



Come, let us sing joyfully to the Lord;
 let us acclaim the rock of our salvation.
 Let us come into his
 presence with thanksgiving;
 let us joyfully sing psalms to him.

Psalm 95:1-2

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 January 31, 2021**

Eucharistic Liturgy Schedule (Mass)

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m.
 Sundays: 7:30, 10:00 a.m.,
 12:00p.m. (Spanish)
 Weekdays:
 Monday, Thursday: 7:00 p.m., Friday 7:00 Spanish
 Monday – Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Thursdays: 5:30-6:30 p.m.
 Other times: By appointment only

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

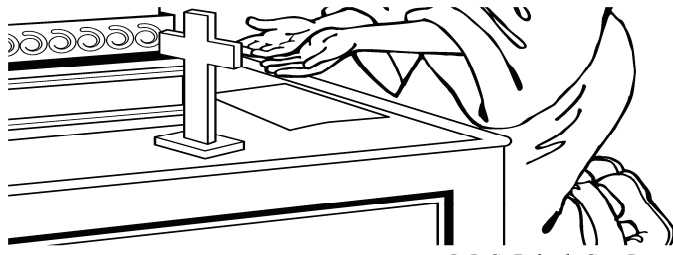
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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 January 31, 2021
 Come, let us bow down in worship;
 let us kneel before the Lord
 who made us.

— Psalm 95:6

FALSE PROPHETS, TRUE PROPHETS

In Deuteronomy today we hear that God’s very words will fill the mouth of a true prophet, but a false prophet will, in a manner of speaking, put mere mortal words into God’s mouth. In Mark’s Gospel, we see Jesus teaching and healing as a true prophet, one filled with the authority of God’s own voice, the Holy One of God.

The whole history of our church is filled with both true and false prophets. But in today’s Gospel we learn that Jesus’ fame spread because he taught with authority; he wasn’t an authority because he was popular or famous. We also learn from him, in his desert temptation confrontations with Satan, that anyone can quote scripture, even against God’s purposes. And today we hear that his authority was not like that of the scribes, who held the official positions of religious authority in his day. Our work is to do our best to discern the true prophets in our midst, and to be true prophets as well. The psalmist tells us how to do this: by not hardening our hearts when God speaks. If we truly listen to God, it will be God’s very words filling our mouths.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Moses spoke to all the people, saying: “A prophet like me will the Lord, your God, raise up for you” (Deuteronomy 18:15-20).

Psalm — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

Second Reading — Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties (1 Corinthians 7:32-35).

Gospel — The people were astonished at Jesus’ teaching; he taught them as one having authority (Mark 1:21-28).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20-24; Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18;
 Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2, 13-14,
 17-18a; Mk 6:1-6

Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-4, 9-11;
 Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-6; Mk 6:30-34

Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19,
 22-23; Mk 1:29-39



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Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items
 We will accept and appreciate all food donations

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

TOGETHER IN MISSION UPDATE

The parishioners of Holy Cross continue to be generous and supportive of our less fortunate parishes. The Together In Mission amount pledged in 2020 was \$62,975 and all but \$844.39 has been paid. **THANK YOU!**

The 2021 campaign, “Forward with Faith” will be postponed due to the current restrictions on our churches. If any parishioner wishes to get a jump on their 2021 donation, on-line donations can be made through givecentral.org/togetherinmission2021. Please continue to pray for the 67 Together In Mission parishes and the 74 schools that are assisted with your generosity.

Mary & Joseph Retreat Center is and following local directives for health and safety. While numbers are limited, we do have capacity available for groups to hold both day and overnight retreats. Please call to check for availability, and to find out more about our new health & safety guidelines at 310.377.4867. Update from Mary & Joseph: *Check out our new website too!! www.maryjoseph.org

Valentine's Day! Couples Dinner & Celebration Remote Via Zoom with a special dinner to pick-up and serve in your home

Rev. Jim Clarke, PhD, Coordinator of Spiritual Formation, LA Archdiocese

Sunday, February 14, 2021 5:00pm Mass followed by talk & dinner

Wouldn't you love to spend an evening with your beloved to rekindle your love, revitalize your romance, and rejoice in the sacrament of your union? Celebrate your love with a dinner in your home and share a special renewal of your marriage vows led remotely by Fr. Jim Clarke.

Fr. Jim is the Coordinator of Spiritual Formation for the Diaconate Formation Office, LA Archdiocese, Associate Spiritual Director at the House of Prayer for Priests and Senior lecturer at LMU. Fr. Jim Clarke is an author and retreat master having given retreats and workshops for over 40 years. With background in the fields of spirituality, adult education, ritual, counseling and depth psychology, Fr. Jim is a knowledgeable and inspiring retreat leader.

