

**20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
YEAR C**

**Lord,  
come to my aid.**

*Psalm 40:2, 3, 4, 18*

*Let Us Pray for Our  
Brothers and*

*Sisters:*

Father Rodolfo Llamas, Kent, Florencia V., Anselmo Q., Victoria, Vargas and Rico Family, Rose Wampler, Carol Hall, Janna Alves, for those with health complications, and for all the intentions of the families not listed.



*We Pray to the Lord.*

**St. Monica Parish  
News & Announcements:**

-This weekend there is no second collection.

-I want to thank all the parents who have volunteered to teach I am very excited for this new year and we have a great team. Registrations have closed for most grades if you are a second year first communion or confirmation student please contact me as soon as possible I will not be doing registrations this Sunday but will be available the following Sunday with any questions thank you and God bless. - Maribel Palomino

**-Calling all Lectors and Eucharistic ministers!** On August 25th, please meet inside the Church at 10:30am to have a group picture taken for our family directory. Thank you in advance for your participation.



**Mass Schedule & Intentions:**

Date	Time	Int	Name
Sat. 8/17	5:00pm		-For the health of Micaela Martin Hernandez
Sun. 8/18	9:00am 12:00pm	+	+Marlene Torres+  +Raul Ocampo+, +Jesus Ocampo+, and the health of Hugo Sanchez Miguel
Mon. 8/19	7:30am		-All Souls
Tues. 8/20	7:30am		-Liturgy
Wed. 8/21	6:00pm		-All Souls
Thurs 8/22	7:30am		-All Souls
Fri. 8/23	7:30am		-All Souls

Do you have a Mass intention?

We now have mass intention envelopes, you can fill out and place in the offering basket.

You can also personally stop by or call the parish office when you need a Mass celebrated (530)934-3314.

**Responsorial Psalm:**

*Psalm 40:2, 3, 4, 18*

**“Lord, come to my aid!”**

**-First Reading**

*Jeremiah 38: 4-6, 8-10*

In 597 B.C., Babylon (located in modern-day Iraq) defeated Jerusalem, and thousands of Jewish leaders and citizens were taken into exile. The prophet Jeremiah was among those left behind. When he preached trust in God rather than armed revolution, the people considered him a traitor.

**-Second Reading**

*Hebrews 12: 1-4*

Commonly referred to as a letter, Hebrews is really a lengthy sermon that encourages people to remain faithful in difficult times. In the previous section of this book, the author cited Old Testament witnesses who had done just that. Now, the author points out the greatest example of fidelity.

*The gate of the kingdom must be asked for by praying, sought after by living properly, and knocked at by persevering.*

**-ST. BEDE THE VENERABLE**

**RCIA:**

“From the time of the Apostles, becoming a Christian has been accomplished by a journey and initiation in several stages.”

The RCIA program for 2019-2020 will meet on Thursday, September 5, at 6:00pm in the Parish Center. This is a program of information and instruction of adults on the teachings, history, practices and traditions of the Catholic Church. This program is basically for non-Catholics who wish to learn more about the Catholic Church, but anyone is welcome to attend. If you know of anyone who might be interested in becoming Catholic please invite them to attend. If you have any questions please call Father Cormac at (530)934-3314 or Aileen Carriere at (530)934-4479.

**3rd Annual Art Sale:**

Over 100 framed pictures available by local colorist Carol Ingraham on Saturday, September 7th 9:00am-1:00pm For only \$4.00each At Eskaton Kennedy Manor Multi-purpose room 714 N. Humboldt Ave. Willows. Refreshments provided. All proceeds go to St. Monica catechism.

Attention All Women: You are cordially invited to attend the first meeting of the 2019-2020 year of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women on Saturday, September 7, 2019 at 10am at Holy Family Parish in Citrus Heights. For more information, please contact President Judie Martinez at judiemartinez@gmail.com.

**Your Invited!**



St. Monica Feast Day Celebration  
Sunday, August 25th  
11:00am Mass  
(No 9:00am/12:00pm Masses)  
Potluck lunch to follow at Parish Hall.

Please participate by bringing a salad, ice cream, and or sodas for our potluck! We will provide the main dish. Please take a tag off the donation board (in vestibule) indicating what items you would like to bring. Keep the tag as a reminder and then write your name and phone number on the line behind the tag.

We ask that the salads/ice-cream be dropped off at the Parish Hall between 9am-11am (before Mass) on August 25th. Please drop off 12pkg. canned sodas by August 18th at the Parish office.

Thank you for your participation in this Parish community event!



THE GABRIEL PROJECT

Gabriel Project Angels and to all who have a passion for the pro-life cause you are invited to the Diocesan Respect Life Gathering Sat., August 24th at Good Shepherd Parish. 9539 Racquet Court, Elk Grove. 8:30am– Opening Mass 9:15am– Networking & Exhibits 10am-3pm– Program



Be sure to download our parish app today by visiting myparishapp.com or searching for myparish in your phone's app store, or by texting App to 88202.

**Dates to Remember**

August

- **Wed. August 21st:** YLI meeting.
- **Thurs. August 22nd:** Finance council meeting at 6pm and Blood Drive.
- **Sun. August 25th:** St. Monica Feast celebration.
- **Wed. August 28th:** Pastoral Council meeting at 6pm.
- **Thurs. August 29th:** Liturgy meeting at 6pm.

*Thank you for your generosity and your contribution to Saint Monica Parish!*

**August 11, 2019  
Weekend Mass**

Offerings:  
\$2,485.00

Stonyford:  
\$242.00

Second Collection:  
\$709.00