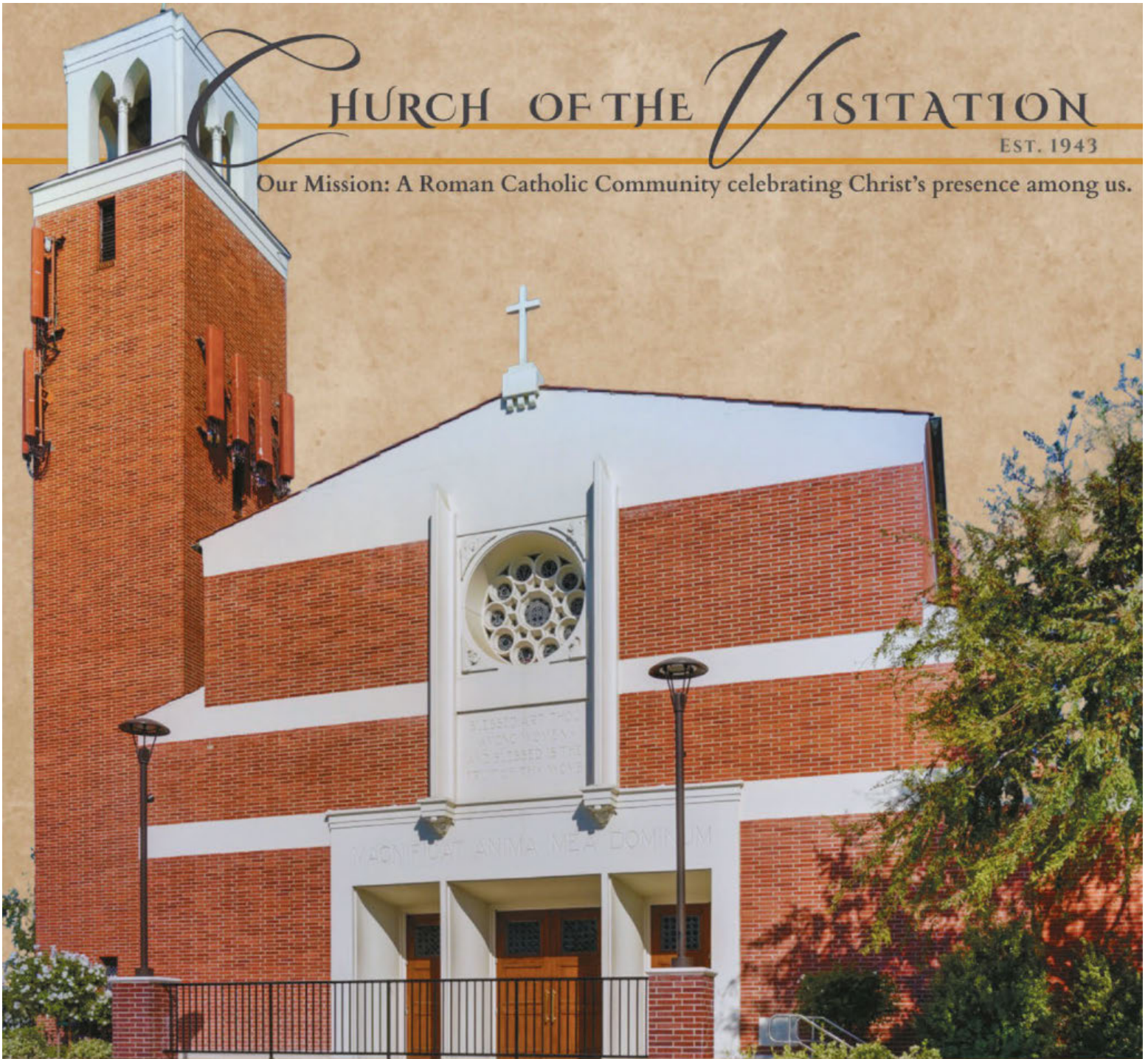


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## WELCOME TO VISITATION CHURCH!

A special welcome to those who may be visiting us today, we are blessed that you are here to worship with us. If you are traveling, we hope you find this Catholic community welcoming. If you are new to this area, we hope to see you again and that you may consider joining this community.

