

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.

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 3, 2024

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

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Religious Education

Karina Villanueva

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Parish Secretary

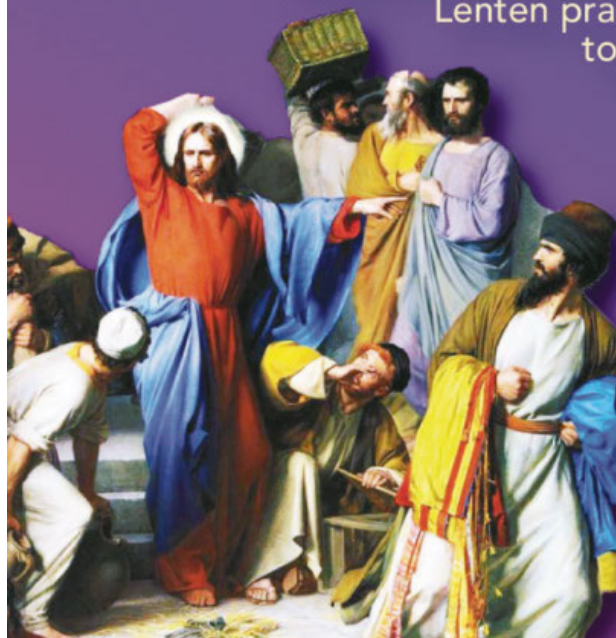
Angela Escobar

Deference and Respect

Lent

In this Sunday's Gospel we hear how Jesus casts out the money changers who are turning the temple, a house of prayer, into a place of business. In his words, "stop making my Father's house a marketplace." (Jn 2: 16).

As we come to church in these days of prayer, let's leave outside our worldly occupations and focus with deference on our Lenten practices, remembering to be respectful of the place and our fellow parishioners.



Carl Heinrich Bloch
Jesus casting out the money
changers at the temple
Private Collection

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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 FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25 Scrutiny: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3,4/Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (6ab)/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21 Scrutiny: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

MASS INTENTIONS

To have a Mass said for a loved one or for another intention, stop by the Parish Center to make arrangements.

Sunday March 3

7:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

7:30 a.m. Maria Nguyen Thi Thuoc (RIP)

9:00 a.m. Julio Roberto Tzic (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Cathryn V. Esposito (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Ramon Esquerro (Get Well)

12:00 p.m. Angel Rene Arreola (RIP)

12:00 p.m. Ramiro Gonzalez (RIP)

Monday March 4

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

8:30 a.m. Raymont Rili (Get Well)

8:30 a.m. Regina Margaree Trias (Get Well)

Tuesday March 5

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

8:30 a.m. Michele Laxamana Centro (Get Well)

8:30 a.m. Francisco Rili (Get Well)

Wednesday March 6

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

8:30 a.m. De Leon Family (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Erlinda Bode (RIP)

Thursday March 7

6:30 a.m. Meding Bides Castillo (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Jose B. Sanz (Get Well)

8:30 a.m. Sonu Shiva (Thanksgiving)

Friday March 8

6:30 a.m. Fernando S. Lorenzo (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Emerson Bondoc (Thanksgiving)

Saturday March 9

8:30 a.m. Paul Nguyen Van Duc (RIP)

8:30 a.m. Martha Nguyen Thi Than (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Catalina Palacios Alas (RIP)

5:30 p.m. Phaolo Nguyen Quang Trung (Birthday)

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

Sunday March 10

7:30 a.m. Phero Tran Van Hung (RIP)

7:30 a.m. Tran Bich Thao Maria (RIP)

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

10:30 a.m. Hermigildo and Honeylee Villanueva (RIP)

10:30 a.m. Renzel Navarro (Thanksgiving)

12:00 p.m. Emily Escobar (Birthday)

12:00 p.m. Lazaro Estevez (Birthday)

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



STATIONS OF THE CROSS 2024

Personal Stations of the Cross: 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Exposition: 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Benediction: 7:00 p.m. followed by stations

Books in English, Spanish, Tagalog and Vietnamese will be available every Friday for your use if you wish to follow the group stations in your own language.

