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Year A: Reading 910



## SAINT BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2023

## 20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith!  
Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's  
daughter was healed from that hour. - Mt 15:28

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### MARK YOUR CALENDAR / UPCOMING EVENTS:

08/20: Coffee & Holy Donuts/8am-11am/Parish Hall

08/21: SBS Back to School!!!

08/24: Online Bible Study/7pm-8:30pm/via Zoom

08/26: Praise & Worship/6pm-8:30pm/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 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	Tito/Lilia R
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

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:



**August 20th at the Parish Hall**  
**8:00am-11:00am**  
(cash only)

Hosted by:

**INFANT BAPTISM TEAM**

(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

07/30/23: \$ 6,242.00

08/06/23: \$ 5,673.00

Faith-Direct  
Bi-Weekly  
Contribution:

\$ 7,313.00

Period: 7/16 - 7/31

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



### Monthly Flower Donors for Tabernacle & Blessed Mother:

**Violet  
Orayani**

*Aug. 19 - Sept. 2*



### ALTAR FLOWERS SPONSORS:

No Sponsor this week.

*Contact the Parish Office  
If you would like to  
sponsor Altar Flowers.*

**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



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### 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 who keep the sabbath free from profanation  
and hold to my covenant,  
them I will bring to my holy mountain  
and make joyful in my house of prayer (Is 56:6-7)

### Psalm:

O God, let all the nations praise you! (Ps 67)

### Second Reading:

For God delivered all to disobedience,  
that he might have mercy upon all. (Rom 11:32)

### Gospel:

Then Jesus said to her in reply,  
"O woman, great is your faith!  
Let it be done for you as you wish." (Mt 15:28)

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## Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

"O woman, great is your faith!" The Canaanite woman stood firm in her belief that God would answer her — even when those closest to him tried to send her away, and even when Christ himself challenged her. She never wavered.

## Observances for the week of August 20, 2023

- Sunday:** 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Monday:** St. Pius X, Pope  
**Tuesday:** The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
**Wednesday:** St. Rose of Lima, Virgin  
**Thursday:** St. Bartholomew, Apostle  
**Friday:** St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest  
**Next Sunday:** 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Saint of the week

Venerable Mother Celestina Bottego was born in Ohio. She went on to be the foundress of the Xavier Missionaries Sisters of Mary in Italy. The Sisters rejected the traditional habit commonly worn by religious women in favor of wearing the same clothing styles as those they served.

## Prayer

Almighty and merciful Father, You placed in the heart of Mother Celestina Bottego the ardent desire that Your Kingdom spread throughout the world and made her capable of giving all of herself for the creation of a missionary Family. We humbly ask You to allow us to imitate her holiness of life and, through her intercession, to grant us the grace that we confidently ask of You.

(Prayer Source: <https://www.fondazioneantiac.org/venerabile/celestina-bottego/bottego-celestina/>)

## Worship & Meditation

### Readings for the week of August 20, 2023

#### Sunday:

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

#### Monday:

Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44/Mt 19:16-22

#### Tuesday:

Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 19:23-30

#### Wednesday:

Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 20:1-16

#### Thursday:

Rv 21:9b-14/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Jn 1:45-51

#### Friday:

Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mt 22:34-40

#### Saturday:

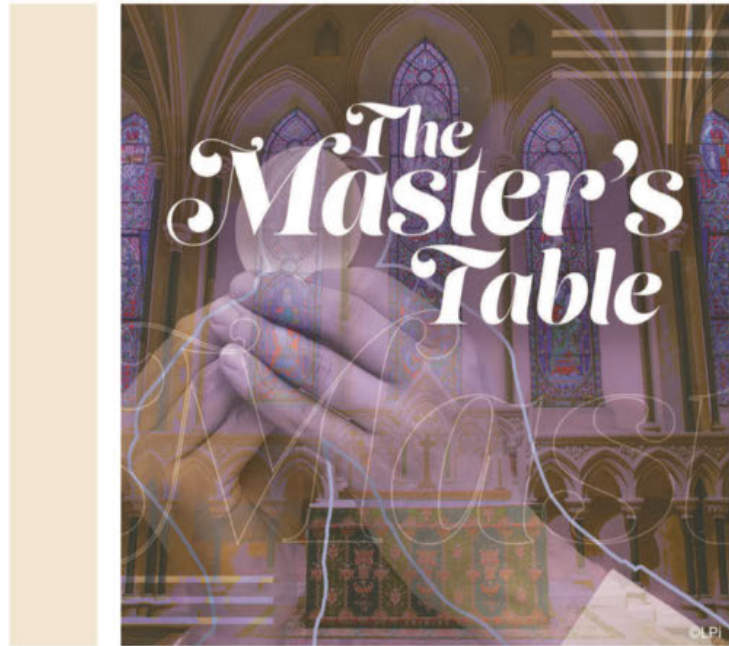
Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Mt 23:1-12

