Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 21, 2015

WHO IS THIS WHOM EVEN THE WIND AND SEA OBEY?

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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.
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!

Please help us out by going through your donations prior to dropping them off. By making sure there are no broken, worn out, soiled, unsellable items mixed in with your donations, you will save the volunteers time and the church money for the additional cost of discarding those items for you. Note: We cannot accept any intimate apparel, women’s bathing suits, socks or mattresses. We also need donations of hangers (regular and infant sized), reusable shopping bags and baskets, paper bags with handles, boxes (cut and flattened), large Ziploc bags, jewelry size gift boxes and small gift bags. Join the Rummage Sale Team. We would love to have you! Our next meeting is June 17th at 7:00 PM. Please contact Janice Reger at (714) 746-0856 or rummagesale@smdpyl.org.

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.

Thank you!

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
**SUICIDE BILL ACTION ALERT**

SB 128 Suicide Bill passed State Senate and moves to State Assembly: Many senators ignored facts and passed the suicide bill on to the assembly. Our local senator Bob Huff- R voted against the bill. [http://ctweb.capitoltrack.com](http://ctweb.capitoltrack.com) provides the breakdown of which senators voted for or against the bill. Let us all come together regardless of party affiliation and fight this bill. You may have contacted your state senator, and NOW you need to contact your Assembly members! www.rcbo.org

Get the facts about the proposed SB 128 - End of Life Options Act and understand what the Catholic Church teaches about dying with dignity. How do we prepare ourselves? What can we do? You are cordially invited to this presentation and listen to expert guest speakers whom will cover this very important issue: Fight this dangerous bill. During June we acknowledge World Elder Abuse Awareness.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2015**
**6:15 p.m. - 8:45**

**St. Edward the Confessor Church (in Knight Hall)**
33926 Calle la Primavera
Dana Point, CA 92629

Physician-assisted suicide erodes trust between patients and medical personnel, between family members and their would-be heirs. It preys upon the weakness, confusion, and insecurity of people who are disabled and disadvantaged. It tells all suffering people that they are worthless.

For the complete article see the St. Marin de Porres Web-Bulletin on the website.

**SERVICE**

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Welcome to the Knights Table**

**Parish Picnic coming soon!**

As a fraternal organization of Catholic men, the Knights of Columbus has strong ties to the Church. At all levels, from the local councils to the Supreme Council, the organization has the volunteer power, communications abilities and organization to help strengthen the Church while offering members and their families to grow in the faith. Through the sponsoring of Church-related activities the Knights of Columbus continue to show that they are the strong right arm of the Church.

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

**WOULD YOU WALK ONE HOUR TO CURE CANCER?**

St. Martin’s Relay for Life Team needs walkers on Friday, June 26 and Saturday, June 27. The track is at Yorba Linda Middle School on Casa Loma. Please contact Gerry Stacy at 714-970-5057 or go online to Yorba Linda Relay for Life and sign up for St. Martin’s I Team. It is $10 to register. Thank you for your prompt response.

**ISAIAH HOUSE REPORT – MARCH 2015:**

On March 18, a team of six St. Martin's volunteers served a smaller group of Isaiah House ladies. The menu was very simple but tasty: we prepared two salads (potato and tossed salad) and corned beef and teriyaki pork sandwiches with rice. The women thanked us to no end! Upon arrival it started out with Leah, Isaiah House administrator, saying “Let’s clean out the freezer/refrigerator of leftover meals”. So we were definitely challenged but our team was up to it. As of this writing, Isaiah House still does not have a working kitchen. Maybe in two more weeks, with prayers and God’s blessings, it may be possible that on our next trip in April, we would prepare a warm meal for the ladies of Isaiah House.

**CHILD CARE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Childcare ministry invites our young families to worship in Church with complete focus and attention on God. To keep this ministry running volunteers are desperately needed. Please contact Colleen Picou at ColleenP@smdpyl.org if you are willing to help support this ministry.

"Amen, amen, I say to you, whoever believes in me will do all the works that I do."

*John 14:12*
FAITH FORMATION

Children’s Faith Formation Corner
Contact Nicole Castillo if you have any questions. nicolec@smdpyl.org

Sunday Pre-School
3 and 4 year old: On Summer Break
4 and 5 year old: On Summer Break
Childcare will be open for summer break and the Sunday Preschool children (ages 3-5) are welcome to the childcare room for a simple craft and story during summer months.

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.

