

# ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA PARISH COMMUNITY



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*1946 Celebrating Our Parish's 75th Anniversary Jubilee 2021*  
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## **INDOOR MASS SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE JUNE 19, 2021**

**100% Capacity**

**Parishioners/attendees/guests are encouraged to wear  
masks, if health conditions exist, or as a personal  
choice, to ensure maximum safety/precautions for all.**

**SATURDAY VIGIL  
5:15 pm English**

### **SUNDAY**

**6:30 am / 7:45 am / 9:00 am  
10:15 am - interpreted for the deaf  
12:00 pm / 1:45 pm Espanol / 5:15 pm**

### **DAILY MASS - Effective February 15, 2021**

**8:15 am & 5:30 pm**

(There is no 5:30 pm Mass from Memorial Day through Labor Day)

Above schedule in effect until further notice.  
Thank you for your understanding.  
**All Masses are Live-stream**

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### **CONFESIONS**

Saturday: 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

July 25, 2021 • Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



JESUS TOOK THE LOAVES, GAVE THANKS,  
AND DISTRIBUTED THEM TO THOSE WHO WERE RECLINING,  
AND ALSO AS MUCH OF THE FISH AS THEY WANTED.

JOHN 6:11

25 de julio de 2021 • Decimoséptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

TOMÓ JESÚS LOS PANES, Y DESPUÉS DE DAR GRACIAS A DIOS,  
SE LOS FUE REPARTIENDO A LOS QUE SE HABÍAN SENTADO A COMER.  
IGUALMENTE LES FUE DANDO DE LOS PESCADOS TODO LO QUE QUISIERON.

JUAN 6:11

## **PARISH VISION STATEMENT**

One God, One people in Christ, One community of love guided by the Holy Spirit to impact lives.  
Un Dios, Un pueblo en Cristo, Una comunidad de amor guiada por el Espíritu Santo para impactar vidas.

MASS INTENTIONS - INTENCIÓNES DE MISASSUNDAY - DOMINGO 7/25

6:30 am St. Catherine's Parishioners  
 7:45 am Manolo Banta †  
 9:00 am Clara A. Rodriguez †  
 10:15 am Intentions of Rick Sykora  
 12:00 pm Intentions of The De La Torre Family  
 1:45 pm Los Difuntos de la Familia Sierra †  
 5:15 pm Andy Wahl †

MONDAY - LUNES 7/26

8:15 am Cecilio Pascual †

TUESDAY - MARTES 7/27

8:15 am Raymunda Simoes †

WEDNESDAY - MIÉRCOLES 7/28

8:15 am Rey Mariano †

THURSDAY - JUEVES 7/29

8:15 am Joseph Ogle †

FRIDAY - VIERNES 7/30

8:15 am Servillano Rosales †

SATURDAY - SÁBADO 7/31

8:15 am Elisa Garcia Ruiz †

10:00 am At WMV—Parishioners

5:15 pm Xinh Dong †

SUNDAY - DOMINGO 8/01

6:30 am Intentions of Sekoya Spencer

7:45 am St. Catherine's Parishioners

9:00 am Jerina Jane San Agustin †

10:15 am Intentions of Samantha Tatro

12:00 pm Zeny Harrington †

1:45 pm Marvin Leroy Kolosik †

5:15 pm Denise Tropp †

*† Symbolizes Soul of Deceased*



St. Catherine Church has radio frequency capability at 72.9 MHz Wideband Audio Input with 10.0 db for the FM Radio that you can hear with your in-ear headphone direct from the presider's microphone.

**PRESSURE**

A diamond is a chunk of coal that has made good under pressure. —Anonymous

TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Elisha feeds a hundred people with twenty barley loaves (2 Kings 4:42-44).

**Psalm** — The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs (Psalm 145).

**Second Reading** — Paul urges the Ephesians to live in a manner worthy of the call they received (Ephesians 4:1-6).

**Gospel** — Jesus feeds a large crowd with five barley loaves and two fish (John 6:1-15).

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LITURGY CORNER**July 25 - SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**July 26** - Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**July 29** - Saint Martha

**July 30** - Saint Peter Chrysologus, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

**July 31** - Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

**The First World Day For Grandparents and The Elderly**

**July 25, 2021**

On January 31, 2021, Pope Francis announced an international day to honor grandparents and the elderly to take place each year on the fourth Sunday of July, close to the feast of the grandparents of Jesus, Saint Joachim and Saint Anne.

