

**17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 28th, 2019, Cycle C
July Mass Intentions**

Fri. 26 th	8:00am	+Dario Montenegro
Sat. 27 th	4:30pm	*Parochial Intentions
Sun. 28 th Spanish	9:00am 11:00am	*Parochial Intentions
Mon. 29 th	8:00am	Special Int: Leticia Shelling
Tue. 30 th	8:00am	+Fr. Valentín Ramón López
Wed. 31 st	8:00am	+Maria Evangelina Sanchez
Thu. 1 st	8:00am	+Ruth Silva
Fri. 2 nd	8:00am	+Nilda de Leoz Agustin
Sat. 3 rd	4:30pm	*Parochial Intentions

Summer Mass Schedule: June 16th to Sept. 1st:
Mon through Friday
8:00am Mass/
8:30am-4pm Silent Adoration
Saturday: 4:30pm
Sunday: 9:00am in English; 11:00am in Spanish

THERE ARE STILL MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE SECOND HALF OF AUGUST. THE DONATION IS \$10. PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY IF YOU WOULD LIKE A MASS INTENTION FOR A LOVED ONE.

When my arms can't reach people who are close to my heart...

I always hug them with my prayers.

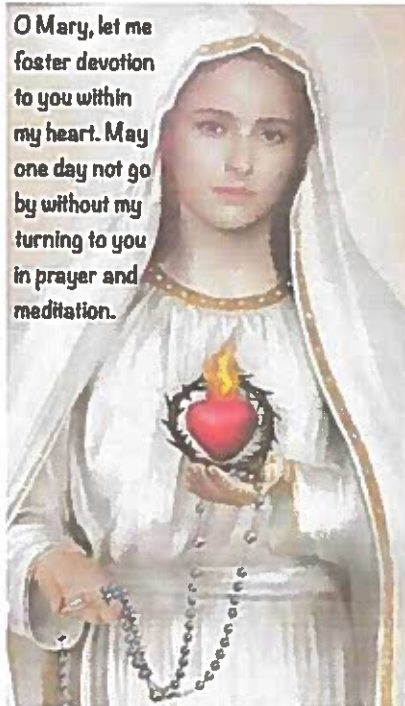
PRAYING FOR YOUR HEALING



AAA Appeal – 2019



Our Campaign Goal is \$28,490.46. As of July 22nd, we have received \$19,700.16 & reached 69% of our goal. Thank you!



First Saturday Mass at Holy Cross Cemetery on 1500 Mission Rd. will be celebrated on Saturday, May 4 at 11:00 am at the All Saints Chapel.
 Rev. Michael Quinn, pastor of St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish in Sausalito, will

be the celebrant. One of the great spiritual gifts provided by our Catholic Cemeteries is the monthly Holy Sacrifice of the Mass offered for all those interred in our cemeteries.

“What Is Stewardship?” A Workshop for Ordinary Catholics Saturday, August 10, 9:15 am - 3:00 pm Holy Name of Jesus Church, Flanagan Center, 1555 39th Ave.(at Lawton St.) Parish office 415-664-8590
 All are welcome to a free workshop on “Everyday Stewardship” with speaker Traci Welliver, who will explain “everyday stewardship in everyday language for everyday people.” There is no charge, and breakfast and lunch are included. To attend, RSVP to the Holy Name Stewardship Council at 415-665- 6780 or the parish office, above.

Collections: Weekly Goal: \$5,000
July 20th-21st Offerings.....\$2,693
Thank you for your continued support.

Next weekend's Mass assignments:

Sat. August 3, 2019, 4:30pm
Lector:A. Abiva
Lay Ministers:.....M. Acosta
Server(s).....Ashley Reyes

Sun, August 4, 2019, 9:00am
Lector: K. Nieto
Lay Ministers:..... M. Napili
..... E. Campos
Server(s)..... Isaiah Campos
..... Julian Davis

Sun, August 4, 2019, 11:00am
Lector:.....Zoila Huerta
.....Elizabeth Gomez
Ministers: Carmen Dominugez
..... Indiana Arguello
..... Roberto Gonzalez
Server(s):.....Volunteer

