

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ August 12, 2018

Like the Jews in today's Gospel, most children and youth have a hard time believing and trusting what they cannot see. For example, they cannot see that a choice that seems easy and fun and good today will bear negative consequences for them in the future. Like Jesus, we must remain consistent and persistent in saying what we know to be true. Our words may be met with doubt and resistance, but they serve to remind our children of the Gospel values and expectations we uphold. Today, take time to think about where you need to stand firm and remain consistent and persistent as a parent.

Saturday, August 11, 2018

2:00 p.m. Wedding of:

Melanie Almada & Jarad Pinkerton

5:00 p.m.

Intention : Raul Apoinario †

Requested by: Wife & Family

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

Intention: John Rico

Requested by: David & Fatima Amaral
& Sons

Sunday, August 12, 2018

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

Intention: Lisa Baptista †

Requested by: Ana Leal

10:00 a.m.

Intention : Manuel C. Souza †

Requested by: Wife & Family

Intention: Harold DePalma

Requested by: Rose DePalma

11:30 a.m. (Bilingual)

Intention: Jose Borba & Louisa Borba
Frandsen †

Requested by: Maria Borba Family

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

Intention: People of the Parish

Monday, August 13, 2018

No 8:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, August 14, 2018

6:00 p.m.

Intention: Francisco & Delmida Mendonca

Virginio & Maria Pacheco †

Requested by: Virgil & Carmina Pacheco

Intention: Francisco Feliciano †

Requested by: Ana Cabral

Intention: Albert Robledo †

Requested by: Family

Intention: Manuel Silveira Jr.

Requested by: Lucy Silveira & Family

Wednesday, August 15, 2018

*Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Holy day of Obligation*

6 p.m. St. Mary's

Intention: Lisa Baptista †

Requested by: Family

7:30 p.m. New Church

Intention: Jose & Virginia Sousa †

Requested by: Isidro & Nair Sousa

Thursday, August 16, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Carlos M. Dias †

Requested by: Gary E. Dias

Friday, August 17, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Intention: All Souls in Purgatory †

Requested by: Joao & Maria Bertao

Saturday, August 18, 2018

5:00 p.m.

Intention : Jose & Clara Homen &
Emily Silveira †

Requested by: Manuel & Maria Silveira

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

Intention: Herculano M. Vieira

Requested by: HUSD Transport Dept.

Sunday, August 19, 2018

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

Intention: Antonio S. Caetano †

Requested by: Wonderly Correia Family

10:00 a.m.

Intention : Dorothy L. Pruett †

Requested by: Parish Community

11:30 a.m. (Bilingual)

Intention: Jose L. Galhandro †

Requested by: Wife & Family

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

Intention: People of the Parish

Please Keep in Your Prayers: Joao Avelar, Eliza Alves, **Joao Avila, Richard Avila**, Mary Beaman, Jack Betschart, Violet Brazil, Elizabeth de Sousa, Elvira Freitas, Jared Germann, Cheryl Komos-Morse, Patrick Leyden, Josephina Martins, Esther Martinez, Leonor Melo, Gloria Jean Mendes, Phyllis Mendes, Carmen Moura, Prescilla Moura, Felismina Noronha, Maria Nunes, Eliseu Pacheco, Mary Roberts, Joe & Lourdes Rocha, Maria Rocha, Maria Rosa, Joe Silveira, Ellen Silveira, Rosa Silveira & Jeannie Tristant *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.*

THIS Weekend Special Collection is for the St. John's Cathedral Preservation Fund. St. John's Cathedral, the mother church of the Diocese of Fresno, continues to be a symbol of unity of the Bishop and the people of God as it has been for over 100 years. Please be as generous as you can to help preserve the cathedral for another 100 years.

#Religious Education News+

CCD Late Registration forms for the 2018-2019 school year are available based on Class availability. Forms are available at all Church entrances and the parish office. Please note: Tuesday, 1st & 2nd grade is almost full. There is plenty of room on Sunday.

CCD teachers are needed for the 2018-2019 school year

We especially need a 4th grade on Tuesday's from 4:00-5:15pm, and 7th grade, on Wednesday nights from 6:45pm to 8:30pm. If you are interested in learning more please contact Dina at 632-7163.

