

## Mass Intentions and Prayers

### Please Keep In Your Prayers:

Lucas Abella Jr	Ted Jimenez	Mary Piedra
Florence Adams	Victor M. Lagunas, Sr.	Alberto Preciado
David Anthony	Tom Lapos	MaryAnn Quintero
Ramon Arredondo	M. Delphine Ledoux	Mena Rosales
Jovenchio Arute	J.M. Lew	Juan Reyes
Ken Barosso	Claudia + Alexis Lopez	Jeffruy Robinson
Susan Bujace	Ireneo Liuanag	Judy Rogers
Leny Casquejo	Isabel Luna	Chris Rotas
Javier Calderon	Soledad Manang	Rebecca Salazar
Raymond Cervantes	James & Christian Martin	Margarita Sanchez
MaryAnn Correa	Jose Martinez	Richard Sanchez
Raul Cruz	Trini McClinton	Cal Schell
Barbara De Silva	Bert Melliza	Vickie Siba
Maria Teresa Diaz	Nathan Montoya	Daniel Silva
Rose Espinoza	Eddie Munoz	Gloria Snell
Yvette Espinoza	Marian Musso	Flora Spinella
Caroline Flores	Eguoncio Negrete	Logan Tracy
Pamela Flores	Norma Negrete	Susan Valenzuela
Susana Garcia	Josephine Okungbowa	Martin Vasquez
Lorena Gonzales	Soledad Olorios	Nina Vasquez
Yesenia Gonzales	Kim Ortiz	Ida Vaughan
Dolores Gruber	Maritza Padilla	Adolfo Velasco
Bob Herold	Sara Perez	Fely Villanueva
Rene Ibarra	Gertie Petzold	Marion Wright
Tony Jiame		

May they receive the love and support of our Community

### Tithings from Last Week

General Collection	\$1,252.00
Development	\$ 250.00
SVdP	\$ 310.00
Altar Society	\$ 20.00
Online Donations (Nov. 24 - Nov. 30, 2020)	\$ 322.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$2,154.00</b>

**Tithings:** Thank you for your online and mailed donations during these difficult times.

Saint Peter-All Hallows' Church  
5500 13th Avenue, Sacramento, 95820  
[www.sp-ah.org/donate](http://www.sp-ah.org/donate)

### St. Vincent de Paul Ministry



Last week we helped a neighborhood family with \$250.00 worth of groceries. We also referred two families to services nearer to them. Thank you for your prayers and financial support.

**This weekend's Second Collection** goes toward our Parish Development Fund. Please see the next page in the bulletin and our Facebook and Instagram platforms for photos and details on our recent projects.

**December 6, 2020**

**Second Sunday of Advent**

<b>Sunday</b>		<b>10:30am</b>
<b>December 6th</b>		Parish Community SI In Thanksgiving †Nina Guerra †Randy Trujillo †John + June Mosloskie
		<b>12:30pm</b>

### Weekly Readings & Saints

Saturday	ISAIAH 30:19-21, 23-26; MATTHEW 9:35-10:1, 5, 6-8	
Sunday	ISAIAH 40:1-5, 9-11; 2 PETER 3:8-14; MARK 1:1-8	Second Sunday of Advent
Monday	ISAIAH 35:1-10; LUKE 5:17-26	St. Ambrose, Bishop, Doctor of the Church
Tuesday	GENESIS 3:9-15, 20; EPHESIANS 1:3-6, 11-12; LUKE 1:26-38	Immaculate Conception of Mary
Wednesday	ISAIAH 40:25-31; MATTHEW 11:28-30	St. Juan Diego, Hermit
Thursday	ISAIAH 41:13-20; MATTHEW 11:11-15	Blessed Virgin Mary of Loreto
Friday	ISAIAH 48:17-19; MATTHEW 11:16-19	

### December 8th, Feast of the Immaculate Conception; Holyday of Obligation.

A Bilingual Mass will be Live Streamed at 8:00am from St. Peter-All Hallows' Church. The Reception of Holy Communion will be offered outside after mass by the Statue of Mary opposite the church parking lot.

### On December 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

will be Live Streamed in Spanish from St. Peter-All Hallows' Church at 10:00am. The Reception of Holy Communion will be offered outside after mass by the Statue of Mary opposite the church parking lot. This feast is not a Holyday of Obligation.

**Lourdes Live Stream:** Spend time before Our Lady and implore her intercession by visiting her at Lourdes! This is also a great resource for your Sunday family rosary! Visit: [www.directfromlourdes.com/lourdes\\_](http://www.directfromlourdes.com/lourdes_)

## Parish and Diocesan News (continued)

### Bishop Soto suspending the public celebration of Sunday and weekday Masses for the Diocese of Sacramento California until further notice.

