Ascension Sunday
May 17, 2015

“So then the Lord Jesus, after he spoke to them, was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God.”

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MASSES
Saturday 5:30 PM
Sunday 7:15 AM,
8:45 AM, 10:30 AM,
12:15 PM, 5:30 PM

For CHILDREN During
8:45 & 10:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES
8:00 AM & 6:30 PM
Saturdays 8:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Tuesdays 7:15 PM,
Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 PM

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
24 Hours a Day,
Every Day

CLERGY
Pastor: Fr. Sy Nguyen
Parochial Vicar:
Fr. Jeff Droessler
Parish Director/Deacon:
Denis Zaun
Deacon: Nick Sherg

OUR PARISH MISSION & VISION
St. Martin de Porres is a Stewardship and Hospitality parish. As Catholic Christians guided by the Holy Spirit, we are Christ’s disciples dedicated to faith formation, worship, community life, and service. All are welcome as we use our unique gifts to serve the world as a visible sign of God’s love.

Pietro di Rustichello, The Ascension of Christ, from the Laudario of Sant’ Agnese, ca 1340.
ST. MARTIN de PORRES

Start your spring cleaning now!

Please SAVE your gently used, sellable items you no longer need for the

RUMMAGE SALE!

We are looking for VOLUNTEERS to join the Rummage Sale Team!

If you are interested in being on the team we would love to have you! All are welcome. You don’t have to be a previous volunteer to be on our team. Please contact Janice Reger at (714) 746-0856 or rummagesale@smdpyl.org. Positions needed include Recruiting and Hospitality, Security, and Department Captains (duties include setting up, pricing and overseeing an assigned area of the Rummage Sale) Our first meeting will be on Wednesday, May 27th at 7:00 PM in the St. Mark room.

The days and times are as follows:

- Collect and sort - 8 AM-2 PM July 11-12 (Sat and Sun)
- Collect and sort - 9 AM-6 PM July 13-15 (Mon-Wed)
- Collect and sort - 9 AM - 12 Noon July 16
- Parish Only Sale - 4-7 PM Thursday July 16
- Public Rummage Sale - Friday and Saturday July 17-18, 7 AM - 2 PM
- Closing Sale for Parish Only - "Make a Donation", 8 AM-12 Noon.

I am looking for "Captains". They would be in charge of a department. The open positions are: Recruiting and Hospitality, Men’s Clothing, Children’s Clothing, Infants, Toys, Furniture, Holidays, Housewares and Appliances, Floral and Crafts, Sporting Goods and Luggage, Electronics and Office, and Books and Entertainment.

~ Janice Reger

Contact Janice Reger (714) 746-0856 E-mail: rummagesale@smdpyl.org
Spring Concert

5 | 29 | 15

45 Choir, 30 Orchestra, Children’s Choir
Join over 90 musicians in the Church as they celebrate Easter and Marian music selections

Featuring the St. Francis School Choir and St. Martin Children’s Choir

7:30 PM – Free to the public
Friday, May 29
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For more information please see the E-bulletin on smdpyl.org.

SERVIECE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Welcome to the Knights Table

Charity Our Catholic faith teaches us to “Love thy neighbor as thyself.” Members of the Knights of Columbus show love for their neighbors by conducting food drives and donating the food to local soup kitchens and food pantries, by volunteering at Special Olympics, and by supporting, both spiritually and materially, mothers who choose life for their babies. Knights recognize that our mission, and our faith in God, compels us to action. There is no better way to experience love and compassion than by helping those in need, a call we answer every day.

Are you a Knight?
For information on joining the Knights of Columbus e-mail: koc-8238@smdpyl.org

SAVE THE DATE: BOX OF LOVE

St. Martin’s Outreach "Box of Love" Food Drive is coming soon! More details to follow but plan to:

* Pick up a box the weekend of May 30-31 then
* Return your filled box the weekend of June 6-7

THANK YOU, ST. MARTIN’S PARISHIONERS, FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

ALTAR SERVER OF THE MONTH APRIL

This month, the Altar Server Ministry is pleased to recognize Mary Blake as our Altar Server of the Month for the month of April 2015. Mary is a quiet force of calm and collect on the 10:30 server team. And no wonder—she’s been with the Ministry for almost six years! This veteran server has filled every position, and served multiple holiday and Holy Day masses. She is dependable, knowledgeable, and can be counted on to follow through. We are blessed to have such an asset at our Lord’s Table.

Congratulations on your award, Mary, and thank you for your service to St. Martin’s!

HOME VISIT MINISTRY

Our visit teams have been actively visiting parishioners. To date, our 15 teams have already made over 110 visits! Be on the lookout for our postcard announcement. We look forward to seeing you soon! For questions, please contact Susan Sandoval, 714-695-1729 or sandovalhome@mac.com.

A JOYOUS YES!

One of our own Michele Curry, says “I know this is where God wants me to be”. She was recently admitted to the community of Filician Sisters as a postulant in a ceremony at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Convent Chapel in Coraopolis, Pennsylvania.
FAITH FORMATION

Be a Part of a Small Christian Community

Wednesday morning 9 am in our Parish Hall. You and a friend are welcome to please join us and be our guest as we listen to a faith filled presentation this week featuring "How spiritual direction can improve your spiritual life and help you through difficulties." Free CHILDCARE is provided as well as light refreshments. For questions please call Christie Shyne. (714) 345-7579.

