

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary ~ August 15, 2021

Today's Gospel highlights Mary's faith. Mary's faith enabled her to recognize the work of God in her people's history and in her own life. Her openness to God allowed God to work through her so that salvation might come to all. Mary is a model and symbol of the Church. May we be like Mary, open and cooperative in God's plan of salvation.

Saturday, August 14, 2021

3:30 p.m. Wedding of:

Cassidy Sequeira & Evan Sousa

5:30 p.m. Mass

Intention : Timothy Silva, Maria E.

Terra & Jose Soares †

Requested by: Parish Community

Intention: Harold DePalma †

Requested by: Rose De Palma

Sunday, August 15, 2021

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7:00 a.m. Mass

Intention : Joe B. Coelho †

Requested by: Wife

Intention: People of the Parish

8:30 a.m. Mass (Portuguese)

Intention: Manuel & Joao Sousa †

Requested by: Belmira Sousa

Intention: John A. Dias & All Deceased

Family Members †

Requested by: Fatima Dias

10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Luke Mancebo †

Requested by: Family

Intention of : Cristiano M. Enes John

"Happy 3rd Birthday"



Requested by: Family

5:00 p.m. Mass (St. Mary's)

Intention: John & Mary Escobar †

Requested by: Liz Pires Family

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

Intention : Joe Vieira, Gomez & Padilla

Families

Requested by: Lizeth Vieira

Tuesday, August 17, 2021

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Luke Mancebo †

Requested by: Family

Intention: Manuel & Nivia Cardoso †

Requested by: Manuel & Genia Rosa

10:00 a.m. Rosary/Funeral

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Wednesday, August 18, 2021

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Jose & Clara Homen &

Emily Silveira †

Requested: Manuel & Maria Silveira

Intention of: Ann DePalma †

Requested by: Rose DePalma

Thursday, August 19, 2021

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Rui Teixeira †

Requested: Rosa Avila & Family

Intention: Manuel Lima †

Requested by: Jovina Lima

Friday, August 20, 2021

8:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Reis & Bettencourt Families †

Requested by: Joe & Marie Reis

Intention: Felismina Noronha †

Requested by: S.P.R.S.I.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
until 5 p.m. in the Mission Church
Confessions 5-6 p.m.
New Church**

Saturday, August 21, 2021

3:00 p.m. Wedding of:

Liliana Borges & Jordan Vaughn

5:30 p.m. Mass

Intention : Humbert Silva †

Requested by: Brindeiro & Cox Families

Intention: John & Maria Bettencourt †

Requested by: Teresa Ottman

Intention of: Amaro & Ilene Souza

"Happy 56th anniversary"

Requested by: Children

Sunday, August 22, 2021

Twenty first Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. Mass

Intention : People of the Parish

8:30 a.m. Mass (Portuguese)

Intention: Jose Galhandro †

Requested by: Wife

Intention: Rosa Sousa †

Requested by: Joe & Maria Sousa

10:00 a.m. Mass

Intention: Tony DeMello †

Requested by: Family

Intention : Deceased Family Members

Requested by: Joe & Maria Rosa

5:00 p.m. Mass (St. Mary's)

Intention: Mateus & Maria Couto †

Requested by: Jose & Diamantina Couto

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

Intention : Rosalba Rivera †

Requested by: Adriana Rivera

Please Keep in Your Prayers: Manuel Andrade, Eliza Alves, Rosemary Arias, Olivia Avila, Jack Betschart, Isidro Bettencourt, Carl Boutte, Greg Boutte, **Dina Brindeiro**, Tina Carmo, Finney Cayer, Dan Coelho, Ann Depalma, Elizabeth DeSousa, Joe Dutra, Randy Edwards, Rosa Fagundes, Elvira Freitas, Jared Germann, Jennifer Gonzales, Debbie Hutchins, R. J. Jefferson, Janice Louro, Joe Louro, Frank Anthony Freitas, Woody Jorritsma, Tere Mason, Patrick McSweeney, Loretta McFaddin, Luis Melo, Edward Meneses, Malissa Mendes, Nelda Mendonca, Tina Mendonca, Fr. Isaque Meneses, Jorge Oliveira, Maria Pessoa, Iracema Pires, Dave Ramos, John Rocha, Florentino Santos, Manuel Silva, Sandra Smith, Carolina Sousa, Lilly Sousa, Piper Sousa, Mary Sozinho, Luciano Terra, Jeanne Tristant, Maria Vieira & Mike Vierra. *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+

