



**AUGUST
15TH**

**Holy Day
Of
Obligation**

Assumption
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



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Year A: Reading 907



SAINT BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 13, 2023

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. - Mt 14:28-29

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR / UPCOMING EVENTS:

08/13: Coffee & Holy Donuts/8am-11am/Hall
08/15: Assumption of Mary/Holy Day of Obligation
08/16: Ministry Leaders Meeting/6:30pm/Hall
08/17: Online Bible Study/7pm/via Zoom
08/21: SBS: First Day of School!!!
08/26: Praise & Worship Night/6pm/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

ASSOCIATE PASTOR:

Rev. Bernard Santiago

Business Manager/Director of Liturgy:
Samanth Christ

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
Eucharistic Revival Lead	Brian S
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Sam C (Church) Helen C (Homebound)
Filipino-American Association	Helen C
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	Helen C
Liturgical Music	Call Parish Office
Maintenance	Reggie V
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
Planning/Building Team	Sean F
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

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:



August 13th at the Parish Hall
8:00am-11:00am
(cash only)

Hosted by:

FILIPINO-AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

(subject to change at any time)

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

FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

07/23/23: \$ 5,673.00

07/30/23: \$ 6,242.00

Faith-Direct
Bi-Weekly
Contribution:

\$ 8,620.94

Period: 7/1 - 7/15

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



Monthly Flower Donors for Tabernacle & Blessed Mother:

Naomi Enriquez

August 5-19

Violet Orayani
Aug. 19-Sept. 2



ALTAR FLOWERS SPONSORS:

Requested by: Matute Family

**“Thanksgiving for
Bernie & Rose Matute”**

August 14-20



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.

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For **MINISTRY INQUIRIES**, or to view our complete listing, please visit
www.stbarnabaslb.org/ministries
or call our Parish Office.

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Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Then the LORD said to him,
 "Go outside and stand on the mountain before
 the LORD; the LORD will be passing by." (1 Kgs 19:11)

Psalm:

Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your
 salvation. (Ps 85)

Second Reading:

My conscience joins with the Holy Spirit in bearing
 me witness
 that I have great sorrow and constant anguish in
 my heart.
 For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut
 off from Christ
 for the sake of my own people. (Rom 9:1-3)

Gospel:

Peter said to him in reply,
 "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on
 the water."
 He said, "Come."
 Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the
 water toward Jesus. (Mt 14:28-29)

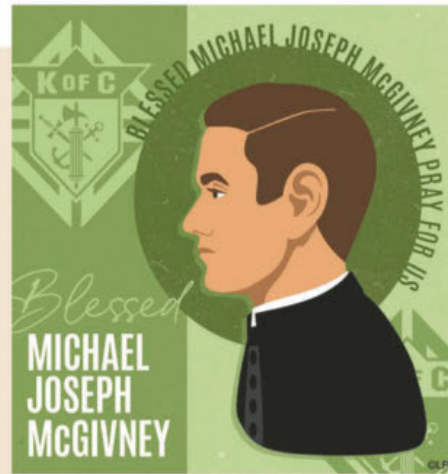
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Christ is always coming to us in ways that we do
 not expect. Ways that shock us. Ways that frighten
 us. Ways that seem impossible. Are we ready to
 accept him however he comes, amidst whatever
 fear and doubt we are battling with in our hearts?

Observances for the week of August 13, 2023

Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr
Tuesday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Wednesday: St. Stephen of Hungary
Saturday: St. John Eudes, Priest
Next Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint of the week

Blessed Fr. Michael Joseph McGivney was a diocesan priest from Connecticut born to an Irish immigrant family. Together with men from his church, St. Mary's in New Haven, he founded what is now the world's largest Catholic fraternal service organization — the Knights of Columbus.

Prayer

Founder of the Knights of Columbus
 God, our Father, protector of the poor
 and defender of the widow and orphan,
 You called Your priest, Blessed Michael
 McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian
 family life and to lead the young to
 the generous service of their neighbor.
 Through the example of his life and virtue,
 may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ,
 more closely, fulfilling his commandment
 of charity and building up his Body which
 is the Church. Let the inspiration of Your
 servant prompt us to greater confidence
 in Your love so that we may continue
 his work of caring for the needy and the
 outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify
 Blessed Michael McGivney on earth
 according to the design of Your holy will.
 Through his intercession, grant the favor
 I now present. Through Christ our Lord.
 Amen.

