



# Holy Cross Catholic Church

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## Second Sunday of Easter April 28, 2019

### 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:

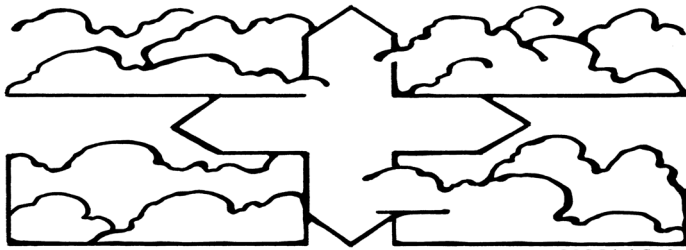
Los arreglos deben hacerse con seis meses de antelación.

### 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.

### Religious Education Commission:

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**Second Sunday of Easter  
(or Sunday of Divine Mercy)**

**April 28, 2019**

Once I was dead,  
but now I am alive forever and ever.

— *Revelation 1:18a*

**SEEING IS BELIEVING**

Seeing is believing! Since cellphone screens connect us instantly to social media, live TV, and loved ones' faces near and far, "Doubting Thomas" could be our patron saint: "Unless I see, I will not believe!" But how comforting for any of us who share Thomas's doubt, or love "doubters" who do, to see how kindly Jesus responds. By offering the very evidence that Thomas demanded, Jesus doesn't scold Thomas, but seems to understand such skepticism. Could Jesus have been thinking of us, who long to believe that "Jesus is risen!" but see so much suffering, and perhaps even cause some, that we wonder, how could something so wonderful be true? In today's reading from the Acts of the Apostles, the risen Jesus' healing love comforts through disciples who love others. In Revelation, "our brother John" doesn't just claim he saw Jesus alive, but passes on Jesus' life-giving words, "Do not be afraid." Seeing Jesus in others is believing!

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**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — A large number of people gathered, bringing the sick, and all were cured (Acts 5:12-16).

**Psalm** — Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting (Psalm 118).

**Second Reading** — Do not be afraid. I am the first and the last, the one who lives (Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19).

**Gospel** — The risen Christ comes to his disciples with peace and the Spirit. The absent Thomas doubts (John 20:19-31).

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday: Acts 4:23-31-37; Ps 2:1-4, 7-9; Jn 3:1-8
- Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15
- Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21 or (for the memorial) Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58
- Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36
- Friday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14
- Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21
- Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]



Manuel Barrera	Regina Hepp	Joe Perez, Jr.
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Kylie Boxley	Maria Jimenez	Marie Perez
Ed Brown	Sue Karas	Breanna Pflaumer
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Madison Choate	Tom Kelly	Ramon Ricafort
Terri Cipriano	Sienna Ly	Mark Scharler
Guadalupe Contreras	Candice Maher	Steve Schuesler
Carlos Cooper	Antonio D. Malare Jr.	Minnie Stuehrmann
Rachel Crawford	Angela McKervey	Steven Swanson
Arlene Delnero	McMullen Family	Maria Guadalupe Vargas
Yves Fournier	Patricia Mead	Debbie Warn
Juan Gonzalez	John Montante	Justin Warn
Lupe Gonzalez	Christina Morelli	Lori Wesdell
Manuel Gonzalez	Ramona Patterson	Janet Yandle
Richard Gonzalez	Armando Perez	

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Raymond and Joan Bukovszky**, parents of Jeannie Eifert. May their souls and all the souls of the faithfully departed rest in peace.