#### Next Sunday:

Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8 (8bc)/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20



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### Gospel Meditation

#### Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

The suffering of a child symbolizes uniquely terrible evil as well as despair about the future. This week's Gospel gives a "limit" case in which Jesus encounters this evil in the form of a mother with a suffering daughter. What he does is stunning and massively helpful for us if we bravely ponder the details.

The Canaanite woman comes to Jesus and begs his mercy. "My daughter is tormented by a demon," she declares to him. Shockingly, he responds first with silence, then with a dismissive comment, and only then finally accedes to her third request. Is this simply a lesson in perseverance in our petitions to God, who is like a genie in a bottle? Does that justify the humiliation and pain this woman suffers? Is the Lord cruel?

I don't think so. Notice how the encounter ends. She compares herself to a dog at the table of a master. Jesus responds by praising her great faith and fulfills her deep desire. Somehow this non-Israelite woman intuits that this harrowing situation is not dumb suffering. She senses that the door of God's family is, in Jesus, being opened to her and her loved ones. She trusts she is at the Lord's table, and her desires will be fulfilled and that all her sufferings — and her daughter's, too — will lead a great banquet. In our sufferings this week, the Lord wants us to treat him less like a genie in a bottle and more like the Master who has taken us — lost little dogs that we are — into his home forever. Trust that and keep praying in the face of evil.

— Father John Muir





**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!**  
**Catholic Experts on the Reality of Spiritual Warfare**  
**\* Reconciliation Service**  
**\* Three Separate Liturgies**  
**\* Healing Services**

**Save Time! Register Online!**  
**scrc.org events.scrc.org spirit@scrc.org**

SCRC 9795 Cabrin Drive, Suite 208, Burbank, CA 91504  
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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RENEWAL COMMUNITIES

**Speakers:**  
Dr. Elizabeth Kim, Psychologist, Napa Forest Center, Garden Grove, CA  
Fr. Roch Mary Greiner, CFS, St. John Diego Parish, Albuquerque, NM  
Fr. Robert Spillane, SJ, Spirit's Universe  
Bishop Jeffrey Grob, Auxiliary Bishop, Archdiocese of Chicago  
Fr. Jim Northrop, Pastor, St. Thomas Parish, Tukwila, WA  
Fr. Parker Sandwell, Vice-Chancellor, Diocese of Monterey, Los Angeles  
Fr. John Pardo, OMI, Co-ordinator, Diocese of Monterey, CA  
Fr. Michael Barry, SSCC, Barry's Ministry, San Bernardino, CA  
Fr. Patrick Crowley, SSCC, Healing Ministry, San Bernardino, CA  
Fr. Marshall Sagun, Pastor, Our Lady of Grace, Fresno, CA  
Fr. Ismael Robles, Pastor, St. John the Baptist, Redwood Park, CA  
Fr. Erhan Southard, Pastor, St. John the Baptist, Chaparral, CA  
Fr. Ben Tran, UOI Chaplain, Irvine, CA  
Fr. Ramon Valera, Pastor, St. John the Baptist, La Salle, Granada Hills, CA  
Fr. Jorge Garcia, D.D., Director of Seminars, San Bernardino Diocese  
Fr. Leo Carulli, Pastor, Freedom & Healing Ministry, Montreal, Canada  
Fr. Bill Delaney, SJ, Pastoral Coordinator, SCRC, Los Angeles, CA  
Domènec Barandien, President, SCRC, Los Angeles, CA  
Fr. Charles Luma, SCRC, Santa Paula, CA

**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.*



## •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:

[Facebook.com/groups/biblestudy1b](https://www.facebook.com/groups/biblestudy1b)

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

# 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.

### DO NOT BECOME A VICTIM.

**If you receive such texts do the following:**

- Take time to consider your actions before responding to suspicious text messages.
- Ask yourself if the sender, if genuine, would really contact you via text.
- If in doubt, call the **published main number** of the parish, school or administrative office from whom the text claims to have been sent to authenticate the text message.
- Remember that even if the text message seems to come from someone you trust, their number may have been hacked or spoofed. Look closely at the area code of the number. If it is not a local area code then the text may not be legitimate.
- Do not click on links in text messages unless you are 100% certain that they are genuine and well-intentioned.
- Do not respond to the text message if you doubt its origin. A response could be used as a verification that your number is responsive to text messages and you may be inundated with similar messages. Hackers build and sell lists of numbers to others for fraudulent purposes.