### ADMINISTRATOR

Fr. Francis Kim

### IN RESIDENCE:

Fr. Jim Anguiano (Vicar General)

Fr. Timothy McGowan

### RETIRED:

Msgr. Charles E. Hill

Msgr. James Forsen (Pastor Emeritus)

### MASS TIMES

#### DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday: 8:00a.m.

#### SUNDAY MASS

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., and  
11:00 a.m.

### HOLY HOUR (Inside the church)

First Friday of each month: 8:30am-9:30am

### DAILY ROSARY:

Monday thru Friday following the 8 a.m. mass

### CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and by appointment

## SUNDAY'S READINGS

**FIRST READING:** If you keep free of these, you will be doing what is right. (Acts 15:29)

**PSALM:** O God, let all the nations praise you! (Ps 67) Or: Alleluia.

**SECOND READING:** The city had no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gave it light, and its lamp was the Lamb. (Rv 12:23)

**GOSPEL:** "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you." (Jn 14:27)

## WE SHARE YOUR GRIEF

Please check the Visitation website under Resources/Bereavement for a list of Grieving, Cancer, Hospice and Palliative Care note titles. These are very helpful and powerful small articles. Please contact **Candy Blankenship** at 310-338-9043 or **blank8840@gmail.com** and she will mail them to you at no charge." Such titles include Caring for yourself while Grieving, Overcoming Loneliness, What to do after the death of a Spouse, The first 12 months of Grieving, and many, many more.



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

### SATURDAY - MAY 24TH

5:00pm Lorenza Racho †

### SUNDAY - MAY 25TH

6th Sunday of Easter

8:00am George Thomson †

9:30am Steven Jay †

11:00am Americo and Doris Rocco †

### MONDAY - MAY 26TH

St. Philip Neri, Priest; Memorial Day

8:00am Bernadette Robert †

### TUESDAY - MAY 27TH

St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

8:00am Anne Gervais Dorn †

### WEDNESDAY - MAY 28TH

8:00am Carlos Matus †

### THURSDAY - MAY 29TH

The Ascension of the Lord (holy day of  
obligation in some U.S. dioceses);  
St. Paul VI, Pope

8:00am Karl Brewer †

### FRIDAY - MAY 30TH

8:00am Richard G. Topete †

To request a **Mass intention** please  
call the Parish Office 310-216-1145

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address.

## MESSAGE FROM FR. FRANCIS

Dear Parish Family,

In today's Gospel, Jesus says, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you."

We live in a world constantly searching for peace—through success, comfort, distraction, or control. But the peace Jesus offers isn't temporary or surface-level. It's not the kind of peace we get when our inbox is empty or our to-do list is done. It's a peace that remains even when life is uncertain, even when things don't go according to plan.

Jesus also says, "Whoever loves me will keep my word... and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him." In a culture of disconnection, where people often feel alone even when surrounded by others, this is a powerful promise: God wants to make His home within us. Not in some far-off place, but here and now—in the middle of our ordinary, messy lives.

This week, as we're pulled in a dozen directions by work, family, screens, and stress, let's make space for Christ's peace. Let's listen again to His word, and let it shape how we live and love. Because the more we make room for Him, the more we'll discover that we are never alone.

In Christ,  
Fr. Francis



### FACTS ABOUT MEMORIAL DAY

The federal holiday in the U.S.A, Memorial day is for mourning military personnel who have died while in service in the U.S. armed forces.

Over one million have died in military service in the USA since the Civil War.

In the year 2000 Congress passed a law requiring all Americans to pause at 3 p.m. on Memorial Day to remember the fallen.

**The Parish office will be closed  
Monday, May 26th in observance of  
this federal holiday.**

**It will reopen on Tuesday, May, 27th  
8:00 AM—4:00 PM**

## SCRAMENTAL PREPARATION



Please scan the QR code to get more information regarding Baptism, First Reconciliation, Holy Communion, Confirmation, Adult Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist (OCIA), Marriage, Anointing of the Sick and Holy Orders.

## CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

"The root of prayer is interior silence. We may think of prayer as thoughts or feelings expressed in words, but this is only one of its forms. "Prayer," according to Evagrius, "is the laying aside of thoughts." This definition presupposes that there are thoughts. [Christian meditation] is not so much the absence of thoughts as detachment from them. It is the opening of mind and heart, body and emotions—our whole being—to God, the Ultimate Mystery, beyond words, thoughts, and emotions—beyond, in other words, the psychological content of the present moment. In [Christian meditation] we do not deny or repress what is in our consciousness. We simply accept the fact of whatever is there and go beyond it, not by effort, but by letting go of whatever is there." Fr. Thomas Keating, OCSO.

