



# ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC CHURCH

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 25, 2024

## 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](http://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

### 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

# NO ONE ELSE TO GO TO

Many of Jesus followers returned to their former way of life when they found it hard to accept his words. Only the twelve disciples did not abandon him, and when he asked them if they also wanted to leave, Simon Peter replied that there is no one else they can go to: Only Jesus has the words of eternal life.

Then and now, we look to Jesus and ask, "To Whom shall we go?". (Jn 6:68)



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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 FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 (9a)/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

Monday: 2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5/Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday: 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday: 2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18/Ps 128:1-2, 4-5/Mt 23:27-32

Thursday: 1 Cor 1:1-9/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 6:17-29

Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11/Mt 25:1-13

Saturday: 1 Cor 1:26-31/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 25:14-30

Next Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 1a/Jas 2:1-5/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

## MASS INTENTIONS

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

### Sunday August 25

7:30 a.m. Phero Tran Van Nghiem (RIP)  
7:30 a.m. Phanxico Xavie Tran Van Quyen (RIP)  
9:00 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)  
9:00 a.m. Johnny and Remedios Singson (RIP)  
10:30 a.m. Dante Canullas (RIP)  
10:30 a.m. Rosa Tajaran (Birthday)  
12:00 p.m. Claudia Ambrocio (Intentions)  
12:00 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)

### Monday August 26

6:30 a.m. Joy Laurie Gatapia (RIP)  
6:30 a.m. Adorable Manabat (Birthday)  
8:30 a.m. Prospero T. Abad Santos (RIP)  
8:30 a.m. Charisse Abad (Birthday)

### Tuesday August 27

6:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)  
8:30 a.m. Alfredo and Caridad Velasquez (RIP)  
8:30 a.m. Herminigildo Villanueva (RIP)

### Wednesday August 28

6:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)  
8:30 a.m. Deacon Gus Mora (Thanksgiving)

### Thursday August 29

6:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)  
8:30 a.m. Rebeca Villagrancia (RIP)  
:30 a.m. Nonon Abad (Birthday)

### Friday August 30

6:30 a.m. Rohan Shiva Kumar (Birthday)  
8:30 a.m. Ariston S. Alvarez (RIP)  
8:30 a.m. Giacobe Nguyen Ngoc (RIP)

### Saturday August 31

8:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)  
5:30 p.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)  
7:00 p.m. Pedro Marthel (RIP)

### Sunday September 1

7:30 a.m. Joseph Thua Dinh (RIP)  
7:30 a.m. Maria Tam Bui (RIP)  
9:00 a.m. Corazon Cercado (RIP)  
10:30 a.m. SJW Parishioners (Intentions)  
10:30 a.m. Ramon S. Esguerra (RIP)  
12:00 p.m. Irene Ferreira (RIP)  
12:00 p.m. Amelia Fuentes (RIP)

## PARISH LIFE



## GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

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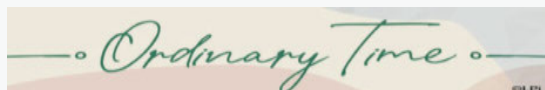
21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

The famous Russian novelist Fyodor Dostoyevsky said, “Love in action is a harsh and dreadful thing.” In the Gospel reading this week, Jesus does something harsh and dreadful — he watches his own disciples abandon him. What could possibly be loving about that?

Well, we notice the context is Jesus’ teaching about eating and drinking his body and blood. His followers hear this and say, “**This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?**” (John 6:60). We shouldn’t imagine we’d do anything different, because not even the ones who stay, like Peter, seem to understand what Jesus is saying. Then we hear this devastating line, “**Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him**” (John 6:66). Besides the night of the Last Supper, only now do Jesus’ disciples abandon him. And, painfully, Jesus just lets them go.

The best way to make sense out of this is love. Jesus is God’s love in action. He wants to become one with those whom He loves. He wants to love them as His own body. Yes, the oneness manifested in the Eucharist sounds harsh and dreadful because it is rooted in love which is willing to risk abandonment and separation to attain its goal: to be one body with the beloved. It is both terrifying and wonderful that Jesus will risk losing us in order to be one with us. Our response? Lord, we cannot grasp a love so great, but please help us never to abandon it, either.

