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## SAINT BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2023

# 7<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER



Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come. Give glory to your son, so that your son may glorify you." - Jn 17:1

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR / UPCOMING EVENTS:

05/21: Fr. Antony's Silver Jubilee Celebration & Reception/11am  
 05/27: Flapjack Breakfast Fundraiser/Apple Bee's/8am-10am  
 05/28: Pentecost  
 05/29: Memorial Day Weekend! (Parish Office & School closed)  
 06/01: SBS Graduation/6pm  
 06/11: KofC Red Cross Blood Drive/8am-2pm/Hall



### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Mon-Fri: 9:30am-5:00pm  
 Saturday: 8:30am-4:30pm  
 Sunday: 7:30am-2:00pm

### PASTOR:

Rev. Dr. Antony Gaspar

### ASSOC. PASTOR:

Rev. Bernard Santiago

Business Manager: Sam Christi  
 Office Secretary: Dona Trenkle  
 Weekend Secretary: Andrea Marquez  
 Multimedia Coordinator: Olivia Baylen

### \*\*\* MASS TIMES \*\*\*

Mon-Sat: 7:00am\*  
 Sat Vigil: 5:00pm  
 Wed: 8:00am (School Mass)  
 Sun: 7:00am | 11:00am  
 9:00am\* | 12:30pm

*\*denotes live-stream via YouTube*

### \*\*\* 1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH \*\*\*

Confession: 8:00am-9:00am  
 Adoration: 9:00am-12:00pm  
 Adoration: 5:00pm-6:00pm  
 Stations of the Cross: 6:00pm  
 Mass of Anointing: 6:30pm

### \*\*\* CONFESSION HOURS \*\*\*

Sat: 3:30pm-4:30pm

### NOVENAS / DEVOTIONS:

Tues: 7:30am\* (Saint Joseph)  
 Wed: 7:30am\* (Our Lady of Perpetual Help)  
 1st Sat: 7:30am (Our Lady of Fatima)

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*"We, the Catholic Community of Saint Barnabas Parish, are a people formed by Christ, called in Baptism and united in the Eucharist; we continue the mission of the Church in the world through Prayer, Apostolic Works, Evangelization, and Christian Stewardship."*

## OUR PATRON, SAINT BARNABAS

Barnabas sacrificed himself to be instrumental in God's cultivation of His Church. Paul makes specific mention of the fact that Barnabas, who willingly impoverished himself in the interests of the Church, labored with his own hands to support himself on his missionary journeys. In Acts 4:36, Luke translates Barnabas to mean "son of encouragement" or "son of consolation." The original Greek word rendered "encouragement," *paraklesis*, means encouragement, consolation, comfort, exhortation and entreaty. It may be that the Apostles who gave Joseph the name Barnabas, saw all of these qualities in his character.

### PARISH MINISTRIES

Adoration Coordinator	Faye R
Altar Servers (Youth)	Erika M
Baptism (Infants)	Jay G
Boy Scouts Pack 32 Cub Scouts Pack 32	Laura L Chris C
Bulletin/Website/Social Media/Publications	Olivia B
CANA Marriage Renewal Movement	Bernie M
Coffee & Holy Donuts	Bill M
Cornerstone Crew	Dave A
Couples for Christ	Roy R/Faye R
Divine Mercy Apostolate	Itima E
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Sam C (Church) Helen C (Homebound)
Filipino-American Association	Gene L
Finance Council	Espi G
Girl Scouts Troop #4283	Jessica C
Holy Name Society	Bob F
I.T. Resource Team	David A
Knights of Columbus #3449	Greg C
Lectors	Marina C
Legion of Mary	Barbara F
Liturgical Music	Call Parish Office
Marian Cenacle M.M.P.	Mary C S/Mary S
Ministry of Consolation	Susan C
Mother Theresa Choir	Benildo T
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena	Armando P Gigi L
Our Lady Queen of Peace	Tricia J
Pastoral Council	Darrell S
Planning/Building Team	Sean F
Project Achieve	Michelle S
RCIA/Adult Sacraments	Andrea M/Susana M
Respect Life	Robert K
Sacristans	Sahlee B/Armando P
Safeguard the Children	Elizabeth C
Ushers & Greeters	Darrell S
Wedding/Quinceañera Rehearsal Coordinator	Deb R
Worship Environment	Olivia A

For **MINISTRY INQUIRIES**, or to view our complete listing, please visit [www.stbarnabaslb.org/ministries](http://www.stbarnabaslb.org/ministries) or call our Parish Office.