**Saint Joachim and Saint Anne**

Names for the parents of Mary, grandparents of Jesus, found in the 2<sup>nd</sup> century *Protoevangelium of James*.

**Saint Martha** sister of Mary and Lazarus; model of hospitality and faithful disciple; confessed her faith in Jesus as the Son of God. *"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing"* Luke 10:41-42

**Saint Peter Chrysologus** "of golden worded" for his exceptional preaching ability. He died around the year 450. He was declared a Doctor of the Church in 1729.

**Saint Ignatius of Loyola** was a soldier and in 1520, his leg was shattered in a military battle, and during his recovery he read the stories of the saints and the life of Christ. He noticed that the saints' stories produced a peace in his soul. Later, this "discernment of spirits" would become an important feature of Ignatius' Spiritual Exercises. He developed a devoted group of followers, and in 1540, Pope Paul III, approved the "Society of Jesus", known as the Jesuits (Pope Francis was the first Pope from the Jesuit Order). St Ignatius died in 1556.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday:	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday:	Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
Thursday:	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Friday:	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday:	Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
Sunday:	Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-25, 54; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

**Brothers and Sisters,**

Before we explore today's readings, I would like to share with you something you may not have heard about. On Sunday, January 31, 2021, Pope Francis announced the establishment of an *international* day to honor grandparents and the elderly to take place each year in July and today is that day. In making the announcement, he said speaking of the wisdom of the elderly that, "their voice is precious because it sings the praises of God and guards the roots of peoples. They remind us that old age is a gift and that grandparents are the link between generations, to transmit to young people an experience of life and faith."



In establishing this special day Pope Francis went on to say "Grandparents are often forgotten and we forget their wealth of preserving and passing on the roots. For this reason, I have decided to establish the World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly." This celebration will take place annually on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in July, close to the feast of the grandparents of Jesus, Saints Joachim and Anne, which this year is tomorrow, July 26<sup>th</sup>. Here in the United States, we also celebrate *national* grandparents day each year, which will be September 12 this year.

Turning now to today's readings we hear two different stories of small amounts of food feeding hundreds and thousands of people. In our first reading Elisha tells his servant to give to the people the 20 barley loaves that had been presented to him. We are talking about feeding about 100 people with 20 loaves which does not seem too hard to do but the barley loaves given to Elisha were at that time probably about the size of a dinner roll. The generosity of one man to Elisha was followed by the generosity of Elisha to satisfy the hunger of many more. In our second reading from Paul's letter to the Ephesians, St. Paul tells us the Spirit of God brings unity and peace and calls us to be generous and gentle with one another.

Finally, in today's gospel we hear the story of Jesus feeding the five thousand hungry people who came to listen to him. The reality is that it was probably more like ten thousand if we take into account the women and children. I'm sure for many of us this is one of our favorite gospel miracles. If we stop to think for a moment, we come to realize that in this miracle Jesus was not just in the business of feeding others-he was also teaching others how to feed hungry people.

This life-affirming story is a reminder of God's inclusive generosity. Jesus shows compassion for the crowds, caring for their material as well as spiritual needs. God asks us to feed people in need too. This beautiful miracle reminds us that we can offer to God all that we are. Even if we think it's inadequate, we can trust God to take it, bless it, break it open and multiply it. Jesus showed the crowd and shows us that when God is with us, there is no such thing as scarcity. And when God asks us to be a blessing to others, we must have trust and faith in him to respond. Even a very simple act, like a smile, can have a huge impact on many lives.

**Faithful****LIVING STEWARDSHIP NOW**

Are you good at feeding people? Use your skills. Help with coffee-and-doughnuts gatherings, cook for a parish supper or retreat, prepare meals for an overnight shelter, organize a bake sale to benefit a parish ministry, volunteer at a local soup kitchen. Not a cook? Send donations to Food for the Poor, Catholic Relief Services, or Catholic Charities.

