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SUNDAY, JUN 27, 2021

13th Sunday in ordinary time

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PARISH OFFICE Monday - Friday | 8:00am - 3:00pm

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Provides assistance for those in need within our parish boundaries. Please call: 916-481-6352

Monday - Friday | 9:00am - 11:00am

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES Ask an usher about them!

Please check our website for current MASS SCHEDULE information

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13[™] SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to the synagogue official, "Do not be afraid; just have faith." When they arrived at the house of the synagogue official, he caught sight of a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. So he went in and said to them, "Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep." - Mk 5:36bc, 38-39

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the parish community at Our Lady of the Assumption Church is to proclaim the Word of God more fully, to gain a more intimate knowledge of God through our Catholic traditions, and to serve the people of God, especially in our efforts to meet the needs of the poor in our community, and when possible around the world. We strive to build a sense of community among our parishioners, with the entire family of God.

GOSPEL MEDITATION

June 27, 2021

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time The author of The Cloud of Unknowing prays, "That which I am and the way that I am, with all my gifts of nature and grace, you have given to me, O Lord, and you are all this. I offer it all to you, principally to praise you and to help my fellow Christians and myself." Knowing that God sustains us in being is the key to faith. All that we need to do is to love God as God is and the rest will begin to fall into place. God made us in His image and desires that we have life. God also desires that we be healed of all of our wounds, especially those caused by sin, and know his loving touch. Being weighed down by negativity, imperfections, the cares of the world, and weakness is not something that God desires.

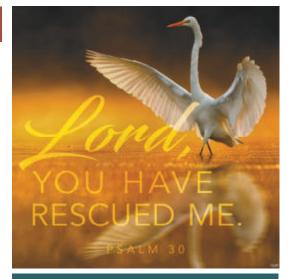
Faith can profoundly change how we see God, ourselves, and one another. It gives a clearer lens through which to see life and connects us with the powerful virtues of love and hope. Three friends journeying with us through all that we encounter, faith, hope, and love, help us experience God's embrace and heal us. All we have to do is let God be who God is and not foolishly try to make Him into what we need or want Him to be. Without God we cease to be. It's that simple. The very blood that flows through my veins and the life that I have come directly from Divine origins. With this knowledge of who God is and who I am, I can open my ears and hear the powerful words Jesus speaks, "Do not be afraid, just have faith." Trust begins.

When we are struggling, we naturally reach out for God because we know that a divine remedy is the only remedy. But, in doing so we wrestle with letting God take charge. We want something more miraculous and visible than the obvious and have diffi culty in finding





consolation simply resting in God's presence. Our naked being, stripped of any pretense or self-serving agenda, is being called to rest in and love the uncreated Presence of God. Reach out in love to God. Ask God to heal you from all that separates you from Him. Put aside any ideas of God that create barriers between you and God's tender and endearing presence. The Cloud of Unknowing leaves us with wisdom, "think of yourself and of him in the same way, that is, with the simple awareness that he is as he is and that you are as you are." This is a meeting of two friends who desire nothing more than to share life together.



WE WELCOME YOU HOME

Thank you for joining us today! We welcome you to our faith family and look forward to growing in faith and friendship with you. If you are interested in formally joining our parish community and/or the Catholic Faith, you can do so online or by coming in to the parish office. If you are returning to an active Catholic life, we are happy to facilitate a smooth and joy filled transition. May you find fellowship, and serenity peace in our community. Sincerely in Christ, Fr. Eduino, Pastor.

OLA LIVE In an effort to bring us safely back together for prayer and community, the parish will be hosting weekly virtual events.

The events will be either livestreamed or on Zoom so you can watch and participate from the safety of your home. More events will be added, so please check the schedule each week for updates.

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STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

Stewardship Sharing

June 27, 2021 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"...as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their want, so that their abundance may supply your want, that there may be equality."

