

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE NOVEMBER 21, 2021

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

7:00 p.m. (Vigil) Spanish

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Vietnamese

9:00, 10:30 a.m. English

12:00 p.m. Spanish

Monday - Friday

6:30, 8:30 a.m.

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. Thuan Nguyen

Associate Pastor

Rev. R. Carlos Nava

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

A THANKFUL PEOPLE

If the only prayer
you ever say in your
entire life is
THANK YOU,
it will be enough.

—Meister Eckhart,
Dominican Theologian and Mystic,
1260-1329



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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 OF THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52-56; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62-67; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28; Dn 3:68-74; Lk 21:20-28

Thanksgiving Day, Suggested: Sir 50:22-24;

Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27; Dn 3:82-87; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday: Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14;

1 Thes 3:12 — 4:2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

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 21

7:30 a.m. Catalina R. Hilao (RIP)

7:30 a.m. Joseph Thua Dinh (RIP)

9:00 a.m. Alfredo Pinto (RIP)

9:00 a.m. Edward Dale Thein (Intentions)

10:30 a.m. Yolanda Uy (Get Well)

10:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

12:00 p.m. Claudio Estrada Hernandez (RIP)

12:00 p.m. Emmanuel Solis (Birthday)

Monday November 22

6:30 a.m. The Dao's Ancestors

6:30 a.m. Anna Maria Su Nguyen (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Gus and Onie Mora (Anniversary)

8:30 a.m. Eduardo Luis Gonzales (RIP)

Tuesday November 23

6:30 a.m. Maria Khen Pham (RIP)

6:30 a.m. Anna (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Agatha Nguyen (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Philip Nguyen (RIP)

Wednesday November 24

6:30 a.m. Thanh and Thoa (Thanksgiving)

6:30 a.m. Maria Nguyen Thi Nghi (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Maria Nhon Ho (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Prospero C. Abad Santos, Jr. (Birthday)

Thursday November 25

9:30 a.m. Eufemia Cramer (RIP)

9:30 a.m. Louise Andersen (RIP)

Friday November 26

6:30 a.m. No Mass

8:30 a.m. Joseph Tang Le (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Eduardo Luis Gonzales (RIP)

Saturday November 27

8:30 a.m. Anna Maria Tran Thi Kinh (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Maria Vu Thi Hue (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Le Nguyen's Family (Intentions)

5:30 p.m. Isaida del Pilar Mora (RIP)

7:00 p.m. Francisco and Aurora Gonzalez (RIP)

7:00 p.m. Manuel Mora (RIP)

Sunday November 28

7:30 a.m. Joseph Thua Dinh (RIP)

7:30 a.m. Maria Nhlen Thi Dinh (RIP)

9:00 a.m. Ariel Inbag (Intentions)

9:00 a.m. Mentalastico Sadural (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Leonor De Pinto (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Romeo and Melba Acosta (RIP)

12:00 p.m. Eduardo Luis Gonzales (RIP)

PARISH LIFE

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Today, our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than thirty-eight million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that 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.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, November 25, 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 25, and Friday, November 26.

Happy Thanksgiving!



Archdiocese of
LOS ANGELES

90th Procession and Mass in honor of

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

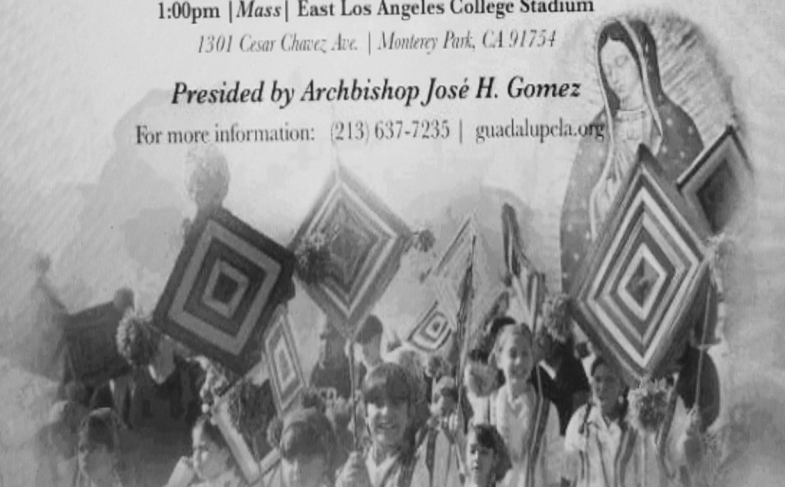
*ALWAYS FORWARD IN
MISSION AND HOPE*

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2021

10:30am | *Procession* | Corner of Cesar Chavez Ave. & Ford Blvd.
1:00pm | *Mass* | East Los Angeles College Stadium
1301 Cesar Chavez Ave. | Monterey Park, CA 91754

Presided by Archbishop José H. Gomez

For more information: (213) 637-7235 | guadalupe.org





PARISH LIFE

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

There will be no Adoration on Friday, November 26.

