

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 21, 2018

Our readings on this Third Sunday in Ordinary Time remind us that we are each called by God to a particular purpose in life. In addition, we must guard against being too rooted, so that we can indeed respond to the Lord as a disciple.

Saturday, January 20, 2018

5:00 p.m.

Intention: Gabriel B. Oliveira †

Requested by: Wife & Family

7:00 p.m. (St. Mary's)

Intention: Joaquin Mancebo †

Requested by: Celia Mancebo

Monday, January 22, 2018

No 8:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, January 23, 2018

6:00 p.m.

Intention: Jose L. Borges †

Requested by: Lee & Dina Borges

Saturday, January 27, 2018

5:00 p.m.

Intention: Maria Pinheiro †

Requested by: Rosa Fagundes

7:00 p.m. (St. Mary's)

Intention: John & Louise Vierra †

Requested by: Greg & Shirley Vierra

Sunday, January 21, 2018

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

Intention: Antone & Maria B. & Joe
Silva †

Requested by: Michael & Filomena
Heilman

10:00 a.m.

Intention : MaryAnn Moles †

Requested by: Calvin Tavares Family

11:30 a.m. (Portuguese)

Intention: Felismina Pereira †

Requested by: Mr. & Mrs. Amelim
Silveira

6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's)

Intention: People of the Parish

Wednesday, January 24, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Manuel & Ludevina
Nascimento †

Requested by: Felishmina Noronha

Thursday, January 25, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Jose Fontes †

Requested Cremilde Fontes

Friday, January 26, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Mr. & Mrs. Antonio Brasil †

Requested by: Isidro Bettencourt

7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

Sunday, January 28, 2018

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

Intention: Lawrence & Shirley
Freeberg †

Requested by: Christopher & Sandra
Freeberg

10:00 a.m.

Intention : For All Those Inscribed in
the Legacy of Faith Book

11:30 a.m. (Portuguese)

Intention: All Souls in Purgatory †

Requested by: Marcelino & Madalena
Enes

6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's)

Intention: People of the Parish

Fr. Marcelinus will be away this week, joining the Bishop and the other priests of the Fresno diocese at the Annual Priests' Retreat in Three Rivers. Please pray for our diocesan family and its pastors especially this week. Daily Mass schedule remains the same.

*Walk For Life will take place on **Saturday January 27th** in San Francisco. We will be taking a bus and leaving at 6:30 a.m. All parishioners are encouraged to attend.*

AS WE BEGIN THE NEW YEAR, WE WILL REFRESH OUR PRAYER LIST. PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE IF ADDITIONAL PRAYERS ARE NEEDED FOR THOSE WHO WERE LISTED AND WISH TO REMAIN ON THE LIST.

Please Keep in Your Prayers: Eliza Alves, Jordan Ouse & Maria Rocha. *Please remember if you have an ill family member or friend that you would like to include on our prayer list or even have a visit by the priest call the parish office at 667-8961.*

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

"Is anyone sick among you? Let them call for the elders of the church, and they should pray over the sick and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. This prayer made in faith will save the sick, and if they have committed any sins, they will be forgiven." Letter of James 5:14-15. This New Testament passage is the basis for our Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. It is clearly intended to be a prayer of the community for healing and forgiveness. For some centuries, it came to be seen as "last rites" only for those near death. However, in recent years, its original meaning has been appreciated once again. Anyone who is seriously ill, made infirm by age or is about to undergo surgery may request this sacrament. For those near death, the true "last rites" is the *Viaticum*, literally "food for the journey": the Holy Eucharist given to those near death to nourish them for eternal life. Please remember to advise the Parish office whenever the sacrament is needed for a loved one or friend.

Religious Education News+

1st Year Confirmation Students mark your calendars. You and your sponsors have a retreat on **Sunday, January 28th** from 8:30-4:30pm. Cost is \$25.00 per person.

Children's Ministry takes places on Sunday's during the 10am Mass. We are in need of leaders. If you would like to lead this group, please call Dina at 632-7163.