2 CORINTHIANS 8:14

One of the tenets of living a Stewardship lifestyle is giving without expecting anything in return. It is important that we not only grow, nurture and share our gifts; but that we also teach our children and encourage others to do the same. This is the communal aspect of our Catholic faith. We are the "Body of Christ". We are called to be dependent on each other and not live in isolation.

READING OF THE WEEK

Sunday Jun 27: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/ Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b

-43 **Monday Jun 28:** Gn 18:16-33/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10

-11 [8a]/Mt 8:18-22 **Tuesday Jun 29:** Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/ Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-

3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [5]/2 Tm 4:6 -8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19 Wednesday Jun 30: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [7a]/Mt 8:28-34

Thursday July 01: Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5 -6, 8-9 [9]/Mt 9:1-8

Friday July 02: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b -2, 3-4a, 4b-5 [1b]/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday July 03: Eph 2:19 -22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 20:24-29 **Sunday July 04:** Ez 2:2-5/ Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 [2cd]/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a



OF THE HOLY ROMAN CHURCH



	SATURDAY, JUN 26
5:00PM	† Fred and Lizz Baca
	by Carmy Baca
	SUNDAY, JUN 27
9:00AM	† Virginia Pagliaro
	by The Oliver Family
11:00PM	+ Mary Zboralske
	by Zboralske Family
7:30PM	All Parishioner needs
	MONDAY, JUN 28
St. Irenae	eus, Bishop and Martyr
8:00AM	† Thomas Todd
	by Chambers Family
	TUESDAY, JUN 29
St. Peter	and Paul, Apostles.
8:00AM	† Fr. William Breault
	by Jim Breault
	WEDNESDAY, JUN 30
The First	Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
8:00AM	tose Silveira Chaves
	THURSDAY, JUL 01
St. Junipe	ro Sierra , Priest
8:00AM	† Wilson & the Bambenek Families
(Special	Intention for all deceased members)
	by Holy Spirit Family Trust
	FRIDAY, JUL 02
8:00AM	Pat Mc Neil and Jo Morrison
	(Special Intention for healing)
	by The Harty Family
	SATURDAY, JUL 03
8:00AM	Alice Mentelos
	(Special Intention for healing)
5:00PM	† Bette Lovotti
	by Pat and Nancy Carney

OUR PARISH

THANK YOU!

I am always amazed at the great generosity of our families. Even during these difficult times many have continued with their contributions to our parish by WeShare, by mail or by dropping in the mail box by the office. Thank you for your contribution that helps us to pay our bills. May God continue to bless all our families and help all in this time of pandemic with the abundance of His Love.

Fr. Eduino Silveira

FOR THESE GIFTS WE ARE GRATEFUL!

Weekend Offer	tory	06/13/21	\$ 5,601.	25
E-Giving from	06/07/21 to	06/13/21	\$ 4,942.	92

Total

\$ 10,544.17

Average Weekly Budget Amount \$12,000.00

WESHARE

We want to encourage our parishioners to enroll in our automated donation program called **WeShare**. This program provides a convenient way to make your donations to our church in the comfort of your home.

To enroll please follow these simple steps:

- <u>Go to https://olaparish.net</u>
- Click on Donate.
- This will take you to our "<u>Contribute</u>" page, where you will find the **WeShare** link to enroll and start making your donation.



BULLETIN DEADLINES

BULLETIN WEEKEND DATES	ARTICLE DUE
Jul 03-04	Jun 25
Jul 10-11	Jul 02
Jul 17-18	Jul 09

MASS TIME SURVEY RESULTS AND NEW DIOCESAN PROTOCOLS FOR WORSHIP AND MINISTRY

In our recent poll regarding the Sunday morning

Mass schedule, the majority of parishioners chose to continue with the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Mass times. However, due to strong interest in an earlier Sunday morning Mass time, Father Eduino is going to offer another **Sunday morning Mass.** This is a test period with no definite ending date, to see if the 7:30 am Sunday Mass is viable.