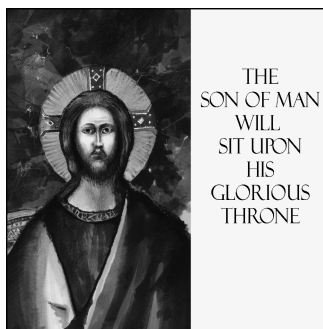
Happy Thanksgiving!



SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Honoring children's boundaries teaches important lessons about consent

As we enter into the holiday season, where many of us will spend time with extended family and friends, parents should remember to pay attention to their children's comfort levels, especially when it comes to physical affection. We want our children to be kind and considerate, so it is tempting to ask them to give hugs and kisses to family members and friends. But when children are nervous or shy, or just do not want to, it is important to honor their personal boundaries — and it teaches them a great lesson about consent over who interacts with them and their bodies. You can suggest alternatives, like high-fives or fist bumps. For more information, read "Why you shouldn't force your kids to hug relatives."



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	11-14-21	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$14,246	\$10,156	+40.3%

2021 Env \$7,591 (53.3%) E-giving \$2,488 (17.5%)

2020 Env \$6,245 (61.5%) E-giving \$2,629 (25.9%)

DEVOTIONS/PRAYER GROUPS

Rosary

Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. (Church)

Friday 7:00 p.m. (Church)

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. (Church)

Grupo de Oración

Miércoles 7:00 p.m. (Salón Parroquial)

Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursday 7:00 p.m. (Church)

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.

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

Gilbert Gonzalez, Wendy and Lisa Pelamati

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. – 5:00 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, 5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.

Elementary (Vietnamese)

Sunday, 10:00 a.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 11:30 a.m.

Adults and Youth or Teens (Spanish)

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Conference Room

Friday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.

Adults (Vietnamese)

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

Youth or Teen 12-18 years (English)

Youth Ministry Room (School Building)

Two Wednesdays a month 7:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m.

Children 7-12 years (English)

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

Two Wednesdays a month 7:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m.

Children 7-12 years (Spanish)

Youth Ministry Room (School Building)

Friday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.



EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION



HAVE YOU HEARD ? New Tuition Assistance Initiative

The Catholic Education Foundation of Los Angeles has received a \$50 million gift from the Shea Foundation to provide financial support to new elementary and high school students enrolling in an Archdiocesan school in Los Angeles, Ventura and Santa Barbara counties.

This donation is for NEW families to our Catholic school system and can be up to 50% OFF TUITION! So, if you know of a family who you think would be a wonderful addition to our #SJWFamily, but the only reason they are hesitating to apply is to cost of tuition, please pass this information along.



Applicants must meet the following qualifications:

- Student must have a registration date after 7/1/21.
- Student can be in grades Kindergarten through 8th Grade.
- Student cannot have been enrolled in an LA Archdiocese Catholic School during the Spring Semester of the 20-21 School Year.
- If students were previously enrolled in a Catholic School they should be at least 1 semester removed from the LA Catholic School system.
- Exceptions can be made if student was previously at another Catholic school that is not within a 20-mile radius of your school or if their previous catholic school has been closed.
- Student's family income must not exceed the New Enrollment Initiative: Shea Tuition Award (STA) Income Guidelines. (See below)

For more information, please
contact the School Office
at (818) 341-6616 or
mr.kruska@sjwschool.net



2021-2022 School Year - New Enrollment Initiative: Shea Tuition Award (STA)
INCOME/FINANCIAL ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

A student from a household with a total income at or below the following levels is eligible to apply for a Shea Tuition Award (STA) from the Catholic Education Foundation (CEFLA).

