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6:30 AM & 8:30 AM

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8:00 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass

4:30 PM

Sunday

8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM

12:30 PM (Spanish Mass)

5:00 PM

Confessions

Monday 9:00 AM

Wednesday 5:30 PM

Saturday 8:30 AM

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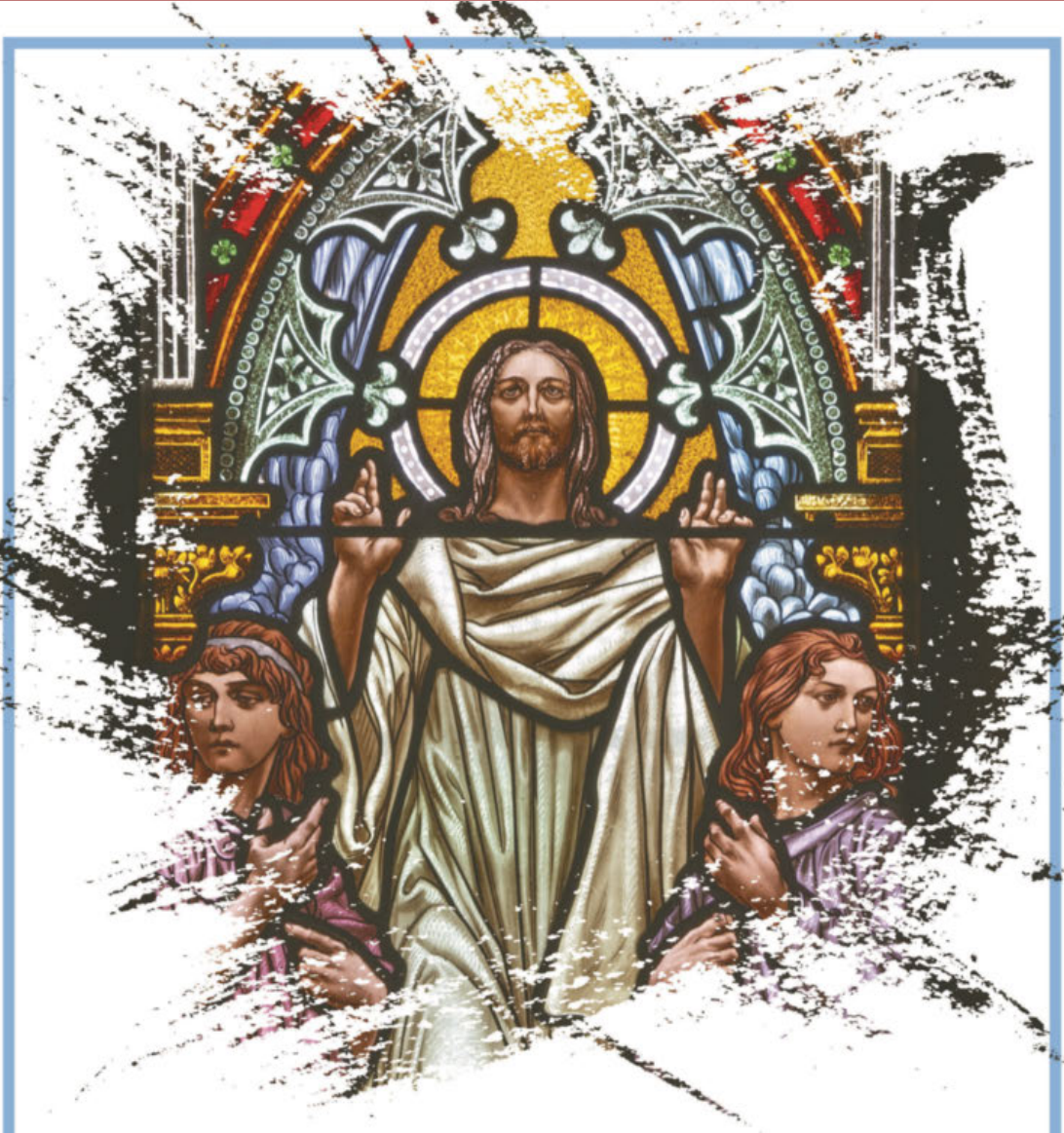
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[HE SAID TO THEM], "TODAY THIS SCRIPTURE PASSAGE IS
FULFILLED IN YOUR HEARING." - LK 4:21

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"HOY MISMO SE HA CUMPLIDO ESTE PASAJE DE
ESCRITURA QUE USTEDES ACABAN DE OÍR". - LC 4, 21

