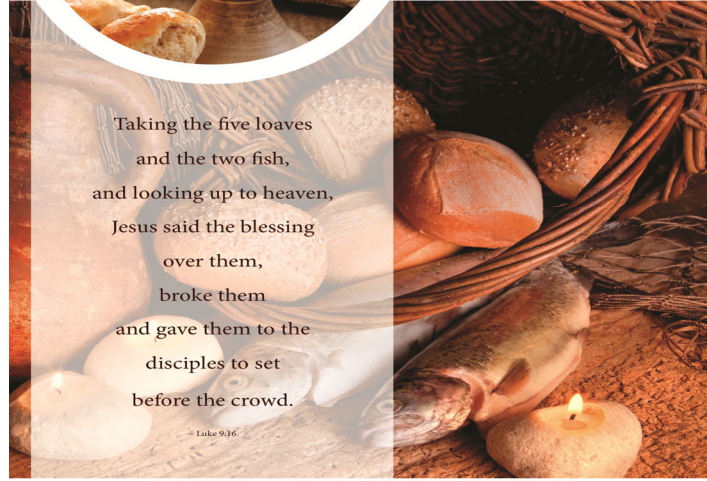


June 19, 2022



*The Most Holy
Body and Blood
of Christ*



Taking the five loaves
and the two fish,
and looking up to heaven,
Jesus said the blessing
over them,
broke them
and gave them to the
disciples to set
before the crowd.

~ Luke 9:16

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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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[A]s often as you eat this bread
and drink the cup,
you proclaim the death of the Lord
until he comes.

— 1 Corinthians 11:26

THE GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST

Today we hear how Abram encounters Melchizedek, “king of Salem . . . and a priest of God Most High” (Genesis 14:18). Melchizedek appears nowhere else in scripture, but is nonetheless significant. Psalm 110 declares of the great King David, “You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek,” a description later given (in the letter to the Hebrews) to Christ as High Priest.

Early Christians saw in Melchizedek’s bread and wine the bread and wine of the Eucharist; Paul’s account of the Last Supper (in today’s second reading) is the oldest one in scripture. In the Gospel, Luke describes Jesus providing bread for a crowd in words similar to Paul’s, words still used by the Church: Jesus takes bread, gives thanks, breaks it. Together, these three readings reveal how Christian priesthood, Christ’s Real Presence, and the call to serve those in need are all found in the gift of the Eucharist.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Melchizedek brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).

Psalm — You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110).

Second Reading — Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-26).

Gospel — Jesus feeds the crowd with five loaves and two fish (Luke 9:11b-17).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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 Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Ps 48:2-4, 10-11; Mt 7:6, 12-14
 Wednesday: 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Ps 119:33-37, 40; Mt 7:15-20
 Thursday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17
 Day: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80
 Friday: Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7
 Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Ps 74:1b-7, 20-21; Lk 2:41-51
 Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62



Knights of Columbus Council 9969 for the weekend of 6/18- 6/19

Be sure to add the Knights of Columbus Council 9969 Family Picnic to your calendars – Sunday, June 26th at Poindexter Park from 1PM-5PM. Come celebrate the end of the Columbian year with

your brother Knights!

All are invited to Join Holy Cross Knights of Columbus Council 9969 as we recite our Scriptural Rosary on Wednesday, June 29th at 7:30PM at the Chapel. If you wish to attend the Scriptural Rosary via Zoom, please contact Leonard Cruz at (805) 889-1620 or E-mail leonardcruz386@yahoo.com

Next week we will take up the Peter’s Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.





Pray for ...

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You are invited to gather for CENTERING PRAYER AND LECTIO DIVINA on TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 2022 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. For further information please contact Sister Betty Mae Bienlein at bbienlein@sndca.org if you plan to attend. The purpose of the gathering is to deepen one's relationship with God through contemplative prayer and to explore how God speaks to each of us through the Scriptures. These gatherings take place on ZOOM on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month. The ZOOM link will be emailed to you on the weekend prior to each Tuesday gathering. All are welcome.

CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Looking for ways to prepare and manage your financial future? Avoid probate: Protect your home and assets.

