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Oct. 6,
2024

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

WHAT GOD
HAS JOINED
TOGETHER.

— MARK 10:9 —

...••• MASS SCHEDULES ••••...

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

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

Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

**Adoration ~ Benediction/
Adoración ~ Bendición**

Every Friday—9 AM till 1 PM
First Friday ALSO 6 PM-9 PM

Everyday Stewardship

People can spend their entire lives looking for their most suitable partner. Some have an unattainable ideal in their minds that makes the search impossible. Others may choose a different partner over and over again without any real discernment, leading to a long series of breakups and heartache. Perhaps the greatest obstacle for people lies in their assumption that the most important criteria for choosing a partner is that the person they choose to love needs to be devoted to them and be faithful to them above all others. The truth is that if you want to have a suitable partner who you find yourself drawing ever closer to as the years go by, then the focus of both people involved needs to be on a much more important being than the two of you.

When I was a teenager, I remember seeing a triangle used as a visual aid in explaining how true love works. God is the top point and the two lovers, friends, or family members involved are the bottom points. If the two involved in the relationship love God more than each other, than in time it will be their love for the Divine that will bring them ever closer, like how a triangle narrows at the top point.

The more I give of myself to my God, the greater I find my love is for my wife, my children, and my friends. A stewardship way of life will eventually strengthen all our relationships, for a surrender to the One who is love means an increase in the love we have to give to others. For those who continue to search for the "one," pause, pay attention, and see the One who has always loved you and will do so forevermore.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

La corresponsabilidad diaria

La gente puede pasar todas sus vidas buscando una pareja adecuada. Algunas personas tienen una idea inalcanzable de la pareja que se imaginan. Esto hace que su búsqueda sea imposible de cumplir. Otras personas cambian de pareja vez tras vez sin ninguna consideración verdadera de lo que buscan en una pareja, que lleva a una serie de rompimientos y un corazón roto. Quizá el obstáculo más difícil para todos cae en la suposición errónea que la persona a quien uno busca debe ser devoto y fiel completamente a él/ella ante todo lo demás. La verdad es que si uno quiere tener una pareja compatible y adecuada, el enfoque de las dos personas involucradas en una relación debe estar en un ser más importante que cualquiera de los dos.

Cuando yo era un muchacho, recuerdo que alguien me mostró cómo era el amor verdadero usando un triángulo como ejemplo. Dios es el punto de arriba y los dos que se aman, o los amigos o familia, etc. son los puntos de abajo. Si las dos personas involucradas en una relación aman a Dios más que se aman el uno al otro, entonces con el tiempo, será el amor por lo Divino que los llevará a una cercanía más grande, así como las esquinas de un triángulo.

Cuando me doy a Dios, encuentro que el amor que siento por mi esposa, por mis hijos y por mis amigos crece. Vivir una vida de corresponsabilidad fortalece todas las relaciones. Rendirse a Él que es puro amor significa un gran crecimiento en el amor que uno tiene para los demás. Para las personas que continúan en buscar a su pareja ideal: tomen un momento, presenten atención, y enfrente a Él que siempre los ha amado y que los amará para siempre.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week
of October 6, 2024

Sun/Dom:

Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (see 5)/
Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

Mon/Lunes:

Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c/
Lk 10:25-37

Tues/Martes:

Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/
Lk 10:38-42

Wed/Mier:

Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Lk 11:1-4

Thurs/Juev:

Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/
Lk 11:5-13

Fri/Vier:

Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/
Lk 11:15-26

Sat/Sab:

Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/
Lk 11:27-28

Next Sun./Dom:

Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 (14)/
Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday October 7th

7:00 PM Liturgy Committee Meeting in the Hall

Wednesday October 9th

Rectory Office open 3:00—7:00 PM only

Thursday October 10th

Rectory Office closed

Thursday October 10th

7:00 PM Multilingual Rosary in the Church

Friday October 11th

Rectory Office open 3:00—7:00 PM only

OFFICE INFORMATION

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Tuesday & Thursday (martes y jueves)

— 11:00 AM—5:00 PM

Wednesday (miércoles)

—1:00 PM—7:00 PM

Bilingual available Mon., Wed, Fri

(lunes, miércoles y viernes)