Group Stations:

March 8: Tagalog

March 15: Vietnamese

March 22: No Stations of the Cross



DEANERY 5 –LENTEN RECONCILIATION SERVICES

St John Eudes	Wednesday, March 6	7:00 p.m.
St. Bridget of Sweden	Friday, March 8	6:30 p.m.
Our Lady of Lourdes	Tuesday, March 12	7:00 p.m.
St. John Baptist De La Salle	Wednesday March 13	7:00 p.m.
St. Catherine of Siena	Monday, March 18	7:00 p.m.
Our Lady of the Valley	Tuesday, March 19	7:00 p.m.
St. Cyril of Jerusalem	Wednesday, March 20	7:00 p.m.
St. Joseph the Worker	Wednesday, March 22	7:00 p.m.
St. Bernardine of Siena	Tuesday, March 26	7:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Because we are having our Penance Service on Friday the 22nd, there will be **no** confessions on Saturday the 23rd.

SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend, there will be a second collection for the crisis in Gaza and Israel to help the poor and suffering. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS

We are accepting Mass Intention Requests for February and March. 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.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT

If you would like a contribution statement for the year 2023, please call the Parish Center (818) 341-6634. We will be happy to send one to you.



PARISH LIFE

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 monthly healing service.

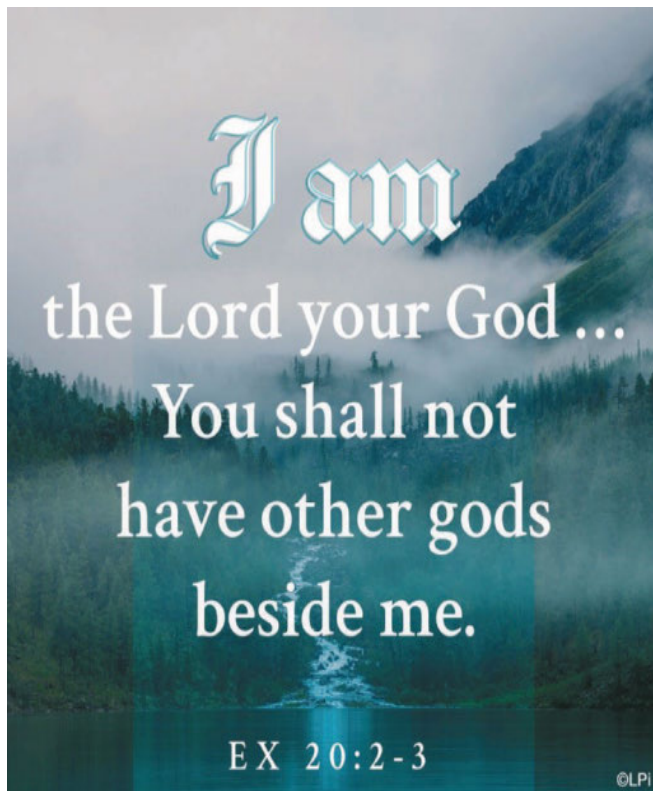
Healing Service Dates:

March 21 - Fr. Khoa Mai, Associate Pastor, St. John Baptist Dela Salle
April 18 - Fr. Francis Kim, Associate Pastor, St. Mel Parish

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

BUNDLE SUNDAY

On **March 3**, our Parish is having a Bundle Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul thrift stores. Please bring your useable clothing and useable household items on this day. Their truck will be here at our church (or exact location). Please help them in their endless efforts to assist the needy. They are in great need of furniture and large appliances. Please phone (323) 224-6280 or (800) 974-3571 for free pick up of large items.



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	02/25/2024	Last Year	Change
\$20,000	\$13,046	\$11,427	+14.2%

2024 Env \$5,478 (42.0%) E-giving \$1,728 (13.3%)
2023 Env \$4,749 (41.6%) E-giving \$2,028 (17.8%)

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, Rev. Julio Ramos, Lorraine Karinen, Mary Zangari

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

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of:
Tran, Quyen

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Information: Karina Villanueva, ext. 1016.

