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Welcome!

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# Pastor's Corner



I hate these beautiful October days. The air is so fresh and crisp. God's grandeur is oozing itself all over the place and I just don't seem to have the time to appreciate it. The man-made bounty in my life is too distracting. I want to reach for so many things and live the life of a king. In the meantime, the days continue to swing back and forth and the seasons drift into faded hopes of living in the present. Why is it that life seems to be a series of putting off for another time? "When I move out on my own," "when the kids move out," "when I retire," "when my health improves," "when I pay off my debts,"

and any other standard phrases of future dreams seem to remain just dreams.

Of course, I have control over all the present moments God sends me. His bounty is for a servant to appreciate. Thank God I wasn't born into a monarchy but to simple peasant stock. I need to sip the juice of apples and rake up the glory of summer and leave as stubble the demands that claim to give meaning. I will make time to see the true treasure of God's harvest, to watch the orange settle on the ground, spilling its blood for the new life of Spring. Yes, I do love these beautiful October days.

~Father Michael~

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## "I found God. He's in Jersey!"

Television is an important element in our lives. The choices have grown to the point that it sometimes takes longer to *choose* a program than it does to actually *watch* it. I watch very little programming, and only subscribe to a couple of instant streaming channels to keep my choices to a relatively sane number.

Among the myriad of choices, you'll find the occasional show whose premise centers around faith in God. CBS just rolled out a new show, aimed at our social-media-driven society, called "God Friended Me," about a young man being 'cat-fished' by someone claiming to be God, who directs him into the lives of people who need some sort of help. It's cute - often too cute. Unlike some of its predecessors, like "Touched by an Angel," and "Highway to Heaven," it's difficult to strike a tone of believability with this kind of concept. It's hard to imagine that God would ever use Facebook as a means of communicating, even with a millennial. There was the usual tongue-in-cheek reference to a burning bush and the storylines, so far, are convoluted and derivative. It reminds me of "Early Edition," the 90's show with a similar premise using a newspaper instead of a phone app. Loads of shots of the main characters, with eyebrows raised, smiling knowingly at each other, or at a cloud representing God - wink, nod.

I want shows like this to succeed because there are so few that make God a main character. And, it's refreshing to watch a pro-

gram where people aren't shooting each other, or scamming, or scheming, or screaming. It typically takes a new show at least a season to find its "legs," so maybe it will grow a few. I'm probably too cynical in my advanced years, but I'd much rather see a show about God that demonstrates the real ways in which He guides us to help each other, or "proves" His existence.

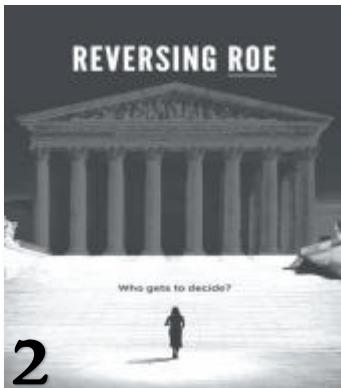
Recently, one of my favorite shows "Young Sheldon" dealt with this very topic. Sheldon's mom is a very devout Baptist and has a crisis of faith when a friend's sixteen year old daughter dies in a car accident. Losing a loved one is often our hardest test of faith, to try to understand how any loss is a part of God's plan. I'll admit I don't like it when my sit-com of choice has an episode of a serious nature. I watch comedies to have a good laugh, not a good cry. But, I was pleased at how well the writers handled the situation. It was honest. Sheldon, the genius boy scientist and self-proclaimed atheist, showed just a hint of believing in the existence of God, even if it was only to try to comfort his grieving mother, when he says, "...but the precision of the universe at least makes it logical to conclude there is a Creator."

Ah me, so true, little one.

*From the Editor*



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Think you know Roe vs. Wade? Available on Netflix: "Forty-five years after it revolutionized abortion law in America, the landmark 1973 US Supreme Court case Roe v. Wade is once again at a crossroads. In their timely new documentary REVERSING ROE, filmmakers Ricki Stern and Annie Sundberg present a deeply illuminating look of the state of abortion and women's rights in America. The film offers candid and riveting interviews with key figures from both sides of the divide, intense and unflinching in its commitment to telling the whole story, REVERSING ROE provides a gripping look at what's happening on the ground in 2018. Drawing from a wealth of historical footage, it charts the period leading up to the Roe decision-and documents the opposition that has followed ever since."