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***STEWARDSHIP . . . Thank you for supporting your parish, St. Catherine of Alexandria!***

**Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022  
Summary of Weekly Sunday Offering  
July 18, 2021**

	<b>Actual Collection</b>	<b>Budgeted Collection</b>
July 4th	\$ 12,290.00	\$ 13,500.00
July 11th	\$ 16,695.71	\$ 14,000.00
July 18th	\$ 17,112.50	\$ 14,000.00
Actual Collection	\$ 46,098.21	
Budgeted Collection	\$ 41,500.00	
<b>YTD Collection Overage</b>	<b>\$4,598.21</b>	

**PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR PARISH FINANCIALLY.  
Thank you for your generosity.**

**2021 Diocesan Development Fund  
July 18, 2021**

Total Pledges Made	\$ 75,380
Less: DDF Assessment	\$ 69,750
<b>Total Pledges made to the Parish</b>	<b>\$ 5,630</b>
DDF Assessment	\$ 69,750
Less: DDF Pledge Payments	\$ 57,624
<b>Total Amount Payable to the Diocese</b>	<b>\$ 12,126</b>
Number of donors	171
Parishioner's participation %	6%

**PLEASE SUPPORT DDF-2021.**



## EUCARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on First Friday, August 6, 2021 immediately following the 8:15 am Mass and end at 10:00 am with Benediction.

*"The best time you will spend on earth is the time you spend with your best Friend, Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament."*

-Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta

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La Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento se llevará a cabo el primer viernes, 6 de agosto de 2021 inmediatamente después de la Misa de 8:15 am y terminará a las 10:00 am con la bendición.

*"El tiempo que uno pasa con Jesús en el Santísimo Sacramento, es el tiempo mayor invertido en la tierra".*

-Santa Madre Teresa de Calcuta

## RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

**Matthew 6:26** *Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they?*

Read more: <https://www.whatchristianswanttoknow.com/24-pro-life-bible-verses/#ixzz704FtVUm>



**Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in ALL circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.**

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

**CHOOSE LIFE - YOUR MOM DID!**

## VINCENTIAN CORNER



In the Gospel, Jesus supersedes both the apostles' and the crowds' expectations: with little he feeds many...Jesus is the sign of God's lavish presence and love. Your donation to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is indeed a sign of God's extravagant love to the lonely and the poor.

**This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to assist families with food, utility assistance and/or other necessity. Thank you for your generous contributions.**

**God Bless You!**

Have you considered answering the call to help serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul? If you are interested in our ministry, please contact Robert Lucero at 951-784-7642.

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We are in need of **COOKIES AND CRACKERS** for the grocery bags given to those in need of assistance with food. Donations can be dropped off at St. Catherine's Ministry Center, M-F 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. Thank you.

**I AM WITH YOU  
ALWAYS  
JULY 25, 2021**

**WORLD DAY  
FOR  
GRANDPARENTS  
AND THE  
ELDERLY**

#IAMWITHYOUALWAYS

**PRAYER FOR THE FIRST WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY**

I thank You, Lord,  
for the comfort of Your presence:  
even in times of loneliness,  
You are my hope and my confidence,  
You have been my rock and my fortress since my youth!

I thank You for having given me a family  
and for having blessed me with a long life.  
I thank You for moments of joy and difficulty,  
for the dreams that have already come true in my life and for  
those that are still ahead of me.  
I thank You for this time of renewed fruitfulness to which You  
call me.

Increase, O Lord, my faith,  
make me a channel of your peace,  
teach me to embrace those who suffer more than me,  
to never stop dreaming  
and to tell of your wonders to new generations.

Protect and guide Pope Francis and the Church,  
that the light of the Gospel might reach the ends of the earth.  
Send Your Spirit, O Lord, to renew the world,  
that the storm of the pandemic might be calmed,  
the poor consoled and wars ended.

Sustain me in weakness  
and help me to live life to the full  
in each moment that You give me,  
in the certainty that you are with me every day,  
even until the end of the age.

Amen.



**Prayer**



## HEALTH MINISTRY NEWS

The mobile clinic will be at St. Catherine's school from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm for adult clients on Saturday, July 31, 2021.



**During the Coronavirus pandemic, please call 714-633-4600 for pre-screening and to make an appointment.**

Free Adult Medical care is offered, labs and meds are as low-cost as possible. Patients sign in on a first-come, first-served basis. For additional information or to volunteer visit their website at [www.lestonnacfreeclinic.org](http://www.lestonnacfreeclinic.org).

