4th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ February 3, 2019

How many times do we react to what appears to be the situation? A few times of being wrong slows us, especially parents, down and teaches us that things are not always as they seem. It takes time and often forces us to eat humble pie (or at least laugh at ourselves), but very often, by the time we get the story we recognize that we have come to the wrong conclusion, that the evidence is misleading. Parents need to show their children that they trust and have faith in them. If our first impression turns out to be correct, then we can take necessary disciplinary steps, but at least children recognize their parents' faith in them as our first response.

<u>Saturday, February 2, 2019</u> 2:00 p.m. 34th Anniversary Mass for Christopher & Flo Estrada

5:00 p.m.

Intention: Ted Katsounakis

Requested by: Miguel & Wilson
Families

Intention: Manuel V. Silva **†** Requested by: Belmira Sousa

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

Intention: For All Those Inscribed in the St. Mary's Memorial Book

Sunday, February 3, 2019 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

Intention: Living & Deceased Members of Holy Rosary/St. Mary's Altar Society

10:00 a.m.

Intention: Michael Silva

Requested by: David & Shelli Cunha

Intention: Vera Almeida **P** Requested by: Family

11:30 a.m.

Intention: Jose Mendes Barcelos **†** Requested by: Antonio & Ana Barcelos

6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's) Intention: People of the Parish

<u> Monday, February 4, 2019</u>

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Maria Avila **†** Requested by: Joe & Janice Louro

Tuesday, February 5, 2019

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Richard Avila **†** Requested by: Mary Cabral

Wednesday, February 6, 2019

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Harold DePalma **†** Requested by: Rose & Anne DePalma

Thursday, February 7, 2019

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Humberto Silva &
Mark F. Brindeiro
Requested by: Mark, Luke & John
Brindeiro

Friday, February 8, 2019

8:00 a.m.

Intention: Salvardor Agueda 🕈 Requested by: Mr & Mrs. Jose Matos

Saturday, February 9, 2019

5:00 p.m.

Intention : Joao & Maria Vitoria † Requested by: Frank & Darlene Victoria

Intention: Jean Tristant

Requested by: Jeanne Tristant & Family

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

Intention: John & Louise Vierra **†** Requested by: Greg & Shirley Vierra

Sunday, February 10, 2019 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

Intention: Maria F. Melo **†** Requested by: C.P.I.D.E.S.

Intention of: Frank & Frances Miguel "Happy 60th Wedding Anniversary"

Requested by: Family

Intention: Frances Mendes **†** Requested by: Husband & Family

11:30 a.m.

Intention: Madalena Borges Requested by: Fatima Drumonde

6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's) Intention: People of the Parish

<u>Please Keep in Your Prayers:</u> Eliza Alves, Joao Avelar, Joao Avila, Maria Apolinario, Isidoro Bettencourt, Shawn Bettencourt, Elizabeth de Sousa, Carlos & Joe Delgado, Irma Garcia, Jared Germann, Barbara Huff, Patrick Leyden, Gloria Jean Mendes, Phyllis Mendes, Maria J. Solorio, baby Kinzley Sousa & Jeanne 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.

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+

Thank You to the following people for helping with the Net Retreat this past week(1/30) There are many aspects into putting on a retreat from hosting the group for the evening and day, to feeding, refreshments and help with setting up and clean up. Thank you to all the Jr. & Sr. High Teacher's, Odelta & Armelim Cardoso, Matt & Mary Beaman, John & Ann Steffen, Eric & Bianca Shields, Antonio & Ana Barcelos, Louie & Julie Barroso & Family, Leonette & Manuel Andre, Theresa Faria, Jim & Linda Lopes, Joe & Marilena Oliveira & Family, and Dan & Desi Silva & Family. Your help and support is greatly appreciated.

Children's Ministry takes place on Sunday's during the 10am Mass. We are in need of leaders for Feb. 10th & 24th If you would like to lead this group on one of these days, please Call Dina at 632-7163.