4º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO



Mass Readings

First Reading

The word of the LORD came to me, saying:
Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,
before you were born I dedicated you,
a prophet to the nations I appointed you.
But do you gird your loins;
stand up and tell them
all that I command you.
Be not crushed on their account,
as though I would leave you crushed before them;
for it is I this day
who have made you a fortified city,
a pillar of iron, a wall of brass,
against the whole land:
against Judah's kings and princes,
against its priests and people.
They will fight against you but not prevail over you,
for I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.
Jer 1:4-5, 17-19

Responsorial Psalm

R. I will sing of your salvation.

In you, O LORD, I take refuge;
let me never be put to shame.
In your justice rescue me, and deliver me;
incline your ear to me, and save me.

R. I will sing of your salvation.

Be my rock of refuge,
a stronghold to give me safety,
for you are my rock and my fortress.
O my God, rescue me from the hand of the wicked.

R. I will sing of your salvation.

For you are my hope, O Lord;
my trust, O God, from my youth.
On you I depend from birth;
from my mother's womb you are my strength.

R. I will sing of your salvation.

My mouth shall declare your justice,
day by day your salvation.
O God, you have taught me from my youth,
and till the present I proclaim your wondrous deeds.
R. I will sing of your salvation.

Second Reading

Brothers and sisters:
Strive eagerly for the greatest spiritual gifts. But I shall show you a still more excellent way. If I speak in human and angelic tongues, but do not have love, I am a resounding gong or a clashing cymbal. And if I have the gift of prophecy, and comprehend all mysteries and all knowledge; if I have all faith so as to move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away everything I own, and if I hand my body over so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous, it is not inflated, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interests, it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrongdoing but rejoices with the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails. If there are prophecies, they will be brought to nothing; if tongues, they will cease; if knowledge, it will be brought to nothing. For we know partially and we prophesy partially, but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. When I was a child, I used to talk as a child, think as a child, reason as a child; when I became a man, I put aside childish things. At present we see indistinctly, as in a mirror, but then face to face. At present I know partially; then I shall know fully, as I am fully known. So faith, hope, love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.
1 Cor 12:31—13:13

Gospel

Jesus began speaking in the synagogue, saying: "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." And all spoke highly of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They also asked, "Isn't this the son of Joseph?" He said to them, "Surely you will quote me this proverb, 'Physician, cure yourself,' and say, 'Do here in your native place the things that we heard were done in Capernaum.'" And he said, "Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place. Indeed, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah when the sky was closed for three and a half years and a severe famine spread over the entire land. It was to none of these that Elijah was sent, but only to a widow in Zarephath in the land of Sidon. Again, there were many lepers in Israel during the time of Elisha the prophet; yet not one of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian." When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. They rose up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town had been built, to hurl him down headlong. But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Lk 4:21-30

Worship Aid



Entrance

Transfigure Us, O Lord

**Transfigure us, O Lord
Transfigure us, O Lord.
Break the chains that bind us;
Speak your healing word, and
Where you lead we'll follow.
Transfigure Us, O Lord**

Down from heights of glory, Into the depths below. The love of God self emptied, The love of God to show. You light the path before us, The way that we must go.

Light for those in darkness, The hungry have their fill, Glad tidings for the humble, The healing of all ills; In these we glimpse your glory, God's promises fulfilled

Pardon for the sinner, a shepherd for the sheep, A drink of living water for all who thirst and seek, And feasting at your table the lowly and the least.

To the holy city, Jerusalem, you go;
Shall we journey with you and share your paschal road?

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Offertory

O God You Search Me

O', God, you search me, and you know me
All my thoughts lie open to your gaze
When I walk or lie down, you are before me
'Ever the maker and keeper of my days

You know my resting and my rising
You discern my purpose from afar
And with love everlasting, you besiege me
In every moment of life or death, you are

Before a word is on my tongue, Lord
You have known its meaning through and through
You are with me beyond my understanding
God of my present, my past and future, too

Although your Spirit is upon me
Still I search for shelter from your light
There is nowhere on Earth I can escape you
Even the darkness is radiant in your sight

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Communion

Worthy Is The Lamb

**Worthy is the Lamb that was slain
to receive honor and glory.
Worthy are the ones who believe
to receive the goodness of God.**

Worthy are you, O paschal Lamb.
Wisdom and strength belong now to you.
You laid down your life and died upon the cross:
we've become a people of hope.