**The eyes of all look hopefully to you,  
and you give them their food  
in due season.**

—Psalm 145:15





# Notice/Anuncio

**Bishop Alberto Rojas has lifted the general dispensation from Sunday Mass and Holy Days of obligation, with an exception for those who cannot attend Mass due to age 65 years and older, sickness, or disability.** To read the letter: <https://www.sbdioocese.org/COVID-19Resources/Documents/June2021/REOPENING%20GUIDELINES%20FOR%20SACRAMENTS%20WORSHIP%20Effective%20June%2019%202021.pdf>

## WELCOME BACK HOME!

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**El Obispo Alberto Rojas ha revocado la dispensa general de la Misa dominical y días de obligación, con la excepción de aquellos que no pueden asistir a la Misa por razones de edad 65 años o mayores, enfermedad o discapacidad.**

Para leer la carta visite:

<https://www.sbdioocese.org/COVID-19Resources/Documents/June2021/REOPENING%20GUIDELINES%20FOR%20SACRAMENTS%20WORSHIP%20Effective%20June%2019%202021%20ESPA%C3%91OL.pdf>

## ¡BIENVENIDOS DE VUELTA A CASA!

### ADULT FAITH FORMATION PARISH ROSARY MINISTRY *\*Summer schedule in effect\**

The Parish Daily Rosary Ministry would like to invite parish members to participate in the daily Rosary. If you do not feel comfortable using Zoom on your computer, iPad or phone, you can always call in using the login information below.

#### SUMMER SCHEDULE

Monday-Thursday at 7:00 pm via ZOOM  
JOIN US!

Zoom: [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84870714466?pwd=clQwMmY3dnpVN0RWQ0czcDAyQTF0dz09Meeting ID: 848 7071 4466 / Passcode: 803585](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84870714466?pwd=clQwMmY3dnpVN0RWQ0czcDAyQTF0dz09MeetingID: 848 7071 4466 / Passcode: 803585)  
OR Call 1-669-900-9128 (San Jose) using **Meeting ID and Passcode** above.

If anyone in our community is in need of prayer, please call 951/781-9855 ext. 33.

A great way to end your day...**WITH PRAYER**

#### TO REPORT THE SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD

by a priest, deacon, employee, or volunteer,  
call the toll free

**Sexual Misconduct Hotline 1-888-206-9090**

#### PARA REPORTAR EL ABUSO SEXUAL DE UN MENOR

por parte de un sacerdote, diácono, empleado o voluntario,  
llame a la **Línea Directa de Conducta Sexual Inapropiada**  
**1-888-206-9090**



## Year of Saint Joseph

December 8, 2020 ~ December 8, 2021  
(Diocese of San Bernardino Website: [sbdiocese.org](http://sbdiocese.org))

Pope Francis Apostolic Letter

"*Patris Corde*" ("With A Father's Heart")

On the 150th Anniversary of the Proclamation of Saint Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church and Year of Saint Joseph.

### 7. St. Joseph—A father in the shadows Part 1

The Polish writer Jan Dobraczyński, in his book *The Shadow of the Father*,[24] tells the story of Saint Joseph's life in the form of a novel. He uses the evocative image of a shadow to define Joseph. In his relationship to Jesus, Joseph was the earthly shadow of the heavenly Father: he watched over him and protected him, never leaving him to go his own way. We can think of Moses' words to Israel: "In the wilderness... you saw how the Lord your God carried you, just as one carries a child, all the way that you travelled" (Deut 1:31). In a similar way, Joseph acted as a father for his whole life.[25]

Fathers are not born, but made. A man does not become a father simply by bringing a child into the world, but by taking up the responsibility to care for that child. Whenever a man accepts responsibility for the life of another, in some way he becomes a father to that person.

Children today often seem orphans, lacking fathers. The Church too needs fathers. Saint Paul's words to the Corinthians remain timely: "Though you have countless guides in Christ, you do not have many fathers" (1 Cor 4:15). Every priest or bishop should be able to add, with the Apostle: "I became your father in Christ Jesus through the Gospel" (*ibid.*). Paul likewise calls the Galatians: "My little children, with whom I am again in travail until Christ be formed in you!" (4:19).

[24] Original edition: Cieri Ojca, Warsaw, 1977.

[25] Cf. SAINT JOHN PAUL II, Apostolic Exhortation *Redemptoris Custos*, 7-8: AAS 82 (1990), 12-16.

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... To be continued in next week's bulletin.

### Prayer to St. Joseph

*Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.*

*To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust;  
with you Christ became man.*

*Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father  
and guide us in the path of life.*

*Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage,  
and defend us from every evil. Amen.* ~Pope Francis



Please pray for our beloved dead...

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord;  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.

James Carole

Anacito Ochoa

Francisco & Avelina Cruz

Catherine Hogan

For all who have died during COVID-19 pandemic.