If you are interested in learning more about Christian meditation, please join Fr. Francis via Zoom on Wednesdays 8-8:30 PM.

Email [fkim@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:fkim@la-archdiocese.org) for the link.

## COFFEE & DONUTS

Please join the Knights of Columbus on Sunday, June 8 in Mary's Courtyard for Coffee and Donuts. Gathering after Mass is a great opportunity for fellowship with friends or to make a new friend!





## APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God,  
the Father Almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ,  
His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived  
by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified,  
died and was buried;  
He descended into hell;  
on the third day He rose again  
from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand  
of God the Father Almighty;  
from there He will come  
to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Holy Catholic Church,  
the communion of Saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting.  
Amen

## READINGS

1ST READING:  
ACTS 15: 1-2, 22-29

PSALM 67

2ND READING:  
REVELATION  
21:10-14, 22-23

GOSPEL:  
JOHN 14:23-29

## GATHERING

### SATURDAY Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

1. Love di-vine, all loves ex-cel-ling, Joy of heav'n, to  
2. Come, al-might-y to de-liv-er; Let us all your  
3. Fin-ish then your new cre-a-tion, Pure and spot-less,

1. earth come down! Fix in us your hum-ble dwell-ing; All your  
2. life re-ceive; Sud-den-ly re-turn and nev-er, Nev-er-  
3. gra-cious Lord; Let us see your great sal-va-tion Per-fect-

1. faith-ful mer-cies crown. Je-sus, source of all com-pas-sion,  
2. more your tem-ples leave. Lord, we would be al-ways bless-ing,  
3. ly in you re-stored. Changed from glo-ry in-to glo-ry,

1. Love un-bound-ed, love all pure; Vis-it us with  
2. Serve you as your hosts a-bove, Pray, and praise you be-  
3. Till in heav'n we take our place, Till we sing be-

1. your sal-va-tion, Let your love in us en-dure.  
2. with-out ceas-ing, Glo-ry in your pre-cious love.  
3. fore the al-might-y, Lost in won-der, love and praise.

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### SUNDAY Morning Has Broken

Morn-ing has bro-ken like the first morn-ing; black-bird has  
Sweet the rain's new fall, sun-lit from heav-en, like the first  
Mine is the sun-light! Mine is the morn-ing born of the

spo-ken like the first bird. Praise for the sing-ing! Praise for the  
dew-fall on the first grass. Praise for the sweet-ness of the wet  
one light E-den saw play! Praise with e-la-tion, praise ev'-ry

morn-ing! Praise for them spring-ing fresh from the Word!  
gar-den, sprung in com-plete-ness where His feet pass.  
morn-ing, God's re-cre-a-tion of the new day!

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### PSALM O God, let all the nations praise you!

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

### Easter Alleluia



**MASS PARTS**  
**MASS OF**  
**CREATION**

When we eat this  
bread and drink  
this cup, we  
proclaim your  
death, O Lord.  
Until you come  
again.

**PREPARATION OF THE TABLE AND GIFTS**

**SATURDAY** Make Your Home In Me

**Verses**



1. Ev - ery fox, a den; ev - ery bird, a nest; but the  
2. Lord, you come to me in your home - less - ness; burn-ing

1. Son of Man has no place to rest. Ev - ery heart, a man; ev - ery  
2. in your eyes, such a great dis-tress. Who will heal your wounds? Who will

1. king, a throne; but the Word Made Flesh, no earth - ly home.  
2. make your bed? I will com - fort you, I will share my bread.

**Refrain**

Your bur-den's light and your yoke is eas - y. Your name is  
love and your grace is free. My heart was locked but  
you had the key. Make your home in me, make your  
home in me.

