April 15, 2018
Third Sunday of Easter
**Mass Intentions**  
April 14 through April 22

AS: Fr. Andrew Spyrow  
EA: Fr. Erick Arauz  
MR: Fr. Raimondi

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**May all our deceased Parishioners rest in the loving arms of Christ, especially:**  
Jaime Ortiz

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*Please pray for our parishioners who are sick and suffering that they may know the embrace of Christ’s healing love.*

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415-301-0514
EMERGENCIES ONLY PLEASE

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- The God of our fathers has glorified his servant Jesus (Acts 3:13-15, 17-19).
Psalm -- Lord, let your face shine on us (Psalm 4).
Second Reading -- The way we may be sure that we know Jesus is to keep his commandments
(1 John 2:1-5a).
Gospel -- Jesus stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you" (Luke 24:35-48).
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Mass Times
Monday—Friday  9:00 am
Saturday 9:00am
5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)
7pm Spanish Vigil Mass

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am,
12:30pm Spanish Mass

Eucharistic Adoration
Every Friday
9:30am-5:00 pm and
4th Wednesday of the Month 6pm—8pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday3:00pm-4:00pm

Rosary
Monday—Thursday after
9am Mass and 5:30pm
Friday after 9am Mass and at 5pm
Sunday at 3:00pm

Baptisms
Please contact the Rectory-
Catechesis Required
Pre– Baptismal Classes in English are held
the second Saturday of each month at 10am.
We share this ministry with St. Anthony’s
Parish. Please call the rectory office to
schedule your class.

Pre– Baptismal classes in Spanish are held
on the third Thursday of each month at 6pm
in the School Library. Please contact Sandro
Garcia for more information.

Marriages
Please contact the Rectory at least
6 months in advance

Our Lady of Loretto
St. Vincent de Paul Society
415-497-5090

Visit us on the Web www.ollnovato.org
E-mail us:
church@ollnovato.org

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51 -- 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a,
17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20;
Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28,
29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18
Please pray for a restful and fulfilling experience for Father Brian, while he is on sabbatical.

Conformation & Youth Ministry resumes this week!
Monday - Middle school, 7-8:30pm in the Convent
***8th grade families - reminder that our MANDATORY retreat will take place 4/28 from 9am-2pm in the convent***
Thursday - Father Andrew Ginter joins us for classes, 7-8:30pm in the convent.

Upcoming Second Collections

April 22nd
OLL St. Vincent de Paul Collection
(changed from fifth Sunday)

April 29th—Black and Indian Home Missions/ Catholic Home Missions

May 13—Catholic Charities / CYO

Mark your calendars for Our Lady of Loretto’s 14th Annual Youth Ministry Golf Tournament to be held Thursday, June 21st, at Indian Valley Golf Club. Please support this important fund raiser by being a sponsor, playing a round of golf, purchasing a raffle ticket, and/or attending the delicious dinner in the church hall following the tournament. With your continued generous support, we can provide much-needed funds for Youth Ministry, an ever-expanding program for the teens and young adults of our parish.

Thank you!

OLL Book Club
The next meeting of the OLL Book Club will take place Wednesday May 2nd at 10am in the former convent chapel. We will meet to discuss Vinny Flynn’s “7 Secrets of the Eucharist” Please join us for coffee and fellowship.
Email amy@ollnovato.org for discussion questions ahead of time.

Religious Education

Grades 1-6
Please pray for the youth of our Parish as they prepare to receive their First Holy Communion on the following Saturdays at 11am:

April 21st—Our Lady of Loretto School
May 5—English speaking Religious Ed
May 19th—Spanish speaking Religious Ed

May they always share what they receive in the Eucharist with others.

WINGS
Faith furnishes prayer with wings, without which it cannot soar to Heaven.
--St. John Climacus

Saints and Special Observances
Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter
Tuesday: Income Tax Day
Saturday: St. Anselm
Knights of Columbus High School Scholarships

This year the Our Lady of Loretto Council of the Knights of Columbus is offering two $2,000 scholarships payable at $500 per year. The scholarship will be awarded to 8th graders that are attending a Catholic High School in the fall. Applicants must be either Our Lady of Loretto 8th Grade students or OLL CCD participants.

The scholarship application process involves the completion of a short form, a one page essay and an interview with a committee from the Knights. Applications are due by Monday, May 14, 2018 at 9:00 AM at either the school or the rectory. Applications can be obtained by contacting Erin Troy at the rectory (erin@OLLNovato.org).

The Knights have been providing this scholarship since 1991, our 27th year! Thanks to all of you who have supported our events and allowed us the opportunity to support Catholic High School education over these many years.

MARRIED COUPLES. Give your marriage a well deserved vacation. Plan to go on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and come back with a marriage that is refreshed and full of energy! The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is May 18-20, 2018 in San Jose. For more information visit our website at: sanjosewwme.org or contact Ken & Clar- ranne applications@sanjosewwme.org or 408-782-1413.

