

**They were like sheep without a shepherd;
and he began to teach them many things.
(Gospel)**

Finance Meeting



The Finance Council will meet *Monday, July 23rd* at 7:00pm in the Parish Center.

Last Week's Collection

Last Week's Collection:	\$6,258.61
FY' 17-18 Budgeted Average:	6,500.00
FY' 17-18 Average Sunday Coll. thru 06/30/18:	6,496.19
Candles:	70.46
Attendance:	810



Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 21

4:00 PM Pro Populo

Sunday, July 22

8:00 AM †Jacqueline Hull by her Family

10:30 AM †Ottie Lynch by Gene Lynch

12:15 PM †Zaira González Int. de Guadalupe González

Tuesday, July 24

8:00 AM For an end to abortion and a greater respect for Human Life at all stages by Sherry Goelden & Lucy Krouskop

Wednesday, July 25

8:00 AM †Edgar Martinez by Veronica Martinez

Thursday, July 26

8:00 AM †Lois LaDay by James & Melody Zimmer

Friday, July 27

8:00 AM In Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Saturday, July 28

4:00 PM Felipe & Rebecca Caballero – In Honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, July 29

8:00 AM Pro Populo

10:30 AM †Elizabeth McClure by Bud McClure

12:15 PM Para los niños no nacidos Int. de Hermelinda Jiménez

Mass Intentions



Sound Catholic practice encourages us to offer the Mass for the departed and for those in any need. To request a Mass to be offered, please visit the parish office or return to the office a completed Mass intention card. Available cards are located in the foyer of the church.

Anointing of the Sick



Because of the Privacy Act, hospitals and nursing homes are no longer able to provide a list of the Catholic patients/residents for the Churches use in order to visit and administer the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick. Therefore, I need your assistance when you have a family member who is hospitalized or in a nursing home. Please call Fr. Orosco at the Church Office at (972) 563-3643 so that I may be of assistance.

The Week Ahead



Monday, July 23

1:00 PM Crochet Ministry @ Casa St. John
 7:00 PM Grupo de Oración @ Casa St. John
 7:00 PM Finance Council meeting @ Parish Center

Tuesday, July 24

8:00 AM Daily Mass

Wednesday, July 25

8:00 AM Daily Mass

Thursday, July 26

8:00 AM Daily Mass

Friday, July 27

8:00 AM Daily Mass

Ministry Schedule for the Weekend of July 28/29

Lectors:

Sat. 4:00pm Debbie Patterson/Cathy Burton
 Sun. 8:00am Gerald Garcia
 Sun. 10:30am Bill Bedrick/Tammy Guerra

Extraordinary Ministers:

Sat. 4:00pm Argie Benavidez/Karen Mathers/Suzy McCook
 Sun. 8:00am Chris Probst/Dan Probst
 Robin Truett/Lou Roberts
 Sun. 10:30am Shelilah Dean/Bud McClure
 Karie Hammond/Tammy Guerra

Ushers:

Sat. 4:00pm Sherry Goelden*/Paul M./Debbie P./Volunteer
 Sun. 8:00am David Bendele*/Robert B./Conrado A./Rachel H.
 Sun. 10:30am Steve Hernandez*/Dennis C./Steve H./Erik A.

Readings for the Week of July 22, 2018

Sunday Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6; Eph 2:13-18;
 Mk 6:30-34

Monday Saint Bridget, Religious
 Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23;
 Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday Saint Sharbel Makhlúf, Priest
 Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7, 8;
 Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday Saint James, Apostle
 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6;
 Mt 20:20-28

Thursday Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11;
 Mt 13:10-17

Friday
 Jer 3:14-17; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13;
 Mt 13:18-23

Saturday
 Jer 7:1-11; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a & 8a, 11; Mt 13:24-30