Confirmation Classes
Have a blessed and Spirit-filled summer! Register in August for Fall Classes.
"Pray for all on UITS Leadership Camp Retreat. Sign up early if you are eligible to volunteer for UITS Summer Camp in July/August."
"Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends." John 15:13
Any concerns, contact Cathy Fitzpatrick at cathyf@smdpyl.org or Gerardo Butalid, gerardob@smdpyl.org or 714-970-0514

Upcoming Youth Ministry Events
For questions contact
Gerardo Butalid: gerardob@smdpyl.org or
Mary McDevitt: marym@smdpyl.org

Exciting news regarding High School, Junior High, and Young Adults coming soon. If there is any questions please contact our new Associate Director of Youth Faith Formation, Gerardo Butalid, at gerardob@smdpyl.org

Us in the Son 2015
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3. When recently have you reached out to be in touch with Jesus?


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Small Christian Communities
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For more information please contact Mark or Kris Jablonski at (714) 524-9757 or mark.jablonski@stjoe.org

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FAITH FORMATION

ALTAR SERVER OF THE MONTH – MAY

This month, the Altar Server Ministry is pleased to recognize Sarah Michael as our Altar Server of the Month for the month of May 2015. Sarah is one of our longest-serving altar servers, having been with the Ministry for six years. She is very knowledgeable and can be relied upon to help out in whatever way she is asked. Sarah and her sister are regularly a part of our Saturday evening Mass, but also frequently help out on special solemnity celebrations throughout the year. We are fortunate to have such committed servers in the Ministry, and in service to our parish. Congratulations on your award, Sarah, and thank you for your service to St. Martin’s!

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.

FEAST OF OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

FOLLOWING 6:30 PM MASS

Join us in the first ever Celebration of the Feast of Our Mother of Perpetual Help at our St Martin de Porres Church. Reception will follow at the hall.

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI 2015 CAMP WOLF PACK SUMMER SCHOOL

Camp Wolf Pack is back! Registration is now open for our annual summer school program. This year we are offering 7 weeks of academic enrichment including new specialty classes and weekly field trips. Please go to www.sfayl.org for the registration packet or pick up a copy in the front office.

WELCOME TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

Alexander Duran Padilla

Colin James Genisauski

Celes Ava Cachran

Chad Allen Riehle
FAITH FORMATION

CONGRATULATIONS TO ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CLASS OF 2015!

The Saint Francis of Assisi Class of 2015 came together in the Fall as a group of young ladies and gentleman dedicated to make this year this best year possible – and what a great year it was! They worked hard academically, took their studies seriously and achieved to the best of their ability. They prepared diligently for high school and all were accepted to the school of their choice.

All students served at least 8 hours total in the three areas of service required - parish, school, and community. Students served our school by hosting several community building activities. They all participated in our Annual Dance Out Cancer activity. They babysat during conferences and during the holidays for holiday shopping.

Some students served on Student Council and all Student Council members took their jobs very seriously. Some students were a part of our Campus Ministry and some served as leaders of that group. Campus Ministry held a blanket drive at Christmas, planned special prayer services, helped create environment during our liturgical seasons and raised money to help a St. Joseph’s school in Uganda. Some students participated in our school choir, our school band, in our school sports programs, scouting programs, and academic decathlon.

The eighth grade students took their leadership as the oldest at school very seriously and led as true disciples as Christ.

Throughout the year, the class of 2015 laughed together, shared trials, and celebrated their accomplishments. They shared stories and grew in faith throughout the year. They opened their hearts and minds on the retreat to truly listen to Christ. They sought forgiveness and forgave. The class of 2015 grew in love and friendship and tried to appreciate the gifts God has given each person.

St. Martin’s students & school attending:

- Sofia Benavidas – Rosary
- William Burns – Servite
- Robert Dixon – Servite
- Kristiana Duran – JSerra
- Victoria Fuller – Esperanza
- Keagan Hayes – Servite
- Carlie Langlois – Orange Lutheran
- Grace Michael – Cornelia Connelly
- Jared Murrietta – Servite
- Megan Nieto – Brea Olinda
- Kaiti Norton – Santa Margarita
- Carla Singson – Valencia
- Lauren Vasquez – Rosary
- Ashlynn Warye – Esperanza
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. Please log in to our website link www.smdpyl.org, and click on “quick access”, email us: adoration@smdpyl.org or call us 657-888-4631 to sign up for your hour. He's waiting for you!

