

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 13, 2022

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

Stephanie Guilbault

Faith Formation Director

Bill Sparks

Youth Ministry and Confirmation

J. P. Fernandez

Religious Education

Karina Villanueva

Business Manager

Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

Angela Escobar

Salvation in Christ

Today's Gospel reminds us that nothing in this world will last forever. As his disciples admire the buildings of the temple, Jesus foretells "the days will come when there will not be left a stone upon another stone." (Lk 21:6) Even before signs that the end is near, we can only be certain that we will face trials and troubles in this life. But if we put our faith in Christ, Jesus tells us that "not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives." (Lk 21:18-19)



James Tissot
**The disciples admire
the buildings
of the temple** (1886-1894)
Brooklyn Museum
Brooklyn, New York

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Parish Center Hours: Mon.-Fri.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00 -7:00 p.m. • Sat.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. • Sun.: Closed



READINGS OF 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

Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48 or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33

Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40

Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20;

Lk 23:35-43

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 13

7:30 a.m. Maria Lam T. Gam (RIP)

7:30 a.m. Thomas Lam Ruan (RIP)

9:00 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

9:00 a.m. Raeangela Rodriguez (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Peter Chanh Nguyen (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Evadne Bartholomeusz (RIP)

12:00 p.m. Manuel Gutierrez (RIP)

12:00 p.m. Crisostoma Salazar (RIP)

Monday November 14

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

6:30 a.m. Domico Hoang Vu (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Manuel Tiu (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Rene Iskander (RIP)

Tuesday November 15

6:30 a.m. Anphongso Nguyen Kinh Doanh (RIP)

6:30 a.m. Anton Nguyen Nhattan (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Edward Sales, Sr. (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Robert Hernandez (RIP)

Wednesday November 16

6:30 a.m. Guise Long Ngo (RIP)

6:30 a.m. Rosalia Caceres (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Geronimo S. Gonzales (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Gloria Simon (RIP)

Thursday November 17

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

6:30 a.m. Phero Pham Van Chac (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Manuel Ang, Jr. (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Maria Rejina Ramos (RIP)

Friday November 18

6:30 a.m. Ana Nguyen Thi Dan (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Delia Llanes Lao (RIP)

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

Saturday November 19

8:30 a.m. Vanessa De Leon Del Rosario (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Nona Hermosura (Get Well)

5:30 p.m. Jose "Boy" Koppin (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Gloria Ramos (RIP)

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

7:00 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

Sunday November 20

7:30 a.m. Giuse Nguyen V. Cuong (RIP)

7:30 a.m. Giuse Vu Van Cu and Giuse Vu Hung Cuong (RIP)

9:00 a.m. Joseph Thua Dinh (RIP)

9:00 a.m. Joseph Thien Dinh (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Eva Fernandez (Get Well)

10:30 a.m. Philip Thiet Nguyen (RIP)

12:00 p.m. Carlos and Laura Gonzales (Anniversary)

12:00 p.m. Lupe Escobar (RIP)

PARISH LIFE

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, November 24, 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 24, and Friday, November 25. Happy Thanksgiving!

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Working on the Margins

Next week, 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.

THE END OF DAYS

As we prepare for next Sunday's feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, we hear descriptions of dire and catastrophic events. Sometimes it seems as though we ourselves are living in the end times, when life as we currently know it will cease for everyone. In answer to what must have been a fearful question, Jesus does not sugarcoat his foretelling of future days. Nor does the Old Testament prophet Malachi flinch from his pronouncements upon an evil world. Saint Paul, still writing to the Thessalonians, warns them prophetically against succumbing to "The End Is Near" syndrome—indolence in the face of the final days. However, both Jesus and Malachi speak of the recompense for living a just life—healing and vindication. Our Psalm 98, typically associated with Christmastime, helps us to rejoice for the King who is coming to rule with justice. *Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.*

