

**September 15, 2019**

**Mass Intentions Of The Week**

- ◆ **Sat 9/14 9:00** Joon Manalang (Health)  
5:00 + George & + Nina Sammut  
+ Charlie & + Theresa Borg  
+ Madeline Borg
- ◆ **Sun 9/15 9:00** YLI Ignatius 85  
(100th Anniversary)  
11:00 David Webb (Celebratory)  
+ Matthew Lavorato  
5:00 + Phyllis D'Arrigo
- ◆ **Mon 9/16 9:00**
- ◆ **Tue 9/17 9:00** + Laura LaBossiere
- ◆ **Wed 9/18 9:00** + Matthew Lavorato
- ◆ **Thur 9/19 9:00**
- ◆ **Fri 9/20 9:00** + Matthew Lavorato
- ◆ **Sat 9/21 9:00** Joon Manalang (Health)  
5:00 Tena Geren (Health)  
Lavorato Family
- ◆ **Sun 9/22 9:00** Daniel Serrato (Health)  
11:00 + Augusto DaSilva  
+ Matthew Lavorato  
5:00

**Fr. Jim's 50th Anniversary**

You are invited to Mission San Luis Obispo on Sept. 21st at 5:30. There will be a mass in celebration of Fr. Jim's 50th anniversary

**MEETINGS OF THE WEEK**

- Sunday, September 15**  
◆ Pop's Place annual mass & dinner at 5pm
- Monday, September 16**
- Tuesday, September 17**
- Wednesday, September 18**
- Thursday, September 19**  
◆ Spirituality Group at 1:30 pm in Serra Hall  
◆ POP's Jr. at 6:30 pm in the Old Hall  
◆ Choir Practice at 7 pm in the church
- Friday, September 20**
- Saturday, September 21**  
◆ Anointing of The Sick after the 5 pm mass in the church

**Twenty-Fourth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

God is the Father with open arms. Who will preach this Good News of reconciliation? Consider service as a priest or deacon, brother or sister.

*If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon; talk to your pastor & contact Rev. Ommar Solis, Vocation Director Diocese of Monterey at 831-373-4345 or email MRYVocations@gmail.com*

**Pray for the Sick & Those In Need**

Ken Allen Sr., Mary Bianchi, Jeremy Bernardi, Angel Bravo, Larry & Irene Breeden, Sal Cardinale, Larry Funston, Tena Geren, Rebecca Granger, Manuel Gularte, Mary Hayes, Pat & Pete Hitchcock, Sandra Hill, Owen Koehler, Paul Kohatsu, Pete Lang, Sam Lavorato, Joon Manalang, Julia Matson, Stephanie McFarland, Mike Micheletti, Kit Orton, Rachel Perez, Jan Reynolds, Patrick Roche, Cathy Sheridan, Christine Marie, David

**Please Pray For Our Troops**

Kevin Allum, Jeffrey Burke, Preston Coulson, Brian Flannery, Jonathan Garibay, Joseph Tinney

**St. Joseph's Oktoberfest**

**Sunday, October 13, 2019 noon to 3**

Enjoy bratwurst, beer and more

Monterey Tap Truck will be here serving cold, local beers & wine

Tickets only \$15.00 (includes drinks)  
Under 21 - Free

50/50 Raffle available \$20.00 a ticket

Please bring a dessert to share

Get your tickets at the parish office!



PROST!

**Gratefully Received**

Sunday Plate:	\$ 8,402.06
Catholic Charities:	\$ 2,380.66
Electronic:	\$ 2,219.45

**For news about Religious Education:**  
[stjchurch.org/formation/](http://stjchurch.org/formation/)

**To view the parish calendar:**  
[stjchurch.org/calendar/](http://stjchurch.org/calendar/)

**RE classes (preschool – 5<sup>th</sup> grade)  
September 15-18.**

There are 230 students (from 149 families) in our religious education and youth group programs. Please pray for our students and their families as they continue their faith journey.

