

# OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

23045 LYONS AVENUE, SANTA CLARITA, CA 91321-2632



*Rev. Msgr. Richard Martini, Pastor*  
*Rev. Raymond Marquez, Rev. Fidelis Omeaku, Associates*  
*Rev. Mr. Dick Karl, Permanent Deacon*

## MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Vigil (Saturday): 4:30 PM  
Sundays: 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 AM, 1:00 PM Spanish, 4:00 PM Youth, 5:30 PM Spanish  
Sundays: Val Verde Mission 9:00 AM Spanish, Castaic Mission 10:30 AM English  
Holy Days: (Vigil) 4:30 PM, 7:00 & 8:15 AM, 12:00 Noon, 6:00 PM, 7:30 PM Spanish  
Weekdays: 7:00 & 8:15 AM Saturdays: 8:00 AM Novena and Mass

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 8:45-10:00 AM and 5:45 - 6:30 PM

Pastoral Center .....259-2276  
Fax.....259-1873  
E-Mail ..... OLPH@olphscv.org  
Url ..... <http://www.olph-church.org>  
Office Hours: ..... Daily 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
  
O.L.P.H. School .....259-1141  
Fax.....259-8254  
Mrs. Sharon Krahl, Principal

Office of Religious Education .....259-4266  
Fax .....259-2084  
Dana Couso, Director of Religious Education  
Teresa Romero - Spanish Coordinator .....259-9616  
Confirmation Coordinator, Cheryl McClure.....288-1073  
  
Spanish Pastoral Ministry  
Sister Olivia Gutierrez, O.P.....259-2276 x663

Baptisms: By appointment ONLY. At least two months notice is required. Register for class at the parish office.  
Marriages: By appointment ONLY. At least six months advance notice is required.  
Information on the Priesthood, Diaconate or Religious Life: Contact Fr. Raymond Marquez at 661-259-2276  
or [www.LAVocations.org](http://www.LAVocations.org).



Dear Parishioners:

I spent much of last week surrounded by cheers of enthusiasm for the success of our pre-commitments to our new campaign for a new OLPH. We are off to a good start! I attended a meeting of our Leadership Team and witnessed such determination by the 80 parishioners that are guiding this campaign. They are truly inspiring and will lead us to success. I enjoyed dining with you at the site of our new church, sharing my personal giving plans and enjoying our campaign video. Someone asked me if it were “Hollywood Magic” and I smiled and simply encouraged them to believe that With God All Things Are Possible. No matter what, I ask you to keep believing, keep praying and support our efforts from here forth. We will spend the month of April celebrating our parish. I hope you will delight in what you see, want to get involved and consider a gift to our new church.

On the opposite page, I am pleased to share with you a chart that details the gifts that are necessary. If we are in receipt of gifts beginning from the top of the chart, working our way to the bottom, we will reach our goal. In order to make sense of this chart, we must work from the top to the bottom not the reverse. Study this and use it in the prayerful discernment of your pledge at the end of April. What level is God putting on your heart?

I look forward to seeing you at our Holy Week services. On Holy Thursday, we commemorate Christ giving us the Eucharist at his last supper. We solemnly remember Christ’s death on the cross on Good Friday. Please join me in praying for those who come into the church on the Easter Vigil. Then, let’s celebrate the great feast of the Resurrection on Easter Sunday! Invite all your family members to join us.

As we reflect on the past ten days and the election of Pope Francis, I believe we were all impressed with the way he greeted Rome and the world. I was so moved when he asked for our blessing prior to our receiving his. May we embrace him and taking a signal from the name he chose, may we each become channels of God’s peace.

With God all things are possible,

*Msgr. Dick Martini*

Monsignor Richard Martini

#### WHERE IS THE OLPH NEW WEBSITE?

The task of creating a new website for our parish was a little larger than originally anticipated. We had lofty goals and high standards which we wanted to meet. We think you will agree that we have. Its look, content and functionality were very important to us and that took time. We have worked hard, put much thought into it and are so very pleased with what has been developed. We are excited to say it will be launching it by the end of March. Thank you for your patience.

#### DONATIONS TO THE PARISH IN 2012

The Parish Office has become aware that there were some errors in the 2012 year-end donor statements. Please review your statement and if you find it is in error, please contact the Parish Office at 259-2276. We have made the necessary changes to rectify the situation and to assure this will not happen in the future. We apologize for any inconvenience this has caused.

#### 40 ACT OF KINDNESS

With just a week left of Lent, let’s continue to spread love to one another.

A few more Acts of Kindness from our OLPH school students and our Religious Education students:

“I helped my grandmother with her chores.”

“I tutored someone who didn’t understand the math.”

“I smiled at everyone today.”

“I gave my lunch to someone at my table that forgot their lunch.”

