abijay (RIP)
 11:30 a.m. Anthony Ramsaran (RIP)
 1:30 p.m. Rosa Nieves Gallardo (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. Joseph and Maria Nguyen (RIP)
 7:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
- Monday October 22**
 6:30 a.m. Neil Ford Eustaquio (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Alodia and Vitalino Hermosa (RIP)
- Tuesday October 23**
 6:30 a.m. Elizabeth Reger (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Guillermo R. Gabriel (RIP)
- Wednesday October 24**
 6:30 a.m. Carmen Paxtor and Family (Intentions)
 8:30 a.m. Joseph Jorgesén (RIP)
- Thursday October 25**
 6:30 a.m. Joseph Ly Do (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Lynn Angat Palomares (RIP)
- Friday October 26**
 6:30 a.m. Leonor Fernandez (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Mafe Orna (RIP)
- Saturday October 27**
 8:30 a.m. Emily Estrada (Birthday)
 5:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
- Sunday October 28**
 7:30 a.m. Daisy Blen (RIP)
 9:30 a.m. Honorato Organo (RIP)
 11:30 a.m. Thai and Trinh Nguyen Family (Intentions)
 1:30 p.m. Julio David Virgen (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. Hong Van Pham (RIP)
 7:30 p.m. Maria Amparo Velasquez (RIP)

PARISH LIFE

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers, and be generous in today's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Envelopes are in the carts next to the church doors.



TOO MUCH INFORMATION!

There is a common expression: "Too much information!" We usually use it when people tell us details about their lives that we don't want or need to know. Today, when James and John ask Jesus a simple question, making their request for places of honor in the kingdom, a simple answer might have been in order. Instead, as he often does, Jesus answers a question with a question; today it's about drinking the cup of suffering. Then, once the others are indignant over James and John's outrageous request, he proceeds to give them what may have been "too much information" for followers who were simply interested in the pursuit of glory. But this information, though it can sometimes seem "too much" for us, is essential for our lives as disciples. In Isaiah, in Hebrews, and in Mark today, we learn this information. It is in suffering, in weakness, in self-giving service to others, that we come to understand the kingdom. It is the information we need to find our place and come to be honored in the reign of God. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

As election campaigns move into high gear, sometimes the phrase "the Catholic vote" is heard. It's an interesting concept, since Catholics started out in this country as a very fragile group: fewer than forty thousand of us at the time of the first census in 1790, and only about 2 percent of the population by 1830. It was a priestless church for all intents and purposes, lay-led clusters of Catholics waiting patiently for the occasional visit of a priest, sustained by gathering when they could on Sunday for devotional prayer like litanies and the rosary. They tried to hold on to their ancestral faith as best they could. Archbishop Jean-Louis Cheverus told one family in Maine to "every day say your prayers on your knees with affection, and every Sunday gather to hear the Gospel, to pray in common, and to quiz the children on the catechism."

Inevitably, some became Protestant, but many more stayed Catholic from generation to generation, with very little encouragement or sacramental ministry from the clergy. Archbishop John Carroll, the first American bishop, tried to make Church law flexible: shortening the length of the fast before Communion, easing the Lenten fast, and even relaxing the rule of Sabbath rest at harvest time. Catholicism in England had been quietly sustained in this way for two centuries, and the first American Catholics carried on as had their ancestors, providing a fertile soil for the unprecedented success and phenomenal growth of the Church in our country. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.





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

It is said, "Many hands make light work." The St. Vincent de Paul Society needs more people to fulfill our mission of seeking out and helping the poor in our parish. We provide many services, including food distribution from our pantry, visiting and providing financial assistance to the need, and helping out at the homeless lunches. If you are interested and would like to know more, please leave your name and phone number on our message line at (818) 773-1864.

Also, your food donation is very well appreciated. Please bring the items to the Parish Center at any time. When making donations to the needy of the parish in the blue/green envelopes located in the pews, please make checks payable to: The Saint Vincent de Paul Society. For those in need, please call the St. Vincent de Paul voicemail at (818) 773-1864.

