

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 19, 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. Alberto Villalobos

Associate Pastor

Rev. Roberto Rueda

Associate Pastor

Rev. Joseph Van Vu

Deacon

Dn. Augusto "Gus" Mora

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Youth Ministry and Confirmation

J.P. Fernandez

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Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

Angela Escobar

Grateful Hearts

St. Joseph the Worker
Thanksgiving Day Mass
9:30 a.m.



In a spirit of gratitude we celebrate the beautiful feast of Thanksgiving. Our Thanksgiving Mass is a highlight of the liturgical year. We gather around the Eucharistic table with grateful hearts to give thanks to God for the blessings and challenges in our lives. Please join us this year, and together let us give fitting thanks to God and to one another.

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www.sjwschool.net

Parish Center Mailing Address • 19808 Cantlay Street • Winnetka, CA 91306-3005

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: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63;

Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-7; Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15; Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lk 19:41-44. Thanksgiving Day, Suggested: Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11-12; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19; Lk 20:27-40

Sunday: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17; Ps 23:1-3, 5-6;

1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Mt 25:31-46

MASS INTENTIONS

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

Sunday November 19

7:30 a.m. Conrado M. Arcalas (RIP)

9:30 a.m. Vikki Bayani (RIP)

11:30 a.m. Juanito Piano (RIP)

1:30 p.m. Rosalia Caceres (RIP)

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

7:30 p.m. Fernando Ramirez (RIP)

Monday November 20

6:30 a.m. Eva Fernandez (Thanksgiving)

8:30 a.m. Pressy Pascual (RIP)

Tuesday November 21

6:30 a.m. Lido Quiñones (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Catalina R. Hilao (RIP)

Wednesday November 22

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

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

Thursday November 23

6:30 a.m. No Mass

8:30 a.m. No Mass

9:30 a.m. Thanh and Mai Nguyen (Intentions)

Friday November 24

6:30 a.m. No Mass

8:30 a.m. Thai Nguyen (Birthday)

Saturday November 25

8:30 a.m. Joseph Nguyen Van Thuan (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Dn. Gus and Onie Mora (Thanksgiving)

Sunday November 26

7:30 a.m. Ted Hughes (RIP)

9:30 a.m. Ann Tu Anh Vu (RIP)

11:30 a.m. Cirilo Fernando (RIP)

1:30 p.m. Cornelio Ceja (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Do Family (Thanksgiving)

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

HISPANIC MINISTRY FOOD SALE

All are invited to the pavilion area after 11:30 a.m. Mass today for delicious food prepared by the Hispanic Ministers. All proceeds will support their Ministry at SJW.

PARISH LIFE

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, November 23, is Thanksgiving Day. There is only one, multilingual Mass at 9:30 a.m. We invite you to bring an item planned for your Thanksgiving meal—bread, wine, fruit, etc. and place it on our Thanksgiving table to be blessed.

Also, the Parish Center offices and the Conference Center will be closed both Thursday, November 23, and Friday, November 24.

Happy Thanksgiving!

ARCHDIOCESAN COLLECTION

Today, we will be having a collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Over 46 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to lift themselves out of poverty. By supporting this collection you give people a hand up, not a hand out. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

Join us on **Monday, December 4**, at 7:00 p.m. for our Advent Penance Service. There will be many priests available for confession.

SHARING OUR GIFTS

Autumn is the season for harvesting and sharing the fruits of our labors. This week's scriptures use images of the harvest, family life, pregnancy, and investment to describe the abundant harvest in the reign of God. We discover that sharing the gifts we have been given brings eternal rewards for everyone.

In the Gospel parable a master entrusts his possessions to three servants before going on a journey. Each is given some talents. What they do with those talents determines what the master will do with them when he returns. How about us? What are we doing with our talents? How will our Master treat us when he returns?