1st Reconciliation will take place on Tuesday, Feb. 5th at 6:00p.m. in the New Church, Students are to be in their pews and ready to go by 5:50 p.m.

Raffle prizes needed for the CCD Raffle. Examples: Coffee pots, gift cards and gift baskets, toys, small electronics, T.V.'s, etc. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office. Thank you in advance for your support. We are also looking for a ticket sponsor the cost is \$165.00 for printing the tickets. If you would like to sponsor the printing cost please Call Dina at 632-7163.

3rd Graders in Mrs. Drumonde's 4 Mrs. Olson's class will be in charge of the 10AM Mass on Sunday, February 24th. Plan now on attending, parts went home last week.

No CCD on Tuesday, Feb. 5th, CCD resumes on Tuesday, Feb. 12th.

Confirmation will take place on Saturday, February 16th at 10AM and rehearsal is Friday, Feb. 15 at 6:30pm.. We are in need of Altar Servers if you can help out please call Dina at 632-7163

Altar Society will be selling hot delicious Filhos this Sunday February 3rd, Super Bowl Sunday.

Please support the wonderful work that our Altar Society provides all year long by purchasing a dozen! Thank you for your support.

We Congratulate the newest members of our Catholic Faith Community who are being baptized this weekend: Carter Edwin Ellington son of Ricky & Stephanie, Brody Allen Jantz son of Dutch & Megan and Reed Andrew Pacheco son of Darryn & Kylie. 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

Bosom Buddies- Hilmar Breast Cancer Support Group will meet on Monday, February 4th beginning 6:00 p.m. at the Parish Center.

Annual Parish Portuguese Retreat is set for February 9 & 10 (in Portuguese). The retreat will be led by Fr. Tiago Medeiros and Deacon Paulinho Ribeiro both from Brazil. Saturday will begin at 9 a.m. in the Mission church. Sunday the retreat will begin at 8 a.m. in the Parish Hall and conclude with Mass in the Mission church .Everyone is invited to participate and renew them self spiritually and grow in faith. For more information please call Iria at 634-9653.

SAVE THE DATE

<u>Fish Dinner</u> and Auction on March 15th. TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE at the Parish Office.

We SOLD OUT last year! Be sure to purchase yours soon so you don't miss out on this delicious meal that comes around only once a year. Tickets are \$25.00.

Lent Is Just Around the Corner
We will once again be having our
traditional Lenten Soup Suppers in the
Hall after the stations of the Cross. We
reach out to our parish organizations to
help with these suppers. Please call Anna
to sign up for a Friday of your choice. We
thank our organization in advance for
their time, talent and treasure.

This weekend's 7 p.m. Mass at St. Mary's is dedicated to those honored and memorialized through our St. Mary's Memorial Book We thank all those who have supported the St. Mary's Memorial Book by their contributions to this lasting gift made in honor or remembrance. The following individuals have recently been inscribed in our Memorial book at St.Mary's: Maria Meneses Soares, Manuel Luis, Joao Martins, Raymond "Sug" Jones, Mary M. Vierra, Richard Moore, Isabelle Faria Raymond & Loretta Fernandes

NEXT WEEKEND February 9 & 10 Catholic Communications

Campaign special collection will be taken. This campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, television, radio and print media. And fifty percent of funds collected remain in our diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message?

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! Or how about keeping the light shining bright by honoring that special someone with an honorary candle in front of Our Lady or St. Joseph's; You can have your anniversary date inscribed on the special plaque. (Who needs another diamond?) For more information or questions, please call the parish office.

Our offering collection for January 19 & 20 \$4,719.40 Last Year January 27 & 28 \$4,167.00 2nd Collection for the Bishop's Appeal \$1,521.50

Last Year 2nd collection for our New Church was \$1,557.00

Thank you, Obrigado & Gracias!

PLEASE REMEMBER TO USE YOUR REGISTRATION NUMBER ON ALL CONTRIBUTIONS.