Shipwrecked rescued by Jesus is coming June 4-8, 2018, and concluding Mass on June 10th at 10AM. Mark your calendars and plan now on attending.

CCD Teachers Echoes of Faith Classes will resume on Tuesday, January 23rd regarding the scriptures & January 30th on Prayer and Spirituality from 6:30-9:00pm, in room #4.

Confirmation will take place on Saturday, February 24th at 10AM and rehearsal is Thursday, Feb. 22nd at 6:30pm.. Altar servers and Eucharistic Ministers are needed.

Mrs. Luisiana Drumonde 3rd grade Class will be in charge of the 10 am. Liturgy on Sunday, January 28th. Parts went home last week, please practice with your child.

Please note: There will be NO Tuesday CCD on January 30th. We are following the Religious Ed Calendar.

Help is needed for the Jan. 28th Confirmation retreat. We really need help with lunch from 12-1:30pm, and small group leaders. If you are available to help please Call Dina at 632-7163.



Snacks: If you have extra cups, napkins, punch, cookies or crackers the Religious Education program is always in need of these items. You can drop off at the parish office or the church entrances.

BEST DEAL IN TOWN, the 57th Annual Parish Breakfast THIS WEEKEND

8 a.m.-12noon. All proceeds help to maintain our parish facilities especially the hall. Please help to make this breakfast a success by purchasing your tickets. Invite family & friends and make it an annual tradition!

Hilmar Helping Hands Sunday

Is next weekend, please bring non-perishable food items to help the less fortunate families of our community. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

 "Together they share, Together they work, and each one helps the other" 

Please Join SALT Young Adult group at Holy Rosary Church for **Eucharistic Adoration** this **Friday January 26th at 7 p.m.** in the New Church. Please come and join us as we spend an hour with the most Blessed Sacrament. Welcome all from different parishes and those of all ages.

Help Us Keep Our Registration Current!

Are you on our parish mailing list? Do you miss out on parish mailings? In an effort to keep our registration current we need your help. Some think because they have lived here for years, or have been baptized here or maybe their children attend CCD are registered at Holy Rosary/St. Mary's Parish. There is no obligation to register, only benefits, such as letters of recommendation for sacrament sponsorship, sacraments of Baptism, Marriage or funeral services. Please fill out a white card found at all church entrances and returned it via mail or in the Sunday collection basket. Once received we will send you your very own registration number. If you are a current member and have moved simply give us a call with your new address. Thank you for your consideration.

Grief Support Group presented by Our Lady of Assumption in Turlock will be offered weekly on **Tuesdays 6:00 p.m. beginning January 23rd** in Front office Conference Room. For more information or for reservations call 634-2222.

Attention: Angels, next weekend is piggy dumping weekend as well as our monthly second collection for our new church. Thank you in advance for your continued support.

Thank you to everyone who contributed in every way to the **New Church Filhos Sale** last weekend. The total benefit to be used for upcoming fish dinner for our New Church was **\$4,255.00**. We take this opportunity to thank Maria & Frank Amarante and all the many helpers who provide this special Filho Sale. We thank them for their time and talent!

Volunteers Needed to help at Masses in the Audio/Video room.

We are looking for volunteers to operate the system for Masses. If you are interested in helping with this important ministry please call Michael Machado 410-2522 or Michelle Machado at 410-2557.

Valentine's Day Is Just Around the Corner. Proclaim your love forever by purchasing a Brick for that special someone. It will last a lot longer than that box of chocolates or flowers! For more information or questions, please call the parish office.

Altar Society... is now accepting donations for the **Filhos sale SUNDAY, February 4th (Super Bowl Weekend)**. They are in need of Mazola oil and cash donations to apply towards special flour to be purchased. Please drop off your donations at the parish office. Thank you for your support! **Much help is needed. Please volunteer to help to continue this tradition,** call Carmel at 668-0795 or Ines 634-2894.

Our offering collection for January 13 & 14 \$4,668.00

Last Year January 14 & 15 \$5,101.00
2nd Collection for the Seminarians \$1,116.00
Last year \$882.00

Thank you, Obrigado & Gracias !