

#### 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**JULY 30, 2023** 

#### 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**

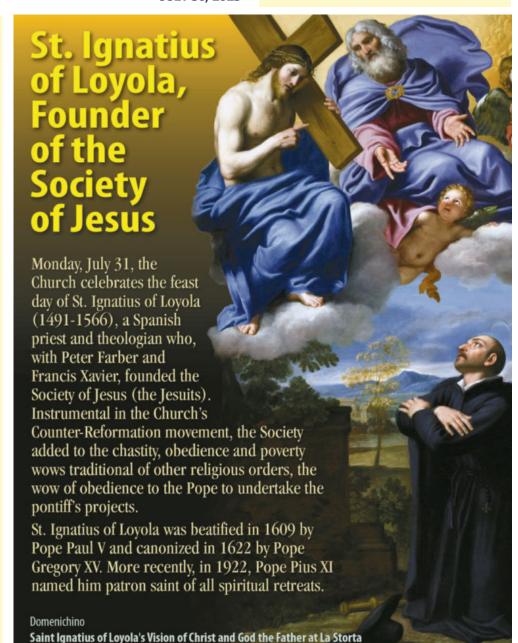
Karina Villanueva

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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**

**Sunday:** 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130 (97a)/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46 **Monday:** Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/

Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11,

12-13/Mt 13:36-43

**Wednesday:** Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46 **Thursday:** Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a,

11/Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6,

10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

**Saturday:** Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12 **Sunday:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

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Sunday	July 30				
7:30 a.m.	Guise Vu Hung Cuong (Intentions)				
7:30 a.m.	Joseph Thua Dinh (RIP)				
9:00 a.m.	Erika Millado (Birthday)				
9:00 a.m.	Rowena Landas (RIP)				
10:30 a.m.	Colleen Trujillo (RIP)				
10:30 a.m.	Navarro Family (Thanksgiving)				
12:00 p.m.	Ramiro Gonzalez (RIP)				
Monday	July 31				
6:30 a.m.	Vincent Hien Dang (RIP)				
8:30 a.m.	Juvin Ignatius Dalay (RIP)				
8:30 a.m.	Maria Pham Luom (RIP)				
Tuesday	August 1				
6:30 a.m.	Norma Fortaleza (RIP)				
6:30 a.m.	Hoang Vu (RIP)				
8:30 a.m.	Maria Nguyen Thi Phuong (RIP)				
Wednesday	August 2				
6:30 a.m.	Sylvanna Esposito (Get Well)				
8:30 a.m.	Raymond Abad (Birthday)				
Thursday	August 3				
6:30 a.m.	SJW Parishioners (Intentions)				
8:30 a.m.	Ronald de Leon (RIP)				
Friday	August 4				
6:30 a.m.	Teri Lynn Cortez (Birthday)				
8:30 a.m.	SJW Parishioners (Intentions)				
Saturday	August 5				
8:30 a.m.	Memorial Society				
8:30 a.m.	Adrian S. Catap (Birthday)				
5:30 p.m.	SJW Parishioners (Intentions)				
7:00 p.m.	Otto Ortiz (RIP)				
Sunday	August 6				
7:30 a.m.	Ba Maria Lam Thi Gam (RIP)				
7:30 a.m.	Org Giuse Nguyen Can (RIP)				
9:00 a.m.	Vidiamor Morales, Jr. (Birthday)				
9:00 a.m.	Irene Morales (Thanksgiving)				
10:30 a.m.	Jonathan Mendez (Birthday)				
10:30 a.m.	Daniel Flores (RIP)				
12:00 p.m.	SJW Parishioners (Intentions)				

# THY KINGDOM COME!

#### PARISH LIFE

# AUGUSTINIANS OF THE ASSUMPTION MISSION APPEAL - AUGUST 26 AND 27

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles collaborates with mission groups every year to raise fund for their missions through a program called the Missionary Cooperative Plan. The group assigned to our parish this year is the Augustinians of the Assumption. Fr. Rodel Cervantes, A.A. will be speaking to us. There will be a second collection to support them in their work.

From the very beginning, the Assumptionists have been engaged in a wide variety of apostolic works. All that advances the coming of the Reign of God has always been deemed worthy of our apostolic energy. It's a preference for poor, in response to the Gospel and to the Church calling us today to be on their side. For us too it's a consequence of our own vow to live as poor men. Some will dedicate themselves full-time to this work: with marginalized people of every kind, in hospitals and in prisons, "worker priests" or volunteers in different organizations ... But all of us try to live in union with the poor, because "the poor will always be with us", because the poor are too often neglected even within the Church. This is a bias that the Assumption encourages. Our Province of North America and the Philippines is specifically responsible for the missions in East Africa (Kenya and Tanzania), Mexico and the Philippines. We provide personnel and financial assistance that is indispensable in order to maintain our charitable works (schools and nurseries) and formation programs for both laity and clergy in these countries. Many of our apostolates in these countries specifically work to better the living conditions of the impoverished brothers and sisters we live with and minister to. In the Philippines, we sponsor education and aid programs for underprivileged villages both in the Manilla area and in other mission centers. Our newly founded parish in Orizaba, Veracruz Mexico ministers to an underserved indigenous community.

