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May 14, 2017 Fifth Sunday of Easter

Eucharistic Liturgy Schedule (Mass)

Saturdays: 5:00 p.m.

Sundays: 7:45, 9:00, 10:30 a.m.,
12:15p.m. (Spanish)

Weekdays:

Monday and Thursday: 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Saturdays: 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Eve of Holy Days: 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.

Marriages:

Arrangements must be made six months in advance.

Baptisms:

Required pre-baptismal classes for parents and godparents. Please call the office two months prior to anticipated baptism date.

Sponsors (Godparents) must be practicing Catholics.

Matrimonios:

Los arreglos deben hacerse con seis meses de antelación.

Bautismos:

Se requiere clases pre-bautismales para padres y padrinos. Por favor llame a la oficina dos meses antes de la fecha prevista para el bautismo.

Los padrinos (padrinos) deben ser católicos practicantes.

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Fifth Sunday of Easter May 14, 2017

"I am the way and the truth and the life.
No one comes to the Father
except through me."
— *John 14:6*

THE WAY

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that *he* is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — To meet their growing needs, the community chooses seven reputable men to serve the new Greek believers (Acts 6:1-7).

Psalm — Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you (Psalm 33).

Second Reading — We, like living stones, let ourselves be built into a spiritual house (1 Peter 2:4-9).

Gospel — "Show us the Father," Philip asks Jesus. To which Jesus replies: "Whoever sees me, sees the Father" (John 14:1-12).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16;
Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21;
Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20;
1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21
or Jn 17:1-11a

Safeguard the Children Parish Committee Chair Ron Clouse-529-1397

DID YOU KNOW?

What's the right age?

Many parents find it difficult to determine what responsibilities and privileges are appropriate for children at different ages. Assessing these issues can be complicated further when considering safety concerns, such as how old a child should be to be allowed to use public restrooms alone. Balancing the child's emerging independence with possible risks, such as a predator near the restrooms, can be challenging. Whatever the situation, parents can make sure their children are informed about safety concerns and strategies, while they themselves remain vigilant. To request a copy of the VIRTUS® online article "When are Children Old Enough to...?" email vienna@la-archdiocese.org or call (213) 637-7227.

¿SABÍA USTED?

¿Cuál es la edad correcta?

A muchos padres les resulta difícil determinar qué responsabilidades y privilegios son apropiados para los niños de distintas edades. La evaluación de estas cuestiones puede complicarse aún más cuando se consideran problemas de seguridad, como por ejemplo cuántos años debería tener un niño para poder usar los baños públicos solo. Equilibrar la independencia emergente del niño con posibles riesgos, como un depredador cerca de los baños, puede ser un reto. Cualquiera que sea la situación, los padres pueden asegurarse de que sus hijos estén informados sobre las preocupaciones y estrategias de seguridad, mientras ellos mismos permanecen vigilantes. Para solicitar una copia del artículo en línea de VIRTUS® "¿Cuándo tienen los niños edad suficiente para ...?", envíe un correo electrónico a bmelendez@la-archdiocese.org o llame al (213) 637-7508.

Fifth Sunday of Easter Jesus, the Way

Reading I Acts 6:1-7 (the need of assistants)
Reading II 1 Peter 4-9 (living stones)
Gospel John 14:1-12 (last discourse: the way, the truth, and the life)

Key Passage I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. (John 14:6)

Adult: In a challenge your face right now, what will it mean to live the way of Jesus Christ?

Child: Name some ways you can be more like Jesus when you are playing with your friends or family.



Pray for ...