JOIN US FOR A MAY CROWNING OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY AT 8:00 AM - MAY 30, AT ST MARTIN’S

Since the 16th Century the month of May has been dedicated to Our Blessed Virgin Mother. To honor Mary as Queen of Heaven the First Communicants will place a crown of flowers on Our Lady of Fatima at the 8:00 am mass on Saturday, May 30th.
Please bring your family and join us as St Martin’s continues this beautiful tradition!

FIRST HOLY EUCHARIST
Please join us in congratulating the following teens for receiving the First Holy Eucharist this weekend. Kindly keep them in your prayers as they continue their faith journey.

Sunday, May 17
5:30 Mass
Ruben Connely
Cecilia Garay
Troy Hackett
Alex Koch
Kyle Pinto
Andrea Sutedjo
Chalisa Vitrella
Maytika Vitrella
Nathan Waugh

WINGS: WOMEN IN GOD’S SPIRIT

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YEAR END BRUNCH
SAVE THE DATE: May 27th at 9 am
Wings members and guests are invited to join us for our year end brunch in our parish hall. Hope to see you there!
CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Have a blessed and Spirit-filled summer!
Look for registration in August for Fall Classes.
Any concerns, contact Cathy Fitzpatrick—cathyf@smdpyl.org, or 714-970-0514.

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION - JOB OPENING

St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church is seeking a highly motivated and energetic individual to serve as full-time Associate Director of Youth Faith Formation. This position is responsible for overseeing and participating in all aspects of Youth Faith Formation ministering to Junior High School, High School and Young Adult parishioners.

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to, planning, implementing, and directing Youth Faith Formation programs including: Confirmation, Junior High, High School, and Young Adult Ministries, as well as related events and retreats.

St. Martin’s is a vibrant, active parish of the New Evangelization dedicated to making intentional faith-formed disciples of Jesus Christ. The ideal candidate should be a fully initiated and practicing Catholic at least 25 years of age, with a minimum of 2-3 years of ministry experience, and have the catechetical, administrative and supervisory capabilities needed for this position. Must have excellent verbal, written, and computer skills. Bachelor’s degree required, Master’s degree preferred (ideally in Theology, Religious Education, Youth Ministry, or related field). They should be both familiar with and faithful to the teachings of the Church. Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. This is an exempt, benefit eligible position.

Send cover letter and resume to: Curtis Keddy, 19767 Yorba Linda Blvd, Yorba Linda, CA 92886 or email curtisk@smdpyl.org. Application deadline is May 22, 2015.

Fr. Richard Delahunty Celebrating 50 Years

Fr. Richard Delahunty, our former Pastor, is celebrating his 50th Anniversary of his ordination to the Priesthood on Saturday, May 30, 4 p.m. at St. Nicholas Parish. Cards can be sent to him in care of St. Nicholas Parish, 24252 El Toro Road, Laguna Woods, CA 92637.

CHILDREN’S FAITH FORMATION CORNER

- May 18 Eucharist 1 Class
- May 19 Eucharist 2 Class

Contact Nicole Castillo if you have any questions. nicolec@smdpyl.org

SUNDAY PRE-SCHOOL

3 and 4 year old: Mary, Mother of Us All—Mary is Jesus mother and our mother.

4 and 5 year old: Back to the base. Jesus Is Born

We will discuss the story of Mary and Joseph’s journey to Bethlehem and Jesus’ birth in a stable. We will learn ways to use the joy and love of God to prepare the way for Christ the Lord in our lives.

Child Care...is open Every Sunday at 8:45 & 10:30 am Masses

If you have any questions, please contact Colleen Picou at colleenp@smdpyl.org.

FR SY’S CATECHISM SERIES

Join Father Sy as he walks us through the Catechism of the Catholic Church. These classes are FREE to attend and no registration is required.

- May 18: Monday, 7:15 St. Paul Room

SEE THE FOLLOWING ON THE PARISH WEBSITE:

- Catholic Woman of the Year Luncheon
- Legion of Mary
- Send Our Choir to Rome
- The Filipino Community
- Men Interested in Diocesan Priesthood
- How Does Someone Become Catholic? They Join the RCIA!

ST. MARTIN DE PORRES YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

For questions contact Mary McDevitt, marym@smdpyl.org

High School Youth Ministry:
- 7:00-8:30 PM, May 17, 28, 31

SMYL Meeting:
- 3:00-5:00 PM, June 14

Jr High Youth Ministry:
- 7:00-8:30 PM, May 18, June 1

Jr High 1st Eucharist:
- 1st Eucharist mass at 5:30 PM

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Seniority Club News
Everyone is warmly invited to a festive afternoon of fun, food and fellowship with the Seniority Club on Sunday, May 17, following the 12:15 Mass in the Parish Meeting Rooms. Join us for a delicious pot-luck luncheon, followed by an exciting magic show put on by our guest entertainer, an intern magician from the famous Magic Castle in Burbank. Admission is free! This will be our last meeting for this season. We will take a summer break and resume our meetings in September. If you have any questions, please contact Irene Gonzalez at 714-779-1812. Happy Summer!

Us in the Son 2015
Us in the Son is about to begin its 37th summer! Online registration for all weeks of Day Camp, Leadership Camp and Family Camp will open this weekend, May 16th. The 2015 Staff will be outside after all Masses May 16th-17th and 23rd-24th to answer any questions. Flyers and registration forms can also be found in the church office. If you have any questions feel free to email us at uits@smdpyl.org. We hope to see you all this summer! Pass it on...