TUNA SUNDAY

Your gift of a large can of tuna or cash goes directly and immediately to the poor and the needy. Within 48 hours, your generosity becomes a nourishing hot meal for hungry and often homeless people living on skid row. With more cans of tuna this delicious dish could be served more than just one day a week. The large four to five pound cans of tuna are available at Smart and Final and Costco. Please bring your donations to the Parish Center.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

The SJWCPCG invites everyone every Thursday night from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. for an evening of praise and worship, bible reflection, group sharing and healing service.

Life in the Spirit Seminar:

Oct 25 - Spiritual Warfare

Nov 8 - Commissioning Rites

Healing service schedule:

Nov 15 - Fr. Bob Garon

Mass starts at 7:30 p.m. immediately following praise and worship.

All are welcome!

CATHOLIC WILLS PLANNING SEMINAR

Looking for ways to prepare and manage your financial future?

Avoid Probate: Protect your home and assets

On **October 24** at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., our parish will offer informational seminars explaining the process of Catholic Wills Planning. This seminar will last 90 minutes and refreshments will be served.

Representatives from the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, an estate attorney and financial planner will be joining us to discuss these important topics:

- How to avoid costly probate fees
- The importance for individuals and couples to have a Will and Trust prepared
- Guardianship of minor children and children with special needs
- Catholic teachings on advance healthcare directives
- Vehicles and tools for charitable giving

We will meet in the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Conference Center room.

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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 6:00 p.m. (SJW Chapel)

SACRAMENTS

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

Confirmation Process (Grades 8th - 12th)

Year One – Bimonthly

Tuesdays 7:00 - 8:30 pm OR Sundays 9:30 - 11:00 am

Year Two – Bimonthly

Tuesdays 7:00 - 8:30 pm OR Sundays 9:30 - 11:00 am

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

Alyssa Vasquez, Noel Columbres, Larry LeVine, Mark Cox, Gilbert Gonzalez, Jack Samalot, Martha Medina, Paul Davis, Ceferino Navarro, Maria Dolores Rivas, Meilani H. Sandan, Nina Rosales, Sandy Gregory, Abbey Aquino, Albert Garcia, Jr., Lulu Mercado, Wendy and Lisa Pelamati, Lisa Grady, Thelma Foley, Eric Escobar, Irene, Ferdinand, Rolando and Vidlamor

Morales, David Nisbet, Celia Garcia, Ignacio Ortiz, Freddie Manansala, Bob Zemke, Sinai Guerrero, Giordano Bruno, Samoila Yamin, Maria Romera, Angelica Markosian, Antony Jawiche, Nahle and Tony Yamin, Negme and Ilie SETHA, Salustia and Paul Maxim.

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:

Mery Capa, wife of Lorenzo Yeomans
Benigno Puno, father of Debbie Puno
Petronila Moran, mother of Eduardo Rodriguez
Juan Carlos Medina Rangel, 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)

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

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

Children 7-12 years (Spanish)

Parish Center Dining Room

YOUTH MINISTRY/ CONFIRMATION

Youth Mass every Sundays at 11:30am.

Confirmation Year 1:

Sunday, October 21, 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Hall - "Why Am I Here" – An Introduction To Chosen

Confirmation Year 2:

Tuesday, October 30, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Parish Hall
OR **Sunday, November 4**, 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Hall - Prayer & Saints

EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION



St. Joseph the Worker School

Creating Tomorrow's Leaders Through Faith, Academics and Service for Over 60 Years!

A St. Joseph the Worker Knight is...

A Conscientious Citizen (LEAD)

-By building our community through service.

-By demonstrating love and respect for our local and global communities.

-By living as stewards of God's Creation.

Faith-Filled (LOVE)

-By following Jesus as our model.

-By caring for "our dear neighbor".

-By actively participating in prayer and service.

Committed to Academics (LEARN)

-By embracing persistent curiosity.

-By attempting their best work with integrity.

-By demonstrating a strong foundation in academics.