Worthy are you, O Bread of Life.
Salvation and joy belong now to us.
By conquering death and rising to new life,
we've become a people of praise.

Worthy are you, O risen Christ.
Wonders and signs, revealing your might.
Your power and glory shine upon our lives:
we've become your light for the world.

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Sending Forth

I Will Choose Christ

**I will choose Christ, I will choose love, I choose to
serve.**

I give my heart, I give my life, I give my all to you.

How many times must He call my name,
And show to me that He is God.
And as a servant He calls to me: "You must serve too."

Christ my teacher and healer,
Teach my heart and heal my soul.
And as I walk this road with you,
Teach me to love.

As I look upon your cross,
So too must I die with you.
And with the death of my own desires,
I'll rise with you.

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Prayer for the Jubilee Year

**Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good
will.**

**We praise you, we bless you, we adore
you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;**

**you are seated at the right hand of the
Father, have mercy on us.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

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Heavenly Father, we thank You for the gift of Your servant, St. Junípero Serra, and for all the missionaries, native peoples, and immigrants who established Mission San Gabriel Arcángel, that Your Kingdom might extend to the ends of the earth. Help us to walk in their footsteps as missionary disciples. Guided by their example, may we be always faithful and courageous in proclaiming the Gospel of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Father, look upon Your family here in Los Angeles with mercy. Taught by the Word of Truth and fed with the Bread of Life, may Your Church here always seek to do Your will, and be the sign of Your love for all peoples, who are sons and daughters of God, all of us loved and desired by You, and born for greater things. Renew us and strengthen us, and cleanse our hearts. By Your grace, may we follow Jesus with joy and holiness of life, and together with Him build a new world of faith and a city of saints. Through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin of Guadalupe, Mother of the Americas, may we continue always forward in the mission of St. Junípero Serra, making Jesus Christ known to every heart in every nation. We ask this, through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



**I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible
and invisible.**

**I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the
Father before all ages.**

**God from God,
Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the
Father; through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he came down
from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was
incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under
Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day in accordance
with the Scriptures.**

**He ascended into heaven and is seated at the
right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living
and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of
life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and
glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic
Church.**

**I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the
dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

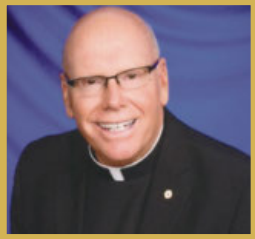
Welcome Home

OUR MISSION

"OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH IS A WELCOMING COMMUNITY OF DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST IN THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH. THROUGH THE GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT AND THE INTERCESSION OF MARY, WE SERVE TO BUILD THE KINGDOM OF GOD."



FROM OUR PASTOR



Open Wide the Doors to Christ- Our Saints

Anticipation is growing as we prepare to open the doors of the remodeled church. The workers have prepared the sanctuary for the flooring of marble and limestone. Painters have applied their craft to the walls and ceiling. Reconstruction of the altar, ambo, lectern, and furniture are soon ready for installation. Lights, air-conditioning, and a new sound and video system are soon to arrive. Last of all, the church will receive a deep cleaning to receive us all.

That is for the interior of the Church. But, what have we done to prepare ourselves to open

wide the doors to Christ in our own lives. Our much anticipated opening will only make sense if we can truly receive the Word of God into our lives and celebrate the Eucharist to its fullness. With all that is new in our church, what must be renewed is US. This is a life-long process but it is the reality of what it means to be a community of faith.

For this purpose, a series of articles will appear in the bulletin to help lead us to a greater participation in the life and practice of our Catholic Faith. It is a tradition to have a relic of a saint placed in the altar. Ideally, it is associated with the patron of the parish. Since there are no relics of Mary, the relic of St. Candidus, soldier of the Theban Legion who was martyred for refusing to offer sacrifice to pagan gods at the direction of the Roman Emperor Maximium, were placed in the altar in 1954.

Our refurbished altar will be placed in the enlarged sanctuary flanked by a new ambo and lectern. Through the generosity of a few parishioners, we are including a number of significant relics of saints who have special connection to our parish family. These will include: **St. Francis of Assisi, St. Bonaventure, St. Theresa of Avila, St. Philip Neri, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, St. Teresa of the Child Jesus, and Pope St. Pius X.** All the relics will be located in a clear leucite box made visible under the altar for veneration. Including these will enhance the visible sign of the presence of the Communion of Saints surrounding us during Mass. As they were open to Christ, so may they inspire us to be living saints today.

