

Fifth Sunday
of
LENT

"Let the one among you
who is without sin
be the first to throw
a stone at her."

John 8:7



April 3, 2022

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April 3, 2022**

Eucharistic Liturgy Schedule (Mass)

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m.
Sundays: 7:30, 10:00 a.m.,
12:00p.m. (Spanish)

Weekdays:
Monday – Friday: 8:00 a.m.
Thursday- 7:00 pm (Spanish)

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.

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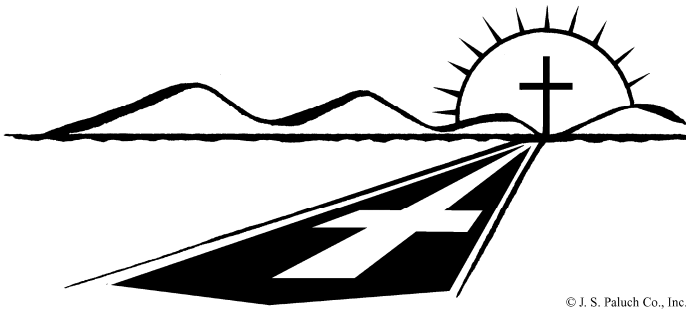
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I consider everything as a loss
because of the supreme good of knowing
Christ Jesus my Lord.
— Philippians 3:8

SOMETHING NEW IN CHRIST

Jesus knew that the scribes and Pharisees were trying to trap him. They put him in what seemed to be a no-win situation. Let the woman who was caught in adultery go, and he would have been accused of ignoring the law. Let her be stoned, and he would fail to show mercy toward her, contradicting his life's message. Jesus' response teaches three crucial lessons: none of us is free of sin; we are not the ultimate judges of others; Jesus is the mercy of God, in whom we can always trust. In Christ, God does something new. When we give our hearts to Christ, we have the hope of new life, a life in which mercy reigns.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord does something new for the chosen people (Isaiah 43:16-21) or Ezekiel 37:12-14.

Psalm — The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy (Psalm 126) or Psalm 130.

Second Reading — The supreme good is knowing Jesus as Lord (Philippians 3:8-14) or Romans 8:8-11.

Gospel — A woman caught in the act of adultery is brought to Jesus. He challenges anyone without sin to throw the first stone (John 8:1-11) or John 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45].

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62];
Ps 23:1-6; Jn 8:12-20 (or Jn 8:1-11 if
(Year A readings were used on Sunday)

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56;
Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-9; Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10-12abcd, 13;
Jn 11:45-56

Sunday: Lk 19:28-40 (procession);
Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24;
Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14 — 23:56 [23:1-49]



Knights of Columbus Council
9969 for the weekend of 4/2-4/3
The Knights of Columbus are now
taking applications for their
annual John and Jane Homze
Scholarship. Application packets
can be found in the vestibule after
all Masses until the weekend of
April 10. The deadline for return-

ing completed applications is Monday, April 18,
2022. Applicants must be a High School Senior and
a member of Holy Cross Parish. The scholarships are
worth \$1,000 each and will be awarded to one fe-
male and one male student. Applications can also be
obtained by contacting Youth Ministry Director
Danny Cleary (805-529-0641) or any member of the
Knights of Columbus. For more information, contact
leonardcruz386@yahoo.com

Fish Fry Fridays are back! Join the Knights Friday
nights through April 8th from 5PM-7PM at the
Cosgrove Center for the best fish fry around. See the
flyer in the bulletin for prices.

All are invited to Join Holy Cross Knights of
Columbus Council 9969 as we recite our Scriptural
Rosary on Wednesday, April 27th at 7:30PM at the
Chapel.

If you wish to attend the Scriptural Rosary via Zoom
or if you have any questions, please contact Leonard
Cruz at (805) 889-1620 or E-mail
leonardcruz386@yahoo.com

Holy Cross Parishioners -

**We are looking for volunteers to help
decorate the Church for Easter. If you are
available we will be in the Church on Holy
Saturday, April 16th starting at 9 a.m.
Thank you!!**



Pray for ...

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Manuel Barrera	Maria Jimenez	Maria Guadalupe Vargas
Jamie Belch	Kathy Lane	Jamie Vlach
Drew Boxley	Eliana Rose Lara	Debbie Warn
Kylie Boxley	Heather Ledesma	Justin Warn
Ed Brown	Janet Yandle	Ata Bohaei
Mela Cano	Christina Morelli	Karen Withers
Madison Choate	Ramona Patterson	Pilar Ramirez
Terri Cipriano	Armando Perez	Ramon Godinez
Guadalupe Contreras	John Perez	David Bowden
Arlene Delnero	Breanna Pflaumer	Maria Hinojosa
Yves Fournier	Dana Powell	Mark Stetz
Juan Gonzalez	Robin Reggano	Shannon Ferraez
Lupe Gonzalez	Ramon Ricafort	Patrick Withers
Manuel Gonzalez	Mark Scharler	Michael Cosenza
Katelin Hernandez	Steve Schuesler	
Margaret Jimenez	Minnie Stuehrmann	