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal
Campaign Goal
$136,595
Received
$95,012
Percent of Goal
70%

Don’t forget to make your contribution. All donations, big or small, are appreciated.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION
There are many ways in which religious communities are organized. Some have a central authority in a congregation, and others have a "rule" that is shared by all the members, but are a kind of federation of independent houses. Sometimes, congregations with distinct histories and ministries decide to merge. Several years ago, one of the largest mergers on record took place. Seven independent congregations of Dominican women religious, most in the Midwest, are now one new congregation enfolding more than seven hundred members spanning thirty-six states. The oldest of the founding groups, the so-called "Kentucky Dominicans," began as a frontier community in 1822. Other communities have European roots. To get to this historic moment, the sisters spent many years in conversation, and approved the new structure by a two-thirds majority vote. This was then ratified by the Holy See. The merger allows the sisters to pool their resources in order to be more effective in ministry. They are living the Paschal Mystery, experiencing Christ’s dying and rising in an inspiring way.
### This Week at OLL
**April 15 —April 22**

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### BELIEVING IN JESUS CHRIST

Throughout the Easter season, all three of the Sunday readings are taken from the New Testament--the Christian scriptures. Together they explore what it means to believe in Jesus as the Christ, the One who fulfilled the prophecies of the Jewish scriptures. Today's selections refer to our human weakness, yet they emphasize the forgiveness and peace that are available to those who put their faith in "Jesus Christ the righteous one" (1 John 2:2). In the Acts of the Apostles Peter invites everyone to "repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away" (Acts 3:19). The First Letter of John calls Jesus Christ "expiation for our sins" (1 John 2:2). Finally, in the Gospel Jesus greets the disciples with "Peace" and urges them to preach "repentance, for the forgiveness of sins" (Luke 24:47).

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### CREER EN JESUCRISTO

Durante todo el Tiempo Pascual, las tres lecturas del domingo son tomadas del Nuevo Testamento, la parte cristiana de la Sagrada Escritura. Juntas exploran qué significa creer que Jesús es el Cristo, aquél que cumplió las profecías de la Sagrada Escritura judía. Las selecciones de hoy aluden a nuestra debilidad humana; sin embargo, hacen hincapié en el perdón y la paz que son posibles para quienes tienen fe en "Jesucristo, el Justo" (1 Juan 2:2). En los Hechos de los Apóstoles, Pedro nos dice a todos "arrepiéntanse y conviértanse, para que se borren sus pecados" (Hechos 3:19). La primera carta del apóstol san Juan dice que Jesucristo es "victima de expiación por nuestros pecados" (1 Juan 2:2). Por último, en el Evangelio, Jesús saluda a los discípulos diciéndoles: "Paz" y los insta a predicar "la necesidad de volverse a Dios y el perdón de los pecados" (Lucas 24:47).

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**CHURCH**

God sends no churches from the skies, 
Out of our hearts they must arise.  
--Anonymous

**LA IGLESIA**

Dios no envía las iglesias del cielo, 
deberán surgir de nuestros corazones. 
--Anónimo
POR FAVOR OREN POR UNA EXPERIENCIA EXCELENTE Y COMPLETA PARA EL PADRE BRIAN, MIENTRAS QUE ESTÁ EN SABBATICAL.

LECTURAS DE HOY
Primera lectura -- Pedro da testimonio a la gente de que Jesús ha sido glorificado y deberán reformar sus vidas (Hechos 3:13-15, 17-19).
Salmo -- Haz brillar sobre nosotros el resplandor de tu rostro (Salmo 4).
Segunda lectura -- Jesucristo intercede ante el Padre por nuestros pecados (1 Juan 2:1-5a).
Evangelio -- Jesús se aparece a los discípulos y los envía a predicar la penitencia para el perdón de los pecados (Lucas 24:35-48).
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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA
Martes: Hch 7:51 -- 8:1a; Sal 31 (30):3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35
Miércoles: Hch 8:1b-8; Sal 66 (65):1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40
Jueves: Hch 8:26-40; Sal 66 (65):8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51
Viernes: Hch 9:1-20; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Sábado: Hch 9:31-42; Sal 116 (115):12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Domingo: Hch 4:8-12; Sal 118 (117):1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE
En 1563 el Concilio de Trento estableció que todos los católicos debían recibir la comunión por lo menos una vez al año, de preferencia, durante el Tiempo de Pascua, los 50 días desde la Pascua Florida a la Pascua de Pentecostés. En Chile los sacerdotes en siglos pasados llevaban la Eucaristía a todos aquellos que no pudieron asistir a Misa en la Pascua Florida. Comenzando con el Segundo Domingo de Pascua y acompañados de huasos (vaqueros) quienes los protegían de bandidos llevando el Sacramento en cálices de plata por toda la región. Esto llegó a llamarse Cuasimodo, en base a la frase inicial de la Misa del Segundo Domingo de Pascua: Quasi modo géniti infantes (Casi como recién nacidos). Hoy día la fiesta también es conocida como "correr a Cristo," por el hecho de llevar a Cristo en carretas decoradas por las calles de los pueblos mientras los niños corren por delante gritando "¡Viva Cristo Rey!" De esta manera los niños anuncian la venida de Cristo, algo que todo cristiano debería hacer con hechos y palabras todos los días de año.

Educación religiosa
Grados 1-6
Por favor oren por la juventud de nuestra Parroquia mientras se preparan para recibir su Primera Comunión los siguientes sábados a las 11am:

21 de abril - Escuela Nuestra Señora de Loretto
5 de mayo: Ed. Religiosa de habla inglesa
19 de mayo: Ed. Religiosa de Habla Hispana

Que ellos siempre compartan lo que reciben en la Eucaristía con los demás.