Fr. Leon



Parish Detail Report 2021 Final

Parish Goal: \$115,098.00

Amount Raised: \$108,094.42

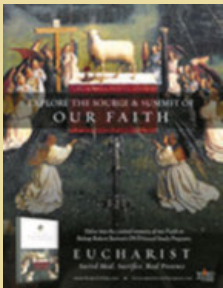


Parish Information

The Upper Room Ministry Events:

Eucharist

Sacred Meal, Sacrifice and Real Presence



Second Session

**Monday, January 31st, 2022
6:30 p.m. in Mulcahy Center**

All are welcome. Please bring your bible.

Healing Mass

Please join us for a Healing Mass to pray and receive many blessings through community prayer, the Eucharist and Anointing of Holy Oil.



**Friday, February 4th
6:30 PM
Mulcahy Center**

The University Series 2022



During the season of Lent, The University Series® offers a multitude of seminars connecting faith with real life in areas such as current events, contemporary moral issues, evangelization, faith and science, marriage and family, church history, scripture, prayer, and other priorities set by the Los Angeles Archdiocesan Synod. Sessions include multi-media presentations and always allow time for your questions.

During Lent 2022, virtual presentations will be offered Monday/Wednesday nights and some Friday lunchtimes, while in-person presentations are currently planned for Tuesday/Thursday nights and other Friday lunchtimes. Registration is only available on-line. Unfortunately, there will be no mail-in registration and there will be no payment accepted at the door.

Here are some important dates:

February 5-6th Kick-Off Weekend

Catalogs will be available at all Masses,
at the discretion of parishes in accordance with county health guidelines.

On-line registration opens.

Purchase your Season Pass, or register for individual presentations at www.theuniversityseries.org.

March 2nd Last date to purchase Season Pass. (Single session purchases are available until 1 day before each presentation.)

March 3rd - April 7th The University Series is in session,
offering 12 Virtual and 25 In-person Presentations.

View course descriptions and more information in early February at www.theuniversityseries.org

Reflection and Prayer



WEEKLY REFLECTION: Instruments or Barriers to Grace?

In today's Gospel passage a people who have come for Sabbath synagogue worship turn angry to the extent of intending to throw Jesus off a cliff. What made them so angry? Jesus had reminded them of a time in their history when, as the people of Israel experienced famine, God chose to save a Gentile widow. He also reminded them of God's mercy towards a Gentile named Naaman. His message was the opposite of they wanted to hear.

Had Jesus told them that they were God's exclusively privileged people, he would have been praised rather than criticized. Instead, he chose to declare the truth that God has no favorites, that all are equal shareholders of God's love no matter who we are, where we come from or our social status. We don't earn God's mercy by the titles we hold – it's a gift freely given. This truth is what St. Paul calls: "the most excellent way", God's unconditional love.

What happened in that Nazareth synagogue can happen today in our Christian communities if we aren't careful. If we carry prejudice into our places of worship, we effectively erect barriers to God's grace.

While attending college in South Africa Mahatma Gandhi began to read the Gospels and even considered becoming Christian. He believed that the teachings of Jesus offered a solution to the caste system that divided the people of India. One Sunday he decided to attend services at a nearby church and talk to the minister about becoming Christian. But, when he entered the vestibule, the usher refused to give him a seat and suggested that he go worship with his "own people". Gandhi left the church and never returned. "If Christians have caste differences also," he said, "I might as well remain a Hindu."

The usher missed a golden opportunity to be an instrument of Grace, to welcome and invite Gandhi to draw closer to Jesus. Do we, even subconsciously, bring prejudice into our Christian community or our community at large? If so, we need to turn to Jesus for healing, so we can be instruments and not barriers to Grace.

MASS INTENTIONS JANUARY 31ST- FEBRUARY 6TH

Monday January 31st

6:30 am † Brian Torsney

† Pedro Montoya

8:30 am † Manuel Padilla

† The soul of Fritz Amores
Teresita Amores

Tuesday February 1st

6:30 am Thomas Lunsford

Thomas Lunsford Jr and his family

8:30 am Thomas Lunsford

† Paul Ouellette

Wednesday February 2nd

6:30 am † Marcelo Tolentino

8:30 am † Bernard McEveety

† Tomas & Angelina Montoya

Thursday February 3rd

6:30 am Mass for the People

8:30 am † Josie del Rosario

† Bill Seward

Friday February 4th

6:30 am † Annie N Truong

Blanca Arias

8:30 am † Kathy Murphy

† Bill Seward

Saturday February 5th

8:00 am † Ceferino Cantos

† Bill Seward

4:30 pm † Barbara Hudoba

† Frances X Curran

Sunday February 6th

8:00 am † Steve Andruskewicz

† Colleen Reilly

9:30 am Mass for the People

11:00 am Van Thyne Family

† Marcelo Tolentino

12:30 pm Benditas Animas

del Purgatorio

5:00 pm Thomas Lunsford III

† Alex Sanchez

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

Eternal rest grant unto them,
O Lord, and let perpetual
light shine upon them.