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Earlier this autumn, we looked at how our Eucharistic Prayers have been enriched by the approval of several new prayers to augment the old Roman Canon. For us, there are the four standard prayers, three for Masses with Children, and the most recent addition, the former Swiss Eucharistic Prayer with four alternative forms (now known as the Eucharistic Prayer for Masses for Various Needs and Occasions).

We also have two Eucharistic Prayers for Masses of Reconciliation. The source for these two prayers is the request by many bishops for a special prayer for the "Holy Year" of 1975. Originally, the committee in charge was commissioned to write a single prayer, but the theme proved so rich that it gave rise to two. The first is based on and develops biblical texts on reconciliation. The second starts with the experience of living in today's fractured world, and how the Spirit calls us to reconciliation and peace. Not everyone was happy with all this creativity, saying that if too many were published, it would be difficult for the Vatican to control further requests. Everyone thought the pope would put strict limits on the prayers, but in the end he said he was willing to open doors that had long been closed. Although he approved them for a period of only three years, they were never formally removed from the *Sacramentary* and have been incorporated into the new Roman Missal.

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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 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 17**.

The following items are requested:

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

May God bless you for your support.

BUNDLE SUNDAY - DECEMBER 3

Sunday, December 3 is Bundle Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul thrift stores. Please bring your usable clothing and usable household items on this day. Their truck will be here in our church parking lot. Please help in the endless effort to assist the needy. There is a great need of furniture and large appliances. For pick up of heavy items, call (323) 224-6280 or 800/97-HELP.

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. 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 BLOOD DRIVE

December 3 - 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Parish Hall

Each time you donate, your temperature, pulse, blood pressure, and more than ten blood tests are taken. Irregularities in any test are reported to you. Every two seconds someone in America needs blood. The need is constant, the gratification is instant. Please give the Gift of Life. Your donation will be used to save the lives of up to 3 hospital patients. Identification is required. Please call Armida Stafford (818) 535-4178 to schedule an appointment.

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	11-12-17	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$17,803	\$13,288	+ 34.0%

2017 Env \$ 9,731 (54.7%) E-giving \$ 1,658 (9.3%)

2016 Env \$ 7,660 (57.7%) E-giving \$ 909 (6.8%)

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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

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, Maxim Razuan, Maria Melanie Martinez, Alyssa Vasquez, Noel Columbres, Larry LeVine, Mark Cox, Gilbert Gonzalez, Jack Samalot, Martha Medina, Paul Davis, Ceferino Navarro, Maria Dolores Rivas, Harvey Hunziker, Meilani H. Sandan, Nina Rosales, Sandy Gregory, Abbey Aquino, Albert Garcia, Jr., Lulu Mercado, Thelma Foley, Eric Escobar.

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

Please remember in your prayers all those who have recently lost a loved one.



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

Online Grooming

Learning all we can about how predators groom children through online contact is key to keeping them safe at all times. Language is a predator's tool for grooming online. One tactic that online predators use to groom a potential victim is by complimenting and reinforcing their self-image as a way of normalizing their interactions. Compliments are used to build trust, desensitize, and mentally or emotionally isolate the potential victim from others. It is important to remember that monitoring the online communication of young people on chats, apps, gaming websites, etc. is key in preventing abuse. For a copy of the VIRTUS® article "The Language of Online Grooming," visit: <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx> or call (213) 637-7508.

EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

YOUTH MINISTRY / TEEN CONFIRMATION

November 2017 Schedule

Youth Mass every Sundays at 11:30am.

