



Saint Martha Catholic Parish Community



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Welcome! ~ ¡Bienvenidos! ~ Mabuhay!

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 22° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario



Do not recline at table in the place of honor. A more distinguished guest than you may have been invited (Lk 14:8bc)

No te sientes en el lugar principal, no sea que haya algún otro. Invitado más importante que tu. (Lc 14:8)

Aug.
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2025

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Bienvenidos a Santa Marta...

Si esta visitándonos o nuevo en nuestra comunidad, ***estamos bendecidos de que usted este aquí para adorar con nosotros y le damos la bienvenida.*** Nuestro Pastor, Sacerdotes Asociados, Personal y Familia Parroquial extender la hospitalidad de Jesucristo a usted. Si desea obtener más información acerca de nuestra parroquia, por favor llame o pase por nuestra oficina parroquial.

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Olga Echiribel (626) 964- 1903
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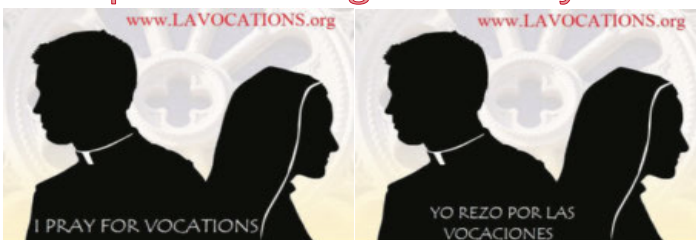
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Have you asked someone to be a priest or religious today?



Welcome To St. Martha Church...

If you are visiting or new to our community, ***we are blessed that you are here to worship with us and we welcome you.*** Our Pastor, Associate Priest, Staff and Parish Family extend the hospitality of Jesus Christ to you. If you would like more information about our Parish, please call or stop by our Parish Office.

E-mail: receptionstmartha@la-archdiocese.org

Web Site: www.stmarthavalinda.org

Office Hours

Monday - Friday / Lunes - Viernes:8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
 Sat. & Sun. / Sáb. y Dom.:9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Weekdays: 7 - 9 p.m. by appointment only.

Mass Schedule / Horarios de Misas

Saturday (Vigil): 5:00 p.m. (English), 7:00 p.m. (Español)
 Sunday: 6:15, 9:00 a.m. & 12:00 noon (English)
 7:30, 10:30 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. (Español)
 12:00 noon (First Sunday: English with Tagalog Hymns)
 5:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass (English)

Weekdays / Entre Semana

Mon., Wed., Thurs., 8:00 a.m.; Sat.: 8:00 a.m. (English)
 Martes y Viernes: 8:00 a.m. (Español)
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m. (English)

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena after Mass.

Holy Days / Días de Precepto

Vigil: 7:00 p.m. (Bilingual)
 Feast: 8:00 a.m. (Bilingual), 7:00 p.m. (English)

First Friday / Primer Viernes

8:00 a.m. (Español) & 7:00 p.m. (Bilingual)
 ADORATION Friday 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Confessions / Confesiones

Wed., / Mié., 6:15 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
 Mon., Tue., Thur., Fri. NO CONFESSIONS
Only by Appointment
 Sat./ Sáb. 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism / Sacramento de Bautismo

Parents must register at the Rectory, well in advance. Parents and Sponsors **must** attend a class before booking ceremony.

*Los padres deben registrarse en la rectoría, con anticipación. Los padres y padrinos **deben** atender una clase antes de reservar la ceremonia.*

Sacrament of Matrimony / Sacramento de Matrimonio

By appointment only. Couples should see priest at least 6 months prior to wedding. Date is discussed at your meetings with a priest/deacon.

Solo con cita. La pareja debe ver al sacerdote por lo menos 6 meses antes de la boda. Se hablara sobre la fecha en sus reuniones con el sacerdote/diácono.

Pareja de Encuentro Matrimonial

Bernabé ♥ Celia Alvarez (626) 820-8039



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MONDAYS & FRIDAYS FROM 5:30PM TO 8:30PM
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS FROM 6:00 PM TO 9:00 PM
ALL SUNDAYS FROM 10:00 AM TO 1:00 PM
2nd AND 4th SUNDAY FROM 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

SERVICE

Y2 Candidates serves during Y1 Mass
Y1 Candidates serves during Y2 Mass

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

OPEN HOUSE, SEPT. 14, 2025
3:PM TO 4:30 PM FOLLOWED BY 5 PM MASS

PLEASE KEEP IN MIND

VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION AND CHANGES

Parents, be prepare, and **BRING A PEN.**

You will be filling out several forms during our
OPEN HOUSE.