...May they rest in peace



ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA PARISH SCHOOL OFFERS:

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**Classes are filling up fast.  
Don't miss your opportunity to  
reserve your child's spot!**

Go to [stcofa1.org](http://stcofa1.org) to access  
online registration.

**Early bird  
registration ends  
June 1, 2021**



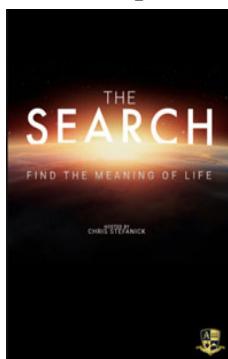
*Excellence in Body, Mind, & Spirit*

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

As we move into the final months of our Jubilee Anniversary Year celebration, sign on to [FORMED.org](https://FORMED.org) as a St. Catherine parishioner and watch the series,

### "THE SEARCH"

which explores life's biggest questions on the meaning of life.



*What is this journey in between the event we call "birth" and the one we call "death"?*

You have a **FREE** Formed membership as a St. Catherine parishioner.

Follow the instructions below to register or if you have an account, simply sign in.

Do not miss out on the wonderful opportunity to dive into the beauty of our Catholic faith!

**Registering on FORMED is easier than ever!**

1. Go to [FORMED.org/signup](https://FORMED.org/signup)
2. Enter your parish zip code or name to select your parish **92506 or St. Catherine of Alexandria**
3. Enter your name and email



## FAITH FORMATION IS SEEKING NEW CATECHISTS

**Do you have just two hours to give on Wednesdays for our Parish children?**

The Faith Formation Staff and Parish need **YOU** to help these children prepare for receiving their Sacraments, learn about our Roman Catholic Traditions, live out the Gospel and journey in our faith together. The rewards are many.

Please pray to see if our Lord is calling you to this Ministry. If interested or for questions, please call Olivia, 951-781-9855 x 25.

**\*\*Please note any adult (ages 18+) working with children on a regular basis as a volunteer will need to follow certain guidelines and training before being allowed to help. Please don't let this turn you away. It's for the safety of all involved.**

## FEAST OF FAITH

### The Preface Dialogue

"Lift up your hearts." "We lift them up to the Lord." "Let us give thanks to the Lord our God." "It is right to give him thanks and praise." With this ancient dialogue we enter the Eucharistic Prayer, the heart of the Mass. These venerable words have been part of the Christian liturgy almost from the beginning—by the time of Hippolytus of Rome (c. 215) they were already fixed in the liturgy.

Several times during the Mass the priest has invited us to pray. There is something different here. We are invited to be "lifted up," to ascend, to climb the Lord's mountain, as it were, to go to a new place for this most solemn part of the Mass. And we are invited to a new frame of mind, a sense of joy, of focused dedication: our hearts must not be cast down, but lifted up, and lifted to the Lord. Why? Because we are going to give thanks—we are going to "eucharist!" It is right and just that we do this.

—Corinna Laughlin, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

## QUINCEAÑERA INFORMATION

A celebration of a young lady or man's Fifteenth Birthday with a Mass and blessing.

We at St. Catherine celebrate Quinceañeras four (4) times a year in group celebrations. The next orientation meeting will be on **Tuesday, August 10th at 7:00 pm via ZOOM.**  
**IMPORTANT**

Please call Lance Wiseman at 951/781-9855 to register for the orientation.



Dear Registered Parishioners,

Please use your offering envelopes and if you do not have offering envelopes but have a registration number, please remember to **write your registration number on your check**. If you do not remember your registration number, feel free to call the parish office at 951/781-9855. Thank you



## RCIA INQUIRY

### INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Though our face-to-face Inquiry gatherings are cancelled at present, our Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is **starting an on-line group on Sundays** for those interested in becoming Catholic. If you are interested in joining or have questions, please call 951-781-9855 extension 29 and leave your contact information. God bless and "see you" soon!



Lance Wiseman - 781.9855 ext. 14

All High-School-Age Youth LIFE NIGHT  
Sundays from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. after LIFE TEEN Mass

### LIFE TEEN (high school age teen)

**Due to the Coronavirus the Life Night are meeting online almost every Sunday 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. Contact Lance Wiseman at [lwiseman@stcofa.org](mailto:lwiseman@stcofa.org) or 951-781-9855 Ext. 14 if you are interested in joining us for online gatherings.**

**This Week-7/25: Life Night**-Continuing with our series "**The Pathway**" will show us how to share the Gospel message and talk about Jesus to others. Please check your email for log-in codes. **We are on Zoom meeting at 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.** Contact Lance for more information.