Household Size	Annual Gross Income (Mission 1)	Annual Gross Income (Mission 2)	Annual Gross Income (Mission 3)	Annual Gross Income (Mission 4)	Annual Gross Income (Mission 5)
1	\$19,076	\$23,606	\$26,903	\$30,200	\$33,497
2	\$22,774	\$27,894	\$30,970	\$34,046	\$37,292
3	\$27,471	\$34,182	\$38,258	\$42,334	\$45,620
4	\$33,169	\$40,470	\$45,546	\$50,622	\$54,909
5	\$40,864	\$49,758	\$55,834	\$62,910	\$68,197
6	\$50,564	\$60,046	\$67,122	\$76,200	\$81,487
7	\$62,264	\$73,334	\$81,410	\$92,490	\$98,780
8	\$75,964	\$88,622	\$98,698	\$111,980	\$119,270

Note: For each additional individual after 8 persons, add:

Mission 1: \$6,691 to \$6,959

Mission 2: \$7,762 to \$8,030

Mission 3: \$8,833 to \$9,101

Mission 4: \$9,906 to \$10,174

Mission 5: \$11,079 to \$11,347

CEFLA defines a household as all individuals living together in the same dwelling who share expenses for rent, utilities, food, clothing, and other necessities. A one-member household is a student who is higher role support, such as an institutionalized minor or adult. A foster child is only considered a one-member household if the welfare/placement agency maintains legal responsibility for the child.



JOIN OUR SCHOOL FAMILY!

YOUTH MINISTRY / TEEN CONFIRMATION

November 2021 Schedule

Confirmation Year 1:

Sunday, November 21 9:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. (Parish Hall)

-Confirmation Year 1 Session: "Jesus Christ, the God-Man & Supreme Teacher"

Confirmation Year 2:

Tuesday, November 30, 7:00 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. (Parish Hall) OR

Sunday, December 5, 9:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. (YM Room)

-Confirmation Year 2 Session: "The Eucharist & Holy Communion"



PARISH LIFE

CHRIST, THE KING

The selection from the book of Daniel presented in today's first reading was part of an attempt to weave a vision of ultimate success for the Jews under persecution. Exactly whom the author had in mind when he refers to "one like a Son of Man" is hotly disputed by scholars today. The fact is, we simply do not know if the author meant anyone in particular or if this is a collective, figurative image of Israel's triumph. What we do know is that the early Christian community seized upon this passage and recognized it as a messianic prophecy, a foretelling of the ultimate triumph of Jesus as the Christ of God. The Lectionary's juxtaposition of this text with today's Gospel narrative of Jesus before Pilate is a wonderful example of how the liturgy "layers" passages with new meaning by inserting them in a particular context. The celebration of Christ the King allows us to hear these passages with a new depth of meaning in light of our contemporary understanding of how, in Jesus and his resurrection and ascension, we have seen the fulfillment of Daniel's vision of ultimate deliverance. The veiled admission of Jesus before Pilate that he did indeed have a kingdom "not here" takes on new meaning against the cosmic vision of Daniel, who allows us to glimpse the "Ancient One" on his heavenly throne. *Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.*

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Coming to the end of the Church year, we can wonder how we got "extreme unction" out of "anointing of the sick." "Extreme" comes from a Latin phrase, in extremis, which in English refers to the last struggle of a dying person. "Last rites" is a phrase in common usage, and refers to the fact that years ago everyone waited until the last crisis of illness to summon the priest. The goal of anointing had always been healing and forgiveness, but in time it began to be seen as a preparation for death. In a hard world, almost anything from a hangnail to a sneeze could be life-threatening, so perhaps the change was inevitable. The emphasis on the penitential aspects was heightened, even to the odd practice of Rome in the twelfth century, when the sick person was sprinkled with ashes mixed with holy water and given a hair shirt as a sign of penance. The reformers thankfully overlooked some of these oddities of history, and today the sacrament of the sick is much more generously applied to persons in a wide range of situations. Still, it is a sacrament of reconciliation, and for that reason is not celebrated for an infant or toddler, although there is a rite for a visit to a sick child not including anointing or Communion. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

SINH HOẠT GIÁO XỨ

Lời Chúa trong tuần 22-11 đến 28-11-2021

Thứ hai 22-11: Thánh nữ Cê-ci-li-a, đồng trinh, tử đạo
Trang: 1662-1664; 1665-1666