“I let my brother choose the video game every night this week.”

#### THE MINISTRY FAIR IS COMING!

Come! Experience! Take part! Participate at our ministry fair celebration on the weekend of April 13 and 14, after all of the Masses. Discover the power of the Body of Christ at work in our OLPH ministries. Join us as we offer love, prayer, and hope to our parish and community.



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**Levels of Giving Needed to  
Build a New Church for OLPH  
\$7,500,000**

Number of Giving Families	Gifts Needed	Giving Level (3-Year Total)	Monthly Amount	Cumulative 3-Year Total
?	Gifts at	?	?	?
1	Gift at	\$ 250,000	= \$ 6,944	\$ 250,000
3	Gifts at	100,000	= 2,778	550,000
5	Gifts at	75,000	= 2,083	925,000
6	Gifts at	50,000	= 1,389	1,225,000
8	Gifts at	35,000	= 972	1,505,000
10	Gifts at	25,000	= 694	1,755,000
15	Gifts at	20,000	= 556	2,055,000
18	Gifts at	18,000	= 500	2,379,000
24	Gifts at	15,000	= 417	2,739,000
30	Gifts at	10,000	= 278	3,039,000
40	Gifts at	8,000	= 222	3,359,000
75	Gifts at	5,000	= 139	3,734,000
500	Gifts at	3,000	= 83	5,234,000
1,133	Gifts at	2,000	= 56	7,500,000
?	Gifts at	?	?	?

**Giving is for 3 years, over and above your regular giving.**

***"Not Equal Giving, But Equal Sacrifice"***

Consider giving cash, stocks, bonds, real estate, life insurance policies or cash value of policy, antiques, works of art, jewelry, coin or stamp collections, income tax refunds, or assets in irrevocable or revocable trusts.



**MON. - March 25:**  
 7:00 am - Father Richard Gleason †  
 8:15 am - Velma Matias †

**TUE. - March 26:**  
 7:00 am - Antoinetta Ciambriello †  
 8:15 am - Maria Reyta †

**WED. - March 27:**  
 7:00 am - Felia Sy †  
 8:15 am - Andrew Francis †

**THUR. - March 28:**  
 6:00 pm - English — Pro Populo  
 8:00 pm - Spanish — Pro Populo

**FRI. - March 29:**  
 No Masses

**SAT. March 30:**  
 7:00 pm - Pro Populo

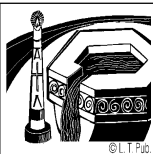
**SUN. - March 31:**  
 All Masses -Pro Populo



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**TRIVIA NIGHT II**

Mark your calendars for **May 4th!** The priests are back with a new strategy. Recruit your team. More information soon.



**PRE-BAPTISM CLASSES FOR PARENTS AND GODPARENTS**

Are you expecting a baby? Have you thought about planning your baby's Baptism? Have you any children you want baptized?

**The next Pre-Baptism class will be on:**

**Friday, April 26th, in the Junipero Serra Room in the new Pastoral Center.**

Pre-Baptism Classes are usually offered on the 4th Friday of each month from **7:00 to 9:00 p.m.** Please stop by the parish office to obtain the necessary forms that are required for **each** person attending the class. Two months notice is requested for Baptism. You must have the yellow Baptismal Registration form stamped with **the parish seal** for admission to the Sacrament of Baptism. Baptisms are scheduled by appointment **only**. For further information, please call the parish office at **259-2276**.

For information concerning Baptism in Spanish, please call the Dominican Sisters at 661-259-2276.



**EASTER 2013**

**MONDAY, TUESDAY, & WEDNESDAY**

Masses.....7:00 and 8:15 a.m.

**HOLY THURSDAY — March 28**

The Mass of the Lord's Supper in English - 6:00 p.m.....Spanish - 8:00 p.m.

**GOOD FRIDAY — March 29**

The Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord, Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion in English - 12:00 p.m. & 2:00 p.m. in Spanish - 7:00 p.m.

**HOLY SATURDAY — March 30**

Easter Vigil Liturgy (Bilingual).....7:00 p.m. Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation will be conferred during the liturgy.

**EASTER — March 31**

Masses in English:

Church.....7:00, 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 a.m. & 4:00 p.m.  
Hall & Center.....8:45 & 10:15 a.m.  
Castaic.....10:30 a.m.

Masses in Spanish: Church.....1:00 & 5:30 p.m.  
Val Verde.....9:00 a.m.

Please be aware that the facilities for services on Easter fill to capacity early. Mass will begin as each facility is filled to capacity.



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

The Religious Education Office is open on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m.



**ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

Our new 12-week study, *Pillar I: The Creed*, is now under way. We have 69 adults enrolled and we are so excited. Please watch the bulletin in the coming weeks for our new adult faith study opportunities. For information please call Connie Viner at 253-1001 or Dana Couso at 259-4266.