Richard Lozano Sr.
 Crystal Sanchez
 Anthony Hernandez
 Nancy Bardsley
 Curtis Rushing
 Paul Smith
 Maria Carmona
 Paul Gumler
 Olivia Nicole Yates
 Stanley Quist
 Jay Perry
 Consuelo Luna
 Bacilisa Garcia
 Jose Guerra
 Rosann Kinkaid
 Juan Cleto Castillo
 Richard Lyon & Family
 Angel Gabriel Godinez
 Tomas Samuel Garcia
 Barbara Sikors Hendricks
 Myra Arrellano
 Tillie Trevino
 Marianne Marsden
 Maria Landaverde
 Glenna Kennedy
 Manuel Santoyo
 Jovita De la Garza
 Bob Rowland
 Judy Aloí
 Darlene Blankenship
 Oscar Ramirez Robles
 Amie Voigt
 Maria Guillen
 David Salinas
 Felipa Garcia
 Donna Mae Carta Rios
 Sandy & Donny Adams
 Bonnie Boggioni
 Rosario Morales

Nick Morales, Sr.
 Lee Wilde
 Melissa Castro
 Brenda Newburn
 Henry Taft
 Joyce Salisbury
 Jose Ivan Ramirez
 Mason Gumler
 Steve Sieglaff
 Joe Wages
 Karen Medina
 Margaret Wages
 Sheila Wages
 Blaine Miller
 Johnnie B. Malouf
 Pascual Meza
 Bill Blankenship
 Michelle Elliott
 Baby Leo Medlock
 JoAnn Martinez
 Warren Terry
 Elmer Marsden
 Odin Kizer
 Claire Taft
 Jackie Petricka
 Claudia Aronoff
 Efrain Valenzuela
 Colleen Eldred
 Shirley Taft
 Jose Aramil
 Bruce Leleux
 Blanche Rizkal
 Deborah Sieglaff
 Joan Bohl
 Kenneth Elliott
 Doyle Smith
 Shirley Sikors
 Guido Boggioni
 Jonathan Wilder



Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time

On the **Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** we read from the **Book of the Prophet Jeremiah** that God himself will shepherd his people and that a descendant of David will rule with wisdom and justice. **Mark's Gospel** paints a picture of Jesus trying to gather together his disciples for a rest but the people kept coming to them: "his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things."



Wednesday is the **Feast of Saint James, apostle**, with its own special readings. Thursday is the **Memorial of Saint Joachim and Saint Anne**, the parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

The first readings this week are from the **Book of the Prophet Micah**. Later in the week we move to readings from the **Book of the Prophet Jeremiah**, which will continue next week and into the week afterwards.

We continue to read from **Matthew's Gospel** this week. The scribes and Pharisee ask Jesus for a sign to prove his credentials. He says that the only sign will be his death and resurrection. Jesus says to all who follow him: "Here are my mother and my brothers." He tells his disciples the parable of the sower. When asked why he speaks in parables Jesus answers that those who are simple and those with open hearts will hear and understand. Then Jesus explains the parable and the importance of rich soil. Saturday is another "sower" parable with an enemy planting weeds in a field. "Let them grow together until harvest; then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, "First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning but gather the wheat into my barn."

Pursuant to Section 30.06, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with a concealed handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a concealed handgun.

Pursuant to Section 30.07, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a handgun that is carried openly.

Daily Prayer This Week

It is helpful be reminded by Jesus this week that to be his disciple is not about comparing ourselves with each other. It is not about a competition to be greater than another. It is about being servants of each other and being like him, who came to give his life away. As we pray this week, in the background of our daily lives, we can reflect upon all the relationships in our lives and ask for the grace to come to know the needs of each person in my life and for the grace to be servant as Jesus is servant.

The parable of the sower can be a wonderful source of reflection this week. We can do it in a variety of ways, but it might be helpful to just take one kind of soil to reflect on each day. Each day we can begin -- as we first get out of bed, in the shower, while dressing, eating, driving, walking from one place to another, shopping -- by asking for the grace to understand how parts of me are like this soil.