1, Final to Verse 2 2

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**SUNDAY**

**Small Things With Great Love**

Not to the learned nor to the kings, But to the little ones who show the mysteries  
I rejoice when I am weak, For you will give me all I need  
Though I cannot fly, you carry me to heaven, You have not called me  
To be successful, You have called me to be faithful

**REFRAIN** I can do small things, small things with great love, That is enough  
I can do small things, Small things with great love  
And make my life something beautiful, For God

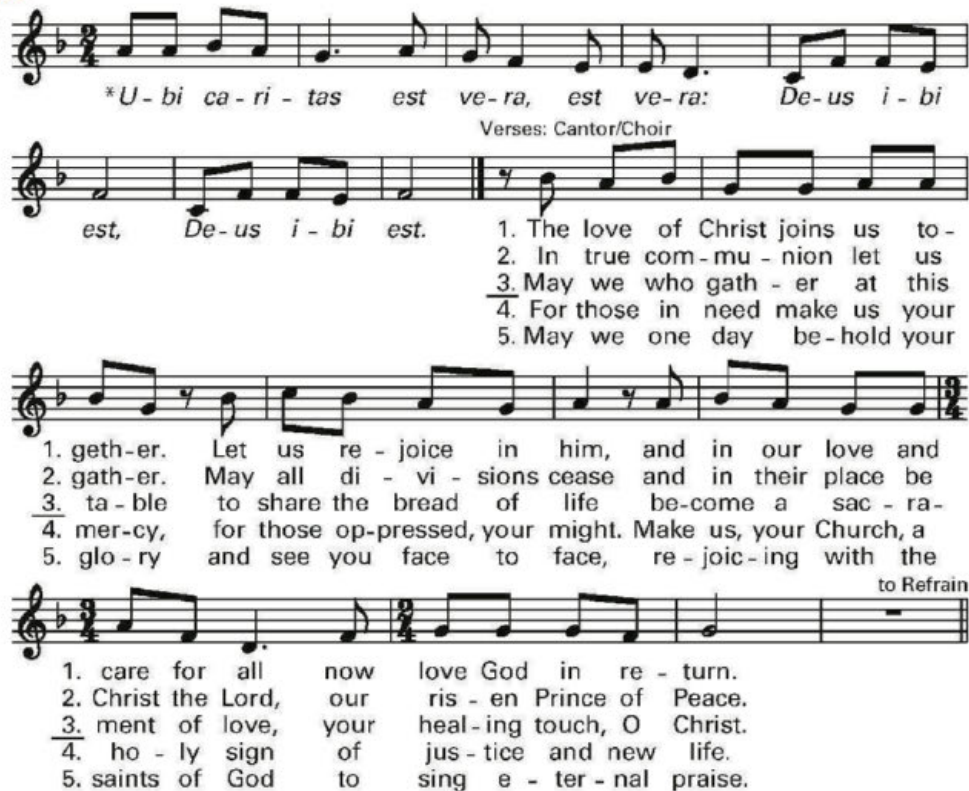
One drop in the ocean, One petal in the garden  
One hidden sacrifice, One reason for my life  
One dance before your throne, One child to give a home  
One step towards Calvary, One touch of empathy  
You have not called me to be successful  
You have called me to be faithful, *Refrain*

Yesterday is gone, Tomorrow is not yet come, We have only today, Let us begin, *Refrain*  
Be faithful in small things, For in them our strength lies

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## COMMUNION

### Ubi Caritas



\*U - bi ca - ri - tas est ve - ra, est ve - ra: De - us i - bi  
 est, De - us i - bi est.

Verses: Cantor/Choir

1. The love of Christ joins us to -
2. In true com - mu - nion let us
3. May we who gath - er at this
4. For those in need make us your
5. May we one day be - hold your

1. geth - er. Let us re - joice in him, and in our love and
2. gath - er. May all di - vi - sions cease and in their place be
3. ta - ble to share the bread of life be - come a sac - ra -
4. mer - cy, for those op - pressed, your might. Make us, your Church, a
5. glo - ry and see you face to face, re - joic - ing with the

to Refrain

1. care for all now love God in re - turn.
2. Christ the Lord, our ris - en Prince of Peace.
3. ment of love, your heal - ing touch, O Christ.
4. ho - ly sign of jus - tice and new life.
5. saints of God to sing e - ter - nal praise.

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## SENDING

### How Great Thou Art



1. O Lord my God, when I in awe - some
2. When thru the woods and for - est glades I

won - der Con - sid - er all the worlds Thy hands have  
 wan - der And hear the birds sing sweet - ly in the

made, I see the stars, I hear the roll - ing  
 trees, When I look down from loft - y moun - tain

thun - der, Thy pow'r thru - out the un - i - verse dis - played!  
 gran - deur And hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze.

Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to Thee; How great Thou  
 art, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to  
 Thee; How great Thou art, How great Thou art!

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