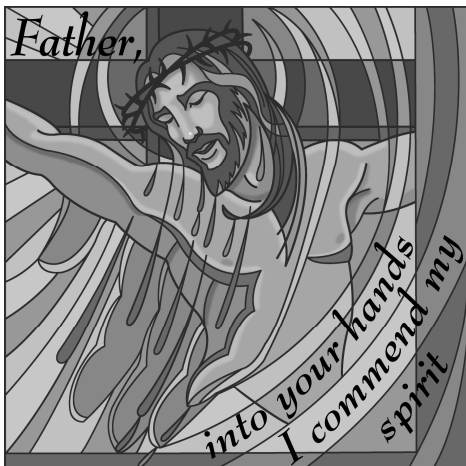
Interested in joining a Catholic Book Club? The Book Club meets once a month. Come and enjoy lively discussions and wonderful fellowship. Contact Darlene Sustento at Sustento4@yahoo.com

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK

Mass Time	Altar Servers	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors
Holy Thursday 6pm	Paolo A. Danny G. Sarah G. Benjamin H.	Levita H. Myrna C. Francis U. Jojo P.	Aya B. Gloria M-F
Good Friday 12pm	Alyssa L. Lauren P. Danny F.	Diep F. Gene A. Jamie W. Rose S.	John S. DJ R.
Good Friday 2pm	Joseph R. Julia H. Patrick H.	Imbred R. Rosemary B. Myron W. Howard F.	Margaret G. Pat B.
Sat. 8am	Holy Saturday	No Mass	
Easter Vigil 7pm	Emily G. Morelia R. Moises R.	Cristy R. Maria M.	Connie V. Warren M.
Sun. 7am	Lauren P. Kierstin P. Kevin P.	Art B. Rick M. Margaret G. Mary B. Sandra E. Faye G. Alexis S.	Karen R. Alice S.
Sun 8:30am	Ryan B. Danny G. Sarah G.	Ken C. Lisa C. Donna G. Mary B. Sue C. Juli C. Diane S. John S. Cheryl B.	Kendra G. Aya B.

Mass Time	Altar Servers	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors
Sun 10am	Julia H. Patrick H. Benjamin B.	Rosemary B. Howard F. Michele L. Marirose M. Mario Q. Ming R. Anthony W. Angelee L. Angelina G.	Cherie W. Steve W.
Sun 11:30am	Isabel A. Suzy A. Jonny P.	Mary H. Levita H. Gina I. Katherine R. Cristy R. Liz L.	Samantha D. Raffy S.
Sun 4pm	Tony P. Nick P. Kendall E.	Carmen C. Marie S. Carrie K. Connie P. John L. Marilou L. Tina B.	Chris N. Anna P.
Easter Conference Ctr 8:45am	Alyssa L.	Rebecca A. Vera H. Kathryn K. Aaron R.	Marilou R. Ken P.
Easter Conference Ctr. 10:15am	Danny F. Ryan M. Kiana I.	Angie C. Eliseo C. David F. Diep F. Al P. Mary S. Jojo P.	Pinky P. Anna R.
Easter Conference Ctr. 11:45am	Matthew L. Katie L.	Jeanne F. Kevin F. Andy K.	Roger G. Michelle S.

THE FACE OF JESUS



In all the readings for this Sunday we can look at the face of Jesus. There are two Gospel passages, both from the Gospel of Luke. The first tells of Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem on the back of a donkey. Crowds greeted him with shouts of "Hosanna!" The second tells of Jesus' departure from Jerusalem, carrying the cross on his back. The same crowds derided him and shouted for his crucifixion. We first see a face shining with glory, but in a few short days a face dark with blood and sorrow.

Set between these two contrasting Gospel passages are equally contrasting readings from the Hebrew and Christian scriptures. Isaiah describes a suffering servant who willingly submits to beating and humiliation, not even turning away his face. He knows he belongs to God and will not be put to shame. Paul writes to the Philippians of Christ Jesus, the true Suffering Servant, who willingly emptied himself to become human. But this man, with a very human face, has now been exalted by God above all others.

**HELP WANTED  
IT NETWORK MAINTENANCE**

Seeking Microsoft-certified network professional to provide parish offices discounted network maintenance. Interested persons should e-mail [mgmoore.121@gmail.com](mailto:mgmoore.121@gmail.com)



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**EASTER DECORATIONS**

There are special envelopes available in the pews to help defray the cost of the Lenten and Easter decorations for our church, hall, and conference center. We deeply appreciate your generosity in helping to provide the beautiful decorations that are a source of inspiration to all. They remind us that Lent is a time of repentance and new beginnings, and soon the flowers and decorations will add to the beautiful Easter celebration of the joy of our redemption and rebirth in the risen Lord.

