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# July 30, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Times 2023





### Sunday Mass in English

Saturday 4:30 PM Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM & 12:15 PM

### **Daily Mass in English**

8:30 AM Monday—Saturday

### MASS SCHEDULES

**Misas Dominicales en Español** Sábado 6 PM, Domingo 2 & 6 PM

### Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4 PM, Wednesday 6-7 PM

### Reconciliación

Miércoles 6-7 PM

United in faith and guided by the Holy Spirit

### Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

Adoration ~ Benediction/ Adoracion ~ Bendicion

Every Friday—9 AM till I PM First Friday ALSO 6 PM-9 PM





## Thanksgiving and Worship

One of the manifestations of our worship of God is gratitude. By praying and offering the sacrifice of the Holy Mass, in remembrance of the unique sacrifice offered by His Son on the Cross for our salvation, we thank God for the favors we have received in our lives.

Sanctified by the Holy Eucharist, we are called to offer our gratitude to God for the gift received. The Common Preface IV reminds us of this reality by stating that "For, although you have no need of our praise, yet our thanksgiving is itself your gift." Gratitude is therefore a gift from God that takes advantage of us for our salvation, as the same Preface affirms later. The Eucharist, whose original meaning in Greek means "thanksgiving", therefore becomes the best way to offer God our gratitude for the gifts received.

The Second Vatican Council teaches us that in order to take full advantage of the spiritual benefits of Holy Mass, our participation in the Mass must be "full, conscious and active"; that is, we must be aware that what we receive is the Lord Himself, who is given to us in His Body and Blood. The Council itself tells us that "we are aware of this gift when we actively involve our mind, heart and body in all parts of the liturgy, allowing God through His words, actions, gestures, even in moments of silence, to communicate to us."

The gratitude that inspires us to give thanks to God and adore Him in the Eucharist is nourished and enriched by the beauty of the liturgy. Therefore, it is the responsibility of the bishops and priests to prepare and celebrate the Holy Mass with the solemnity and decorum that it requires, following the liturgical books approved for this purpose, avoiding practices that could lead to confusion or abuse.

Another form of our expression of gratitude to God is Eucharistic Adoration, with which we not only adore Jesus present in the Blessed Sacrament, but also join ourselves in a more intimate way to the unique sacrifice of Christ that we celebrate and remember in the Eucharist. Eucharistic Adoration, therefore, helps us to recognize the real presence of Jesus, under the species of bread and wine, not as a simple memory or symbol, but as a reality of His Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity.

## Reverend Father Luis Lopez

Parochial Administrator Corpus Christi Church, Fremont, CA



### WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week of July 30, 2023

### Sun/Dom:

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

### **Mon/Lunes:**

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/ Mt 13:31-35

### Tues/Martes:

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 13:36-43

### Wed/Mier:

Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46

### Thurs/Juev:

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53

#### Fri/Vier:

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

### Sat/Sab:

Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12

#### **Next Sun./Dom:**

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/ 2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9

## THE WEEK AHEAD

Thursday August 3rd

Rectory Office closed

### **Thursday August 3rd**

7:00 PM Multi- lingual Rosary in the church

### OFFICE INFORMATION

## **Parish Office**

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- 3:00 PM- 7:00 PM

### Rev. Henry Noga, SVD

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday 10 AM to 12 PM

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10 AM a 12 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (con cita)

### Rev. Emilio Reyes, SVD

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10:00 AM a 12:00 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (con cita)

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## Taco Sales are BACK — Today — Sunday July 30th

The Guadalupanos are selling Tacos Today — Sunday 30th !! They will be at the Placita today from 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM They will have Beef, Pork or Chicken Tacos — 3 for \$10.00 They will also be selling Jamaica Agua Fresca. Come and get some great food and Support the Guadalupanos as all their proceeds go to support our



Church!!

## Las ventas de tacos están DE VUELTA — Hov — Domingo 30 de julio



¡Los guadalupanos están vendiendo tacos hoy, domingo 30! Estarán en la Placita hoy de 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM Tendrán Tacos de Res, Cerdo y Pollo — 3 por \$10.00 También estarán vendiendo Agua Fresca de Jamaica. ¡Vengan y obtengan buena comida y apoyen a los Guadalupanos ya que todas sus ganancias se destinan a apoyar a nuestra Iglesia!