Confirmation Year 1:

Tuesday, November 21, 7:00pm to 8:30pm (Parish Hall)

-Confirmation Year 1 Session: Trusting in God

No November 26 Sunday Session due to Holiday

Confirmation Year 2:

Sunday, November 19, 9:30am to 11:00am. (Our Lady of La Vang Room)

-Confirmation Year 2 Session: Prayer, Communion With God

Tuesday, November 28, 7:00pm to 8:30pm. (Parish Hall) OR

Sunday, December 3, 9:30am to 11:00am. (Our Lady of La Vang Room)

-Confirmation Year 2 Session: Christian Morality, What Does Love Look Like

PARISH LIFE

36TH ANNUAL LA HOLIDAY CAROLING FESTIVITIES - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

Singers and musicians of all talent levels and ages are invited to participate in a fun and rewarding community service activity. It is a very fulfilling opportunity to give and receive joy, happiness and holiday spirit to and from the elderly residents, care-takers and participants while enhancing one's own perspective or appreciation of life, health and family. **Bottom line: Everyone greatly benefits from this heart-warming event.**

All effort given to participate, support and promote this activity is greatly appreciated! Together we have the power to make a difference and the world a better place! Santa Claus will be joining us! Music books and refreshments provided at all 5 performances.

Schedule is modular- arrive & depart per your discretion.

4:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

West Hills Health & Rehab Center

meet main lobby-perform room to room

7940 Topanga Canyon Blvd., Canoga Park, 91304 (818) 347-3800

5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

Canyon Trails

meet/perform main dining room

7945 Topanga Canyon Blvd. Canoga Park, 91304 (818) 716-9900

6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.

Meridian of West Hills

meet/perform main dining room

6833 Fallbrook Ave., Canoga Park, 91304 818-883-4123

Group photo at conclusion with all participants

Music sheets and refreshments provided for performers.

7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Post-Caroling Wrap Party-Home Town Buffet

6705 Fallbrook, Canoga Park, 91307 (818) 883-4123

Details: Vincent J. Leinen/KC 4th Degree at (818) 429-1563 or

BD754@LAFN.org or www.HolidayMusicMakingADifference.com

www.facebook.com/HolidayCaroling4Seniors

Experience the power, magic, and impact of giving music!



PARISH LIFE

LET'S DECLARE NOVEMBER A MONTH OF GIVING THANKS.

"I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life." (PS 23:6)

In the rhythm of nature's life, the leaves now fall and the sun is seen less. These give us signs of the ending of it all. For some this is scary, while others anxiously await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

During these earthly days of living, we strive to become the best-version-of-ourselves so that we merit to dwell in the Lord's house for eternity. But we are also aware that we waste a lot of precious time resisting happiness during our life's pilgrimage. Fortunately many of us have rediscovered Catholicism through a better rhythm of life, and we strive to become perfectly ourselves as we build better families and personal lives. We strive to live the four signs of a dynamic Catholic.

Wisdom suggests that we should not put off until tomorrow what we can do today. Carpe diem. We all know deep down that is a good practice. Like the recent earthquakes, fires, and hurricanes taught so many, death can come like a thief in the night. When Jesus said "Repent!" he meant NOW. He did not say "Repent sometime in the future."

A few Sundays ago the responsorial psalm had us all pray: "I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life." In the homily that day Fr. Sherry asked for a show of hands of people who hoped to "live in the house of the Lord all the days of their lives." Just about all hands were raised. How about yours?

November is a great month to express gratitude. Let's declare this a month of giving thanks. Every day, make a list of five things for which you are grateful. Giving thanks will automatically prompt us to acknowledge our blessings and value the gifts God has entrusted to our stewardship. Giving thanks to God will remind us that we live in the palm of God's hand and that we are here to do God's will and live in the house of the Lord for all eternity.

Fr. Bob Sherry

IN THE COMMUNITY

LOUISVILLE HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, December 3, 2017 at 11:00 a.m.

Families and friends of 6th, 7th and 8th grade students are invited to attend Louisville High School's Open House on Sunday, December 3. Come tour the campus, meet the faculty and enjoy performances by our student singers and dancers. The program will begin at 11:00 a.m. Please visit louisvillehs.org for more information or contact us with questions at (818) 346-8812. Reservations requested but not required. R.S.V.P. at: louisvillehs.org on the Admissions Page/Visit-Louisville

TELEVISED SUNDAY MASS

A televised Sunday Mass is now airing on ABC Family Channel from 6:30 a.m. to 7:00 a.m. each Sunday morning. The Sunday Mass is produced by the Passionist Fathers and Brothers out of New York City and is available nationally on local affiliates. Too early for you? Tape it or Tivo it! For more information consult the website at www.TheSundayMass.org.