For more information, and to stay up to date about the latest cyber security threats impacting ADLA locations, visit <http://archla.org/avoidscam> or <https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/scam-alerts>.

Please report scam text messages involving your parish or school to [helpdesk@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:helpdesk@la-archdiocese.org)

## •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](http://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](mailto: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](http://faith.direct/CA794), or **text the word 'Enroll' to: 562-330-1646.**

Visit: [membership.faithdirect.net/CA794](http://membership.faithdirect.net/CA794), call 1-866-507-8757 or visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://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**



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/](http://Daughters-Of-Charity.com/retreats/)

FOR SINGLE CATHOLIC WOMEN 18-40.

## 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](http://lacatholics.org/one-mother-many-peoples)



Weekly Update

**STANDARD GOAL: \$905,000.00**  
**TOTAL PLEDGED: \$1,088,630.00**  
**# OF GIFTS: 208**  
**AVERAGE GIFT: \$5,234.00**  
**% OF GOAL: 120%**

Thank you to everyone who have already sent in their pledges and actual donations to date!



*A direct Fund has also been set-up via Faith Direct, so you can also donate via online for convenience.*

## ●MISSALETTES 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](mailto: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](mailto:church@stbarnabaslb.org), ATTN: BULLETIN



# Eucharistic Miracles Throughout History

Sometimes the veil between heaven and earth flutters, and God allows us a physical glimpse into supernatural realities. Below are some of the many amazing Eucharistic miracles that provide evidence for the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist.

## Scientifically Confirmed

### LANCIANO, ITALY

In the eighth century, an Italian monk had doubts while saying Mass. As he said the words of consecration, the host visibly changed into cardiac tissue and the wine became physical blood. This miracle has been studied by modern scientists, who have concluded that there is no natural explanation. DNA indicates the flesh is from the middle east, matching the genetics and blood type recovered from the Shroud of Turin.

## The Waters Parted

### AVIGNON, FRANCE

The Chapel of the Holy Cross had the Eucharist exposed during the massive 1433 flood. The water in the church was 4ft high, but the center aisle remained completely dry, creating a clear path to the Eucharist.

## An Army, Defeated

### ASSISI, ITALY

In September of the year 1240, the Saracen Army stormed the convent of the Poor Ladies of San Damiano, now known as the Poor Clares. Though frail at the time, St. Clare carried the Blessed Sacrament before the army and cried out to Jesus for protection. The soldiers were struck with fear and retreated at the sight of the Sacred Host.

## A Living Person

### BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

On his 1995 visit to the United States, Pope St. John Paul II asked to visit the Blessed Sacrament at Saint Mary's Seminary chapel in Maryland. His security personnel brought in trained dogs to sweep the area. The dogs indicated that a living person was in the Tabernacle, and refused to leave!

## Even Fish Worship Him

### ALBORAYA-ALMÁCERA, SPAIN

In 1348, while a priest was crossing the river on his way to bring the Eucharist to some sick members of his community, he was knocked into the water by a wave, and the consecrated hosts were swept away! Horrified, he did not think they could be recovered. Some fishermen called to him from further down the river, where three fish suspended themselves almost completely out of the water, holding the precious hosts carefully in their mouths. One-by-one, they deposited the hosts back into the chalice and dove back into the water.



NATIONAL  
Eucharistic  
Revival



## Scan to See the Full Exhibition!

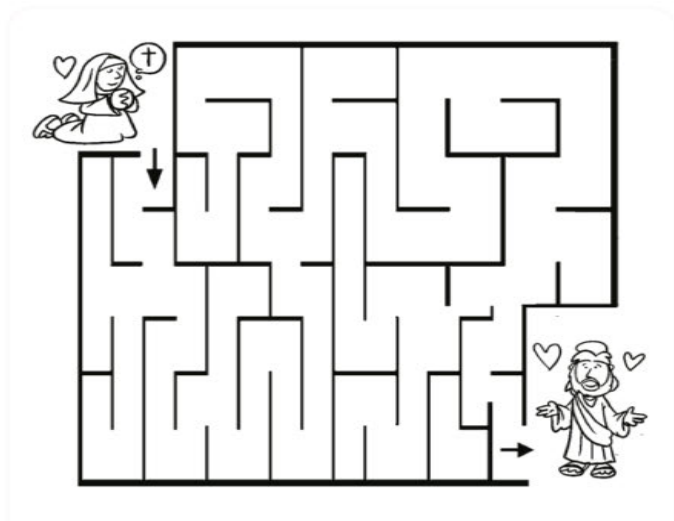
Bl. Carlo Acutis dedicated his life to chronicling hundreds of approved Eucharistic Miracles on a website he built himself. Join us in asking his intercession for the National Eucharistic Revival, that we may be set ablaze with the same desire to make Jesus in the Eucharist better known and loved!