SACRAMENTS/RITES
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
Monday: Gn 12:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22; Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6ab, 15ab, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17
Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 [6b-12, 15-16]; Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 7:21-29
Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128:1-5; Mt 8:1-4
Saturday: Gn 18:1-15; Lk 1:46-50, 53-55; Mt 8:5-17
Sunday: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43 [5:21-24, 35b-43]

FOR OUR MEN & WOMEN SERVING IN THE MILITARY

WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday, June 20:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Maristela Lalunio †
Eileen Rose Piche†, Elise Mouton †
5:30PM (Fr Jeff) Ken Harre †
Sunday, June 21:
7:15AM (Fr Jeff) Mass for the People
8:45AM (Fr Jeff) Mass for the People
10:30AM (Fr Ian) Mass for the People
12:15PM (TBD) Mass for the People
5:30PM (TBD) Mass for the People
Monday, June 22:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Gamaliel Lopez †
6:30PM (Fr Dan) Taylor †
Tuesday, June 23:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Priest’s Intention
6:30PM (Fr Jeff) Priest’s Intention
Wednesday, June 24:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Honesto Villanueva
6:30PM (Fr Jeff)
Thursday, June 25:
8:00AM (Fr Mark) Emil Vena †
6:30PM (Fr John) Charles Yu †
Friday, June 26:
8:00AM (Fr Jeff) Robby Gomez †
6:30PM (Fr Jeff) Charles Yu †
Lordes Luna †, Thomas O’Brian Markel †
Saturday, June 27:
8:00AM (Fr Sy) Stanley & Jean Bill †
Nita Penananda †, Nancy Diaz-Miller †
5:30PM (Fr Sy) Philip Salvatore †
Sunday June 28:
7:15 (Fr Sy) Dominic Dong Luu & Maria In Lam †
8:45 (Fr Sy) Mass for the People
10:30 (Fr Jeff) Maura Cuarec †
12:15PM (Fr Jeff) Rosemary Ballas
Jambois †
5:30PM (Fr Jeff) Jovito Angcaco †

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK
Mary Ramirez
Vince Casey
Martha Alrcon
Christopher Herrera

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

MEMORIAM
Helen Blessing

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.

ADMINISTRATION

FACILITY RESERVATION REQUESTS
For requests which includes tables in the outdoor Covered Courtyard, please click on this link: smdpyl.org/reservations. After your request has been approved and entered, you will receive a confirmation from the parish office secretary.

DONATE FROM YOUR SMART PHONE
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!

PARISH WEEKLY TITHE REPORT
THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTION!

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COMMUNITY LIFE

CONTACTS FOR PARISH MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS:
(ALL PHONE NUMBERS ARE AREA CODE 714 EXCEPT AS NOTED)

PASTORAL STAFF
714.970.2771
Pastor: Fr. Sy Nguyen (SyN@smqpl.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 Werderman Ext. 110
AP/Payroll: Becki Krupsky Ext. 111
Bulletin Editor: Becky Faucht Ext. 112
Maintenance: Jeff Cassidy 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: M/W/Th 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:
Maureen Williams 679-4535
Young Adults/Emmaus:
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
Extraod. 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 Danenberg 970-2771
Prayer Groups
Exposition/Blessed Sacrament:
Pat Tormey 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 Tormey 777-4344

COMMUNITY LIFE
Alcoholics 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 Sison 865-1193
Cursillo:
Brad & Pam Judd 692-2371
Filipino Community of SMDP:
Jessie Sison
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:
Jackie Hanna 777-0518
Cris Cordova 273-9675
Seniority Club:
Irene Gonzalez 779-1812
Scout Groups:
Pack 851:
Brett Ninitomiya 312-0407
Troop 778:
Tim Lloyd 562-221-0871
Small Christian Communities:
Kris/Mar jablonski 524-9757
Women’s Group
-GRACE:
Elizabeth Blush 693-9245
Women’s Group -WINGS:
Christie Shyne 280-9422

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 779-7114
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
ADOPT A VOLUNTEER

Many of Concern America's supporters engage with our field projects in a meaningful way through our Adopt-a-Volunteer program. The next best thing to visiting the field is reading one of our field volunteer's quarterly reports, sent to you every three months. If you are interested in becoming a regular donor and receiving ongoing updates from one of our field volunteers and projects, consider joining our Adopt-a-Volunteer program. Most of our Adopt-a-Volunteer participants give monthly or quarterly, but the amount and frequency of your support is up to you. Your support will make possible our projects in Mexico, Guatemala, Colombia, and Mozambique. Sign up today!

CONCERN AMERICA’S FIRST EVER SUMMER BOOK CLUB!

Join our Education Program as we explore the powerful and revolutionary book Pedagogy of the Oppressed by Paulo Freire. The pedagogy of Freire has been an inspiration and guide for the work of Concern America for decades, and is the basis for our annual Developing a Heart that Yearns for Justice Seminar. We will gather three times over the summer on June 25, July 16, and July 30 to discuss the book and learn from each other. For more information and to download the Book Club flyer go to concernamerica.org. All are welcome!
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!

FILIPINO COMMUNITY OF ST. MARTIN DE PORRES (FCSMDP)

SAVE THESE DATES!