Rating: NR

Genre: Documentary

Directed By: Anne Sundberg, Ricki Stern

On Disc/Streaming: Sep 13, 2018

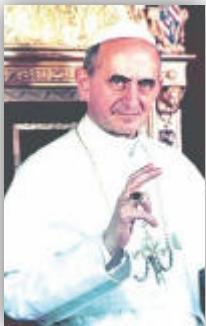
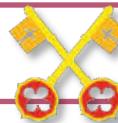
Runtime: 99 minutes

Studio: Netflix

**Editor's Note:** *Difficult to watch. Mature content and some disturbing images. May not be suitable for children or sensitive individuals.*



# Canonizations on October 14



**Pope Paul VI** (Latin: *Paulus VI*; Italian: *Paolo VI*; born **Giovanni Battista Enrico Antonio Maria Montini**; 26 September 1897 – 6 August 1978) reigned from 21 June 1963 to his death in 1978. Succeeding John XXIII, he continued the Second Vatican Council which he closed in 1965, implementing its numerous reforms, and fostered improved ecumenical relations with Eastern Orthodox and Protestants, which resulted in many historic meetings and agreements. Montini served in the Holy See's Secretariat of State from 1922 to 1954. While in the Secretariat of State, Montini and Domenico Tardini were considered as the closest and most influential advisors of Pope Pius XII, who in 1954 named him Archbishop of Milan, the largest Italian diocese. Montini later became the Secretary of the Italian Bishops' Conference. John XXIII elevated him to the College of Cardinals in 1958, and after the death of John XXIII, Montini was considered one of his most likely successors.

Upon his election to the papacy, Montini took the name Paul VI. He reconvened the Second Vatican Council, which had automatically closed with the death of John XXIII. After the Council had concluded its work, Paul VI took charge of the interpretation and implementation of its mandates, often walking a thin line between the conflicting expectations of various groups within Catholicism. The magnitude and depth of the reforms affecting all fields of Church life during his pontificate exceeded similar reform programs of his predecessors and successors. Paul VI spoke repeatedly to Marian conventions and mariological meetings, visited Marian shrines and issued three Marian encyclicals. Following his famous predecessor Saint Ambrose of Milan, he named Mary as the Mother of the Church during the Second Vatican Council. Paul VI described himself as a humble servant for a suffering humanity and demanded significant changes from the rich in North America and Europe in favor of the poor in the Third World. His positions on birth control, promulgated famously in the 1968 encyclical *Humanae vitae* were often contested, especially in Western Europe and North America. The same opposition emerged in reaction to the political aspects of some of his teaching.

**Maria Katharina Kasper (26 May 1820 – 2 February 1898)** - born Katharina but in religious known as Maria - was a German Roman Catholic professed religious and the founder of the Poor Handmaids of Jesus Christ. Kasper entered the religious life later in her life despite having harbored a desire to become a nun for a great period of time. It had not materialized earlier due to aggravating circumstances such as the Kasper's poor economic status and the deaths of both a brother and her father. Her dedication to the poor and the ill was noted during the course of her life and dedicated herself to this work with great zeal. (Wikipedia.org)



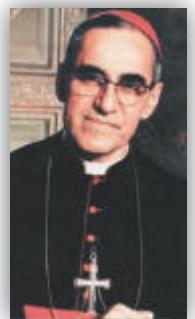
**Nazaria Ignacia March Mesa** (10 January 1889 – 6 July 1943) - in religious Nazaria of Saint Teresa of Jesus - was a Spanish Roman Catholic professed religious and the founder of the Missionaries of the Crusade. Mesa immigrated from Spain to Mexico where she joined a religious order that saw her minister in Bolivia where she remained for most of her life. She served brief stints in Spain to spread the religious order she founded after she left her own order and relocated to Argentina where she later died. (Wikipedia.org)

