



Church of OUR LADY OF PEACE

CONDUCTED BY THE FATHERS OF THE INSTITUTE OF THE INCARNATE WORD

The First Sunday of Lent

February 14th, 2016

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Rev. Gustavo Nieto, IVE

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Matara

WEEKEND MASSES

Sunday Vigil: 5pm and 7:30pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9 am, 10:30am,
12pm, 2pm & 5pm, 6:30pm (Spanish)
& 8pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

8am, 12pm, 5:15pm; also 7:30pm

Wednesday & 8am Saturday

First Friday: 8am, 12pm, 5:15 pm, &
7:30 pm

HOLY DAY MASSES

Please see our website or contact the
Rectory Office

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: 3:30pm - 5pm

Other Times: During all Saturday &
Sunday Masses

Mondays: 12:00pm & 5:15pm Masses

Tues — Fri: 8:00am, 12pm, 5:15 pm
Masses

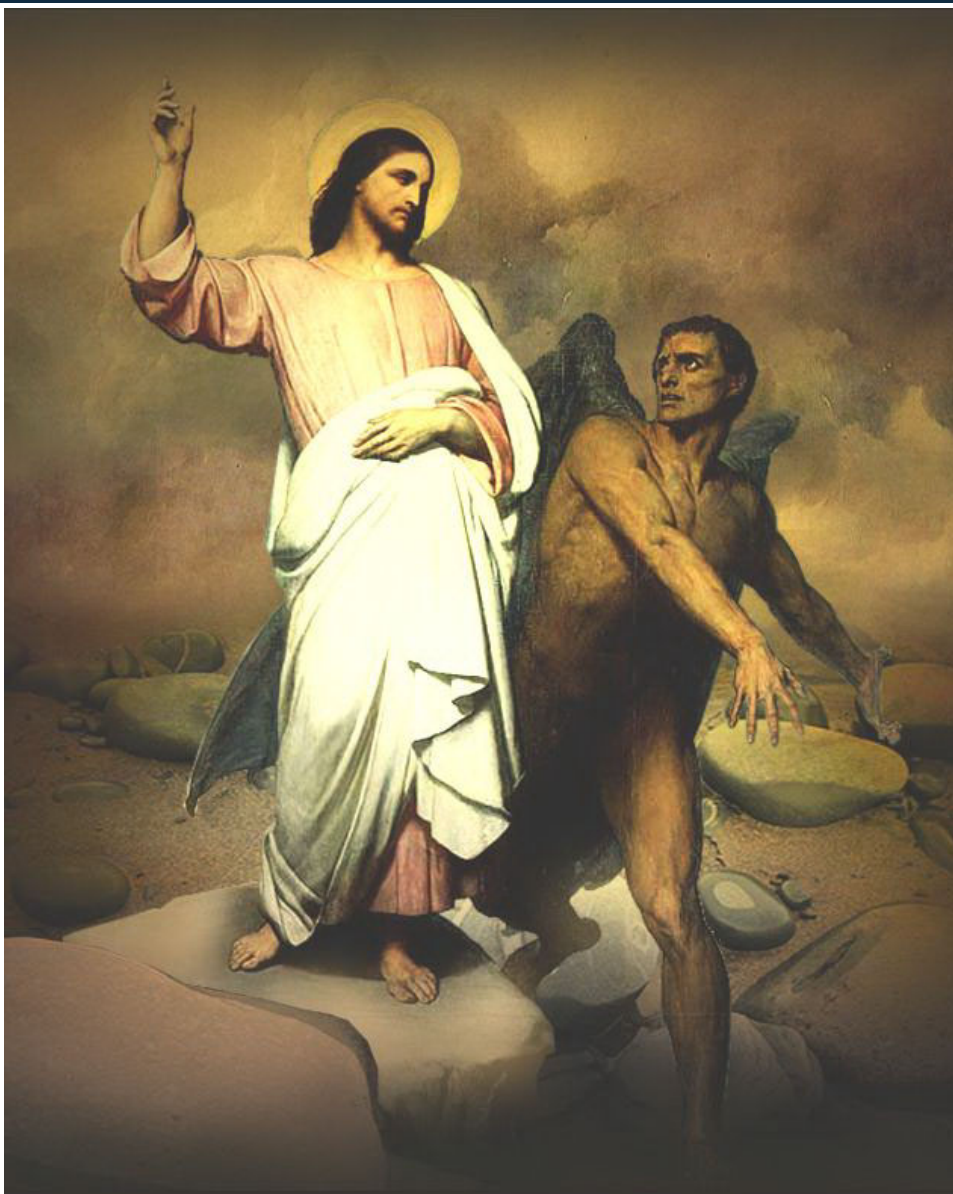
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OUR LADY OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH & SHRINE MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of Peace is a church and shrine dedicated to the greater glory of God and the salvation of souls.