(Prayer Source: <https://www.fathermcgivney.org/>)

Worship & Meditation

Readings for the week of August 13, 2023

Sunday:

1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Ps 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33

Monday:

Dt 10:12-22/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday:

Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday:

Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17/Mt 18:15-20

Thursday:

Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:21-19:1

Friday:

Jos 24:1-13/Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24/Mt 19:3-12

Saturday:

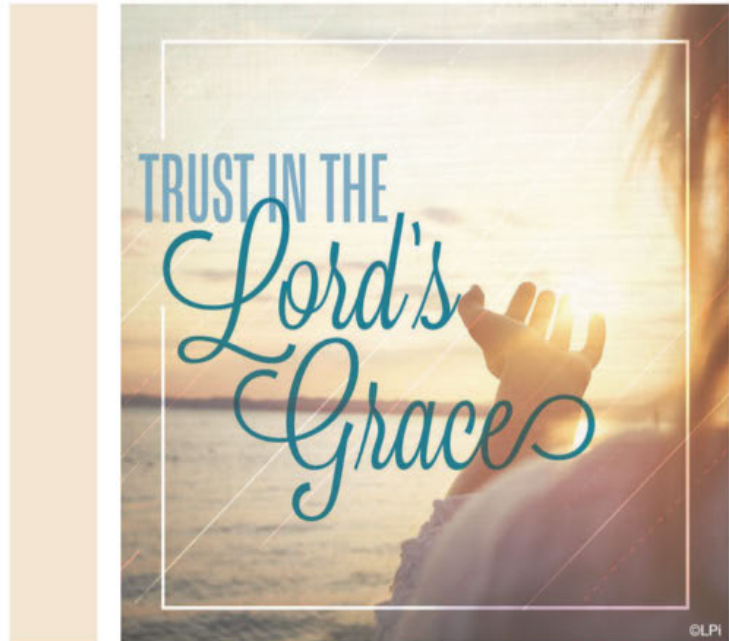
Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a, and 5, 7-8, 11/Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday:

Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28



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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

A man at my parish was struggling to overcome a habitual sin. He said to me, "Father, I know the chance that I will commit sin again is really high. Why should I keep confessing my sins? Isn't that dishonest?" Anyone who has felt the tyrannical power of sin — and who hasn't? — has pondered this kind of question.

I responded to him, "What was the probability Peter would walk on the stormy water?" After some silence, he said, "Zero. But when Jesus called, he did it." I could tell my penitent friend was re-framing the question from his own weakness to the greatness of the Lord's love for him. The question for us should not be one of human probabilities about our sin, but rather whether or not we will trust the Lord's grace in our lives.

This week the Lord is calling you and me to do the impossible: overcome sin with love. The only way to do that is to trust he is calling, and then to walk with the eyes of faith locked on him. And if we sink, he will raise us up again and again. Of that, we can be 100% sure.

— Father John Muir

The First-Ever National Eucharistic Pilgrimage



Just as crowds followed Christ throughout his earthly ministry, our nation will process with our Eucharistic Lord from the North, South, East, and West edges of the United States in a historic, cross-country Eucharistic pilgrimage. Thousands will encounter the power of God in an unprecedented way, and an outpouring of healing grace will remind our world that the same Jesus who gave sight to the blind and life to the dead is active today in our midst!

The four branches of the pilgrimage will converge at the 10th National Eucharistic Congress in a powerful symbol of unity. Prepare your heart—and walking shoes—for our national Emmaus moment.



SCAN TO LEARN MORE!
eucharisticcongress.org

If I but touch his cloak
I shall be cured.

MATTHEW 9:21



JULY 17-21, 2024
INDIANAPOLIS, IN

REVIVAL

Happens Here

JOIN US AT THE
**10TH NATIONAL
EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS**

Contact our Parish Office for more information:
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ANIMA CHRISTI

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.

Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, inebriate me.

Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me.

O good Jesus, hear me.

Within your wounds conceal me.

Do not permit me to be parted from you.

From the evil foe protect me.

At the hour of my death call me.

And bid me come to you,
to praise you with all your saints

for ever and ever.

Amen.

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gift of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who promised to stay with us always, until the end of the age.

Reawaken our wonder at His presence in the Most Holy Eucharist. May our hearts burn within us as He opens the Scriptures and breaks the bread.

Give us the eyes of faith to recognize His presence in our brothers and sisters, especially in the face of the poor and the suffering.

Nourished by the Eucharist, send us forth to walk faithfully as missionary disciples, proclaiming the Gospel to every heart and extending Your kingdom to every land.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

•PARISH MINISTRIES

MINISTRY LEADERS MEETING

We are asking for the help and support of all our ministries to make this Year of Parish Revival a great success. So please join us for a Ministry Leader Meeting on **Wednesday, August 16, 2023 at 6:30p.m.** in the Parish Hall. Come learn about the Eucharistic Revival, the events we have planned, and how your ministry can participate in this exciting revival.

Please RSVP to this email as soon as possible. If you can not attend personally, please send a representative. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

•FR. BERNARD'S BIBLE STUDY

THURSDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY IS BACK!

Join Fr. Bernard's Bible Study Sessions **every Thursday from 7:00pm-8:30pm.** You can join thru your computer or phone by visiting this link:

<https://zoom.us/j/99174147604>

Meeting ID: 991 7414 7604

Password: 3955

For more info, visit our webpage:

<https://stbarnabaslb.org/bible-study/>

Join our Bible Study Group's Facebook page:

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We will be studying the **Book of Exodus** so get your bibles ready! Sessions will be **ONLINE ONLY!**



•RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

REGISTRATION IS CURRENTLY OPEN

Dear St. Barnabas Religious Education Parents,

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

- ♦ If your child(ren) 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.)

Early registration ended on 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 to sign up. **There is 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, sign up now!

**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

•ONLINE FAITH DIRECT

DONATE ONLINE OR VIA TEXT

We need your generous support to St. Barnabas Parish to continue our ministries, by offering several convenient ways to give!

Sign up today by visiting faith.direct/CA794, or text the word 'Enroll' to: 562-330-1646.

Visit: membership.faithdirect.net/CA794, call 1-866-507-8757 or visit www.faithdirect.net. You can download the free Faith Direct App today! Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.

-Antony Gaspar, Pastor

PRAISE & Worship

**Saturday: August 26th
6:00pm-8:30pm | Parish Hall**

ST. BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH
3955 Orange Ave., Long Beach, CA 90807
562-424-8595

**All are welcome so join us
for this special night!**

FREE EVENT!!!
Refreshments will be served!

Facilitated by: Praise & Worship Choir

Is God Calling You to be a Sister? Come & See!



*Be your
Best self!*

Join our Religious Vocation Discernment Retreat

September 29-October 1, 2023

Los Altos Hills, CA

See what being a Sister is all about!

*Stay with us * Pray with us * Get to know us!*

DAUGHTERS OF CHARITY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Find out more at Daughters-Of-Charity.com/retreats/

FOR SINGLE CATHOLIC WOMEN 18-40.

BEWARE

**CYBER SCAMMERS LATEST TEXT SCAMS
TARGETING ADLA SCHOOLS AND PARISHES**



"Smishing" (SMS phishing) is a type of fraudulent activity that involves using SMS or text messages to trick people into giving up personal or confidential information so that money can be fraudulently obtained. Perpetrators use various social engineering techniques to gain the trust of a victim and usually provide specific instructions, which if followed, usually result in some sort of monetary loss to the victim.

Smishing is very much like phishing (email-based scams). Perpetrators will impersonate someone you know that is in some position of authority (a priest, teacher, manager, police, or government agency) and will advise you of some emergency or crisis that requires your attention. They will ask (or demand) that you do something to resolve the situation (provide your passwords, click on a link that takes you to some web site or buy a gift card and text them the card information). They may even ask you to call them at the number they are texting from to "verify" that they are who they say they are.

