



ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE NOVEMBER 26, 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.

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

Jesus Christ KING and JUDGE



Fra Angelico, *The Last Judgment*, Museum of San Marco, Florence, Italy

With the celebration of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, this Sunday, we conclude the Liturgical Year, and in today's Gospel we hear of the end of times, the Last Judgment, "when the Son of Man comes in his glory ... sits upon his glorious throne ... and will separate one from another, as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats." (Mt 25: 31-31).

The New Liturgical Year starts next Sunday, December 3, with the First Sunday of Advent.

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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: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6 (1)/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61/Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 4:18-22

Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81/Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/Lk 21:34-36

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 (4)/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37

MASS INTENTIONS**Sunday November 26**

7:30 a.m. Giuse Vu Hung Cuong and Catharina Nguyen T. Ly (RIP)

7:30 a.m. Maria Thao Tran (Intentions)

9:00 a.m. Conrada Rocces (Birthday)

9:00 a.m. Edmun Anonuevo (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Vitaliana Garrido (RIP)

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

12:00 p.m. Cleyman Hernandez (Get Well)

Monday November 27

6:30 a.m. Mary Luom Phan (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Amanda Bryce Regino (Birthday)

8:30 a.m. Skyler Godrick Aspren (Birthday)

Tuesday November 28

6:30 a.m. Stephen Thai Ta (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Marisela Sandoval (Birthday)

8:30 a.m. Memelet Victoria Flor (Birthday)

Wednesday November 29

6:30 a.m. Ramona Hernandez Murillo (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Ernesto Flor (RIP)

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

Thursday November 30

6:30 a.m. Andrew, Maria and All Souls (RIP)

6:30 a.m. Ordonez Puac Family (Thanksgiving)

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

Friday December 1

6:30 a.m. Alfonso Castellanos Luna (RIP)

6:30 a.m. Honesto Dimayuga (RIP)

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

8:30 a.m. Tito Lee Nguyen (RIP)

Saturday December 2

8:30 a.m. Memorial Society

8:30 a.m. Eugenio and Maria Vazquez (Anniversary)

5:30 p.m. Mahen Gunatilake (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Vincent Steven Pham (RIP)

7:00 p.m. Conrado Mejia (Birthday)

7:00 p.m. Sonia and Carlos Lopez Pivaral (Anniversary)

Sunday December 3

7:30 a.m. Vincent Dang Van Hien (RIP)

7:30 a.m. Maria Pham Thi Ngoi (RIP)

9:00 a.m. Aynnova Reilly (Get Well)

10:30 a.m. Annie and Rodolfo Uy Nicolas Family (Thanksgiving)

12:00 p.m. Eduardo and Maria Aracely Rivera (RIP)

12:00 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

PARISH LIFE**SJW ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE**

Join us on **Wednesday, December 6**, at 7:00 p.m. for our Advent Penance Service. There will be many priests available for confession.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION FEAST DAY

This year we will celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, a Holy Day of obligation on **Friday, December 8**.

This year Masses are as follows:

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

December 8 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. (English)
5:30 p.m. (Vietnamese)
8:00 p.m. (Spanish)

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Tuesday, 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

DECEMBER 12

NOVENA

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 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 pm to 7:00 pm in the church.



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.

BLOOD DRIVE SIGN UP

The American Red Cross Blood Drive returns to St. Joseph the Worker **Sunday, December 3** in the parish hall. Please see the QR code on the back of today's bulletin to sign up.

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.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

November 26, 2023

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

In May 2023, for the first time in almost three quarters of a century, a monarch was crowned in England. A few days later a friend of mine scoffed, "What a waste of time and energy! What is the point of a king?"

I'm a proud American who wants neither theocracy nor monarchical restoration. I like our democratic republic. But the coronation of King Charles reminded me of something needed in every person and community: confidence in the future. The king's most basic role is to symbolize the unity of the nation. In England, the parliament members handle many of the practical duties of governance. But the king or queen can do what they cannot: embody in a single person the reality and future of a whole nation. To say, "this is our king" is to say, "we exist as a community, and we have a future." Kingship isn't primarily about the power of one person or family. It's about the enduring identity and unity of the whole.

To say Christ is our King is to say we exist as a people. We are one in him. We are, and we will be as long as he is. And since he will be our risen king forever, together we have a future filled with hope. Even the best countries will finally fall. But Christ and his Church will endure forever. What good news! It's not a waste of time to crown a king. We do it all the time. Let's be sure to crown the right one — the one whose kingdom never ends.

— Father John Muir ©LPi

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, Victoria Spinoza, Dolores Rodriguez Calle, Maria Ines Medina, Brenda Aguilar, Ana Cristina Seabra, Natalia Camarillo.

