



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.

6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 17, 2019

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

School Principal

CJ Kruska

Faith Formation Director

Bill Sparks

Youth Ministry and Confirmation

J.P. Fernandez

Religious Education

Karina Villanueva

Business Manager

Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

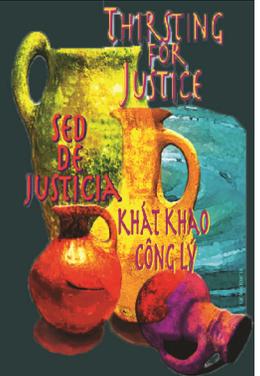
Angela Escobar

Thirsting for Justice

Religious Education Congress 2019

March 22-24 (Youth Day March 21)

Anaheim Convention Center



The Religious Education Congress attracts some 40,000 participants from around the world. The event features keynote addresses by acclaimed speakers and workshops led by experts in social justice, inclusiveness, today's church, theology, music, prayer and spirituality, parish ministry and leadership, youth ministry, biblical studies, catechesis, and more. The theme, "Thirsting for Justice," is inspired by the story of the Samaritan woman at the well. Jesus chose to invite a Samaritan woman to believe, to quench her thirst with Living Water. We are all vessels, each unique in our hope of quenching our thirst for a world of peace and justice for all.

Congress program and registration: www.recongress.org

**MORE
INFORMATION**

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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



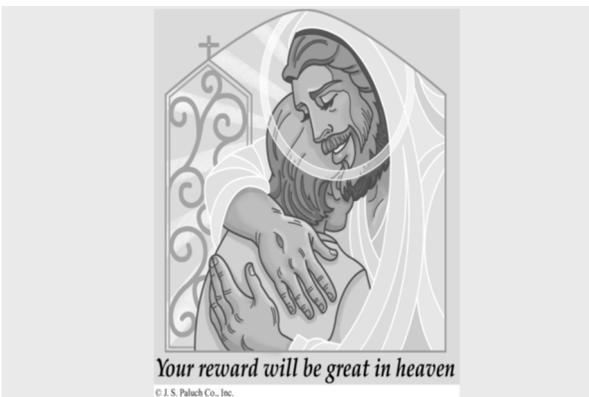
READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-26; Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26
Thursday: Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mk 8:27-33
Friday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
Saturday: Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13
Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38

MASS INTENTIONS

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

- Sunday February 17**
 7:30 a.m. Jasmin Laquindanum (RIP)
 9:30 a.m. Gregorio Protacio Sr. (RIP)
 11:30 a.m. Henry A. Bradley (RIP)
 1:30 p.m. Jose Isabel Arciniiega (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. Joseph Than V. Yen (RIP)
 7:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
- Monday February 18**
 6:30 a.m. No Mass
 8:30 a.m. Rosete Family (Intentions)
- Tuesday February 19**
 6:30 a.m. Guise Nha and Maria Thanh Nguyen (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Anna Luka (RIP)
- Wednesday February 20**
 6:30 a.m. Circoncecion Marroquin (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Seballos Family (Intentions)
- Thursday February 21**
 6:30 a.m. Anna (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Felecita Francisco (RIP)
- Friday February 22**
 6:30 a.m. For the Unborn
 8:30 a.m. Dinh Phan (Birthday)
- Saturday February 23**
 8:30 a.m. William Burs (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
- Sunday February 24**
 7:30 a.m. Alfonso Castellanos Luna (RIP)
 9:30 a.m. Edilberto and Joenel Averion (Birthday)
 11:30 a.m. Alfonso Castellanos Luna (RIP)
 1:30 p.m. Sebastian Lujan (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. Dominico Than V. At (RIP)
 7:30 p.m. Gregoria Gimenez (RIP)



PARISH LIFE

TOGETHER IN MISSION 2019

“Our Story is Hope”

Last weekend, Archbishop Gomez invited all Catholics to make their annual commitment to the 2019 Together in Mission Appeal. This year, our parish has been asked to \$ 89,500. If you and your family have not had the opportunity to make your pledge, I ask that you complete a pledge card found in the pews, or make your pledge online by visiting archla.org/give.

Your gifts to Together in Mission ensure that every Catholic living in the Archdiocese has a parish to celebrate their faith and access to a Catholic school education. You are living your faith through your actions when you support Together in Mission.

BLESSED

When we think of the word “Beatitude” we think of today’s discourse from Luke’s Gospel, or the more familiar one from Matthew (which begins “Blessed are the poor in spirit . . .”). Actually, beatitudes occur throughout the prophets and Gospels. Today in Jeremiah (with an echo in the psalm) we hear, “Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord” (Jeremiah 17:7). Following his resurrection in John’s Gospel, Christ proclaims, “Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed” (John 20:29). The evangelists placed these sayings throughout the Gospels as short reminders about the characteristics that one will find in a follower of Christ, characteristics that will help spread the Good News in this life and lead to eternal blessings in the next. In Latin, the saints are called the *Beati*, the “Blessed,” for they are the ones who lived the “blessed” life as described by Jesus throughout the Gospels. How blest are we, when we also strive to make our own days a living beatitude!

