

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 18, 2018

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. 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

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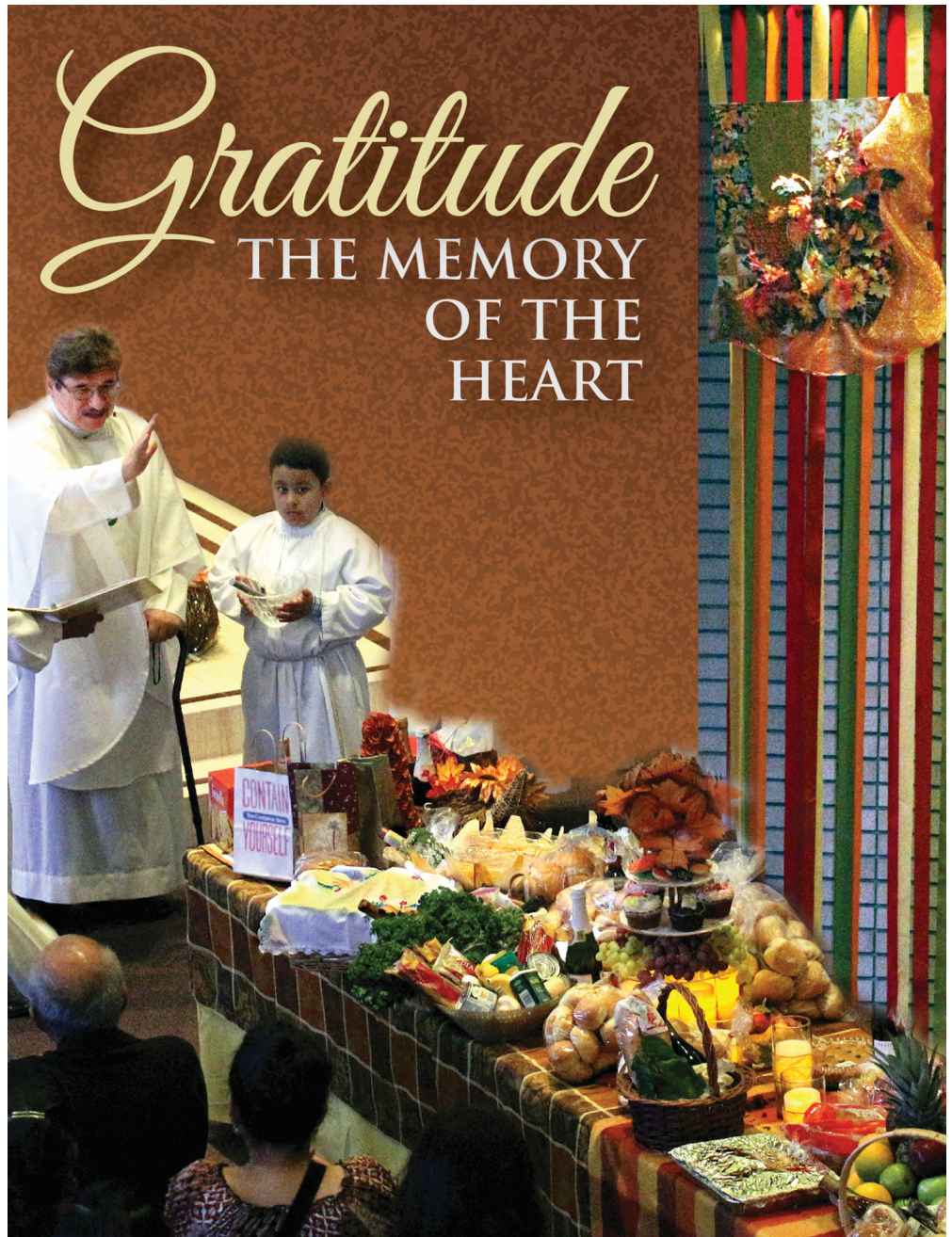
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Parish Center Hours: Mon.-Fri.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00 -9:00 p.m. • Sat.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. • Sun.: Closed

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28
Thursday: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44.
 Thanksgiving Day—Suggested: Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19
Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48
Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40
Sunday: Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

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 18

7:30 a.m. Felix Espana (RIP)
 9:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
 11:30 a.m. Thai Nguyen (Birthday)
 1:30 p.m. Rosalia Caceres (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. Maria Rot Dinh (RIP)
 7:30 p.m. Reymundo Pomposo (Birthday)

Monday November 19

6:30 a.m. Pressy Pascual (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Ben and Veronica Rosete (Anniversary)

Tuesday November 20

6:30 a.m. Ben Rosete Sr. (RIP)
 8:30 a.m. Frank Bucher (Birthday)

Wednesday November 21

6:30 a.m. Mila and Victor Geronimo (Anniversary)
 8:30 a.m. Catalina R. Hilao (RIP)