### PARISH REGISTRATION

We encourage you to register as a Parishioner. To be an "Active" member at our Parish, is to participate in the life of prayer and stewardship. Being a parishioner enables a person to be eligible to sponsor a child for Baptism, to receive financial aid for Catholic Education, to be Married in the Parish, book a Funeral/Memorial Mass and to prepare one's children for the Sacraments. All adults over the age of 21, living with their parents or on their own, are encouraged to register as well. Visit our website to register!

#### FAKE TEXT MSG/SPAM E-MAILS

If you received a text message or E-Mail claiming it's from Fr. Antony and/or Staff, asking for money, gift cards or asking for your help, **THIS IS A HOAX! PLEASE IGNORE SUCH MESSAGES (pretending to be our Priest or Staff)** Don't reply to them and immediately delete it. Please ALERT the Parish Office. Thanks for your cooperation.



### SUN. COFFEE & DONUTS

Coffee and Holy Donuts will be served this Sunday:



**NO COFFEE  
AND DONUTS  
THIS SUNDAY!**

Inquiring about Infant Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, & Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Office: 562-424-8595

## FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

05/07/23: \$ 7,214.00

Faith-Direct  
Bi-Weekly  
Contribution:

\$ 10,634.97

Period: 4/16 - 4/30

Thanks for your prayerful giving. Your donation supports the operations of our Parish Community.



**Monthly Flower  
Donors for Tabernacle  
& our Blessed Mother:**

**Thelma Veloro  
May 13-27**



### ALTAR FLOWERS SPONSORS:

*Requested by: Marilyn Corpuz*

**In Loving Memory of  
Arlene Monaco**

**May 15-21**



**SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:** My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

### ST. BARNABAS SCHOOL



Office: (562) 424-7476  
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Long Beach, CA 90807

**Principal: Jennifer Kellam**  
[jkellam@stbarnabas.school](mailto:jkellam@stbarnabas.school)  
[www.school.stbarnabaslb.org](http://www.school.stbarnabaslb.org)

### PRE-SCHOOL / DAYCARE

Main: (562) 988-8481

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & CONFIRMATION

Office: (562) 988-6855

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# Weekly Prayer

## Sunday's Readings

### First Reading:

All these devoted themselves with one accord to prayer,  
together with some women,  
and Mary the mother of Jesus, and his brothers.  
(Acts 1:14)

### Psalm:

I believe that I shall see the good things of the Lord in  
the land of the living. (Ps 51)  
Or Alleluia.

### Second Reading:

If you are insulted for the name of Christ, blessed are you,  
for the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you.  
(1 Pt 4:14)

### Gospel:

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said,  
"Father, the hour has come.  
Give glory to your son, so that your son may glorify you." (Jn 17:1)

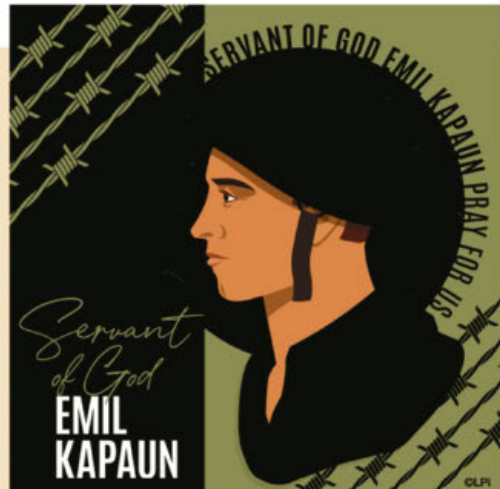
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## Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

When the world sees us, do they see to whom we belong? In what ways are we most manifestly Christian? In prayer, in service, in sacrifice? Whatever it is, let us devote ourselves to it with one accord, so that Jesus Christ may be glorified in all that we do.

