

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 20, 2019

The point Jesus wanted to illustrate at the wedding in Cana by changing the water to wine was to introduce a change. Many scholars interpret the wedding as the new age and the huge stone jars represent the magnitude of the wonder. There is great abundance in the story and that is the message of the new order Jesus promises - God lavishes us with his abundant love and we come to know that love through Jesus.

### Saturday, January 19, 2019

#### 5:00 p.m.

Intention :Manuel V. Silva †

Requested by: Belmira Sousa

Intention: Joe B. Coelho †

Requested by: Wife & Family

Intention: Nelson Miguel †

Requested by: Our Lady of Miracles  
Society

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

Intention: Herculano M. Vierra †

Requested by: Paul & Eva Costa

### Sunday, January 20, 2019 *2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

#### 7:30 a.m.

Intention :Joao Bertao †

Requested by: Ferminio & Mary  
Martins

#### 10:00 a.m.

Intention: Pedro "Pete" Avila †

Requested by: Mother

#### 11:30 a.m.

Intention: Alvarinha Galante †

Requested by: Husband & Son

Intention:Deceased Family Members †

Requested by: Joao & Maria Faria

Intention: Jose M. Noronha †

Requested by: Felishmina Noronha

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

Intention: People of the Parish

### Monday, January 21, 2019

*Martin Luther King Jr.*

*Parish Office Closed*

#### 8:00 a.m.

Intention: Maria Fatima Castro †

Requested by: Oscar & Luisiana  
Drumonde

### Tuesday, January 22, 2019

#### 8:00 a.m.

Prayer Service

### Wednesday, January 23, 2019

#### 8:00 a.m.

Prayer Service

### Thursday, January 24, 2019

#### 8:00 a.m.

Prayer Service

### Friday, January 25, 2019

#### 8:00 a.m.

Intention: Maria E. Brasil †

Requested by: Husband

10:00 a.m. Rosary/Funeral Mass for  
Pedro "Pete" Avila

6:00 p.m. Adoration of Blessed  
Sacrament

7:00 p.m. Rosary for Jordan Ouse  
(New Church)

### Saturday, January 26, 2019

10 a.m. Funeral Mass for Jordan Ouse

#### 5:00 p.m.

Intention :Madalena Borges †

Requested by: Mr. & Mrs. Manuel  
Ornelas

Intention: Joe, Iva & Joe I. Chibante †

Requested by: Family

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

Intention: Manuel S. Machado & All

Deceased Family Members †

Requested by: Angela L. Machado

### Sunday, January 27, 2019 *3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

#### 7:30 a.m.

Intention :Maria F. Melo †

Requested by: Friend

#### 10:00 a.m.

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

#### 11:30 a.m.

Intention: Raul Apolinario †

Requested by: Rafael Apolinario Family

Intention: David Costa & Fernanda  
Castro †

Requested by: Wagner Caetano Family

Intention: Felishmina Pereira †

Requested by: John & Mary Mendonca

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

Intention: People of the Parish

**Let us remember and pray** for our beloved departed, especially for **Pedro Avila & Jordan Ouse** that they may receive the abundant fruit of God's presence and also for their loved ones that they may receive God's consolation and peace at this difficult time.

**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 ARE LISTED AND WISH TO REMAIN ON THE LIST.**

**Please Keep in Your Prayers:** Eliza Alves, Isidoro Bettencourt, **Maria J. Solorio** & baby Kinzley Sousa.

***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.***

## **#Religious Education News+**

**Walk For Life** will take place on **Saturday January 26<sup>th</sup>**. We will be taking a bus. Cost is \$20.00 per person and sign-ups are being taken in the parish office. All Parishioners are encouraged to participate. We will be attending Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral. **Help us fill our bus we have 20 seats left.** Call Dina at 632-7163 to sign up.

**Net** - National Evangelization Team will be here on **Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> & Jan. 30<sup>th</sup>**. To facilitate mini retreats for the youth of our parish. **We are in need of 2 host families for each day to host young adults (2 per house).** This includes feeding them breakfast. If you could help for one or both days your help would greatly be appreciated. Please call Dina 632-7163.

**Children's Ministry** takes place on Sunday's during the 10am Mass. **We are in need of leaders for January 27<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>** If you would like to lead this group one of those days, please call Dina at 632-7163.

**Refreshments needed** for the students after the Net nights on **January 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>**. Cookies, brownies, punch, cups, napkins, etc....Can be homemade or store bought. If you would like to help out call Dina at 632-7163.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation** will take place on **Tuesday, Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00pm in the New Church, watch CCD news for more details.

A special thank you goes out to Kris & Philip Fanelli, and Janel Inderbitzen for helping with the 1<sup>st</sup> year Confirmation retreat. Your help was greatly appreciated.

**Wednesday Night CCD** will be meeting on **January 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>** from 6:30-8:45pm. The NET Team will be here to facilitate a mini retreat for the youth of our

## **BEST DEAL IN TOWN, the 58<sup>th</sup> 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!**

Since we did not have a large direct response to the **Annual Bishops Appeal**, we are reaching out to you to help fulfill this diocesan obligation. Any amount received over our obligation will be given directly back to our parish to use for our needs. To help reach this goal we will replace the monthly second collection for the Building Fund with the Bishop's Appeal.

**50% of the Bishop's appeal is earmarked for Seminarian/Vocations. They are the future of the Church. The balance will be divided equally between Youth and Young Adult Ministry and Family Life Ministry.** The collection will take place next weekend. **We thank you in advance for your continued support and generosity to our parish and Diocese.**

*Piggy dumping will still take place as usual for our angels!*

**We Congratulate** the newest members of our Catholic Faith Community who are being baptized this weekend: **Branden Lewis Grooms** son of Edith Harp, **Hazel Noir Nylund** daughter of Spencer & Taylor, and **Jack Daniel Silva** son of Mark & Anissa. We pray that they and their families will continue to grow in faith and in the love of Jesus as they remain close to His church.

**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.

**Altar Society**... is now accepting donations for the upcoming **Filhos sale February 3<sup>rd</sup>**. 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! **If you can volunteer to help with the filhos and help to continue this tradition**, please call Carmel at 668-0795 or Ines 634-2894. Thank you for your support!

**Fr. Mike 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 Prayer Service will be in place of the Mass Tuesday through Thursday.**

**SALT** will be sponsoring adoration on **Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup>** in the new church from 6-7 p.m. Everyone is invited to come pray for our parish and our world.

**2019 World Marriage Day Anniversary Mass with Bishop Ochoa** will take place February 10<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm at St. Anthony of Padua in Fresno for all couples celebrating 25 years on up, in increments of 5. Please register directly at [www.dioceseoffresno.org](http://www.dioceseoffresno.org) or call Rosie Mercado at 559-488-7474 ext. 103.

**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 Building Fund was **\$3,927.00**. We take this opportunity to thank Iria Martins and all the many helpers who provide this special Filho Sale. We thank them for their time and talent!

**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.

**Our offering collection for  
January 12 & 13 \$5,218.00  
Last Year January 13 & 14 \$4,668.00**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for the Seminarians  
\$1,513.00. Last year \$1,116.00  
Thank you, Obrigado & Gracias!**