Feast of Our Lady at National Shrine of St. Francis of Assisi Friday, August 2nd; 610 Vallejo St., SF Rodney

Esperanza 415-986-4557
ShrineSF.org
All are welcome to observe The Feast of Our Lady of the Angels of the Porziuncola on August 2nd and to join in the Franciscan tradition of taking the opportunity on



this feast to receive "The Pardon of Assisi" or "The Porziuncula Indulgence." In the historic church, there will be three periods for Confession (11:00 am – 12:00 noon; 3:00 – 4:00 pm; 6:00 – 7:00 pm) and there will be two Masses (12:15 pm and 7:30 pm). In the Porziuncola Nuova Chapel, the liturgies are: Rosary at 4:00 pm; Vespers at 4:30 pm; Mass at 5:00 pm; Holy Hour/Eucharistic Adoration at 6:00 pm, followed by Benediction.



*Lord,
for your
faithful
people
life is
changed,
not
ended.*

**In memory
of Fr.
Valentín
Ramón
López**

In 1975, Fr. Valentín helped organize the Latin community and helped initiate the

Latin Club at St. Finn Barr. Fr. Valentín passed away on Wednesday, July 17th. May God welcome him into His Glory & may he rest in peace.

En 1975, el Padre Valentín ayudó a organizar la Comunidad Latina y también se dio inicio al Club Latino de San Finn Barr. El Padre Valentín murió miércoles el 17 de julio. Que Dios lo tenga en su Gloria y que en paz descanse.



On Saturday, August 10th, at Goode Hall, from 11:30am-4:00pm, you are all invited to the All Hallows Young Ladies Institute (YLI) #182 High Tea/Bingo Fundraiser

Wear your favorite Hat, Gloves and bring your favorite TEA CUP!!! Prize will be awarded for the most Unique Tea Cup!!! There will be great raffle prizes. Please make your \$20 reservation no later than August 5, 2019. See the flyer for more information. We look forward to seeing you there.



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First Reading

Genesis 18:20-32

Abraham pleads with God to save the innocent people of Sodom and Gomorrah.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 138:1-3,6-8

Lord, on the day I cried for help, you answered me.

Second Reading

Colossians 2:12-14

You were buried with Christ in Baptism and also raised with him.

Gospel Reading

Luke 11:1-13

Jesus teaches the disciples about prayer.

Background on the Gospel Reading

In today's reading, from the beginning of Chapter 11 of his Gospel, Luke presents the core of Jesus' teaching on prayer. It consists of Jesus teaching a prayer to his disciples, a parable on the persistent neighbor, and assurances that God hears our prayers.

The disciples notice Jesus praying "in a certain place." They ask him to teach them to pray just as John the Baptist had taught his disciples. Jesus teaches them a simple version of the most famous Christian prayer, the Our Father, or the Lord's Prayer. Luke's version seems simple and direct. We pray that God's name will be recognized as holy and that his rule over all will be established. This is followed by petitions for our needs for bread, for forgiveness, and for deliverance. Luke uses the more theological language of "sins" rather than "debts," which is used in Matthew's version.

Having taught his disciples a simple, daily prayer, Jesus goes on to reassure them that God answers prayers. First, he tells a parable about a persistent neighbor who asks a friend for bread at midnight. The friend is already in bed and has no desire to disturb his family by opening the door. But because the neighbor is persistent, the sleeping man gets up and gives him all that he needs. If a neighbor is willing to help us if we are persistent enough, how could God not respond to our requests?

This teaching concludes with the reminder that if we seek, we will get a response. If a human father, with all his faults, knows how to give good gifts to his children, how much more will our heavenly Father give us? Instead of good gifts, however, Luke substitutes the word *Holy Spirit*. This foreshadows the gift of the Holy Spirit, who is central to Luke's theology and who will play an important role in the growth of the early Church after Pentecost.

The parable and the concluding teaching in this section should not lead us to think of prayer as a series of requests presented to God. Rather, as Jesus teaches in his model, prayer consists in recognizing God's holiness and His rule over all things. -*Loyola Press*

SOME IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON PRAYER

1) Prayer is communication with God. More specifically, prayer is the lifting up of our spirit to God. It is a two-way communication. It is the lifeblood of our soul. It is the "oxygen of the soul", according to St. Padre Pio. In prayer we come into contact with God.