**OLPH SUMMER ACADEMY 2013**

OLPH School is proud to offer its second annual OLPH Summer Academy this summer! The mission of OLPH Summer Academy is to promote and sustain meaningful academic enrichment through the use of different modalities of learning. Students will further the four pillars of Catholic Education (faith, academics, discipline, and leadership) through OLPH Summer Academy's invigorating and meaningful program. OLPH Summer Academy will establish a self-sustaining, supplementary educational and arts filled program to meet and exceed the needs of our community.

OLPH Summer Academy is open to all students throughout the Santa Clarita Valley currently enrolled in Kindergarten through 8th grade.

**Choose TWO Classes!**

- Marvelous Mathematicians
- Reading and Writing Wonders
- Simply Spanish
- Just Dance!
- Dippin' in Drama
- Stickin' to the Music



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Specialized Academic Classes for Kindergarten

- Reading Rockets
- Math Olympiads

Kindergarteners can also join 1st through 3rd graders in Just Dance! or Stickin' to the Music.

**Tuition is \$160** and includes an OLPH Summer Academy T-Shirt and \$40 non-refundable registration fee

Call our school office, 661-259-1141, or email us at [olphsummeracademy@gmail.com](mailto:olphsummeracademy@gmail.com) to register today!

**PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL**



Please remember in your prayers all of the seriously ill or deceased members of our parish, for whom we pray at Sunday Mass. Please call the parish office on Monday to include a name for the following weekend's bulletin.

**FOR THE SICK:**

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|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Dory Deme Aase      | Tracy Fritz        | Michael Patti      |
| Marie Abernethy     | Fred Fujan         | Alberto Penaranda  |
| Varooge Abrahamian  | Justin Garcia      | Isaac Pfeifer      |
| Jeanette Aday       | Tony Giordano      | Alejandro Pineda   |
| Pier Angelo Alberto | John Girard        | Emilee Pozada      |
| Zae Alcedo          | Magdalena Gomez    | Valerie Proni      |
| Maria Alverez       | Abel Gonzalez      | Hortencia Ramirez  |
| Peter and Rosie     | Diana Gonzalez     | Gabriel Razo       |
| Ambrose             | Rachael Gotto      | Joel Regalado      |
| Don Anderson        | Jerry Greenblatt   | Ahtziri Resendiz   |
| Michael Arevalo     | Harold Guejaro     | Christina Reyes    |
| Alberto Arguelles   | Jovelina Guerra    | Ruben Reyes        |
| Nicolas Arriaga     | Cathy Mihm         | Susan Riley        |
| Gladys Atalicki     | Hamilton           | Lynn Rivera        |
| Malvina Bang        | Walt Hampton       | Pat Robbie         |
| Oscar Barreto       | Mary Ann Harris    | Fatima and Helen   |
| Ed Benesh           | Brenda Hernández   | Rojas              |
| Carlos Benevides    | Rosanne Hochaesang | Jesse Romero       |
| Ruth Bernardino     | Carol Hohl         | Mary Rosenast      |
| Ted Bergstrom       | Pat Ignacio        | Doris Schonert     |
| Gail Berkery        | Jessica            | Gloria Schwindler  |
| Christina Boags     | Ed Jirele          | Anton Sisante      |
| Richard Bolger      | Alyssa Joiner      | Antonia Soto       |
| Danny Buen          | Juan Jose          | Jeanne Spencer     |
| Alice Buitron       | Dora Maria Juarez  | Ben Spring         |
| Victor Carreon      | Bill Judge         | Julian Steel       |
| Virginia Carter     | Ree Kelley         | Juanita Stockstill |
| Victor Castro       | Allison Labios     | Kathy Sturkey      |
| Jim Chamberlain     | Felita Libot       | Francisco Tan      |
| Deborah Collins     | Desirae Lindley    | Susie Tapia        |
| William Corbett     | Pedro Lopez        | Robert Thompson    |
| Mario Cumpas        | Don MacAdam        | Barbara Torpin     |
| Jobel de Alday      | Armand Manent Sr.  | Cici Truon         |
| Juan De La Rosa     | Doug & Jan Maxey   | Mary Tumilty       |
| Margaret Derenia    | Kimberly Meyer     | Richard Tumilty    |
| Vicky Eckert        | Richard Mirana     | Nikita Tuyat       |
| Esperanza Elias     | Felipe Monserrat   | Refugio Urquieta   |
| Rose Engerran       | Nancy Moon         | Priscilla Vasquez  |
| Ruth Ereth          | Marisela Morales   | Magdalena Vega     |
| William Evans       | Margaret Newland   | Pauline Yanchura   |
| Michael Fahn        | Navarro            | Basilio Zamora     |
| John Festa          | Trinka Ossoria     | Eileen Zamora      |
| Jerry Fetter        | Sophia Pagayon     |                    |
| Gloria Forte        | Juanito Pascual    |                    |