Leadership Camp: Fri-Sun, June 19-21
Session 1: Mon-Fri, Jun 29-Jul 3
Session 2: Mon-Fri, Jul 6-10
Session 3: Mon-Fri, Jul 20-24
Family Camp: Fri-Sun, Jul 31-Aug 2
Session 4: Mon-Fri, August 3-7

2015 Parish Pastoral Council
Each week we will be introducing members of our Parish Pastoral Council team. The primary purpose of the PPC is to be the pastoral planning body of the Parish. The PPC encourages participation of the entire parish in the life and mission of St. Martin’s Church. In prayerful reflection and in light of church teachings, the PPC researches, develops and recommends the parish pastoral plan to the pastor.

Jim Darling
Jim Darling has been a parishioner at St. Martin’s since moving to California from Pittsburgh in August 2008. Jim and his wife Kathy have 3 children: Kristen, a Senior at USD; Matt, a Freshman at the University of Denver; and Megan, a 7th grader at St. Francis.
Jim has worked for Chubb & Son, a property/casualty insurance company, for 33 years. He is a Senior Vice President and the California Regional Branch Manager.
Jim went through the RCIA program and joined the Church in 1986. Here at St. Martin’s, he has served as a Lector and volunteer for several ministries, including Craig Park. He is also a member of the Orange County Board of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

Brad Judd
I was born and raised in Torrance, California. I received my Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry at the University of Southern California in 1977. The same year I got married and have been married for the last 37 years with 3 children, 2 grandchildren and two more on the way. I attended the Los Angeles College of Chiropractic and received my degree in 1982. I have been practicing chiropractic for over 30 years. My wife and I have been attending St. Martins for 30 years as well. I’m involved in several ministries.
Parish rep for Cursillo, Eucharistic minister, Ambassador committee, Isaiah House, PPC, SCC, San Antonio Assistance Ministry, Rose Grisea Ministry at La Palma Royal.
I teach two bible study classes as La Palma Royal and ad Theo Lacy Jail. I’m always working a weekend in Cursillo.

Fr. Sy’s Pilgrimage
Fr. Sy wants to personally invite you to accompany him on a Pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Martin de Porres and Machu Picchu from August 1-8, 2015. You will get to visit the birth house of St. Martin de Porres, tour the city of Lima and the historical sites of St. Martin’s life, and conclude your tour at Machu Picchu. More information and a registration packet is available in the parish office.
WORSHIP

PERPETUAL ADORATION
24/7 Adoration Going Strong!! Our Perpetual Adoration has taken off and many people are receiving abundant graces. We are still looking for souls willing to commit an hour to Our Lord as we continue after Lent and into the season of the Risen Lord! Please log in to our website link www.smdpyl.org, and click on "quick access", email us at adoration@smdpyl.org or call us 657-888-4631 to sign up for your hour. He’s waiting for you!

SACRAMENTS/RTIES
Anointing of the Sick
Call the Parish Office with your request.

Baptism for Infants
Come to the Parish Office to pick up an information packet (3 months ahead).

Funeral Rite
Call the Parish Office at your earliest convenience after the death of a loved one for our Bereavement services.

Marriage
Call the Parish office for an appointment with a priest/deacon at least six months prior to the planned date of marriage.

Reconciliation
Tuesdays 7:15 PM, Saturdays 4-5 PM

SCRIPTURE
Sunday (May 17): Acts 10:25-36, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10 or 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 15:9-17 or Jn 17:11b-19
Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5ac; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25

WEDDING BANNS
David Hunter—Mariela Espinoza

MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday, May 16:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Leonora Bahou†, Harold C. Simpson III†, Diane Steinmann
5:30PM (Fr Sy) Ivana Lumbard †
Sunday, May 17:
7:15AM (Fr Sy) Claudia Castillo†
8:45AM (Fr Sy) Lydia Claudio†
10:30AM (Fr Jeff) Leticia Garcia †
12:15PM (Fr Jeff) Mass for the People
5:30PM (Fr Jeff) MenA Abdo †
Monday, May 18:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Ken Kinton
6:30PM (Fr Sy) Ed Argentine†
Tuesday, May 19:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Priest’s Intention
6:30PM (Fr Sy) Priest’s Intention
Wednesday, May 20:
8:00AM (Fr Sy) Charles Rogers †
6:30PM (Fr Jeff) Mary LaPane †
Thursday, May 21:
8:00AM (Fr Sy) Brian Donnelly †
6:30PM (Sy) Julia Henry †
Friday, May 22:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Fred Croghan †
6:30PM (Fr Jeff) Donna Smith †
Diane Steinmann
Saturday, May 23:
8:00AM (Fr Sy ) Mary Murphy†,
Antonio Luna, Josie Felice
5:30PM (Fr Jeff) Esther Garcia†
Sunday, May 24:
7:15AM (Fr Jeff) Felipe Gomez †
8:45AM (Fr Jeff) Gary & Lynn Clark
10:30AM (Fr Sy) Elizabeth Grabowski
12:15PM (Fr Sy) Bryce Coburn
5:30PM (Fr Sy) Mass for the People

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK
Hermina Tary
Richard Stacy
Ruth Olson
Todd Miller
Marie Nussle
Michael Stanley
Brent Davis
Brad Harker
Michael Sweeney
Maria A. Ramirez

Additional names are in the Book of Remembrance/Petitions along the back wall of the church.