It is a place of prayer & pilgrimage with: • Perpetual adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

- Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary • Frequent celebration of the Sacraments, particularly the Eucharist and Reconciliation • Integrated formation of the person (spiritual, moral, intellectual and emotional)

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners,

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil. (Luke 4:1) With these words this Sunday Gospel speaks to us of Jesus' temptations.

Saint Thomas Aquinas in his great Summa Theologicae, III Parts, question 41, develops the subject into several articles, whose reading I think can give us light when fighting our own temptations. He first asks:

Article 1. Whether it was becoming that Christ should be tempted? To which St. Thomas answers:

Christ wished to be tempted; first that He might strengthen us against temptations. "It was not unworthy of our Redeemer to wish to be tempted, who came also to be slain; in order that by His temptations He might conquer our temptations, just as by His death He overcame our death." (St. Gregory, xvi in Evang.)

Secondly, that we might be warned, so that none, however holy, may think himself safe or free from temptation. Wherefore also He wished to be tempted after His baptism, because, as Hilary says (Super Mat., cap. iii.): "The temptations of the devil assail those principally who are sanctified, for he desires, above all, to overcome the holy. Hence also it is written (Sirach 2): Son, when thou comest to the service of God, stand in justice and in fear, and prepare thy soul for temptation."

Thirdly, in order to give us an example: to teach us, to wit, how to overcome the temptations of the devil. Hence Augustine says (De Trin. iv) that Christ "allowed Himself to be tempted" by the devil, "that He might be our Mediator in overcoming temptations, not only by helping us, but also by giving us an example."

Fourthly, in order to fill us with confidence in His mercy. Hence it is written (Hebrews 4:15): We have not a high-priest, who cannot have compassion on our infirmities, but one tempted in all things like as we are, without sin.

He, then, asks: Article 4. Whether the mode and order of the temptation were becoming?

To which he answers: The temptation which comes from the enemy takes the form of a suggestion, as Gregory says (Hom. xvi in Evang.). Now a suggestion cannot be made to everybody in the same way; it must arise from those things towards which each one has an inclination. Consequently, the devil does not straight away tempt the spiritual man to grave sins, but he begins with lighter sins, so as gradually to lead him to those of greater magnitude. [...]

Thus, too, did the devil set about the temptation of the first man. For at first he enticed his mind to consent to the eating of the forbidden fruit, saying (Genesis 3:1): Why hath God commanded you that you should not eat of every tree of paradise? Secondly [he tempted him] to vainglory by saying: Your eyes shall be opened. Thirdly, he led the temptation to the extreme height of pride, saying: You shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. This same order did he observe in tempting Christ. For at first he tempted Him to that which men desire, however spiritual they may be--namely, the support of the corporeal nature by food. Secondly, he advanced to that matter in which spiritual men are sometimes found wanting, inasmuch as they do certain things for show, which pertains to vainglory. Thirdly, he led the temptation on to that in which no spiritual men, but only carnal men, have a part--namely, to desire worldly riches and fame, to the extent of holding God in contempt. And so in the first two temptations he said: If Thou be the Son of God; but not in the third, which is inapplicable to spiritual men, who are sons of God by adoption, whereas it does apply to the two preceding temptations.

And Christ resisted these temptations by quoting the authority of the Law, not by enforcing His power, "so as to give more honor to His human nature and a greater punishment to His adversary, since the foe of the human race was vanquished, not as by God, but as by man"; as Pope Leo says (Serm. 1, De Quadrag. 3).

May God bless you all!

Fr. Gustavo Nieto, IVE

Announcements

We joyfully welcome all visitors to the Shrine

The Knights of Columbus

Invite you Coffee and Donuts after Sunday morning Masses

Annual Diocesan Appeal

If you have already made your gift or pledge to this year's Annual Diocesan Appeal—Thank you! Your generosity supports the many ministries, programs and services that support all of us in the diocese. If you have not yet participated in this opportunity, please do so now. We have reached \$156,041 of our goal of \$262,817. We want your participation and very much need your support. Thank you in advance for carrying out this blessing to another. You do make a difference!

President's Day

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 15th

Stations of the Cross

Will take place on every Friday during Lent at 7:00 pm inside the church. All are welcome!

Revs Vs. Sems Basketball

Come cheer on the priests and seminarians in the 10th Annual Revs vs Sems Basketball Challenge. The game will be Friday, February 19, 7PM at the Leavey Center at Santa Clara University. Tickets are \$10 general, \$5 student, \$40 family (6 tickets). All proceeds will benefit seminarian summer formation. Details and online tickets are available at www.dsj.org/basketball

Read the rest of the bulletin for more news and exciting updates.