ONE MOTHER, MANY PEOPLES

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 26,
2023**

Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels
555 West Temple Street
Los Angeles 90012

Join Archbishop José H. Gomez and representatives of the many cultures, papal orders, and fraternal service orders to pray for peace and unity through the intercession of Our Lady of the Angels, the patroness of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles.

3:00 p.m. – Cultural Dances

3:30 p.m. – Holy Rosary

4:00 p.m. – Votive Mass with Archbishop Gomez

For more information go to:
lacatholics.org/one-mother-many-peoples



●MISSALETES FOR SALE STILL AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

Missalettes are still available for purchase for \$25/each. This is a complete hardbound Missal Book with all three cycles, so no need to purchase every year! Please visit our Parish Office or call: 562-424-8595 or E-mail: church@stbarnabaslb.org

●WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES ♥

07/30: Arturo & Diana Garcia (35yrs)

08/17: Leslie & Clare Dacillo-Alejandrino (49yrs)

08/31: Luis & Aviva Figueiredo (44yrs)



GET FEATURED IN OUR BULLETIN!

If you would like to celebrate your Wedding Anniversary, by featuring it in our bulletin, please E-mail us your full names, year you're celebrating, along with your wedding anniversary date to: church@stbarnabaslb.org, **ATTN: BULLETIN**



Dr. Elizabeth Kim
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Brain Fitness Center,
Garden Grove, CA



Fr. Roch Mary Greiner, CFS
St. Juan Diego Friary,
Albuquerque, NM



Fr. Robert Spitzer, SJ
EWTN's, Father
Spitzer's Universe



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Archdiocese of Chicago



Fr. Jim Northrop
Pastor,
St. Thomas Parish,
Tukwila, WA



Fr. Parker Sandoval
Vice Chancellor/
Dir. Ministerial Services,
Archdiocese of
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Fr. John Fares, OFM Conv.
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Fr. Michael Barry, SCCC
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San Bernardino Diocese



Fr. Bill Delaney, SJ
Pastoral Coord., SCRC
Los Angeles, CA



SCRC Catholic Renewal Convention

REGATHER

in Anaheim



**Saturday,
September 2, 2023**

9:00am - 6:00pm

Anaheim Marriott Ballrooms

700 W. Convention Way, Anaheim, CA

- * Over 20 Popular Catholic Speakers
- * Spiritually Enriching Presentations
- * The Christ Triumphant Track Returns!
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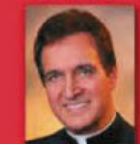
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Liturgical Life

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

God and the Good Strong Wind

My only real memory of the Mackinac Island ferry was the physical sensation of the wind against my face. I remember, distinctly, that it hurt.

It surprised and confused me because wind had never felt painful before. Looking back now, I realize that it wasn't just the wind but the spray from the waves that crashed against the side of the ferry — that was what produced the sharp, biting sensation on my skin. But I couldn't have known that then, because my eyes were clamped shut. I refused to open them, even if I had, I would not have seen much, because my long hair was blown straight across my face.

I was four years old, and it was, in the immortal words of Winnie-the-Pooh, a very blustery day as my family made our way to Mackinac Island. I remember thinking I was going to die. I'm positive now that it wasn't really all that dramatic, but at four years old, you're awfully scared of a good strong wind.

Deep inside, aren't we all, really?

I think of the apostles who cannot recognize Christ — their friend — because he is doing something new. Something impossible. They are so sure he is a ghost, a sinister thing — children are always frightened of what they cannot understand.

And even when he reassures them, still Peter is not convinced. He demands, essentially, a miracle. He demands that Christ make him do what only Christ can do.

And even when the miracle takes place — he walks on water, he defies physics — still he is human. Scared, doubtful, distractible. No match for a good strong wind.

"Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter..." Matthew 14:31

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

Question:

If we have a separation of church and state, how should faith influence the way we act in society, especially for those who have a role in the government?