*Lord Jesus Christ, Redeemer of the world, you have shouldered the burden of our weakness and borne our sufferings in your own passion and death. Hear this prayer for our sick brothers and sisters whom you have redeemed. Strengthen their hope of salvation and sustain them in body and soul. Amen.*



**FOR THE DECEASED:**

*God, our shelter and our strength, you listen in love to the cry of your people, hear the prayers we offer for our departed brothers and sisters. Cleanse them of their sins and grant them the fullness of redemption. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord  
 Monday: Monday of Holy Week; Passover begins  
 Tuesday: Tuesday of Holy Week  
 Wednesday: Wednesday of Holy Week  
 Thursday: Holy Thursday; The Sacred Paschal Triduum  
 Friday: Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday);  
 Fast and Abstinence  
 Saturday: Holy Saturday; The Easter Vigil in the Holy  
 Night

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN  
 INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Our Elect will be Baptized and receive Holy Communion and Confirmation at the Easter Vigil Mass. The baptized candidates that are in need of completing their sacraments, and those candidates coming from another religion, will also celebrate their sacraments at the Easter Vigil Mass this year. Come and be a part of our faith in action and witness our Elect and Candidates coming to the Lord as new Catholics.

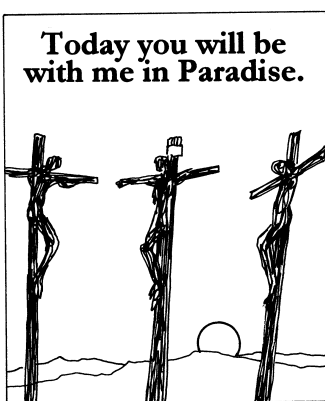
**PARISH ORGANIZATIONS AND MINISTRIES**

**ACCW:** Mary McCormick.....259-8661  
**ADORATION** on Fridays - Imbred Reyes.....294-8533  
**ALTAR SERVERS:** Gloria Regan.....259-2276  
**ANNULMENT MINISTRY OF HEALING:**  
 Chuck Sternberg & Stacy Geere.....253-3529  
**BEREAVEMENT/GRIEF MINISTRY:**  
 Parish Office.....259-2276  
**BIBLE STUDY:**  
 Connie Viner (Tue. 7:30 p.m.).....253-1001  
**BOY SCOUTS:** Jocelyn Reyes.....367-6455  
**CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP:**  
 Ken Kolt.....296-9005  
**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION (CWO):**  
 Cindy Morris.....818-256-0108  
**CHOIRS:**  
**CHILDREN'S CHOIR:** Loretta Reust.....254-7235  
**CHOIR (S.A.T.B.):** Jo Ann Smith.....296-8314  
**CONTEMPORARY CHOIR:**  
 Sharyl Fullmer.....259-1280  
**SPANISH CHOIRS:**  
 (CORO — SALVACIÓN):  
 Lucky Cruz.....305-8754  
 (CORO — GETSEMANI):  
 Diana y Eduardo Aguilar, Alex Santiago.....476-9287  
 (CHILDREN AND TEENS):  
 Ruben Chavarin.....259-5086  
**TEEN CHOIR:** Cheryl McClure.....288-1072  
**CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE:**  
 Greg Simons.....254-5211  
**CO-WORKERS FOR MOTHER TERESA:**  
 Dick Karl.....255-5049  
**DETENTION MINISTRY:**  
 Art Brown.....254-4642  
**DIVINE MERCY:** Pete & Vi Aquino.....607-5591  
**EL SHADDAI PRAYER GROUP:**  
 Pinky Padre.....213-210-5012  
**ENCUENTRO MATRIMONIAL MUNDIAL:**  
 Margarita & Gabriel Razo.....714-7942  
**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Gloria Regan.....259-2276  
**FAMILY PROMISE:**  
 Ann Pfeifer.....255-6123  
**FILIPINO MINISTRY:**  
 Marilou Resella.....297-9711