JOIN OUR LADY OF PEACE CHURCH ON A PILGRIMAGE TO

CANADA

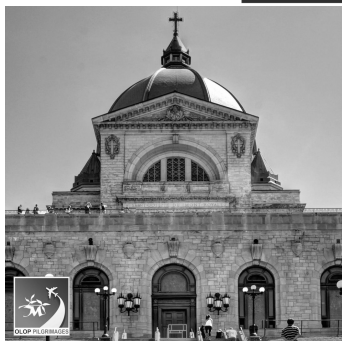
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\$2,659 PER PERSON — BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

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Featured Destinations

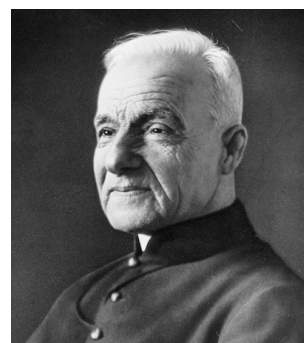
SAINT JOSEPH'S ORATORY OF MOUNT ROYAL

Founded in 1904, Saint Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal is the largest shrine in the world dedicated to Saint Joseph and a world renowned place for pilgrimage associated to Saint Brother André, its founder.

Nature, music, art and history make the Oratory one of the main attraction of **Mont-réal**. The distinctive architecture of the building, and especially its imposing dome, combined with its location on the mountainside, gives to Saint Joseph's Oratory a remarkable physical and symbolic

presence in Montréal.

Br. Andre became at the house of prayer which he shepherded into existence on Mount Royal. The religious brother welcomed thousands of distressed people or those who were looking for a ray of hope. He listened to them and recommended that they pray to Saint Joseph in whom he had full confidence. Any number of miraculous healings took place there and hearts turned toward God. Today, Saint Brother André continues to be an inspiration and a friend for women and men of any religious practice.



OUR LADY OF CAPE SHRINE



Our Lady of the Cape (Notre-Dame-du-Cap in French) is a title given to Mary the Mother of God in Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Quebec Canada. The title pertains more specifically to a statue of the Blessed Mother which is currently located in the Old Shrine. Deep Marian Devotion has existed there since 1694 with the institution of the Brotherhood of the Rosary under Father Paul Vachon.

During Fr. Desilets' revival of Marian devotion the number of people attending the parish church began to increase until the church was no longer large enough to hold the parishioners. In 1878 it was decided that a larger church was needed and that it would be built with stones from the opposite side of the St. Lawrence River which is approximately 1 1/4 miles across at Cap-de-la-Madeleine. The decision was made to bring the stones across the river on sleds once it had frozen in the winter. Unfortunately the 1878-1879 winter was unusually mild and the St. Lawrence did not freeze over as planned. Fr. Desilets instructed his congregation to pray the rosary in order to obtain ice to cross the river, he also promised Mary that if she interceded he would dedicate the Old Church (then dedicated to Mary Magdalene) to her instead. In March 1879 pieces of ice floated downstream from Lake St-Pierre, forming a "bridge" across the river, and this miracle was attributed to the intercession of the Blessed Mother. This bridge was called the Rosary Bridge.



CAMPAIGNS & INITIATIVES

Rejoicing in God's Mercy,
Together in Christ

ADA2016
ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

Our Lady of Peace Church — Pledges to Date: \$156,041. ADA Goal: \$262,817

This year's theme of the Appeal is, Rejoicing in God's Mercy, Together in Christ. As members of Christ and his Church, we are connected to one another; as well as parishioner to parishioner, family to family, and parish to parish. Our gifts are to be made in gratitude for what God has entrusted to us. Please reflect on your blessings and in gratitude to consider a pledge to the 2016 Annual Diocesan Appeal.

"Do not lay up for yourself an earthly treasure. Moths and rust corrode; thieves break in and steal. Make it your practice instead to store up heavenly treasure which neither moths nor rust corrode nor thieves break in and steal. Remember, where your treasure is, there your heart is also. No man can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other or be attentive to one and despise the other. You cannot give yourself to God and money. I warn you, then; do not worry about your livelihood, what you eat or drink or use for clothing. Is not life more than food? Is not the body more valuable than clothes? The unbelievers are always running after these things. Your heavenly Father knows all that you need. Seek first His Kingship over worrying about tomorrow. Let tomorrow take care of itself. Today has troubles enough of its own. (Matthew. 6:19, 24-25, 32-34)

Parish Goal: \$ 262,817.00

Total	\$156,041.00	211	Total
Week 9			Week 9
	\$23,480.00	45	
	\$37,770.00	55	
	\$59,580.00	65	
Week 1	\$19,835.00	46	Week 1
Goal \$		# of Contributors	

Thank you to the 211 families that have given to the 2016 Annual Diocesan Appeal on behalf of our parish. We have reached **\$156,041** of our goal of **\$262,817**. Your generosity is gratefully accepted and respectfully used. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please prayerfully consider what you can do to help. Every gift makes a difference. You can make a one-time gift, or you can pledge an amount that is payable over ten months. We want and need your participation and your support.