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

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Celebrate the love of God for us and for each other by strengthening, renewing and rekindling your marriages by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on **February 9-11** in Canoga Park. Contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848-6729 or go online to ww.twocanlove.org. We help make good marriages better.

HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

CRAFTERS & VENDORS WANTED

DECEMBER 2 & 3, 2017

HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

at

ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA CATHOLIC CHURCH
24410 Calvert St., Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Saturday, December 2: 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 3: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

For more information contact Peggy Pryor
p Pryor@stbernardine.org

(818) 426-6539

LIMITED SPACE LEFT!!!

LAPD Immigration & Trust Forum

Canoga Park Presbyterian Church

22103 Vanowen St
Canoga Park, CA 91303

Wednesday, November 29,
2017

5:30-7:00 PM

Join us as we talk about important issues facing the people who live in the San Fernando Valley. We will be addressing any community concerns about our stance in regards to immigration. The forum is designed to strengthen the bond between the Department and the communities we serve.

Deputy Chief John Sherman
Commander Jorge Rodriguez
LAPD Operations Valley Bureau

Zully Román
President & Founder
Expediente Rojo Project, Inc.



Acompañenos para hablar de asuntos importantes que la gente del Valle de San Fernando enfrenta diariamente. También vamos a abordar cualquier preocupación que la comunidad tenga de inmigración. La meta de este foro es para fortalecer el vínculo entre la comunidad y el Departamento de Policía.



For any information, please contact Officer Romo
Para mas informacion, contacte a Oficial Romo
818-644-8140
OVBCOMM@lapd.lacity.org



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 1 Mac 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Sal 119 (118):53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Lc 18:35-43

Martes: 2 Mac 6:18-31; Sal 3:2-7; Lc 19:1-10

Miércoles: 2 Mac 7:1, 20-31; Sal 17 (16):1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15; Lc 19:11-28

Jueves: 1 Mac 2:15-29; Sal 50 (49):1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lc 19:41-44. Día de Acción de Gracias (sugerencia): Sir 50:22-24; Sal 145 (144):2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lc 17:11-19

Viernes: 1 Mac 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Cr 29:10bcd, 11-12; Lc 19:45-48

Sábado: 1 Mac 6:1-13; Sal 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19; Lc 20:27-40

Domingo: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17; Sal 23 (22):1-3, 5-6; 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Mt 25:31-46

COLECTA PARA LA CAMPAÑA CATÓLICA PARA EL DESARROLLO HUMANO

Hoy realizaremos la Colecta para la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano (CCHD, por sus siglas en inglés). CCHD fue establecida por los obispos de Estados Unidos quienes reconocieron que la vida de los necesitados no mejoraría hasta que ocurriesen cambios en los sistemas y políticas que mantienen al pueblo en la pobreza. Por más de 40 años, CCHD ha financiado a grupos comunitarios que originan cambios duraderos. Luche contra la pobreza en América. Defienda la dignidad humana. Contribuya a la Colecta de CCHD.

CAMPAÑA DE DONACIÓN DE SANGRE

Domingo 3 de diciembre - 9:00 a.m. a 3:00 p.m.
Salón Parroquial

Cada vez que usted dona se le toma la temperatura, pulso, presión arterial y más de diez análisis de sangre. Usted es notificado de cualquier irregularidad en las pruebas sanguíneas. Cada dos segundos alguien necesita sangre en los Estados Unidos. La necesidad es constante, la gratificación es instantánea. Por favor dé el regalo de la vida, su donación será utilizada para salvar la vida de hasta 3 pacientes en el hospital. Favor de traer identificación. Para hacer una cita comuníquese con Armida Stafford al (818) 535-4178.