## Observances for the week of May 21, 2023

- Sunday:** The Ascension of the Lord; 7th Sunday of Easter; World Communications Day
- Monday:** St. Rita of Cascia, Religious
- Thursday:** St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin
- Friday:** St. Philip Neri, Priest
- Saturday:** St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop
- Next Sunday:** Pentecost Sunday



## Saint of the week

Servant of God Fr. Emil Kapaun was an American military chaplain who served heroically on the battlefield as well as inside of a POW camp in North Korea until his death. While a POW, he cared for other prisoners bodily with stolen food and medicine, and spiritually as a priest.

## Prayer

Lord Jesus,

In the midst of the folly of war, your servant, Chaplain Emil Kapaun, spent himself in total service to you on the battlefields and in the prison camps of Korea, until his death at the hands of his captors. We now ask you, Lord Jesus, if it be your will, to make known to all the world the holiness of Chaplain Kapaun and the glory of his complete sacrifice for you by signs of miracles and peace. In your name, Lord, we ask, for you are the source of peace, the strength of our service to others, and our final hope.

Amen.

(Prayer Source: [www.FatherKapaun.org](http://www.FatherKapaun.org))

# Worship & Meditation

## Readings for the week of May 21, 2023

### Sunday:

*Ascension:* Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

*Seventh Sunday of Easter:* Acts 1:12-14/Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8 (13)/1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a

### Monday:

Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33

### Tuesday:

Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21/Jn 17:1-11a

### Wednesday:

Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19

### Thursday:

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26

### Friday:

Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19

### Saturday:

*Morning:* Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20-25

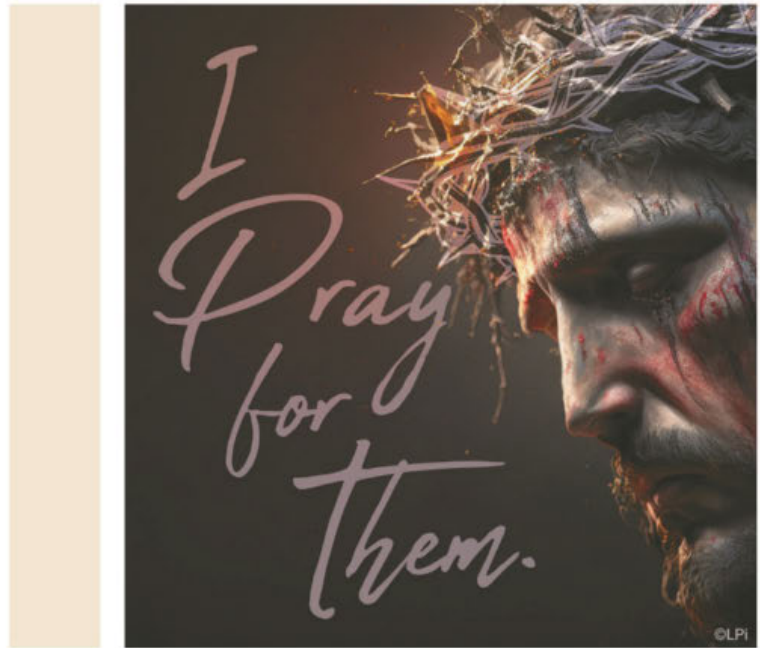
### Next Sunday:

*Vigil:* Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39

*Extended Vigil:* Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39

*Day:* Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

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## Gospel Meditation

### Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

Traditionally, the four writers of the Gospels are symbolized by four creatures that make their way into Church art and architecture: Matthew, an angel; Mark, a lion; Luke, an ox; and John, an eagle. These images can be found in churches across the world, a nod to those who recorded the stories of Jesus for us, thousands of years ago.