Ways to Give: Bring your completed pledge form to mass next weekend and drop it in the parish offertory collection, bring it to the parish office, or mail the pledge envelope to your parish.

Visit <http://www.dsja.org/ways-to-give/annual-diocesan-appeal/> for more information on the Annual Diocesan Appeal.

It Begins With You

Donate today! www.dsja.org/ada



LENTEN SEASON

Week 1 of Lent

"I set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign of the covenant between me and the earth." (Genesis 9:13)

Reflection: "The whole life of Christ was a cross and a martyrdom, and dost thou seek rest and joy? If thou carry the cross unwillingly, thou makest it a burden to thee. If thou fling away one cross, without doubt thou shalt find another, perhaps a heavier" (Thomas de Kempis -- Imitation of Christ).

Lenten Question: Q: Why are Sundays excluded from the reckoning of the forty days?
A: Because Sunday is the day on which Christ arose, making it an inappropriate day to fast and mourn our sins. On Sunday we must celebrate Christ's resurrection for our salvation. It is Friday on which we commemorate his death for our sins. The Sundays of the year are days of celebration and the Fridays of the year are days of penance.

Lenten Action: Phone a long lost friend and relive old memories. Visit a sick person. Feed the birds.

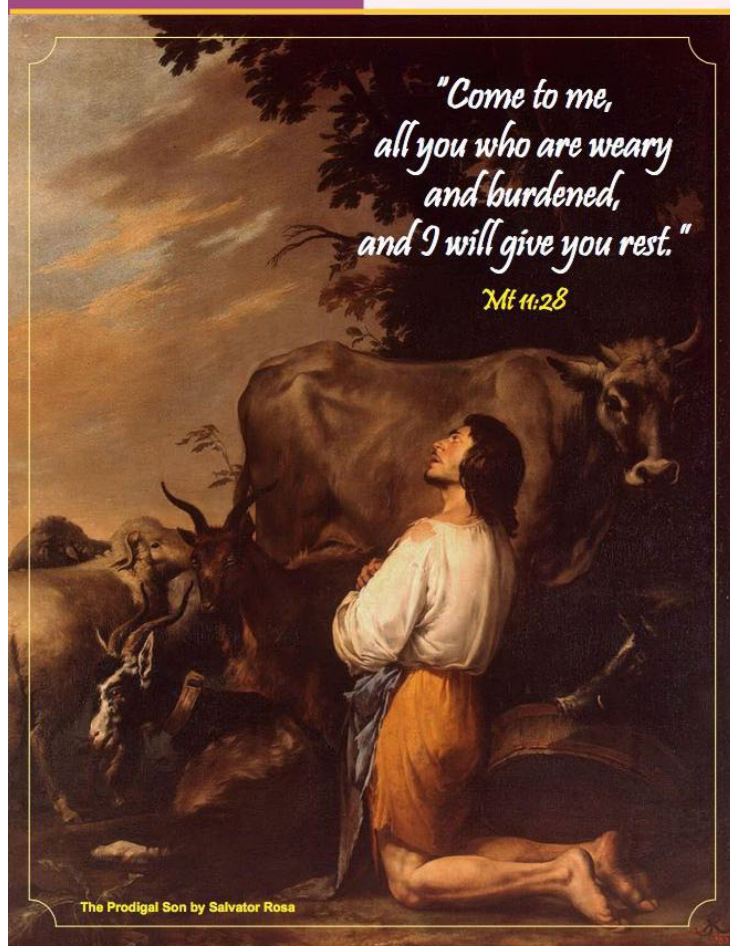
Prayer: O Jesus, I withdraw in spirit with You into the desert; teach me how to fight the triple concu-

FRIDAY STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us at 7:00 pm inside the church every Friday during Lent for Stations of the Cross. All are welcome!



Follow @OLOPShrine on Social Media for more updates on events at Our Lady of Peace during the Lenten Season