On Tuesday, July 19, 2022 Holy Cross will offer free informational seminars explaining the process of Catholic Estate Planning. This seminar will last 90 minutes and refreshments will be served. Seminars will be at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. in rooms 21 & 22 of the Parish Hall. Representatives from the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, an estate attorney and financial planner will be joining us to discuss:

- How to avoid costly probate fees
- The importance for individuals and couples to have a WILL and Trust prepared
- Guardianship of minor children and children with special needs
- Catholic teachings on advance healthcare directives
- Vehicles and tools for charitable giving

Please RSVP by calling the parish office at (805) 529-1397 or email jstevens@holycross-moorpark.org to reserve a seat.



But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.
Isaiah 40:31

**Did you know?
 June 18-19**

Open lines of communication are critical to child safety
 A predator often works within a culture of silence to isolate and abuse children. When parents and other trusted adults fail to see the warning signs of abuse, silence can cause deep harm to young victims. Sometimes, an adult who is willing to simply listen without judgment or disbelief can save a child from abuse. Communication and listening can be lifesaving. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article "Our Kitchen Table: Keeping an Open Dialogue about Sexual Abuse" at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

Las líneas abiertas de comunicación son fundamentales para la seguridad de los niños
 Un depredador a menudo trabaja dentro de una cultura de silencio para aislar y abusar de los niños. Cuando los padres de familia y otros adultos de confianza no ven las señales de advertencia de abuso, el silencio puede causar un daño profundo a las víctimas jóvenes. A veces, un adulto que está dispuesto a simplemente escuchar sin juzgar o sin incredulidad puede salvar a un niño del abuso. La comunicación y la escucha pueden salvar vidas. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés en VIRTUS®, "Our Kitchen Table: Keeping an Open Dialogue about Sexual Abuse" (Nuestra mesa de cocina: cómo mantener un diálogo abierto sobre el abuso sexual) en lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

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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: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ; Father's Day; Juneteenth
- Monday: Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time
- Tuesday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer begins
- Wednesday: St. Paulinus of Nola; Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More
- Thursday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
- Friday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
- Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)
 O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament have left us a memorial of your Passion, grant us, we pray, so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood that we may always experience in ourselves the fruits of your redemption.
 Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:
 How am I part of the Body of Christ in the world?
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PATIENCE

Patience is the ability to idle your motor when you feel like stripping your gears.
 —Anonymous

FATHERHOOD

A father carries pictures where his money used to be.
 —Anonymous

Soul Gardening: Sacrament of the Present Moment

Rev. Terry Hershey

6:00 pm Friday, August 12 to 1:30 pm Sunday, August 14, 2022

People who love the world, who pay attention, are gardeners, whether or not they have ever picked up a trowel ~ because gardening is not just about digging. Gardening is about cherishing ~ and to cherish, one must be present ... Here! Now!

We see that the ordinary is the hiding place for the holy and ... open our heart to the rhythms of "the garden"; embrace the demanding marriage of loving and losing; cultivate appreciation for ordinary gifts of grace, the value of solitude, and the healing power of nature; nurture our soul, and renew our sense of life's fullness. Gardens are sacred places that can offer healing for mind, body, and soul. Experience our gardens as restorative, inspiring, & life-giving. Participate in outdoor & indoor workshops, exploring "sanctuary" gardens, with personal time for walks, prayer, rocking chairs, and reflection.

Terry Hershey is an author, humorist, inspirational speaker, ordained minister, and smitten by French wine. He divides his time between designing sanctuary gardens & sharing his practice of "pausing" & "sanctuary," to help us do less and live more. Terry's book, Sanctuary: Creating places for grace in your life, offers permission to slow down and to be gentle with ourselves. Most days, you can find Terry out in his garden—on Vashon Island in the Puget Sound - because he believes that there is something fundamentally spiritual about dirt under your fingernails.

Cost: per person/shared \$250; single \$350; commuter \$160

Event page on website and online registration maryjoseph.org

FATHER STEVE'S FAREWELL

At the end of June, after 18 years of ministering to families here, Fr. Steve Thoma will leave Holy Cross Parish. Beginning July 1st, he will begin his new assignment as pastor of the Immaculate Conception Parish in Columbia, IL.

This location will bring him closer to his St. Louis community of the Congregation of the Resurrection and of course his mother.

