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**Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 20, 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)

Thursdays: 5:30-6:30 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

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I lift up my eyes toward the mountains;
whence shall help come to me?
My help is from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.
— *Psalm 121:1-2*

PERSISTENCE

Today's readings are about persistence, passionate persistence. Exodus tells of a battle won despite weariness because Moses, with help from Aaron and Hur, held his hands raised. Timothy asks that same persistence of his community and us. Luke tells of a court case won by a widow, despite the dishonesty of the judge, because she will not leave him alone. The psalm reminds us that God is everywhere, guarding us from harm day and night, coming and going, now and forever. The readings are about persistence, the relentless, unwavering pursuit of what must not be lost. The readings are about God's passionate persistence in pursuing us, seeking to win our hearts.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight (Exodus 17:8-13).

Psalm — Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth (Psalm 121).

Second Reading — Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed (2 Timothy 3:14 — 4:2).

Gospel — Will not God secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? (Luke 18:1-8).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21;
Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-8; Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94;
Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 13:1-9

Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; Ps 34:2-3, 17-19, 23;
2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

REMINDER: Boy Scouts Annual "Gourmet Pancake Breakfast" will be on **Sunday, October 20**. This is a major fundraiser for the scouts to support their activities. Tickets will be sold outside the church after Sunday masses. Pancakes, sausages, eggs, fruits, and drinks will be served. Take the time to meet other parishioners and please support the scout!

LA REINA INVITES YOU TO OUR OPEN HOUSE!

La Reina warmly welcomes all prospective students and their families to our **Open House on Sunday, October 27th, from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.** Meet our confident, capable and compassionate students, talk with our faculty and tour our beautiful campus. Experience firsthand how La Reina is leading the way with 100% college acceptance rate and SAT scores 225 points above the national average. A National Blue Ribbon School, La Reina is a Catholic, college preparatory school for girls established in 1964 and sponsored by the Sisters of Notre Dame. La Reina provides a strong spiritual and academic foundation in a nurturing environment. For more information about the school please visit: www.lareina.com

Chaminade College Preparatory High School is hosting its **annual 8th grade Step-up day "CLUB NADE"** on **Friday, November 8th from 1:00 p.m. -3:00 pm.** This is an opportunity for 8th graders to experience campus life as a Chaminade student. They will attend classes, meet our teachers and students, learn about our athletic and extracurricular programs and discover all that Chaminade has to offer. A permission slip is required and may be found on the Chaminade High School Admissions website at <https://www.chaminade.org>. For more information call the Admissions office at (818) 347-8300 Ext. 355.

An invitation to **CENTERING PRAYER AND LECTIO DIVINA** on **TUESDAY October 22, 2019 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** Place: Notre Dame Center 1776 Hendrix Ave., Thousand Oaks, 91360



Pray for ...

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Manuel Barrera	Maria Jimenez	Dana Powell
Jamie Belch	Kathy Lane	Robin Reggano
Drew Boxley	Eliana Rose Lara	Ramon Ricafort
Kylie Boxley	Heather Ledesma	Mark Scharler
Ed Brown	Antonio D. Malare Jr.	Steve Schuesler
Mela Cano	McMullen Family	Minnie Stuehrmann
Madison Choate	Mary Mesick	Retha Therrien
Terri Cipriano	John Montante	Richard Therrien
Guadalupe Contreras	Christina Morelli	Maria Guadalupe Vargas
Arlene Delnero	Ramona Patterson	Jamie Vlach
Yves Fournier	Armando Perez	Debbie Warn
Juan Gonzalez	Joe Perez, Jr.	Justin Warn
Lupe Gonzalez	John Perez	Lori Wesdell
Manuel Gonzalez	Kendra Perez	Janet Yandle
Katelin Hernandez	Marie Perez	
Margaret Jimenez	Breanna Pflaumer	

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.

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.

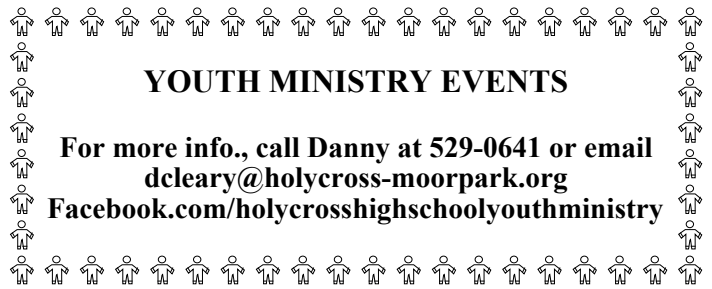
Question of the Week

For Adults: Whose needs might you be failing to listen to right now?	For Children: How often do you put off chores until you are forced to do them? Who is hurt by such a decision?
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OPEN HOUSE