**Francesco Spinelli** (14 April 1853 – 6 February 1913) was an Italian Roman Catholic priest and the founder of the Sisters Adorers of the Blessed Sacrament.<sup>[1]</sup> Spinelli became close contemporaries of Saint Geltrude Comensoli and Blessed Luigi Maria Palazzolo and had a previous collaboration with Comensoli in which the two established a religious institute in Bergamo before a rift between members caused Spinelli to distance himself from its work and leave. (Wikipedia.org)



**Vincenzo Romano** (3 June 1751 – 20 December 1831) was an Italian Roman Catholic priest born in Torre del Greco in Naples. Romano was a parish priest of the village of Herulano who was noted for his simplistic and frugal manner of living and for his great care of orphans. But the French invaders in his area in addition to some of the Italian political groups oppressed him and his work. The people of Torre del Greco granted him the nickname "The Worker Priest" due to Romano's tireless work with the poor and for his commitment to the social needs of all people in the Neapolitan region. He was also noted for his efforts in rebuilding much of Naples following the 1794 eruption of Mount Vesuvius in which he himself cleared rubble and organized rebuilding efforts.

**Óscar Arnulfo Romero y Galdámez** was born in the small town of El Salvador known as Ciudad Barrios in 1917. His father trained him to be a carpenter, but from a very early age Óscar knew he wanted to be a priest. He left home at the age of 14, traveling by horse to the large city where he could study.



He was ordained a priest for the Diocese of San Salvador in 1942 and quickly became a popular, well-known parish priest and editor of his diocesan newspaper. In 1967, he went to work for the bishops of El Salvador and soon became Bishop of Santiago de María.

One day in 1975, soldiers raided a village in his diocese and killed many innocent people, claiming they were looking for hidden weapons. Bishop Romero was horrified. At the funerals of these villagers, he spoke about people's human rights and how the military was wrong in the things they did. He even wrote to the country's president.



When he became Archbishop of San Salvador, the nation's capital, the government began to turn on the Church, arresting priests and sending them to other countries, and killing people who protested against the leadership. The government killed a priest friend of the archbishop as a warning that he should keep quiet. Archbishop Romero excommunicated the murderers, announcing they could not receive Sacraments in the Church. The government closed Catholic schools, and more priests were tortured and killed, as were teachers of religion. Even possessing a Bible or a hymnbook became illegal.

Protest for change must always take place within Gospel teaching, Archbishop Romero told the people of his country, asking them not to be violent. Soon, despite support from many other countries in the world, the archbishop became the target of the Salvadoran government's anger.

On March 24, 1980, he was gunned down by an unknown assassin while celebrating Mass in a small hospital chapel. The day before, he had asked Salvadoran soldiers to obey God and not the government. (saintsresource.com/oscar-romero)

# Cathedral Kids

## Puzzle

Help this child find Jesus.



## Read the Gospel and Color



**Sharing the Gospel** - The man in today's Gospel reading thought he was pretty good. He had been careful to obey most of God's rules. But he forgot the most important rule of all-love God with all your heart, mind, soul and strength. When Jesus asked the man to give away all he owned, the man went away sad. He loved money more than he loved God.

**Prayer** - Dear God, help me to love you more than all the gifts you have given to me.

**Mission for the Week** - Make a list of things that are special to you. If God asked you to give away your favorite toy or game to someone who's poor, could you do it? Be honest with God, and ask him to help you love him more than anything.

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# 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## FROM THE FIANC COUNCIL:

As mentioned during our comments on "Finance Weekend (September 8-9)", the Finance Council will periodically report about parish finances. Our initial theme will be the Parish's relationship with the Diocese.

The Cathedral Parish does not receive financial support from the Diocese apart from major repairs to the building itself. Additionally, the Parish is assessed an annual Diocesan affiliation fee, which last year was in excess of \$100,000. The Parish generally pays for the expenses for operating, maintaining and securing the Cathedral.

The Parish's weekly expenses exceed \$20,000. While the Parish has various sources of income (for example, weddings, CCD fees, candle donations, and weekday mass collections), the weekend offertory is its largest source of revenue. To maintain fiscal integrity, the weekend offertory should cover at least half of Parish expenses. To reach the 50% level of expenses, the Finance Council has set a weekly offertory goal of \$11,500.

