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Sixth Sunday of Easter May 6, 2018

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.

Holy Cross Catholic Church

Pastor ❖ Msgr. Joseph Hernandez

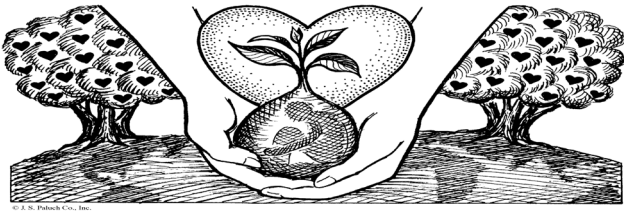
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It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit.

— *John 15:16*

LOVE ONE ANOTHER

In the Gospel for the Sixth Sunday of Easter we are met with an extraordinary challenge: Jesus commands us to “love one another as I love you” (John 15:12). The letter from John echoes this command. Of course, we are to love those in our family, those we work with, those we like. But the scriptures make clear that we are also to love those we never notice, those we purposely avoid, and even those we are tempted to despise.

In this Sunday’s selection from the Acts of the Apostles Peter shows us how far God’s love extends, and how far our love should extend in response. Peter realizes that God no longer “shows partiality” to the Jews, sharing divine love exclusively with them. Christ has revealed that God’s love extends to all people, and so should ours.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — The gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out on the Gentiles also (Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48).

Psalm — The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power (Psalm 98).

Second Reading — Let us love one another, because love is of God (1 John 4:7-10) *or* 1 John 4:11-16.

Gospel — This is my commandment: love one another as I love you (John 15:9-17) *or* John 17:11b-19.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Jn 15:26 — 16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14;
Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 *or*
Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mk 16:15-20 (for
Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8;
Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10;
Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103:1-2,
11-12, 19-20; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19; *or*,
for Ascension, Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9;
Eph 1:17- 23 *or* Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13];
Mk 16:15-20

His Excellency,

the Most Reverend José H. Gomez
Archbishop of Los Angeles

has called

Egren Gomez, Danny Guinto, Gilbert Guzman,

Ian Hagan, Spencer Lawerenz, John O’Brien,

Thomas Roide, Peter Saucedo and Matthew Wheeler

to the Sacred Order of Priesthood.

These Deacons will be ordained Priest on June 2, 2018 to serve in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Please pray for these men. May God whose has begun the good work in them, bring it to its conclusion

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

DID YOU KNOW?

Parents should research childcare providers
Parents need to be the first line of protection for their children, and this includes thoroughly screening anyone who has access to the children. Ask for background information and confirm that all workers have the appropriate clearances before committing to a daycare or childcare provider. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS® article “Is Your Babysitter Or Caregiver Safe? Performing Your Own Due Diligence Can Save a Child’s Life,” visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.

¿SABÍA USTED?

Padres de familia deben investigar a los proveedores de cuidado infantil

Los padres de familia deben ser la primera línea de protección para sus hijos, y esto incluye investigar a cualquier persona que tenga acceso a los niños. Solicite información de antecedentes y confirme que todos los trabajadores cuenten con los permisos necesarios antes de comprometerse con una guardería o proveedor de cuidado infantil. Para obtener una copia del artículo completo de VIRTUS® “Is Your Babysitter Or Caregiver Safe? Performing Your Own Due Diligence Can Save a Child’s Life”, visite <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.

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.



Pray for ...

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| Tara Barajas | Katelin Hernandez | John O'Green |
| Manuel Barrera | Patsy Jimenez | Ramona Patterson |
| Tim Beaulieu | Margaret Jimenez | Armando Perez |
| Drew Boxley | Margie Palomino Jimenez | John Perez |
| Ed Brown | Marjorie Johnson | Kendra Perez |
| Joan Bukovszky | Sue Karas | Marie Perez |
| Ray Bukovszky | Ryan Kaufman | Vicki Perez |
| Mela Cano | Lou Kelly | Joe Perez, Jr. |
| Fernando Chavez | Tom Kelly | Breanna Pflaumer |
| Terri Cipriano | Lorraine Kwik | Robin Reggano |
| Jim Coleman | Kathy Lane | Ramon Ricafort |
| Guadalupe Contreras | Maria Alvarez Lazo | Michael Riley |
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| Yves Fournier | Patricia Mead | Steven Swanson |
| Frank Gelfuso | Erika Miller | Patrick Uy |
| Roger Gonzales | Mary Jane Mitchell | Maria Guadalupe Vargas |
| Juan Gonzalez | Ritchie Moore | Justin Warn |
| Lupe Gonzalez | Julie Mora | Lori Wesdell |
| Manuel Gonzalez | Christina Morelli | Pat Withers |
| Richard Gonzalez | Ryan Morris | Vivian (Dee) Womack |

RELIGIOUS GIFT STORE

Our Religious Gift Store will be open the first and third week-end of each 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.

The Guadalupano group cordially invites you to the inauguration of the statue of Mary today, May 6 right after the 12:15 Mass. Msgr. Hernandez will be leading the prayers. Refreshments will be served

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. 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.

YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS
 May 7—Teen choir Practice—5-6:30 p.m.
 May 8—Drop in—3:30-6 p.m.
 May 10—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)

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS EVENT

Please join us for a special Mass in support of those suffering from mental health issues such as depression, anxiety and any form of mental or emotional distress. Please join us at:

Saint Julie Billiard Church
 2475 Borchard Road
 Newbury Park, 91320

on Saturday, May 19th at 11am. Special blessing and reception will follow. For questions, please contact Leslie Lenko at (805) 551-7719 or email at alwayshopeforyou27@gmail.com.

Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women District Meeting

The Ventura District of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women invites all women of the parish to a day of prayer and fellowship with other Catholic women of the area. **EVERY CATHOLIC WOMAN IS A MEMBER AND THERE ARE NO DUES.** The next gathering will be Wednesday, May 16 at Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church, 463 W. Pleasant Valley Road, Oxnard, CA 93033. The day begins at 9:30 a.m. and includes speaker: Deacon Steve Greco on "Spirituality", mass, lunch and concludes at 1:30 p.m. Cost of lunch will be \$12.00 per person-**PRE-PAID**. For reservations, please make check payable and mail to Cecilia Pimentel, 1610 Licho Way, Oxnard, CA 93030 by Monday, May 14. For further information call Rosa Palazuelos (805) 512-0040

Question of the Week

For Adults:
 How is love of others connected to love for God?

For Children:
 Who needs Jesus' love this week? How can you show them his love?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Catholic Relief Collection—\$4628.00

Holy Land Collection—\$2690.00

BULLETIN BOARD

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

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

St. Joseph Church in Carpinteria is happy to announce we will be having a Pentecost Vigil Music and Worship Service on Saturday, May 19, 2018 at 7 PM featuring many of our choirs and cantors. We are also proud to announce our guest speaker for the evening, Bishop Elect Marc Trudeau.

*Come Holy Spirit, fill me with You, Lord!
 Ven Espiritu Santo, lléname de Ti, Señor!*

St. Joseph Church
 1532 Linden Avenue
 Carpinteria, CA 93013
 (805) 684-2181

TAIZE PRAYER continues on Wednesday May 16, 2018 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Place: Notre Dame Center 1776 Hendrix Ave., Thousand Oaks, 91360. Please RSVP to Sister Marie Paul Grech, SND at mgrech@sndca.org if you plan to attend.

A MARIAN SERIES continues on Friday, May 18, 2018 from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. with a presentation entitled "Mary Crowned with Glory" Place: Notre Dame Center 1776 Hendrix Ave., Thousand Oaks, 91360. Please RSVP to Sister Marie Paul Grech, SND at mgrech@sndca.org if you plan to attend.

"Support and Encourage the Priesthood" Serra Club meets at St. Johns Seminary to share evening prayer in the Chapel and meet and dine with the Seminarians to get to know them and pray for their vocations. We hear a personal testimony of a Seminarian at each meeting. We promote vocations in the high schools and support and honor our newly ordained priests, our Deacons ?, nuns? and all available priests at special events in their honor. Come as our guest to experience our special evenings at St. John's Seminary. Contact Patrick Cunningham for more information: 650 9492.

St. Paschal Baylon School Summer Program 2018
 NOW ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS FOR INCOMING GRADES K-8
 For 15 years St. Paschal Baylon School has offered our Summer School Program, with classes for all incoming grades, K-8. Our program provides strong academic enrichment, credentialed Catholic school teachers, limited class sizes, and a more relaxed learning environment. We welcome students from all schools; Catholic, public, private, and home-school program students are welcome to attend. We offer a variety of classes for all ages. Please visit our website www.stpaschalbaylonschool.org, or call our Summer School Administrator Ann Cleary at (805) 495-9340 ext. 146 for more details

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER
 Are you looking to put Christ in your marriage? Attend the next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** and learn how to refocus your marriage on what is most important. The next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** is July 27-29 in Palmdale or Nov 2-4 in Canoga Park. For more information contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848-6729 or go online at www.twocanlove.org We help make good marriages better.



KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS CORNER

Want to be part of the fun? Like the results? Want to become a Knight? The Knights wish to offer any man in Holy Cross Parish who is

18 years of age or older the opportunity to learn how to become a Knight and understand the joy of giving to our Parish, our Community and our Lord. Our Holy Cross council participates in many activities, so there are several ways you can become involved. Upcoming activities and programs include the following:

SAVE THE DATE!!!: Now less than four months away! Mark your calendars for the annual **GOLF TOURNAMENT** to held on **Sunday August 19th** @ **Moorpark Country Club**. The council has already begun working very hard to make this our best tournament ever. This is our largest fundraiser of the year with all monies raised going to our many charities. All your support is greatly needed and appreciated.

On **Tuesday evening May 29th**, the Knights of Columbus Ministry "The Friends of St. Raphael" will be hosting their inaugural "**Evening Rosary**" and **ALL PARISHONERS** are welcome. The Rosary will begin at 7:30 PM and will be held at the KOC Chapel located on the corner of Magnolia and Everett in downtown Moorpark. This is a wonderful opportunity for our faith community to come together in prayer and fellowship. For further information feel free to contact any of the Brothers listed below.