Extended Confessions Hours During Lent



TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS

11am to 1pm; 5pm to 7pm

WEDNESDAYS

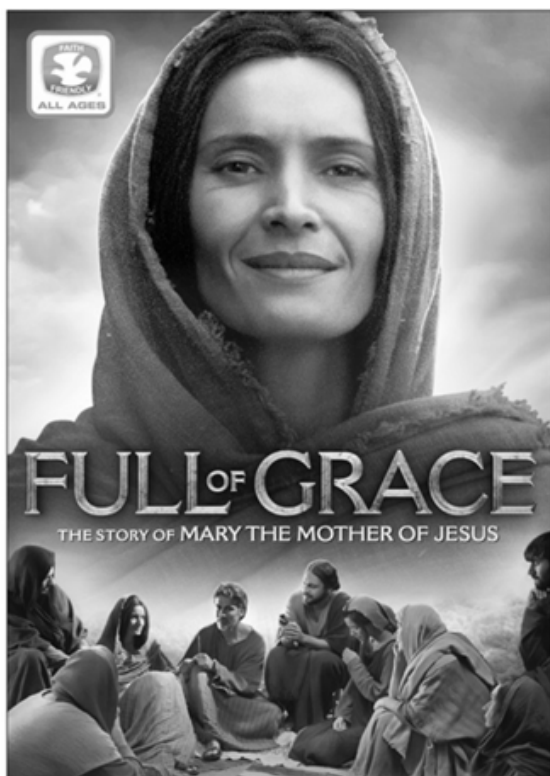
11am to 1pm; 5pm to 8pm

SATURDAYS

3:30pm to 5pm

and during all the Masses (except Monday 8am)

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SPECIAL MOVIE SCREENING

Hosted by St. Lucy Parish's World Youth Day Pilgrims 2016

"Full of Grace"

The Story of Mary, the Mother of Jesus

Oakridge Century Theaters, San Jose

Thurs. February 25 at 7pm or Sat. February 27 at 10am

Showings are limited!

Be sure to get your tickets early!

The movie, *Full of Grace*, tells the Gospel story from Mary's point of view. It is a gripping depiction of the early Church ten years after the resurrection. Told through the eyes of Mary, the mother of Jesus, she challenges Peter and the disciples to remember their original encounter with Christ.

No tickets for sale at theater.

Purchase tickets online (\$12.00) at <https://squareup.com/market/california-rosaries>

Or St. Lucy Parish Office – Andrew Brown

For questions call 408-839-2797 – Cheryl Jaques



10th Annual Revs vs Sems Basketball Challenge

Friday 2/19/16 at 7pm Leavy Center at Santa Clara University

Fr. Joe Kim
Fr. Stephen Akers
Fr. Mauricio Hurtado
Fr. Carl Arcosa
Msgr. Francisco Rios
Fr. Stephano Han
Fr. Mark Reburiano
Fr. Anthony Uytengco
Fr. Angelo David
Fr. Steve Kim
Fr. Sergio Ovando
Fr. John Poncini
Fr. James Okafor

REVS
VS

Fr. Mark Arzen
Fr. Michael Gazzingan
Fr. Marcelo Navarro, IVE
Fr. George Schultz, SJ
Fr. Jonathan Dumlaio, IVE
Fr. Timothy Lyons, LC
Fr. Anthony Sortino, LC
Fr. Hector Villela-Huerta
Fr. Biju Varghese
Fr. Rick Rodoni
Fr. Barry O'Toole, LC
Fr. Brian Shiningier, LC

Mr. Khoa Vu
Mr. Robain Lamba
Mr. Michael Di Martino
Mr. Michael Scott
Mr. Victor Trinidad
Mr. Francis Kalaw
Mr. Alvin Yu
Mr. Michael Lilledahl
Mr. Kevin Fitzpatrick

SEMS

Mr. Tom Lancaster
Mr. Romple Emwalu
Rev. Mr. Raj Derivera
Mr. Joshua Sia
Rev. Mr. Brandon Dang
Rev. Mr. Ronnie Manango
Mr. Mark Ortiz, SJ
Br. Christian Esteban, OCD

BUY TICKETS ONLINE OR AT THE DOOR:

WWW.DSJ.ORG/BASKETBALL

FOR MORE INFO, EMAIL VOCATIONS@DSJ.ORG OR CALL 408-983-0155

Event Information:

Come cheer on the priests and seminarians in the 10th Annual Revs vs Sems Basketball Challenge. The game will be **Friday, Feb. 19, 7PM** at the Leavy Center at Santa Clara University. All K-12 youth groups, basketball teams and Scouts have free admission if they wear their jerseys. **Tickets are \$10 general, \$5 student, \$40 family (6 tickets)**. All proceeds will benefit seminarian summer formation.

Details and online tickets are available at www.dsj.org/basketball

Find DSJ Vocations on Social Media:

Facebook: [/dsjvocations](https://www.facebook.com/dsjvocations)

Twitter: [@dsjvocations](https://twitter.com/dsjvocations)

Instagram: [#diocesesanJose](https://www.instagram.com/diocesesanJose) #REVSvsSEMS



Masses for the Week

SATURDAY, February 13th

- 8:00 AM The George Family, Living & Deceased
 5:00 PM +Virgilio Delin, Sr. & +Genaro Delin, Sr.
 7:30 PM Dometila Baluyut & Eleanor Dubsky

SUNDAY, February 14th

- 7:30 AM FOR THE PEOPLE
 9:00 AM Cynthia & Rolly Herrera
 10:30 AM +Alberto Ochale, & Ochale Family
 12 NOON Mary Gandeza, Birthday
 2:00 PM Mike & Micaela Family
 5:00 PM Katherine & Tom Dubsky
 6:30 PM +Angela & +Jesus Cardoso
 8:00 PM Fr. Joseph Hung Nguyen, Special Int. & Thanks.