Saturday, 5:00 pm (livestream) Sunday, 7:30 am Sunday, 9:00 am (livestream) Sunday, 11:00 am Sunday, 7:30 pm

*Please note, the 7:30 am Mass will be a more meditative Mass in terms of more silent spaces and less singing. Only the Processional, Presentation of the Gifts, Holy Communion, and Recessional will have music/song. Readers/lectors will read the Responsorial Psalm. However, the "Alleluia" is supposed to be sung, and we will continue to do so.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FIREWORKS



It's time for fireworks again! The Knights will be selling them again this year in the parking lot at St. Ignatius! We will be open from 9am until 8pm from June 28th through July 4th! Come early for the best pick!

More info call Peter Kilkenny Phone: 916 692 5446



NEWS





Get all the dates, locations, and more information at www.pendola.org

PERT



People Enjoying Retirement Together

SAVE THE DATE: July 20, at 11am People Enjoying Retirement Together will gather. Retirees are invited to come to **OLA's PERT group**. Sorry, no potluck yet, BYO lunch and a smile. More info to follow or call **Kathi/Carl Sikora**

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Phone: 707-496-0736

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the activities of the Holy



See through which Pope Francis governs the Church and exercises his charitable works. When used for charitable outreach, funds from this collection help those most in need. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy. Please be generous today.

For more information, visit http:// www.peterspence.va/en.html.

To donate online, visit www.scd.org/peterspence.

WHERE ARE YOU GOING? BOYS (AGES 13-17)

DISCERNMENT RETREAT Boys ages 13-17 will learn about the Priesthood, Diaconate and Married Life through daily online sessions. There will be time for fellowship, games

August 5-8, 2021 via Zoom

and prayer about their vocation.

- + Every Morning 10am-Noon
- + Every Evening 5pm-6pm
- Virtual Mass with Bishop Soto Sunday, August 8 at 11am for retreat families Cost: ⁵20

Register by: July 19, 2021

Download forms and register: www.scd.org/quovadis

If you have any questions, please contact the Diocese of Sacramento Office of Vocations at 916-733-0258 or email msmith@scd.org



Diocese of Sacramento 8th ANNUAL VOCATIONS BENEFIT DINNER Saturday, July 31, 2021 St. Mary Catholic Church 1333 - 58th Street, Sacramento, CA Hosted by: Knights of Columbus Council No. 953

SPIRITUAL GROWTH

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time **We are made rich.**

Breaking Open the Word Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Second Reading, from St. Paul

Step One: Listen to the Word

Listen carefully to the reading from Corinthians. What key thought strikes you about it? What single word or phrase catches your ear?

Step Two: Look into Your Life

Question for Children: What does sharing with others bring happiness to you? Question for Youth: What are some of the miraculous moments in your own life? Do you ever pray for miracles? Question for Adults: What is your personal response to St. Paul's instruction to the Corinthians today? How will this change your personal habits with money and possessions?



EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Touching the Cloak of Christ

Look to today's Gospel and you'll find one of the most arresting images in all of Scripture. Christ in a crowd, everyone clamoring for his attention, pressing against him. Several feet away, is a chronically ill woman, weak and desperate for help. She knows she doesn't have a chance of getting his attention. She has no connections. She has no strength. All she can do is lift up her hand.

So that's what she does. She reaches out.

There comes a time, or maybe several times, in each of our lives when we become this woman. We're tired and we're sick. Is it with sin? With fear? With anger? It doesn't matter. Whatever it is, it's made us weak, and we feel like we've run out of options. We've looked for help and come up empty. We've consulted friends and gotten nowhere. We're lost in the crowd of life, unable to stick our heads above the pressing throng to wave for help.

And there is Christ, always passing by us. The hem of his cloak is never far from our grasp. We have no hope of a big miracle like the synagogue leader. We don't even bother asking for that. But that cloak ... we can touch that cloak. That's something we can do.