— Father John Muir ©LPI





## 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



### 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.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

The Vietnamese community sponsors a hot lunch distribution for the poor in our community on the second Saturday of every month as part of the St. Vincent de Paul hot lunch program. You are invited to join us in the preparation of the meals and serving it to those in need. The time commitment is only 2-3 hours at most as a charitable service. The next Vietnamese community-sponsored lunch will be at noon on Saturday, September 14, taking place next to the hall. We also accept donations toward the cost of the meals. For questions or to volunteer, please email [quylong2010kg@yahoo.com](mailto:quylong2010kg@yahoo.com) or call 818-213-1067.

### MASS INTENTIONS

We are accepting Mass Intention Requests for July, August and September. 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.

### 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.

### 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.

### 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, Lorraine Karinen, Mary Zangari, Benny De La Cueva

*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.



## EDUCATION/FAITH FORMATION

### SCHOOL IN SESSION

#### ENROLL NOW AT ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER SCHOOL

Our school year began on August 21st. We still have openings available for enrollment in some of our classes.

We would love to give you a tour – during school hours – so that you can see the amazing atmosphere of St. Joseph the Worker School students and staff in action!

At St. Joseph the Worker School, we believe in teaching the whole child. Our mission is to cultivate not only academic excellence but also the spiritual, emotional, and social development and well-being of each student.

We provide a balanced education that fosters intellectual curiosity, moral integrity, and a deep sense of faith. Our dedicated teachers and staff work tirelessly to create a supportive environment where every child can thrive and reach their full potential.

We invite families seeking a faith-based education for their children to consider St. Joseph the Worker School.

For more information on enrollment, please visit our website [sjwschool.net](http://sjwschool.net) or contact the school office (818) 341-6616.

We can't wait to join you in partnership on this educational journey together, nurturing minds, hearts, and spirits in the light of Christ.

## YOUTH NEWS / CONFIRMATION

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

#### Youth Ministry Global Events:

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](mailto:jpf@sjwchurch.com) for more information.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

#### Children and Youth Catechesis

Registration for children catechesis is NOW OPEN!

Please contact Karina Villanueva (818) 341-6634, ext. 1016 for more information

#### "Become a Catechist" ~ Volunteers needed

Religious Education is looking for new team members. Interested? Call or email Karina Villanueva for more details and information, (818) 341-6634 ext. 1016 or [karina@sjwchurch.com](mailto:karina@sjwchurch.com)

## RCIA

The Christian Initiation (RCIA) process is inviting all those people over 18 years of age and children over 8 years of age who are not baptized to receive catechumenal formation in preparation to receive the sacraments of Christian Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist). Also, invited are people already baptized who wish to complete their Initiation sacraments (Confirmation and Eucharist).

Interested? Please call Bill Sparks at (818)341- 6634, ext. 1012



## PARISH LIFE



### SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

#### What can you do to end human trafficking?

What do you do if you see a child who appears to be lost in a store? A missing child is everyone's responsibility. Adults who suspect a child may be lost or need help should get involved. Ask the child if he needs help. Keep the child in eyesight and enlist the help of store employees to locate a parent or guardian. Wait with the child until help arrives. Do not leave with or without the child. For more information, visit the [missingchildrensnetwork.ngo](http://missingchildrensnetwork.ngo).

## SINH HOẠT GIÁO XỬ

### LỜI CHÚA TRONG TUẦN 26-08-2024 ĐẾN 01-09-2024

Thứ hai 26-08:  
Trang: 1269-1271

Thứ ba 27-08: Thánh nữ Mô-ni-ca  
Trang: 1273-1275

Thứ tư 28-08: Thánh Âu-tinh, giám mục, tiến sĩ Hội Thánh  
Trang: 1276-1278

Thứ năm 29-08: Thánh Gioan Tẩy Giả bị trảm quyết  
Trang: 1279-1281

Thứ sáu 30-08:  
Trang: 1283-1285

Thứ bảy 31-08:  
Trang: 1286-1288

Chúa nhật 01-09: Chúa Nhật XXII Thường Niên  
Trang: 1291-1294

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## IN THE COMMUNITY

### IGNATIANS WEST

Share your skills, wisdom and life experiences with poor and marginalized people 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 Ignatian 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 [www.ignatianswest.org](http://www.ignatianswest.org). You can make a difference in the lives of others!