Your teen's assigned classroom will be posted on
the outside wall of our hall.

PLEASE GO DIRECTLY TO YOUR ASSIGNED ROOM.

Thank you for your co-operation.

CHALLENGE

22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

Gospel – Luke 14:1, 7-14

*“Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite
the poor, the crippled, the lame, the
blind; blessed indeed will you be because
of their inability to repay you”.*

Themes: Humility, Generosity and Respect

We must follow Jesus example and reach out to
those who seem to be left out or pushed aside,
whether in our families, our communities, or our
churches. The readings today teach us valuable les-
sons. Humility, generosity, and respect for all are key
themes. By reflecting on these readings, we can grow
in our faith and live more like Christ. →

Prayer: Lord, help us to be humble and recognize
our need for You. Guide us to be generous with-
out expecting anything in return. Teach us to re-
spect and love everyone as You do. Amen.

Reflection: What does true humility look like in my
relationships with others?

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Aug. 31: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sep. 1: Labor Day
Sep. 3: St. Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church



READINGS FOR THE WEEK LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Sun/Dom: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 (1a)
Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14
Mon/Lun: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13
Lk 4:16-30
Tue/Mar: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Lk 4:31-37
Wed/Miér: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11/Lk 4:38-44
Thurs/Jue: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Lk 5:1-11
Fri/Vier: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 5:33-39
Sat/Sáb: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8/Lk 6:1-5



Communion Host Sponsor for August
**Marissa & Benjie Lopez
& Family**

Devotion to

Nuestro Padre Jesus Nazareno



Beginning Saturday, September 6
A novena prayer, in honor of
Nuestro Padre Jesus Nazareno
Will be held every Saturday
After the 5:00pm Mass.
All are invited.
Come and experience the Healing
Power of Padre Jesus Nazareno

Clases de Biblia en Español

Jueves
7pm - 9pm (salon #3)

**Las clases comienzan el
Jueves 18 de Septiembre**

Para mas información llamar o
mandar texto al (626) 388 8491
Ana Godinez





SAINT MARTHA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Octoberfest 2025

TALENT SHOW

**SATURDAY @ 6 PM
OCTOBER 25, 2025**

PARTICIPANTS MUST BE AT LEAST 5 YEARS OLD
SHOW US YOUR TALENT TO WIN PRIZES!

To register,
please text Janice
at 360-929-6678



ST. MARTHA
CATHOLIC
CHURCH



**SOCCER
GAMES**

OCTOBERFEST 2025

OCT. 18, 2025 | GINGRICH PARK
SATURDAY | 8 AM | 1821 E. WOODGATE DR.
WEST COVINA

Registration is required.
Must be at least 7 yrs old to participate.

Please contact the Rectory Office at 626-964-4313
or Teresita at 909-815-8098, or Jorge at 626-290-3137
or Giovanni at 626-617-2869.



SAINT MARTHA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Octoberfest 2025

HEROES & SAINTS Costume Parade

PRIZES FOR THE BEST COSTUME

25 OCT | **Trunk or Treat** | **06 PM**

Registration is required for
the Costume Parade.
Call the Rectory Office: 626-964-4313

TRUNK OR TREAT

**OCIA**

First day of classes will be the following
Monday, August 25, also in room 11.
from 6:30 to 7:30 PM.

*After September 8, we will not be
accepting any more candidates.*

**OICA (RICA)**

La primera clase será el lunes 25 de
agosto en el Salón 8 de 7pm a 8:30pm



SAINT MARTHA CATHOLIC CHURCH

444 N. Azusa Ave., La Puente, CA

OCTOBERFEST 2025

October 24-25, 2025

Friday & Saturday

**October 11, 2025
Saturday**

VOLLEYBALL

8:00 AM

**St. Martha School
Basketball Court**

*Registration is required for
ALL SPORTS GAMES.*

**October 18, 2025
Saturday**

SOCCER at 8:00 AM

Gingrich Park

1821 E. Woodgate Dr. West Covina

BOWLING

6:30 pm @ Bowlero

675 S. Glendora Ave. West Covina

MAIN ACTIVITIES

October 24th - Friday

BINGO & KARAOKE NIGHT
starts at 5 pm

October 25th - Saturday from 12 pm

Heroes & Saints Parade

Registration is required.