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

We are looking for willing hands that would like to share their talents of knitting and crochet. We will meet the first Wednesday of each month in the Dining Room in the Administration Building. Bring your lunch/snack and join us at 11:30 am. If you need additional information, please call Marie Pierce at 805-523-0091



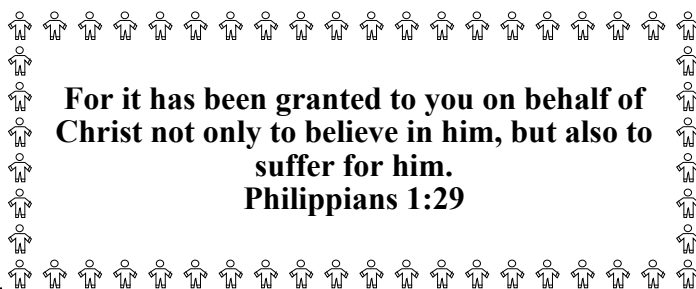
“Can Life Be Merely An Accident?”

YOUNG ADULTS – Ages 18 - 40.....ish

Join us this Tuesday at 5:30pm for dinner at Don Cuco’s in Moorpark, followed by a University Series talk by Dr. Piccioni, Ph.D. in high energy physics.

For info, call Jim at 805 587-2675 or email jctym@hotmail.com

The annual Honoring Our Clergy dinner is back this year! Please join your fellow parishioners from St. Peter Claver, St. Rose of Lima and Holy Cross in honoring our Clergy, Deacons and Nuns on Friday, April 29th at the St. Peter Claver Parish Hall. Social hour begins at 6PM and dinner will be served at 7PM. Tickets are \$35 each and seating is limited. Please see any of the Knights before or after Mass to purchase tickets or for more information. Tickets are also available from the Parish office. This event is sure to be popular, so purchase your tickets now!



For it has been granted to you on behalf of Christ not only to believe in him, but also to suffer for him.
Philippians 1:29

Did you know? April 2-3

“United Together in Prayer” Novena
In honor of National Child Abuse Prevention Month this April, the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. invites you to join us in transforming awareness into action by participating in a special nine-day Novena for Protecting and Healing from Abuse, April 22-30. For more information and to join the Novena on April 22, please visit <https://lacatholics.org/united-together/>.

Novena “Unidos en oración”
En honor al Mes Nacional de la Prevención del Abuso Infantil en abril, la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles les invita a unirse a nosotros para transformar la conciencia en acción al participar en una Novena especial de nueve días para la Protección y la Sanación del Abuso, del 22 al 30 de abril. Para obtener más información y unirse a la Novena el 22 de abril, visite <https://lacatholics.org/united-together/>.

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BULLETIN BOARD



Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items

We will accept and appreciate all food donations

- Fresh produce (fruit, veggies, eggs, milk)
- Sandwich bread, jelly, canned mixed vegetables, jell-o,
- Laundry soap, hygiene products (soap, toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Fifth Sunday of Lent
- Monday: St. Isidore
- Tuesday: St. Vincent Ferrer
- Thursday: St. John Baptist de la Salle
- Friday: Abstinence

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Fifth Sunday of Lent
 By your help, we beseech you, Lord our God,
 may we walk eagerly in that same charity
 with which, out of love for the world,
 your Son handed himself over to death.
 Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
 who lives and reigns with you
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

How do I follow the example of Jesus in loving others?
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TRUE TEACHERS

Believe one who has tried, you shall find a fuller satisfaction in the woods than in books. The trees and the rocks will teach you that which you cannot hear from the masters.
 —St. Bernard of Clairvaux

HELPING YOUR NEIGHBOR

If you truly want to help the soul of your neighbor, you should approach God first with all your heart. Ask God simply to fill you with charity . . . with it you can accomplish what you desire.
 —St. Vincent Ferrer

SCHEDULE OF LITURGIES
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
 Penance Service April 4, 2022
 7:00 PM

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 2022

Morning Prayer – 8:00 AM
 Mass of the Lord’s Supper – 6:00 PM (English)
 and
 7:30 PM (Spanish)

GOOD FRIDAY OF THE LORD’S PASSION
APRIL 15, 2022

Morning Prayer – 8:00 AM
 Way of the Cross 12:00 PM
 Good Friday service 2:00 PM
 Via Cruz 6:00 PM
 Pasión del Señor 7:00 PM

THE VIGIL OF THE LORD’S
RESURRECTION
HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2022

Service of Light, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of
 Initiation,
 Easter Mass – 7:30 PM

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2022

Easter Mass – 7:30, 10:00 AM (English), 12:00
 PM (Spanish)



June 20-24
 Cultural
 Exploration



June 27-July 1
 Leadership



July 5-8
 S.T.E.M.