Schedule of Classes

Elementary Grades 1–5 English

Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.–5:30 p.m. or

Saturday, 9:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m.

Elementary Grades 1–5 Spanish

Saturday, 11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Middle School Grades 6–8 English

Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.–8:30 p.m.

Special Education

Wednesday, 5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.

Elementary (Vietnamese)

Sunday, 10:00 a.m.

RCIA

(RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)

Curious about Catholicism and want to know more? Interested in becoming a Catholic? Would you like to receive the Sacraments of Initiation?

Information: Bill Sparks, ext. 1012.

Inquiry Classes

Adults (English)

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

Sunday 11:30 a.m.

Adults and Youth or Teens (Spanish)

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Conference Room

Friday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.

Adults (Vietnamese)

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

Youth or Teen 12-18 years (English)

Youth Ministry Room (School Building)

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

Children 7-12 years (English)

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

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

Children 7-12 years (Spanish)

Youth Ministry Room (School Building)

Friday 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m.



EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

YOUTH NEWS / CONFIRMATION

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

Confirmation Year 1:

Tuesday, March 5, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR **Sunday, March 10**, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): “The Church is One”.

Tuesday, March 19, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR **Sunday, March 24**, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): “The Church is Holy and Catholic”.

Confirmation Year 2:

Sunday, March 3, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): “Foundations of the Moral Life”.

Tuesday, March 12, 7:00pm to 8:15pm (Hall) OR **Sunday, March 17**, 9:00am to 10:15am (YM Room): “The Ten Commandments”.

Youth Ministry Activities:

We will participate in the Stations of the Cross every Friday of Lent

Youth Ministry Global Events:

Preparing for the Jubilee Year of 2025: Pilgrims of Hope - Catechist's Journey

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

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

Email: jpf@sjwchurch.com for more information.

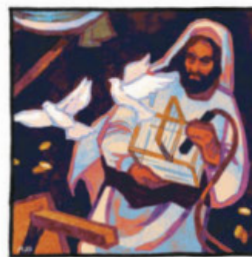
Adult Confirmation:

Thursday, March 7, 7:00pm to 9:00pm (YM Room): Reflection Session

Thursday, March 12, 7:00pm to 9:00pm (YM Room): Images of God

Thursday, March 17, 7:00pm to 9:00pm (YM Room): Jesus the Christ

Thursday, March 21, 7:00pm to 9:00pm (YM Room): The Church



SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

Learning from survivors' stories

Listening to the stories of victim-survivors is one way in which we can acknowledge what has happened to them and the impact the abuse has had in their lives; hearing these sacred stories can also help us to find patterns that empower stronger safeguarding measures, such as understanding how and where abusers gained access to their victims, how they groomed them, and what safeguards either failed or were not in place to properly protect a victim. For more information, read the VIR-TUS® article “Learning from True Stories of Victims/Survivors” at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

PRE - BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Pre-Baptism 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 more information.



PARISH LIFE

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

I am the Lord your God ... You shall not have other gods beside me.
—Ex 20:2-3

One of the greatest golfers of all time — if not the greatest — was Jack Nicklaus. Which is why it is baffling that at the beginning of each season he would return to his childhood coach and re-learn how to grip the golf club. It's like Shakespeare re-learning the alphabet and grammar. Why would he do that? Because Jack knew that the fundamentals are always relevant. Perfecting and obsessing over his grip allowed him to do everything else in the game well. In sports and life, the best ones love the basics.