The Graduate Theological Studies Program invites you to learn more about our MA programs in Theology and Pastoral Theology at our upcoming Open House. Wednesday, Oct. 23, 2019 3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Location: Theology Village, Suite 3700, in University Hall

Join us for food and refreshments while enjoying the opportunity to confer with current graduate theology students, alumni, faculty and staff! RSVP to receive a free parking code from Christopher.Rudd@lmu.edu



YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

For more info., call Danny at 529-0641 or email dcleary@holycross-moorpark.org
Facebook.com/holycrosshighschoolyouthministry

All Souls Day Mass

Saturday

November 2, 2019

10:00 AM

Assumption Cemetery
1380 Fitzgerald Road
Simi Valley, CA

Celebrant:
His Excellency Alex
Aclan



Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

BULLETIN BOARD



Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items

We will accept and appreciate all food donations

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| Pasta Sauce | Canned Tuna |
| Jelly | Breakfast Cereal |
| Canned Corn | Peanut Butter |
| Canned Green Beans | |



**Holy Cross Church
Council 9969
(FAITH IN ACTION)**

A Legacy of Faith & Service

As fall time arrives it should alert us Christians that our thoughts should be to taking care of our family and our extended family. The month of October is filled with many opportunities to work on one of our founding principles "CHARITY". The start of the month we have **Lord's Table**, **Tootsie Roll Drive** (Intellectual Disabilities), **Walk for Life** (Fight against Cancer) and **Pancake Breakfast** (Wheelchairs for Veteran's). As we look at these programs it challenges us to think of those in our community that need our help. Answer the Challenges and get involved in these programs.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

October 19th & 20th – Relay for Life of SIMI –

MOORPARK Join in the walk for fight against Cancer at Simi Valley Town Center. Contact Michael Ohler (PGKBULLDOGG@AOL.COM)

October 27 – Pancake Breakfast (Cost: Donations for Veteran Wheelchairs) –Time is 8 am-12:30 pm at Cosgrove Center. Sign-up to Work contact Michael Ohler (PGKBULLDOGG@AOL.COM)

October 30 – Evening Rosary Don't forget... Wednesday evening, October 30th, the "Friends of St. Raphael" Knights of Columbus Ministry will be hosting the "Evening Rosary" at the Chapel. The event is open to **ALL PARISHONERS** for a meaningful evening of prayer and fellowship. The time is 7: 30 pm

November 2nd & 3rd – Ladies Christmas Boutique: Come support this event and buy your Keep Christ in Christmas cards, Christmas Decorations and presents.

November 5th – Lord's Table on Tuesday we will be having the Lord's Table at the Chapel. Please consider coming to the Chapel around 5:15 pm to help set-up, serve and clean-up. (Corner of Magnolia and Everett Streets in downtown Moorpark.)

November 23rd & 24th – Thanksgiving Food Drive. The Knight's will be at Von's & Ralph's to collect food for the needy. Please help us in this effort to feed the needy in Moorpark.

We would like to honor all those Knights who collected money for those people with Intellectual Disabilities. Thank you **Rudy Garcia** for planning and implementing such a wonderful 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) or **Kenny Rodriguez (PGK) @ 805-298-2219** (gabrielkenneth@gmail.com) or our **Grand Knight** (contact info below).

For more information contact our Grand Knight, Larnoe Dunga @ 626-841-1421(larnoe@gmail.com) or **Membership Director Jose Zavala @ 805-210-0831** (jnz3@icloud.com) & **MATT Stuhr @ 805-208-1476** (MATTHEW.STUHR.138@MY.CSUN.EDU)

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 Nov 1-3 in Reseda. Early registration is highly recommended. 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.

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

Be a Trusted Resource if a Child Discloses Abuse

Parents are in a unique position to know about not only their own children, but their children's friends. If you are a trusted parent, your child's friend may come to you with secrets. What do you do if a child tells you about abuse? As an adult, it's critical that you remain calm, and don't overreact. Child victims are often frightened and confused, and your confusion and anger does not help their situation. Your concern and support, however, will affirm the child in important ways and can help begin the healing process for a child victim who has suffered at the hands of a predator. To learn more about steps to take if a child tells you about abuse, email jvienna@la-archdiocese.org. Los padres de familia se encuentran en una posición única para conocer no sólo a sus propios hijos, sino también a los amigos de sus hijos. Si usted es un padre confiable, el amigo de su hijo puede acercarse a usted con secretos. ¿Qué hace usted si un niño le cuenta sobre un abuso? Como adulto, es fundamental que permanezca calmada y no reaccione de forma exagerada. Las víctimas infantiles a menudo están asustadas y confundidas, y su confusión y enojo no ayudan a la situación. Su preocupación y apoyo, sin embargo, reafirmarán al niño de maneras importantes y pueden ayudar a comenzar el proceso de sanación de un niño víctima que ha sufrido bajo las manos de un depredador. Para obtener más información sobre los pasos a seguir si un niño le cuenta sobre el abuso, envíe un correo electrónico a jvienna@la-archdiocese.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:

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:

Bautismos en Español

Misas de Quince Años:

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

Clases de Formación Continua Para Adultos

Cada primer lunes y tercer lunes del mes.
Información comunicarse al José Mar
tinez (805) 312-1917/Dn. Eduardo (805) 501-
1416.