Cost per couple: \$100

You are invited to gather for CENTERING PRAYER AND LECTIO DIVINA on TUESDAY February 9, 2021 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. For further information please contact Sister Betty Mae Bienlein at bmsnd@aol.com if you plan to attend.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week
 Tuesday: The Presentation of the Lord; Blessing of Candles; Groundhog Day
 Wednesday: St. Blaise; St. Ansgar; Blessing of Throats;
 Friday: St. Agatha; First Friday
 Saturday: St. Paul Miki and companions; First Saturday

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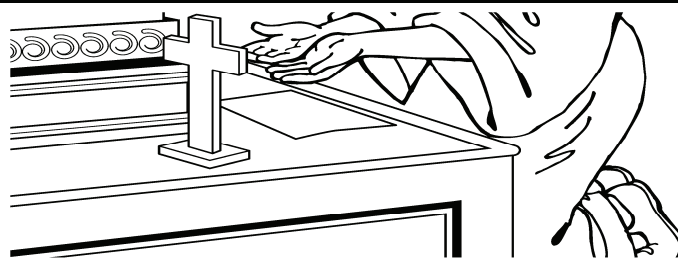
Care more than others think necessary.
 Trust more than others think wise.
 Serve more than others think practical.
 —Anonymous

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Semana de las Escuelas Católicas
 Martes: La Presentación del Señor; Bendición de las velas; Día de la Marmota
 Miércoles: San Blas; san Oscar; Bendición de las gargantas
 Viernes: Santa Águeda; Primer viernes
 Sábado: San Pablo Miki y compañeros; Primer sábado

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Ama más que otros creen necesario.
 Confía más que otros creen prudente.
 Sirve más que otros creen práctico.
 —Anónimo



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Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
 31 de enero de 2021

Vengan, y puestos de rodillas, adoremos y bendigamos al Señor, que nos hizo.

— Salmo 95 (94):6

FALSOS PROFETAS, VERDADEROS PROFETAS

Hoy nos enteramos en Deuteronomio de que las palabras de Dios llenarán la boca de un profeta verdadero, pero un profeta falso, en cierto modo, pone meras palabras mortales en boca de Dios. En el Evangelio según San Marcos, vemos las enseñanzas de Jesús y la curación como obra de un verdadero profeta, uno lleno de la autoridad de la propia voz de Dios, el Santo de Dios.

La historia de nuestra Iglesia está llena de profetas, verdaderos y falsos. Pero en el Evangelio de hoy nos enteramos de que la fama de Jesús se extendió porque enseñaba con autoridad; su autoridad no procedía de que Él fuera popular o famoso. También aprendemos de Él, en sus enfrentamientos en el desierto cuando fue tentado por Satanás, que cualquiera puede citar la Sagrada Escritura, incluso en contra de los propósitos de Dios. Y hoy nos enteramos de que su autoridad no era como la de los escribas, que ocupaban los cargos oficiales de autoridad religiosa en aquella época. Nuestro trabajo consiste en hacer nuestro mejor esfuerzo para discernir los verdaderos profetas que hay en medio de nosotros, y también nosotros mismos ser verdaderos profetas. El salmista nos dice cómo hacerlo: no endurecer nuestro corazón cuando Dios habla. Si de verdad escuchamos a Dios, serán Sus palabras Dios las que llenarán nuestra boca.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Moisés le habló a todo el pueblo diciendo: “El Señor Dios hará surgir en medio de ustedes un profeta como yo” (Deuteronomio 18:15-20).

Salmo — Ojalá escuchen hoy su voz; no endurezcan sus corazones (Salmo 95 [94]).

Segunda lectura — Hermanos y hermanas: Yo quisiera que ustedes vivieran sin preocupaciones (1 Corintios 7:32-35).

Evangelio — Los oyentes quedaron asombrados de sus palabras, pues enseñaba como quien tiene autoridad (Marcos 1:21-28).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Heb 11:32-40; Sal 31 (30):20-24; Mc 5:1-20
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 Miércoles: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Sal 103 (102):1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mc 6:1-6
 Jueves: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Sal 48 (47):2-4, 9-11; Mc 6:7-13
 Viernes: Heb 13:1-8; Sal 27 (26):1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mc 6:14-29
 Sábado: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Mc 6:30-34
 Domingo: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Sal 147 (146):1-6; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mc 1:29-39

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