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Jim Baier	Manuel Gutierrez	Ryan Morris
Manuel Barrera	Anne Haff	John O'Green
Maria Barrera	Lori Hatcher	Ramona Patterson
Lindsay Boxley	Regina Hepp	Armando Perez
Ed Brown	David Heyer	Diana Perez
Joan Bukovszky	Patsy Jimenez	Vicki Perez
Ray Bukovszky	Margaret Jimenez	Joe Perez, Jr.
Mela Cano	Margie Palomino Jimenez	Breanna Pflaumer
Fernando Chavez	Sue Karas	Ramon Ricafort
Jim Coleman	Lou Kelly	Michael Riley
Guadalupe Contreras	Tom Kelly	Ruben Rodriguez
Carlos Cooper	Maria Alvarez Lazo	Mark Scharler
Nancy Cota	Kathy Lane	Jacob Schreier
Rachel Crawford	Sienna Ly	Victor Sobolik
Jeanine DeGuardi	Candice Maher	Carl Strub
Arlene Delnero	Cailyn Maloney	Kristine Strub
Dana Dickson	McKenna Maloney	Minnie Stuehrmann
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Frank Gelfuso	Angela McKervey	Maria Guadalupe Vargas
Roger Gonzales	Patricia Mead	Justin Warn
Juan Gonzalez	Mary Jane Mitchell	Lori Wesdell
Lupe Gonzalez	Ritchie Moore	Pat Withers
Manuel Gonzalez	Julie Mora	Vivian (Dee) Womack
Richard Gonzalez	Christina Morelli	Janet Yandle

Mass Intentions can be scheduled for weekend and daily masses. Come to the Administration Office or call at 529-1397.

Communion to the Sick and Homebound.

If you know of anyone who is homebound or too ill to attend Mass and they wish to receive communion, contact the parish office at 529-13957

RELIGIOUS GIFT STORE

Our Religious Gift Store will be open this weekend and the 3rd Sunday of this month. Come in and shop for your gifts! If you do not see what you are looking for our volunteer staff will be happy to assist you.

Altar Server Training

The Parish is offering Altar Server training for those interested. The criterion is from ages 10 to 13 and in the fifth through eighth grades. Interested parents should contact Deacon Michael Kromm via email at dnmikekromm@holycross-moorpark.org, to set an appointment.

YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

Mon., May 15—Teen Choir Rehearsal—5-6:30 p.m.
Tues., May 16—Drop In—3:30-5:30 p.m.
Thurs., May 18—Youth Ministry—TNT—7-9 p.m.

For more info., call Danny at 529-0641 or email dcleary@holycross-moorpark.org
[Facebook.com/holycrosshighschoolyouthministry](https://www.facebook.com/holycrosshighschoolyouthministry)

Children Memorial Mass

The Bereaved Parents Support Group of Holy Cross Catholic Church invites all parents, grandparents, family and friends to a Memorial Mass in honor of all our children of any age now in heaven.

The mass will be held on Thursday May 18, 2017 at 7 PM. For those who would like their child's name read before the Offertory, please register by calling Michael Tjia at 805-553-9034 or email missingyouall@att.net.

Please bring a SINGLE long stem flower to be presented to the front of the altar when your child's name is called. Reception will follow after Mass at the Parish Office dining room.

Junipero Serra: The Making of a Saint

The Journey from Padre to Saint and All the Bumps In Between

Monday, May 22 ~ 7:00 pm at Padre Serra Parish, Camarillo

Have you ever wondered what it takes to become a saint? Is there any hope for us ordinary people whose weaknesses and failings seem to get in the way of following the teachings and example of Jesus? What could we learn from the example of Saint Junipero Serra?

Fr. Melvin Jurisich, OFM, will give us some helpful hints about sainthood and holiness as he shares his experiences serving on the committee advocating the canonization of Junipero Serra. Fr. Jurisich, who is currently the director of the Serra Retreat House in Malibu, also was responsible for organizing the canonization ceremony of Saint Junipero Serra in Washington DC in 2015.