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through
the mercy of God, rest in peace.

✠ Leonard Galvan



Juan and Martina Gomez



Parish Resources/Information

DID YOU KNOW? L.A. CATHOLICS ARE WORKING FOR CHILD PROTECTION

Did you know that the Archdiocese of Los Angeles requires all staff members, and volunteers who work in any capacity with or around children, the elderly, or people with special needs, to complete the VIRTUS® Protecting God's Children for Adults program? This program helps prevent child sexual abuse by raising awareness among staff and volunteers, and educating them on warning signs of abuse, potentially unsafe or inappropriate scenarios, and how to respond to suspicious behavior. Adults who undergo VIRTUS® training are also learn the five steps to help prevent child sexual abuse. For more information, visit <https://lacatholics.org/education-and-training/>.



Life Centers of Ventura County- is looking for *Drivers* for the Ultrasound Mobile Unit and seeking a *Nurse Volunteer*. The Drivers can help one day a month and the shifts are no longer than 4 hours/day. The position is paid or voluntary. For more information on the Nurse Job description and Drivers, Please call the Life Centers 805-486-2721. Life Centers Ventura County New location: 4601 Telephone Rd. Suite 107

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat weekend for Healing after Abortion

Rachel's Vineyard retreat is for men and women struggling with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. The retreat is designed to help participants work through repressed grief and anger in a safe, nonjudgmental setting and come to acceptance, healing, and hope for the future. Developed in the Roman Catholic Tradition, it utilizes spiritual exercises and rituals to help grieve the loss of unborn children and to accept God's forgiveness. All inquiries and registrations are confidential.

www.youtube.com/user/rachelsvineyard

March 4-6, 2022

San Fernando, CA

Cost: \$300. per person.

**For registration or more information please call 323-577-5693 or email RVLA.christine@gmail.com
www.rachelsvineyard.org**

Service and Outreach Directory

Please refer to our website for detailed information about each ministry: www.olaventura.com

Ministry	Phone #	Email
Cancer Support Group	805-642-7966 Ext 143	cancersupport@ola-vta.org
Grief Support Group	805-642-7966 Ext. 150	griefsupport@ola-vta.org
Single Again Support Group	805-642-7966 Ext. 124	singleagain@ola-vta.org
Static Virtual Meeting Link: https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/857219725 Access Code: 857-219-725		
Many Meals	805-642-7966 Ext. 136	manymeals@ola-vta.org
One Stop (for homeless needs) Please refer to OLA website for information		
St. Vincent de Paul	805-642-4104	SVDP@ola-vta.org

Ayuda de Adoración



Primera Lectura

En tiempo de Josías, el Señor me dirigió estas palabras:
"Desde antes de formarte en el seno materno, te conozco; desde antes de que nacieras, te consagré como profeta para las naciones. Cíñete y prepárate; ponte en pie y diles lo que yo te mando. No temas, no titubees delante de ellos, para que yo no te quebrante.
Mira: hoy te hago ciudad fortificada, columna de hierro y muralla de bronce, frente a toda esta tierra, así se trate de los reyes de Judá, como de sus jefes, de sus sacerdotes o de la gente del campo.
Te harán la guerra, pero no podrán contigo, porque yo estoy a tu lado para salvarte".

