

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

MISSION STATEMENT

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER is a Eucharistic community of believers commissioned through our Baptism to share the Gospel message of Jesus Christ with all people. Out of our diversity we create unity through respect for every person, common celebrations, sacramental worship, Christian education of all ages, and outreach programs.

1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

NOVEMBER 27, 2022

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

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Rev. Alberto Villalobos

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Youth Ministry and Confirmation

J. P. Fernandez

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Business Manager

Mike Stafford

Parish Secretary

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ADVENT

Hope

Happy

New Liturgical Year.

This Sunday is the beginning of Advent, a time of expectation and preparation for Christmas. As we light the first candle, a symbol of light shining in darkness, we celebrate our hope in the coming of the Jesus Christ.



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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 -7:00 p.m. • Sat.: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. • Sun.: Closed



READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday: Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a;
Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6;
Mt 9:35 – 10:1, 5a, 6-8

Sunday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

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 27

7:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
7:30 a.m. Giuse Maria Pham Ung (RIP)
9:00 a.m. Maria Nguyen Thi Lam (RIP)
9:00 a.m. Maria La Dinh (RIP)
10:30 a.m. Evelyn Bartholomeusz (RIP)
10:30 a.m. Agatha Mao Dang (RIP)
12:00 p.m. Sonia Quintanilla (Thanksgiving)
12:00 p.m. Sandoval Ramirez Family (Intentions)

Monday November 28

6:30 a.m. Riza De Los Reyes (Birthday)
6:30 a.m. Maria Vy Do (Birthday)
8:30 a.m. Lan Do (Birthday)

Tuesday November 29

6:30 a.m. Guise Long Ngo (RIP)
8:30 a.m. Virginia Reiber (RIP)

Wednesday November 30

6:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
8:30 a.m. Rolando Morales (RIP)

Thursday December 1

6:30 a.m. Alfonso Castellanos Luna (RIP)
6:30 a.m. Theresa Nguyen (RIP)
8:30 a.m. Tang Thi Suu (RIP)
8:30 a.m. Roberto Hernandez (RIP)

Friday December 2

6:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
8:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

Saturday December 3

8:30 a.m. Carl Ascencio Beufrand (RIP)
5:30 p.m. Mahen Gunatilake (RIP)
5:30 p.m. The Sutherland Family (RIP)
7:00 p.m. Ponciano Torres (RIP)
7:00 p.m. Juana Castañeda (RIP)

Sunday December 4

7:30 a.m. Anna Nguyen Thi Viem (RIP)
7:30 a.m. Maria Lam Gam (RIP)
9:00 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)
9:00 a.m. Joseph Thua Dinh (RIP)
10:30 a.m. Giuse Nguyen Van Can (RIP)
10:30 a.m. Milcy Mendis (RIP)
12:00 p.m. Carlos Roberto Lopez (RIP)
12:00 p.m. Juana Ibañez (RIP)

PARISH LIFE

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION FEAST DAY

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

This year Masses are as follows:

December 7 6:45 p.m. (English)
(Vigil Day)

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

SJW ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

Join us on **Wednesday, December 14**, at 7:00 p.m. for our Advent Penance Service. There will be many priests available for confession.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Monday, December 12, all of the Americas will be celebrating the feast in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe. She has been titled Empress of the Americas, Spain, and the Philippines and Queen of Mexico. This devotion began in 1531, shortly after the Spanish conquest of the Aztec people by Cortez. Early on the morning of December 9, the Indian peasant Juan Diego was en route to Mass when Mary appeared to him. Mary requested that a church be built there “so that in it I can show and send forth all my love, compassion, help and defense.” Juan Diego brought the message to Bishop Zumárraga who was skeptical and demanded a sign from heaven. Mary again appeared to Juan Diego telling him where to find fresh flowers to show to the bishop. The young Aztec Christian gathered fresh roses from the frozen ground and cradled them in his rough tilma (cloak) as he returned to the Bishop. Bishop Zumárraga fell to his knees in amazement, not at the sight of a rose in winter, but at the image of the Virgin Mary fixed into the fibers of Juan Diego’s tilma. In the astrological beliefs so central to Aztec culture, the sun god and the gods of moon and stars waged a daily battle of light and darkness. Mary’s image eclipses the sun whose rays can still be seen. Standing upon the moon, with stars decorating her mantle, she is depicted as greater than, though not destroying, the Indian gods. Mary speaks to Juan Diego in his native language. She has the features and complexion of an Aztec maiden. After the bloody conquest of 1521, the Indians of Mexico were slow to respond to any missionary efforts. Christianity was closely associated with conquest. Just seven years after the apparitions at Tepeyac, however, an estimated four to six million became Christians. Amidst great suffering, the people were consoled by Mary’s simple message: “I want to protect you. I want to right the wrongs.” In the ensuing four hundred years people have continued to turn to the Virgin of Guadalupe with devotion and confidence in their moments of trial. Mary still looks compassionately upon the poor and renews her promise:



“I will hear your lamentations and remedy your miseries, pains and sufferings. Be not afraid, am I not here, am I not your mother?”