MONDAY, February 15th

- 8:00 AM Souls in Purgatory
 12 NOON +Michael Angelo Bercilia & +Jose Bercilia
 5:15 PM +Eugenio & +Leo Barreras

TUESDAY, February 16th

- 8:00 AM +Catarina & +Clementina Fernandes
 12 NOON +Kim Hyeong Pong & +Kim Yun Han
 5:15 PM Sharon M. Calimlim & Family, Thanksgiving

WEDNESDAY, February 17th

- 8:00 AM +Esteban Doctolero & All Souls in Purgatory
 12 NOON Alberto Lutgardo, Thanksgiving & Birthday
 5:15 PM Rosel Jarvis, Birthday

- 7:30 PM Gabriel Martinez Jr. & Reina Jaquez

THURSDAY, February 18th

- 8:00 AM +Guilherme Fernandes & +Antonio De Souza
 12 NOON +Keith Andrew Morton
 5:15 PM Katherine & Tom Dubsky

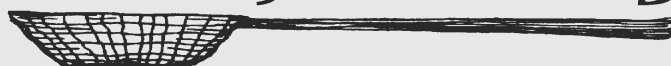
FRIDAY, February 19th

- 8:00 AM Robert & Richard Rojas, Birthday
 12 NOON +Nemesio Delin & +Honorata Delin
 5:15 PM Shucri Janini, Jr. & Emily Doctolero, Birthdays

SATURDAY, February 20th

- 8:00 AM +Viveca Campanilla
 5:00 PM Frances Pham, Birthday & All Souls
 7:30 PM +Isidora Dolly Adlawan

Weekly Offering



Thank you! May God reward you a hundredfold!

Weekend totals for January 31st:

Sat. 5:00 pm.. \$2,286.00	Sun. 12 Noon .. \$2,406.00
Sat. 7:30 pm .. \$1,136.00	Sun. 2:00 pm .. \$2,224.00
Sun. 7:30 am .. \$1,578.00	Sun. 5:00 pm ... \$2,505.00
Sun. 9:00 am.. \$3,471.00	Sun. 6:30 pm .. \$1,538.00
Sun. 10:30 am .. \$2,959.00	Sun. 8:00 pm .. <u>\$1,177.00</u>
Offering Total: \$21,280.00	

Weekend totals for February 7th:

Sat. 5:00 pm.. \$4,630.00	Sun. 12 Noon .. \$1,010.00
Sat. 7:30 pm .. \$1,023.00	Sun. 2:00 pm .. \$373.00
Sun. 7:30 am .. \$1,001.00	Sun. 5:00 pm ... \$345.00
Sun. 9:00 am.. \$2,316.00	Sun. 6:30 pm .. \$490.00
Sun. 10:30 am .. \$1,546.00	Sun. 8:00 pm .. <u>\$560.00</u>
Offering Total: \$13,920.00	

Second Collection Total: \$3,516.00

Offices and Ministries

RECTORY (408) 988-4585

Monday: 9am-4:30pm (closed 12-1)
 Tue. - Fri. 9am-7pm (closed 12-1pm);
 Sat. 9am-1pm; Closed Sunday

CATECHISM (408) 988-7543

Tues. & Thu. 9-11:30am & 5:30-8pm
 Wed. 9-11:30am & 3-6pm
 Sat. 9am-1pm

ADULT RELIGIOUS EDU. (408) 988-7543x1113

Tue. - Fri. 2 to 7pm
 Sat. 9am-1pm

LIBRARY (408) 988-4585x1214

Sun.-Tue. 9am-5pm,
 Wed. 1pm-3pm, Fri 9am-5pm

GIFT SHOP (408) 980-9825

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BAPTISMS, MARRIAGES, AND FUNERALS

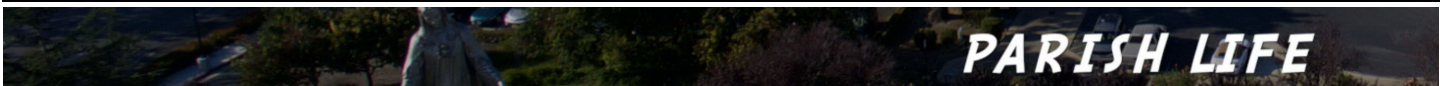
Please contact the Rectory Office for more information.