During the three weeks after the Finance Weekend, the weekend offertories were as follows:

September 15/16:	\$9,296
September 22/23:	\$7,868
September 29/30:	\$7,562
Three-week average:	\$8,242

The committee **Festival of Trees & Lights** invites you to join us to work on crafts on the following dates. We begin at 7:00pm on October 18, November 1, 15 in Mercy Hall. Contact Paula at [trupaula@gmail.com](mailto:trupaula@gmail.com) for more information.



 **Cathedral ACTS Community 2nd Annual Bowl-A-Thon & Raffle Fundraiser** Sunday, Oct 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018 from 2:30-4:30pm at Capitol Bowl, 900 W. Capitol Ave, West Sacramento. \$25 for 2 games, including shoe rental. Raffle Prizes! For more information, please contact Natalie Sundquist, 916-591-1892 or [Nati198908@gmail.com](mailto:Nati198908@gmail.com).

**September 26—November 4**

## 40 Days for Life - HELP SAVE LIVES IN SACRAMENTO!

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion. Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 750,000 volunteers! With God's help, here are the proven results in 22 coordinated campaigns:  
**14,643 babies saved from abortion, 177 abortion workers converted, 96 abortion centers closed.**



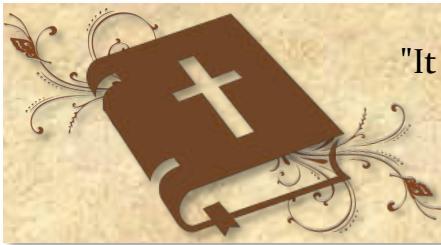
Join us for an ongoing vigil at FPA Abortion Clinic, 2322 Butano Drive, Sacramento, Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. Learn more on [40daysforlife.com/sacramento](http://40daysforlife.com/sacramento), or contact Susan at 530-320-1614 or [susanalive@gmail.com](mailto:susanalive@gmail.com), or Wynette at 916-955-1577.



**Is anything more important than our children's souls?** The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori-based approach to Christian formation, in which children as young as three form deep, lifelong relationships with our Lord. Learn more at an introductory workshop in Sacramento on Saturday, October 20. For details, visit [www.youngsheep.org/](http://www.youngsheep.org/) workshop.

"Coincidence is God's way of remaining anonymous."

~Albert Einstein~



"It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God."

~Mark 10:25~



## Prayer Corner

Please remember  
in your prayers:

Maricela Huidor  
Alexa Novelo  
Brandon M. Novelo  
Anna Lanzona  
Shelby Hogan  
Roman Q Paguio +  
Carl Hagen  
Benny Garces +  
Sepehr  
Roman Q Paguio +  
Rosa G.

Deacon Don DeHaven  
Miguel, Luz, Sonia, Joel, Jose,  
Oscar, Betty, Noe, Waldo, Cesar,  
Carlos, Teresa and their families  
Gerald O'Reilly +  
Frank Vercillo  
Stephanie Pill  
Mary Margaret Reilly  
Asmitha and Abie Joseph  
Alroyd and Shaista and children

Julian

Jason and Resmi  
Nina Mordas and Mother

Javier Maria Alonso

C.Marcela Bedoya

Eva Hernandez

Diane

Mary Ann

Karla

Marcela P.

Yolanda

Kimberly and Partner

Tony Nebreda

Charles Bardin

Teresa

Nicanor Masadado, Sr.+

Suzanne Trujillo

Corazon Velasquez

Paulina

Dave McNett

Maggie Phelps

Amit Kumar

Steph Skiles

"Be joyful always; pray continually;  
give thanks in all circumstances, for  
this is God's will for you in Christ  
Jesus"      ~1 Thessalonians 5:16-18~