Echoes of Faith Class will be taught for all CCD teachers who need to fulfill this requirement. The class will be Methods, and will be taught on **Wednesday, Aug. 15th** from 6:30 – 9 p.m. in Classroom 4.

It's that time of year again, when you are out school supply shopping remember CCD. We always need pencils, erasers, crayons, spiral note books, binders, white chalk, glue and glue sticks. You can drop off items at the parish office or at the church entrances. Thank you in advance for your support.

There will be a teacher training on August 22nd 1st session 2-3, 2nd Session 7-8, and Brain storming 8-9pm for Jr. & Sr. High teachers in the parish hall. The Religious Education Year will be discussed. All teachers need to attend. If you can not make it please call Dina at 632-7163. Safe environment needs to be completed before the program begins on Sept. 13th.

Catechetical Sunday will take place on Sept. 16^h at the 10AM Mass. All Catechists are asked to attend this Mass and sit up front with your families.

Looking for a family or families to help provide donuts and juice on Sunday, Sept. 16th after the 10 AM Mass if you are interested in helping please call Dina at 632-7163.

Join Us for Mass on Wednesday, August 15th at 6 p.m. at St. Mary's or 7:30 p.m. at Holy Rosary. As we celebrate the Feast of the Assumption; the day we recall Our Blessed Mother being assumed into heaven and crowned queen. In the Gospel reading we hear proclaimed once again the Cantic of Mary, recorded in the Gospel of Luke (1:46-55). It is the Virgin Mary's song of joy in response to her cousin Elizabeth's greeting (Luke 1:41-45), and summarizes Mary's deep faith and trust in God. "My soul magnifies the Lord..." Take a few moments and pray this stewardship prayer. Consider its implications for your life. How do you magnify the Lord? How do you make God "bigger" in your day-to-day world? How do you share God's compassion with others, especially the poor? **Remember this is a day of Holy obligation please plan on attending.**

Wedding Bells are Ringing



We congratulate our newest couple who celebrated their nuptials this weekend, **Jarad & Melanie Pinkerton.** We thank them for donating the beautiful Altar flowers from their wedding. May God continue to bless them with a wonderful future together.

Holy Rosary / St. Mary's Scholarships Sponsored by Our Lady of the Rosary Festa

our parish will be awarding scholarships to high school graduating seniors. Parents of the graduate must be registered parishioners of Holy Rosary / St. Mary's for at least 1 year. Pick up an application at the office. **Completed applications** need to be returned by **August 31st, and must have an official high school transcript with application.** If you have any questions regarding the scholarships please call the parish office.

SAVE THE DATE

Come Celebrate our Mother Church St. Mary's 100th Anniversary Sunday, September 30, 2018 at a special Mass at 10 a.m. celebrated on the grounds of St. Mary's with Bishop Ochoa.

Don't miss the momentous occasion as we gather as one parish community in honoring our special little treasure in Stevinson.

The celebration will continue after Mass with a luncheon at the Stevinson Pentecost Hall.

Stay tuned for ticket availability.

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 stop by the Parish Office to pick up a form, 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.

Have A New Baby??

Our next Pre-Baptismal class will be held **Thursday, August 16th at 7:00 p.m.** in the parish center. Please pre-register by filling out the registration forms.

Time to Pack Those Lunches

Please remember to use eScripts every time you shop at *Save Mart* or *Food Maxx* stores when doing your back to school shopping and every time your shop. Every little bit counts towards our goal! Make it a good habit!

Monthly Finance Report

Our Revenues for the month of July (plate collection, rental fee, weddings & Baptisms

Totalled \$24,440.68

Our expenses for July (utilities, Diocesan & Education

Assessments, Property Taxes, repairs, maintenance, office & church expense, payroll, payroll taxes & insurance

Totalled \$30,182.18

Bottom Line \$-5,741.50

Our offering collection for August 4 & 5 \$4,263.00
Last year August 5 & 6 \$4,174.00
Thank you, Obrigado & Gracias!