**Next Week-8/1: Life Night**-Continuing with our series "**The Home**" we will see how to live our faith and proclaim the Gospel message by witness and words. Please check your email for log-in codes. **We are on Zoom meeting at 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.** Contact Lance for more information.

Remember Life Nights are open to **all High School age youth and we invite you to join us**. They are held most Sundays via ZOOM at this time. Please contact Lance if you have questions or need more information.

**YOUTH SERVICE HOURS** - For other service opportunities please contact Lance.

**YOUTH FUNDRAISER** - Shop Riverside Cards for 2021 are available for purchase. Please contact Lance to buy one, money raised will help support the youth programs. Contact Lance for other upcoming fundraisers.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL - THE EDGE** - a Ministry for youth in middle school from 6th to 8th graders in private or public schools. **Sorry EDGE will not start up this school year. We hope to have a few things this summer.** For more information please contact Lance.

### CONFIRMATION NEWS - UPDATE AS OF 7/25/2021

**1<sup>st</sup> Year of Confirmation - Make-up for any missed modules** was held Sunday, June 27th. If you missed the meetings, please contact Lance for another option or if you have any questions. **Please remember to finish up all requirements for the 1st year.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Year of Confirmation - Make-up sessions were July 12th to 16th.** If you missed the meetings, **please contact Lance asap.** All 1st year & 2nd year make-up work, mass reflection & service reflection sheets are past due, please turn in to Lance asap.

**Confirmation Registration—We begin in July 2021 for the new confirmation year. Please contact Lance Wiseman at 951-781-9855 ext. 14 for more information.**

Our Confirmation process is a three year program, starting in 9th grade, confirming in 11th grade, this includes public or private schools. Please contact Lance Wiseman with any questions.



Andrés le dijo a Jesús:  
“Aquí hay un muchacho  
que trae cinco panes de cebada  
y dos pescados.  
Pero, ¿qué es eso para tanta gente?”

JUAN 6:8-9

### DIOS NOS ALIMENTA Y CUIDA

El mensaje de hoy podría resumirse en el salmo 145 “La mano del Señor nos alimenta, el Señor está cerca de los que lo invocan”. Cada lectura muestra con qué cuidado Dios nos alimenta y cuida, de una manera cercana y personal. Eliseo alimentó a la multitud con veinte panes de cebada. Jesús bendijo unos pocos panes y alimentó a miles. Tal vez esto parezca inverosímil, pero en las noticias leemos historias de cocineros que toman lo que sobró en restaurantes de lujo y alimentan a muchas personas en un comedor comunitario. De niña, uno de mis cuentos favoritos fue Sopa de piedras, que era la historia de un par de soldados cansados por la guerra que convencen a los habitantes asustados y hambrientos de un pueblito para que saquen sus escasos alimentos y los comparten para hacer una maravillosa sopa que alimente al pueblo. La segunda lectura nos pide que “consideremos bien nuestra llamada”. ¿Cómo respondemos a las personas necesitadas que nos rodean?

### ¿MILAGRO O MAGIA?

Puede ser fácil decir simplemente “Oh sí, esta es la historia del milagro de la multiplicación de los panes y los peces, cuando todos decidieron compartir los pedazos de comida que tenían”. Pero ¿qué tanto se trata de alimentar a las multitudes? Jesús le preguntó a Felipe en dónde podrían comprar suficiente comida para que todos comieran. Le hizo esta pregunta para ponerlo a prueba, porque sabía que era lo que iba a hacer. Debió haber sido muy difícil confiar en Jesús, especialmente cuando los discípulos a menudo no lo entendían. Este año también ha sido un reto para nosotros también, confiar que Dios proveerá, y también un reto para nosotros para pedir ayuda.

En la Regla de san Benito hay un capítulo llamado “La asignación de tareas imposibles”. En esencia dice que cuando el superior de la comunidad te dice que hagas algo imposible, está bien que vayas a hablar con él acerca de eso, pero al final puede que te pidan que hagas esa tarea. ¿En qué situaciones estamos llamados a confiar? ¿Cuándo se nos piden que actuemos con fe o que hagamos una tarea imposible?