Date	Mass / Intentions	Activities
Saturday October 13	5:00 pm / John F. Nealon + Henry R. Nunez +	10:00 am CCD Classes 12:00 pm Rosary Rally 
Sunday October 14	7:30 am / 9:00 am / 11:00 am/ 1:00 pm Spanish / 3:00 pm Chinese / 5:00 pm / 7:00 pm Spanish/	<b>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  9:00 am RCIA for Children & Teens 9:00 am Mass: RCIA - Breaking of the Word 11:00 am Mass: Liturgy of the Word for Children  2:30 pm Cathedral A.C.T.S. Bowl-A-Thon At Capitol Bowl 
Monday October 15	12:10 pm / 5:10 pm /	6:30 pm RCIA: Vespers 7:00 pm RCIA: Class
Tuesday October 16	12:10 pm / 5:15 pm /	6:00 pm Spanish Choir Rehearsal for the 7pm Mass 7:00 pm Teen Confirmation Class
Wednesday October 17	12:10 pm / 5:10 pm /	7:15 pm : Communion & Liberation English Choir Rehearsal Spanish Choir Rehearsal for the 1pm Mass
Thursday October 18	12:10 pm / 5:10 pm /	7:00 pm Crafting for the FOTL 
Friday October 19	12:10 pm /	Today is "Dress like a Dork Day," New Friend Day, Evaluate Your Life Day, & Rainforest Day. Have a great day!
Saturday October 20	5:00 pm /	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Work- shop—youngsheep.org/workshop

## Readings & Observances

Sunday: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Monday: St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31--5:1/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7 [cf. 2]/Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

Gal 5:1-6/Ps 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48 [41a]/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr

Gal 5:18-25/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Jn 8:12]/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: St. Luke, Evangelist

2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Lk 10:1-9

Friday: Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs

Eph 1:11-14/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13 [12]/Lk 12:1-7

Saturday: St. Paul of the Cross, Priest; Sweetest Day

Eph 1:15-23/Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-5, 6-7 [7]/Lk 12:8-12

# Esquina del Pastor

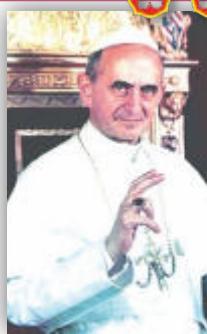


Odio estos hermosos días de octubre. El aire es tan fresco y crujiente. La grandeza de Dios se está escurriendo por todas partes y simplemente no parece que tengo el tiempo para apreciarlo. Quiero alcanzar muchas cosas y vivir la vida de un rey. Mientras tanto, los días continúan oscilando y las estaciones se desvanecen en esperanzas desvanecidas de vivir en el presente. ¿Por qué la vida parece ser una serie de posponer para otro momento? "Cuando me mudo por mi cuenta", "cuando los niños se mudan", "cuando me jubilo", "cuando mi salud mejora", "cuando pague mis deudas", y cualquier otra frase estándar de sueños futuros parece permanecer solo sueños.

Por supuesto, tengo control sobre todos los momentos presentes que Dios me envía. Su generosidad es para que un sirviente lo aprecie. Gracias a Dios que no nací en una monarquía, sino en una simple población campesina. Necesito sorber el jugo de las manzanas y revolver la gloria del verano y dejar como rastrojo las demandas que dicen dar sentido. Haré tiempo para ver el verdadero tesoro de la cosecha de Dios, para ver a la naranja asentarse en el suelo, derramando su sangre para la nueva vida de la primavera. Sí, me encantan estos hermosos días de octubre.

~Padre Michael~

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## Canonizaciones el 14 de octubre



Papa Pablo VI (en latín: Paulus VI; italiano: Paolo VI; nacido Giovanni Battista Enrico Antonio Maria Montini; del 26 de septiembre de 1897 al 6 de agosto de 1978) reinó desde el 21 de junio de 1963 hasta su muerte en 1978. Sucediendo a Juan XXIII, continuó el Segundo Vaticano Consejo que cerró en 1965, implementando sus numerosas reformas y fomentó mejores relaciones ecuménicas con ortodoxos orientales y protestantes, lo que dio lugar a muchas reuniones y acuerdos históricos. Montini sirvió en la Secretaría de Estado de la Santa Sede de 1922 a 1954. Mientras que en la Secretaría de Estado, Montini y Domenico Tardini fueron considerados como los asesores más cercanos e influyentes del Papa Pío XII, quien en 1954 lo nombró Arzobispo de Milán, el más grande Diócesis italiana. Montini más tarde se convirtió en el secretario de la Conferencia de Obispos italianos. Juan XXIII lo elevó al Colegio de cardenales en 1958, y después de la muerte de Juan XXIII, Montini fue considerado uno de sus sucesores más probables.