**RELIGIOUS GIFT STORE**

*Our Religious Gift Store will be open the first and third weekend 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.*

**FIESTA TIME!**  
**CINCO DE MAYO CELEBRATION!**  
**BUY YOUR TICKETS NOW!**  
**SATURDAY EVENING MAY 4TH @ 5:00**  
**PM in THE COSGROVE CENTER**  
**FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY**

**TACO MAN, POSOLE, TAMALES**  
**FOLKLORICO DANCERS of ALL**  
**AGES, DJ**  
**MARGARITAS**

Sponsored by the Guadalupanas  
 and Knights of Columbus

**ALL PROCEEDS GO TO HOLY CROSS**  
**PARISH MINISTRIES**

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

DID YOU KNOW? Ongoing child sexual abuse prevention training Since 2002, the Archdiocese of Los Angeles has trained about 330,000 adults to proactively protect children and young people from child sexual abuse and reporting misconduct. In addition, over 165,000 children and young people receive safe environment training annually. In 2018, the Office of Safeguard the Children launched its new “Empowering God’s Children & Young People” Program, which empowers children and young people by giving them the knowledge and tools to keep themselves safe and teaches them to tell a parent, guardian or safe adult if anyone makes them feel uncomfortable, scared or confuse. For more information, visit: <http://www.laarchdiocese.org/org/protecting/safeguard/Pages/CAPM.aspx>.

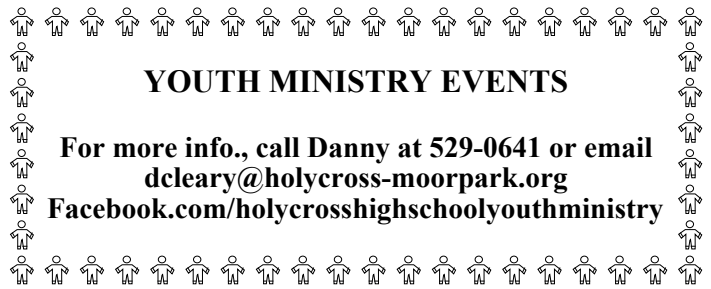
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**Question of the Week**

For Adults: When has your faith in the living Christ helped you overcome fear?	For Children: What could you do this Easter season to help someone feel less afraid?
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**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](mailto:dnmikekromm@holycross-moorpark.org), to set an appointment.



**YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS**

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



*Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament*

**FIRST FRIDAY**

Friday, April May 3rd is the First Friday of the month. Mass will be celebrated in English at 8:00 a.m. followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Adoration continues until recitation of the Rosary prior to Mass (Spanish) at 7:00 PM. Plan to spend an hour in prayer for vocations before the Blessed Sacrament.

**Just Faith begins May 6**

An 8-week program for people who want a deeper faith, a greater sense of purpose, and a practical understanding of how to make a difference in the world. Participants engage in reading, prayer, and thought-provoking dialogue.

Over 8 Monday evenings and 2 Saturdays they encounter the world, each other, the Gospel, and build lasting relationships. JustFaith is ecumenical and all Christian faiths are welcome. Padre Serra Parish, 5205 Upland Rd, Camarillo. Learn more/register: [Michelle.Paschen@mcpaschens@gmail.com](mailto:Michelle.Paschen@mcpaschens@gmail.com)

**DENNIS PRAGER** A best-selling author, columnist and nationally syndicated radio talk show host, will be speaking on:

**"SOCIALISM IS NOT NICE OR CHARITABLE"**

When: Wednesday, May 22, 2019 at 7:15 PM

Place: St. Rose of Lima Church

1305 Royal Avenue

Simi Valley, California 93065

Phone: 805 526-1732

Time: 6:00 PM - Reception: Limited VIP Tickets \$75 per person. (includes reserved event seating).

7:15PM - Event - Tickets \$35 per person.

To purchase tickets please visit our website under “Events” at [strosesv.com](http://strosesv.com)

**Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items**

- Canned tuna
- Pasta sauce
- Canned Corn
- Canned green beans
- Canned fruit
- Sugar
- Cooking oil

We will accept and appreciate all food donations.



St. Joseph's Assembly announces a competition for two \$500 scholarships to support students with military service.