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Atracción por Internet

Aprender todo lo que podamos acerca de cómo los depredadores preparan a los niños a través del contacto en línea es clave para mantenerlos a salvo en todo momento. El lenguaje es la herramienta de un depredador para atraer a alguien por Internet. Una táctica que los depredadores en línea utilizan para preparar a una víctima potencial es complementando y reforzando su autoimagen como una forma de normalizar sus interacciones. Los elogios se utilizan para crear confianza, desensibilizar y aislar mental o emocionalmente a la víctima potencial de otros. Es importante recordar que controlar la comunicación en línea de los jóvenes en chats, aplicaciones, sitios web de juegos, etc. es clave para prevenir el abuso. Para obtener una copia del artículo de VIRTUS® "The Language of Online Grooming" (El lenguaje de la atracción por Internet), visite <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx> o llame al (213) 637-7508.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

DÍA DE ACCIÓN DE GRACIAS

Como en años pasados, nos uniremos para celebrar juntos la Misa de Acción de Gracias el **jueves 23 de noviembre a las 9:30 de la mañana**. Los invitamos a traer algo que vayan a servir ese día para ser bendecido durante la Misa. Antes de Misa por favor colóquelo en la mesa que estará en el pasillo del medio y no se olvide recogerlo apenas acabe la Misa. Les recordamos que el Centro Parroquial y Centro de Conferencias estarán cerrados el jueves 23 y viernes 24 de noviembre. ¡Feliz Día de Acción de Gracias!

SERVICIO PENITENCIAL

El **lunes 4 de diciembre** a las 7:00 p.m., en el templo, tendremos nuestro Servicio Penitencial. Aproveche de confesarse y prepararse mejor para recibir a nuestro Redentor esta Navidad.

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 **17 de noviembre**. Encontrarán las bolsas con la lista de alimentos cerca a las puertas de salida del templo. Le agradecemos traiga 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.

VENTA DE RICOS ANTOJITOS

Todos están invitados a pasar después de misa de 1:30 p.m. a la sección de las bancas de la escuela y disfrutar de la rica comida preparada por el Ministerio de Ministros de Eucaristía. De antemano agradecemos su apoyo y colaboración.

¿NO TE HAS CASADO POR LA IGLESIA?

¡Si tú y tu pareja no están casados por la Iglesia aquí tienen una oportunidad!

El **sábado 28 de abril** el Padre Roberto celebrará

MATRIMONIOS EN GRUPO

para todas las parejas que deseen arreglar su situación y acercarse a los sacramentos

Requisitos:

- Boletas de Bautismo y Confirmación (copias recientes)
- Preparación matrimonial
- 2 testigos de él y 2 testigos de ella
- Boleta de matrimonio civil
- Entrevista con el Padre Roberto

Para más información comuníquese con Angela Escobar en la oficina parroquial (818) 341-6634, ext. 1003





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.

SJW GIFT SHOP

THOUGHTFUL GIFTS FOR ALL SEASONS

Greeting Cards • Books • Jewelry
Fr. Kevin's Homily CDs • Choir CDs
Rosaries • Religious Articles and Crucifixes
Sacramental and Devotional Items
At the Sherman Way entrance to the church
Wednesdays: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Sundays: 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.



DEVOTIONS & PRAYER GROUPS

Rosary Group

Monday–Saturday 9:00 a.m., Church

Eucharistic Adoration

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

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

Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursday 7:00 p.m., Church

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion

Wednesday 6:00 p.m., SJW Chapel

Grupo de Oración

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Conference Center Hall

Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos

“Nueva Generación en Jesucristo”

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

First Friday Mass, Church

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

Catholic Mothers Guild (Vietnamese)

Third Sunday 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Our Lady of La Vang Conference Center room

Sacred Heart Group (Vietnamese Men)

Third Sunday 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Our Lady of La Vang Conference Center room

Vocation Ministry (Vietnamese)

Periodic gatherings to pray for vocations