— 3:00 PM—7:00 PM

Rev. Henry Noga, SVD

Pastor

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday

10 AM to 12 PM

5 PM to 8 PM (with appointment)

lunes, martes, miércoles, y viernes

10 AM a 12 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (con cita)

Rev. Emilio Reyes, SVD

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Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday

10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

5 PM to 8 PM (with appointment)

lunes, miércoles, jueves y viernes

10:00 AM a 12:00 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (con cita)

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Monday-Friday

Gary Enos, President

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First Communion—Eng/Sp

Youth Confirmation—Eng

Marriage Preparation Classes—Sp

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Amigos de Cristo

Bible Study—Sp

Fil-Am Ministry

Guadalupanos

Knights of Columbus—Eng/Sp

Lectors Eng/Sp

Legion of Mary—Eng/Sp

Ministry to the Sick—Eng/Sp

Music Ministry—Eng/Sp

~Contact the parish office for information on any of the above ministries

~Comuníquese con la oficina de la rectoría para obtener información sobre cualquiera de los ministerios mencionados anteriormente.

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Liturgy Committee Meeting

Monday ~ October 7th

In the Hall

7:00 PM

All members should attend !

PLEASE NOTE

~~~Special Office Hours for  
THESE DATES ONLY

Wednesday October 9th—3:00-7:00 PM

Thursday October 10th — CLOSED

Friday October 11th - 3:00—7:00 PM

Monday October 14th—3:00— 7:00 PM



### **PRAY FOR**

Olivia Guzman  
Marissa Dela Cruz  
Shawn Silva  
Celestina Enrique  
Lelia Nocon  
Yesenia Oseguera  
Malosi Meredith  
Ruben Perez  
Sally-Ann Thomas  
Junior Thomas  
Chaz Decoteau  
Porfirio Loza  
Ernie Alvarez  
Maria De Jesus Rodriguez  
Andrew Nocon  
Emil Oafsson  
Josephine Alvarez  
Crystal Clark  
River Smith

### **DONATIONS**

#### **St Vincent de Paul**

offering for next week:

## **Soup**

## **Sopas**

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

### **CONTRIBUTIONS CONTRIBUCIONES**

**COLLECTION FOR**

**September 29, 2024**

**1st Collection**

**\$ 10,034.00**

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**On Line Giving**

**\$ 1,571.00**

**1st Collection**

**TOTAL**

**\$ 11,845.00**

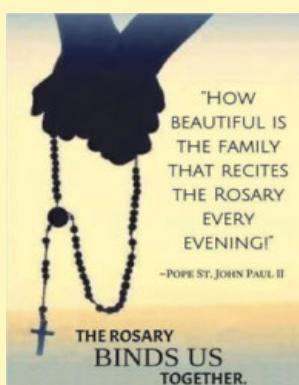
2nd Collection—St. Vincent de Paul

**\$ 3,474.00**

## VATICAN CORNER

A pilgrimage is a devotional practice consisting of a prolonged journey, often undertaken on foot or on horseback, toward a specific destination of significance. Pilgrimage has always held an important place in the life of Christians in order to celebrate their faith in places that indicate a memory of the Lord or in sites representing important moments in the history of the Church. Pope Francis has declared that the year 2025 is a Jubilee year, a year of forgiveness and spiritual renewal. The motto for the Jubilee is "Pilgrims of Hope" and Francis is hoping that this Jubilee will restore hope and trust, leading to renewal and rebirth. Pilgrims worldwide will journey to sacred destinations, with Rome being the focal point. During the Middle Ages, the Via Francigena was the most popular pilgrimage walking route through Europe. Its traditional starting point is Canterbury in England, and it travels through France, Switzerland and Italy to Rome. The Archbishop of Canterbury- Sigeric the Serious, formalized the route in the 10th Century after being ordained a Cardinal by Pope John XV. Around the year 990, Archbishop Sigeric walked from Canterbury to the English coast then crossed the English Channel and walk all the way to Rome, traveled about 12.5 miles every day. It took him about a year of walking to reach Rome and about another year to return. There were 80 monasteries along the way for rest stops. Pilgrims walking on this route found that they received support and protection on their journey and the authorities treated the pilgrimage phenomenon as an important part of the social fabric and Christian life. Sinners were sent on pilgrimages as penance, while the upper class saw a pilgrimage as a duty and a challenge, so travelers of the path were a mixture of society. The Via