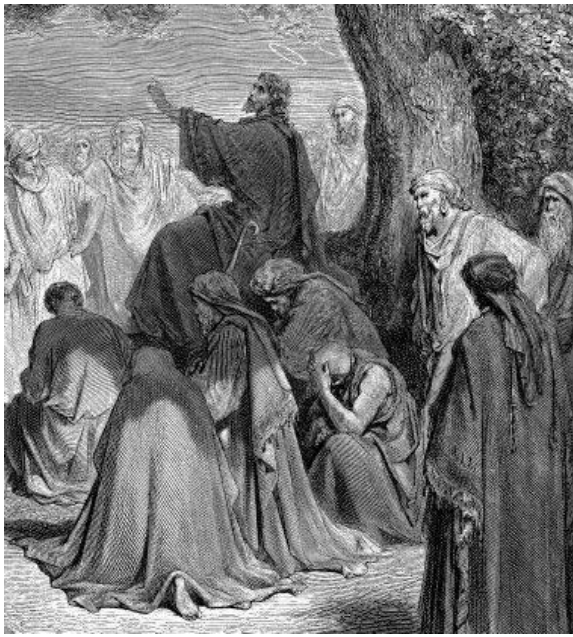
Seed sown on the hard path: I can ask to know how the Word is simply stolen away from my heart. What is hard-hearted in me? What hardens me? How am I not open? What saps my spirits, my hope, my faith?

Seed sown on rocky ground: I can ask to know how I sometimes initially receive the Word readily, even with joy, but my lack of deep roots leads to my losing heart when troubles come. When do I lose courage? How do I believe the Word but fail to pay to price for living it? How can I develop deeper roots?

Seed sown among thorns: I can ask for the grace to know how I initially welcome the Word, but then let anxieties and the lure of riches choke the Word so it can't bear fruit. What kind of worldly anxieties trouble me? What kind of attractions, possessions, addictions affect my freedom and peace? What grace in me isn't bearing fruit? How can I be freer, live more simply, with more surrender?

Seed sown on rich soil. I can ask for the grace to hear the Word and understand it and to bear much fruit. What will help me, prepare me to be more receptive? What environment, activities, service will help?

Each night, we can give thanks for these reflections that help us examine our daily live and grow in love, in freedom and in fruitfulness.



Cuando Jesús desembarcó, vio una numerosa multitud que lo estaba esperando y se compadeció de ellos, porque andaban como ovejas sin pastor, y se puso a enseñarles muchas cosas. (Evangelio)

¿ANDAREMOS COMO OVEJAS SIN PASTOR?



Mucha gente seguía a Jesús porque, al escucharlo, su corazón se llenaba de paz y de esperanza. A pesar del esfuerzo que le implicaba atenderlos, a tal grado de que “no les dejaban tiempo ni para comer”, Jesús se compadeció de ellos, porque “andaban como ovejas sin pastor”.

Si nosotros no buscamos los momentos y los lugares para estar con Jesús, entonces dejaremos un hueco en nuestro corazón que seguramente será ocupado por pensamientos y deseos que poco a poco nos vayan alejando de la amistad con Dios y nos lleven a cometer actos negativos.

Sera mejor que hallemos el tiempo y el sitio adecuados para encontrarnos con Jesús, nuestro único Pastor.

Grupo de Oración

El Grupo de Oración se reúnen cada lunes a las 7pm en la Casa San Juan.



Unción de los Enfermos



Si usted o alguien que usted conozca está necesitado en recibir comunión o el Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos favor de llamar al Padre Orosco en la oficina de la Iglesia al número 972-563-3643.

AVISO: NO TENEMOS HORA SANTA DURANTE LOS MESES DE MAYO, JUNIO, JULIO Y AGOSTO.

Clases de Pre-Bautismales



Tenemos clases Pre-Bautismales cada primer sábado de cada mes en el Centro Parroquial a las 6:00pm. Favor de llamar a la oficina (9720563-3643) para más información.

ATENCIÓN

- 1) Favor de notificar la oficina de la Iglesia (972-563-3643) si tiene un cambio de domicilio o cambio de número de teléfono.
- 2) Se les recuerda que, durante los meses del verano, aunque no haiga clases de Doctrina, las Misas en domingo continua. Favor de tomar vacaciones del trabajo, escuela, etc. Pero no de la Misa Dominical.





Sagrado Cuerpo incorrupto de San Isidro Labrador, Patrón de Madrid y de la Agricultura que se venera en la Real Colegiata de San Isidro de Madrid.