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In recent years, there has been remarkable progress in drawing persons with disabilities into full celebration. Now it is generally accepted that worship places need accommodations such as ramps or elevators, large -print materials for those who are sight-impaired, and perhaps even an assisted hearing system or signing in American Sign Language. American Sign Language is not merely English translated into movement, but a distinct language with its own grammar, syntax (word order), and vocabulary. For this reason, the American Catholic bishops have approved American Sign Language (ASL) as an official language of the liturgy.

Celebrating liturgy in our own language (the vernacular) means that liturgy must be accessible to all languages and cultures. The fact that Mass is celebrated this weekend in some places in total silence, but with the full participation of deaf people praising God in the movements of their hands, and sometimes even with a priest who is deaf, is nothing less than the Church being faithful to the image of Jesus, who made the deaf hear and the mute speak. Remember too that deafness is an invisible disability, and that there may well be people in your parish who are quietly yearning for Mass to be signed for them in ASL.

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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.

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.

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.

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	02-10-19	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$16,537	\$15,429	+7.2%

2019 Env \$8,973 (54.3%) E-giving \$1,249 (7.6%)
2018 Env \$9,598 (62.2%) E-giving \$1,920 (12.4%)

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

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 Mansala, 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, Julie Nguyen, Noel Columbres, Gilbert Gonzalez, Meilani Her Sandan, Patrick Ennis, Zerafin.

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:

Alfredo Muñoz, son of Maria Peña

Jose Roman, husband of Lilly Rivas



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



EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

NOW ENROLLING



2019 SUMMER KNIGHTS ACADEMY

JUST THINK!

FOR LESS THAN A VENTI FRAPPUCCINO A DAY, YOU CAN SEND YOUR CHILD TO OUR SUMMER PROGRAM!

Registration:

\$40 Early Registration is due Friday, May 3rd

\$50 Registration due by Friday, May 31st.

NOTE: Registration(s) are Non-Refundable

BONUS!!!

All students registered by May 31st receive a FREE Summer Knights Academy t-shirt. Additional shirts are available for purchase.

Fees:

Full-Day: \$500

AM Session: \$300 - PM Session: \$300

Knight Academy Daycare: \$250

*Note: July 4th is a holiday-no school on July 4th or July 5th.

www.sjwschool.net

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Tips for talking about “controlling access”

Part of the “Protecting God’s Children” training program is designed to control who has access to children and ensure that those who do undergo rigorous screening measures. It’s important for all adults to understand what this means and how this process works. Adults who are being screened have not been identified as potential predators. Rather, all employees and volunteers are screened carefully because such screenings constitute an important preventive protective step in establishing a safe environment in the parish. Screening gives confidence to parents, children, and those working with them that all are committed to the protection of children and youth in our Church. For more information in the VIRTUS® article “When Talking about Controlling Access,” visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>



PARISH LIFE

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Our parish rejoices and congratulates all the children in our parish who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time on **Saturday, February 16.**

May they experienced God's love, mercy, and forgiveness in this Sacrament. We ask the prayers of the community as they continue their journey of faith preparing for First Holy Communion.

Faith Formation Team - Religious Education & School

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Mass every Sunday at 11:30 a.m.

Confirmation Year 1:

Tuesday, February 19, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (Hall)

OR Sunday, February 24, 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. (Hall): Community Building

Confirmation Year 2:

Sunday, February 17, 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. (Hall): Fruits of the Holy Spirit Part II

Tuesday, February 26, 7:00pm to 8:30pm (Hall) OR Sunday, March 3rd, 9:30am to 11:00am (Hall): Living A Christian Life

Thursday, February 28, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (Hall). Mandatory Parent and Sponsor Confirmation Year 2 Preparation Meeting

Upcoming Youth Ministry Projects (Open to ALL Youth):

Thursday, February 21, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (St. These of Lisieux Room): Youth Study Night. Open to all Jr High & High School students to prepare for Mid Terms.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER MINISTRY LEADERS

We need the following information:

- A list of names for all the members in your ministry.
- Status for all of your ministry members for the following:
 - Fingerprinting - date and place where they were fingerprinted.
 - Virtus - date and place where they received their last training.