Palabra de Dios:

Te alabamos Señor.
Jer 1, 4-5. 17-19

Salmo Responsorial

R. Mi boca anunciará tu salvación, Señor
Señor, tú eres mi esperanza,
que no quede yo jamás defraudado.
Tú, que eres justo, ayúdame y defiéndeme;
escucha mi oración y ponme a salvo. **R.**
R. Mi boca anunciará tu salvación, Señor
Sé para mí un refugio,
ciudad fortificada en que me salves.
Y pues eres mi auxilio y mi defensa,
líbrame, Señor, de los malvados. **R.**
R. Mi boca anunciará tu salvación, Señor
Señor, tú eres mi esperanza;
desde mi juventud en ti confío.
Desde que estaba en el seno de mi madre,
yo me apoyaba en ti y tú me sostenías. **R.**
R. Mi boca anunciará tu salvación, Señor
Yo proclamaré siempre tu justicia
y a todas horas, tu misericordia.
Me enseñaste a alabarte desde niño
y seguir alabándote es mi orgullo. **R.**
R. Mi boca anunciará tu salvación, Señor

Segunda Lectura

Hermanos: Aspiren a los dones de Dios más excelentes. Voy a mostrarles el camino mejor de todos. Aunque yo hablara las lenguas de los hombres y de los ángeles, si no tengo amor, no soy más que una campana que resuena o unos platillos que aturden. Aunque yo tuviera el don de profecía y penetrara todos los misterios, aunque yo poseyera en grado sublime el don de ciencia y mi fe fuera tan grande como para cambiar de sitio las montañas, si no tengo amor, nada soy. Aunque yo repartiera en limosnas todos mis bienes y aunque me dejara quemar vivo, si no tengo amor, de nada me sirve. El amor es comprensivo, el amor es servicial y no tiene envidia; el amor no es presumido ni se envanece; no es grosero ni egoísta; no se irrita ni guarda rencor; no se alegra con la injusticia, sino que goza con la verdad. El amor disculpa sin límites, confía sin límites, espera sin límites, soporta sin límites. El amor dura por siempre; en cambio, el don de profecía se acabará; el don de lenguas desaparecerá y el don de ciencia dejará de existir, porque nuestros dones de ciencia y de profecía son imperfectos. Pero cuando llegue la consumación, todo lo imperfecto desaparecerá. Cuando yo era niño, hablaba como niño, sentía como niño y pensaba como niño; pero cuando llegué a ser hombre, hice a un lado las cosas de niño. Ahora vemos como en un espejo y oscuramente, pero después será cara a cara. Ahora sólo conozco de una manera imperfecta, pero entonces conoceré a Dios como él me conoce a mí. Ahora tenemos estas tres virtudes: la fe, la esperanza y el amor; pero el amor es la mayor de las tres.

Palabra de Dios:

Te alabamos Señor.
1 Cor 12, 31-13, 13

Evangelio

En aquel tiempo, después de que Jesús leyó en la sinagoga un pasaje del libro de Isaías, dijo: "Hoy mismo se ha cumplido este pasaje de la Escritura que acaban de oír". Todos le daban su aprobación y admiraban la sabiduría de las palabras que salían de sus labios, y se preguntaban: "¿No es éste el hijo de José?"
Jesús les dijo: "Seguramente me dirán aquel refrán: 'Médico, cúrate a ti mismo' y haz aquí, en tu propia tierra, todos esos prodigios que hemos oído que has hecho en Cafarnaúm". Y añadió: "Yo les aseguro que nadie es profeta en su tierra. Había ciertamente en Israel muchas viudas en los tiempos de Elías, cuando faltó la lluvia durante tres años y medio, y hubo un hambre terrible en todo el país; sin embargo, a ninguna de ellas fue enviado Elías, sino a una viuda que vivía en Sarepta, ciudad de Sidón. Había muchos leprosos en Israel, en tiempos del profeta Eliseo; sin embargo, ninguno de ellos fue curado, sino Naamán, que era de Siria". Al oír esto, todos los que estaban en la sinagoga se llenaron de ira, y levantándose, lo sacaron de la ciudad y lo llevaron hasta una saliente del monte, sobre el que estaba construida la ciudad, para despeñarlo. Pero él, pasando por en medio de ellos, se alejó de allí.

Palabra del Señor:

Gloria a ti, Señor Jesús
Lc 4, 21-30

Gloria a Dios

Gloria a Dios en el cielo, y en la tierra paz a los hombres que ama el Señor.