#### Assumptionist Missionary Activities

The Venerable Emmanuel d'Alzon founded the Assumptionists in Nimes, France in 1850. He gave us as a motto "Thy Kingdom Come" to underline that "the coming of the reign of Jesus Christ for ourselves and for our neighbor is what we propose before everything else." We are to achieve this "by our complete submission, not only to the teaching of the Church, but also to the spirit of such teaching." (d'Alzon) Any work which fosters the extension of the Kingdom falls within the spirit of our works of education at the secondary and college levels, pilgrimages, ecumenism, parish ministry, missions and journalism. Bayard Press publishes in the US "Catholic Digest" and "Living with Christ." Presently we number some 900 priests and brothers working in 30 countries. We are renewing our ministry in Russia, Bulgaria, and Romania. Three Bulgarian Assumptionists, martyred by the communists in 1952, were beatified by Pope John Paul II in Plovdiv, Bulgaria on May 26, 2002. We perform specialized ministries in Greece, Turkey, Israel, and Madagascar. The African province includes the Congo, Kenya, and Tanzania. In South America we work in Colombia, Brazil, Chile, Argentina, and Ecuador. We also help staff a mission in Korea and Vietnam. In January 2006 we opened our new mission in Manila in the Philippines. Our Province of North America is specifically responsible for the missions in East Africa (Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda), Mexico and the Philippines. We provide personnel and financial assistance that is indispensable in order to maintain our charitable works (schools and nurseries) and formation programs for both laity and clergy in these countries. Many of our apostolates in these countries specifically work to better the living conditions of the impoverished brothers and sisters we live with and minister to. In the Philippines, we sponsor education and aid programs for underprivileged villages both in the Manila area and in other mission centers. Our newly founded parish in Orizaba, Veracruz Mexico ministers to an underserved indigenous community. We apply the proceeds of our Mission Appeals to the needs of our brothers in Mexico, East Africa and the Philippines.

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#### PARISH LIFE

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

We remind you that during the summer months we will not have the Blessed Sacrament exposed. It will resume on **Friday, September 8.** 



#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

Your food donation is very well appreciated. Please bring the items to the SVDP donation bins at the entrances of the church or on Saturday morning at the SVDP pantry. When making donations to the needy of the parish please make checks payable to: *The St. Vincent de Paul Society* and take them to the Parish Center or visit the SVDP page on the parish website and you can donate online through PayPal.

#### CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Are you seeking to grow spiritually? Come and 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, video presentation and talks to help us grow in faith. Learn about the activities of our various ministries: Intercessory, Healing, Liturgy, Marian, Evangelization, Pastoral, Service and be an active participant in our Charismatic community.

Join us for a Healing Service on **August 17** with Fr. John Cordero, Pastor, Holy Family Catholic Church, Artesia.



#### 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	07/23/23	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$12,030	\$10,552	+14.0%

2023 Env \$5,578 (46.4%) E-giving \$1,613 (13.4%) 2022 Env \$4,227 (40.1%) E-giving \$2,048 (19.4%)

#### **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

Wendy Pelamati, Hazel Villanueva, Sofia Mckee, Raul Andia, Juana Ibañez, Joseph Alvarez, Adorable Manabat, Kurt Backe, Sisters Erlinda and Angelina Pocasangre Escobar, John Rath, Victoria Spinoza, Dolores Rodriguez Calle, Maria Ines Medina, Brenda Aguilar

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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Friday 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

#### SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

#### Why is it important to screen volunteers and staff?

A screening process for hiring new staff members or volunteers is critical to protecting children, because this process makes it harder for abusers to gain access to potential victims. When organizations are careful about screening, it sends a message that they are committed to preventing child abuse. Screening practices can include requiring standard application information, or thorough references and criminal background checks. For more information on screening processes, read the VIR-TUS®article "The Importance of Screening and Selecting Employees and Volunteers" at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

### **EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION**

#### **YOUTH NEWS**

#### SJW Youth Ministry Schedule

These activities are open to ALL Jr. High and High School aged youth. Email jpf@sjwchurch.com for any questions

Youth Mass: Every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

#### **Confirmation In-Person Registration Schedule**

Now to August 3, 2023

Every Thursday from 5:30pm to 8:30pm (Patio – Parking Lot) and Every Sunday from 9:00am to 12pm (Patio – Parking Lot)



# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS



To enroll for the upcoming Religious Education 2023-2024, please follow this steps during the months of July and August:

- 1. PRINT out registration forms from the website or PICK a registration package in the Parish Center office.
- 2. Return forms with documents required and payment to the parish office or to JP Fernandez (Confirmation Coordinator) Tuesdays or Thursdays: 5:30-8:30pm or Sundays: 9:00am-12:00pm now to August 3rd. School pavilion-parking lot.