Thursday November 22

6:30 a.m. No Mass
 8:30 a.m. No Mass
 9:30 a.m. Bayani Family (Thanksgiving)

Friday November 23

6:30 a.m. No Mass
 8:30 a.m. Agatha Mao and Philip Thiet (RIP)

Saturday November 24

8:30 a.m. Trinh Nguyen (Intentions)
 5:30 p.m. Crisanto Conwi Elizalde Jr. (RIP)

Sunday November 25

7:30 a.m. Felecita Francisco (RIP)
 9:30 a.m. Dn. Gus and Onie Mora (Anniversary)
 11:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
 1:30 p.m. Reyes Nieves Gallardo (RIP)
 5:30 p.m. Anna Ninh Than (RIP)
 7:30 p.m. Martin Pomposo (Birthday)

**PARISH LIFE****CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT****Working on the Margins**

Today, we will have a collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Over 43 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 bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/ collection. Envelopes will be in the carts by the church entrances.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, November 22, 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 22, and Friday, November 23.

Happy Thanksgiving!

BLOOD DRIVE - DECEMBER 2

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.

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

Join us on **Wednesday, December 5**, at 7:00 p.m. for our Advent Penance Service. There will be many priests available for confession.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION FEAST DAY

Saturday, December 8, is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception and a Holy Day of obligation.

This year Masses are as follows:

December 7	5:30 p.m. (Vietnamese)
(Vigil Day)	6:45 p.m. (English)
	8:00 p.m. (Spanish)
December 8	8:30 a.m. (English)

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!

ATTENTION LECTORS

Your Lector Books for the new 2019 Liturgical year are available to be picked up in the Sacristy. Thank you!



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.

Bundle Sunday - December 2

Sunday, December 2 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. 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.

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!

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	11-11-18	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$15,295	\$17,805	-14.1%

2018 Env \$7,557 (49.4%) E-giving \$1,910 (12.5%)

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

Together in Mission 2nd Collection \$2,322.69

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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

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, Samoil 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.

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:

Odilio Resendiz, husband of Fabiola Resendiz
Roberto Benedicto, parishioner
Mando Bazzara, parishioner
Valentina Lopez, parishioner

Sinai Ruvalcaba Guerrero, wife of Raymundo Guerrero
Leonardo Galvan, grandfather of Angie Gonzalez
Joseph Thuc Kim Dinh, brother of Thuy Le Lam



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.

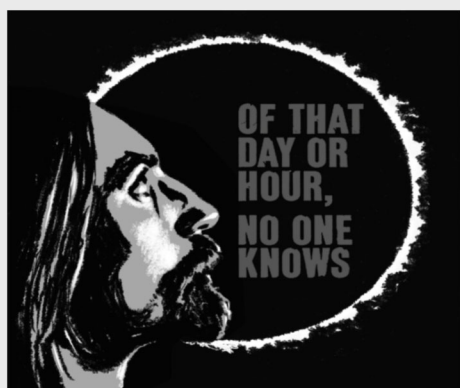
Children 7-12 years (English)

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



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.



PARISH LIFE

YOUTH MINISTRY / TEEN CONFIRMATION NEWS & SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 2018

Youth Mass every Sunday at 11:30am.

Confirmation Year 1:

Tuesday, November 20, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Parish Hall ONLY! (No Sunday Sessions due to Thanksgiving Weekend) – “What Makes Me Happy?” – Discovering God as the Source

Confirmation Year 2:

Sunday, November 18, 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Hall: “Can You Walk the Talk?”

Tuesday, November 27, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Hall ONLY! (No Sunday Session due to Blood Drive): “Are You Willing to Commit?”

Upcoming Youth Ministry Projects (Open to Everyone):

December 2 – American Red Cross Blood Drive

December 18- Christmas Party Pot Luck, Together in Mission Challenge and Food Drive.

December 22 – Christmas Toy Drive and Gift Wrapping

December 23 – Christmas Gift Distribution

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Get your family on the same page about social media

Social media is one of the leading forms of communication and connection in our world today, but it has dangerous side effects if used carelessly or improperly. Social media platforms can be used to solicit minors, distribute drugs, share pornography and more. If your family does not have a social media safety policy in place, work to establish one immediately. Rules such as no direct messages from anyone you don't know in person and no private or hidden contact with anyone are important. Establish regular check-ins to make sure that the rules are being followed to see what your children are viewing. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS® article “Raising the Bar,” visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.



IN THE COMMUNITY

CHAMINADE COLLEGE PREPARATORY HIGH SCHOOL

Chaminade College Preparatory High School is having its annual OPEN HOUSE on **Sunday, December 2** from 1:00pm to 3:30pm. Families are invited to tour the campus, meet the faculty and administrators, and experience all that Chaminade has to offer. For more information call Chaminade's Admissions office at (818) 347-8300 extension 355 or visit Chaminade on the Web at www.chaminade.org.

LOUISVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Open House: Sunday, December 2, 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 2**. 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

ST ROBERT BELLARMINI PARISH

New Evangelization Retreat at St Robert Bellarmine Parish, 520 E Orange Grove Ave., Burbank, CA 91501 on **Saturday, December 1** from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Admission is free and lunch is provided. For more information and to register visit: parishevangalizationleaders.org

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

What am I most thankful for in my marriage this past year? Make the blessing of your spouse come alive in your life by enriching your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are **February 8-10, 2019** in Lancaster and April 26-28, 2019 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.

NEW EVANGELIZATION RETREAT

An Advent Retreat at St. Robert Bellarmine Parish in St. Eleanor Hall, 520 E. Orange Avenue, Burbank, CA 91501 on **Saturday, December 1** from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Admission is free and lunch is provided. For additional information and to register visit parishevangalizationleaders.org

ADVENT SILENT SATURDAY

Saturday, December 1, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Join us for a quiet morning of Centering Prayer and silence. The day provides time for communal prayer, a contemplative walk, private journaling, reflection and an opportunity to enjoy the grounds of Holy Spirit Retreat Center, 4316 Lanai Road, Encino CA 91436. Free will offering. All are welcome. Contact: Sr. Linda Snow CSJ at (818) 815-4497.



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Ap 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 18:35-43

Martes: Ap 3:1-6, 14-22; Sal 15 (16):2-5; Lc 19:1-10

Miércoles: Ap 4:1-11; Sal 150:1b-6; Lc 19:11-28

Jueves: Ap 5:1-10; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lc 19:41-44. Día de Acción de Gracias (sugerencia): Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lc 17:11-19

Viernes: Ap 10:8-11; Sal 119 (118):14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lc 19:45-48

Sábado: Ap 11:4-12; Sal 144 (145):1b, 2, 9-10; Lc 20:27-40

Domingo: Dn 7:13-14; Sal 93 (92):1-2, 5; Apo 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Informe a su familia sobre las redes sociales

Las redes sociales son una de las formas principales de comunicación y conexión en nuestro mundo actual, pero tienen efectos secundarios peligrosos si se usan de forma descuidada o inadecuada. Las plataformas de medios sociales pueden usarse para interceptar menores, distribuir drogas, compartir pornografía y más. Si su familia no tiene una política de seguridad en las redes sociales, trabaje para establecer una de inmediato. Establezca reglas que prohíban la recepción de mensajes directos de cualquier persona desconocida y la de contactos privados u ocultos con alguna persona. Establezca controles regulares para supervisar lo que ven sus hijos. Para obtener una copia del artículo completo de VIRTUS® "Raising the Bar" (Elevar el nivel) visite <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.

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

La Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles será la anfitriona de la celebración de la devoción a Ntra. Sra. 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. 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!

CAMPAÑA DE DONACIÓN DE SANGRE

Domingo 2 de diciembre

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.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

DÍA DE ACCIÓN DE GRACIAS

Como en años pasados, nos uniremos para celebrar juntos la Misa de Acción de Gracias el jueves 22 de noviembre a las 9:30 de la mañana. Los invitamos a traer algo que vayan a servir ese día para ser bendecido. 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 22 y viernes 23 de noviembre.

¡Feliz Día de Acción de Gracias!



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Día de Acción de Gracias

COLECTA ARQUIDIOCESANA

Más de 43 millones de personas en los EEUU viven en pobreza. La colecta de HOY financia programas que capacitan a las personas para identificar y abordar los obstáculos que enfrentan cuando trabajan para lograr cambios positivos y permanentes en sus comunidades. Para más información visite www.usccb.org/cchd/collection. Encontrará los sobres cerca a las puertas de la iglesia.

LA INMACULADA CONCEPCION DE LA VIRGEN MARIA

Les recordamos que el **sábado 8 de diciembre** es el día de la Inmaculada Concepción de la Virgen María, día de precepto. La misa en español será el **viernes 7 de diciembre** (el día de la vigilia) a las 8:00 p.m.

SERVICIO PENITENCIAL

El **miércoles 5 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.

¿NO TE HAS CASADO POR LA IGLESIA?

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



El **sábado 4 de mayo** 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 en la oficina parroquial



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.

A Renewal of Gratitude

In 1863, in the midst of the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln issued a proclamation making Thanksgiving a national holiday, the last Thursday in November. He called the nation to gratitude for the bounty of God. Lincoln's words remind us that Thanksgiving is a feast of gratitude. Our Thanksgiving Mass is one of the highlights 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.

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