Teaching our classes are 46 wonderful catechists and aides. Thank you to all who share their time and talents with the youth of our parish.

**RE Parent Workshop** – Saturday, September 28  
(9:00–11:00am -- church and Serra Hall)

Parents with children or teens in our 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and Confirmation I classes are asked to attend a parent workshop. We'll begin our session by attending morning Mass, followed by a short session in Serra Hall (Pastoral Center). Free, on-site babysitting provided by parish teens – contact Marge ([mcallahan@stjchurch.org](mailto:mcallahan@stjchurch.org), 455-8720) to reserve a spot. All are welcome!

**Confirmation**

**Confirmation I** – Wednesday, September 25  
7:00-8:30pm (Serra Hall, Pastoral Center)

**Confirmation II** – Wednesday, October 16  
7:00-8:30pm (Serra Hall, Pastoral Center)

**Youth Group**

**POP's Place Jr.** – Thursday, September 19  
6:30-8:00pm (Parish Hall)

**POP's Place** – Sunday, September 15 – Annual Mass & Dinner at 5:00pm (Mass in the church followed by dinner at Elli's Great American Restaurant)

Email Christina Brigantino ([cbrigantino@stjchurch.org](mailto:cbrigantino@stjchurch.org)) for more info.

**RCIA** for New Catholics. Do you know . . .

- ◆ An adult seeking Baptism?
- ◆ An adult from another tradition (denomination) already baptized, who wishes to become a Confirmed Catholic?
- ◆ A Catholic adult needing Confirmation?
- ◆ A Catholic adult who has been away from the church for awhile and wants to "reconnect?"

Please suggest they contact Nic Bianchi at 831-229-4023 or [nicmbianchi@aol.com](mailto:nicmbianchi@aol.com) to learn more about the

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.**

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Is scheduled for September 21st after 5 pm mass, which is the third Saturday of each month. Anyone wishing this Sacrament is encouraged to participate in this communal service. If you have a special need, please call the office for an appointment.

**Young Ladies' Institute #85 Ignatius of Salinas**

Just celebrated 100 Years as a Catholic Women's Organization in the Monterey Diocese. They began as "Women Helping Women", then expanded to supporting the Education of Priests! They work all year in order to earn at least two thousand dollars each year that is combined with the five other Young Ladies' Institutes' donations in the Monterey Diocese, which is presented to the Bishop to support the education of our local seminarians. Locally they offer Scholarships to Notre Dame and Palma each year. They donate to Dorothy's Kitchen, have a "Baby Shower for Jesus", with all gifts and monetary donations going to the Confidence Pregnancy Center in Salinas. They are a great group of women following God's plan in Honoring our Catholic Faith with special devotion to Our Blessed Mother. They invite you to join them! Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of the month at the Michael Cross Parish Hall at Madonna del Sasso Parish. More information about the YLI is available online at [YLionline.org](http://YLionline.org).



**Wednesday, September 25<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 PM**  
**London Bridge Pub, 256 Figueroa Street (at the foot of Wharf 2), Monterey**

Our speaker this month is Dick Gorman, speaking on the history and current importance of the Rosary. October is the Month of the Rosary, and the Church calls us to this special prayer, especially in these perilous times. St. Pope John Paul II called the Rosary his favorite prayer after the Mass. Our Blessed Mother Mary has urged us in her apparitions to pray the Rosary. Has the Rosary sort of slipped into your forgotten past? Come & learn the importance of renewing this important prayer. Join us for interesting and enlightening conversation as we delve deeper into our faith and enjoy dinner with friends. All are welcome!

Join Monterey Theology on Tap on Facebook! You can also send questions to Deacon Warren Hoy at [whoy@dioceseofmonterey.org](mailto:whoy@dioceseofmonterey.org). See you there!

*So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God.*  
*1 Corinthians 10:31*