♦ NOVEMBER 7, 2015 PHILIPPINE NIGHT
♦ DECEMBER 16-24, 2015 SIMBANG GABI

AND, be part of the action now! Register as part of our group at the Parish Office where membership application forms are available. We need you! Contacts:

Clarita Albertson - 714/779-8656
Ed Baluyot - 714/288-0800
Tessa Bautista - 714/878-4665
Ivy San Juan - 714/261-1323
Jessie Sison - 714/350-0089
Joe Tiamzon - 714/782-4330
Liza Virgo - 714/269-1151

SUICIDE BILL ACTION ALERT

SB 128 Suicide Bill passed State Senate and moves to State Assembly: Many senators ignored facts and passed the suicide bill on to the assembly. Our local senator Bob Huff - R voted against the bill. http://ctweb.capitoltrack.com provides the breakdown of which senators voted for or against the bill. Let us all come together regardless of party affiliation and fight this bill. You may have contacted your state senator, and NOW you need to contact your Assembly members! www.rcbo.org

Get the facts about the proposed SB 128 - End of Life Options Act and understand what the Catholic Church teaches about dying with dignity. How do we prepare ourselves? What can we do? You are cordially invited to this presentation and listen to expert guest speakers whom will cover this very important issue: Fight this dangerous bill. During June we acknowledge World Elder Abuse Awareness.

Wednesday, June 24, 2015
6:15 p.m. - 8:45
St. Edward the Confessor Church (in Knight Hall)
33926 Calle la Primavera
Dana Point, CA 92629

Physician-assisted suicide erodes trust between patients and medical personnel, between family members and their would-be heirs. It preys upon the weakness, confusion, and insecurity of people who are disabled and disadvantaged. It tells all suffering people that they are worthless.

Physician-assisted suicide devalues life in general. Oregon, where physician-assisted suicide is legal, has a state suicide rate 41% higher than the national average. Physician-assisted suicide limits the patient’s freedom to change course. Testimony in the places where it is legal confirms this fact. Some undergo extreme pain and vomiting, muscle spasms, and lingering comas. Quality palliative care, which offers physical and emotional relief from pain and suffering, is covered by insurance, widely available, and affirms the true dignity of each person rather than treating them as a burden. There are concerns regarding financially motivated reasons to end a person’s life in terms of managed care.

There must be two witnesses to a patient’s request for overdose medication for suicide. One can be an heir and one can be a representative of the nursing home or medical care provider. There is no safeguard against coercion. The truth is that suffering passes, and it makes us better people. One’s health may take an unexpected turn for the better, and families and individuals gain additional time to make preparations, enjoy friendships, resolve problems, and strengthen bonds.

For more information, contact the Diocese of Orange, Office of Life, Justice and Peace.
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).

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

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.

“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.

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/
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

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.

Community Life

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.

Craig Park Ministry Report – March 2015:

The March Craig Park Ministry took place on Sunday, March 8th at the La Habra Hills Presbyterian Church in the city of La Habra. The St. Martin’s Team Leader and his volunteers served a hot lunch to 65 family members. Lunch consisted of Sloppy Joe’s, golden corn, fresh fruit, cookies and cold lemonade. After lunch, weekly groceries were given to our families. Thanks to all the St. Martin de Porres volunteers who helped to feed the hungry!

Soup Kitchen Report - March 2015:

St Martin’s Soup Kitchen Ministry had two servings at the Southwest Community Center and collectively served approximately 107 people. A big Thank You to all who served in March! We are truly blessed to have such a vibrant group of volunteers. Now, on to the report:

Saturday, March 21, 2015, we were blessed with a beautiful day. The Team Leader and her nephew led the group of volunteers to serve 52 guests. Our menu consisted of ground beef, pasta with kale, steamed vegetables, rolls and chocolate and red-velvet cake. For beverages we served Coke, Cherry Coke, and 7-Up. Everyone went home happy and grateful. We received many kind words of “Thank You” and “God Bless You”. A big THANK YOU to all the volunteers for showing up to help serve the food and clean the place...you made it all possible for a successful outcome!

Sunday, March 22, 2015, was a cool, sunny day when a team of eager volunteers from St. Martin’s descended upon the Santa Ana Soup Kitchen. The Team Leader couple led a group of volunteers, and about 55 hungry and appreciative souls were fed chili-cheese dogs with chips, an outrageous tossed salad, sliced peaches, cookies and champagne-flavored punch. Everyone, including the volunteers, left feeling blessed and thankful to God for the experience.
New Hope Crisis Counseling Center
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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
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 CAFRESH?
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
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Michael Tijerino, Certified Enrollment Counselor/MediCal/CalFresh, 714/347-9601, mtijerino@ccoc.org