A Farewell Receptions are planned for after the Saturday 4:00 PM Mass on June 25th, and the 7:30 AM and 10:00 AM Sunday Masses on 26th on the church patio.

Please stop by to thank him for his years of service as one of our priests and to wish him well as he continues our Lord work in a new setting.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 2 Re 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Sal 60 (59):3-5, 12-13; Mt 7:1-5
Martes: 2 Re 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Sal 48 (47):2-4, 10-11; Mt 7:6, 12-14
Miércoles: 2 Re 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Sal 119 (118):33-37, 40; Mt 7:1-5
Jueves: Vigilia: Jer 1:4-10; Sal 71 (70):1-6, 15, 17; 1 Pe 1:8-12; Lc 1:5-17
 Día: Is 49:1-6; Sal 139 (138):1-3, 13-15; Hch 13:22-26; Lc 1:57-66, 80
Viernes: Ez 34:11-16; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Rom 5:5b-11; Lc 15:3-7
Sábado: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Sal 74 (73):1b-7, 20-21; Lc 2:41-51
Domingo: 1 Re 19:16b, 19-21; Sal 16 (15):1-2, 5, 7-11; Gál 5:1, 13-18; Lc 9:51-62

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: El Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo; Juneteenth (Día de la Emancipación); Día de los Padres
Lunes: Decimosegunda Semana del Tiempo Ordinario
Martes: San Luis Gonzaga; Inicio del Verano
Miércoles: San Paulino de Nola; San Juan Fisher y Santo Tomás Moro
Jueves: La Natividad de San Juan Bautista
Viernes: El Sagrado Corazón de Jesús
Sábado: El Inmaculado Corazón de María

ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

El Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo
 Señor nuestro Jesucristo,
 que en este admirable sacramento
 nos dejaste el memorial de tu pasión,
 concédenos venerar de tal modo
 los sagrados misterios de tu Cuerpo y de tu Sangre,
 que experimentemos continuamente en nosotros
 el fruto de tu redención.
 Tú que vives y reinas con el Padre en la unidad
 del Espíritu Santo
 y eres Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

Pregunta de reflexión:

¿Cómo soy yo parte del Cuerpo de Cristo en el mundo?
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PACIENCIA

La paciencia en un momento de enojo evitará cien
 días de dolor.
 —Anónimo



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**El Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo
 (Corpus Christi)**

19 de junio de 2022

Cada vez que ustedes comen de este pan
 y beben de este cáliz,
 proclaman la muerte del Señor,
 hasta que vuelva.

— 1 Corintios 11:26

EL DON DE LA EUCARISTÍA

Hoy escuchamos cómo Abraham se encuentra con Melquisedec “rey de Salem... y sacerdote del Dios Altísimo” (Génesis 14:18). Melquisedec no se menciona en otra parte de las Escrituras, pero sin embargo es significativo. El salmo 110 declara del importante rey David: “Tú eres sacerdote para siempre, en la línea de Melquisedec”, una descripción que más adelante se da (en la carta a los hebreos) de Cristo como Sumo Sacerdote.

Los primeros cristianos veían en el pan y el vino de Melquisedec el pan y el vino de la Eucaristía; el relato de Pablo de la Última Cena (en la segunda lectura de hoy) es el más antiguo del Nuevo Testamento. En el Evangelio, Lucas describe a Jesús dando pan a una multitud con palabras similares a las de Pablo, palabras que todavía utiliza la Iglesia: Jesús toma el pan, ofrece palabras de acción de gracias y lo parte. Juntas estas tres lecturas revelan cómo el sacerdocio cristiano, la presencia real de Cristo y la llamada a servir a los pobres y marginados se encuentran en el don de la Eucaristía.
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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Melquisedec sacó pan y vino y bendijo a Abram (Génesis 14:18-20).

Salmo — Tú eres sacerdote eterno, según el rito de Melquisedec (Salmo 110 [109]).

Segunda lectura — Pablo da su descripción de la institución de la Eucaristía (1 Corintios 11:23-26).

Evangelio — Jesús habla a la multitud sobre el reino de Dios y luego la alimenta con cinco panes y dos pescados (Lucas 9:11b-17).

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