If you are  
 A veteran of military service,  
 OR current member of the active military,  
 OR the active reserve  
 AND  
 Currently attending, or accepted for enrollment in, a college or other formal education program leading to advanced professional certification  
 AND  
 a parishioner, or family member of a parishioner you may get an application package at the parish office, or by emailing [domecharlie@hotmail.com](mailto:domecharlie@hotmail.com), or calling 661 965-0360.  
 Applications must be postmarked no later than June 30<sup>th</sup>.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

The Mass Intention book for 2020 will be available beginning Monday, May 6, 2019. Mass Intentions can be for a deceased loved one, a birthday, wedding anniversary, for health, for assistance, for the benefit of another, in thanksgiving, etc. The intentions will be taken on a "first come, first served" basis. Please come to the Parish Office with the information and donation. A Mass intention will not be taken over the phone. An intention received by mail, will be added in the order received.

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**

We are looking for willing hands that would like to share their talents of knitting and crochet. We currently meet this Wednesday, May 1 in the Conference Room in the Administration Building. Join us at 6:45 pm May 1st to find out how you can use your gifts and talents to bless others! For more Information, please call Marie Pierce @ 805-523-0091.

**VBS**

Mark your calendars for this year's Vacation Bible School!  
 SonWest Roundup will take place July 8th - 12th.  
 Watch for more details and registration info.



**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:

Novena for the Sanctity of Life – The "Friends of St. Raphael" KofC Ministry will continue the "**Evening Rosary**" Novena the 9<sup>th</sup> Installment (last installment) of the "Novena for the Sanctity of Life" on Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at the Holy Cross Chapel located on the corner of Magnolia and Everett Streets in downtown Moorpark. The event is open to **ALL PARISHONERS** for a meaningful evening of prayer and fellowship. We would like to invite everyone to participate in the Rosary.

*"The Rosary is my favorite prayer. A marvelous prayer! Marvelous in its simplicity and its depth. In the prayer we repeat many times the words that the Virgin Mary heard from the Archangel, and from her kinswoman Elizabeth."* **St. Pope John Paul II**

**IT IS FIESTA TIME!!!** The Guadalupanas in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus will be putting on a Cinco De Mayo Celebration on Saturday evening May 4th. Tickets are available in the Vestibule after all the Masses. The evening will have Folkloric Dancers of all ages, a DJ and great food! Get your tickets early as this promises to be a very popular event.

Do not hesitate to call upon "**The Friends of St. Raphael.**" This Knights of Columbus 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](mailto:leonardcruz386@yahoo.com)) or **Kenny Rodriguez @ 805-298-4223** ([gabrielkenneth@gmail.com](mailto:gabrielkenneth@gmail.com)) or our Grand Knight (contact info below).

For more information contact our Grand Knight, **Dave Gressman @ 805-208-9029** ([gressman4@gmail.com](mailto:gressman4@gmail.com)) or Membership Director **Andy Willrodt @ 805-298-2999** ([Awillrodt@fuscoe.com](mailto: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.

**INTENCIONES PARA MISAS**

El libro de Intenciones para Misas del año 2020 estará disponible el lunes 6 de mayo, 2019. Las Intenciones para Misas pueden ser para un ser querido fallecido, un cumpleaños, aniversario de bodas, por la salud, por la asistencia, por el beneficio de otro, por agradecimiento, etc. Las Intenciones serán aceptadas de la siguiente orden “el primero en llegar, es el primero en ser servido”. Favor de venir a la Oficina Parroquial con la información y donación. Intenciones para Misas **no** serán tomadas por teléfono. Intenciones recibidas por correo se agregaran en la orden recibida.

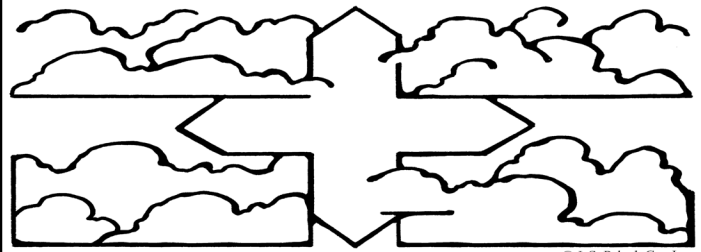
**TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE**

La Iglesia católica es universal, extendida en diversas naciones y culturas. A través de los siglos estas culturas han enriquecido la Tradición de la Iglesia con muchas tradiciones y devociones que van más allá de su cultura de origen. La fiesta de la Divina Misericordia es un buen ejemplo. Viene de una devoción que nació en Polonia con la Hermana santa Faustina Kowalska (1905-1938) canonizada en el 2000.