Similarly, as we begin Lent, we re-learn the spiritual basics in the Ten Commandments. Consider the first, to "have no other gods besides me." This is our "grip." Is our connection to God one of absolute fidelity and exclusive worship? Am I willing to let go of my precious idols, the things I cling to instead of God? Once we say "yes" to this fundamental question of our spiritual "grip," then we are ready to properly engage with everything else in life. Watch how beautifully the game of life unfolds in the next nine commandments (numbered in parentheses): how we speak to God and others (2 and 8), how we organize our week (3), how we relate to our family (4) and the wider community (5 and 7), how we live our sexuality (6), and how we order all the other desires of the human heart (9 and 10). But don't rush to these later Commandments too soon! Everything in life is built on the first Commandment. The more we focus on worshiping God alone, the better we navigate the complexity of life with panache, effectiveness, and love.

Lenten challenge: This week, identify what you can do to better worship God alone. If you're not sure, scan the last nine commandments to identify what you are most likely to worship instead of God. Power, pleasure, control of your time, possessions, family, health, reputation, money? Commit to concrete action to help you let go of this "idol" to better hold on to God alone in faithful worship. Remember: the best love the basics.

— Father John Muir

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SINH HOẠT GIÁO XỨ

LỜI CHÚA TRONG TUẦN 04-03-2024 ĐẾN 10-03-2024

Thứ hai 04-03:
Trang: 263-265

Thứ ba 05-03:
Trang: 266-268

Thứ tư 06-03:
Trang: 269-270

Thứ năm 07-03:
Trang: 271-272

Thứ sáu 08-03:
Trang: 273-275

Thứ bảy 09-03:
Trang: 275-277

Chúa nhật 10-03: Chúa Nhật IV, Mùa Chay
Trang: 283-286

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IN THE COMMUNITY

RESPECT LIFE

Crisis Pregnancy Hotline (800) 973-7334

Abortion Recovery Help (877) 467-3463;

www.rachelsvineyard.org

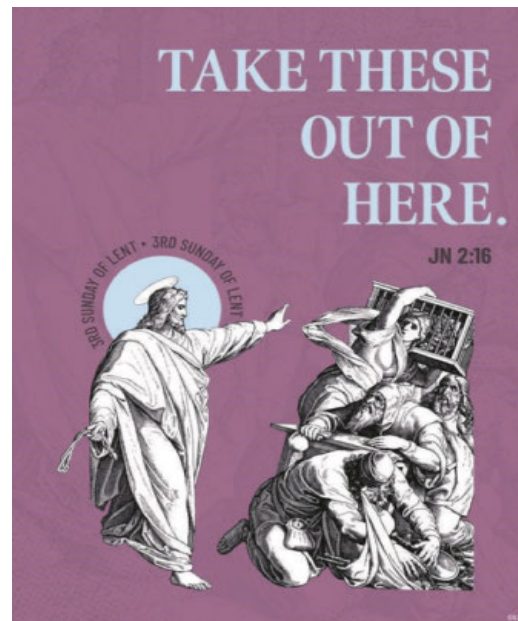
Angels Way Maternity Home (818) 346-2229

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: orneladachs@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: Ex 20, 1-17 o 20, 1-3. 7-8. 12-17/Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 11 (Jn 6, 68)/1 Cor 1, 22-25/Jn 2, 13-25 Escrutinio: Ex 17, 3-7/Sal 94, 1-2. 6-7. 8-9 (8)/Rom 5, 1-2. 5-8/Jn 4, 5-42 o 4, 5-15. 19-26. 39. 40-42

Lunes: 2 Re 5, 1-15/Sal 41, 2. 3; 43. 3.4/Lc 4, 24-30

Martes: Dn 3, 25. 34-43/Sal 24, 4-5. 6 y 7. 8-9/Mt 18, 21-35

Miércoles: Dt 4, 1. 5-9/Sal 146, 12-13. 15-16. 19-20/Mt 5, 17-19

Jueves: Jr 7, 23-28/Sal 94, 1-2. 6-7. 8-9/Lc 11, 14-23

Viernes: Os 14, 2-10/Sal 80, 6-8. 8-9. 10-11. 14 y 17/Mc 12, 28-34

Sábado: Os 6, 1-6/Sal 50, 3-4. 18-19. 20-21/Lc 18, 9-14

Domingo: 2 Chr 36, 14-16. 19-23/Sal 136, 1-2. 3. 4-5. 6 (6)/Ef 2, 4-10/Jn 3, 14-21 Escrutinio: 1 Sm 16, 1b. 6-7. 10-13/Sal 22, 1-3. 3-4. 5. 6 (1)/Ef 5, 8-14/Jn 9, 1-41 o 9, 1. 6-9. 13-17. 34-38