July 11-15
 Creativity

Camp Louisville invites middle school students to experiment, play, learn, explore, and create on the stunning campus of Louisville High School. Come find your roar at Camp Louisville.
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5th-8th Grade Boys and Girls
 9 AM - 3 PM
 with before and after care

\$400/week if registered by March 31

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 [41c-62];
Sal 23 (22):1-6; Jn 8:12-20 (o Jn 8:1-11
si es que se usaron las lecturas del
Año A el domingo)

Martes: Nm 21:4-9; Sal 102 (101):2-3, 16-21;
Jn 8:21-30

Miércoles: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56;
Jn 8:31-42

Jueves: Gn 17:3-9; Sal 105 (104):4-9; Jn 8:51-59

Viernes: Jer 20:10-13; Sal 18 (17):2-7; Jn 10:31-
42

Sábado: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10-12abcd, 13;
Jn 11:45-56

Domingo: Lc 19:28-40 (procesión);
Is 50:4-7; Sal 22 (21):8-9, 17-20, 23-24;
Flp 2:6-11; Lc 22:14 — 23:56 [23

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma
Lunes: San Isidoro
Martes: San Vicente Ferrer
Jueves: San Juan Bautista de la Salle
Viernes: Abstinencia

ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma
Te rogamos, Señor Dios nuestro,
que, con tu auxilio, avancemos animosamente
hacia aquel grado de amor con el que tu Hijo,
por la salvación del mundo, se entregó a la muerte.
Él, que vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu
Santo
y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

Pregunta de reflexión:

¿Cómo sigo el ejemplo de Jesús de amar a los demás?

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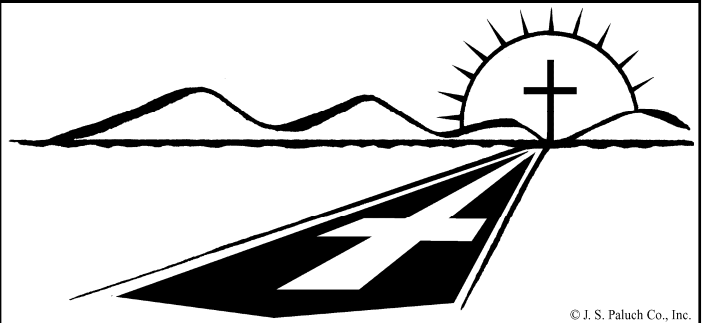
Cree en alguien que ha intentado, y encontrarás
mayor satisfacción en los bosques que en los libros. Los
árboles y las rocas te enseñarán lo que no puedes oír de
boca de los maestros.

—San Bernardo de Claraval

AYUDAR AL PRÓJIMO

Si de veras quieres ayudar el alma de tu prójimo,
debes primero acercarte a Dios con todo tu corazón.
Simplemente pide a Dios que te llene de caridad. . . con
ella podrás lograr lo que deseas.

—San Vicente Ferrer



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Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma
3 de abril de 2022

Más aún pienso que nada vale la pena
en comparación con el bien supremo,
que consiste en conocer a Cristo Jesús,
mi Señor.

— Filipenses 3:8

ALGO NUEVO EN CRISTO

Jesús sabía que los escribas y los fariseos estaban
tratando de atraparlo. Ellos lo pusieron en lo que parecía
ser un callejón sin salida. Si dejaba ir a la mujer
sorpresa en adulterio, sería acusado de ignorar la ley.
Si dejaba que la apedrearán, fallaría en mostrar
misericordia hacia ella, contradiciendo el mensaje de su
vida. La respuesta de Jesús enseña tres lecciones
cruciales: ninguno de nosotros está libre de pecado; no
somos los jueces supremos de los demás; Jesús es la
misericordia de Dios, en quien siempre podemos confiar.
En Cristo, Dios hace algo nuevo. Cuando damos nuestros
corazones a Cristo, tenemos la esperanza de una nueva
vida, una vida en la que la misericordia reina.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera Lectura — El Señor hace algo nuevo para que el
pueblo escogido (Isaías 43:16-21) o Ezequiel 37:12-14.

Salmo — El Señor ha estado grande con nosotros, y
estamos alegres (Salmo 126 [125]) o Salmo 130(129).

Segunda Lectura — El bien supremo es conocer a Jesús
como Señor (Filipenses 3:8-14) o Romanos 8:8-11.

Evangelio — Sorprenden a una mujer en el acto de
adulterio. Que el que no tenga pecado tire la primera
piedra (Juan 8:1-11) o Juan 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-
45].

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