(Must have a copy of the Virtus certificate and the fingerprinting record)

Please contact Bill Sparks (818)341-6634, ext. 1012

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

We invite you to be in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament **every Wednesday** from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Center chapel. In addition to Wednesdays, there is adoration **every First Friday** of the month in the chapel at 7:00 p.m.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT

If you would like a contribution statement for the year 2018, please call the Parish Center (818) 341-6634. We will be happy to send one to you.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

The SJWCPG 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. All are welcome!

IN THE COMMUNITY

JOHN PAUL II FOUNDATION FOR THE NEW EVANGELIZATION PRESENTS

Pope St. John Paul II and the New Evangelization Luncheon Conference

With Special Guest Speaker, MICHAEL DOPP
founder of the *New Evangelization Summit*

Enjoy conversations with like-minded Catholics over a delicious meal and be inspired and equipped for the missionary call God has given us in love!

February 24, 2019

1:00 - 5:00 PM

St. Martin of Tours Parish Center
11967 Sunset Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90049

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED: JP2-conference.eventbrite.com for details and ticket. Ticket Price: \$35.00 (includes lunch)

Visit: parishevangelizationleaders.org

Email: events@parishevangelizationleaders.org

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Jesus wants to be part of your marriage and bring us the love and intimacy that He wants for us. Come and learn how to obtain these gifts for your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend: April 26-28 in Simi Valley. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848-6729 or go online at www.twocanlove.org We help make good marriages better.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

Rachel's Vineyard retreat is for men and women struggling with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. The retreat is designed to help participants work through repressed grief and anger in a safe, nonjudgmental setting and come to acceptance, healing, and hope for the future. Developed in the Roman Catholic Tradition, it utilizes spiritual exercises and rituals to help grieve the loss of unborn children and to accept God's forgiveness. All inquiries and registrations are confidential.

www.youtube.com/user/rachelsvineyard

March 1-3, 2019 - Duarte, CA

Cost: \$300 per person

For registration or more information please call and leave message:(323) 577-5693

www.rachelsvineyard.org

VALLEY FAMILY CENTER

We are located in the city of San Fernando. All services are in English/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) Sliding scale fees. Call (818) 365-8588.



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Sal 50 (49):1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-26; Mc 8:11-13
Martes: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Sal 29 (28):1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mc 8:14-21
Miércoles: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Sal 116 (115):12-15, 18-19; Mc 8:22-26
Jueves: Gn 9:1-13; Sal 102 (101):16-21, 29, 22-23; Mc 8:27-33
Viernes: 1 Pe 5:1-4; Sal 23 (22):1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
Sábado: Heb 11:1-7; Sal 145 (144):2-5, 10-11; Mc 9:2-13
Domingo: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Sal 103 (102):1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lc 6:27-38

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Consejos para hablar de “controlar el acceso”
 Parte del programa de capacitación “Protegiendo a los niños de Dios” está diseñado para controlar quién tiene acceso a los niños y para garantizar que aquellos que lo hacen se sometan a rigurosas medidas de antecedentes. Es importante que todos los adultos comprendan qué significa esto y cómo funciona este proceso. Los adultos que están siendo evaluados no han sido identificados como depredadores potenciales. Al contrario, todos los empleados y voluntarios son examinados cuidadosamente porque estos exámenes constituyen un importante paso de protección preventiva para establecer un ambiente seguro en la parroquia. Estas evaluaciones dan confianza a los padres, a los niños, y a quienes trabajan con ellos, de que todos están comprometidos con la protección de los niños y jóvenes en nuestra Iglesia. Para obtener más información del artículo de VIRTUS® article “When Talking about Controlling Access” (Cuando se habla de controlar el acceso), visite <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>

NOTICIAS DE EDUCACION RELIGIOSA

Nuestra parroquia se regocija y felicita a los niños de que celebraron el Sacramento de la Reconciliación por primera vez el día de ayer sábado 16 de febrero en nuestra parroquia. Oramos a Dios para que hayan experimentado el amor, misericordia y perdón de Dios en este Sacramento. Pedimos las oraciones de la comunidad por todos ellos al continuar su jornada de formación y preparación a la Primera Comunión.

Equipo Catequético de Educación Religiosa

¿USTED QUIERE TENER TODA LAS OPORTUNIDADES Y BENEFICIOS QUE LA CIUDADANIA PROPORCIONA? ¡DEJENOS AYUDARLE!

FERIA DE CIUDADANIA GRATUITA
 Sábado, 23 de febrero del 2019 | 9:00am-3:00pm
 Iglesia San José Obrero
 19655 Sherman Way, Winnetka, CA 91306

¡Aplicar en sencilla con la ayuda de nuestros personal y voluntarios quienes hablan español y inglés! Incluso puede calificar para ayuda financiera.