Francigena was also used as a trading route, but unlike Roman roads which connect cities, it instead connected monasteries. The Via Francigena has been traveled for over a thousand years and today it still remains a popular walking path through picturesque villages, valleys, and cities. In modern times, pilgrimages have gained renewed interest. For many, the idea of slowing down, disconnecting from daily life, and walking in the footsteps of past pilgrims appeals to them. Pilgrimage allows people to reconnect with their faith, reflect on life's challenges, and find inner peace. There are probably very few people that will be walking the major portions of the Via Francigena to the Jubilee, but there are many groups planning to walk various sections in Italy, as well as paths within Rome itself. For many, walking the Via Francigena profoundly connects them with their faith. The route offers opportunities to visit ancient churches, monasteries, holy sites, and time for quiet contemplation. Today much information can be found about the various sections of the routes for the 2025 Jubilee. There are guided walking tours, maps, and books available. There are pilgrim passports confirming completion of a route. Physical endurance is important, as pilgrims will walk long distances daily. Good walking shoes, appropriate clothing, a backpack with essentials are vital. Pilgrims should also prepare for weather changes, especially when crossing mountains or travelling through different regions. Spiritual preparation is also essential. Pilgrims should pray and reflect on the purpose of making the journey. It is not just about reaching a destination; it's about personal and spiritual transformation. Each town along the route offers unique charm and history. Pilgrims can meet and share their religious spirit with fellow travelers, and encounter the local people. Pilgrims can make their way to sacred places, renew their faith, reflect, pray, fulfill vows, and atone for sin. Every step brings pilgrims closer to their final destination. Reaching St. Peter's Basilica after weeks of walking is said to be indescribable.

Sources: [pilgrimstorome.org.uk](http://pilgrimstorome.org.uk), [caminoways.com](http://caminoways.com), [guyontheroad.com](http://guyontheroad.com), [catholicnewsagency.com](http://catholicnewsagency.com), [vatican.va/followthecamino.com](http://vatican.va/followthecamino.com),



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 October 5-12, 2024

### Saturday 4:30 PM

David, Stella & Terence Pereira †  
Anita Platero † (*anniversary*)  
Ernesto Platero † (*anniversary*)

### Saturday 6:00 PM

Nallely & Juan Ponce †  
Rafael, Aurora & Juvenal Torres †  
Carlos Sepulveda †

### Sunday 7:30 AM

Anastacia Boehm †  
Paul Loc Kieu & Maria Ngai Do †  
Lisa Ensel † (*anniversary*)  
Souls in Purgatory †

### Sunday 9:00 AM

Cynthia Menina (*birthday*)  
Mary Ann Delos Angeles (*birthday*)  
Derick Diaz (*birthday*)  
Anthony's Ancestors †  
Edgar Delos Angeles †  
David Tayco †  
Takako Sablan †  
Stephanie Santos † (*40th day*)  
Jonathan Dollaga †

### Sunday 10:30 AM

Christian & Dolores Reese †  
Elena Corcega Torres †

### Sunday 12:15 PM

Orlando Ebalo Jr (*healing*)  
Rodolfo Jimenez †  
Robert Shotam †

### Sunday 2:00 PM

Raul Gonzalez (*70th birthday*)  
familia Gonzalez Orozco (*accion de gracias*)  
Leticia, Hector & Caroline Cruz  
(*special intention*)  
Miriam Fernandez (*healing*)

### Sunday 6:00 PM

familia Martinez Guzman  
(*special intention*)  
Martin Picos Armienta † (*4th anniversary*)  
Oliveiro Burjos †  
Miguel Herrera †

### Monday 8:30 AM

Brian Aguihon †  
Sarafin & Pita Macasaet †  
Souls in Purgatory †

### Tuesday 8:30 AM

Marilou R. Ferrer (*birthday*)  
Takako Sablan †

### Wednesday 8:30 AM

Angie Manalo (*birthday*)  
Francis Carlo Salta (*healing*)  
Rheynar Guiao (*healing*)

### Wednesday 7:00 PM

Enrique Guzman †  
Emiliano Cesarez †  
Manuel, Paula & David Cruz †

### Thursday 8:30 AM

Joamil Dela Cruz (*special intention*)  
Teresita Catarroja Evangelista †  
(*anniversary*)

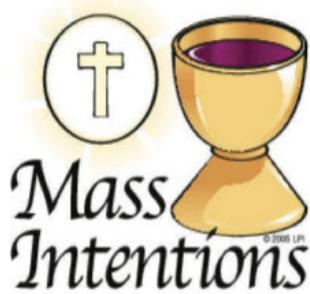
Rogelio Alegre †  
Lowell DeLeon ( † *birthday*)

### Friday 8:30 AM

Michael Orlina (*birthday*)  
Jun Mansalay (*81st birthday*)  
Kenneth Salta (*birthday*)  
Ernesto Salta (*healing*)  