Today's Gospel was written by John. There are a few reasons why John is symbolized by an eagle, but my favorite explanation is that his writings soar like an eagle into the sky with their beautiful, poetic language. The prayer we hear today is no different — Jesus invokes God in a long discourse that might seem mystifying at times, the same way that a poem can be perplexing to understand when we are unfamiliar with the pacing or format.

Consider holding onto the shortest sentence in this prayer: "I pray for them."

Jesus prays for us. For me. For you.

Let that sink deep into your being.

Jesus is on your side. He is aware of what you are holding at this moment. He is aware of your pain, your faith, your mission. And He's rooting for you. This prayer was recorded thousands of years ago, far before you were born. Since before you were born, you were held in prayer. With that certainty, we live.

— Father John Muir





For centuries, the Catholic Church has set aside the entire month of May to honor Mary, the Mother of God. Not just a day in May, mind you, but the entire month.

**BLESSED MOTHER,  
PRAY FOR US!**

### Praying for all Mothers throughout the month of May!

Call the Parish Office at 562-424-8595 (or e-mail: [church@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:church@stbarnabaslb.org)) with the names to be included on a prayer list that will be printed & placed near our Altar all month long. You can also drop your donations & written lists at the Parish Office, drop in our mail slot, or send names via online on our website! (See Prayer Request tab)

*\*Note: This is NOT a Mass Intention, rather it's a special prayer list.*

### •YOUTH MINISTRY: MAY

05/22: Movie Night!

05/29: NO MEETING! Happy Memorial Day!

Follow all things Youth Ministry on IG: @stbarnabaslb\_ym  
E-mail for more info: [youthministry@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:youthministry@stbarnabaslb.org)



### Diaconate Virtual Information Day

Hosted by the  
Diaconate Formation Office  
Sunday, July 9, 2023  
2pm—4pm


Presentaciones son en inglés y español.

To register contact  
Deacon Melecio Zamora at:  
[dmz2011@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:dmz2011@la-archdiocese.org)


"Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD;  
LORD, hear my voice!" ~Ps 130





Yours is the hand they will feel when Jesus reaches out to them.



## Sacerdotal Silver Jubilee



*"Bless the Lord, my soul; all my being, bless His holy name!" (Psalm 103:1)*

In gratitude to God for the gift of Priesthood, St. Barnabas Parish Community cordially invites you to celebrate with us...

**The 25<sup>th</sup> Ordination Anniversary of  
Rev. Dr. Antony Gaspar**

**Sunday, May 21st, 2023 at 11:00am** (Holy Mass)  
followed by lunch reception at the parish premise

St. Barnabas Catholic Church  
3955 Orange Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90807 USA

Questions, please contact our Parish Office: 562-424-8595, [church@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:church@stbarnabaslb.org)

## Search & Serve

Religious Vocation Discernment Retreat  
May 24 -29, 2023  
San Francisco, CA

**Join Us!**



**What is God's Dream for YOU?**  
Is God calling YOU to be a Sister?

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# Dear Padre

May 21, 2023

## Why should I be confirmed?

In baptism, God calls you to be a priest, prophet and king. In confirmation, you receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit to live out those vocations. A priest offers prayer and sacrifice. In confirmation, you are moved to make your everyday life a sacrifice that you join to the sacrifice of Christ on the cross (Romans 12:1). *Prophet* is from *prophētēs*, a Greek word meaning "spokesperson." In confirmation, you are compelled to preach the gospel (1 Corinthians 9:16), just as the apostles were when they received the Holy Spirit on the original day of Pentecost (Acts 2:2-4). When you were baptized, you were made a member of the royal family of God (1 Peter 2:9). Just as Jesus showed what it means to be a Servant King, so are we called to serve others in love. In confirmation, we are inspired by the love that God pours into us in his Holy Spirit (Romans 5:5).

