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Congratulations to Tyler, Leonila, Nathaly, Julie, and Yailen!

They marked an important milestone on their Journey of Faith by receiving the Eucharist for the first time on Sunday, April 29th.

SOAR NEWS

Thank You to Alex Nicholl-Carolan, our Director of Music & Liturgy for sharing information regarding the parts of the Catholic funeral rite at our April Luncheon.

If you missed signing up for the April 30th Carmel Valley wine tasting, please watch the bulletin for upcoming information on another wine tasting in May.

The next SOAR luncheon will be in July. Please watch bulletin for luncheon information. Betsy is out of town attending family events during May and June.

How can I get around if I don’t drive?

Monterey Salinas Transportation (MST) is the local bus service and they have mobility services for people that don’t drive.

*RIDES ADA Paratransit
*Taxi Vouchers
*Special Medical Trips
*Travel Training

Over the next few weeks we will highlight each of these programs. We also have brochures in the parish office describing these services. To get information directly from MST, please contact Lesley van Dalen, MST Mobility Specialist, phone: 831-241-9029 or email: Ivandalen@mst.org
Did you Remember ...

... to SAVE the Date  May 6th at the 12pm Mass

Our Parish is blessed to have eight students who have spent two years studying and deepening their relationship with Christ in preparation to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Join us on Sunday May 6th at the 12pm Mass.

... Pancake Breakfast Today!

Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast is being served after the 8 & 10 am Masses?

Tickets will be sold at the door:
Adults $7, Children $5, Families $20

Pancakes, eggs, bacon, sausage, tea, coffee, orange juice, hot chocolate and more!

Did you get your tickets? You can still buy your tickets this weekend after all the Masses. *Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Please join us for good pizza and fellowship.

When:  Friday, May 4th at 5:00 pm
Where:  Hall
Cost:  $5 per person

... that Pizza Night is almost here!
St. Angela Merici Parish: Founded 1928

Mark your calendars and join us for the following events as we continue to celebrate our 90th Anniversary!

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<td>Today is the final day to submit your “Share your St. Angela’s Story.” You can submit the form below to the parish office, or find the same form on the Parish Website.</td>
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<td>Sunday May 20th</td>
<td>The Korean Presbyterian Church of Pacific Grove has invited our parish community to tour the Church building at 8th and Central - this building was the original St. Angela’s Church.</td>
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<td>Sunday June 3rd</td>
<td>The 12pm Mass will be celebrated to close the 90th Anniversary Celebrations and will be followed by refreshments and fellowship! STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS.</td>
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Hi Small Christian Communities,

I wanted to let you know that May editions of Bringing Home the Word, The Word Among Us, Insights, and Exploring the Sunday Readings, are available in the parish office.

Remember - Our Small Christian Communities are always looking for new members! Contact Jordan in the parish office!

Enjoy the sunshine!
Ascension on Sunday
Paul Turner

*This year, the Ascension will be celebrated here at St. Angela Merici, on Saturday, May 12th and Sunday, May 13th.

The Ascension of Christ, which traditionally falls on a Thursday, may be celebrated on a Sunday in certain parts of the world.

The Ascension originated as a Thursday celebration because of the story of the event from the opening of the Acts of the Apostles. There, Luke says that Jesus rose from the dead, appeared to believers for 40 days and then ascended to the heavens. Even though the accounts of the ascension in the Gospels suggest it took place after a shorter period of time, the liturgy of the church has honored the chronology from Acts by celebrating the Ascension on Thursday of the sixth week of Easter.

The Solemnity of the Ascension is one of 10 days that may be a holy day of obligation. Not all countries have the same holy days. In those countries where the Ascension is not a holy day, the solemnity is transferred to the following Sunday. The United States is so large and its needs so varied that Rome has granted it permission to decide by region on the date of this one solemnity. It is possible within the United States for Ascension to be on a Thursday in one state and on a Sunday in another. Travelers are expected to honor the custom of the place where they are that week.

Those celebrating Ascension on Sunday will miss the Mass texts of the Seventh Sunday of Easter, filled with anticipation for the Spirit of Pentecost. The second reading and the Gospel of the Seventh Sunday of Easter may replace those usually heard on the Sixth. Those attending weekday Masses may notice that the responsorial psalm on Friday and Saturday of the Sixth Week of Easter is a seasonal psalm for the Ascension, even if their community will not celebrate the solemnity until Sunday.

40+ Singles

There is a 40+ Singles Meeting on Tuesday, May 1st at 7:00 PM in the Small Hall.

We are St. Angela’s parishioners, over 40 years of age, single or single again, who are interested in making new friends, taking part in social activities, sharing opportunities for spiritual growth and becoming involved in volunteer projects that will benefit our parish, our community, and ourselves.