PARA CALIFICAR PARA LA CIUDADANIA LISTED DEBE:

- Tener al menos 18 años.
- Ser un residente permanente legal y vivir continuamente en los EE.UU.
- Reservar espacio a menos de 60 días (solo con un boleto de los EE.UU.).
- Hablar, leer y escribir inglés básico o calificar para la instrucción de idioma.
- Demstrar que tiene un buen carácter moral.

PARA APLICAR EN NUESTRO TALLER DEBE TRAER:

- Carta de residencia, tarjeta de seguro social y licencia de conducir (si del estado).
- Identificación nacional básica / escolar de los últimos 6 años.
- Lista de TODOS los viajes realizados fuera de los EE.UU. Durante los últimos 5 años.
- Información de TODOS los hijos y sobrinos actuales / anteriores.
- Comprobante de pago anual por \$25 pagadero al Departamento de Inmigración Nacional y calificar para una exención de cuota.
- Documentos de impuestos 2017/2018 o verificación de Beneficio Ciudadanía de los últimos 3 años y un voto (libertad de elegir donde uno cuando uno y el padre para traer a su familia y mantenerlos juntos en los Estados Unidos).

Para calificar para una exención de cuota:
 • Beneficiarios de impuestos 2017/2018 o verificación de Beneficio Ciudadanía de los últimos 3 años y un voto (libertad de elegir donde uno cuando uno y el padre para traer a su familia y mantenerlos juntos en los Estados Unidos).

Citas son requeridas para registrarse. Brevnet (213) 251-5303 O (818) 342-4696

VIDA PARROQUIAL

CAMPAÑA UNIDOS EN MISION 2019

“Nuestra historia es Esperanza”

El fin de semana pasado, el Arzobispo Gómez invitó a todos los católicos a hacer un compromiso anual para la campaña de Unidos en Misión 2019. Este año, a nuestra parroquia se le ha pedido recaudar \$89,500. Si usted y su familia no han tenido la oportunidad de hacer un nuevo compromiso para este año, les pedimos que completen una tarjeta de compromiso que se encuentra en las bancas, o haga su promesa en línea visitando archla.org/give. Sus donativos a Unidos en Misión aseguran que los católicos que viven en esta Arquidiócesis tengan una parroquia para celebrar su fe y acceso a una educación escolar católica. Ustedes están viviendo su fe a través de sus acciones cuando se comprometen a ayudar a Unidos en Misión.

BIENAVENTURADOS O DICHOSOS

Cuando pensamos en la palabra “bienaventuranza” pensamos en el discurso de hoy del Evangelio según Lucas, o en el más familiar según Mateo (que comienza “Dichosos lo que tienen espíritu de pobre . . .”). En realidad, las bienaventuranzas ocurren en los profetas y evangelios. Hoy, en Jeremías (con un eco en el salmo) oímos: “Bendito el hombre que confía en el Señor” (Jeremías 17:7). Luego de su resurrección en el Evangelio de san Juan, Cristo proclama: “¡Dichosos los que creen sin haber visto!” (Juan 20:29). Los evangelistas colocaron estos dichos por todos los evangelios como cortos recordatorios sobre las características de quien sigue a Cristo, características que ayudarán a diseminar la Buena Nueva en esta vida y llevarnos a la dicha eterna en la próxima. En latín, los santos son llamados *Beati* o “Beatos” porque son aquellos que viven la vida “feliz” descrita por Jesús en los evangelios. ¡Qué dichosos somos cuando nos esforzamos por hacer de nuestros días bienaventuranzas vivas! Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

En muchos santuarios de Latinoamérica y Europa se pueden encontrar diversas ofrendas que han dejado los fieles a través de los siglos. Entre estas ofrendas es de particular relieve el exvoto. Exvoto (una frase en latín que se traduce “del voto”) es el regalo que se le presenta al santo o a la santa en reconocimiento del favor recibido. Esto también se llama “manda”.

Los exvotos o mandas toman varias formas desde pequeñas medallas en forma de la parte del cuerpo que fue sanado hasta pinturas del milagro concedido. El exvoto más antiguo en América es de una pintura mandada a hacer por Hernán Cortés en honor de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe de Extremadura (España). Esta imagen reconocía el hecho de ser salvado del piquete de un alacrán mientras estaba en México. Lamentablemente esta pintura se extravió en el siglo XIX.

En realidad el santo o la santa no necesita el exvoto pero los creyentes sí. Estas mandas nos recuerdan el poder de la intercesión divina en la vida humana. También nos invitan al agradecimiento de los favores que Dios nos hace. —Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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- El record de todos los miembros de su ministerio para lo siguiente:
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 Virtus - Fecha y lugar donde recibieron su último entrenamiento
Deben tener una copia del certificado de Virtus y una copia del registro de huellas dactilares.

Por favor comuníquense con Bill Sparks al (818) 341-6634, ext. 1012.



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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.



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