For further information, contact Anne Hansen at 805-443-0812 or [ahansen@ignatianswest.org](mailto: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.

### 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](mailto:ornelasdachs@sbcglobal.net) or visit the web site at [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com)



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818-895-2500 or email [norma@pregnanthelp4u.org](mailto:norma@pregnanthelp4u.org)

### 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.

## VIDA PARROQUIAL

### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: Jos 24, 1-2. 15-17. 18/Sal 33, 2-3. 16-17. 18-19. 20-21. 22-23 (9)/Ef 5, 21-32 o 5, 2. 25-32/Jn 6, 60-69

Lunes: 2 Tes 1, 1-5. 11-12/Sal 95, 1-2. 2-3. 4-5/Mt 23, 13-22

Martes: 2 Tes 2, 1-3. 14-17/Sal 95, 10. 11-12. 13/Mt 23, 23-26

Miércoles: 2 Tes 3, 6-10. 16-18/Sal 127, 1-2. 4-5/Mt 23, 27-32

Jueves: 1 Cor 1, 1-9/Sal 144, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7/Mc 6, 17-29

Viernes: 1 Cor 1, 17-25/Sal 32, 1-2. 4-5. 10-11/Mt 25, 1-13

Sábado: 1 Cor 1, 26-31/Sal 32, 12-13. 18-19. 20-21/Mt 25, 14-30

Domingo siguiente: Dt 4, 1-2. 6-8/Sal 14, 2-3. 3-4. 4-5 1/Sant 2, 1-5/Sant 1, 17-18. 21-22. 27/Mc 7, 1-8. 14-15. 21-23

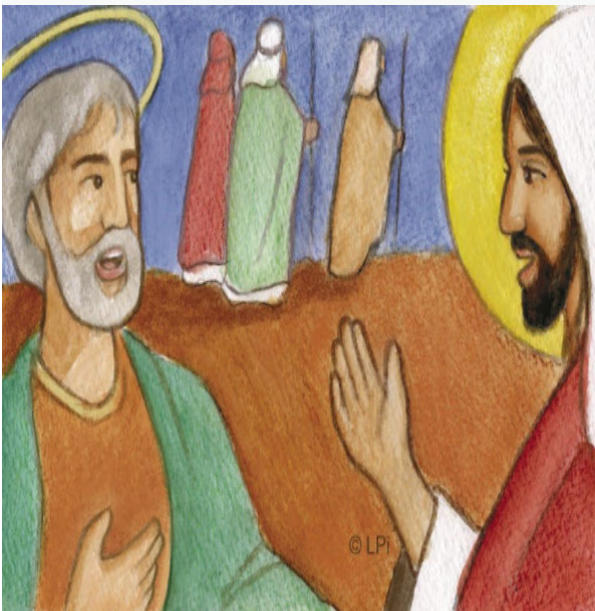
### PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

#### Enseñe a los niños a evaluar las fuentes

Es probable que sus hijos pasen una cantidad significativa de tiempo en línea. No todas las fuentes son iguales, por lo que enseñarles a evaluar la información en línea es fundamental. Utilizando conceptos apropiados para su edad, enseñe a sus hijos a considerar la experiencia del autor, el motivo y la relevancia de la información que consumen. Ser capaz de separar los hechos de la ficción y evaluar la calidad de la información recibida ayudará a sus hijos a evaluar la verdad. Para obtener más consejos, lea el artículo en inglés de VIRTUS® "Keeping Kids Safe Online By Teaching Them to Evaluate Sources" (Manteniendo a los niños seguros en línea enseñándoles a evaluar las fuentes) en [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

### PROCESO DE CONFIRMACIÓN PARA JÓVENES

Estamos aceptando solicitudes para el proceso de Confirmación para adolescentes 2024 - 2025. Los candidatos deben haber completado sus Sacramentos de Bautismo y Primera Comuni3n. Comuníquese con JP al (818) 341-6634, ext. 1018 3 al correo electr3nico: [jpof@sjwchurch.com](mailto:jpof@sjwchurch.com) para obtener m3s informaci3n.