BULLETIN BOARD

Moorpark Pantry Plus/Catholic Charities
Non-Perishable Donations are desperately needed.
Most Used Items:

Breakfast Cereal 15 oz.	Ketchup 16 oz.
Peanut Butter 12 oz.	Mayonnaise 32 oz.
Jelly 12 oz.	Diapers Size 4, 5, 6
Sugar 4 lb.	Shampoo 15 oz.
Cooking Oil 32 oz. or less	Bar Soap
Jell-O 5 oz.	Laundry Detergent
Canned Tuna 7 oz.	Toothpaste
Canned Fruit 15 oz.	Toilet Paper
Spaghetti Sauce 15 oz.	
Spaghetti Paste 15 oz.	All food donations are welcome.
Tomato Sauce 15 oz.	
White Rice 2 lb.	
Pinto Beans 2 lb.	

TAIZE PRAYER continues on **Wednesday May 17, 2017 from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.** at Notre Dame Center (1776 Hendrix Avenue, Thousand Oaks, 91360). Please RSVP to Sister Marie Paul Grech at mgrech@sndca.org if you plan to attend.

Important ICF Event Information

Wine Tasting in Santa Ynez Valley



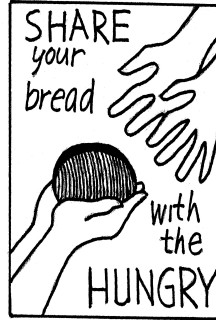
Join the Italian Catholic Federation on a bus trip to the Santa Ynez Valley on Saturday, May 27th! Make new friends as you enjoy food and wine during tastings at local wineries, and take in some free time in the city of Los Olivos where you'll find art galleries, boutique shops and more. The bus departs from the St. Pas-

chal Baylon Church parking lot, and snacks and drinks will be provided during the trip. Spaces are limited. Learn more and sign up at icfbranch380.org/wine, or call (805) 368-3384.

ICF would like to invite everyone to our **May Meeting**. After the meeting, our **St Rose Children's Choir** will sing in honor of the crowning of our Blessed Mother. Join us for this beautiful evening, May 19th, in the St Rose Parish Hall at 7PM. A minimal charge will be collected to help support the event.

Save the Date Bocce Picnic June 25 3 – 7PM
Lemon Park pavilion; hot dogs and sausage sandwiches; and Bocce. What else can you ask for? Mark your calendars. More Information To Follow!

LORD'S TABLE NEEDS YOUR HELP



Every Tuesday evening at 6:00 p.m., we serve a hot meal to those in need at the Holy Cross Chapel located on the corner of Everett and Magnolia. There are no groups signed up to prepare and help serve for the months of June through December. This is a great opportunity for small church groups, Scouts, etc. to lend a helping

hand. Contact Chris Johnson at (805) 402-0506 to reserve your Tuesday.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Your love as husband and wife is a gift to one another as well as a gift from God. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend to receive the tools needed to make the most of this precious gift. Deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next WWME weekend July 28-30 in Simi Valley. Go online to www.twocanlove.org for more information. We help make good marriages better.

MOTHERHOOD

All mothers are working mothers.
—Anonymous

LONGING

The hand will not reach out for what the heart does not long for.
—German proverb



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The Sisters of Notre Dame have an immediate opening for an Associate Director of Mission Advancement. Complete information is available at www.sndca.org.

ACTIVIDADES HISPANAS EN HOLY CROSS

Domingos:

12:15 PM - Misa en Español

Lunes, Miércoles y Jueves:

6:00 – 8:30 PM Entrevistas Sacramentales

Tercero Domingo del mes:

1:30 PM - Clases Prebautismales-- en la iglesia

Primer Viernes del mes:

6:00 PM - Hora Santa

7:00 PM - Misa en Español

Primero y Tercer Sábado del mes:

10:00 AM - Bautismos en Español

Misas de Quince Años:

Enero, Mayo y Octubre solamente

Clases de Formación Continua Para Adultos

Cada primer lunes y tercer lunes del mes.

Información comunicarse al (805) 428-2015

Jaime Zavala/Dn Eduardo (805) 501-1416

Para solicitar entrevistas o información general en español favor de llamar al 529-1397.