St. Martha's Got Talent

Registration is required.

Trunk or Treat

Raffle Drawing

Auction & Bingo

Games



FOR MORE INFORMATION

**Please contact the Rectory Office
at 626-964-4313**



AUGUST



** Mass Intentions **

SATURDAY/SÁBADO, AUGUST 30

5:00PM English

T/G: Jun Alba (Birthday)

T/G: Jude San Juan (Birthday)

Raul Caiz Diaz & Family

Arnold Tucker †

Mary Jane Hornstman Camila †

Alfred Tablante (Birthday) †

Renoir Pascua (Death Anniversary) †

Vicente Cardenas †

Robert M. Gallegos †

7:00 PM Español

A/G: Juana Clark (Cumpleaños)

P. Miguel Menjivar (Salud)

Gilberto Elliott (Salud & Conversión)

Rosa Madrigal (Cumpleaños) †

Maria Zapata y Familia †

Eva Ortiz (Aniversario de Fallecida) †

A/G: Teodosio Valadez

Mariel Sotomayor (Sanación)

Victor Cuellar †

Desiderio Flores †

Armando Perez †

SUNDAY/DOMINGO, AUGUST 31

6:15AM English

Cosme Hernandez †

Augustin & Bibiana Salcedo †

7:30 AM Español

A/G: a Dios

Lolita Cruz †

Rosa Urzua Perez (Cumpleaños) †

Gilberto Areas (8º Aniversario de Fallecido) †

9:00AM English

Nancy Lobardio (Healing)

Lourdes Dungca †

Eleanor Aledia †

Eileen Michelle Chuayiuso †

Jon Joren Villarico †

Augusto Marasigan Tañada (Death Anniversary) †

Jesse MalaBuyoc (3º Death Anniversary) †

Salvador Butch Santos (1º Death Anniversary) †

10:30AM Español

A/G: Jose Campos

A/G: Isaias Magana (Cumpleaños)

Coro Inmaculado Corazón de María y Familia

Mauricio Polanco †

12:00PM English

Corazon Aguila (Healing)

Carla Diaz Caiz & Family

Marie Caroline Agustin (Safe Travel)

1:30PM Español

A/G: Familia Villasana Arias

Luz y Luis Cabral †

Valerie y Rigo Gutierrez †

5:00PM English

Antonio y Teresa Azpeitia

Yolanda Gonzales †

Christopher Forbes †



A note from:

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles



SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

DID YOU KNOW?

What having a “healthy caution” toward adults can mean, p. 2

Having a healthy caution towards adults means requiring all adults to follow safety rules, outlined in policies or codes of conduct, no matter what position they hold in an organization. Adults must also be willing to look at their own behavior and ensure that it is aligned with safety policies and practices. Monitoring the behavior of all adults and speaking up if something is uncomfortable or unsettling — no matter what the relationship between the adults is — it's critical to keeping children safe. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article “Why Should We Have a Healthy Caution Toward Adults” at lacatholics.org/did-you-know.



Una nota de:

La Arquidiócesis de Los Angeles



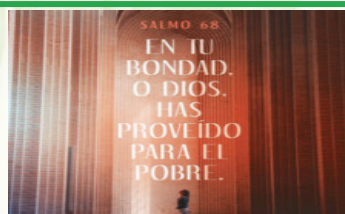
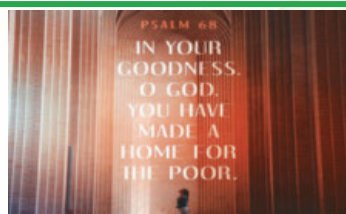
PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

¿SABE USTED?