[eucharisticrevival.org](http://eucharisticrevival.org)



## Kids Corner

Help this woman find Jesus.



## Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

### Question:

What is the meaning of the letters that professed religious have after their names?

### Answer:

The Catholic Church includes hundreds of religious communities. The priests, religious brothers, religious sisters, and nuns of these communities (which are often referred to as "religious orders") are committed to particular spiritual traditions and often to a particular charism (such as teaching, healthcare, social work, or pastoral care).

To help identify a person as a member of a particular religious community, the custom developed of including post-nominal letters that provide a sort of shorthand for the name of the community that the priest, brother, sister or nun is part of. So, for example OSB after a person's name would indicate that they are a member of the Order of St. Benedict (the Benedictines), just as SJ would indicate that a priest or brother is a member of the Society of Jesus (the Jesuits) or RSM would show that a woman is a Sister of Mercy.

### Other common examples include:

- DC = Daughters of Charity
- FSC = The Brothers of the Christian Schools/Christian Brothers
- OCist = The Order of Cistercians
- OCD = Order of Discalced Carmelites
- OFM = The Order of Friars Minor (the Franciscans)
- OFM Cap = The Capuchin Franciscans
- OP = The Order of Preachers (Dominicans)
- OSF=Franciscan Sisters
- SC = Sisters of Charity
- SDS = Society of the Divine Savior (Salvatorian Priests and Brothers and Salvatorian Sisters)
- SSND = School Sisters of Notre Dame
- SVD = Society of the Divine Word (Divine Word Missionaries)



Be gracious  
to us, O Lord,  
for we are  
in distress.

PSALM 31:9

God, bring  
consolation  
and relief

*to Maui.*

## •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 19 5:00 p.m.	All victims from the fires in Maui Repose: +Thomas & +Freida Skeren; +Stanley & +Jean Gilewski
Sun Aug 20 7:00 a.m.	All St. Barnabas Parishioners
9:00 a.m.	Birthday: Arnaldo Luna Healing: Edith Chan; Adrian Rodriguez Repose: +Jake Summers; +Josefina Plata; +Julian Yap; +Asunsion Ysurena
11:00 a.m.	Birthday: Rio Martinez (44th) Repose: +Bonifacio, +Hermenia, & +Francis Avancena
12:30 p.m.	Thanksgiving: Bernie & Rose Matute Special Intentions: Kayla Trenkle
Mon Aug 21 7:00 a.m.	Repose: +Carmen Alvarado Death Anniversary: +Elizabeth Montrose
Tues Aug 22 7:00 a.m.	Birthday: Maura Pablo Healing: Adrian Rodriguez Death Anniversary: +Ricardo Noel
Wed Aug 23 7:00 a.m.	OLPH Devotees; Birthday: Chris Legaspi Repose: +Julian Yap; +Henita Enriquez
Thur Aug 24 7:00 a.m.	Healing: Tom Skeren III Special Intentions: Kayla Trenkle
Fri Aug 25 7:00 a.m.	Repose: +Darwin Arayata; +Marie Salgado
Sat Aug 26 7:00 a.m.	All Names in the Memoriam Room Birthday: Louie Peregrino Death Anniversary: +Olympia Cruz

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## Liturgical Life



And behold, a Canaanite woman of that district came and called out, "Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon." He said in reply, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." But the woman came and did Jesus homage, saying, "Lord, help me." - Mt 15:22, 24-25

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## •PRAYERS FOR HEALING

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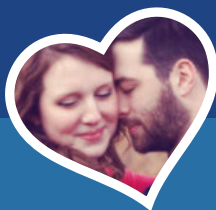
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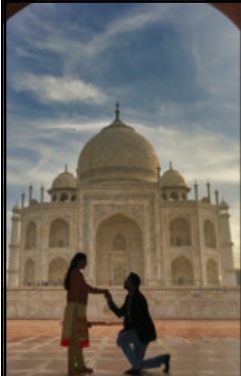
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