### **PRAY FOR**

Delia Cerna Leonor Enrique **Dory Secoguian** Teresita Marinas Francis Carlo Salta **Mary Hennessey** Carlos de las casas Noriega Mari Losno Porfirio Loza Russell Archibald Martin Pina **Melosi Meredith** Carlos Jose Alegre Amanda Dazo Melia Perrizo **Ernie Alvarez** Albert & Tina Kayo

### **DONATIONS**

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offering for next week:

Jelly or Crackers

## Jalea y Galletas

Donations are very much appreciated—but please no expired food. ~ Thank You

### **CONTRIBUTIONS** CONTRIBUCIONES

**COLLECTION FOR** July 23, 2023 **1st Collection** 8,492.30 **EFT Collection** 590.00 On Line Giving 831.00 **1st Collection TOTAL** 

\$ 9,913.30

**Second Collection maintenance** fund \$ 1,092.00



Florabel Velasquez

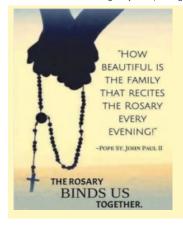
VATICAN CORNER Victor Manuel Fernández, archbishop of La Plata,

Argentina has been appointed by Pope Francis to be the next prefect to the Dicastery for the Doctrine of the Faith (DDF). It is the oldest departments in the Vatican government and was founded in 1542 for the purpose of protecting the Church from heresy, to spread sound Catholic doctrine, and to "defend those points of Christian tradition which seem in danger because of new and unacceptable doctrines." This Holy Office in past centuries, under different names, was once responsible for the Roman Inquisition, where torture and other violent methods were used as tools for interrogation of suspected heretics. Archbishop Fernández is a trusted theologian, author and educator, a long-time advisor to Pope Francis, and a fellow Argentinian. He has



been called Francis' primary ghostwriter" and a close collaborator. In 2018, Francis cited Fernández's essay "The good things of living in this time" in a talk to the clergy of Rome. Archbishop Fernández was born in 1962 in Alcira Gigena, Argentina. He entered the seminary in 1978, and headed the Faculty of Theology at the Pontifical Catholic University of Argentina from 2009 to 2018. He was then appointed by Francis to be archbishop of La Plata. Fernández was once investigated by the same office which he will now be heading. In the late 2000s the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith (CCF), now named the DDF had concerns about his theology. But over the span of months he "clarified his true thinking" to them, and "everything was resolved serenely," Fernández says. Originally, when Pope Francis offered him the DDF doctrinal policeman job, the Archbishop turned the job down saying he "did not consider himself suitable to lead the work in the disciplinary area." However, Pope Francis told him that "what he wanted was for the prefect to delegate this task to the Disciplinary Section" and to have Fernández dedicate his personal commitment to theology and the transmission of the faith. So the Archbishop reconsidered and took the job. He thinks of himself in many issues to be "far more progressive than the Pope." He worries about being unjust to one side or the other in abuse accusation cases. He says he needs to "catch up on the German Synodal Way movement." He says that the Church cannot bless same-sex unions and the greatest care must be taken to avoid rites or blessings that could feed confusion. He is firmly against abortion. In a question, the Archbishop received about what he would say to people who are opposed to his appointment for fear it could be a "ecclesial earthquake" he responded by saying: "Does it not seem good to you that for some time in history a Latin American who has been a parish priest of the peripheries, who grew up in a small town in the countryside, with a sensitivity close to the pain of the discarded of society, with a life story very different from that of a European or American, but who at the same time is a doctor in theology, occupies this position?" "I will tell them that I will learn from history, I will respect the processes, I will dialogue, but I will do it my way." On September 30, 2023, Pope Francis will be creating 21 new cardinals at the Vatican, and one of them will be Archbishop Victor Manuel Fernández.

Sources: catholicnewsagency.com, ncregister.com, catholicculture.org, wikipedia.org, catholicherald.co..uk



Come pray the rosary with your parish community.

We pray a multi-lingual rosary on Thursday at 7:00 PM in the church All are invited to come pray together. The rosary is led by the Knights of Columbus.

