

Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ Sunday

May 29, 2016

The Story and You: The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

The hottest and hungriest I ever was, was in the summer of 1993, during the walk to the “deserted place” where World Youth Day was held in Cherry Creek State Park. Millions of us were streaming into the park from dozens of trails. The walk was long, and it was the Feast of the Assumption, traditionally one of the hottest weeks in Denver. The sight was staggering. Thousands of colorful tents were pegged into the dirt. Heat vapors plumed up from the airless, heat-baked grounds. Emergency aid stations were packed. You never saw such a Mass of thirsty, exhausted people. You never saw such joy. And no one was leaving. Not when the rains started, not when the lines for the port-a-potties snaked back to the entrances, not even when international pilgrims, not acclimated to the altitude and the desert-like conditions, collapsed and needed to be carried to the aid stations. No one gave a thought to leaving. The pope was there. I think of that experience as I imagine the crowd of five thousand in a desert place as day was ending. Everyone was exhausted. Everyone was hungry. But Jesus was there. He had already healed many in need, and who knew who was next? There was no way they were leaving. Every year, the Knights of Malta give up a week of their lives to wheel dying pilgrims to the grotto of Lourdes. Those who are paralyzed, blind and crippled rely on them to get them in and out of the freezing water. Year after year, the volunteers return. No one gives a thought to leaving. Apparently, when the Spirit grabs your heart, your body doesn’t notice what else is going on.

Join Kathy’s husband Ben in Lourdes and Fatima this fall. Contact him at Ben.lager@q.com

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La Historia y Usted: La Solemnidad del Preciosísimo Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo

El día en que pase más calor y más hambre en toda mi vida fue uno del verano de 1993, durante la

caminata al “lugar desértico” donde tomo lugar el Día Mundial De la Juventud en el Parque Estatal de Cherry Creek. Millones de nosotros llegamos al parque a través de docenas de senderos. La caminata fue muy larga, y fue en la Fiesta de la Asunción, tradicionalmente uno de las semanas más calientes en Denver. El cuadro era asombroso. Miles de coloridas tiendas de campaña fueron colocadas en la tierra. Los vapores del calor ascendían de los suelos secos, tatemados por el calor. Las estaciones de primeros auxilios estaban abarrotadas. Nunca se había visto una multitud de gente tan sedienta y cansada. Nunca se había visto tanto gozo. Y nadie se marchaba. Ni siquiera cuando comenzaron las lluvias, ni cuando las colas para usar los baños portátiles llegaban hasta las entradas, ni siquiera cuando los peregrinos internacionales, que no estaban aclimatados a la altitud y a las condiciones desérticas, se desmayaban y tenían que ser llevados a los centros de asistencia médica. A nadie se le ocurrió la idea de marcharse. Ahí se encontraba el Papa. Yo pienso en esa experiencia mientras me imagino una multitud de cinco mil en un lugar desértico al atardecer de un día. Todos estaban cansados. Todos estaban hambrientos. Pero Jesús estaba ahí. Él ya había sanado a muchos que lo necesitaban, ¿Y quien era el siguiente? No había modo de que se fueran a marchar. Cada año, los Caballeros de Malta renuncian a una semana de sus vidas para llevar peregrinos moribundos a la gruta de Lourdes. Los que están paralizados, ciegos e incapacitados cuentan con ellos para que los metan y los saquen de las aguas congeladas. Año tras año, los voluntarios regresan. A nadie se le ocurre la idea de marcharse. Aparentemente, cuando el Espíritu agarra tu corazón, tu cuerpo no se percata de otras cosas que estén sucediendo.