### GRUPO DE ORACI3N

Te invitamos todos los mi3rcoles a las 7:00 p.m. en el sal3n parroquial. Tenemos oraci3n en el Esp3ritu Santo, testimonios, pr3dicas y alabanzas. Si te sientes cansado de los problemas de la vida diaria, ven y entr3gaselos a Jes3s, El tiene la soluci3n. Ven a despertar al Esp3ritu Santo que vive dormido en ti, 3l quiere consolarte, guiarte y enseñarte el camino de la felicidad.

### REGISTRACI3N PARROQUIAL

Si vive en el 3rea de la parroquia o aunque no viva en el 3rea viene a misa aqu3, es muy importante que se registre. Puede recoger una forma en el vest3bulo de la iglesia o en la oficina parroquial. Si se registra ser3 m3s f3cil para nosotros ayudarle sea con una carta, misa o preparaci3n de alg3n sacramento. Gracias.

### RICA

El proceso de Iniciaci3n Cristiana (RICA) esta invitando a todas aquellas personas mayores de 18 a3os y ni3os mayores de 8 a3os que no est3n bautizados a recibir formaci3n catec3menal como preparaci3n para recibir los sacramentos de Iniciaci3n Cristiana (Bautismo, Confirmaci3n y Eucarist3a). Tambi3n est3n invitadas las personas ya bautizadas que deseen completar sus sacramentos de Iniciaci3n (Confirmaci3n y Eucarist3a). Comuníquese con Bill Sparks, (818) 341-6634, ext. 1012

### MEDITACI3N DEL EVANGELIO – ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO M3S PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA

25 de agosto de 2024

21° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Algunos de los seguidores de Jes3s no pudieron creer lo que les dijo. Era demasiado para ellos: "Mi carne es verdadera comida y mi sangre es verdadera bebida" (Juan 6:55). A pesar de que Jes3s lo explicaba de muchas maneras, algunos decidieron abandonarlo. 3l no hizo nada por detenerlos, los dej3 libres respetando su decisi3n. Despu3s de esos acontecimientos de abandono, Jes3s pregunta directamente a los doce: "¿Quieren marcharse tambi3n ustedes? Pedro le contest3: Se3or, ¿a qui3n ir3amos? T3 tienes palabras de vida eterna. Nosotros creemos y sabemos que t3 eres el Santo de Dios" (Juan 6:67-69). Ahora, en la realidad que vivimos tan llena de ruido y modernidad, ¿sabemos a d3nde vamos, a qui3n dirigirnos? Pedro, lo supo y el deseo de la Iglesia es que sepamos que solo Jes3s tiene palabras de vida eterna. Y que su Pan de Vida se nos da gratuitamente en la Eucarist3a.

"La Eucarist3a y la cruz son piedras de tropiezo. Es el mismo misterio, y no cesa de ser ocasi3n de divisi3n. ¿Quieren marcharse tambi3n ustedes? (Juan 6:67): esta pregunta del Se3or resuena a trav3s de las edades, como invitaci3n de su amor a descubrir que s3lo 3l tiene palabras de vida eterna (Juan 6:68), y que acoger en la fe el don de su Eucarist3a es acogerlo a 3l mismo". (Catecismo de la Iglesia Cat3lica, numeral 1335). Hagamos la prueba y veremos qu3 bueno es el Se3or, como nos dice el Salmo de la liturgia de este domingo.

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 Alexandra Lozano  
ABOGADA DE LOS MILAGROS

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## REQUESTING USE OF PARISH FACILITIES

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The deadline (strictly observed) for submission of **Bulletin** and **Mass** announcements is the previous Monday at noon. Deliver a copy of the bulletin or Mass announcement to the Parish Center or email it to Angela Escobar: [angela\\_escobar4@hotmail.com](mailto: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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