IN MEMORIAM
George Slaughter  Robert Stevenson

ADMINISTRATION

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS
Send to pulpitann@smdpyl.org plus a copy to FrontOffice@smdpyl.org by the Tuesday prior to the weekend. Elements are to be only 1-2 sentences.

BULLETIN DEADLINE
Submit articles 10 days before the weekend. (Holiday submissions vary.) Send to Becky Fauth at: bulletineditor@smdpyl.org or leave a printed copy at the parish office.

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OUTREACH

St. Martin de Porres offers a mobile version of our online giving page to make it easy for you to give anytime from your smartphone. It’s a fast and easy way to donate to St. Martin’s!

DONATE FROM YOUR SMART PHONE

PARISH WEEKLY TITHE REPORT
Thank you for your contribution!

Regular Sunday  $23,700.
Digital Donor Families  195
Birth Choice  $225.
Mothers Day Second Collection Roses  $5,119.
Outreach  $741.
CONTACTS FOR PARISH MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS:
(ALL PHONE NUMBERS ARE AREA CODE 714 EXCEPT AS NOTED)

PASTORAL STAFF
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Pastor: Fr. Sy Nguyen (SyN@smdpyl.org) Ext. 113
Parochial Vicar: Fr. Jeff Droessler Ext. 115
Deacon/Parish Director: Denis Zaun Ext. 130
Deacon: Nick Sherg Ext. 110
Business Manager: Elena Chupinsky Ext. 141
Parish Secretary: Elisa Werdeman Ext. 110
AP/Payroll: Becki Krupsky Ext. 111
Bulletin Editor: Becky Fauth Ext. 112
Maintenance: Brendan O’Shea Ext. 121
Faith Formation: Curtis Keddy Ext. 133
Youth Ministry: Direct 970-0514
Main Office Line: 970-2771
Lan Dinh Ext. 119
Asst: Mary McDevitt Ext. 131
Confirmation Assistant: Cathy Fitzpatrick Ext. 131
Liturgy Coordinator: Roz Odion Ext. 116
Music Director: Mark Haas Ext. 114
St Martin Outreach 970-0147
Hours: MWTh 1:30-4:00 PM, Tu 4:00-6:30PM
St. Francis of Assisi School (Tri-Parish) Tom Waszak, Principal 695-3700

ADMINISTRATION
Advancement Committee: Deacon Denis Zaun 970-2771x130
Finance Committee: Don DeJesse 970-2771x140
Parish Pastoral Council: Ruben Barron 970-0076
Stewardship: 970-2771
PSA Tom Arendt 281-3980

FAITH FORMATION
Adults
Adult Confirmation:
John Avery 686-2168
Adult Education:
Curtis Keddy 970-2771x133
Becoming Catholic -R.C.I.A.:
Mark Proctor 213-840-9039
Bible Studies:
Curtis Keddy 970-2771x133
Returning Catholics:
Lan Dinh 970-0514
Youth Becoming Catholic:
Mary McDevitt 970-2771x131
Confirmation:
Cathy Fitzpatrick 970-2771x134
Junior High Youth Ministry:
Mary McDevitt 970-2771x131
High School Youth Ministry:
Mary McDevitt 970-2771x131
Children
Baptism Team:
Steve & Vicki Nasman 970-2771
Becoming Catholic R.C.I.A.:
Curtis Keddy 970-2771x133
Children’s Liturgy of the Word:
Curtis Keddy 970-2771x133
First Eucharist Preparation:
Nicole Castillo 970-2771x136
Kids of the Kingdom (grades 3-5):
Curtis Keddy 970-2771x133
Sunday Pre-School (ages 3-5):
Colleen Picou 909-239-3525
Us in the Son Day Camp & Family Camp:
Michael Fitzpatrick
Ashley Purpura 970-2771

WORSHIP
Liturgy
Altar Care:
Jackie Turk 227-6252
Altar Servers:
Susan Sandoval 695-1729
Bereavement Ministry:
Mike Shanahan 970-2771
Environment Committee:
Terry Schulz 528-0531
Extraord. Min. Holy Communion:
Mary Coulter 692-2201
Ginny Bennett 970-8913
Hospitality Ministry:
Rob Lam 602-7771
Lectors:
Roz Odion 970-2771x116
Music Ministry:
Mark Haas 970-2771x114
Wedding Preparation:
Shannon Dagenberg 970-2771
Prayer Groups
Exposition/Blessed Sacrament
Pat Torrey 777-4344
Filipino Federation Rosary Group
Efrin/Celia Terrible 779-7374
Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Novena Group:
Vi Austria 267-2592
St. Martin’s Rosary Group:
Audrey Vargas 577-5356
St. Philomena Novena Group
Pat/Carolyn Torrey 777-3444