LEAD - LOVE - LEARN

School Info At A Glance:

- Average 20/1 Student to Teacher ratio
- New Security Door and Cameras
- New WiFi for 1,000 devices
- C3 Ignite Grant for New iPads (Fall 2018)
- New Academic Lounge (Fall 2018)
- Knight Academy - After School Day Care
- EXCEL Taekwondo Classes
- STREAM Expo - Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics
- 6th grade Outdoor School - 4 Day Science Camp
- Weekly Mass attendance for ALL students
- Sacramental Preparation for 1st and 2nd grades
- Spanish classes - Grades 3-5
- Athletic Teams: Volleyball, Flag Football, Basketball, Track and Field, and Swim
- Campus Clubs: Cooking Club, Art Club, Board Game Club, Gamers Club, and Theater Club

Nondiscrimination Policy

The school, mindful of its mission to be a witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students regardless of race, color, national origin, and/or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, disability, medical condition, sex, or national and/or ethnic origin in the administration of educational policies and practices, scholarship programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs, although certain athletic leagues and other programs may limit participation and some archdiocesan schools operate as single-sex schools. While the school does not discriminate against students with special needs, a full range of services may not always be available to them. Decisions concerning the admission and continued enrollment of a student in the school are based upon the student's emotional, academic, and physical abilities and the resources available to the school in meeting the student's needs.



FROM THE FRONT COVER

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Be a Trusted Resource if a Child Discloses Abuse

Parents are in a unique position to know about not only their own children, but their children's friends. If you are a trusted parent, your child's friend may come to you with secrets. What do you do if a child tells you about abuse? As an adult, it's critical that you remain calm, and don't overreact. Child victims are often frightened and confused, and your confusion and anger does not help their situation. Your concern and support, however, will affirm the child in important ways and can help begin the healing process for a child victim who has suffered at the hands of a predator. To learn more about steps to take if a child tells you about abuse, email jvienna@la-archdiocese.org.

CELEBRATION OF OUR LADY, THE VIRGIN OF GUADALUPE

Sunday, December 9

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles will host the 87th annual celebration of the devotion to Our Lady of Guadalupe with a Procession and Mass in East Los Angeles on Sunday, December 9. This year's theme is "Light of Peace and Justice." The celebrations will begin at 10:30 a.m. at the corner of Cesar Chavez Ave. and Ford Blvd. with a procession featuring floats, Aztec and Matachines dance groups. Those participating with a float will have the opportunity to receive first, second and third prizes based on how the theme is reflected, with creativity and overall beauty of the float's presentation. The procession will conclude at the East Los Angeles College Stadium at 1:00 p.m. with a Mass presided by Archbishop José H. Gomez and concelebrated by the auxiliary bishops and priests from throughout the Archdiocese. All are welcome!

LAUDATO SI' AND THE LITURGY

Workshop on Ecological Spirituality and Liturgical Music

Acclaimed liturgical composer Bob Hurd leads a morning of reflection and song to explore the connections among the cry of the earth, the cry of the poor, and our liturgies. Ecological spirituality, embodied in care for creation and those harmed by environmental degradation, is central to the meaning of the Eucharist. In his encyclical *Laudato Si'* (On Care for Our Common Home), Pope Francis speaks to themes of care for creation, poverty, and solidarity and challenges us to assure that all of creation is in view every time we celebrate the Eucharist. How, then, shall we sing, pray, and preach to include this cosmic dimension of the paschal mystery?

Bob Hurd -- teacher, musician, and liturgist -- began composing music for the liturgy shortly after the Second Vatican Council, when there was a need for new music in the vernacular. He is a pioneer of bilingual and multilingual music. Among his compositions are "Pan de Vida" and "Misa de las Américas," pieces well known to us here at St. Joseph the Worker.

Saturday, November 3, 2018

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church (in the church)

5012 White Oak Ave., Encino

Registration: \$20.00

Register at <http://store.la-archdiocese.org/laudato-si-and-the-liturgy>

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IN THE COMMUNITY

ATTENTION ALL 8TH GRADE GIRLS

Louisville High School invites you to join us on **Friday, November 2** from 8:45 a.m. - 12:45 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 at www.louisvillehs.org or call us at 818-346-8812. We can't wait to meet you!