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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Contact us at 1-800-557-1961. Walk in days are Wednesdays starting at 2pm.



PARISH LIFE

Support a Teen for World Youth Day Poland 2016!



Over 20 Youth from Our Lady of Peace Church will be going on Pilgrimage to World Youth Day in Poland next summer. Please pray for them as they are spiritually preparing for this great gathering of youth from all over the world during the

Year of Mercy. Your financial support is needed as well so that they all can attend this \$4,500 trip. You can make checks out to "OLOP", and in the memo write "WYD 2016". Please pray for the youth throughout this year and know that you will be in their prayers and intentions as they visit many pilgrimage sites.

Former OLOP Pastor, Fr. Walter Mallo, IVE visits the parish



Monthly Marriage Enrichment

Saturday, February 20th
7:00pm-9:00pm

"God's Design for Marriage"

Our Lady of Peace Church,
Msgr. Sweeny Family Learning Center, Room 1217

All married couples are invited to attend.

DATE NIGHT is a parish ministry to enrich and support Catholic marriages. Attendees will learn not only what the Church teaches about marriage, but practical ways to apply the teachings to have a more joy-filled marriage.

For more information:

Greg & Claudia Schussman

408-643-1814 claudia.olop@gmail.com

St. Ignatius of Loyola Spiritual Exercises Workshop

What are **Consolation** and **Desolation**? What causes desolation? What is Discernment of Spirits? How do you make sense of your own interior movement? How can this be useful in making decisions about vocation, family, and goals in daily life.

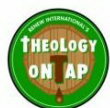
You are Welcome to the Workshop:

Time: Saturday, Feb 20, 10am-12 pm (Brunch Provided)

Place: Most Holy Trinity Parish Community Center, 2040 Nassau Dr.

Presenters: Fr. Rober Fambrini S.J., Pastor of MHT

For more information, please call one of the following: John Martinez 408-439-7247, Kathy Myers 408-476-1514, Margarita Hua 408-623-0838.

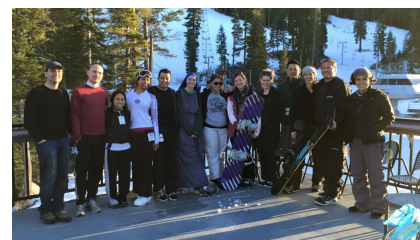


SILICON VALLEY
Theology on tap

Arrive before 7:10 PM and
the first drink is on us!

Theology on Tap Silicon Valley is currently on a Snow Trip in South Lake Tahoe this President's Day weekend. Please pray for our young adults on the retreat!

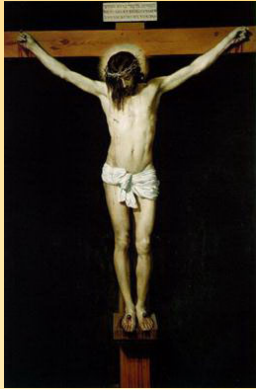
Info on the Spring Series is Coming Soon!





Children and Youth Religious Education Program News

"The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us." John 1:14



Accepting Others

"Acceptance in all its forms is difficult, whether it be acceptance of **our own limitations and failings, or the idiosyncrasies and oddities of others.** It is easy to accept humanity; **it is hard to accept "this" person.** When two persons are put in contact, there is the possibility that they may be like the negative and positive poles of electricity, generating sparks of heat but no light.

Suppose one limits the problem to a readiness on the part of one to be of help to another, such as a mother and father when they try to relate to their teenage son and they run up against a brick wall. There seems to be **an impenetrability, a confusion of tongues, a readiness to help on the one hand; a reluctance to be helped on the other.** Acceptance

begins the moment there is **a common denominator between two persons.** A psychological relation is established when one of the parties feels **a need to receive, and the other perceives a need to give.** Those who are well have no need of a physician; those who deny that they are wounded are not likely to welcome a bandage or a tourniquet.

A second condition refers not to the one seeking help, but to **the helper. He must not start with any pre-judgments or fit the anxious person into a ready-made category.** The good Samaritan must have some vulnerability or sensitiveness in order to share the wounds and fears of others...

The counselor and helper must not be like a commercial saying to the distressed one before him, "So you feel run-down, tired, exhausted, cranky, dissatisfied with yourself because people do not understand you? Take Livery's little liver tablets." **There is no cure-all for the person seeking understanding.** He is unique and, for the moment, no other person in the world exists but him.