COMMUNITY LIFE
Alcohols Anonymous
Parish Office 970-2771
Band of Brothers Men’s Group:
Tim Garvey 651-8550
Chuck Cyprien 983-7233
Beginning Again:
Emma Jean Jorgenson 970-8376
Child Care(0-3yrs):
Colleen Picou 909-239-3525
Coffee and Donuts:
Keith Campitelli 693-4730
Couples for Christ:
Jessie Sisson 865-1193
Cursillo:
Brad & Pam Judd 692-2371
Filipino Community of SMDP
Jessie Sisson
Guadalupanas:
Rose Marie Murrietta 746-8004
Legion of Mary:
Tom Copenhaver 225-7736
MOCC (Mothers of Catholic Children):
Natalie Lahoul 970-2771
Colleen Picou 970-2771
Natural Family Planning
Parish Office 970-2771
Oktoberfest:
Dave/Julie Rollins 767-8937
Overeaters Anonymous:
Parish Office 970-2771
Passion Reenactment:

SERVICE
Grief Support (Transitions):
David LaPane 996-3415
Peggy Squires 777-2312
Knights of Columbus:
Scott Mosher 396-1527
Respect Life Ministry:
Jackie Turk 227-6250
Sick & Homebound Ministry:
Gabriel/Janina Sanchez 927-3443
St. Martin’s Outreach:
Tom Prior 970-0147
Off-Site Outreach
Birth Choice Health Clinics:
Megan Kerr 516-9045
Corazon:
Nick VanHoogmoed 943-2899
Craig Park:
Joe Garcia 693-1860
Crittenton Services:
Pat Williams 779-1714
Higher Ground:
Joe Baldo 777-1825
Interfaith Shelter:
Jim Thomsen 970-5665
Isaiah House/Catholic Worker
Olga Diaz 471-8295
Project Rachel:
800-722-4356
Soup Kitchen:
Laura Hemann 469-8947
Gretchen Heyman 401-8637
Touch of Dignity:
Outreach Center 970-0147
Women’s Transitional Living Ctr.
Outreach Center 970-0147
HELP SEND OUR CHOIR TO ROME!

The St. Martin de Porres choir members have been invited to sing at St. Peter’s Basilica in Rome, in celebration of Vatican II’s 50th Anniversary. This December, our music ministers will join with singers from around the world as voices are raised in praise to God by experiencing a Papal Audience with the Holy Father, Mass at the Basilica di San Pietro and a gala concert in the Basilica di Santa Maria sopra Minerva. We hope our music ministers have helped you joyfully pray and experience the love of God’s Holy Spirit through sacred song, and ask for your prayers and support of upcoming fundraising activities as preparations are made for this once-in-a-lifetime event. Grazie!

LEGION OF MARY MEETS WEEKLY

If you have devotion to Mary, join her wonderful army: the Legion of Mary. We meet on Tuesdays at 7:15 PM, in the St. Rose of Lima Room. If you have questions, call Tom Copenhaver Phone: 714/225-7736; Email: tcopenhaver@tbccontractors.com

The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic organization which has a program of prayer and service, in union with the Holy Spirit which operates through Mary, Mother of the Church.

OUTSIDE THE PARISH

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Six month “terminal” prognoses may be arbitrary. Very often patients will outlive that prognosis or even overcome the illness.

Medical institutions and insurance companies may financially benefit from this option and not the patient.

Proponents of this bill are trying to redefine quality of life and abandon persons during times of suffering. (Adapted from Archdiocese of Los Angeles, Office of Life Justice and Peace, 2015)
OUTSIDE THE PARISH

ORANGE CATHOLIC FOUNDATION
WILLS AND TRUSTS WEEK
MAY 18-23, 2015

INFORMATIVE AND SPIRIT-FILLED SESSIONS
ALL PARISHIONERS WELCOME!

Take steps to protect those you love with a new or updated estate plan. Through proper planning, the legacy of love and care that you leave for your family and friends can be encouraging and even inspiring.

If you have questions how to begin or update your own estate plan, please join us at one or more of the sessions listed.

During the presentations, our local Catholic estate planning attorneys will answer questions regarding estate taxes, probate expenses, trusts, guardianship of minor children, selection of personal representatives, and outline steps on how to create or update your will or trust and other information to consider.

ADMISSION IS FREE - REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED

Reservations are not necessary but welcome.
To make reservations or for information call 714.282.4208 or email PlannedGiving@OrangeCatholicFoundation.org

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Jesus spoke to them, saying "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."
John 8:12

Wills and Trusts Week sessions are for informational purposes only and not intended to replace legal advice.

WILLS & TRUSTS
WEEK SCHEDULE

Monday, May 18, 2015
7 pm - 9 pm
St. John Neumann Church
5101 Alton Parkway
Irvine

Tuesday, May 19, 2015
10 am - 12 pm
Our Lady of Fatima
105 N. Esperanza
San Clemente
5 pm - 9 pm
St. Irenaeus
5217 Evergreen Ave.
Cypress

Wednesday, May 20, 2015
10 am - 12 pm
St. Vincent De Paul Church
8345 Talbert Ave.
Huntington Beach
5 pm - 9 pm
St. Timothy Church
2922 Crown Valley
LAGUNA NIGUEL

Thursday, May 21, 2015
10 am - 12 pm
St. Bonaventure
16400 Springdale St.
Huntington Beach
5 pm - 9 pm
Christ Cathedral Campus
Diocesan Pastoral Center 4th floor
13260 Chapman Ave
Garden Grove

Friday, May 22, 2015
10 am - 12 pm
Christ Cathedral Campus
Diocesan Pastoral Center 4th Floor
13260 Chapman Ave
Garden Grove

Saturday, May 23, 2015
10 am - 12 pm
St. Martin de Porres
19757 Yorba Linda Blvd
Yorba Linda
CATHOLIC CHARITIES AUXILIARY CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO

CATHOLIC WOMEN-OF-THE-YEAR BENEFIT LUNCHEON

THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2015
Silent Auction & Social: 10:00 a.m. Luncheon: 11:30 a.m.
Cost: $65.00

HILTON ORANGE COUNTY COSTA MESA
3050 Bristol Street
Costa Mesa, California

THE LUNCHEON WILL BENEFIT CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF ORANGE COUNTY

Questions please contact:

Laurie Bois - 714-600-0191
or
Carol Dolan -714-269-6339
The Orange Catholic Foundation (OCF) is organizing a diocesan delegation to attend one day of the World Meeting of Families Cc Philadelphia, attend a special event with Gianna Emanuela Molla (daughter of St. Gianna Molla) at the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul, and attend the outdoor Mass celebrated by Pope Francis.

This weekend excursion to Philadelphia will leave on Thursday, September 24, and return on Monday, September 28, 2015.

The deadline to register and pay your deposit is March 20; however, we suggest you act now and make your reservation if you would like to join our Diocese of Orange delegation as space will be limited.

Additional information and a reservation form is available by clicking here.
COMMUNITY LIFE

Catholic Charities of Orange County’s Immigration and Citizenship Center may be able to help you! We are a Board of Immigration Appeals (BIA) accredited site, providing immigration services for 37 years. We provide individual attention and assistance to with any follow up needed to process your case. Many immigrants are victims of fraud when applying for immigration benefits with unqualified individuals and organizations. Carefully consider your options for immigration services before you apply!

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON IMMIGRATION
Are You Eligible?

You are eligible for Deferred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) if:
- You are the parent of a US Citizen or Legal Permanent Resident on or before November 20, 2014 and were in the US on this day.
- You have been in the US since January 1, 2010.
- You have not committed a felony or significant misdemeanor.
- You have no current legal status.

You will be able to apply for an employment permit and protection from deportation for three years. Applications will begin to be accepted in June 2015. Application fee will be $465 plus Catholic Charities fee.

You are eligible for Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) if:
- You were a child who entered the United States before age 16.
- You entered the US on or before January 1, 2010.
- You have not committed a felony or significant misdemeanor.
- You have no current legal status.

You may obtain an employment permit and protection from deportation for three years. You may apply regardless of your age at time of application. Applications will begin to be accepted in March, 2015. Application fee will be $465 plus Catholic Charities fee.

More information will be provided as the application dates approach. Check our website for more information as these dates approach. Collect your documents now to prepare for your application such as:

- Birth certificate (yourself and your children)
- Official Identification from your country
- Car Records
- Bank Records
- DMV Records
- Passports or travel documents if you have them
- Employment records: Income tax returns with W-2s, check stubs, Social Security records, Disability, Unemployment or Workman’s Compensation info, Notarized letter from your employer
- Church Records: Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation
- Insurance Records: Policies, Payments, Claims
- Residential Records: Rental contract, Rent receipts, Utility Records, Property Title, Home loan records, Letters from landlord, neighbor, housemate
- School Records: Your transcripts, Transcripts for children, letters from teachers, school, ID photos
- Medical Records: Medical bills, payments, vaccination records, letters from doctors
- Vital Statistics: Birth certificates of children, Marriage Certificates
- Affidavits: Letters from friends, church, community group

ARREST RECORDS: OBTAIN MINUTE ORDERS and CERTIFIED COPY OF FINAL DISPOSITION from Criminal Court Clerk 700 Civic Center Dr, Santa Ana or requests for record searches may be made in person in the Criminal Operations Department at any Justice Center. http://www.occourts.org/directory/civil/general-information/record-requests.html

Get LIVESCAN REPORT from CALDOJ for other arrests in California: Livescan locations are located throughout the county http://ag.ca.gov/fingerprints/publications/contact.php/orange

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF ORANGE COUNTY
1800 E. 17th Street, Santa Ana, CA 92705-714-347-9610 and (STARTING JANUARY 714-347-9622) FAX 714-347-542-3541
MARIAN PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE, LOURDES AND PARIS—INFORMATION NIGHT

Join Deacon Steve and Mary Anne Greco on a life changing pilgrimage. It is a 13-day pilgrimage that begins Sept. 23, 2015. Reservations are now being taken. For more information and to receive an itinerary Contact: Tourspiritfilledhearts@gmail.com or MaryAnne@949/981-0918

PILGRIMAGES TO MEXICO AND TO THE HOLY LAND

You are invited to join Fr. Joseph Parathanal of Holy Family Church, South Pasadena. Pilgrimages to: (May 2015) - OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE & COLONIAL MEXICO, (OCT. 2015) - HOLY LAND Contact Bernadette at bcorp1114@hotmail.com or call (323/344-1548 or 323/547-6618).

MEN INTERESTED IN DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD

The Vocations Office cordially invites you to the next “Priesthood Discernment” evening. The purpose is to familiarize interested men with the life, prayer, and possible call to Priesthood in the Diocese of Orange. There is no commitment on your part, other than the expression of interest to participate. The next meeting is Wednesday, May 6, at 6:00 PM, in the Diocese of Orange Pastoral Center, first Floor, Room 1D, Christ Cathedral Campus. Please give serious thought to this invitation. "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest." (Mt 9:37-38) If you have any questions regarding the “Priesthood Discernment” evening, please contact our Director of Vocations, Rev. John Moneypenny at 714/282-3036, or via email fr.jmoneypenny@rcbo.org. Also, feel free to visit the website www.ocvocation.org.

