



15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them. - Mk 6:7, 13

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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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SUNDAY'S READINGS**First Reading:**

"The LORD took me from following the flock, and said to me,

Go, prophesy to my people Israel." (Am 7:15)

Psalm:

Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation. (Ps 85)

Second Reading:

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

who has blessed us in Christ

with every spiritual blessing in the heavens,

as he chose us in him, before the foundation of the world. (Eph 1:3-4)

Gospel:

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two. (Mk 6:7)

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Readings for the week of July 14, 2024

Sunday: Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)/Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13

Monday: Is 1:10-17/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 10:34—11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9/Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15/Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21/Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16/Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5/Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/Mt 12:14-21

Next Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

**Knights of Columbus Council 9969 for the weekend of 7/13-7/14**

The 2024 9969 Foundation Golf Tournament, set for Sunday, August 11th at beautiful Moorpark CC, is Sold Out! Again! Selling your Super Drawing tickets is a great way to ensure our most important fund-raising event is a

success.

The Council needs help from all Brother Knights with raffle and silent auction items for the Tournament. We also need Brother Knights to create gift baskets for the Tournament. The raffle, silent auction and baskets generate a lot fund-raising opportunities at the Tournament, and the more choices we have to offer, the better. **Please contact Tournament Chairman SK/PGK Mike Ohler at pgkbulldogg@aol.com or 805-231-0677** for more details, or better yet, plan on the upcoming tournament planning meeting at the Chapel, 7PM on July 18th. Thanks again to all Brother Knights for their participation and contributions.

All are invited to join the Holy Cross Knights of Columbus Council 9969 as we recite our Scriptural Rosary on Wednesday, July 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.**

Why not join your Brother Knights for the August General Business Meeting on Thursday, August 8th at 730PM at the Chapel? There will be plenty of opportunities to get involved with the many charitable efforts your council supports. We need your help!

Please consider joining the 9969 Foundation (a 501 (c)3 organization) GEM program. Signing up through your bank's auto bill-pay service is simple and easy and offers a host of benefits to both you and the Foundation. You can choose a monthly amount that's comfortable, and every dollar donated above your annual dues amount is tax deductible and benefits local Moorpark charities. And since the 9969 Foundation is a 501(c)3 organization, your donations may be eligible for matching funds if your employer offers that benefit.

Pray for ...

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Jamie Belch	David Bowden	Noel Lisenbery
Ed Brown	Maria Hinojosa	Crystal Gomez
Yves Fournier	Shannon Ferraez	Silvia Coccozza
Juan Gonzalez	Patrick Withers	Joni Vasquez
Kathy Lane	Michael Cosenza	Nina Betancourt
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Pilar Ramirez	Vanda Glaspey	
Ramon Godinez	Shannon	



Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items

We will accept and appreciate all food donations

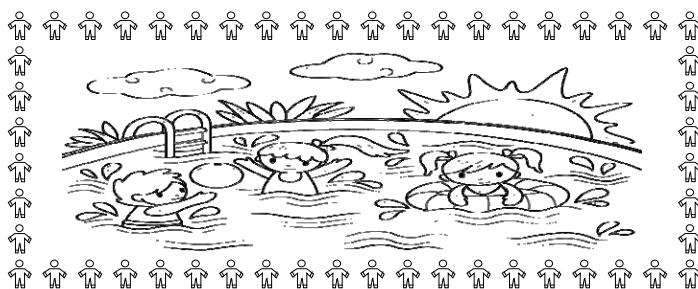
Small jar of peanut butter	Pasta Sauce
Jelly / jam	Bagged beans 16oz.
Canned mixed vegetables	Jell-O
Canned fruit	Mac n Cheese
Pasta	

Holy Cross Youth Ministry would like to extend a huge thank you to the faith community of Holy Cross.

Due to your generosity during our last Ice cream float sale we were not only able to just assist teens who attended the SAW leadership retreat with registration but pay in full for 7 of our teens to attend the retreat! This retreat is a great opportunity for our young people to learn and grow in faith with the goal being to return to Holy Cross and share the experience with their peers and the parish! Thank you for your constant support of Holy Cross Youth Ministry!

Danny Cleary -Youth Minister

Our Religious Gift Store is open after each Mass on the first and third Sundays of each month and for Special Sacraments.



Did You Know? July 13-14

Summer safety tips: Ways to prevent unintentional drowning deaths

Drowning is the second leading cause of unintentional injury death for children 5-14 years old, and every year in the United States there are more than 4,000 unintentional drowning deaths, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Preventing unsupervised access to water, providing constant, active adult supervision and knowing how to swim are critical layers of protection to help prevent drowning. For more information, visit www.cdc.gov and redcross.org.

Seguridad en verano: Cómo prevenir muertes por ahogamiento involuntario

El ahogamiento es la segunda causa principal de muerte por lesiones no intencionales en niños de 5 a 14 años, y cada año en los Estados Unidos hay más de cuatro mil muertes por ahogamiento no intencional, según los Centros para el Control y la Prevención de Enfermedades (CDC, por sus siglas en inglés). Prevenir el acceso al agua sin supervisión, ofrecer supervisión permanente y activa por parte de un adulto y saber nadar son aspectos importantes para ayudar a prevenir el ahogamiento. Para obtener más información en inglés, visite www.cdc.gov y redcross.org.