Únete a Ben, el esposo de Kathy este otoño en su viaje a Lourdes y Fátima. Contáctale en Ben.lager@q.com

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Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish—

Deacon Jerry Kotas, Candace Whiteman, Gary Casias, Orlando Garcia, Holly Stolley, Bev Gallegos, Tate Hallahan, Rita Schuster, Jana Purdy, Lucila Pimental, Rosi Cervantes, Ana Portillo

Around the Parish and the Community

FAITH FORMATION

Early registration for fall Faith Formation classes will be throughout the month of May. Cost is \$40 per student if registered by June 15, 2016, but goes up to \$50 after that. Cost for Sacramental preparation is \$35.00 per student. Make checks payable to St Rose of Lima, or you may pay online by going to the website at www.srl-denver.org and clicking on the DONATE button. We will begin taking payments after May 1, but you may turn in completed forms prior to that date. Registration deadline for classes is September 4, 2016. Classes begin on Sunday, September 18, 2016 at 10:15 am

FIRST COMMUNION

Our Faith Formation classes for children are over for this academic year, but many of you have students who are in preparation for 1st Communion. If so, please continue to work on your packets. Once they are completed, you can call or email Laurie at the parish office to schedule a time to meet for a quick review with your student and mark your packets as completed. As a reminder, 1st Communions are celebrated at any of the weekend Masses.

Please pray for the following students who will be making their First Communion this weekend

David Duran
Ayelen Avitia

Congratulations as you continue on your faith journey!

Mass Intentions

Saturday	May 28
4:00 pm	+Lucy Ortega by Family
Sunday	May 29
9am	+Dana Tracy by St. Rose Choir & Musicians People of the Parish
11:30 am	People of the Parish
Monday	May 30
8:30am	Communion service
Tuesday	May 31
8:30am	+Margaret & Audrey Janiczek by Walter Janiczek
Wednesday	June 1
8:30am	+Steve Phillips by family
Thursday	June 2—SCHOOL MASS
8:15am	+Margaret & Audrey Janiczek by Walter Janiczek
Friday	June 3
8:30am	+Rose Bauer by Family
Saturday	June 4
4pm	+John Smice by Smice Family
Sunday	June 5
9am	+Roy Mills by Helen Mills
11:30am	People of the Parish

ON PILGRIMAGE WITH KATHY McGOVERN
Travel with Kathy McGovern, the author of our weekly scripture column *The Story and You*, to the shrines of the North American martyrs, and the other magnificent shrines of Canada. The trip takes place September 19-29, 2016.

The pilgrimage begins in Auriesville, NY, the site of the martyrdom of St. Isaac Jogues and the birthplace of St. Kateri Tekakwitha. In Montréal, pilgrims will see the great St. Joseph's Oratory, and in Québec, the stunning Basilica of St. Anne de Beaupré. They'll learn about life with the Black Robes at the museum of the Huron/Wendat peoples, and in Ontario will stand on the very hill of two of the most profound martyrdoms in history. The pilgrimage concludes at the beautiful Canadian shrine of St. Térèse of Lisieux, which overlooks the breathtaking Niagara Falls. And all of this in the most (hopefully) glorious week of Canadian weather. It sounds wonderful, yes? Contact Jane or Ken at Religious Travel International, 303.563.6261 or go online at <http://www.rti-journeys.com>

Community Ministry needs—**Cereals and Mac & Cheese** for the month of June. You can place your donation in the basket in the entrance of the church. Thank you for your generosity!

We are blessed to be members of a thriving archdiocese! At the same time, however, the preservation of this vitality requires ongoing sacrifices from all its members. Much of what our church accomplishes every year is a result of the prayerful and financial support from her faithful. To ensure that our Church and her works continue to flourish, Archbishop Aquila asks everyone to donate to this year's Archbishop's Catholic Appeal. Please make your contribution today. Visit www.archden.org/donate, or call 303.715.3111.

¡Somos bendecidos de ser miembros de una arquidiócesis floreciente! Al mismo tiempo, la preservación de esta vitalidad requiere un sacrificio continuo de todos sus miembros. Mucho de lo nuestra logra hacer cada año es el resultado del apoyo en oraciones y financiero de sus fieles. Para asegurarnos que nuestra Iglesia y su obra continúen floreciendo, el Arzobispo Aquila nos pide que todos donemos a la Colecta Anual del Arzobispo de este año. Por favor haga su contribución hoy mismo. Por favor visite www.archden.org/donate o llame al www.archden.org/donate o llame al [303.715.3111](http://www.archden.org/donate).