MEALS ON WHEELS are AVAILABLE

Do you know someone who would benefit from having meals delivered? We at Placentia Yorba Meals On Wheels deliver to citizens in Placentia, Yorba Linda, and Anaheim Hills. Three meals a day, Monday through Friday. Those who cannot pay are subsidized by MOW. MOW is non-profit, depending 100% on local contributions from citizens, organizations, and the business community, as well as annual fundraisers. While the food is cooked and packaged at a state-of-the-art kitchen in Anaheim and brought to our office for distribution, we welcome volunteers to help make the deliveries to the clients. Please give us a call! 714/524-5056. Placentia Yorba Meals on Wheels, 1130 Yorba Linda Blvd., Placentia, CA 92870-3828.

BE A CHILD’S VOICE IN COURT!

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of Orange County is seeking volunteers to serve as advocates and mentors for abused, abandoned and neglected children. A CASA volunteer visits with a child they are matched with on a regular basis, interacts with all professionals involved in the case and makes recommendations directly to the court, ensuring the child’s best interests are not overlooked. Volunteers must be 21 years old and be able to dedicate 10-15 hours per month. For more information about volunteering, please call 714/619.5155 or visit our website: www.casaoc.org

“AMAZONSMILE” DONATION PROGRAM -AT ST. MARTIN’S

St. Martin de Porres has joined AmazonSmile, a web based shopping program operated by Amazon. AmazonSmile lets you enjoy the same wide selection of products, services, great low prices, and convenient shopping features as on Amazon.com including Amazon Prime member benefits. The difference is that when you shop on AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com), the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price to St. Martin de Porres Church.

If you shop on smile.amazon.com using an internet browser on your desktop or laptop computer, your mobile phone, or your tablet (including any Kindle Fire device), then your AmazonSmile purchases will be eligible for donations. Purchases made using an Amazon Shopping App are not currently eligible for donations.
New Hope Crisis Counseling Center
Telephone Hotline & Online Counseling

A faith based response

24 Hours per Day / 7 Days per Week

Trained Crisis Workers provide peer counseling to people who are struggling to cope with day to day life.

714-New Hope (Hotline)
www.newhopenow.org (Online)

Since 1968 New Hope Crisis Hotline, now affiliated with Catholic Charities, has provided crisis intervention and suicide prevention services to people in Orange County and around the world. All of our crisis workers are volunteers, who have attended an intensive training program using an “active listening” model of peer counseling. Our services are free and open to all.

For Further Information Contact:
Dr. Louise Dunn, New Hope Director at: 714-620-8810 or
dunnlouise@rocketmail.com
Knights of the Holy Eucharist

Attention, single Catholic men 18-30 years: The Knights of the Holy Eucharist, a community of consecrated brothers faithful to Holy Mother Church and dedicated to fostering reverent devotion to Our Eucharistic Lord, invite you to discern your vocation at their House of Formation, located at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama. Learn more at http://www.knightsoftheholyeucharist.com/

How Does Someone Become Catholic? They Join the RCIA!

What is the RCIA? RCIA stands for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults but, according to a young man who recently went through the process, it should also stand for Righteous, Compassionate, Inspirational and Amazing. He speaks for the hundreds of individuals who have been a part of this challenging, exciting, and life-changing experience at St. Martin’s.

Have you or a friend ever considered joining the Catholic Church? The RCIA process will give you the opportunity to ask questions, learn about the Church’s teaching, and be part of a community who will walk with you on your journey of faith. Those who are not baptized, were baptized in other Christian denominations, or were baptized Catholic but have not been Confirmed or received the Eucharist are led by a team made up of clergy, staff and volunteers through an unforgettable one to two year process. RCIA meets mostly on Sundays after the 8:45 AM Mass, culminating with Baptism, Confirmation, and First Eucharist at the Easter Vigil. If you would like to have a Righteous, Compassionate, Inspirational and Amazing experience leading to full communion with the Catholic Church, call Curtis Keddy at 714/970-2771 or email curtisk@smdpyl.org.

Catholic Detention Ministry is Looking for Volunteers!

Every day nearly 5,000 Catholics call Orange County jails and juvenile facilities home! The Bible calls us to visit those in prison (Matt 25:36). How about you! Can you spare a couple hours each month to visit our incarcerated brothers and sisters, sons and daughters? If you would like to learn more or to join our ministry, please sign up for our Overview presentation. For dates, times and more details, go to www.rcbo.org/restore or call us at 714/634-9909.

Human Trafficking Awareness

What does Catholic Social Teaching say?

“Action on behalf of justice...appear to us as a constitutive dimension of the preaching of the gospel...the Church’s mission for the redemption of the human race and its liberation from every oppressive condition.”

(Justice in the World – 1971 World Synod of Bishops)

It is not necessary for a victim to cross a border. Women and children, who are domestically trafficked for prostitution and/or forced labor within their own countries, are considered trafficked. Youth under 18, who are involved in prostitution, are also considered trafficked. If you think or suspect that someone is a victim of human trafficking, call the Trafficking Information/ Referral Hotline: 1-888-3737-888.

