

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions.

Luke 12:15



July 31, 2022

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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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Teach us to number our days aright,
that we may gain wisdom of heart.
— Psalm 90:12

THE CENTER OF A MEANINGFUL LIFE

Today's readings invite us to reflect upon some of life's deepest questions, and to explore the meaning of faith. We hear of the universal human search for meaning in our lives in the book of Ecclesiastes. In Luke's Gospel, we hear Jesus' parable about one who foolishly seeks ultimate security through the accumulation of wealth. In Colossians, faith in the crucified and resurrected Christ is proclaimed as the path to a richly purposeful and meaningful life. The path of Christian faith places our work, our sufferings, and our limitations within the larger picture of God's purposes for all of us. In Jesus, God is revealed as our companion in human suffering and limitation. God's love is at the center of a meaningful life. We place our trust in this loving God, who created us to share in this love, and to share this love with others. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Do not spend your life toiling for material gain (Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23).

Psalm — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 90).

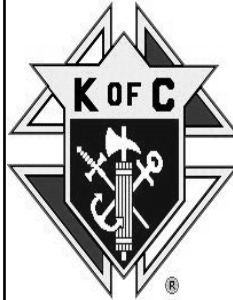
Second Reading — Christ has raised you to new life, so seek now what is above (Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11).

Gospel — Be on guard against all greed, for your life does not consist of earthly possessions, but of the riches of the reign of God (Luke 12:13-21).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:13-21
Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23
Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36
Sunday: Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22; Hb 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lk 12:32-48 [35-40]



Knights of Columbus Council
9969 for the weekend of 7/30-7/31
The 26th Annual 9969 Foundation
Golf Tournament is set for
Sunday, August 14th at beautiful
Moorpark CC in Moorpark. This
is our biggest charitable
fund-raising event of the year.
Plenty of sponsorship

opportunities are available. Price per player is \$175, which includes lunch and dinner. The 9969 Foundation will also be having a wine social beginning at 4PM on the patio at Moorpark CC for you non-golfers. Pick up a Tournament brochure in the vestibule or contact Tournament Chairman Andy Wilrodt (awillrodt@earthlink.net) for details. All are invited to Join Holy Cross Knights of Columbus Council 9969 as we recite our Scriptural Rosary on Wednesday, August 31st 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

Attention Holy Cross Parishioners!!

After two years of no Ministry Faire we will be holding one in the Fall! If you have any interest in participating in the Faire or have any ideas about a ministry you would like to see started at Holy Cross please join us Wednesday, August 3rd at 7pm on the patio next to the church. All ideas are welcome and appreciated. We will also have an idea box in the vestibule where you can submit your ideas and see what ministries are available here at Holy Cross. God Bless and hope to see you this Wednesday.

Pray for ...

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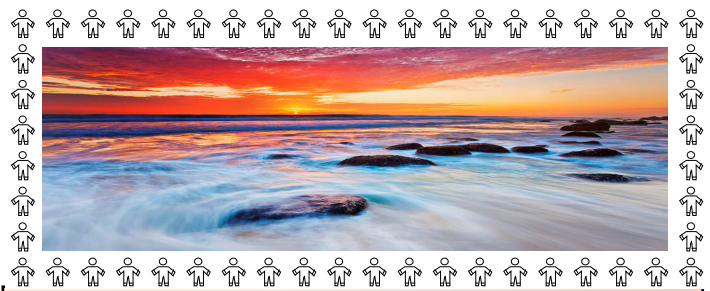
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Ed Brown	Pilar Ramirez	Steve Schuesler
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Juan Gonzalez	Maria Hinojosa	
Kathy Lane	Mark Stetz	
Eliana Rose Lara	Shannon Ferraez	
Heather Ledesma	Patrick Withers	
Janet Yandle	Michael Cosenza	
Christina Morelli	Conner Cipriano	
Armando Perez	Adele Mars	
Breanna Pflaumer	Jerry Vaughan	
Ramon Ricafort	Juan Luna	
Mark Scharler	Orlando Delnero	
Minnie Stuehrmann	Perez Family	



YOUNG ADULTS – Ages 18 - 40.....ish
 Join us this Tuesday, August 2nd at 7:00pm
 6990 Lafayette Street, Moorpark
 For info, call Jim at 805 587-2675 or
 Email at Jctym@hotmail.com