La devoción a la Divina Misericordia se celebra el Segundo Domingo de Pascua y durante todo el año orando la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia. En latinoamerica se ha ido extendiendo esta devoción desde 1978 cuando fue aprobada por el Papa Paulo VI. En todas partes se puede encontrar la imagen de la Divina Misericordia, Jesús de pie con rayos rojos y blanco-azules que brillan desde su corazón hacia el mundo. Lleva el lema: Jesús, confío en ti.

La finalidad de esta devoción es recordar al pecador que la misericordia de Dios es infinita e inagotable. Es una misericordia que debemos imitar para que la paz pueda reinar en nuestros corazones y en nuestra tierra.

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



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**Segundo Domingo de Pascua  
(Domingo de la Divina Misericordia)  
28 de abril de 2019**

Estuve muerto y ahora, como ves,  
estoy vivo por los siglos de los siglos.  
— *Apocalipsis 1:18a*

**VER ES CREER**

¡Ver es creer! Desde que los teléfonos celulares nos conectan instantáneamente a las redes sociales, televisión en vivo y los rostros de nuestros seres queridos de cerca y lejos, “Tomás el incrédulo” podría ser nuestro santo patrón: “¡hasta que no lo vea, no lo creeré!” Pero que reconfortante para cualquiera de nosotros que compartimos las dudas de Tomás, o nos gustan los “incrédulos” que lo hacen, para ver qué tan amable responde Jesús. Al ofrecer la misma evidencia que Tomás pedía, Jesús no reprendió a Tomás, sino parece que entendió su incredulidad. ¿Es que acaso Jesús estaba pensando en nosotros, que anhelábamos creer que “¡Jesús resucitó!”, pero ver demasiado sufrimiento y quizá incluso haber causado algo, que nos preguntamos, cómo algo tan extraordinario sería verdad? En las lecturas de hoy del libro de los Hechos de los Apóstoles, el amor de Jesús resucitado da consuelo por medio de sus discípulos que amaban a los demás. En el libro del Apocalipsis, “nuestro hermano Juan” no solo afirma que vio vivo a Jesús, sino que transmite las palabras de Jesús que dan vida: “¡No tengan miedo!” ¡Ver a Jesús en los demás es creer!

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**LECTURAS DE HOY**

**Primera lectura** — Los Apóstoles hacen muchas señales y maravillas entre la gente. (Hechos 5:12-16).

**Salmo** — La misericordia del Señor es eterna. Aleluya (Salmo 118 [117]).

**Segunda lectura** — Juan, contagiado por el Espíritu, tiene una visión del Señor glorificado (Apocalipsis 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19).

**Evangelio** — Jesús resucitado visita a los discípulos. Tomás, duda de la aparición de Jesús (Juan 20:19-31).

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**LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA**

Lunes: Hch 4:23-31-37; Sal 2:1-4, 7-9; Jn 3:1-8  
Martes: Hch 4:32-37; Sal 93 (92):1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15  
Miércoles: Hch 5:17-26; Sal 34 (33):2-9; Jn 3:16-21  
o (por la memoria) Gn 1:26 — 2:3 o Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Sal 90 (89):2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58  
Jueves: Hch 5:27-33; Sal 34 (33):2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36  
Viernes: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Jn 14:6-14  
Sábado: Hch 6:1-7; Sal 33 (32):1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21  
Domingo: Hch 5:27-32, 40b-41; Sal 30 (29):2, 4-6, 11-13; Ap 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]