**FINANCE COUNCIL:**  
 Tom Schultz, Chairman.....255-8349  
**HEALTH & WELLNESS MINISTRY:**  
 Jesus Mendoza, Latino Health.....255-1232  
 Marirose Medina, Parish Nurse.....388-4801  
**HelpOurMarriage.Org:**  
 Mike & Kelly Remington.....257-1044  
**HOME EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**  
 Gloria Regan.....259-2276  
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:**  
 Robert Stojkovic.....297-0776  
**LECTORS:** Patricia Boog.....255-3513  
**LITTLE CHURCH:** Kelly Zancanaro.....645-4268  
**MINISTRY COORDINATOR:** Gloria Regan.....259-2276  
**ORGANIST:** Julie Lawson.....713-1932  
**PRAYER GROUP (SPANISH):**  
 Guillermo Lopez.....424-9048  
**QUINCEAÑERAS:**  
 Sister Olivia Gutierrez, O.P.....259-2276 x663  
**RCIA:** Wendy Lucas.....775-9818  
**SEMILLA DEL REINO:**  
 Genaro Cruz.....607-6175  
**SEPARATED, DIVORCED, & WIDOWED  
 SUPPORT GROUP:**  
 Bob.....255-1452  
 Dottie.....259-9448  
**SPANISH ADULT CONFIRMATION:**  
 Patricia Ruelas.....297-3562  
**SPANISH CONFIRMATION:**  
 Martha Chavarin.....259-5086  
**SPANISH PASTORAL MINISTRY:**  
 Sister Olivia Gutierrez, O.P.....259-2276 x663  
**SPECIAL EDUCATION DEAF:**  
 St. Clare's CCD Office.....252-6950  
**ST. JOAN WOMEN'S GUILD:** Marie Cruz.....291-1447  
**ST. FRANCIS COUNSELING CENTER:**  
 Jane Teola, Psy..D.....294-2880  
**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:**.....259-5470  
 For Pick-Up.....800-974-3571  
**USHERS/HOSPITALITY MINISTERS:**  
 Greg Augusta.....259-2276  
**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:**  
 Religious Education Office.....259-4266  
**WEDDING HOSTESS:**  
 Barbara Sumner.....255-2500

## GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Our parish, once a year on Good Friday, is called on to support Christians in the Holy Land. Many Christians in the Holy Land depend on the collection for their lives. As a pontifical collection requested by Pope Benedict XVI, the annual Good Friday collection offers a direct link for parishioners to be witnesses of peace and to help protect the Holy Places. Franciscans and orders in the Holy Land are housing and feeding the poor, providing formation and education, maintaining shrines and parishes, and conducting pastoral ministry. Please be generous.



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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1-3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11  
 Tuesday: Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38  
 Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25  
 Thursday: Christ Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21  
Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15  
 Friday: Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1 — 19:42  
 Saturday: a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 [1:1, 26-31a]; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35; or Ps 33:4-7, 12-13, 20-22;  
 b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18]; Ps 16: 5, 8-11;  
 c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; Ex 15:1-6, 17-18;  
 d) Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13;  
 e) Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-6; f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; Ps 19:8-11;  
 g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-15, 18-19;  
 h) Rom 6:3-11; i) Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Lk 24:1-12  
 Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or (at an afternoon or evening Mass) Lk 24:13-35

## CELEBRATION OF THE WORD THE REDISCOVERY OF FAITH

The Celebration of the Word is part of the parish plan for the New Evangelization in the Year of Faith.

Are you looking for a time to:

- ✿ Find a deeper meaning of life?
- ✿ Read, reflect, and pray with the Scriptures?
- ✿ Have a closer friendship with God and other parishioners?

1. The Celebration of the Word of God helps us to rediscover our faith.
2. This is a new opportunity for parishioners to listen even more to the Word of God to become better Catholics and better people.
3. Celebration of the Word of God is a time of retreat for a personal encounter of Jesus Christ.

Join us every Friday at 7:00 p.m. in the Pastoral Center. Everybody is welcome!

## FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

Everyone is invited to join in the celebration of the Feast of Divine Mercy on Sunday, **April 7th**, with Mass at 11:30 a.m. in the church and fellowship afterward in the hall. Plan to attend the nine-day novena in preparation for the Feast. The novena will begin on Friday, **March 29th**, from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall and continue each night through Saturday, April 6th.



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Divine Mercy

## DID YOU KNOW?

Release of the Files???????????????

Complying with a retired federal judge's order to edit priest personnel files intended for public release, attorneys for the Los Angeles Archdiocese are making the specified edits according to the judge's order. The judge's order was the result of a process that plaintiff attorneys and the Archdiocese agreed would be accepted by all parties involved. It is important to note that the judge's order specified the edits in part due to what he said were demonstrable positive changes the Archdiocese had already implemented to its policies and procedures in reporting abuse to authorities and in training personnel and children in abuse prevention techniques. Much of the information in the files is decades old and has already been the subject of in-depth coverage in the press and was disclosed by the Archdiocese in the 2004 Report to the People of God.



**LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA**

Lunes: Is 42:1-7; Sal 27 (26):1-3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11  
 Martes: Is 49:1-6; Sal 71 (70):1-6, 15, 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38  
 Miércoles: Is 50:4-9a; Sal 69 (68):8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25  
 Jueves: Misa crismal: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Sal 89 (88):21-22, 25, 27; Ap 1:5-8; Lc 4:16-21  
Cena del Señor: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Sal 116 (115):12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15  
 Viernes: Is 52:13 — 53:12; Sal 31 (30):2, 6, 12-13, 17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1 — 19:42  
 Sábado: a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 [1:1, 26-31a]; Sal 104 (103):1-2, 5-6,  
 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35; o Sal 33:4-7, 12-13, 20-22;  
 b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18]; Sal 16(15):5, 8-11;  
 c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; Ex 15:1-6, 17-18;  
 d) Is 54:5-14; Sal 30 (29):2, 4-6, 11-13;  
 e) Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-6; f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; Sal 19 (18):8-11;  
 g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Sal 42 (41):3, 5; 43:3-4 o Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 o Sal 51 (50):12-15, 18-19;  
 h) Rom 6:3-11; i) Sal 118 (117):1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Lc 24:1-12  
 Domingo: Hch 10:34a, 37-43; Sal 118 (117):1-2, 16-17, 22-23;  
 Col 3:1-4 o 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 o Lc 24:1-12 o (en misas de la tarde o la noche) Lc 24:13-35



**TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE**

La liturgia oficial de la Iglesia para el Domingo de Ramos es algo paradójica. Entramos proclamando Hosannas con cantos y vitoreas y al poco tiempo estamos gritando: “¡crucificalo, crucificalo!” Según el rito la lectura del Evangelio y la consagración de la Eucaristía se hacen dentro del templo, pero se comienza afuera del templo con la bendición de los ramos.

En los Estados Unidos y otros países latinoamericanos se usan palmas en lugar de ramos. En Europa, normalmente, se usan ramos de olivos. Últimamente en Colombia para proteger la palma de cera del Quindío, se les ha pedido a los fieles que usen ramitas de plantas o ramos de flores. Estoy de acuerdo hay que proteger el ambiente, pero admito que prefiero las palmas, ya que es difícil poner un ramo de olivo o de flores detrás de una imagen sagrada colgada en la pared. Esta es una costumbre latina que nos recuerda que los “hosannas” y el “crucificalo” del domingo de ramos nos acompañan todos los días del año.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

*Domingo de Ramos  
de la Pasión del Señor  
24 de marzo de 2013*

*El Señor me ayuda,  
por eso no quedaré confundido.*

— Isaías 50:7a



**PLAN PASTORAL PARROQUIAL**

Nuestra Parroquia del Perpetuo Socorro, está ahora poniendo en práctica lo que hemos escrito en nuestro Plan Pastoral Parroquial, por lo que atendiendo al Pilar #4 Servicio, la visión 2, meta #3 **que nos invita a mantener informada sobre cuestiones espirituales, sociales y morales; compartimos contigo esta información importante:**

Hoy compartimos una segunda parte de información sobre cómo detectar la violencia en el noviazgo. Situación que moralmente está afectando a un buen número de jóvenes hoy en día.

Señales que viven violencia en el noviazgo:

Si el novio o la novia:

- **Controla a donde va**
- **Contra la con quien se junta o platica.**
- **Invade sus espacios personales, vigilando continuamente.**
- **Amenaza para obtener lo que quiere.**
- **Quiere cambiar lo que a ti te gusta.**
- **Se enoja y deja de hablar por un largo tiempo.**
- **Revisa sus pertenencias (bolsa, celular, correo electrónico, etc.)**
- **Sin consentimiento toca o besa a su pareja.**
- **Agresión física (no necesariamente grave, puede ser jalones, pellizcos, empujones etc.)**

**Las consecuencias de vivir un noviazgo con Violencia:**

- Con el tiempo, la autoestima se debilita y vienen situaciones difíciles en el ámbito personal.
- Se empieza a dejar de creer en ti misma (o) y permites que otros te agredan también.
- Se llega a creer que “**mereces ser tratad@ así**”.
- **¡Pero eso no es verdad!**
- Se podría llegar a pensar que nadie más podrá amarte.
- **¡Tú puedes y debes aspirar a un Amor verdadero!**

Este artículo continuará...



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## ¡YA VIENE LA FERIA DE MINISTERIOS!

¡Ven! ¡Experimenta! y ¡Toma parte!. Todo esto comienza con tu participación en la celebración de nuestra FERIA DE MINISTERIOS. El fin de semana del 13 y 14 de Abril del 2013, después de cada misa. Descubre, como trabaja el poder del "Cuerpo de Cristo"; en los ministerios de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro. ¡Unete a nosotros! ofreciendo Amor, Oración y Esperanza a nuestra Parroquia y Comunidad.