Thứ ba 23-11:
Trang: 1666-1667; 1669

Thứ tư 24-11: Lễ Các Thánh Tử Đạo Việt Nam
Trang: 1669-1671; 1673

Thứ năm 25-11: Lễ Tạ Ơn
Trang: 1482

Thứ sáu 26-11:
Trang: 1678-1680; 1682

Thứ bảy 27-11:
Trang: 1682-1684; 1685

Chúa nhật 28-11: Chúa Nhật I Mùa Vọng
Trang: 15-17

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe • November 21, 2021

IN THE COMMUNITY

RESPECT LIFE

Crisis Pregnancy Hotline (800) 973-7334
Abortion Recovery Help (877) 467-3463;
www.rachelsvineyard.org
Angels Way Maternity Home (818) 346-2229

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 visit www.CEEofLA.org

RETRouvaille - MARRIAGE HELP

Retrouvaille has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too.

For confidential information about, or to register for the next program call (661) 257-7980 (English); ornelas-dachs@sbcglobal.net; or L.A. Spanish (818)996-0821 HelpOurMarriage.com

PREGNANCY COUNSELING CENTER

The Pregnancy Counseling Center has some great opportunities... Volunteer Nurses.
We would love to have you join us in this life-affirming ministry. To receive your Volunteer Application Packet please contact Norma Cano, Client Service Director (818) 895-2500 or email norma@pregnanthelp4u.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.

EMAIL SCAMS

Don't be a victim!

If you receive suspicious emails, do the following:

- Take time to consider your actions before responding to suspicious email messages.
- If in doubt, call the published main number of the parish, school or administrative office from whom the email claims to have been sent to authenticate the email message.
- Do not respond to the email if you doubt its origin.
- Please know that your priests at St. Joseph the Worker would never email you asking for money.



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52-56; Lc 21:1-4

Martes: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lc 21:5-11

Miércoles: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62-67; Lc 21:12-19

Jueves: Dn 6:12-28; Dn 3:68-74; Lc 21:20-28

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: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lc 21:29-33

Sábado: Dn 7:15-27; Dn 3:82-87; Lc 21:34-36

Domingo: Jer 33:14-16; Sal 25 (24):4-5, 8-10, 14;

1 Tes 3:12 — 4:2; Lc 21:25-28, 34-36

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Honrar los límites de los niños enseña lecciones importantes sobre el consentimiento

A medida que entramos en la temporada navideña, durante la cual muchos de nosotros pasaremos tiempo con familiares y amistades, los padres de familia deben recordar prestar atención a los niveles de comodidad de sus hijos, especialmente cuando se trata de afecto físico. Queremos que nuestros hijos sean amables y considerados, por eso es tentador pedirles que den abrazos y besos a familiares y amigos. Pero cuando los niños están nerviosos o son tímidos, o simplemente no quieren, es importante respetar sus límites personales y les enseña una gran lección sobre el consentimiento de quién interactúa con ellos y con sus cuerpos. Los padres de familia pueden sugerir alternativas, como el "high-five" o chocar mano con mano, o chocar los con los puños. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés, "Why you shouldn't force your kids to hug relatives" (Por qué usted no debería obligar a sus hijos a abrazar a sus familiares).

REQUISITOS PARA LA CELEBRACION DE UNA MISA DE QUINCE AÑOS

1. Reunirse con la secretaria parroquial o llamarla al (818) 341-6634, ext. 1003 para hacer arreglos no antes de 5 meses de la fecha deseada.
2. Presentar una copia u original de los certificados de Bautismo y Primera Comunión.
3. Deben estar ya confirmadas, en el programa de confirmación o mostrar prueba de que están registradas, ANTES DE QUE UNA FECHA PUEDA SER RESERVADA.
4. Asistir a misa regularmente.
5. La familia debe ser feligrés de la iglesia San José Obrero, ya sea porque vive dentro de los límites de nuestra parroquia, o es miembro registrado.
6. Bajo circunstancias especiales, podemos considerar familias de otras parroquias, si la fecha deseada está disponible. La cuota para los que no son feligreses es lo que su propia parroquia cobre por una misa de quinceañera.
7. Requerimos un depósito no reembolsable de \$200 para reservar la fecha.

VIDA PARROQUIAL

ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

Te invitamos a estar en presencia del **Santísimo Sacramento** todos los viernes durante este Año Jubilar de 2:00 p.m. a 7:00 p.m. en la iglesia, seguido del **Santo Rosario** a las 7:00 p.m.