Por tu inmensa gloria te alabamos, te bendecimos, te adoramos, te glorificamos, te damos gracias, Señor Dios, Rey celestial, Dios Padre todopoderoso. Señor, Hijo único, Jesucristo. Señor Dios, Cordero de Dios, Hijo del Padre: tú que quitas el pecado del mundo,

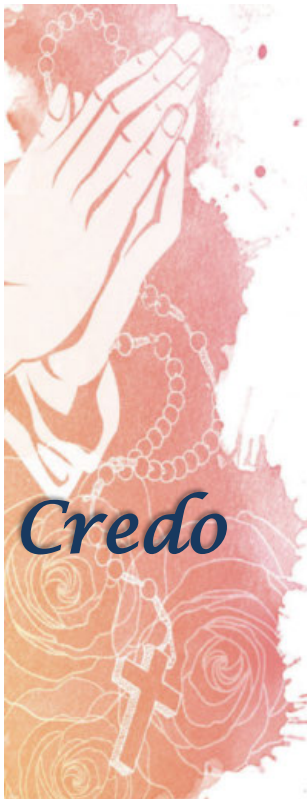
ten piedad de nosotros; tú que quitas el pecado del mundo,

atiende nuestra súplica; tú que estás sentado a la derecha del Padre, ten piedad de nosotros; porque sólo tú eres Santo, sólo tú Señor, sólo tú Altísimo, Jesucristo, con el Espíritu Santo en la gloria de Dios Padre.

Amen.

Prayer for the Jubilee Year

Padre Celestial, te damos gracias por el don de tu siervo, San Junípero Serra, y por todos los misioneros, pueblos nativos e inmigrantes que fundaron la Misión San Gabriel Arcángel, para que Tu Reino se extendiera hasta los confines de la tierra. Ayúdanos a seguir sus huellas como discípulos misioneros. Y que, guiados por su ejemplo, seamos siempre fieles y valientes en la proclamación del Evangelio de Tu Hijo, Jesucristo nuestro Señor. Padre Santo, mira con ojos de misericordia a tu familia aquí en Los Angeles. Que Tu Iglesia, fiel a la Palabra de la Verdad y alimentada con el Pan de Vida, busque siempre hacer Tu voluntad, y que sea signo de Tu amor por todos los pueblos, todos hijos e hijas de Dios, todos amados y deseados por Ti y que hemos nacido para cosas grandes. Renuévanos, fortalécenos y limpia nuestro corazón. Concédenos Tu gracia, para que sigamos a Jesús con alegría y santidad de vida, y así, junto con El edifiquemos un mundo nuevo de fe y una ciudad de santos. Concédenos, por intercesión de la Santísima Virgen de Guadalupe, Madre de las Américas, seguir siempre adelante en la misión de San Junípero Serra, dando a conocer a Jesucristo a cada corazón, en cada nación. Te lo pedimos por Jesucristo nuestro Señor en la unidad del Espíritu Santo. Amen.



Credo

Creo en un solo Dios, Padre Todopoderoso, Creador del cielo y de la tierra, de todo lo visible y lo invisible. Creo en un solo Señor, Jesucristo, Hijo único de Dios, nacido del Padre antes de todos los siglos: Dios de Dios, Luz de Luz, Dios verdadero de Dios verdadero, engendrado, no creado, de la misma naturaleza del Padre, por quien todo fue hecho; que por nosotros, los hombres, y por nuestra salvación bajó del cielo, y por obra del Espíritu Santo se encarnó de María, la Virgen, y se hizo hombre; y por nuestra causa fue crucificado en tiempos de Poncio Pilato; padeció y fue sepultado,

y resucitó al tercer día, según las Escrituras, y subió al cielo, y está sentado a la derecha del Padre; y de nuevo vendrá con gloria para juzgar a vivos y muertos, y su reino no tendrá fin. Creo en el Espíritu Santo, Señor y dador de vida, que procede del Padre y del Hijo, que con el Padre y el Hijo recibe una misma adoración y gloria, y que habló por los profetas. Creo en la Iglesia, que es una, santa, católica y apostólica. Confieso que hay un solo Bautismo para el perdón de los pecados. Espero la resurrección de los muertos y la vida del mundo futuro. Amén.

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NUESTRA MISIÓN

"LA PARROQUIA DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA ASUNCIÓN ES UNA COMUNIDAD DE DISCÍPULOS DE JESUCRISTO DENTRO DE LA IGLESIA CATÓLICA ROMANA. POR MEDIO DE LOS DONES DEL ESPÍRITU SANTO Y LA INTERCESIÓN DE MARÍA, SOMOS SERVIDORES DEDICADOS A CONSTRUIR EL REINO DE DIOS".



Abran de par en par las puertas a Cristo- Nuestros Santos

La anticipación crece a medida que nos preparamos para abrir las puertas de la iglesia remodelada. Los trabajadores han preparado el santuario para el piso de mármol y piedra caliza. Los pintores han aplicado su oficio a las paredes y el techo. La reconstrucción del altar, el ambón, el atril y los muebles pronto estarán listos para su instalación. Pronto llegarán las luces, el aire acondicionado y un nuevo sistema de sonido y video. Por último, la iglesia recibirá una limpieza profunda para recibirnos a todos.