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.

SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

How do groomers work?

Groomers start by picking out a potential victim, often a child who is emotionally vulnerable or isolated, or with low self-esteem. Then, groomers will start to slowly build a relationship – bonding over an alleged shared interest and expanding relationships out to build trust with the victim's family and friends. Groomers work hard to make themselves appear trustworthy and safe, to gain better access to their victims. From there, they can isolate their victims and perpetrate abuse. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article "The Many Stages of Grooming" at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

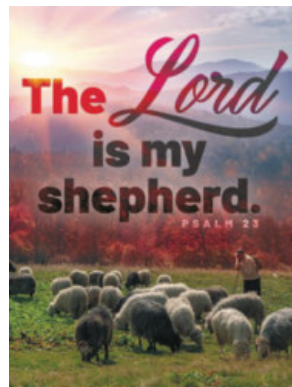
EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

SJW SCHOOL NEWS

St. Joseph the Worker School's Student Non-Discrimination Policy
The school, mindful of its mission to be a witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students regardless of race, color, national origin, and/or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, disability, medical condition, sex, or national and/or ethnic origin in the administration of educational policies and practices, scholarship programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs, although certain athletic leagues and other programs may limit participation and some archdiocesan schools operate as single-sex schools.

While the school does not discriminate against students with special needs, a full range of services may not always be available to them. Decisions concerning the admission and continued enrollment of a student in the school are based upon the student's emotional, academic, and physical abilities and the resources available to the school in meeting the student's needs.



YOUTH NEWS / CONFIRMATION

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

Confirmation Year 1:

Tuesday, November 28, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR Sunday, December 3, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Christ's Great Teaching: The Trinity"

Confirmation Year 2:

Sunday, November 26, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): "Structure of the Mass".

Upcoming Service Projects:

Sunday, December 3 (9am to 3pm - Parish Hall) - Parish Blood Drive with the American Red Cross

Youth Ministry Global Events:

July 28, 2025 to August 3, 2025: Jubilee of Young People (ages 13 - 35). Rome, Italy.

2027 : World Youth Day (ages 13-35). Seoul, South Korea

Email: jpf@sjwchurch.com for more information.

PRE - BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Pre-Baptismal Classes are available for parents and godparents in the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton room, once a month. Please call the Parish Center (818) 341-6634 for information.



PARISH LIFE

MASS INTENTIONS

We are accepting Mass Intention Requests for the remaining of the year. 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.



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE PROCESSION AND MASS - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles will host the 92nd Annual Procession and Mass in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe in East of Los Angeles on Sunday, December 3. This year's theme, "**Holy Mary of Guadalupe: Path of the Light and Hope**", reminds us of our Blessed Mother's message of hope in Christ, during these challenging times. The festivities will begin at 10:30 a.m. at the corner of Cesar Chavez Ave. and Mc Donnell Ave. with indigenous dance groups, Mariachi, and faithful from throughout the Archdiocese. The procession will conclude at the East Los Angeles College Stadium at 1:00 p.m. with a Mass presided by Archbishop Jose H. Gomez and concelebrated by the auxiliary bishops and priests from throughout the Archdiocese. All are welcome to this beautiful and historic tribute to Our Lady of Guadalupe and Saint Juan Diego!

SINH HOẠT GIÁO XỬ

LỜI CHÚA TRONG TUẦN 27-11-2023 ĐẾN 03-12-2023

Thứ hai 27-11:

Trang: 1662-1664, 1665-1666

Thứ ba 28-11:

Trang: 1666-1667, 1669

Thứ tư 29-11:

Trang: 1669-1671, 1673

Thứ năm 30-11: Thánh An-rê, tông đồ

Trang: 1877-1879

Thứ sáu 01-12:

Trang: 1678-1680, 1682

Thứ bảy 02-12:

Trang: 1682-1684, 1685

Chúa nhật 03-12: Chúa nhật I Mùa Vọng

Trang: 11-14

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



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: Ez 34, 11-12. 15-17/Sal 22, 1-2. 2-3. 5-6

(1)/1 Co 15, 20-26. 28/Mt 25, 31-46

Lunes: Dn 1, 1-6. 8-20/Dn 3, 52. 53. 54. 55. 56/Lc 21, 1-4

Martes: Dn 2, 31-45/Dn 3, 57. 58. 59. 60. 61/Lc 21, 5-11

Miércoles: Dn 5, 1-6. 13-14. 16-17. 23-28/Dn 3, 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67/Lc 21, 12-19

Jueves: Rom 10, 9-18/Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 11/Mt 4, 18-22

Viernes: Dn 7, 2-14/Dn 3, 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81/Lc 21, 29-33

Sábado: Dn 7, 15-27/Dn 3, 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87/Lc 21, 34-36

Domingo: Is 63, 16-17. 19; 64, 2-7/Sal 79, 2-3. 15-16. 18-19 (4)/1 Co 1, 3-9/Mc 13, 33-37

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

¿Cómo funcionan los acosadores sexuales?