ST. PETER CLAVER'S ANNUAL HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

Saturday, November 3 from 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 4 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Corner of Stow and Cochran Streets (across from Simi Valley High School)

Over 70 vendors selling crafts, gift items, clothing, jewelry, home décor, food, gift card basket raffle, 50/50 drawing, photos with Santa, a bake goods table including hot cinnamon rolls for sale. Contact: Lisa (805) 583-0466.

ATTENTION ALL MILITARY VETERANS

St. Mel Parish in Woodland Hills is planning a Mass and a special event to honor all our many veterans of the armed forces on **Saturday, November 10**. If you served, please submit your name, phone number or email address and branch of service to Patrick Bobillo in the St. Mel parish center (818) 340-6020 or pbobillo@stmel.org. Gold Star Families, take note: We would also love to honor you and your sacrifice. Please reach out to Patrick if you have a family member that died during military operations.

St. Bernadine of Siena Catholic Church
24410 Calvert St., Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Invites all Holiday Craft Vendors to our
5th Annual Holiday Boutique
to be held in Parish Hall

Sat. Nov 10, 2018: 9:00am - 4:00 pm
Sun. Nov 11, 2018: 8:00am - 3:00 pm

For more info, contact
Peggy Pryor 818-426-6539 or
p Pryor@stbernardine.org



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Ef 2:1-10; Sal 100 (99):1b-5; Lc 12:13-21
Martes: Ef 2:12-22; Sal 85 (84):91b-14; Lc 12:35-38
Miércoles: Ef 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lc 12:39-48
Jueves: Ef 3:14-21; Sal 33 (32):1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lc 12:49-53
Viernes: Ef 4:1-6; Sal 24 (23):1-4ab, 5-6; Lc 12:54-59
Sábado: Ef 4:7-16; Sal 122 (121):1-5; Lc 13:1-9
Domingo: Jer 31:7-9; Sal 126 (125):1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mc 10:46-52

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Sea un recurso confiable si un niño revela abuso

Los padres de familia se encuentran en una posición única para conocer no sólo a sus propios hijos, sino también a los amigos de sus hijos. Si usted es un padre confiable, el amigo de su hijo puede acercarse a usted con secretos. ¿Qué hace usted si un niño le cuenta sobre un abuso? Como adulto, es fundamental que permanezca calmada y no reaccione de forma exagerada. Las víctimas infantiles a menudo están asustadas y confundidas, y su confusión y enojo no ayudan a la situación. Su preocupación y apoyo, sin embargo, reafirmarán al niño de maneras importantes y pueden ayudar a comenzar el proceso de sanación de un niño víctima que ha sufrido bajo las manos de un depredador. Para obtener más información sobre los pasos a seguir si un niño le cuenta sobre el abuso, envíe un correo electrónico a ajvienna@la-archdiocese.org.

RETOUVAILLE

¿Está sufriendo en tu matrimonio? ¿Tiene problemas para comunicarse, discusiones más frecuentes, distancia entre usted y su cónyuge, o cada uno sigue su propio camino? No está solo. Retrouvaille, un ministerio matrimonial de parejas, brinda ayuda para matrimonios con problemas. Para obtener más información sobre Retrouvaille y su programa para ayudar a las parejas que sufren por favor llame a Martin y Rosa Baeza al (818) 996-0821. Recupere la alegría de su matrimonio. ¡Su matrimonio vale la pena! Retrouvaille comienza con una experiencia de fin de semana. Aprenda las herramientas para comunicarse de manera más efectiva como pareja. Retrouvaille - Los Ángeles en español ha ayudado a parejas a aprender las herramientas para restaurar la intimidad y la comunicación en su relación. Visite HelpOurMarriage.com o escríbanos al retrolaspanish@gmail.com.

¡TOME LA DECISION DE AMAR!

EL PROXIMO FIN DE SEMANA es del 30 de noviembre al 2 de diciembre.