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

This week might be a good time to stock our spiritual cupboard along with our kitchen cupboard in preparation for our celebration of Thanksgiving. Before there was a Thanksgiving Day, even before there were Pilgrims, the Roman Catholic Church celebrated Ember Days ("change-of-season days") as periods of thanksgiving for seasonal harvests. This means it is a customary Catholic way to give thanks to God through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. In the 1969 reformed calendar it was left up to the national conferences of bishops to set dates for Ember Days. (The ones on the old calendar fit a Mediterranean climate, and on the new calendar it was imagined that each nation knew best when to schedule such seasonally oriented days.) The United States bishops have not yet resurrected Ember Days, Rogations Days, and other national days of prayer. However, tucked within Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers (a book published by the U. S. bishops) is a chapter on Ember Days that proposes, among others, the three days before Thanksgiving as days of prayer, charity, and fasting. Why wait for an official proclamation? Why not undertake to observe those three days in that way in your parish, or even in your family? What could be more natural at this time of year? —James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Due to the holidays the Sunday bulletins for **November 27 and December 4** have to be sent to the printer earlier than usual. If your group or ministry would like to include something in that bulletin, please bring a copy of the announcement to the Parish Center or email it to: angela_escobar4@hotmail.com by Monday, November 14



PARISH LIFE

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

We invite you to be in the presence
of the **Blessed Sacrament** every Friday
from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
in the church



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is holding a food drive to help feed families in need from our community. Place bagged, non-perishable food in the bins near the church entrances or bring it to the parish center. (Do not leave donations outside.) The list of needed items:

- Frozen Turkeys
- Canned Vegetables (any kind)
- Chicken Broth
- Cranberry Sauce
- Cake Mix
- Cooking Oil
- Canned Sweet Potatoes or Jams
- Evaporated Milk
- Flour and Sugar
- Canned Fruit (any kind)
- Jello or Pudding
- Mashed Potatoes and Gravy
- Stuffing

In lieu of giving food, SVDP also accepts Ralph's or Food for Less gift cards, or a financial donation to the SVDP PayPal account. The last day to donate is **Friday, November 18**. See website for more details.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

The St. Joseph the Worker Charismatic Prayer Group invites everyone to join us in the church every Thursday night from 7:00pm to 9:00pm for an evening of praise and worship, bible reflection, group sharing and every third Thursday is a scheduled healing service.

Healing Service:

November 17 - Fr. Ramon Valera, Pastor, St. John Baptist De La Salle, Granada Hills

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	11-06-22	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$17,004	\$14,485	+17.4%

2022 Env \$8,123 (47.8%) E-giving \$3,733 (22.0%)
2021 Env \$6,631 (45.8%) E-giving \$3,854 (26.7%)

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, Hazel Villanueva, Sofia McKee, Raul Andia, Juana Ibañez, Joseph Alvarez, Adorable Manabat, Kurt Backe, Sisters Erlinda and Angelina Pocasangre Escobar, John Rath

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)

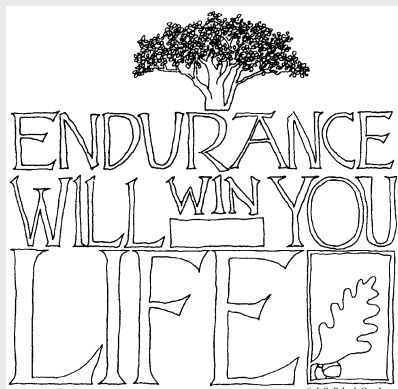
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Two Wednesdays a month 7:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m.

Children 7–12 years (Spanish)

Youth Ministry Room (School Building)

Friday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.



EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Call Karina at (818) 341-6634, ext. 1016 for information.