St Dominic's Parish is hosting a Pre-4th of July Concert on Saturday, June 25. Bring your lawn chair or blanket. Hot dogs, hamburgers, chips, pop & water on sale at 5pm, Concert begins at 6pm.

Parroquia de St Dominic aloja un Pre-4 de julio concierto el sábado 25 de junio. Traiga su silla de césped o una manta. Perros

calientes, hamburguesas, patatas fritas, pop y agua a la venta en 17:00, concierto comienza a las 18:00.

PRAYER IN THE SQUARE at Ruby Hill Park. Join this grassroots group at Ruby Hill Park Amphitheater on the First Saturday of each month to pray the rosary for an end to Christian persecution and the sanctity of all human life. The next date is **THIS** Saturday, June 4, 10am. Next month—July 2, 10am.

DIVINE MERCY SUPPORTIVE CARE is the Archdiocese of Denver's Catholic Hospice Apostolate offering a range of services to help patients and their families from the time of diagnosis through the grief process. If you have questions about hospice or palliative care and the resources available for your family, please call 303.357.2540, or email to info@dmsci.org or visit www.DMSCi.org

Readings for the week of May 29, 2016

Sunday Gn 14: 18-20//1 Cor 11:23-26//Lk 9: 11b-17

Monday 2 Pt 1: 2-7//Mk 12: 1-12

Tuesday Zep 3: 14-18a//Lk 1: 39-56

Wednesday 2 Tm 1: 1-3, 6-12 //Mk 12: 18-27

Thursday 2 Tm 2: 8-15// Mk 12: 28-34

Friday Ez 34: 11-16//Rom 5: 5b-11/Lk 15: 3-7

Saturday 2 Tm 4: 1-8//Lk 2: 41-51

Congratulations to the Class of 2016 of Saint Rose of Lima Academy !!

Sheccid Apodaca Roman Barroso-Osario
Tomas Blas Mia Gallegos
Britney Garcia Lennin Garcia
Ivah Hernandez Jason Jesús Hernandez
Brooklin Leyba Damon Lopez
Madison Lounnivongsa Stephan Loya
Manuela Mendoza-Garcia
Alyssa Morales Dominic Moreno
Lusela Nichols Leonardo Ochoa Maciel
Marco Antonio Ornelas Caleb Perea
Noelani Rael Fernando Rodriguez
Jorge Ruvalcaba Eilene Teller
Diallo Thompson Sergio Villareal

Keep these Young people in your prayers as they enter into the next steps of their lives!

NEXT WEEKEND—In cooperation with the Missions Office, **Maye Agame**, of The Marian Community of Reconciliation in the country of Peru, will be here to tell us of their mission next weekend. The Marian Community of Reconciliation of Peru consists of consecrated lay women, also known as the “Fraternas,” who run an outreach project for orphans and deprived children from shanty towns and the poorest districts of the cities of Lima and Callao. Their headquarters, known as Cruz Blanca (White Cross), receives around 1500 boys and girls every year. Since the foundation of Cruz Blanca in 1958, 45,000 children have passed through the camps run by the Marian Community of Reconciliation, and today, many have become respectable and honest adults working to build their chosen home towns into societies based on Christian values. Currently the Fraternas are in nine countries around the world. They have an International Formation Center in

Lima where they receive young women who feel called to consecrated life in preparation for their main goal to further the New Evangelization. The parish will make a donation to the Marian Community, but you may give a gift directly to Maye if you desire.

Auction-Concert-Dinner—Miguel Pro Mission is hosting all of the above to raise funds for their student scholarship fund in Juarez, Mexico. It all happens on Saturday, JUNE 18, at Presentation Catholic Church on Julian & 7th Avenue. Richard Steinbach will perform a piano concert at 6pm. Followed by dinner with entertainment by flamenco guitarist, Miguel Espinosa. Finally an auction will mountain getaways, automobiles, guitars & amp, microwave ovens, and much more. Contact Fr Peter Urban to get a ticket! 720.394.4476