Danilo Cuayzon † (*anniversary*)

### Saturday 8:30 AM

Lazaro Arquero †  
Paul Loc Kieu & Maria Ngai Do †  
David Tayco ( † *birthday*)



## Prayer for Marriage

God, pour Your blessings upon those You have called to marriage. Strengthen the bonds of their unions. May Your love be revealed in the ways they cherish and support each other, in good times and bad, for richer or poorer, in sickness and in health. Amen.

## Oración por el Matrimonio

Dios, derrama Tus bendiciones sobre aquellos a quienes has llamado al matrimonio. Fortalece los lazos de sus uniones. Que Tu amor se revele en las formas en que se aprecian y se apoyan mutuamente, en los buenos y en los malos momentos, en la riqueza y en la pobreza, en la salud y en la enfermedad. Amén.

| CLASES DE BIBLIA (ESPAÑOL)         |                 |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| HALL (Salón Social) de San Joaquín |                 |
| DÍA                                | HORA            |
| LUNES*                             | 7:00PM - 9:00PM |
| VIERNES                            | 5:30PM - 7:00PM |
| VIERNES                            | 7:15PM - 8:30PM |

\* Clase de iniciación

## Sacraments

**Baptism** — We encourage you to baptize infants shortly after they are born. We ask that the parents be registered at the church at least for three months before they baptize. We do group baptisms once a month in Spanish and once a month in English. Each child can have two godparents, one male and one female, or may be baptized with only one godparent. If your family wishes to have more than two godparents they are welcome to be there but would not be on the certificate. The godparents have to be at least 16 yrs. old and have received all applicable sacraments, meaning they have to be baptized, made their first communion and confirmation. If they are married, either to each other or to other people they would need to be married in the Catholic Church. They would need to give us a copy of their confirmation certificate and marriage certificate (if married). Godparents would need to have their parish priest sign the godparent form. Both parents and godparents will attend a baptism class prior to the baptism.

**First Communion** — You can sign your child up to begin First Communion classes to start in September of the year that they turn Seven or older. The children will attend classes for two years. Classes take place during the regular school year. Classes are available in English or Spanish. If the child is taking the classes in Spanish they would need to be able to read and write in Spanish. Registrations for the classes will be in June. When you come to register for class you will need to bring a copy of the child's birth certificate and baptism certificate.

**Confirmation** — Confirmation class like First Communion is a two year process. They can start their first year when they begin high school. Confirmation classes are in English. Registration is in June at the same time as First Communion. Please bring copies of their birth certificate, baptism certificate and first communion certificate. Classes start in September.

**Adult Confirmation** — If you have reached the age of 18 and not yet been confirmed you can sign up for Adult Confirmation classes. These classes meet once a week in the evenings. Classes are available in both English and Spanish. Just like regular First Communion and Confirmation Classes, registration will begin in June. Certificate requirements would be the same— please bring copies of birth, baptism, and first communion certificates. The length of time of the class depends on the adult and where you are in your faith journey. May adults complete this sacramental preparation in about nine months.

**Adult Baptism and First Communion** — The process for receiving these two sacraments are similar to adult confirmation. Classes are held in the evening and are available in both English and Spanish.

**Marriage** — We ask for couples to plan at least six months in advance. Before you call to make an appointment with the priest you will need to contact the church that you were baptized in and request a newly printed copy of your baptism certificate and tell them that it is for the purpose of marriage. You will also need a copy of your first communion and confirmation certificates. These two can be copies of the original or newly printed. Once you have these certificates you can call to make an appointment with the Priest. Once you have met with the priest, he can then allow you to set your wedding date on the church calendar. You will also attend a marriage preparation class before your wedding.

Should you have any questions on any of the above Sacraments, please contact the Rectory office.