Please include a COPY of your child's baptismal and birth certificates with forms and tuition fee.

We accept payments via check, cash or money order only. (If paying in cash, please bring exact amount) Make checks and money orders payable to "St. Joseph the Worker"

**FEES: Year One Families** -Faith Formation Beginners \$80.00 (one child), \$125.00 (two children), \$160 (three children) - Sibling - same household Please include a COPY of your child's baptismal and birth certificates with forms.

Year Two Families – Sacramental Year \$105.00 (One child), \$175.00 (two children), \$205.00 (three children) Sibling - Same household – POST COMMUNION SESSIONS – Open to all children who have celebrated their First Holy Communion and wish to learn more about our Catholic Faith. \$35.00 per child/per year

OUR TEAM WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR REGISTRATION ON: Saturday, September 2 and 9 from 9:30am-1:30pm Wednesday, September 6 & 13 from 3:30-6:30pm

Please direct any questions or concerns to Karina L. Villanueva at the Religious Education office: (818) 341-6634, ext. 1016 or email: karina@sjwchurch.com

The Religious Education office will be closed during the months of July and August.

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### PARISH LIFE

# RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

#### The Falling Action and the Field

In my freshman year of high school, I was fairly miserable at identifying the five essential elements of plot (exposition, rising action, climax, falling action, and resolution).

To this day, the only reason I remember anything about them at all is because my English teacher used episodes of Scooby Doo to illustrate the different elements. Falling action vs. climax is where I got tripped up, the two are similar, and only discernible if you examine them relative to each other.

Every Scooby Doo episode has a big dramatic sequence (the climax) where the ghost/monster/zombie chases The Gang through the haunted mansion. The falling action is what comes immediately after: searching for her glasses that she lost during the chase, Velma bumps into a pulley wheel disguised behind a tapestry and realizes the ghost/monster/zombie is actually the janitor in a costume, hooked up to an elaborate cable system jerry-rigged throughout the mansion. Meddling kids.

I confused the two because, to me, they are both equally dramatic: the chase and the fallout.

It occurs to me that, if you look at the course of salvation history, we are living in the falling action, not the climax. Take the parable of the treasure in the field: we have found the treasure. But we haven't yet bought the field.

I often make the mistake of thinking I am still lost in the climax, searching for the truth. But I know exactly where the truth is. What I need to be concerned with is this: am I doing what I need to do to buy the field?

"Wonderful are your decrees; therefore I observe them. The revelation of your words sheds light, giving understanding to the simple." —  $Psalm\ 119$ 

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## SINH HOẠT GIÁO Xử

### LỜI CHÚA TRONG TUẦN 31-07-2023 ĐẾN 06-08-2023

Thứ hai 31-07: Thánh I-nha-xi-ô, linh mục Trang: 1133-1135, 1137

Thứ ba 01-08: Thánh An-phong-xô, giám mục, tiến sĩ Hội Thánh Trang: 1137-1139, 1140-1141

Thứ tư 02-08:

Trang: 1141-1142, 1144

Thứ năm 03-08:

Trang: 1145-1146, 1147

Thứ sáu 04-08: Thánh Gio-an Vi-a-nê, linh mục Trang: 1148-1149, 1151

Thứ bẩy 05-08:

Trang: 1152-1153, 1155

Chúa nhật 06-08: Lễ Chúa Hiển Dung

Trang: 1788-1791

# 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

#### 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

# ARE YOU A MATURE ADULT (50+) LOOKING FOR MEANINGFUL SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES?

Share your lifetime of skills, wisdom and life experiences with poor and marginalized members in one of the Ignatians West partner agencies. We will match your interests and talents with the



needs of children, adults and seniors in a variety of non-profit settings. Our volunteers work 1-2 days/week from September through June in schools, food pantries, hospitals, etc. In addition, volunteers also meet once a month and attend two inspiring retreat days per year for group sharing and reflection in the Ignatians tradition. This Jesuit-affiliated ministry invites you to assist those in need, work for a more just society, care for the earth and grow deeper in your faith. The benefits are priceless! Check us out at www.ignatianswest.org You can make a difference in the life of another! For further information, contact Anne Hansen 805-443-0812; ahansen@ignatianswest.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

**Domingo:** Sab 12, 13. 16-19/Sal 85, 5-6. 9-10. 15-16 (5)/Rom 8, 26-27/Mt 13, 24-43 o 13, 24-30

**Lunes:** Ex 14, 5-18/Ex 15, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Mt 12, 38-42 **Martes:** 2 Co 4, 7-15/Sal 125, 1-2. 2-3. 4-5. 6/Mt 20, 20

-28

Miércoles: Ex 16, 1-5. 9-15/Sal 77, 18-19. 23-24. 25-26.