Tras su elección al papado, Montini tomó el nombre de Pablo VI. Convocó nuevamente el Concilio Vaticano II, que se había cerrado automáticamente con la muerte de Juan XXIII. Después de que el Consejo concluyó su trabajo, Pablo VI se hizo cargo de la interpretación y la implementación de sus mandatos, a menudo recorriendo una delgada línea entre las expectativas en conflicto de varios grupos dentro del catolicismo. La magnitud y la profundidad de las reformas que afectaron a todos los campos de la vida de la Iglesia durante su pontificado superaron los programas de reforma similares de sus predecesores y sucesores. Pablo VI habló repetidamente a las convenciones marianas y reuniones mariológicas, visitó santuarios marianos y emitió tres encíclicas marianas. Siguiendo a su famoso predecesor San Ambrosio de Milán, nombró a María como la Madre de la Iglesia durante el Concilio Vaticano II. Pablo VI se describió a sí mismo como un humilde servidor para una humanidad suficiente y exigió cambios significativos de los ricos en América del Norte y Europa a favor de los pobres en el Tercer Mundo. Sus posiciones sobre el control de la natalidad, promulgadas en la encíclica Humanae vitae de 1968, a menudo se impugnaron, especialmente en Europa occidental y América del Norte. La misma oposición surgió en reacción a los aspectos políticos de algunas de sus enseñanzas.

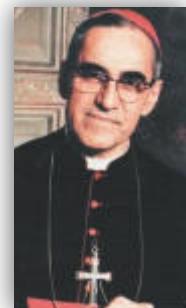
Óscar Arnulfo Romero y Galdámez nació en la pequeña ciudad de El Salvador conocida como Ciudad Barrios en 1917. Su padre lo entrenó para ser carpintero, pero desde muy temprana edad, Óscar supo que quería ser sacerdote. Salió de su casa a la edad de 14 años, viajando a caballo a la gran ciudad donde podía estudiar.

Fue ordenado sacerdote para la Diócesis de San Salvador en 1942 y rápidamente se convirtió en un popular párroco y editor de su periódico diocesano. En 1967, fue a trabajar para los obispos de El Salvador y pronto se convirtió en Obispo de Santiago de María.

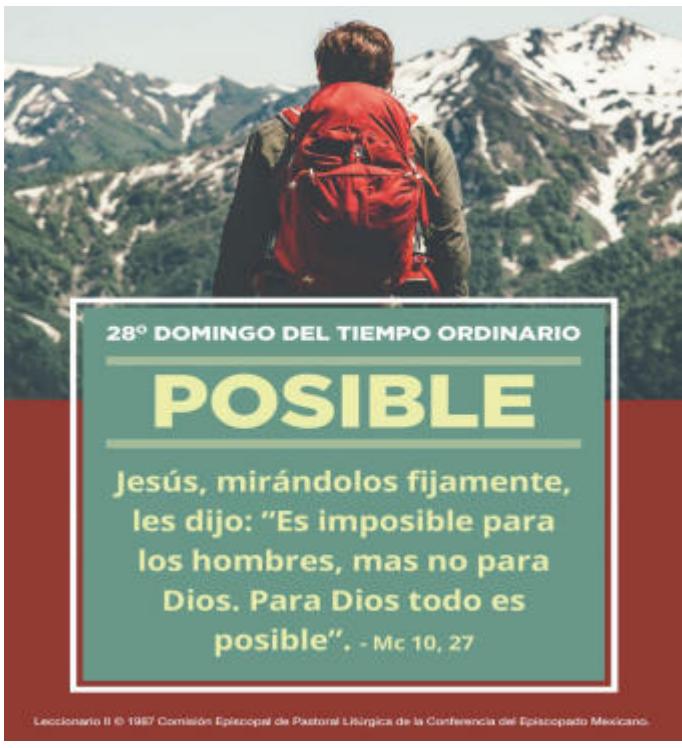
Un día en 1975, soldados atacaron una aldea en su diócesis y mataron a muchas personas inocentes, alegando que estaban buscando armas ocultas. El obispo Romero estaba horrorizado. En los funerales de estos aldeanos, habló sobre los derechos humanos de las personas y sobre cómo los militares estaban equivocados en las cosas que hicieron. Incluso le escribió al presidente del país.