## Sacramentos

**Bautismo:** Los alentamos a bautizar a los bebés poco después de que nazcan. Pedimos que los padres se registren en la iglesia al menos durante tres meses antes de bautizar. Hacemos bautismos grupales una vez al mes en español y una vez al mes en inglés. Cada niño puede tener dos padrinos, un hombre y una mujer, o puede ser bautizado con un solo padrino. Si su familia desea tener más de dos padrinos, pueden estar presentes, pero no aparecerán en el certificado. Los padrinos deben tener al menos 16 años de edad y hayan recibido todos los sacramentos aplicables, lo que significa que deben ser bautizados, hacer su primera comunión y confirmación. Si están casados, ya sea entre ellos o con otras personas, deberían estar casados por la Iglesia Católica. Tendrían que darnos una copia de su certificado de confirmación y certificado de matrimonio (si están casados). Los padrinos necesitarían que su párroco firmara el formulario de padrino. Tanto los padres como los padrinos asistirán a una clase de bautismo antes del bautismo.

**Primera Comunión:** puede inscribir a su hijo para que comience las clases de Primera Comunión en septiembre del año en que cumpla siete años o más. Los niños asistirán a clases durante dos años. Las clases tienen lugar durante el año escolar regular. Las clases están disponibles en inglés o español. Si el niño está tomando las clases en español, necesitará saber leer y escribir en español. Las inscripciones a las clases serán en junio. Cuando venga a registrarse para la clase, deberá traer una copia del certificado de nacimiento y el certificado de bautismo del niño.

**Confirmación:** la clase de confirmación, como la primera comunión, es un proceso de dos años. Pueden comenzar su primer año cuando comienzan la escuela preparatoria. Las clases de confirmación son en inglés. La inscripción es en junio, al mismo tiempo que la Primera Comunión. Favor de traer copias de su acta de nacimiento, acta de bautismo y acta de primera comunión. Las clases comienzan en septiembre.

**Confirmación para adultos:** si ha cumplido 18 años y aún no ha sido confirmado, puede inscribirse en las clases de Confirmación para adultos. Estas clases se reúnen una vez a la semana por las tardes. Las clases están disponibles en inglés y español. Al igual que las clases regulares de Primera Comunión y Confirmación, el registro comenzará en junio. Los requisitos para el certificado serían los mismos: traiga copias de los certificados de nacimiento, bautismo y primera comunión. La duración de la clase depende del adulto y de dónde te encuentres en tu camino de fe. Que los adultos completen esta preparación sacramental en unos nueve meses.

**Bautismo y primera comunión de adultos:** el proceso para recibir estos dos sacramentos es similar a la confirmación de un adulto. Las clases se imparten por la noche y están disponibles tanto en inglés como en español.

**Matrimonio:** pedimos a las parejas que planifiquen con al menos seis meses de anticipación. Antes de llamar para hacer una cita con el sacerdote, deberá comunicarse con la iglesia en la que se bautizó y solicitar una copia recién impresa de su certificado de bautismo y decirles que es con el propósito de casarse. También necesitará una copia de su primera comunión y certificados de confirmación. Estos dos pueden ser copias del original o recién impresos. Una vez que tenga estos certificados, puede llamar para concertar una cita con el sacerdote. Una vez que se haya reunido con el sacerdote, él podrá permitirle fijar la fecha de su boda en el calendario de la iglesia. También asistirá a una clase de preparación matrimonial antes de su boda.

Si tiene alguna pregunta sobre cualquiera de los sacramentos anteriores, comuníquese con la oficina de la rectoría.

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