In his first public preaching, Jesus quoted from Isaiah the prophet: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me" (Luke 4:18). That was the beginning of his public ministry. When the bishop anoints you with chrism, you can say the same. Your confirmation is the beginning of your own public ministry. ●

Bishop Bruce Lewandowski, CSsR / DearPadre.org

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## •RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### EARLY REGISTRATION

Dear St. Barnabas Religious Education Parents,

Register your child(ren) now for next years' Religious Education sessions:

- ♦ If your child(ren) are making/made their First Holy Communion in May 2023, we provide Faith Formation studies for them up to 8th grade, which will prepare them and get them ready for the Confirmation program that starts in 9th grade. (The cost is \$100.00.)
- ♦ If your child(ren) were in their first year of First Holy Communion preparation, they are ready to start their second year of preparation. (The cost is \$175.00.)
- ♦ If your child(ren) are in 1st through 7th grade, and you are interested in enrolling them in their first-year preparation for First Holy Communion. (The cost is \$125.00.)

In order to keep our prices from increasing for next year's sessions, we are asking that you register your child(ren) early. **Early registration is from April 23rd through June 25th, 2023.** Please call the Rel. Ed. Office at (562) 988-6855 to set up an appointment or go on the church's website at [www.stbarnabaslb.org](http://www.stbarnabaslb.org) to sign up. There will be a \$25.00 late fee applied to the prices above for all registrations after June 25th, 2023. That being said, we do offer family discounts.

## The 2023-2024 Religious Education Program starts on: September 24, 2023!

Contact Sandra Solis with any questions: 562-988-6855 or email to: [religiouseducation@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:religiouseducation@stbarnabaslb.org)

## •ONLINE FAITH DIRECT

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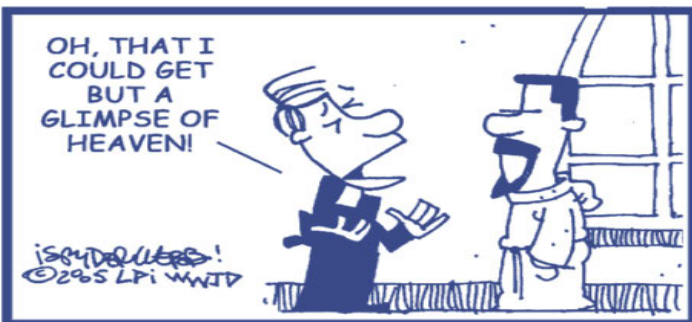
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-Antony Gaspar, Pastor

## ASCENSION





## Liturgical Life

### (PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

#### Seeking Christ in One Another

The funeral luncheon, the Irish wake, the vigil at an ailing loved one's bedside: in times of crisis, people gather. In moments of sadness, fear, and confusion, we gravitate toward one another. For some reason, the feelings are so much more bearable when we are not alone.

I'm sure that the disciples and their companions, gathered in the upper room after the Lord's Ascension, did all of the things we typically do at these functions. I'm sure they hugged and talked and shared food, processing together the remarkable events they had witnessed.

But we don't hear about any of that. We hear only that they prayed — fervently, and together.


Saint John Paul II famously said that "it is Jesus that you seek when you dream of happiness; He is waiting for you when nothing else you find satisfies you." And I think that, whenever we gather, in good times or in bad, we think we are seeking companionship — but we are actually seeking God.

As I think back on the last few crisis-gatherings my family has had, I try to remember when we have stopped everything to pray together. I can think of a few times, but to be honest, they are too few. We are usually occupied with more practical tasks: planning the funeral, talking to the doctor, making the decisions, ordering the food. Just trying to survive through it.

But this is the busywork of sorrow, and it is a waste of our time. We would do better to follow the example of the disciples and remember that, in these dire moments, God is waiting for us.

*"Of you my heart speaks; you my glance seeks." — Psalm 27*

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman



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## •ALTAR SERVERS

### CONGRATULATIONS!

We would like to welcome our new Altar Servers! Recruitment is still open! If your child is interested in Altar Serving, please call Erika Moreno at: 562-244-3062 or E-Mail: erikamoreno22@yahoo.com

Let us welcome Doulton, Clive, Brendan and Aaron! Thanks to the current Altar Servers we have as well!