LIBRO DE INTENCIONES PARA LAS MISAS

El libro de intenciones para las misas del 2019 esta disponible en la oficina parroquial. Solo se permite una intención por misa. La donación es de \$10. Las misas podrán ser reservadas en la oficina parroquial de lunes a viernes de 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. y de 1:00 p.m. a 4:00 p.m.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

DOMINGO MUNDIAL DE LAS MISIONES

HOY celebramos el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones. El Papa Francisco invita a toda la Iglesia a apoyar a las diócesis misioneras de África, Asia, las Islas del Pacífico y partes de Latinoamérica y Europa, donde sacerdotes, líderes religiosos y líderes laicos sirven a las comunidades más vulnerables del mundo. Por favor, sigan orando por las misiones del Papa, y sean generosos en la colecta de hoy para la Sociedad para la Propagación de la Fe. Los sobres se encuentran en los carritos al lado de las puertas de la iglesia.

CELEBRACIÓN DE NUESTRA SEÑORA LA VIRGEN DE GUADALUPE - 9 DE DICIEMBRE

La Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles será la anfitriona de la 87° celebración anual de la devoción a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe con una Procesión y misa en el Este de Los Ángeles, el domingo 9 de diciembre. El tema de este año es "Luz de paz en la justicia". Las celebraciones comenzarán a las 10:30 a.m., en la esquina de la avenida César Chávez y Ford Blvd., con una procesión con carros alegóricos, grupos de danzas aztecas y Matachines. Aquellos que participen con un carro alegórico tendrán la oportunidad de recibir al primer, segundo y tercer lugar, basados en la manera en que se refleje el tema, encuentro a la creatividad y belleza general de la presentación del carro. La procesión concluirá en el Estadio del colegio del este de Los Ángeles a la 1:00 p.m. con una Misa presidida por el Arzobispo José H Gómez y concelebrada por los obispos auxiliares y por sacerdotes de toda la Arquidiócesis. ¡Todos son bienvenidos!

RITO DE INICIACION CRISTIANA

Estamos invitando a través del Proceso de Iniciación Cristiana de esta Parroquia a todos los adultos, jóvenes y niños mayores de 7 años que estén interesados en prepararse para recibir los Sacramentos de Iniciación: Bautismo, Confirmación y Eucaristía y a los que deseen completar sus Sacramentos de Confirmación y Eucaristía. Los interesados favor de comunicarse con Bill Sparks al 818-341-6634 x 1012

SEMINARIO SOBRE TESTAMENTO PARA CATÓLICOS

¿Ha estado posponiendo establecer un testamento y otros documentos importantes para proteger su patrimonio? ¿No está solo!

El **30 de octubre** a las 7:00 p.m. nuestra parroquia ofrecerá un seminario informativo explicando el proceso de la sucesión de bienes acuerdo a nuestras enseñanzas católicas. Este seminario tomará 90 minutos.

Representantes de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles y profesionales legales y financieros estarán con nosotros para hablar sobre estos temas importantes:

- La importancia para los individuos y las parejas de tener un testamento y otros documentos críticos para proteger su patrimonio.
- Enseñanzas Católicas sobre las etapas finales en la vida (instrucciones anticipadas de cuidado médico)
- Custodia de menores y niños con necesidades especiales
- Los mejores métodos para hacer donaciones caritativas

El seminario se llevará a cabo en el Cuarto de Santa Elizabeth Ann Seton del Centro de Conferencias.



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.

St. Joseph the Worker School

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Adopt-a-Knight Scholarship Fund

Many families in our community require financial assistance to enable their child to attend our parish school. The Adopt-a-Knight Fund has been established to aid students who cannot afford the complete cost of a Catholic education.

Adopt-a-Knight Scholarships

Awards are based on a family's financial need and the student's citizenship and academic merit. Each family must pay at least half the almost \$5,000 (per child) tuition. Despite the family's financial sacrifice, there is still a substantial gap in the funding needed to cover the annual tuition.

\$2,500 Gift: Provides approximately 100% of the funding gap

\$1,875 Gift: Provides approximately 75% of the funding gap

\$625 Gift: Provides approximately 25% of the funding gap

\$500 Gift: Provides help to cover the cost of uniforms and essential supplies

A Gift in Any Amount: Goes directly toward educating the children of our community

Invest in Our Mission
Support an Adopt-a-Knight Scholar

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