## UNOS TALLERES DE ORACIÓN

El ministerio Hispano de Saint Kateri está teniendo unos talleres de oración con duración de 16 semanas los Jueves de 9:00 ha 11:30 a.m. en el salón #2 de Saint Kateri están todos invitados. Para más información visite <http://www.tovpil.org/index.php>

## LECTURAS DE HOY

**Evangelio para la procesión de las palmas** — ¡Bendito el que viene en nombre del Señor! (Lucas 19:28-40)

**Primera lectura** — A pesar de mis sufrimientos no quedaré confundido. No me siento avergonzado (Isaías 50:4-7).

**Salmo** — Dios mío, Dios mío, ¿por qué me has abandonado? (Salmo 22 [21]).

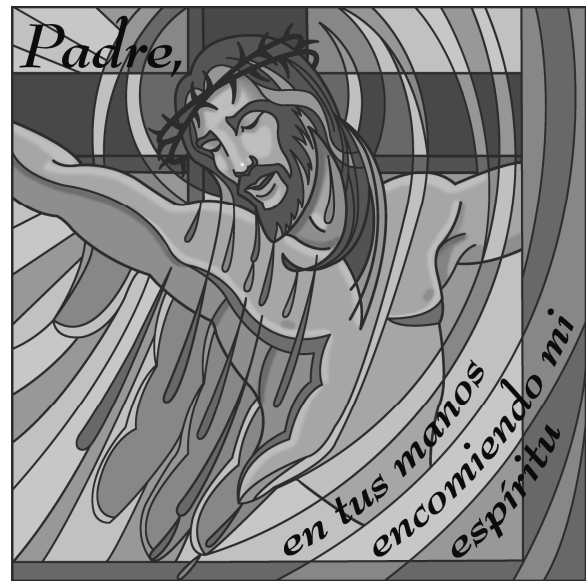
**Segunda lectura** — Jesús se despojó totalmente y Dios lo llenó de exaltación (Filipenses 2:6-11).

**Evangelio** — El recuento de la pasión de Cristo según Lucas (Lucas 22:14 — 23:56 [23:1-49]).



## ¿SABE USED?

El Expediente Personal de los Sacerdotes Acusados La Arquidiócesis ha cumplido con la orden del juez federal jubilado que dio en el 2011 de editar los archivos personales de los sacerdotes acusados de abuso sexual antes de que estos archivos sean accesibles al público. La orden del juez fue el resultado de un proceso que los abogados de las víctimas de abuso y la Arquidiócesis acordaron sería aceptable por todos los involucrados. Es importante señalar que la orden del juez especifica las modificaciones en parte debido a lo que el dijo eran demostrables cambios positivos que la Arquidiócesis ya a implementado a reglas y procedimientos en reportar el abuso a las autoridades y en el entrenamiento del personal y los niños en las técnicas de prevención de abuso. Gran parte de la información de los archivos es antigua y ya ha sido objeto de una amplia cobertura en la prensa y que se dio a conocer la Arquidiócesis en El Informe al Pueblo de Dios del 2004.



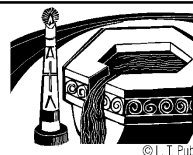
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## EL ROSTRO DE JESÚS

En todas las lecturas de este domingo vemos el rostro de Jesús. Hay dos pasajes del Evangelio, ambos del Evangelio de Lucas. El primero nos narra la entrada triunfal de Jesús en Jerusalén montado en un burro y la multitud gritando a voz en cuello: “¡Hosanna!” El segundo nos relata su salida de Jerusalén cargando la cruz. La misma multitud se burla y pide su crucifixión. Primero vemos un rostro radiante de gloria, pero pocos días después lo vemos cubierto de sangre y de dolor.

Entre estos dos contrastantes pasajes del Evangelio escuchamos lecturas igualmente contrastantes de las Escrituras hebreas y cristianas. Isaías describe a un siervo que, sin resistir, ofrece sus espaldas a los que le golpean. Él sabe que Yahvé es su Señor y que no será avergonzado. Pablo escribe a los filipenses sobre Cristo Jesús, el verdadero servidor que, siendo de condición divina, no se aferró a su igualdad con Dios sino que se despojó de ella y llegó a ser semejante a los hombres. Pero a este hombre, con un rostro tan humano, Dios lo engrandeció y le concedió el Nombre que está sobre todo nombre.

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## PLATICAS PREBAUTISMALES

Las pláticas pre bautismales constan de dos días de preparación, ahora nuestros días serán variables.

Durante este tiempo serán: **11 & 25 de Abril**  
**en Salón Conferencias #1, 7:00 p.m.**

No contamos con cuidado de niños por lo que te pedimos busques con anticipación quien lo pueda hacer en tu casa. Los bautismos son cada primero y segundo Sábado del mes.

Para mayor información habla a: Oficina del Ministerio Hispano 661-259-2276.