Do not hesitate to call upon "The Friends of St. Raphael." This KOC Ministry is available for **ALL** our fellow Parishioners who are ill and would like a visit from one or more of our Brother Knights. If you would like additional information or a visit from a Brother Knight, please contact **Leonard Cruz @ 805-889-1620** (leonardcruz386@yahoo.com) or **Kenny Rodriguez @ 805-298-4223** (gabrielkenneth@gmail.com) or our **Grand Knight** (contact info below).

For more information contact our Grand Knight, Mike LoCollo @ 805-231-6168 (MikeLoCollo@roadrunner.com) or Membership Director Andy Willrodt @ 805-298-2999 (Awillrodt@fuscoe.com) or any member of the Knights.

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:

Por favor llame a la oficina al (805) 529-1397

Clases de Formación Continua Para Adultos

Cada primer lunes y tercer lunes del mes.

Información comunicarse al José Martínez (805) 312-1917/Dn. Eduardo (805) 501-1416.

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

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Durante la Última Cena, Jesús dijo a sus apóstoles: “Yo soy la vid, ustedes son los sarmientos” (Juan 15:5). Jesús añade que los sarmientos (ramas) que permanecen en él, dan mucho fruto. Según la agricultura, la vid es una parra, es decir, una planta perenne de ramas frondosas.

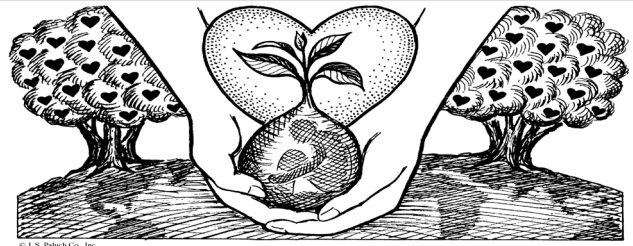
Una parte importante de la vid son las hojas. Es obvio que una vid tiene hojas, pero Jesús no las menciona, prefiere enfocarse en los sarmientos. Las partes de la vid son las raíces, tronco, sarmientos, hojas, flores y fruto. Según esta división Jesús sería el tronco, pero él dice ser la vid completa. Esta es una imagen de la unidad que Jesús quiere entre sus seguidores. Recordemos que Jesús celebra la Última Cena con sus discípulos. La comunidad de discípulos unidos a Jesús formamos la vid. Los sarmientos o ramas conducen agua y minerales a las hojas, flores y frutos, y son útiles en tanto estén unidos a la vid. Lo mismo vale de los cristianos, discípulos de Jesús. Son ellos y ellas los que hacen presente y le dan vida a Jesús en el mundo de hoy.

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

ORGULLO

¿Qué mejor prueba de tu orgullo es que hayas dicho que no eres orgulloso?

—San Juan Climacus



Sexto Domingo de Pascua 6 de mayo de 2018

No son ustedes los que me han elegido,
soy yo quien los ha elegido
y los ha destinado para que vayan y den fruto.

— Juan 15:16

ÁMENSE UNOS A OTROS

En el Evangelio para el Sexto Domingo de Pascua nos encontramos con un desafío extraordinario. Jesús nos dice: “ámense unos a otros como yo los he amado” (Juan 15:12). La carta del apóstol san Juan retoma este mandamiento. Por supuesto, debemos amar a nuestros familiares, nuestros colegas, las personas que nos agradan. Pero la Sagrada Escritura aclara que también debemos amar a los que ignoramos, a los que evitamos deliberadamente e incluso a los que nos sentimos tentados de despreciar.

En la selección de los Hechos de los Apóstoles para este domingo, Pedro nos muestra hasta dónde llega el amor de Dios y hasta dónde debe llegar nuestra respuesta de amor. Pedro comprende que Dios ya “no hace distinciones” y no comparte su amor divino exclusivamente con los judíos. Cristo ha revelado que el amor de Dios llega a todas las personas y lo mismo debe hacer el nuestro.

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 16:11-15; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Jn 15:26 — 16:4a

Martes: Hch 16:22-34; Sal 138 (137):1-3, 7c-8;
Jn 16:5-11

Miércoles: Hch 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Sal 148:1-2, 11-14;
Jn 16:12-15

Jueves: Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47:2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17-23 o
Ef 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mc 16:15-20 (para
la Ascensión); o Hch 18:1-8;
Sal 98 (97):1-4; Jn 16:16-20

Viernes: Hch 18:9-18; Sal 47 (46):2-7; Jn 16:20-23

Sábado: Hch 18:23-28; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 8-10;
Jn 16:23b-28

Domingo: Hch 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Sal 103 (102):1-2,
11-12, 19-20; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19; o,
para la Ascensión, Hch 1:1-11;
Sal 47 (46):2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17-23 o
Ef 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mc 16:15-20

ASOMBRARSE

Las personas viajan a otros lugares y se maravillan de la altura de las montañas, pero entre ellas mismas no se asombran.

San Agustín