27-28/Mt 13, 1-9

**Jueves:** Ex 19, 1-2. 9-11. 16-20/Dn 3, 52. 53. 54. 55.

56/Mt 13, 10-17

Viernes: Ex 20, 1-17/Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 11/Mt 13, 18-23 Sábado: Ex 24, 3-8/Sal 49, 1-2. 5-6. 14-15/Jn 11, 19-27

o Lc 10, 38-42

**Domingo:** 1 Re 3, 5. 7-12/Sal 118, 57. 72. 76-77. 127-128. 129-130 (97)/Rom 8, 28-30/Mt 13, 44-52 o 13,

44-46

#### PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

¿Por qué es importante evaluar a los voluntarios y al personal?

Un proceso de selección y evaluación para contratar a nuevos miembros del personal o voluntarios es fundamental para proteger a los niños porque este proceso dificulta que los abusadores tengan acceso a las víctimas potenciales. Cuando las organizaciones tienen cuidado con la selección, envían un mensaje de que están comprometidas con la prevención del abuso infantil. Las practicas de selección pueden incluir solicitar información en una aplicación estándar, o referencias exhaustivas y verificación de antecedentes penales. Para obtener más información sobre los procesos de selección y evaluación, lea el artículo en inglés de VIR-TUS®"The Importance of Screening and Selecting Employ-

### ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

Les recordamos que durante los meses de verano no tendremos el Santísimo Sacramento expuesto. Reanudaremos el viernes 8 de septiembre.



#### MINISTERIO JUVENIL

Estas actividades están abiertas a TODOS los jóvenes de "Jr. High y High School". Envíe un correo electrónico a jpf@sjwchurch.com si tiene alguna pregunta.

**Misa de Jóvenes:** Todos los domingos a las 10:30 a.m. **Registración para la Confirmación en persona** De hoy al jueves 3 de agosto, de 5:30 pm a 8:30 pm (Patio – Estacionamiento)

#### **NOTICIAS DE EDUCACION RELIGIOSA**

iBUENAS NOTICIAS!

¡La Registración para la catequesis de niños y jovencitos en grados del 1 al 7, esta abierta!

Para registrar a sus hijos, siga los siguientes pasos durante los meses de julio y agosto:

- 1. Imprima la aplicación de registración desde el sitio web o pase a la oficina parroquial por un paquete de registración.
- 2. Lea, llene en su totalidad y regrese formas con los documentos requeridos y pago directamente en la oficina parroquial o a JP Fernández, coordinador de confirmación (vea horarios e información adicional en la sección en ingles de este boletín)

### **VIDA PARROQUIAL**

# AGUSTINOS DE LA ASUNCIÓN PLAN COOPERATIVO MISIONERO 27 DE AGOSTO

El grupo asignado a nuestra parroquia este año son los Agustinos de la Asunción. El Padre Rodel Cervantes, A.A. compartira con nosotros, habrá una segunda colecta para apoyarlos en su trabajo. Desde el principio, los Asuncionistas se han comprometido en una amplia variedad de trabajos apostólicos. Todo lo que adelanta la venida del Reino de Dios siempre ha sido considerado digno de nuestra energía apostólica. Es una preferencia por los pobres, en respuesta al Evangelio ya la Iglesia que hoy nos llama a estar de su lado. También para nosotros es una consecuencia de nuestro propio voto de vivir como hombres pobres. Algunos se dedicarán a tiempo completo a este trabajo: con personas marginadas de todo tipo, en hospitales y en prisiones, "sacerdotes trabajadores" o voluntarios en diferentes organizaciones... Pero todos tratamos de vivir en unión con los pobres, porque "los pobres siempre estarán con nosotros", porque los pobres son demasiado a menudo olvidados incluso dentro de la Iglesia. Este es un sesgo que fomenta la Asunción. Nuestra Provincia de América del Norte y Filipinas es específicamente responsable de las misiones en África Oriental (Kenia y Tanzania), México y Filipinas. Brindamos asistencia personal y financiera indispensable para mantener nuestras obras de caridad (escuelas y guarderías) y programas de formación tanto para laicos como para clérigos en estos países. Muchos de nuestros apostolados en estos países trabajan específicamente para mejorar las condiciones de vida de los hermanos y hermanas empobrecidos con los que vivimos y ministramos. En Filipinas, patrocinamos programas de educación y ayuda para aldeas desfavorecidas tanto en el área de Manila como en otros

#### Actividades Misioneras Asuncionistas

centros de misión. Nuestra parroquia recién fundada en Orizaba,

Veracruz México ministra a una comunidad indígena desatendida.

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