This is in addition to his cancelling of all "non-essential large indoor gatherings" until further notice in response to the Coronavirus outbreak. On November 13, 2020, Bishop Jamie Soto directed the pastors in parishes that are located in "purple tier" counties to offer Mass and provide to the Faithful the opportunity to attend virtually, either by live-streaming or other visual technology.

### Reception of Holy Communion:

Beginning Sunday, November 29, 2020, **weather permitting**, we will be offering the **reception of Holy Communion after the 10:30am and the 12:30pm live streaming Masses**. This will take place outside in the church parking lot. Father will confirm if communion will be happening following the virtual mass. Make sure that you tune in to the virtual mass and not just show up.

Communion will take place immediately after the masses are concluded.

Parishioners will be expected to line up by the Statue of Mary, directly across from the east side parking lot. Communion recipients will need to be 6 feet apart and wearing a mask that covers both the nose and mouth. After receiving communion, you must leave immediately.

Follow the masses on Facebook and YouTube to gauge what time you'll need to be at the church to receive communion.

Here are the live stream links; these will always show the most current live stream.

<https://www.facebook.com/saintpeter.allhallow-sparish/live>  
<https://www.youtube.com/c/saintpeterallhallows>

We currently are unable to offer outdoor masses.

### Catholic Funeral and Cemetery Services Positions Available

We are currently recruiting for Full-time, Part-time and Temporary staff to fill a variety of positions at St. Mary Cemetery and Funeral Center. I would greatly appreciate it if you could share these opportunities with any Parish staff who may have had hours cut due to COVID or who may be looking for more hours, volunteers who may be interested and/or Parishioners who may be looking for work or perhaps even looking for a career change or to work within a ministry.

Anyone interested and wishing to apply my contact Mayra Perez, Human Resource Generalist, at [mperez@scd.org](mailto:mperez@scd.org) or (916) 733-0257.

Anyone looking to learn more about the positions, prior to applying, my contact our Chris Porfiri, Senior Funeral Services Manager, at [cporfiri@cfcssacramento.org](mailto:cporfiri@cfcssacramento.org) or (916) 452-4831.

### Reflection on The Second Sunday of Advent

I have to confess; I have a hard time warming up to John the Baptist. He's a wild man with the crazed look of an Old Testament prophet. To him, we are all sinners who need to repent and make straight the way of the Lord. His brand of repentance is hard. It's not enough to recognize our sinfulness. feel remorse and try to make amends to those you've wronged. He demands that we radically change our lives and our world. Remember Fr. Michael Vaughn?

Our former pastor had no problem challenging us, almost daily, to shape up spiritually and get on with the task of bringing about the Reign of God. His manner was less abrasive, though not by much, but his message was the same as the Baptist's. I know of at least one parishioner who joined our parish St. Vincent de Paul Society because of his passion for social justice; me. We have other local John the Baptists.

Dan and Chris Delaney, the founders of Loaves and Fishes here in Sacramento, also fit the bill. Quick-witted and abrasive, Dan cared for the homeless and had no trouble speaking truth to power. I'm not sure how many times he ended up in jail on the behalf of people treated unjustly. He challenged people to stand up and make straight the way of the Lord. Chris, his wife, accomplishes the same, but by gentle invitation. I preferred her approach. Both moved me to conversion.

I am not particularly attracted to John the Baptist, but Jesus was. He sought John out in the wilderness, was baptized by him, and fulfilled the prophet's messianic vision. But then again, he didn't stay with John that long. Jesus met him and then went off to the desert where he encountered Satan. Maybe it was a case of out of the frying pan and into the fire. Modern day versions of the Baptist, if they are authentic, will send us into the desert to prepare the way of the Lord.

Chuck Zannetti

### Parish Upgrades

Our most recent project walled off and secured our trash bins addressing several longtime issues. We no longer have scavengers rifling through our garbage strewn discarded trash throughout the grounds. We've halted the illegal dumping of garbage in our trash receptacles. And perhaps most importantly we have removed an unsightly eyesore from the grounds. Many of you may have noticed the trash bins parked in front of the hall bursting with garbage as you attended Parish events.

While this project was necessary it was also very expensive and stretched our budget during these pandemic times.

We would also like to have the speakers on top of the Sanctuary space enclosed. If you could see it in your hearts, we are asking parishioners to contribute a little extra to our Development Fund in order to help pay for these worthy projects. Thank you in advance for your generosity.