## MASS INTENTIONS July 29-August 5, 2023

### Saturday 4:30 PM

Pacita Narciso† (10th anniversary) Celine Eduardo † Lucy Reves †

Benjamin Tutana †

### Saturday 6:00 PM

Moises & Maria Dolores Huerta † Antonio - Godofredo Guevara † Rafael Torres † (3rd anniversary)

### Sunday 7:30 AM

Paul Loc Kieu & Maria Nga Do †

### Sunday 9:00 AM

Joseph Cordova (special intention)
Eva Cordova (healing)
Carlo Salta (healing)
Edgar Delos Angeles †
David Tayco †
Marcosa Cordova †

### Sunday 10:30 AM

Rafael Valderrama Jr. †
Christian Reese †
Rolando Tarroza †
Bienveido Tarroza †

### **Sunday 12:15 PM**

Orlando Ebalo Jr. ( healing)
Adela Herce †
Francisca Pineda Dizon †
Concepcion Martinez Aranda
( † birthday)

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### Sunday 2:00 PM

Maria S. Quinonez (cumpleanos) Yuritxy Amaya (cumpleanos) Manuel, Paula & David Cruz † Esperanza Ramos Rodriguez †

(7th aniversario)

Ramon Ramos †
Daniel Ramos †
Esperanza Ramos †
Wilfrano Aranda †
Rita Ramos †

### Sunday 6:00 PM

Esther Guevara †

### Monday 8:30 AM

Ronwald Temporosa † 11th anniversary)

## Tuesday 8:30 AM

James Ever Juan †

### Wednesday 8:30 AM

Freida dela Cruz († birthday)



Manuel, Paula & David Cruz †

### Thursday 8:30 AM

Ubaldo & Caridad dela Cruz †

(anniversary)

### Friday 8:30 AM

Patrick Rodriguez (birthday)
Talaue family (thanksgiving)
Alicia Luna († anniversary)

### Saturday 8:30 AM

Paul Dung Kieu †







## Acción de Gracias y Adoración

Una de las manifestaciones propias de nuestra adoración a Dios es la gratitud. Al orar y ofrecer el sacrificio de la Santa Misa, en recuerdo del único sacrifico ofrecido por su Hijo en la cruz para nuestra salvación, le agradecemos por los favores recibidos en nuestras vidas.

Santificados por el don de la Eucaristia, somos llamados a ofrecer a Dios nuestra gratitud por el don recibido. El prefacio común número IV nos recuerda esa realidad al afirmar que "aunque no necesitas de nuestra alabanza, es don tuyo el que seamos agradecidos..." [1] La gratitud por tanto es un don de Dios que nos aprovecha para nuestra salvación, como afirma el mismo prefacio más adelante. La Eucaristía, cuyo significado original en griego significa "acción de gracias", se vuelve por lo tanto, en la mejor manera de ofrecer a Dios nuestro agradecimiento por los dones recibidos.

El concilio Vaticano II nos enseña que para aprovechar al máximo los beneficios espirituales de la santa Misa, nuestra participación en la misa debe ser "consciente y activa"; es decir debemos ser conscientes que lo que recibimos es al Señor mismo, que se nos da en su cuerpo y sangre. El mismo Concilio, nos dice que "somos conscientes de este don cuando activamente involucramos nuestra mente, corazón y cuerpo en todas las partes de la liturgia, permitiendo que Dios por medio de sus palabras, acciones gestos, incluso en los momentos de silencio, nos hable." [2]

La gratitud que nos inspira a dar gracias a Dios y adorarlo en la Eucaristía, se nutre y enriquece de la belleza de la liturgia. Por la tanto, es responsabilidad de los obispos y sacerdotes, preparar y celebrar la Santa Misa, con la solemnidad y decoro que ésta requiere, siguiendo los libros litúrgicos aprobados para tal fin, evitando con ellos excentricidades que puedan llevar a abusos.

Otra forma de nuestra expresión de gratitud a Dios es la adoración eucarística, con la cual no solo adoramos a Jesús presente en el Santisimo Sacramento, sino que también, nos unimos de una manera más íntima al único sacrifico de Cristo que celebramos y recordamos en la Eucaristia. La Adoración Eucaristica, nos ayuda por tanto, a reconocer la presencia real de Jesús, bajo las especies del pan y el vio, en su Cuerpo y Sangre, no como un simple recuerdo o símbolo, sino como una realidad de su Cuerpo, Alma y Divinidad.

Rev. Luis López Administrador Parroquial Corpus Christi Church, Fremont, CA



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