### ¿CÓMO SABREMOS QUE ESTAMOS HACIENDO LO CORRECTO?

Los milagros rara vez son tan evidentes como la multiplicación de los panes y los peces. Hace muchos años, cuando terminaba un fin de semana festivo, por casualidad escuché una conversación familiar en un restaurante. En la caja registradora había una de esas alcancías con un letrero que decía: “Con cincuenta centavos al día puedes alimentar a un niño”. Una pequeña niña les preguntó a sus padres y ellos le explicaron. Ella dijo: “Me quedó algo de mi dinero que tuve para gastar este fin de semana, ¿puedo ponerlo en la alcancía?” Los padres dijeron que sí y ella misma puso el dinero dentro de la alcancía y luego fue a sentarse a la mesa con ellos y siguieron charlando. Ella les dijo: “Si cincuenta centavos sirven para alimentar a un niño al día, entonces pude alimentar a uno por tres días, por que me quedaban \$1.50 de mi dinero”. Al seguir el ejemplo de esta niña y vamos más allá de lo mínimo, cuando damos todo lo que podemos, sabemos que estamos haciendo lo correcto, y hemos comprendido la prueba que Jesús le hizo a Felipe hace mucho tiempo.

### LECTURAS DE HOY

2 Reyes 4:42-44  
Salmo 145 (144):10-11, 15-16, 17-18  
Efesios 4:1-6  
Juan 6:1-15

### FIESTA DE LA FE

#### De la epiclesis a la narración

La narración es una parte de la Plegaria Eucarística y comienza después de la epiclesis, es decir, quien preside la Eucaristía (y quien concelebra, si es el caso), invocan el poder del Espíritu Santo para que consagre los dones que la Iglesia ha ofrecido; que se conviertan en el cuerpo y la sangre de Cristo. El signo visible que acompaña este momento es la imposición de manos sobre los dones. A partir de esta invocación, comienza la narración de la Institución en que Nuestro Señor Jesucristo nos deja la Eucaristía en el contexto de una comida. Esta narración es esencial a la fe cristiana porque describe el dinamismo de su Tradición de una forma pura y fiel. Pablo nos lo recuerda en la primera carta a los corintios: “Yo he recibido del Señor lo que a mi vez les he transmitido” (23). Así pues, el recuerdo de la institución eucarística en el contexto de una comida, no sólo era una historia bonita para recordar, sino un precepto del mismo Jesús que identificará a la comunidad con una historia nueva, una nueva Pascua, un nuevo pan, una Nueva Alianza que se renueva cada vez que se come de este pan y se bebe de este cáliz. Todo esto sucede ahí mismo, frente a nuestros ojos.

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¿Sabes cocinar? Usa tus habilidades. Ayuda con el café y la pastelería en los grupos parroquiales, cocina algo para una cena o retiro parroquial, prepara comidas para algún refugio público, organiza una venta de pastelería a beneficio de algún ministerio parroquial, ofréctete como voluntario en un comedor público. ¿No sabes cocinar? Envía donaciones a organizaciones tales como *Food for the Poor*, *Catholic Relief Services* o Caridades Católicas.

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# Decimoséptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

- Lunes: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Sal 106 (105):19-23;  
Mt 13:31-35
- Martes: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Sal 103 (102):6-13;  
Mt 13:36-43
- Miércoles: Ex 34:29-35; Sal 99 (98):5-7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
- Jueves: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Sal 84 (83):3-6a, 8a, 11;  
Jn 11:19-27 o Lc 10:38-42
- Viernes: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37;  
Sal 81 (80):3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
- Sábado: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Sal 67 (66):2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
- Domingo: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Sal 78 (77):3-4, 23-25, 54;  
Ef 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

### LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — Eliseo da de comer a cien hombres con veinte panes de cebada (2 Reyes 4:42-44).

**Salmo** — Bendeciré al Señor eternamente (Salmo 145 [144]).

**Segunda lectura** — Pablo exhorta a los efesios a que se muestren dignos de la vocación que han recibido; siendo comunidad unida, llena de fe y esperanza (Efesios 4:1-6).

**Evangelio** — Jesús da de comer a un enorme gentío con cinco panes de cebada y dos pescados (Juan 6:1-15).

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## INFORMACIÓN LITÚRGICA

**25 de julio - DECIMOSÉPTIMO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO**

**26 de julio - Santos Joaquín y Ana, padres de la Bienaventurada Virgen María**

**29 de julio - Santa Marta**

**30 de julio - San Pedro Crisólogo, obispo y doctor de la Iglesia**

**31 de julio - San Ignacio de Loyola, presbítero**

### Primer Día Mundial de los Abuelos y los Ancianos - 25 de julio de 2021

El 31 de enero de 2021, el Papa Francisco anunció una jornada internacional para honrar a los abuelos y a los ancianos que tendrá lugar cada año el cuarto domingo de julio, cerca de la fiesta de los abuelos de Jesús, San Joaquín y Santa Ana.