2) Essential Elements of Prayer:

* Faith – We pray because we are convinced of God's power, and we trust His love and providence.

* Humility – When we pray, we acknowledge the fact that God is the source of everything in our life. We are nothing without God. So, in prayer, we bow down in humility, asking God for help, as well as His forgiveness. Without humility, there can be no genuine prayer.

* Communication – Prayer is our communication with God. It is always a two-way communication. We talk to God; He listens. God talks to us; we should listen. Since God knows everything that we need, prayer, therefore, should be more of listening to God rather than talking. That is why we are encouraged not only to read novenas and prayer books, but also to put ourselves in silence in order to properly dispose ourselves to meditation and contemplation. In prayer, we do not impose our will on God; rather, we surrender our will to God's will. This we see clearly in the prayer of Jesus at Gethsemane. -*from Fr. Mike Lagrimas*

XVII DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO
DOMINGO 28 DE JULIO 2019

LECTORES: Armando & MaryLou Balderramos

MINISTROS: Luis Calderón
 Magda McDonald
 Alejandra González

INTENCIÓN: Por nuestros amigos y hermanos en Cristo que han pasado a mejor vida: Honorata Campos, Padre Valentín Ramón López, María Evangelina Sanchez. Qué el Señor los tenga en su Santa Gloria.

Dios habita en su santuario; él nos hace habitar juntos en su casa; es la fuerza y el poder de su pueblo

REFLEXIÓN:

Primera Lectura - Del Libro de Génesis.- En esta lectura se habla de la destrucción de dos ciudades pecadoras: Sodoma y Gomorra. Pero Abraham padre de la fe, insiste en interceder ante Dios por esas ciudades pecadoras. Y ante tanta insistencia y esa osadía de Abraham en regatear con mucha discreción y firmeza, demuestra la fe que él tiene para ayudar a esas ciudades. Finalmente Dios ante tanta insistencia e dice a Abraham: ***no las destruiré si encuentro en ellas diez justos.***

Segunda Lectura - De Pablo a los colosenses.- En esta lectura se insiste en el misterio bautismal como muerte y resurrección con Cristo. Según Pablo, a través del bautismo hemos sido liberados del pecado. Liberados del egoísmo, mesquindad, codicia, etc. Hay un gesto que para los cristianos reemplaza la circuncisión y significa la muerte carnal: ***el bautismo.***

Evangelio según San Lucas - Jesús está en oración. Sus discípulos están impresionados por la transformación que él experimenta. Un rostro y una persona muy diferente cuando está inmerso en la oración. Tal es su transformación que sus discípulos le piden: ***Señor enseñanos a orar.*** La oración es el gemido del Espíritu Santo en nosotros. Pero la repetición es necesaria para que este gemido se haga un camino en nuestro corazón. Pero también en este evangelio Jesús les pide a los discípulos que en su misión evangelizadora es necesario ser perseverante. Hay que abrirse caminos, tocar puertas. Hay que ser como la gotera, que con su insistencia desgasta las rocas más duras. Si el hombre perseverara en vez de desanimarse, podrá conseguir mucho más de lo que hubiera podido desear.

El que persevera alcanza.

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ANUNCIOS:

1. Recuerde de su donativo anual a la Arquidiócesis. Hemos recaudado hasta el momento 69 %. Sea generoso.
2. No olvide que nuestra celebración comienza a las 11AM durante el verano.
3. Asamblea General del Club Latino hoy después de nuestra celebración. Están todos invitados. Miembros y amigos.
4. Próximo Domingo - Celebración del Divino Salvador del Mundo. Está invitado.

Padre nuestro que estas en los cielos, santificado sea tu nombre, venga a nosotros tu Reino, hágase Señor tu voluntad así en la tierra como en el cielo, danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día



Y perdona nuestras ofensas puesto que también nosotros perdonamos a todo aquél nos ofende y no nos dejes caer en la tentación y líbranos del mal."