Letter from Father Steve

“Too much good stuff!”
 It’s been three weeks since my departure from St. John’s Seminary. During my drive across country I had time to reflect upon my final weekend at Holy Cross. The image that kept coming to my mind was a commercial created by AM/PM gas station, with the popular phrase “Too much good stuff,” a reference to all the good things AM/PM sells that they want us to buy! Without price I received “too much good stuff” during my last weekend! There was applause, lines of well-wishers, kind words, gift cards to various places, checks, cash, scones and biscotti, mugs, rosaries, pictures, a couple of Matchbox race cars and more food than could be found at AM/PM! Thank you from the bottom of my heart for eighteen wonderful years and all the “good stuff” I was not expecting but extremely grateful for. May you all be blessed for your kindness and generosity!
 Let’s keep in touch. Here is some contact information:
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 411 Palmer Road
 Columbia, Il. 62236
 frsteve@iccmil.org
 I’d love to hear from you and keep up-to-date on all things Holy Cross Parish!
 In the Risen Lord,
 Fr. Steve Thoma, C.R.



**Did you know?
 July 30-31**

Underage drinking can cause brain damage
 Underage drinking can certainly get your teen into a lot of trouble — loss of driving privileges, fines, and even criminal charges. But underage drinking can also cause significant brain damage. An adolescent’s brain does not fully develop until the age of 25. Early alcohol use can affect that development, causing memory problems and potential dependency on alcohol later in life. For more information to share with your teenagers, read the VIRTUS® article, “Underage drinking isn’t just illegal, it damages the brain” at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

El consumo de alcohol por menores puede causar daño cerebral

El consumo de alcohol por menores de edad sin duda puede causar muchos problemas a su hijo adolescente: pérdida de los privilegios de conducir, multas e incluso cargos penales. Pero el consumo de alcohol por menores de edad también puede causar un daño cerebral significativo. El cerebro de un adolescente no se desarrolla por completo hasta los 25 años. El consumo temprano de alcohol puede afectar ese desarrollo, causando problemas de memoria y una posible dependencia del alcohol más adelante en la vida. Para obtener más información para compartir con sus hijos adolescentes, lea el artículo de VIRTUS® en inglés, “Underage drinking isn’t just illegal, it damages the brain” (El consumo de alcohol por menores de edad no solo es ilegal, sino que también daña el cerebro) 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)

Looking for a unique way to help? The Holy Cross Tech Team is the place for you! You don't need to be a "techie" and you don't need any special skills - in fact, many of our team members aren't technically-oriented at all! We'll train you to setup and use the sound system and how to live-mix the sound for Masses. In addition to audio techs, we are also seeking folks who can assist in other Parish technology-related areas such as documentation, web design, networking, application support and electronic equipment maintenance and repair. If you or someone you know has even the slightest interest, please call the parish office or email your contact information to Mark Fisher at TechDirector@HolyCross-Moorpark.org

Streaming announcement

We have been live-streaming our weekend Masses on Facebook since April of 2020, and we hope that this service has helped you maintain a connection to the Parish and strengthen your relationship with the Lord during this challenging time. With the lifting of restrictions and the return to normal life, live-streaming of our Masses will be discontinued after Sunday August 7, 2022. For those who wish to worship outside, we will continue to provide our radio broadcast service in the parking lot and audio is available on the patio.

Reflection question:

How has the Lord answered my prayers?
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WORRY

Don't tell me that worry doesn't do any good. I know better. The things I worry about never happen.
 —Anonymous

The Church in the United States has launched a three-year Eucharistic Revival with the aim of enkindling a living relationship with Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Join Archbishop José H. Gomez for a daylong Archdiocesan Eucharistic Congress on Saturday, August 13 from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels. This event will feature presentations by Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Chris Stefanick, and Sr. Miriam Jones Heidland, SOLT, along with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Mass. Admission is FREE. Go to lacatholics.org/eucharist for more information and to register.

La Iglesia en los Estados Unidos ha lanzado un tiempo de Avivamiento Eucarístico con el objetivo de encender una relación viva con Jesucristo en la Sagrada Eucaristía. Únase al Arzobispo José H. Gomez para un Congreso Eucarístico Arquidiocesano el sábado 13 de agosto de 9 a.m. a 5:30 p.m. en la Catedral de Nuestra Señora de los Ángeles. Este evento contará con presentaciones de Noel Díaz, el Padre Agustino Torres, y la Hermana Hilda Mateo. Además, tendremos la oportunidad de orar durante la Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento y la Santa Misa. La entrada es GRATUITA. Visite lacatholics.org/eucharist para obtener más información e inscribirse.

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.