A third condition which is possible even when one cannot "reach" another is **to return love in place of the other's un-love; return his hating with caring, his rejection with acceptance.** Generally we avoid those paths which we know are infested with robbers, but in true assistance, one must walk into plague, fires and drowning waters — risking all for the sake of another. At this point, there begins to be absorption of the evil of another which helps to diminish it. **Turning the other cheek, instead of multiplying hate, kills it by not passing it back.**

The psychology of acceptance points up **the theology of the redemption.** One has to look for inspiration beyond the petty ego, to a **Love that went on loving even during a crucifixion, and like a Divine sponge, sucked up the evil. The only place in all the world where Love truly loved those who apparently were not worth loving, and were even unlovable, is on the Cross. Here there is Love to the uttermost, swallowing up, gulping down, drinking deep the bitter chalice, taking the worst man had to offer, and then rising above it.**" Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen, *Children and Parents* pp. 83-86 Alba House. Kindle Edition.

To Think About...

What will be your plan of action for **Lent?**

Work on any **particular resolution to help you grow in your spiritual life?**

Catechism Office Hours :

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 9:00AM-11:30 AM

Saturday 9:00AM-1:00 PM

Office phone number: (408) 988-7543

olopccdooffice@servidoras.org

Website: www.olop-shrine.org

SCHEDULE OF CHURCH DEVOTIONS

Full 15-Decade Rosary	Weds-Mon 6-7 PM
Santo Niño Novena	Mondays 7:00PM
Rosario en Español	Mondays 8:00 PM
Men of the Sacred Heart	Tuesdays 12AM-1AM
Holy Hour	Tuesdays 11AM
St. Anthony Novena with Mass	Tuesdays 6 PM
Rosary in Vietnamese	Tuesdays 8 PM
Mother of Perpetual Help Novena & Mass	Wednesdays 7 PM
St Joseph the Worker's - Hour	Thursdays 7PM

On-Going Parish Activities

Thursday Mornings @ 10:45 A.M.

Pray the Rosary for the protection of the unborn and born babies at starting at 10:45 a.m. at the Mountain View Planned Parenthood (intersection of California & San Antonio).

1st Thursdays—Our Lady of Vailankanni Novena & Holy Mass

The novena will be at 7pm followed by the Holy Mass at 7:30pm.

Saturday Morning Roster for Altar Workers (Feb. 20th):

Mercedes Sacman, Allurie Neri, Mila dela Concha, Trifinia Crisologo, Carolina Simon, Aurora Barreras

Saturdays @ 9:30 A.M.

Rosary Making Classes held in the Old Hall, 9:30 to 11 a.m. for adults & children (materials provided).

2nd Saturdays:

Rosary at the Shrine after 8am Mass for the beatification of Fr. Patrick Peyton, CSC

Last Saturday of the Month: @ 9:15 AM

Come pray the rosary in front of the Planned Parenthood abortuary at 1691 The Alameda (Taylor & Naglee), San Jose. Other pro-life activists have been picketing and providing help to future mothers at this site for several decades. Call Maria Christine at 408-398-4111

2nd Sundays: The next Lay Carmelite meeting will be February 14th. Please contact Donna Rae Smith for further information: donareyesmusic@gmail.com

Fatima Mass: There will be a Fatima Mass every 13th of the month from May to October at 7:30pm followed by a procession.

Every 3rd Sunday

•Altar Society Bake Sale after all morning masses.

•Cenacle Holy Hour to pray for Priests, Seminarians & Vocations at 3PM

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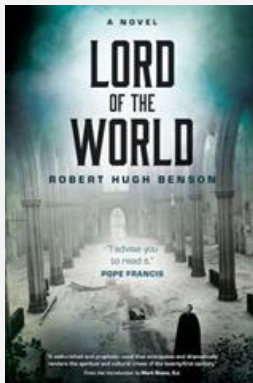
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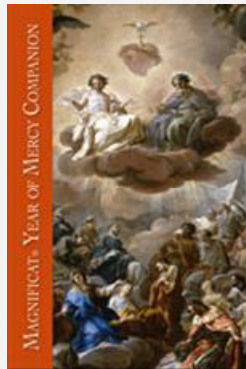
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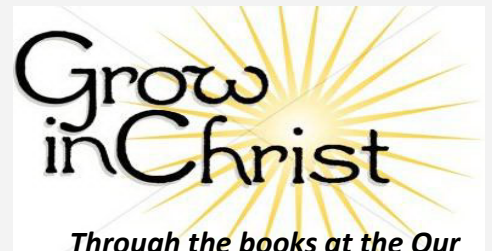
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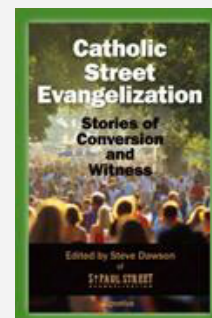
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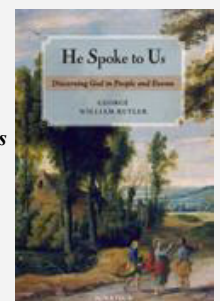
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