DECEMBER 3 - 10 NOVENA
DECEMBER 12 MAÑANITAS - 4:00 A.M.
MASS - 5:00 A.M.
MASS - 7:00 P.M.

Please join us for any or all of these celebrations and for fellowship in the Parish Hall following the 5:00 a.m. Mass. Also, after the 7:00 p.m. Mass you are all invited to continue the celebration.



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



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.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

The St. Joseph the Worker Charismatic Prayer invites everyone to join us in the church 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 every third Thursday is a scheduled healing service.

All are welcome!

RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS HELP CARE FOR ELDERLY

"Thanks to support from the Retirement Fund for Religious, we are now in a much better position to care for our elders," writes a religious sister. Your donation helps her religious community and hundreds of others provide for aging members and plan for long-term needs. Please give to the Retirement Fund for Religious on **December 10 and 11**. Please be generous.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is hosting it's annual toy drive for children in need within our community. Beginning **Sunday, December 4**, please take a tag off the Christmas trees which indicates the age and gender of a child. Then, return the tag attached to a wrapped gift for that child and place it under the tree, no later than **Friday, December 16**. In lieu of a present, gift cards to Target will also be accepted.

ENVIRONMENT FOR ADVENT & CHRISTMAS

We are asking your assistance with our decorations:

• **Lights:** String or spool of at least 300 lights or more (68 feet or longer) CLEAR MINI LIGHTS. Bring your donation to the Parish Center by **December 10**.

• **Poinsettia plants:** Please bring to the Church anytime after **December 19** (Red & white varieties). Add your own intentions with your donated plant.

If you would like to help with the actual decorating, please contact the Parish Center (818) 341-6634 for the times we will be working. Thank you for your generosity and helping to make our church and grounds beautiful for the Christmas season.

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)

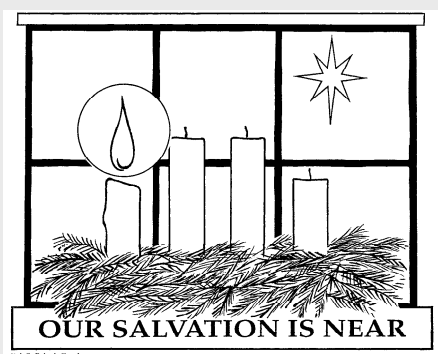
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EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

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



CONFIRMATION AND YOUTH MINISTRY

Confirmation Year 1:

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

Tuesday, January 10, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, January 15, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "The Resurrection of Jesus"

Tuesday, January 24, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, January 29, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Christ's Promise: The Gift of the Holy Spirit"

Confirmation Year 2:

Tuesday, December 13, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, December 18, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Reconciliation"

Tuesday, January 17, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, January 22, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "The Anointing of the Sick"

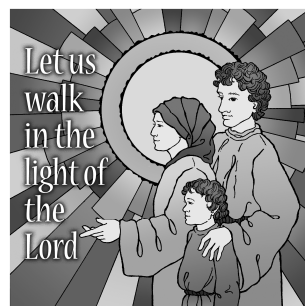
Tuesday, January 31, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, February 5, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Holy Orders"

Service Projects & Youth Nights:

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



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SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Dangerous TikTok trend: "sleepy chicken"

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) recently issued a notice advising people against participating in a dangerous TikTok trend: cooking chicken in NyQuil, a nighttime cold medicine. According to videos on the popular social media site, people are cooking "sleepy chicken" as a challenge, but the FDA warning indicates it may be more than a harmless joke. Cooking with cough medicine can lead to a person ingesting dangerously high amounts of codeine that can cause serious health complications and even death. For more information about this trend, read The New York Times article here: <https://www.nytimes.com/2022/09/21/technology/nyquil-chicken-tiktok-fda.html>.



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.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Due to the holidays the Sunday bulletins for **December 25 and January 1st** 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: angel_escobar4@hotmail.com by **Monday, November 28** at noon.