Los acosadores sexuales comienzan seleccionando a una víctima potencial, que a menudo es un niño emocionalmente vulnerable o aislado, o con baja autoestima. Luego, los acosadores comenzarán a construir lentamente una relación, conectándose a través de un supuesto interés compartido y extendiendo las relaciones para generar confianza con la familia y los amigos de la víctima. Los depredadores trabajan duro para parecer dignos de confianza y seguros, para obtener un mejor acceso a sus víctimas. A partir de ahí, pueden aislar a sus víctimas y perpetrar el abuso. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés de VIRTUS®, "The Many Stages of Grooming" (Las muchas etapas para atraer a una víctima de abuso) en lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

REGÍSTRESE PARA DONAR SANGRE

La campaña de donación de sangre de la Cruz Roja Americana regresa a San Jose Obrero el **domingo 3 de diciembre** en el salón parroquial.

Consulte el código QR en la parte posterior del boletín de hoy para registrarse.

REQUISITOS PARA LA CELEBRACION 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 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

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.



MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

Este domingo, celebramos la Solemnidad de Jesucristo Rey del Universo. Hoy es el último domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, dentro de ocho días daremos comienzo al Tiempo de Adviento que nos prepara para la Navidad. Las lecturas nos hablan del Pastor supremo que es Jesucristo, que reunirá a las ovejas y a los cabritos para el juicio final. Todos, sin excepción, tendremos un examen. Seremos examinados en el amor y la caridad que hemos llevado a cabo en nuestra vida. Así que atentos, no dudemos en siempre hacer el bien.

El Papa Francisco lo explica de la siguiente manera: "Seremos juzgados por el amor. El juicio será por el amor. No por el sentimiento, no: por las obras, por la compasión que se hace cercana y ayuda solícita. ¿Yo me acerco a Jesús presente en la persona de los enfermos, de los pobres, de los que sufren, de los presos, de los que tienen hambre y sed de justicia? ¿Me acerco a Jesús presente allí? Esta es la pregunta de hoy (11-22-2020). Pero, ¿Cómo lograr hacer el bien ante la guerra y violencia de todo tipo? ¿Cómo hacerlo en la familia dividida entre las dificultades? Creo que, es no perdiendo la esperanza y cooperar siempre con nuestro granito de arena que, aunque pequeño, será grande si va lleno de caridad y amor. Recordemos que estamos en este mundo para hacer el bien. Hoy se nos dice que Cristo vendrá con gloria para juzgar a vivos y muertos y su reino no tendrá fin. ¡Confiemos tengamos esperanza! ©LPI

CLASES PRE - BAUTISMALES

Las clases pre-bautismales para padres y padrinos se ofrecen en el salón de Santa Elizabeth una vez al mes. Llame a la oficina parroquial para mas información.

SERVICIO PENITENCIAL

El **miércoles 6 de diciembre** a las 7:00 p.m., en el templo, tendremos nuestro Servicio Penitencial. Aproveche de confesarse y prepararse mejor para recibir a nuestro Redentor esta Navidad.

FIESTA DE LA INMACULADA CONCEPCION

Este año celebraremos la Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción, día de precepto, el **viernes 8 de diciembre**. La misa en español será a las 8:00 p.m.

PROCESIÓN NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE Y MISA - DOMINGO 3 DE DICIEMBRE

La Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles organizará la 92ª Procesión y Misa Anual en honor de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe en el Este de Los Ángeles el **domingo 3 de diciembre**. El tema de este año, "Santa María de Guadalupe: Camino de Luz y Esperanza", recuerda del mensaje de esperanza en Cristo de nuestra Santísima Madre, durante estos tiempos difíciles. Las festividades comenzarán a las 10:30 a.m. en la esquina de la Avenida César Chávez y la Avenida Mc Donnell con grupos de danza indígena, Mariachi y fieles de toda la Arquidiócesis. La procesión concluirá en el East Los Angeles College Stadium a las 1:00 p.m. con una Misa presidida por el Arzobispo José H. Gómez y concelebrada por los obispos auxiliares y sacerdotes de toda la Arquidiócesis. ¡Todos son bienvenidos a este hermoso e histórico homenaje a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe y San Juan Diego!

**¿Crees que es imposible arreglar?
Queremos ayudarte**



Alexandra Lozano
ABOGADA DE LOS MILAGROS

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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.



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