**CURRENTLY  
RECRUITING FOR  
ALTAR SERVERS!!!**

This ministry is open to all Children of our Parish — Grades 4 and higher and has received the Sacrament of First Holy Communion.

## •CONFIRMATION CLASS 2023

### CONGRATULATIONS!

We would like to congratulate all our Confirmation Students who received their Sacrament on Saturday, May 13, 2023, presided by: Archbishop Emeritus, Cardinal Roger Mahoney and concelebrated by: Fr. Antony Gaspar. Thank you to Emmanuel Magallanes for guiding our Students in fulfilling the requirements in order to receive their Sacraments.



Patrick Almeida  
Alana Belle Alonso  
Joshua Ameho  
Ana Ballesteros  
Maya Calimquim  
David Casillas  
Jason Cunningham  
Jarred Desiongco  
Lizette Enriquez  
Shanti Flores-Marsocci  
Isabel Hernandez  
Isaiah Iosia  
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Alexandra Rodriguez  
Daniel Rodriguez  
Isaac Rodriguez  
Jake Ronquillo  
Sevonne Sapinoso  
Ian Taguam  
Amaya Villescás  
Gisele Zacarias  
James Zelaya

## •R.C.I.A. 2023

### CONGRATULATIONS!

We would like to congratulate all our R.C.I.A. Candidates and Catechumens who also received their Sacrament of Confirmation in April 2023. Thank you to our Coordinators Susana and Andrea Marquez for helping our Adults prepare their initiation into our Catholic Faith.



Angela DeLaCruz \*

Antonio Ortega \*\*

Elizabeth Ruiz \*\*

Eloisa Barragan \*\*

Gerardo Martinez

Jose Suarez

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\* Also received Baptism & 1st Communion

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5/1: Chris & Gen Legaspi (22yrs)  
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### Praying for all Mothers living & deceased, all throughout the month of May

Sat. May 20 5:00 p.m.	Birthday: Samuel Chavez Repose: +Raul Ochoa-Lopez; +Salome Castillo Death Anniversary: +Oscar Contreras
Sun May 21 7:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving: Dr. Mbagwu & Family Repose: +Arlene Monaco; +Pilar Gerona; +Megan Song; +Gene Gerona; +Pedro Gerona; +Raymundo Joya
9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions: Dolores Medina Healing: Martha Pech Repose: +Comfort Korley; +Jake Summers; +Yanelly Solorio -Rivera; +Celine Solorio-Rivera; +Esteban Galvan; +Sothon In; +Ky Horn; +Florence Gotvald; +Reyna Villareal; +Juani Alvarez; +Jonathan Gonzalez 40th Day: +James Linatoc Death Anniversary: +Silvestre Reyes Sr.
11:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving: Fr. Antony's Silver Jubilee
12:30 p.m.	No Mass. Cancelled due to Fr. Antony's Silver Jubilee Celebration Mass at 11:00am
Mon. May 22 7:00 a.m.	Wedding Anniversary: Jericho & Nicole Madlambayan Healing: Martha Pech; John Fitzpatrick Repose: +Carmen Alvarado; +Myrna Mamalayan; +Gabina Labiano; +Besitacion Iglecia; +Rafael Cama
Tues May 23 7:00 a.m.	Healing: Martha Pech; Carolyn Skeren; Thomas Skeren Repose: +Clara Dagsaan; +Juan Dagsaan 1st Death Anniversary: Albert Blanco
Wed May 24 7:00 a.m.	OLPH Devotees; Birthday: Andres Paraiso Jr. Repose: +Vicente Topacio
Thur May 25 7:00 a.m.	Healing: John Fitzpatrick Repose: +Darwin Arayata
Fri May 26 7:00 a.m.	Repose: +Rosemarie Gonzales
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### MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY!

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*Psalm 47*

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