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Después de la muerte de Jesús, los discípulos habían regresado a su antiguo oficio de la pesca para así ganarse la vida, pues no sabían qué hacer. El Jesús resucitado tuvo que pescárselos de nuevo. En su tercera aparición, Jesús pidió a los discípulos que lanzaran sus redes al mar. Estos sacaron 153 peces del mar, número representativo de todas las naciones del mundo. Esta pesca milagrosa que tuvo lugar en Galilea, nos recuerda otra pesca milagrosa hecha en Brasil.

En 1716 tres pescadores pescaban en el Río Paraíba y al lanzar la red al agua sacaron una estatua de la Virgen de la Concepción. Después, la pesca fue tan abundante que por poco hundía el barco.

La virgencita de 36 centímetros había pasado muchos años en el agua por lo cual había tomado el rico color oscuro de muchos latinoamericanos. La devoción a Nuestra Señora de Aparecida creció hasta que la familia que la había encontrado la dio al pueblo para que en 1745 se construyera para ella una capilla pública. De esta manera, Aparecida pasó de las redes a los corazones, dando una rica pesca de personas para su Hijo.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Gluz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

MATERNIDAD

Todas las madres son madres que trabajan.

—Anónimo

ANSIAR

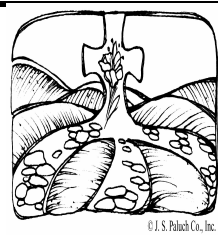
La mano no se extenderá hacia lo que el corazón no ansía.

Quinto Domingo de Pascua

14 de mayo de 2017

“Yo soy el camino, la verdad y la vida. Nadie va al Padre si no es por mí”.

— Juan 14:6



EL CAMINO

Hoy sentimos la perturbación de los apóstoles cuando empiezan a darse cuenta de que el Señor pronto los dejará. Temerosos preguntan: “Señor, no sabemos a dónde vas ¿cómo podemos saber el camino?” (Juan 14:5). Jesús les dice que *él* es el camino. El tiempo de Pascua ha sido un tiempo para crecer en la fe pascual para que, así también, nosotros podamos darnos cuenta de que Jesús es el camino. Nos consuela la promesa del Señor de que va a la casa de su Padre a preparar un lugar para nosotros, su pueblo elegido que ha sido llamado de las tinieblas a la luz admirable de Dios. Mientras el cirio pascual continúa ardiendo en este tiempo santo, recordemos que en nuestro bautismo nos dieron la luz de Cristo. Con Cristo, nuestra luz como faro iluminando nuestro camino, marchemos hacia la gloria de Pentecostés.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Eligieron a siete hombres, llenos del Espíritu Santo (Hechos 6:1-7).

Salmo — Señor, que tu misericordia esté con nosotros mientras ponemos nuestra confianza en ti (Salmo 33 [32]).

Segunda lectura — Ustedes son una raza elegida, un reino de sacerdotes (1 Pedro 2:4-9).

Evangelio — Yo soy el camino, la verdad y la vida (Juan 14:1-12).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 14:5-18; Sal 115 (114):1-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26

Martes: Hch 14:19-28; Sal 145 (144):10-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a

Miércoles: Hch 15:1-6; Sal 122 (121):1-5; Jn 15:1-8

Jueves: Hch 15:7-21; Sal 96 (95):1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

Viernes: Hch 15:22-31; Sal 57 (56):8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17

Sábado: Hch 16:1-10; Sal 100 (99):1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21

Domingo: Hch 8:5-8, 14-17; Sal 66 (65):1-7, 16, 20; 1 Pe 3:15-18 o 1 Pe 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21 o Jn 17:1-11a

PREPARACION SACRAMENTAL

Ya estamos por comenzar el proceso de Preparación Sacramental hacia la plena comunión en la Iglesia Católica Romana para adultos de 21 años en adelante. Favor de llamar al (805) 433-4079, para una entrevista o información sobre el proceso.