Answer:

No matter who we are, our inner lives affect the way we interact with the world. In the United States, we have freedom of religion. That means there is no official state-sanctioned religion. This does not mean that our faith is a private affair with no impact on public life! We have the ability to freely exercise our religious beliefs in accord with our conscience. Not only do we have the option to do so, but we also have the responsibility.

We're called to imitate Christ in every area of our life, not compartmentalize our faith. This means acting with respect and honoring the common humanity all we encounter. It means recognizing the person behind the politics. It also means standing up for the truth of human life and dignity and advocating for just policies that serve the common good. The Vatican has produced a "Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church." It contains more detailed exposition of how our Catholic faith relates to various aspects of public life.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Book Mass Intentions via Website, E-mail or by Phone. (+ indicates deceased) Send requests at least 2 weeks in advance, to be listed. Some names may not reflect below, due to early print deadlines or last-minute requests.

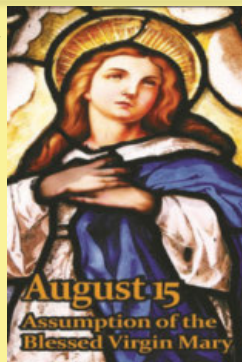
Sat Aug 12 5:00 p.m.	8th Death Anniversary: +Bryce Ponce
Sun Aug 13 7:00 a.m.	Spiritual Healing: Estrellita DeLunas; Gaudioso DeLunas Repose: +Julian Yap; +Conrado Galindez; +Juan Dagsaan Sr.; +Clara Dagsaan
9:00 a.m.	All St. Barnabas Parishioners
11:00 a.m.	Special Intentions: Holy Family Choir Repose: +Josefina Plata; +Ruben Liwanag Sr.; +Armando Liwanag; +Lorenzo Liwanag Death Anniversary: +Heliodoro Solis; +Lucina Liwanag (3rd)
12:30 p.m.	Thanksgiving: Blessed Father Michael McGivney Repose: +Felicidad Rovillos
Mon Aug 14 7:00 a.m.	Birthday: Royce Rivera; Aniceta Flores (101st) Repose: +Carmen Alvarado; +Eliseo Manarez; +Conrado Galindez; +Tek Chua; +Amelia Chua Death Anniversary: +Benjamin Cruz; +Romulo Javier (1st)
Tues Aug 15 7:00 a.m.	Assumption of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation) Birthday: Ezekiel Bago (4th); Dominique Salas Repose: +May-Luz Baylen; +Conrado Galindez; +Antonio Dagsaan; +Dominador Dagsaan; +Renato Dagsaan; +Teofilo Dagsaan Death Anniversary: +Apolinar Medina
6:30 p.m.	Assumption of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation) Thanksgiving: The Legion of Mary
Wed Aug 16 7:00 a.m.	OLPH Devotees; Birthday: Sebastian Ray; Joe Cantu
Thur Aug 17 7:00 a.m.	Birthday: Albert Long Repose: +Irene Fernandes; +Josie Baylen
Fri Aug 18 7:00 a.m.	Birthday: Boyet Bautista Repose: +Rudy Espeleta
Sat Aug 19 7:00 a.m.	Death Anniversary: +Fidela Romero; +Joel Noel

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION- AUG. 15TH

THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY

Tuesday, August 15th is a holy day of obligation for the Assumption of Mary. Please make an effort to attend one of our Masses or at a neighboring Parish.

- 7:00am Mass
- 6:00pm Rosary (led by Legion of Mary)
- 6:30pm Mass



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Liturgical Life



Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. But when he saw how strong the wind was he became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" - Mt 14:28-30

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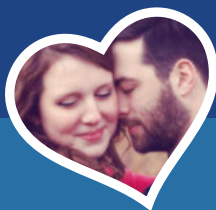
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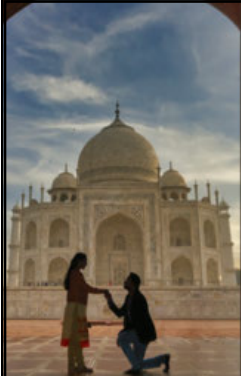
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