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

Hoy es la Colecta Peter's Pence, una colecta a nivel mundial que financia las obras de caridad del papa Francisco. Los fondos recaudados en esta colecta ayudan a las víctimas de la guerra, la opresión y los desastres naturales. Tomen esta oportunidad para unirse al papa Francisco y sean testigos de la caridad para nuestros hermanos y hermanas. Por favor, sean generosos hoy. Para más información, visiten www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

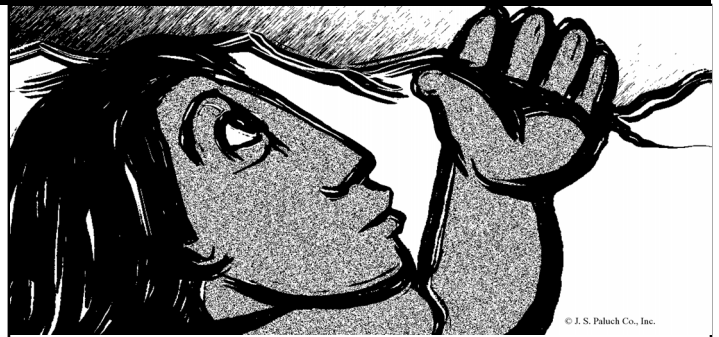
TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

En 1823 se fundó el pueblo de San Rafael de las Quebradillas en Puerto Rico. Este pueblo fue dedicado al santo patrón de los pescadores. Rafael, también es el ángel patrono de la salud. Aunque hoy día su fiesta esta combinada con los otros arcángeles el 29 de septiembre, en el viejo calendario este santo fue conmemorado el 24 de octubre.

Rafael (Dios salva) se encuentra en el libro de Tobías y según el autor bíblico, este ángel es el ángel de la guarda de Tobías. El mismo Rafael se presenta como uno de los siete ángeles o arcángeles que llevan las oraciones de los justos al trono de Dios y que gozan de la presencia gloriosa del Santísimo (Tobías 12:15).

Mi padre siempre dice que hay que pedir una cosa a Dios, la salud. Si tenemos la salud nada nos falta. Es interesante que en latín, salud y salvación son la misma palabra, *salus*. El santo patrón de la salud, Rafael nos recuerda que Dios es el único que nos puede salvar, dándonos salud de cuerpo, alma y espíritu.

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



**Vigésimo Noveno Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario
20 de octubre de 2019**

Levanto mis ojos a los montes:

¿de dónde me vendrá el auxilio?,
el auxilio me viene del Señor,
que hizo el cielo y la tierra.

— *Salmo 121 (120):1-2*

LA PERSISTENCIA

Las lecturas de hoy son acerca de la persistencia, persistencia apasionada. El Éxodo narra una batalla ganada a pesar del cansancio porque Moisés, con la ayuda de Aarón y Jur, mantuvieron sus brazos levantados. Timoteo pide esa misma persistencia de su comunidad y de nosotros. Lucas cuenta un caso de justicia que gana una viuda, a pesar del juez injusto, porque ella no dejaba de acudir a él. El Salmo nos recuerda que Dios está en todos lados, cuidándonos día y noche de cualquier daño, yendo y viniendo, ahora y por toda la eternidad. Las lecturas son acerca de la persistencia, la búsqueda constante e inquebrantable de lo no se debe perder. Las lecturas son acerca de la persistencia apasionada de Dios en buscarnos, buscarnos para ganar nuestros corazones.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Mientras las manos de Moisés estaban en alto, Israel se imponían en la batalla (Éxodo 17:8-13).

Salmo — El auxilio me viene del Señor (Salmo 121 [120]).

Segunda lectura — Proclamen la palabra; sean persistentes cuando sea conveniente o no (2 Timoteo 3:14 — 4:2).

Evangelio — Dios asegura los derechos de los elegidos que claman día y noche (Lucas 18:1-8).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Rom 4:20-25; Lc 1:69-75; Lc 12:13-21

Martes: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21;

Sal 40 (39):7-10, 17; Lc 12:35-38

Miércoles: Rom 6:12-18; Sal 124 (123):1b-8; Lc 12:39-48

Jueves: Rom 6:19-23; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 12:49-53