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GOSPEL MEDITATION**July 14, 2024****15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Once I asked a fallen-away Catholic friend of mine what he remembered about the parish priest from his youth. He said, “He was a gentle, nice guy. Kind of vanilla. Kept to himself.” It struck me that he, perhaps like many, perceive Catholic priests as the following: lonely, harmless, and self-sufficient. As a challenge both to this perception (accurate or not) and to us priests who perhaps feel a pull in that uninspiring direction, stands the mighty image of what we see in the Gospel this Sunday.

Jesus sent out his apostles, “two-by-two, with power over demons, and without money belts.” Two-by-two: they enjoyed deep fellowship and brotherhood. Power over demons: they were anything but harmless. These men wielded enormous power against evil. Without money belts: they were not self-sufficient. They needed others to help them. Not lonely, but in community. Not harmless but armed with massive spiritual energy. Not self-sufficient, but poor and in need of help.

This is a challenge to me, and perhaps to all of us, living in a rich, secularized, and individualized culture. Do I embrace my priestly ministry in deep fellowship with other priests? Do I speak and act boldly to drive out evil where it is found? Do I live poorly and simply, trusting in the help of those around me even for basic needs? The fruitfulness of priestly ministry largely depends on these three traits. Let’s pray for all priests — and, by extension, all of us Christians — to live more like Jesus’ communal, poor, and powerful apostles.

— Father John Muir

**QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK****First Reading:**

The Israelite priest Amaziah was threatened by the prophet Amos from Judah. What are some ways you have helped others who feel at risk in a difficult situation?

Second Reading:

Paul teaches the Ephesians that in “the fullness of times,” God’s plan is “to sum up all things in Christ, in heaven and on earth.” What are some things in your life you are waiting for?

Gospel:

Jesus taught the apostles to preach and heal only in places where they were welcomed. Do you recall a time or a place where you felt truly welcomed?

PREGUNTAS DE LA SEMANA**Primera Lectura:**

El sacerdote israelita Amasías fue amenazado por el profeta Amós de Judá. ¿De qué maneras has ayudado a otras personas que se sienten en riesgo en una situación difícil?

Segunda Lectura:

Pablo enseña a los efesios que en “el cumplimiento de los tiempos,” el plan de Dios es “resumir todas las cosas en Cristo, en el cielo y en la tierra.” ¿Cuáles son algunas cosas en tu vida que estás esperando?

Evangelio:

Jesús enseñó a los apóstoles a predicar y sanar sólo en lugares donde fueran bienvenidos. ¿Recuerdas algún momento o lugar en el que te sentiste verdaderamente bienvenido?

SEEK FELLOWSHIP

LIVE SIMPLY

ACT BOLDY

MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICO**14 de julio de 2024****15º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Con frecuencia escuchamos de los sacerdotes de nuestras parroquias o de nuestros padres e inclusive de amigos la siguiente frase: “Confiar siempre en Dios”. Claro que confiamos, cuando nos va bien, cuando tenemos bonanza en nuestra vida. Pero, si llega una enfermedad, si nos quedamos sin trabajo, si muere un ser querido. ¿Confiamos? La respuesta va de acuerdo a nuestra relación personal con Dios, a nuestra fe y confianza que hemos desarrollado en nuestra vida hacia él. Ser fiel y confiar en Dios es contemplar su rostro en cada circunstancia, en cada trago amargo que pasamos y también en las cosas gratas de la familia y comunidad.

En el Evangelio de hoy, vemos cómo Jesús envía a sus apóstoles a misión para continuar su obra misionera. Y se relaciona estrechamente con la vocación del profeta Amós: “Yo no soy profeta ni uno de los hermanos profetas; soy cuidador de rebaños y trato los sicómoros” (Amós 7:14). Todo trata de la confianza plena en Dios para cumplir con lo que nos toca hacer. Siempre se muestra la misericordia de Dios al cumplir su voluntad. El Señor muestra su bondad y su amor en todo momento; pero, hay que estar alerta a su voz y a su pedido y además no llevar nada para el camino. Ahora nos diría, ni siquiera el celular ni la computadora. Solo el corazón bien dispuesto para trabajar en su viña. ¿Podremos? La tecnología debe estar a nuestro servicio, no nosotros al servicio de ella. Imitemos a los servidores públicos y parroquiales que cumplen su misión siempre confiando en Dios.

**LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO****Primera lectura:**

“El Señor me sacó de detrás del rebaño y me dijo: Ve y profetiza a mi pueblo Israel”. (Am 7:15)

Salmo:

Señor, déjanos ver tu bondad y concédenos tu salvación. (Sal 85)

Segunda lectura:

Bendito sea el Dios y Padre de nuestro Señor Jesucristo,

quien nos ha bendecido en Cristo con toda bendición espiritual en los cielos, como nos eligió en él, antes de la fundación del mundo. (Efesios 1:3-4)

Evangelio:

Jesús llamó a los Doce y comenzó a enviarlos de dos en dos. (Marcos 6:7)

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Las lecturas de la semana del 14 de julio de 2024

Domingo: Am 7, 12-15/Sal 84, 9-10. 11-12. 13-14 (8)/Ef 1, 3-14 o 1, 3-10/Mc 6, 7-13

Lunes: Is 1, 10-17/Sal 49, 8-9. 16-17. 21 y 23/Mt 10, 34—11, 1

Martes: Is 7, 1-9/Sal 47, 2-3. 3-4. 5-6. 7-8/Mt 11, 20-24

Miércoles: Is 10, 5-7. 13-16/Sal 93, 5-6. 7-8. 9-10. 14-15/Mt 11, 25-27

Jueves: Is 26, 7-9. 12. 16-19/Sal 101, 13-14 y 15. 16-18. 19-21/Mt 11, 28-30

Viernes: Is 38, 1-6. 21-22. 7-8/Is 38, 10. 11. 12. 16/Mt 12, 1-8

Sábado: Miq 2, 1-5/Sal 9, 1-2. 3-4. 7-8. 14/Mt 12, 14-21

Domingo siguiente: Jr 23, 1-6/Sal 22, 1-3. 3-4. 5. 6 (1)/Ef 2, 13-18/Mc 6, 30-34

Faith Formation

Confirmation

Just a reminder if you are registered for Confirmation Prep for 2024-25 any Youth Ministry events attended during the summer will count toward your requirement for the 2024-25 school year.

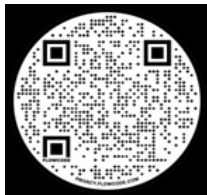
Faith Formation Registration

Registration for all levels of Faith Formation, including sacrament preparation, is now open! Simply scan the QR code below with your phone to register your children.



Inscripción para Formación de Fe

Las inscripciones para la Formación de Fe de todos los niveles, incluyendo la preparación para los sacramentos, ¡ya están abiertas! Simplemente escaneen el código QR de abajo con tu teléfono para inscribir a sus hijos.



Prayer for the Way

Dear Jesus,
As I set out in your name, be with me on every step.
I don't know where you will lead, but I trust that you will be with me and that, for me, that will be enough.
Amen.

Holy Cross Parishioners!

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is offered the First Friday of every month. Adoration begins after the 8:00 am mass & continues until 6:00pm.
From 6:00pm -7:00pm , there is a Holy Hour in Spanish with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
We are currently in need of volunteers to commit to an hour of time with Our Lord. If you are available please contact: Kathy Johnston at 805-402-7856

Thank you !

A great way to donate to Holy Cross Church made easier!

Just scan the QR code and it will take you directly to our electronic giving with Faith Direct. Thank you for your support of Holy Cross Church.



An Afternoon of Reflection & Remembrance for Grieving Mothers and Grandmothers Sunday, July 28 ~ 1:30-4:30 pm

Every day in the U.S, 1200 women's lives are forever changed when they receive the news that their son, daughter or grandchild has died. These deaths leave women feeling alone and unmoored in their grief. Sacred Sorrows was founded by one of these women. Through Sacred Sorrows, Rita Morton ministers to bereaved mothers and grandmothers through weekend retreats, days of remembrance and follow up care. The Shape of Things to Come is a mini retreat with Sacred Sorrows & Fr. Jim Clarke, welcoming all grieving mothers and grandmothers, no matter how long or recent the loss. The afternoon will conclude with Mass.

San Miguel room of the Serra Center at Padre Serra Parish, Camarillo.

Registration required. Attendance is free; suggested donation \$25.

Learn more and register: <https://www.sacredsorrows.org/event-details/camarillo-july-28-afternoon-of-reflection-remembrance-1>

Padre Serra Parish contact: Teresa Runyon
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Oración por el Camino

Querido Jesús,
A medida que salgo en tu nombre, estate conmigo en cada paso. No sé a dónde me llevarás, pero confío en que estarás conmigo y que, para mí, eso será suficiente.
Amén.

Feligreses de la Santa Cruz!

La Exposición de El Santísimo Sacramento es ofrecida el primer viernes de cada mes. La Adoración comienza después de la misa de las 8:00am y continúa asta las 6:00pm.

De las 6:00pm - 7:00pm, hay una Hora Santa en español con La Exposición de El Santísimo Sacramento.

Estamos necesitando voluntarios que se comprometan y enlisten para acompañar por una hora a Nuestro Señor.

Si tú estás disponible y deseas hacerlo por favor

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Mass Intentions for the week 7/14

Sunday 7:30 am Martha Recohni (Birthday)
10:00 am Dr. Ernesto Fontecha (RIP)
12:00 pm Parishioners

Monday 8:00 am Carmen Hernandez (RIP)

Tuesday 8:00 am Vincent Tao Van Nguyen (RIP)

Wednesday 8:00 am Gloria Alvarez (Birthday)

Thursday 8:00 am Annie Nguyen (Birthday)
7:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am Jeanette Jordan (RIP)

Saturday 4:00 pm For Parishioners

Prayer Request