CONFIRMATION AND YOUTH MINISTRY

Confirmation Year 1:

Tuesday, November 15, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall)

OR Sunday, November 20, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Christ's Great Teaching: The Trinity"

Tuesday, December 6, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, December 11, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Jesus Christ: Our Redeemer"

Confirmation Year 2:

Sunday, November 13, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Structure of the Mass"

Tuesday, December 13, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall)

OR Sunday, December 18, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Reconciliation"

Service Projects & Youth Nights:

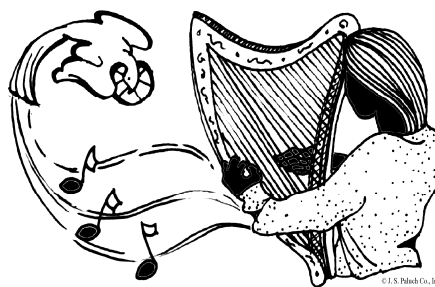
Friday, November 18, 6pm to 9pm (Hall): Thanksgiving Gift Baskets Preparation (St. Vincent de Paul)

Saturday, November 19, 8:30am to 6pm (Hall & Parking Lot): Thanksgiving Gift Baskets Distribution (St. Vincent de Paul)

Saturday, December 17, 8:30am to 6pm (Hall & Parking Lot): Toy Drive and Distribution (St. Vincent de Paul)

Tuesday, December 20, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall): Christmas Party & Canned Food Drive

For information contact JP Fernandez (818) 341-6634, ext. 1018



SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Fly safely this holiday season

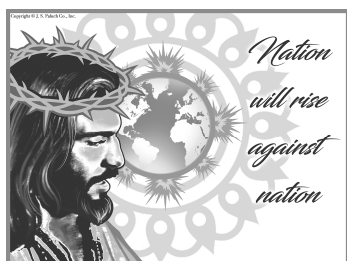
If you are traveling to visit family or friends this Thanksgiving, these tips from the American Academy of Pediatrics can help you prepare for smooth and safe flights. Allow your family extra time to get through airport security. Talk to your children about the screening process ahead of time so they know what to expect and what to do. If for some reason you, or your children, are selected for further screening for some reason, stand close by so you can see one another during the process. For more information, visit healthychildren.org/English/safety-prevention/on-the-go/Pages/Travel-Safety-Tips.



PARISH LIFE

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.



MASS INTENTIONS

We are accepting Mass Intention Requests for the period **January through March 2023**. You may download and print the Mass Intention Request form from our website or get one at the Parish Center. Complete the form and deliver or mail it to the Parish Center with your \$10 per Mass donation. A check payable to St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church is preferred; cash is accepted (exact amount, please). There is a limit of four requests per family. We do not accept phone requests.

SINH HOẠT GIÁO XỨ

LỜI CHÚA TRONG TUẦN 14-11-2022 ĐẾN 20-11-2022

Thứ hai 14-11:

Trang: 1631-1633

Thứ ba 15-11:

Trang: 1635-1637

Thứ tư 16-11:

Trang: 1640-1643

Thứ năm 17-11: Thánh Ê-li-za-bét nước Hung-ga-ri

Trang: 1645-1647

Thứ sáu 18-11:

Trang: 1648-1649

Thứ bảy 19-11:

Trang: 1651-1654

Chúa nhật 20-11: Lễ Chúa Giê-su Ki-tô Vua Vũ Trụ

Trang: 1660-1662

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

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.

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 or email: ornelasdachs@sbcglobal.net or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

SAVE THE DATES NOVEMBER 19-20, 2022

HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE IS RETURNING AT ST. BERNARDINE CHURCH, WOODLAND HILLS!

Whether you are a crafter, foodie or direct sales person, there is still space for more Vendors. We are currently 50% plus full. If you are interested, email Peggy Pryor – (818) 888-8200; ppryor@stbernardine.org.

HOLY SPIRIT RETREAT CENTER

Cook position - Holy Spirit Retreat Center is looking for a person to work in the kitchen. The job involves food preparation, cooking, serving, cleaning the kitchen and dining room, and shopping for food and supplies. The position is full-time and includes working weekends. The salary is \$17.00 to start and includes medical benefits. Some experience in cooking for large groups and some proficiency in English is required. If interested, please contact Maria Simental at 818-385-7831.

Gardener position - Holy Spirit Retreat Center is looking for a gardener. The position is full-time and involves caring for the grounds of the retreat center. Experience in all aspects of gardening, especially correct pruning of trees and shrubs, and knowledge of repairing and maintaining sprinklers and working with PVC is required. The salary is \$18.00 per hour and the position includes medical benefits. If interested, please contact Michael Bray at: 818-815-4481.