**Rachel's Vineyard
 Retreat weekend
 for Healing after Abortion**

Rachel's Vineyard retreat is for men and women struggling with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. The retreat is designed to help participants work through repressed grief and anger in a safe, nonjudgmental setting and come to acceptance, healing, and hope for the future. Developed in the Roman Catholic Tradition, it utilizes spiritual exercises and rituals to help grieve the loss of unborn children and to accept God's forgiveness. All inquiries and registrations are confidential.
www.youtube.com/user/rachelsvineyard
 September 23-25, 2022
 San Fernando, CA
 Cost: \$300. per person
 For registration or more information please call 323-577-5693
 or email RVLA.christine@gmail.com
www.rachelsvineyard.org

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Jer 28:1-17; Sal 119 (118):29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:13-21

Martes: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Sal 102 (101):16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 o Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Miércoles: Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28

Jueves: Jer 31:31-34; Sal 51 (50):12-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

Viernes: Nah 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28

Sábado: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Sal 97 (96):1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pe 1:16-19; Lc 9:28b-36

Domingo: Sab 18:6-9; Sal 33 (32):1, 12, 18-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lc 12:32-48 [35-40]

Para Técnicos

¿Estás pensando en cómo ayudar de una forma especial? El Equipo Técnico de Holy Cross es el lugar para ti. No necesitas ser un ‘experto técnico’ ni tener talentos especiales- es más, muchos miembros de nuestro equipo ni siquiera son técnicamente orientados. Nosotros te instruiremos en cómo preparar y usar el sistema de sonido y cómo mezclarlo en vivo durante las misas. Además de técnicos de audio, también buscamos personas que puedan ayudar en otras áreas tecnológicas de la parroquia tales como documentación, diseño y funcionamiento de la red, fuentes de aplicación y equipo electrónico, así como mantenimiento y reparación. Si tú o algún conocido tuyo están interesados, favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial o envíen su correo electrónico a Mark Fisher al TechDirector@HolyCross-Moorpark.org

Anuncio Sobre la Difusión de las Misas

Desde abril del 2020 hemos estado transmitiendo las misas dominicales a través de Facebook, y esperamos que este servicio les haya ayudado a mantenerse conectados con la parroquia y se hayan fortalecido en su relación con Dios durante este tiempo de prueba. Con el final de las restricciones y el regreso a la vida normal, la difusión televisiva de las misas llegará a su fin después del domingo 7 de agosto, 2022. Sin embargo, para beneficio de los que aún prefieran estar afuera de la iglesia, seguiremos difundiendo las misas por radio hacia el patio y el estacionamiento.

Pregunta de reflexión:

¿Cómo responde el Señor a mis oraciones?
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PREOCUPACIÓN

No me digas que preocuparme no sirve de nada. Yo sí sé. Aquello por lo que me preocupo nunca pasa.
—Anónimo



Decimoctavo Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario
31 de julio de 2022
Enseñamos a calcular nuestros años
para que adquiramos un corazón sensato.
— Salmo 90 (89):12

EL CENTRO DE UNA VIDA CON SENTIDO

Las lecturas de hoy nos invitan a reflexionar sobre algunas de las cuestiones más profundas de la vida y a explorar el significado de la fe. En el libro del Eclesiastés escuchamos acerca de la búsqueda humana universal del sentido de nuestras vidas. En el Evangelio de Lucas escuchamos la parábola de Jesús que habla de quien busca tontamente la seguridad definitiva mediante la acumulación de riquezas. En la carta a los colosenses, la fe en Cristo crucificado y resucitado, se proclama como el camino hacia una vida abundante en propósitos y con sentido. El camino de la fe cristiana pone nuestro trabajo, nuestros sufrimientos y nuestras limitaciones dentro de un panorama más amplio de los propósitos de Dios para todos nosotros. En Jesús, Dios se revela como nuestro compañero en el sufrimiento y las limitaciones humanas. El amor de Dios está en el centro de una vida con sentido. Ponemos nuestra confianza en este Dios amoroso, que nos creó para compartir este amor, y para compartir este amor con los demás.
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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — No pases la vida luchando por las ventajas materiales (Eclesiastés 1:2; 2:21-23).
Salmo — Ojalá escuchen la voz del Señor: “No endurezcan el corazón” (Salmo 90 [89]).
Segunda lectura — Cristo te ha resucitado a una nueva vida (Colosenses 3:1-5, 9-11).
Evangelio — Esté alerta en contra de toda ambición, porque tu vida no consiste en las posesiones materiales, sino en las riquezas del Reino de Dios (Lucas 12:13-21).
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