Como pueden tener una “precaución saludable” hacia los adultos, parte 2

Tener una “precaución saludable” con los adultos significa exigir a todos ellos que sigan las normas de seguridad, recogidas en políticas o códigos de conducta, independientemente del cargo que tienen en una organización. Los adultos también deben estar dispuestos a analizar su propio comportamiento y asegurar que cumplen con las políticas y prácticas de seguridad. Supervisar el comportamiento de todos los adultos y alzar la voz si algo resulta incómodo o inquietante — independiente de cuál sea la relación entre los adultos — es fundamental para mantener la seguridad de los niños. Para saber más, lea el artículo de VIRTUS® “¿Por qué debemos tener una ‘precaución saludable’ hacia los adultos?” (Why Should We Have a ‘Healthy Caution’ Toward Adults) en lacatholics.org/did-you-know.

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St. Martha Church, Valinda, CA

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We are going to have a 2nd Collection this weekend for
MISSION CO-OPERATIVE PLAN to the
Diocese of Sultanpet, Kerala, India



Vamos a tener una 2^{da} colecta este fin de semana para PLAN COOPERATIVO DE MISIÓN a la Diócesis de Sultanpet, Kerala, India



The Rectory will be CLOSED
in observance of **Labor Day**
On Monday, September 1, 2025

All Parish Offices and all Meeting Rooms will be Closed on Monday, September 1.

Mass at 8:00 am ONLY

Have a safe and healthy Labor Day!!



La Rectoría estará CERRADA
en observación del **Día del Trabajo**
El Lunes, 1de Septiembre del 2025

Todas las Oficinas Parroquiales y salones de clases estarán cerradas el Lunes, 1 de Septiembre.

Habrà solo una Misa a las 8:00 am

Que tengan un sano y saludable Día del Trabajo...



1st Friday Adoration

Will be on Friday, August 1
from 8:30am to 12pm Only
There will be no Overnight Adoration



Adoración de 1° viernes

Será el viernes, 1 de agosto
de 8:30am a 12PM solamente
No habrá Adoración Nocturna.



9 DAY NOVENA HERE AT SAINT MARTHA CHURCH

St. Martha Church 444 N Azusa Ave, Valinda, CA 91744

Sept. 11 - THURSDAY - 5:30PM
Sept. 12 - FRIDAY - 6:30PM
Sept. 13 - SATURDAY - 4:00 PM
Sept. 14 - SUNDAY - 4:00PM
Sept. 15 - MONDAY - 6:30PM
Sept. 16 - TUESDAY - 6:30PM
Sept. 17 - WEDNESDAY - 6:30PM
Sept. 18 - THURSDAY - 6:30PM
Sept. 19 - FRIDAY - 6:30PM

On September 11 @ 5:30pm
TRASLACION inside
the church.
@ 6:00 pm Mass
Novena after the mass

For more information
please contact:
Nilda Reyes (626) 641 - 2206
Thelma Pena (909) 717 - 4579
www.stmarthavalinda.org

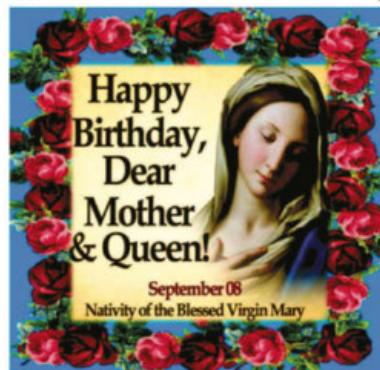
Our Lady of Peñafrancia, pray for us. Mahal na Ina Ipamibi mo Kami



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Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary!
Fiesta de la Natividad de la Santísima Virgen Maria



****CELEBRATION/CELEBRACIÓN *
MONDAY/LUNES, 09-08-2025****

6:30PM ROSARY/ROSARIO

7:00PM - HOLY MASS/SANTA MISA

POTLUCK Fellowship after the Mass @ McNamara Hall.
Compañerismo POTLUCK después de la Misa @ Salón de McNamara.

Come and Join us as we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary and celebrate her birthday.
Ven y únete a nosotros mientras honramos al Santísimo Virgen María y celebrar su cumpleaños.

Please bring flowers to offer to Mama Mary.
Por favor traiga flores para ofrecérselas a Mamá María.

For more information please contact / para mas informacio por favor llame:
ESTHER ACEVEDO (626) 641-5938; ROCIO LOPEZ (626) 367-8917.

Holy Mary, pray for us./ Santa Maria, ruega por nosotros