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 28-11-2022 ĐẾN 04-12-2022

Thứ hai 28-11:
Trang: 17-20

Thứ ba 29-11:
Trang: 20-22

Thứ tư 30-11: Thánh An-rê, tông đồ
Trang: 1877-1879

Thứ năm 01-12:
Trang: 25-26

Thứ sáu 02-12:
Trang: 27-28

Thứ bảy 03-12: Thánh Phan-xi-cô Xa-vi-ê, Linh mục
Trang: 29-31

Chúa nhật 04-12: Chúa Nhật II Mùa Vọng
Trang: 31-34

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 (English); ornelas-dachs@sbcglobal.net; or L.A. Spanish (818)996-0821 HelpOurMarriage.com

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

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: Is 4:2-6; Sal 122 (121):1-9; Mt 8:5-11

Martes: Is 11:1-10; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lc 10:21-24

Miércoles: Rom 10:9-18; Sal 19 (18):8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Jueves: Is 26:1-6; Sal 118 (117):1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27

Viernes: Is 29:17-24; Sal 27 (26):1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31

Sábado: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Sal 147 (146):1-6; Mt 9:35 – 10:1, 5a, 6-8

Domingo: Is 11:1-10; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Tendencia peligrosa de TikTok: “pollo dormido”

La Administración de Alimentos y Medicamentos (FDA, por sus siglas en inglés) emitió recientemente un aviso que advierte a las personas que no participen en una tendencia peligrosa de TikTok: cocinar pollo en NyQuil, un medicamento para el resfriado nocturno. Según videos en el popular sitio de redes sociales, la gente está cocinando “pollo dormido” como un desafío, pero la advertencia de la FDA indica que puede ser más que una broma inofensiva. Cocinar con medicamentos para la tos puede hacer que una persona ingiera cantidades peligrosamente altas de codeína que pueden causar complicaciones de salud graves e incluso la muerte. Para obtener más información sobre esta tendencia, lea el artículo en inglés de The New York Times aquí: <https://www.nytimes.com/2022/09/21/technology/nyquil-chicken-tiktok-fda.html>.

ANUNCIOS EN EL BOLETIN

Debido a los días festivos, los boletines del **25 de diciembre** y el **1ero de enero** 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 28 de noviembre** al mediodía.

REQUISITOS PARA LA CELEBRACION

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 una 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

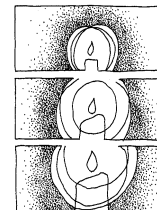
Los invitamos a estar en la presencia del **Santísimo Sacramento** todos los viernes de 5:00 p.m. a 7:00 p.m. en la iglesia. Los Primeros Viernes tendremos el **Santo Rosario** a las 7:00 p.m. seguido de la misa en español a las 7:30 p.m.

CALENDARIO DE ADVIENTO 2022

Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción

(Día de Obligación)

Jueves 8 de diciembre Misa en español 8:00 p.m.



Servicio Penitencial

Miércoles 14 de diciembre

7:00 p.m.

Aproveche de confesarse y prepararse mejor para recibir a nuestro Redentor esta Navidad. Muchos sacerdotes disponibles.

Novena a la Virgen de Guadalupe

Todos están invitados a la novena en honor a la Virgen de Guadalupe del 3 al 10 de diciembre empezando a las 7:00 p.m.

Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

Lunes 12 de diciembre	Mañanitas	4:00 a.m.
	Misa de la Aurora	5:00 a.m.
	Compartimiento	6:00 a.m.
	Misa	7:00 p.m.
	Compartimiento	8:00 p.m.

SIMBANG GABI

(Posada Navideña Filipina)

Jueves 22 de diciembre Iglesia 7:00 p.m.

FONDO PARA LA JUBILACIÓN DE RELIGIOSOS

Ayuden a cuidar a los ancianos “Gracias al apoyo que da el Fondo para la Jubilación de Religiosos hoy estamos en una mucho mejor posición para cuidar a nuestros ancianos”, escribe una hermana religiosa. Su donativo ayuda a su comunidad religiosa, y a cientos de otras, a proveer para sus miembros de edad avanzada y planificar para sus necesidades a largo plazo. Les rogamos que sean generosos el fin de semana del **10 y 11 de diciembre** en la colecta para el Fondo para la Jubilación de Religiosos.

COLECTA DE JUGUETES NAVIDEÑOS

La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl está organizando su **colecta anual de juguetes** para niños necesitados dentro de nuestra comunidad. A partir del **4 de diciembre**, retire una etiqueta de los árboles de Navidad que indique la edad y el sexo de un niño. Luego, devuelva la etiqueta adherida a un regalo envuelto para ese niño y colóquela debajo del árbol, a más tardar el **viernes 16 de diciembre**. En lugar de un regalo, también se aceptarán tarjetas de regalo para Target.



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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.

Patroness of the Americas

Our Lady of Guadalupe

December 12

4:00 a.m.

Las Mañanitas

Traditional Morning

Songs

to Our Lady

5:00 a.m.

Misa de la Aurora

(Mass at Dawn)

Fellowship after Mass

7:00 p.m., Mass

Fellowship after Mass



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Wednesday

December 14

7:00 p.m.

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