

## *Second Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 17, 2021*

Although the liturgical season of Ordinary Time begins this week, today's reading continues with the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord, which concludes the Christmas season. Today's reading from the Gospel according to John immediately follows John the Baptist's testimony about Jesus and his identification of Jesus as the Lamb of God. Having been baptized by John, Jesus begins to gather followers. The first followers sought out Jesus because of the testimony and witness of John the Baptist. Jesus asks Andrew and the other disciple, "What are you looking for?" This is a telling question, and one that we might often ask of ourselves. John the Baptist testified to Jesus' identity, the Lamb of God, using the framework of the Old Testament. Andrew, Simon, and the other first disciples were looking for the Messiah, whom they also came to know as the Son of God. What do we look for and what do we find in Jesus?

### Saturday, January 16, 2021

**2:00 p.m. Wedding of:**

*Austin Almeida & Carlee Pearce*

**5:30 p.m. Mass (Youtube)**

Intention: Artur & Maria Augusto †

Requested by: Tony & Cidalia

Drumonde

**7:00 p.m. Mass (Youtube)**

Intention: Manuel & Lucinda Silveira †

Requested by: Joao & Helia Sousa

### Sunday, January 17, 2021

#### *Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**7:00 a.m. Mass**

Intention: Fr. Leonard Trindade †

Requested by: Anna Brasil

**8:30 a.m. Mass (Portuguese)**

Intention: Cecelia Raposo †

Requested by: Antonio Raposo  
Family

Intention: Joao Abreu & Sisters †

Requested by: Maria Abreu

**10:00 a.m.**

Intention for :Iracema Pires for God's  
healing grace

Requested by: Family

Intention: Bill R. Sousa †

Requested by: Wife

**5:00 p.m. Mass (New Evening Mass)**

Intention: Richard Avila †

Requested by: Rui Avila Family

**6:30 p.m. St. Mary's Spanish**

Intention: People of the Parish

### Wednesday, January 20, 2021

**8:00 a.m. Mass**

Intention: Jose Mariano Noronha †

Requested by: Manuel & Maria  
Almada

### Thursday, January 21, 2021

**8:00 a.m. Mass**

Intention: Manuel, Carlos, Richard  
Souza †

Requested by: Elizabeth Oliveira  
Family

### Friday, January 22, 2021

**8:00 a.m. Mass**

Intention: Valerie Krug †

Requested by: Parish Community

**PLEASE NOTE: All Masses are  
now taking place in the storage  
building.**

### Saturday, January 23, 2021

**5:30 p.m. Mass (Youtube)**

Intention: Artur & Maria Augusto †

Requested by: Irene Chibante

**7:00 p.m. Mass (Youtube)**

Intention: Filomena M. Avila †

Requested by: Maria May

### Sunday, January 24, 2021

#### *Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**7:00 a.m. Mass**

Intention: Joe & Maria Borba †

Requested by: Fermino & Mary  
Martins

**8:30 a.m. Mass (Portuguese)**

Intention for :Maria C. Dias for God's  
healing grace

Requested by: Children

**10:00 a.m.**

Intention: Deceased members of the  
Toste and Frontella families

Requested by: Delores Mendes

**5:00 p.m. Mass (New Evening Mass)**

Intention: Louis N., Maria E. &

Louis F. Terra †

Requested by: Jorge & Bernandette  
Vieira Family

**6:30 p.m. St. Mary's Spanish**

Intention: People of the Parish

**Please Keep in Your Prayers:**, Eliza Alves, Rosemary Arias, Olivia Avila, Ashlyn Azevedo, Charles Bausano, Jack Betschart, Carl Boutte, Tina Carmo, Dan Coelho, Ann Depalma, Elizabeth DeSousa, **Maria C. Dias**, Joe Dutra, Randy Edwards, Jr., Rosa Fagundes, Elvira Freitas, Jared Germann, Jennifer Gonzales, Debbie Hutchins, R. J. Jefferson, Joe Louro, Frank Anthony Freitas, Woody Jorritsma, Patrick McSweeney, Loretta McFaddin, Nelda Mendonca, Tina Mendonca, Maria Pessoa, Iracema Pires, John Rocha, Manuel Silva, Sandra Smith, Carolina Sousa, Piper Sousa, Luciano Terra, Jeanne Tristant, & Maria Vieira. ***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***

## **\*Religious Education News\***

### **1<sup>st</sup>. Year Confirmation**

**Students** Please schedule a interview with Dina by January 27<sup>th</sup>. Schedule appointments by calling 632-7163. The interview is for Candidate and parent.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Students** Confirmation is scheduled for Saturday, February 20 at 10AM, & 12:00pm and rehearsal will be held on Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at 6pm and 7:30pm for Candidate and sponsor. Each candidate should be receiving a letter in the mail with details. Please make sure to return your letter by Monday, January 25.