Do we do it, though? Do we have the confidence of that sick, beatendown woman who knew so totally that healing was there for the taking? Or do we retreat back into the crowd, stumbling back home with our pain and our sinfulness? Reach out, friends. However, whatever, whenever — reach out. Christ will not fail you.

- Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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LIVE THE LITURGY—- INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

"Do not be afraid, just have faith." God does not rejoice in our demise or our destruction. Rather, He made us in his image and desires that we have life. He also desires that we be healed and know

His loving touch. There is great power in an embrace offered in love. The touch of another can heal wounds and restore life. There is also power in faith. Faith can turn us toward the truth and turn us toward God. Both love and faith can lead us to hope that no matter what we encounter, God will continue to sustain us in being. He will not allow us to perish. God can profoundly change how we see Him, ourselves, and one another. God desires that we turn toward Him and be healed of all that wounds and binds us so that we can be free and enjoy the fullness of life. We are asked to arise and walk proudly with this life-giving faith. Reach out and share this faith with someone this week so that they too can receive God's life changing embrace and heed His call to wholeness. There are many in our world wandering around aimlessly without hope. Bring it to them.

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COMMUNITY

NEW PROTOCOLS FOR THE RETURN TO MASS

Bishop Soto recently issued a letter describing new protocols for the return to Mass, which also rescinds the general dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. The letter can be read in its entirety using this link: https://www.scd.org/news/letter-faithful-

new-protocols-worship-and-ministry. These guidelines go into effect the weekend of June 19/20. There will not be restrictions on the number of people attending the Mass, and we will no longer offer outdoor seating.

A summary of the guidelines are listed below:

- Practice frequent hand washing and use of hand sanitizer.
- Refrain from hand shaking and other forms of physical contact with others outside of one's household.
- Continue to clean the pews at least twice on Sundays and other days when there are multiple services.
- Facial masks are still encouraged.
- Priests, deacons, and extraordinary ministers should continue to use facial masks for the distribution of communion. During the distribution of communion priests, deacons, and extraordinary ministers should have sanitizer available for use when needed.
- For communion, the distribution of the cup is still suspended.
- The exchange of the sign of peace during Mass may resume. The faithful should refrain from gestures of physical touching with persons outside of one's household. A respectful bow or wave is encouraged.
- Congregational singing may resume. Musicians and choirs should observe sensible public health precautions. Pastors should use their discretion based on local circumstances regarding the use of facial masks by musicians, cantors, and choirs.
- Liturgical processions may resume: Entrance procession, the gospel procession, the procession of the offertory gifts, and the recessional procession.
- It is recommended that the collection baskets be handled only by the ushers rather than passed from person to person.
- Holy Water may be made available to the faithful in the traditional fonts at the entrance of the church.
- Livestreaming the Sunday celebrations of the Sacrifice of the Mass for the benefit of those who cannot attend in person due to illness or other circumstances noted above is encouraged.
- All the faithful are encouraged to receive the COVID-19 vaccination when available. Consult with your doctor regarding any personal health concerns.

OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS

Julie Nelson Nancy Carlson Jonathan Rassmussen Stacie Higginbotham Sandi Lanz Shirley Ward Mary Silva J. Richard Heintz Molly Garcia

Richard McClintock Gutierrez Family Amanda Young Margaret Parker Josefina Morales Pauline Dressler Diva Orsolini Nancy Colleran Dorothy Acalin

Note: Please call the parish office to add a name or to remove them from this list. Thank you.

Come & See at St. Patrick's Seminary in Menlo Park: The Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations is inviting young adult men age 21 or older who are discerning



their vocation to a Come & See day at St. Patrick's Seminary in Menlo Park. You will need to come prepared to cover the cost of two meals for the day and your own travel expenses.

Space is limited so please RSVP by **Tuesday**, **July 6th at gher-nandez@scd.org**. When you RSVP, please include your name, address and phone number.



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