### San Joaquín y Santa Ana

Nombres de los padres de María, abuelos de Jesús, encontrados en el *Protoevangelio de Santiago del siglo II*.

**Santa Marta**, hermana de María y Lázaro; modelo de hospitalidad y discípula fiel; confesó su fe en Jesús como Hijo de Dios. "Marta, Marta, estás inquieta y preocupada por muchas cosas. Sólo hace falta una cosa" Lucas 10:41-42

**San Pedro Crisólogo** "hombre de palabras de oro" por su excepcional capacidad de predicación. Murió hacia el año 450. Fue declarado Doctor de la Iglesia en 1729.

**San Ignacio de Loyola** era un soldado y en 1520, su pierna fue destrozada en una batalla militar, y durante su recuperación leyó las historias de los santos y la vida de Cristo. Notó que las historias de los santos producían una paz en su alma. Más tarde, este "discreción de espíritus" se convertiría en una característica importante de los Ejercicios Espirituales de Ignacio. Desarrolló un devoto grupo de seguidores, y en 1540, el Papa Pablo III, aprobó la "Compañía de Jesús", conocida como los Jesuitas (el Papa Francisco fue el primer Papa de la Orden Jesuita). San Ignacio murió en 1556.

## CELEBRACIÓN DE QUINCEAÑERA

En nuestra iglesia celebramos Quinceañeras cuatro (4) veces por año en grupo con una misa y bendición.



La siguiente reunión informativa será el **10 de agosto a las 7:00 pm** en la Casa de los Jóvenes, 6956 Nixon Dr., Riverside 92506.

### ¡IMPORTANTE!

Para asistir a la reunión, por favor de llamar a Lance Wiseman al 951-781-9855 ext. 14 para registrarse.

## YO ESTOY CONTIGO TODOS LOS DÍAS

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eres mi esperanza, mi confianza;  
¡Desde mi juventud, eres mi roca y mi fortaleza!

Gracias por haberme dado una familia  
y por la bendición de una larga vida.  
Te agradezco los momentos de alegría y de dificultad,  
por los sueños cumplidos y por los que aún tengo por delante.  
Te agradezco este tiempo de renovada fecundidad al que  
me llamas.

Aumenta, Señor, mi fe,  
hazme un instrumento de tu paz;  
enséñame a acoger a quien sufre más que yo,  
a no dejar de soñar  
y a narrar tus maravillas a las nuevas generaciones.

Protege y guía al papa Francisco y a la Iglesia,  
para que la luz del Evangelio llegue hasta los confines de la tierra.  
Envía tu Espíritu, Señor, a renovar el mundo,  
para que la tormenta de la pandemia se apacigüe,  
los pobres sean consolados y toda guerra termine.

Sosténme en la debilidad,  
y concédeme vivir plenamente  
cada momento que me das,  
con la certeza de que estás conmigo cada día  
hasta el fin del mundo.  
Amén.

## Oración

## MINISTERIO DE SALUD

La clínica móvil está disponible el **31 de julio de 2021 de 9:00 am a 1:00pm** para pacientes adultos, en el patio trasero de la escuela de St. Catherine, cerca de las mesas de picnic. Se ofrece cuidado médico para adultos, laboratorio y medicamento de bajo costo, los pacientes serán atendidos conforme lleguen y se registren. Para más información (voluntarios) visite: [www.lestonnacfreeclinic.org](http://www.lestonnacfreeclinic.org).

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## Año de San José

**8 de diciembre de 2020 a 26 de diciembre de 2021**

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### Oración del Santo Padre a San José

*Salve, custodio del Redentor y esposo de la Virgen María.  
A ti Dios confió a su Hijo, en ti María depositó su confianza,  
contigo Cristo se forjó como hombre.*

*Oh, bienaventurado José, muéstrate padre también a nosotros  
y guíanos en el camino de la vida.*

*Concédenos gracia, misericordia y valentía, y defiéndenos  
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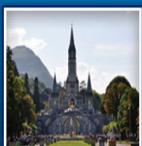
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