**CCD Reopening Plans**— In order to apply for re-opening, certain requirements are needed including TEACHERS/Helpers, due to the limit of 10 children per class. The following teachers are needed:

#### **TUESDAYS**

- 2 for 1<sup>st</sup> grade (helpers)
- 6 for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade (3 of each)
- 3 for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade (2 helpers)
- 3 for 4<sup>th</sup> grade (2 helpers)
- 3 for 5<sup>th</sup> grade (2 helpers)

#### **WEDNESDAYS**

- 1 for 7<sup>th</sup> (helper)
- 1 for 8<sup>th</sup> (teacher)
- 1 for 9<sup>th</sup> (teacher)
- 1 for 9<sup>th</sup> (helper)

#### **SUNDAYS**

- 1 for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade
- 1 for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade
- 1 for 4, 5 & 6 Combo Class
- 1 for 7, 8 & 9 Combo Class

If you can help by accepting this invitation to help with this special ministry, please call Dina 632-7163 for more information and details.

**1<sup>st</sup> Communion Banners, Pictures and Certificates** are ready to be picked up from the Parish Office, for those who received Holy Communion on July 11, Aug. 15<sup>th</sup>, and Aug. 29<sup>th</sup>, Sept. 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Eucharistic Ministers** needed for Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup> for Confirmation at 10AM and 2:00PM. If you are available to help please call Dina at 632-7163.

**THIS Weekend January 16 & 17 Special Collection**...will be for the support of our Seminaries and Seminarians of the diocese of Fresno.

Please remember to pray each day that the Lord will call our people to priesthood and the religious life. For information about the priesthood or religious life contact Fr. Dan Avila at 559-488-7464.

**Do Something Beautiful for God, The Essential teachings of Mother Teresa** – Please take a copy of this book home for your family to enjoy and reflect on daily. We thank Amanda Silveira for donating these to our parish.

**Walk for Life West Coast** will be taking place on Saturday, January 23, 2021 in San Francisco. Rally at the civic center will be from 12:30-1:30 pm and the walk will begin at 1:30pm. For speaker information please visit their website at <http://walkforlife.com> Our Lady of Assumption will be live streaming the event on 1-23-21 at 12:30pm along with praying the rosary. Meet at the gazebo, all are welcomed to attend.

**Renew yourself Spiritually and log onto “Formed” this app/subscription** was purchased by the parish and can offer many resources to your family. As parishioners you can access it for free. Go to our parish website at [www.hilmarholysrosary.org](http://www.hilmarholysrosary.org) and click on **Formed** and it will walk you through the process. Please let us know what you think.

**REMINDER:** Anyone who took Mass forms for 2021, please return them as soon as possible, or they will be released to others. Thank you.

**Uncle Sam Will Soon Come Calling** Year-End contribution statements are ready. Please call the parish office if you need a copy for tax purposes!

**Our offering collection for**  
**January 9 & 10 = \$4,721.00**  
Last Year Jan. 11 & 12 = \$4,582.00  
**OSV Contributions for December**  
**totaled \$6,630.00**  
**Thank You, Obrigado & Gracias!**

## **SAVE THE DATE**

### **Building Fund Fish Dinner on**

**March 19th.** 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.

### **DRIVE-THRU ONLY!**



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### **Monthly Finance Report**

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

**Totaled \$69,760.51**

Our expenses for December (utilities, Diocesan & Education Assessments, Property Taxes, repairs, maintenance, office & church expense, payroll, payroll taxes & insurance

**Totaled \$29,311.45**

**Bottom Line \$40,449.06**

**We take this opportunity to thank all those families who made generous year-end contributions, as well as all those volunteers who help behind the scenes making repairs and improvements to the facilities, helping with various fund raisers by donating their time and talent in which saves the parish money. It is truly a blessing for the parish to have the generosity of families who genuinely care, in word and in deed for the wellbeing of the parish. These kinds of contributions make a huge difference and benefit the parish greatly. Thank You!**