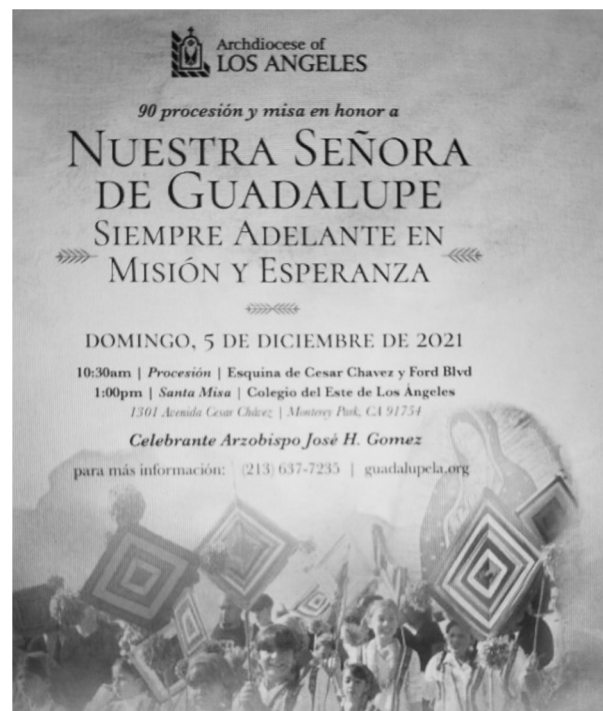


CAMPAÑA CATOLICA PARA EL DESARROLLO HUMANO

Hoy, nuestra colecta especial apoyará a la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano. Más de treinta y ocho millones de personas en los Estados Unidos viven en pobreza. Esta colecta financia programas que empoderan a las personas para identificar y tratar con los obstáculos que enfrentan mientras que trabajan para traer unos cambios permanentes y positivos a sus comunidades. Infórmense más acerca de la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano en www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

DIA DE ACCIÓN DE GRACIAS

Como en años pasados, nos uniremos para celebrar juntos la Misa de Acción de Gracias el jueves 25 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. La oficina parroquial y todos los salones estarán cerrados el jueves 25 y viernes 26 de noviembre. Feliz Día de Acción de Gracias!



¡VEN Y VERAS!

¿Estás interesada en crecer en tu fe y en encontrar el significado de la vida consagrada? Las Religiosas de las Escuelas Pías (Escolapias) te invitan jóvenes, 16 a 25 años, a tener un encuentro virtual mensual, el 3er viernes de cada mes. Visítanos en Facebook: EscolapiaspvMexico y en Instagram: EscolapiasCalifornia. Para más información llama al (818) 885-6265.



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.

PRAYER FOR THE Jubilee Year

Commemorating the 250th Anniversary of the Founding of Mission San Gabriel Arcángel by St. Junípero Serra

Most Reverend José H. Gomez
Archbishop of Los Angeles

Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
September 8, 2021

Heavenly Father, we thank You for the gift of Your servant, St. Junípero Serra, and for all the missionaries, native peoples, and immigrants who established Mission San Gabriel Arcángel, that Your Kingdom might extend to the ends of the earth.

Help us to walk in their footsteps as missionary disciples. Guided by their example, may we be always faithful and courageous in proclaiming the Gospel of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Father, look upon Your family here in Los Angeles with mercy. Taught by the Word of Truth and fed with the Bread of Life, may Your Church here always seek to do Your will, and be the sign of Your love for all peoples, who are sons and daughters of God, all of us loved and desired by You, and born for greater things.

Renew us and strengthen us, and cleanse our hearts. By Your grace, may we follow Jesus with joy and holiness of life, and together with Him build a new world of faith and a city of saints.

Through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin of Guadalupe, Mother of the Americas, may we continue always forward in the mission of St. Junípero Serra, making Jesus Christ known to every heart in every nation.

We ask this, through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit.

AMEN.



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MISSIONARY COMMITMENT PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ,
I give you thanks for calling me
to be your disciple and
for sending me to be your
missionary
in the world.

As I step forth from this holy
place, give me the grace to be
an authentic witness to your
love by my life and to proclaim
you on my lips with joy.
I ask this in your Most Holy
Name.

Amen.

For Spanish and
Vietnamese Prayers
please
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