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Aprender de las historias de los sobrevivientes

Escuchar las historias de víctimas-sobrevivientes es una forma en que podemos reconocer lo que les ha sucedido y el impacto que el abuso ha tenido en sus vidas. Escuchar estas historias sagradas puede ayudarnos a encontrar patrones que potencien medidas de protección más sólidas, como comprender cómo y dónde los abusadores obtuvieron acceso a sus víctimas, cómo las prepararon y qué medidas de vigilancia fallaron o no existieron para proteger adecuadamente a una víctima. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés de VIR-TUS® "Learning from True Stories of Victims/Survivors" (Aprendiendo de historias reales de víctimas/sobrevivientes) en lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

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



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 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

VIA CRUCIS 2024

Vía Crucis personal: 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento: 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Bendición: 7:00 p.m. seguido del Vía Crucis

Libros en inglés, español, tagalo y vietnamita estarán disponibles todos los viernes para su uso si desea seguir el Vía Crucis grupal en su propio idioma.

Via Crucis en grupo:

8 de marzo: En tagalo

15 de marzo: En vietnamita

22 de marzo: No habrá Vía Crucis



SERVICIO PENITENCIAL

El viernes 22 de marzo es nuestro Servicio Penitencial empezando a las 7:00 p.m. en la iglesia. Tendremos muchos sacerdotes confesando en diferentes idiomas. No pierda la oportunidad de prepararse para la Pascua. Debido a esto, les recordamos que el sábado 23 de marzo NO tendremos confesiones. Gracias.

SEGUNDA COLECTA

El próximo fin de semana habrá una segunda colecta para la crisis en Gaza e Israel, para ayudar a los pobres y a los que sufren. Gracias.



MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

Recientemente remodelaron la parroquia a la que pertenezco y quedó muy bonita. El párroco trataba de complacer a sus feligreses ya que opinaban en diferentes gustos. Ya saben, la gente opina siempre y muchas veces solo critican y no cooperan absolutamente en nada. El párroco hablaba de que el lugar sea una verdadera casa de oración. Un lugar de encuentro con Jesús. Un lugar donde los Sacramentos sean vida en los feligreses, especialmente la Eucaristía. ¿Cómo es tu parroquia? ¿Es un lugar de oración o se ha convertido en un lugar de negocios y de eventos sociales? Será que Jesús nos puede decir como en su tiempo a los mercaderes y cambistas del Templo: "Saquen eso de aquí y no conviertan la Casa de mi Padre en un mercado" (Juan 2:16).

Para tener más claro el mensaje del Evangelio de hoy, veamos lo que el Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica nos dice en el número 593: "Jesús veneró el Templo subiendo a él en peregrinación en las fiestas judías y amó con gran celo esa morada de Dios entre los hombres. El Templo prefigura su Misterio. Anunciando la destrucción del Templo anuncia su propia muerte y la entrada en una nueva edad de la historia de la salvación, donde su cuerpo será el Templo definitivo". Los bautizados somos templos vivos de Dios. Entonces, ¿cómo nos cuidamos? Qué hacemos para mejorar el lugar que Dios merece en nuestra vida. ¡Urge que respondamos en esta Cuaresma a los impulsos del Espíritu Santo!

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 **Alexandra Lozano**
ABOGADA DE LOS MILAGROS

REGÍSTRATE
PARA ARREGLAR SIN SALIR

(877) 474-6725

Los resultados varían. Se requiere una consulta para determinar si su caso califica. Esto tiene finalidad meramente informativa y no constituye asesoría legal.

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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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