Eso es para el interior de la Iglesia. Pero, ¿qué hemos hecho para prepararnos para abrir de par en par las puertas a Cristo en nuestra propia vida? Nuestra tan esperada apertura solo tendrá sentido si verdaderamente podemos recibir la Palabra de Dios en nuestras vidas y celebrar la Eucaristía en su plenitud.

Con todo lo nuevo en nuestra iglesia, lo que hay que renovar somos NOSOTROS. Este es un proceso de toda la vida, pero es la realidad de lo que significa ser una comunidad de fe.

Con este propósito, aparecerán en el boletín una serie de artículos que nos ayuden a encaminarnos a una mayor participación en la vida y práctica de nuestra Fe Católica. Es una tradición tener una reliquia de un santo colocada en el altar.

Idealmente, se asocia con el patrón de la parroquia. Dado que no hay reliquias de María, la reliquia de San Cándido, soldado de la Legión Tebana que fue martirizado por negarse a ofrecer sacrificios a los dioses paganos por orden del emperador romano Maximiano, se colocó en el altar en 1954.

Nuestro altar renovado se colocará en el santuario ampliado flanqueado por un nuevo ambón y atril. A través de la generosidad de algunos feligreses, incluiremos una serie de importantes reliquias de algunos santos que tienen una conexión especial con nuestra familia

parroquial. Incluyendo: **San Francisco de Asís, San Buenaventura, Santa Teresa de Ávila, San Felipe Neri, Santa Margarita María Alacoque, Santa Teresita del Niño Jesús y el Papa San Pío X.** Todas las reliquias serán ubicarse en una caja de leucita transparente debajo del altar para la veneración. Incluirlos realzará el signo visible de la presencia de la Comunión de los Santos que nos rodea durante la Misa. Así como ellos estuvieron abiertos a Cristo, que nos inspiren a ser santos vivos hoy.

El padre León



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REFLEXION: Instrumentos o barreras para la gracia de Dios?

En el Evangelio de hoy, un pueblo que había venido para el servicio del sábado a la sinagoga se enojó a tal punto, que intentó arrojar a Jesús por un precipicio. ¿Qué los hizo enojar tanto? Jesús les había recordado un momento de su historia cuando, mientras el pueblo de Israel experimentaba hambre, Dios decidió salvar a una viuda gentil. También les recordó la misericordia de Dios hacia un gentil llamado Naamán. Su mensaje era lo contrario de lo que querían oír.

Si Jesús les hubiera dicho que eran el único pueblo escogido de Dios, habría sido alabado y no criticado. En cambio, Jesús optó por declarar que Dios no tiene favoritos y que todos somos partícipes por igual del amor de Dios, sin importar quiénes somos, de dónde venimos o nuestra condición social. La misericordia de Dios no la ganamos por los títulos que tengamos sino porque es un regalo gratuito, lo que San Pablo llama “el don por excelencia”: el amor incondicional de Dios.

Lo que pasó en aquella sinagoga de Nazaret puede pasar hoy en nuestras comunidades cristianas si no estamos conscientes. Si llevamos prejuicios a nuestras iglesias, efectivamente erigimos barreras para la gracia de Dios.

Cuando Mahatma Gandhi asistía a la universidad en Sudáfrica, comenzó a leer los Evangelios e incluso consideró convertirse en cristiano. Creía que las enseñanzas de Jesús ofrecían una solución al sistema de castas que dividía a la gente de la India. Un domingo decidió asistir a los servicios en una iglesia cercana y hablar con el ministro acerca de convertirse en cristiano. Pero, cuando entró al vestíbulo, el ujier se negó a darle un asiento y le sugirió que fuera a adorar a Dios con su “propia gente”. Gandhi salió de la iglesia y nunca volvió. “Si los cristianos también tienen diferencias de casta” dijo, “mejor sigo siendo hindú”.

El ujier perdió una oportunidad de oro para ser un instrumento de la gracia de Dios, para acoger e invitar a Gandhi a acercarse a Jesús. ¿Traemos, incluso inconscientemente, prejuicios a nuestra comunidad cristiana o a nuestra comunidad en general? Si es así, debemos acudir a Jesús para que nos sane, para que podamos ser instrumentos y no barreras para su gracia.



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