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 (14):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

Viernes: Ap 10:8-11; Sal 119 (118):14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lc 19:45-48 o (para el memorial de la Dedicación) Hch 28:11-16, 30-31; Sal 98 (97):1-6; Mt 14:22-33

Sábado: Ap 11:4-12; Sal 144 (143):1b, 2, 9-10;

Lc 20:27-40

Domingo: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Sal 122 (121):1-5; Col 1:12-20;

Lc 23:35-43

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Viaje con seguridad en esta temporada de fiestas

Si viaja para visitar a familiares o amigos el Día de Acción de Gracias, estos consejos de la Academia Estadounidense de Pediatría pueden ayudarle a prepararse para vuelos tranquilos y seguros. Asegúrese de que su familia tenga tiempo extra para pasar por el control de seguridad del aeropuerto. Hable con sus hijos sobre el proceso de revisión con anticipación para que sepan qué esperar y qué hacer. Si por alguna razón usted o sus hijos son seleccionados para una revisión adicional, manténgase cerca para que todos puedan verse todo el tiempo que dure el proceso. Para obtener más información, visite el sitio en inglés, healthychildren.org/English/safety-prevention/on-the-go/Pages/Travel-Safety-Tips.

REGISTRACIÓN PARROQUIAL

Si vive en el área de la parroquia o aunque no viva en el área viene a misa aquí, es muy importante que se registre. Puede recoger una forma en el vestíbulo de la iglesia o en la oficina parroquial. Si se registra será más fácil para nosotros ayudarle sea con una carta, misa o preparación de algún sacramento. Gracias.

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 15 años.
7. Requerimos un depósito no reembolsable de \$200 para reservar la fecha.

VIDA PARROQUIAL



ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

Los invitamos a estar en la presencia del **Santísimo Sacramento** todos los viernes de 5:00 p.m. a 7:00 p.m. en la iglesia. Los Primeros Viernes tendremos el **Santo Rosario** a las 7:00 p.m. seguido de la misa en español a las 7:30 p.m.

DÍA DE ACCIÓN DE GRACIAS

Como en años pasados, nos uniremos para celebrar juntos la Misa de Acción de Gracias el jueves 24 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 24 y viernes 25 de noviembre. ¡Feliz Día de Acción de Gracias!

COLECTA ARQUIDIOCESANA

Más de 43 millones de personas en los EEUU viven en pobreza. La colecta de la próxima semana 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. De antemano agradecemos su generosidad en la segunda colecta de la próxima semana.



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EL FIN DE LOS DÍAS

Mientras nos preparamos para el próximo domingo para la fiesta de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, Rey del Universo, escuchamos descripciones de acontecimientos funestos y catastróficos. A veces parece que nosotros mismos estamos viviendo el final de los tiempos, cuando la vida, así como actualmente la conocemos terminará para todos. En respuesta a lo que debe haber sido una pregunta temerosa, Jesús no endulza su predicción para los días futuros. Ni el profeta Malaquías del Antiguo Testamento flaquea de sus declaraciones sobre un mundo malvado. San Pablo, todavía escribiendo a los tesalonicenses, les advierte proféticamente en contra de caer en el síndrome de "El final se acerca", es decir, a la pereza ante los últimos días. Sin embargo, tanto Jesús como Malaquías hablan de la recompensa por llevar una vida justa, curación y reivindicación. Nuestro salmo 98, típicamente asociado con la Navidad, nos ayuda a alegrarnos por el Rey que ya viene a gobernar con justicia. *Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.*

ANUNCIOS EN EL BOLETIN

Debido a los días festivos, los boletines del 27 de noviembre y el 4 de diciembre serán enviados a la imprenta antes de lo acostumbrado. Si su ministerio desea incluir algún anuncio por favor comuníquese con Angela Escobar, (818) 341-6634 anexo 1003, a más tardar el lunes 14 de noviembre al mediodía.



A SYMBOL OF TRUST

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REQUESTING USE OF PARISH FACILITIES

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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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