Magnificat Day of Prayer

Please join Magnificat on our Day of Prayer, the 26th of each month, as we lift our hearts to the Lord for the intentions of Magnificat Ministry, Pro-Life issues, our beloved priests, and families.

Hospice Volunteers

Hospice Volunteers are needed in our community to provide supportive services to terminally ill patients and their families. VITAS Innovative Hospice Care® is seeking interested individuals who can commit an average of two hours per week to make a difference with patients or in our offices – you can volunteer around your schedule and in the area you live or work. The only necessary qualifications are a caring heart, the ability to listen, and a willingness to learn. Please contact Libby Davis, Volunteer Manager at 714/734-2723 or email elizabeth.davis@vitas.com

Join our LinkedIn Group and Job Bank

St. Edward the Confessor invites our fellow Catholics in the Diocese of Orange to join our LinkedIn Group. The group was established in 2011 for the purpose of creating a job bank for the many unemployed, to network professionally, and to invite members to promote their businesses. We are pleased to announce that we are welcoming fellow Catholics within the Diocese of Orange to network with us. To find out more about our group, visit http://stedward.com/businesses/. We look forward to networking with other Catholics in our diocesan community. Please tell your friends and colleagues by sharing this Good News! If you have any questions, please contact our Group Administrator at Lsaine@stedward.com.
Nutrition Education & Obesity Prevention Program

Come and enjoy the new Nutrition Education & Obesity Prevention (NEOP) program at Catholic Charities of Orange County. This program provides information for families on how to: a) make better choices for healthy food within a limited budget, b) prevent type2 diabetes and heart problems, c) enjoy physical activities (games and dance) with family, and d) look and feel good!

For more information regarding class schedules and services of the NEOP program please call or email: Luz Vela 714/347-9611 – lvela@ccoc.org or Maria Ballesteros 714/347-9617 mballesteros@ccoc.org

Catholic Charities of Orange County can help you apply for CalFresh Food Stamps

Need help with food?
If so, CalFresh, formerly known as Food Stamps, may be the answer. CalFresh is a federally funded program that helps people and their families with little or no income buy nutritious food. Catholic Charities of Orange County (CCOC) can help you apply for CalFresh (Food Stamps) benefits. To find out if you qualify, call our CalFresh Specialists: Jenny Rodriguez - 714/347-9601 or Michael Tijerino - 714/668-1130 Ext. 207

Programa de Nutrición y Prevención de Obesidad

Venga a disfrutar del nuevo programa de Nutrición y Prevención de Obesidad (NEOP) en Caridades Católicas del Condado de Orange. Este programa proporciona información para que las familias aprendan cómo: a) seleccionar alimentos más saludables con ingresos limitados, b) prevenir diabetes tipo 2 y problemas del corazón, c) disfrutar actividades físicas (juegos y bailes) en familia y d) vernos y sentirnos mejor!

Para mayor información sobre el horario de clases y servicios del programa NEOP favor de comunicarse con: Luz Vela 714/347-9611 – lvela@ccoc.org o Maria Ballesteros 714/347-9617 – mballesteros@ccoc.org

Caridades Católicas del Condado de Orange le puede ayudar a solicitar Estampillas de Comida CalFresh

¿Necesita ayuda con alimentos?
Si ese es el caso, CalFresh, conocido anteriormente como Estampillas de Comida, podría ser su respuesta. CalFresh es un programa financiado por el gobierno federal que ayuda a personas y a familias con bajos ingresos a comprar alimentos nutritivos. Caridades Católicas del Condado de Orange le puede ayudar a solicitar los beneficios de CalFresh (Estampillas de Comida). Para saber si usted califica, llame a nuestros Especialistas de CalFresh: Jenny Rodriguez - 714/347-9601 o Michael Tijerino - 714/668-1130 Ext. 207
IMMIGRATION SERVICE
Volunteers Needed!

Catholic Charities of Orange County is recruiting and training volunteers of all ethnicities & languages to help us provide immigration services. We want to be ready to assist the many immigrants in our Diocese who may soon be eligible to stabilize their immigration status in the USA should immigration reform take place. For more information please contact Catholic Charities of Orange County: Alba Ramiro, Director of Volunteers aramiro@ccoc.org, 714/347-9668

St. Vincent de Paul’s Lights On Program

...assists hundreds of men and women released onto the streets from the O.C. jail during the overnight hours. Men and women exit the jail with the same clothing they were arrested in or in some cases have no clothing and are given jail issued paper jump suits. In either case, it is not enough to protect them from the chill of the winter night while Lights On volunteers search their resources for getting them safely off the streets. Warm clothing donations are greatly needed especially during these winter months. Of particular immediate need are new or used, jackets, sweaters or sweat outfits. If you can help contact the St. Vincent de Paul Center at 714/542-0448, 1505 E. 17 St., Suite 109, Santa Ana, CA 92705

Need help with Medical or CalFresh?

Catholic Charities of Orange County provides FREE assistance to the community for MediCal (Children and Adults) and CalFresh. We help with applications and renewals for both programs. For information please call: Guillermina Lopez, Certified Enrollment Counselor/MediCal, 714/347-9606, glopez@ccoc.org
Or Jenny Rodriguez, Certified Enrollment Counselor/MediCal, 714/347-9640, jrodriguez@ccoc.org
Or Michael Tijerino, Certified Enrollment Counselor/MediCal/CalFresh, 714/347-9601, mtijerino@ccoc.org