New members are always welcome. If you would like to join us, we meet the first Tuesday of each month.

We will be planning our next I-HELP dinner (Thursday, May 10th); Sunday dinners, movie nights, and other activities including our monthly hike.

For more information, please call David at 524-1468 or Ellen at 375-2379.

Food Commodities Distribution

Monday, May 7th
9:30-10:30 Small Hall

This government program provides non-perishable food, produce and sometimes meat to qualifying low-income individuals and families.

Your Monthly income can be up to $1485.00 for an individual, $2002.50 for a two person household, and on up for larger families. If you fall in this income level, we encourage you to use this program-the food is great!

Questions? Please call Pat 657-4297
### Mass Intentions For The Week - April 28 - May 6

**Sat. 04/28**
- 8:00am: For parishioners for whom we have promised prayer
- 5:00pm: Manuel Soares - Joe & Fatima Melo

**Sun. 04/29**
- 8:00am: For the lonely, sick and dying of our parish
- 10:00am: Rina & Ernesto Macciardi - Daughters-Chiara & Francesca Macciardi
- 12:00pm: Manuel Soares - Joe & Fatima Melo
  + John S. Cabral & Wives - Solome Cabral
  + Seraina S. N. Cardoso - Solome Cabral

**Mon 04/30**
- 8:00am: COMMUNION SERVICE

**Tues 05/01**
- 8:00am: For Pope Francis and all world leaders

**Wed 05/02**
- 8:00: For our deceased family members and friends

**Thur 05/03**
- 8:00: For those in our parish who suffer from loss of a loved one

**Fri. 05/04**
- 8:00: Manuel Soares - Joe & Fatima Melo
- 5:00: Paul, Christina, Vincent Torrente - Family
  + Horace S, Carmen, Vincent Russo - Family
  + Teresa Marra - Mary Ann High

**Sat. 05/05**
- 8:00am: Manuel Soares - Joe & Fatima Melo
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  + Horace S, Carmen, Vincent Russo - Family
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**Sun. 05/06**
- 8:00am: Josephine Favazza - Board Members of ICF
- 10:00am: Kathleen Hanselmann - Marianne Powers
  + Sandra Rudy - David & Paula
- 12:00pm: Manuel Soares - Ed & Tina Tavares
  + Mary Rodrigues - Marlene & Eric da Rosa Family
  + Teresa J. Borges & deceased members - Family

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### THIS WEEK at St. Angela Merici

**Mon 04/30**
- 9:40-30: ‘Your Story’ due today
- Off

**Tues 05/01**
- 11:00 am: SCC Faith Formation
- 3:30 pm: 40+ Singles
- 7:00 pm: Lib Vic Hall

**Thur. 05/03**
- 6:30 pm: Choir Rehearsal
- Ch

**Fri. 05/04**
- 8:30 am: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- 5:00 pm: Pizza Night
- Ch Hall

**Sat. 05/05**
- 12:00 noon: Catholic Daughters Association
- Hall

**Sun 05/06**
- 12:00: Confirmation Liturgy
- 5:00 pm: Confirmation meeting
- Ch Hall

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### Readings for the Week

**Monday**
- Acts 14: 5-18; Ps 115: 1-2, 3-4, 15-16
- Jn 14: 21-26

**Tuesday**
- Acts 14: 19-28; Ps 145: 10-11, 12-13AB, 21
- Jn 14: 27-31A

**Wednesday**
- Acts 15: 1-6; Ps 122: 1-2, 3-4AB, 4CD-5;
- Jn 15: 1-8

**Thursday**
- 1 Cor 15: 1-8; Ps 19: 2-3, 4-5;
- Jn 14: 6B, 9C

**Friday**
- Acts 15: 22-31; Ps 57: 8-9, 10and 12
- Jn 15: 12-17

**Saturday**
- Acts 16 1-10; Ps 100: 1B-2, 3, 5
- Jn 15: 18-21

**Sunday**
- Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4; 1 Jn 4: 7-10;
- Jn 15: 9-17
Please pray

San Carlos Cathedral and School invites you to attend three special dinners as they are raising funds towards repairing their school play field.

These dinners will take place in the cathedral hall. Tickets can be purchased from the cathedral and/or school office. Tickets are $35/adults and $15/children. All dinners commence at 6 pm on the following dates:

April 27—Italian dinner menu: Italian breaded N.Y. steak with gnocchi pomodoro; medley of squash and eggplant; Italian chopped salad; ICF famous garlic bread; dessert.

The remaining dinners are:

May 18 — Mexican/Hispanic dinner

June 22—Filipino Dinner

Thank you for considering supporting this worthy cause and the students thank you!