Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time~ September 8, 2019

Like a king making ready for battle or a contractor about to build a tower, we have to count the cost as we set out to follow Jesus. Our Lord today is telling us up front the sacrifice it will take. His words are to whoever wishes to be His disciple. That only makes His call all the more stark and uncompromising. We are to "hate" our old lives, to renounce all the earthly things we rely upon, to choose Him above every person and possession. Again He tells us that the things we have—even our family ties and obligations—can become an excuse, an obstacle that keeps us from giving ourselves completely to Him.

Saturday, September 7, 2019

5:00 p.m.

Intention: All Souls in Purgatory **†** Requested by: Clarence & Mary Rocha

Intention: Hazel Santos ♥
Requested by: Mary Garcia
Intention: John Nunes ♥
Requested by: Family

7:00 p.m. St. Mary's Stevinson

Intention: Jordan & Eric Ouse † Requested by: Greg & Maria Ouse

Sunday, September 8, 2019 Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

Intention: Maria C. Mendes Requested by: Laura Pereira

Intention: Msgr. Walter F. Minhoto ♥ Requested by: John & Pat Baptista Intention: Welsh Family Ancestors ♥ Requested by: John & Ann Steffen

10:00 a.m.

Intention: People of the parish

11:30 a.m.

Intention: Laurentina Rocha and

Maria Pinheiro 🕈

Requested by: Rosa Fagundes

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

Monday, September 9, 2019

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Manuel M. & Nivia

Cardoso **†**

Requested by: Their Daughters

Tuesday, September 10, 2019

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: David Rose

Requested by: Dan & Deborah Soares

10:00 a.m. Rosary & Funeral Mass for John Verissimo

Wednesday, September 11, 2019

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention:Filomena Avila **†** Requested by: Maria May

Thursday, September 12,2019

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Antonio R. Borges **†** Requested by: Filomena Silva

Friday, September 13, 2019

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Madalena Borges **†** Requested by: Leo & Dina Borges

<u>Saturday, September 14, 2019</u> 5:00 p.m.

Intention: Alberto Robledo † Requested by: the Family

Intention: Veronica Gundersen **†** Requested by: Kathy Macklin

7:00 p.m. St. Mary's Stevinson

Intention: Salvador M. Flores **†** Requested by: Parish Community

Sunday, September 15, 2019 Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m.

Intention: People of the parish

10:00 a.m.

Intention: Teresa Pires

Requested by: Joe & Filomena Pires Intention: Joe & Maria Lourenco Requested by: Souza Family Intention: Maria F. Melo Requested by: a friend

11:30 a.m.

Intention: Antonio & Olinda Enes &

Derek Rocha 🕈

Requested by: Joaquin & Rosa Fraga

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

Let us remember and pray for our <u>beloved departed</u>, especially for **John Verissimo & Tony Joe Alves** 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.

Please Keep in Your Prayers: Roxy Abrams, Eliza Alves, Joao Avila, Olivia Avila, Maria Apolinario, Jim Baballe, Charles Bausano, Isidoro Bettencourt, Rebecca Bennett, Shawn Bettencourt, Leonor Brasil, Barbara Cappel, Ann DePalma, Elizabeth de Sousa, Carlos & Joe Delgado, Oscar Drumonde, Jose Dutra, Paul Dutra, Randy Edwards, Jr. Julia Elam, Joe Enes, Elvira Freitas, Irma Garcia, Jared Germann, Samuel Gonzalez, Pascal Labrouche, Patrick Leyden, Gloria Jean Mendes, Manuel Mendes, Phyllis Mendes, Rosalinda Mouro, Felismina Noronha, Joe M. Oliveira, Doralice Rocha, Kathleen Silva, Maria J. Solorio, Lilly Sousa, Jeanne Tristant, Michael Vierra, Lincoln Voss, Katie Walter. 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+

Snack helpers & Yard Duty help needed during the CCD School year. If you can help on Tuesday's please Call Dina at 632-7163.

1st 4 2nd Year Confirmation Students mark your Calendar for Sunday, Oct. 13th you will be having a retreat. Permission slips are due back by Wednesday, Sept. 18th.

Catechetical Sunday will take place on Sept. 15^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. 15th after the 10 AM Mass if you are interested in helping please call Dina at 632-7163.

Children's Ministry will resume on Sunday, Sept. 15th at the 10:00AM Liturgy. This is for children ages 3-7.

CCD Kick Off Dates: Sunday, Sept. 15 8:30-9:45AM, Tuesday, Sept. 17th 2:30-3:45 grades K,1-3, and 4:00-5:15pm grades 4-6, and Sacramental prep., Wednesday, Sept. 18th 6:45-8:30 pm 7th -12th, and Thursday, Sept. 19th 2:15-3:30pm grades 1-5. all children must be pre-registered in order to attend the first day of class!!

The Religious Education
Department is in need of 8 CD
players, new or used. You can drop
off your donation at the parish office
or call Dina at 632-7163 to make pick
up arrangements. Thank you in
advance for your help and support.

Substitute needed: We are in need of a 3rd grade substitute for Oct. 29th and Nov. 5th from 2:30-3:45pm on Tuesday's. If you can help out please call Dina at 632-7163.

3rd Graders on Tuesday's mark your calendars your class mass will take place Sunday, Sept. 29th at 10:00AM reading parts will be handed out on the first day of CCD.

Are you looking for ways to help our Parish?

There is a great need for Parking Lot Patrol volunteers. Our volunteers patrol the parking lot during Mass times to be a set of eyes for any suspicious activity; Keeping you and your possessions safe. If you are able to donate an hour a month to this ministry, please contact Manuel Avila at 380-1525 or the parish office.

Book Club News

The first meeting will take place on Monday, September 16, at 7:00 pm in Parish Center 2 (across the street from the Parish office) we will discuss the novella The Tenth Man by Graham Greene. A second meeting will take place in October if necessary.

If you ordered a book through Fr. Mike they are now available to be picked up in the parish office.

Save the Date for the Marian Eucharistic Conference September 27-29 at the Clovis Veterans Memorial District.

Bishop Brennan will be the main celebrant at Mass on September 27th.

A youth program will also be available. For information visit

www.holycrossministries.net

Or pick up a pamphlet at the main entrance of church.

Cabrillo Civic Club Chicken Barbecue

Sunday, September 15
11 am – 3 pm
Take Outs Only
Donation \$15
Tickets Available in the Parish Office

THANK YOU

We thank **Delores Mendes** for donating the beautiful Altar Flowers this past weekend in loving memory of her husband **Joe L. Mendes** Thank you for beautifying our church with this gesture of love and remembrance.

Our offering collection for August 31 & Sept. 1 = \$4,313.00 Last Year Sept 1 & 2 = \$4307.00 Thank You, Obrigado & Gracias!



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Are You Registered?

If you are new to our parish or have been here for a while but have not registered as a parishioner, please take a few minutes to register with us. The forms are available in the Parish Office. We would love to get to know you!

Legacy of Faith- Our parish family prays for all those inscribed in the Legacy of Faith Book at the 10:00 a.m. Mass the last Sunday of the month. This is a perpetual program that will continue indefinitely. For minimum donation of \$50 you can have your loved ones name inscribed into the Legacy of Faith Book. This program is available to honor your friends and loved ones both living and deceased.

Save the Date

Christine Watkins, a Catholic Speaker and Best-Selling Author is coming to Sacred Heart Church in Turlock on September 23 at 7pm. Christine's talk is titled, "How to Save the Souls you Love and How the Blessed Mother Helped to Save Me from Death."

For more information call, 634-8578