Prayer testing has begun, if your child is a preparing to receive the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist in May of 2022, or is a 2nd year Confirmation student please schedule an appointment for prayer testing by calling 632-7163. **2nd year Confirmation students your deadline is September 1st.**

First communion Pictures, banners and certificates are in and ready to be picked up. Please stop by the parish office Monday – Thursday 8-12 and 1-4. You can also call the CCD office at 632-7163 to schedule an appointment to pick up these items.

Children's Ministry will begin in September. We are in need of people who would be willing to instruct the children during the 10AM Mass. We are looking for 14 people to commit to 3 Sunday's for the year. All materials are provided. If you are interested in serving in this special ministry please Call Dina 632-7163.

We are need of Substitute Catechists for Religious Education Classes: for the upcoming school year 2021-2022. If you are available on Sunday's, Tuesday's, Wednesday's, or Thursday's and wouldn't mind filling in here and there we sure could use your help in the classroom. Please Call Dina at 632-7163 and let her know what day you are willing to help with.

It's that time of year again, when you are out school supply shopping, please remember CCD. **This coming year per diocesan regulations we will be required to provide individual supplies for each student. We need the plastic erasers, Crayons, markers, white chalk, and student scissors.** You can drop off items at the parish office or at the Church entrances. Thank you in advance for your support.

Let us remember and pray for our beloved departed, especially for **Francisco Pires** 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.

Holy Rosary / St. Mary's Scholarships Sponsored by Our Lady of the Rosary Festa on behalf of the Parish will be awarding scholarships to high school graduating seniors from the class of 2020 & 2021. Parents of the graduate must be registered parishioners of Holy Rosary / St. Mary's for at least 1 year and candidate must have received their sacraments of Communion & Confirmation at Holy Rosary. Pick up an application at the office. **Completed applications** need to be returned by **August 30th** and **must have an official high school transcript with application.** If you have any questions regarding the scholarships please call the parish office.

Need A little help in hearing the Word of God be spoken in the New Church? We have special hearing devices to assist you at each Mass. Simply go to the sound room window and check one out for your use and return it after the Mass is over. Let us know your feedback.

Attention Families who have designated Mass Intentions for weekend Masses, we ask that a representative from the family bring up the offertory during Mass. If there are multiple intentions, we ask that one representative from each intention come up for the offertory by coming to the gift table where the ushers are.

Parents of young children: For your convenience the children's cry room is now available again for those young families who wish to use it to help their children adapt to sitting and listening to the Mass. We commend you for doing your job as parents to instruct our children in the faith.

Make Someone's last moments their Best moments.

Become a Hospice Volunteer with *Covenant Care*. Volunteers are needed to service families of the terminally ill who live in Turlock, Merced, Los Banos & Atwater areas. The only qualification required is your desire to make a difference in someone's life. Volunteer training offered. If you would like to sign up for this special ministry call 664-2550.



**Holy Rosary Now Offering on-line GIVING.... ~Convenient
~Simple
~Secure**

Our Online Giving is getting an upgrade to a newer, easier-to-use platform! If you currently give online, you will soon be receiving an email with instructions on how to log into the new system. Best of all, your existing payment and donation information will be migrated over so you will not have to set up your gifts again! Keep an eye on your email for more information coming very soon.

Monthly Finance Report

Our Revenues for the month of July (plate collection, rental fee, weddings & Baptisms Totaled **\$31,427.96**

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

**Totaled \$30,927.92
Bottom Line \$500.04**

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Our offering collection for August 7 & 8 \$5615.00
Last Year August 8 & 9 \$4,274.00
OSV Contributions for the Month of July \$7,032.00

Thank You, Obrigado & Gracias!