Cuando se convirtió en Arzobispo de San Salvador, la capital de la nación, el gobierno comenzó a atacar a la Iglesia, arrestando sacerdotes y enviándolos a otros países, y matando a personas que protestaban contra el liderazgo. El gobierno mató a un sacerdote amigo del arzobispo como advertencia de que debía guardar silencio. El arzobispo Romero excomulgó a los asesinos y anunció que no podían recibir Sacramentos en la Iglesia. El gobierno cerró escuelas católicas, y más sacerdotes fueron torturados y asesinados, al igual que maestros de religión. Incluso poseer una Biblia o un himnario se volvió ilegal.

La protesta por el cambio siempre debe tener lugar dentro de la enseñanza del Evangelio, el Arzobispo Romero dijo a la gente de su país, pidiéndoles que no sean violentos. Pronto, a pesar del apoyo de muchos otros países del mundo, el arzobispo se convirtió en el blanco de la ira del gobierno salvadoreño.



El 24 de marzo de 1980, fue asesinado a tiros por un asesino desconocido mientras celebraba la misa en una pequeña capilla del hospital. El día anterior, había pedido a los soldados salvadoreños que obedecieran a Dios y no al gobierno. (saintsresource.com/oscar-romero)



28º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

## POSIBLE

Jesús, mirándolos fijamente, les dijo: "Es imposible para los hombres, mas no para Dios. Para Dios todo es posible". - Mc 10, 27

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### LA CORRESPONSABILIDAD DIARIA

Cuando oro, muchas veces le pido a Dios, "Dame la sabiduría para reconocer Tu voluntad para mi vida, y la valentía para seguir esa voluntad." Es una petición para un discernimiento verdadero para que me asegure de que la voluntad de Dios sea más importante que mi propia voluntad. Es fácil caer en la trampa de creer que la felicidad y la realización cae en hacer lo que yo quiero hacer y seguir mis propios deseos. Nuestro mundo secular está lleno de este mensaje. Sin embargo, este mensaje ha llevado a mucha soledad, sentimientos de vacío y arrepentimiento. Debo orar por lo que Dios quiere para mí y recordarme que Dios me creó a propósito y con propósito. Tener la sabiduría para entender ese propósito es la llave a la verdadera realización en este mundo.

Ofrecer nuestros dones y talentos solamente en las formas que queremos nos hace ciegos al llamado de Jesucristo. En hacer esto también evitamos el verdadero sacrificio, que puede llevar a que solo demos de manera egoísta. La sabiduría permite que nos demos cuenta a dónde nos llama Dios, a pesar de que nos sintamos inseguros. La confianza cae en Él que nos llama a dar desprendidamente. Cuando nuestras vidas de generosidad y compasión están ordenadas de esta forma, será difícil que cualquier otra cosa nos quite la paz y la felicidad. Solamente entonces podemos entender nuestro propósito, nuestro dar es verdadero y nuestros deseos se cumplen.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

### LAS LECTURAS Y CONMEMORACIONES SEMANALES

Las lecturas de la semana del 14 de octubre de 2018

Domingo: **28º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Sab 7, 7-11/Sal 90, 12-13. 14-15. 16-17 [14]/Heb 4, 12-13/  
Mc 10, 17-30 o 10, 17-27

Lunes: **Santa Teresa of Jesús, virgen y doctora de la Iglesia**

Gal 4, 22-24. 26-27. 31-5, 1/Sal 113, 1-2. 3-4. 5 y 6-7 [cfr. 2]/  
Lc 11, 29-32

Martes: **Santa Eduviges, religiosa; Santa Margarita María Alacoque, virgen**

Gal 5, 1-6/Sal 119, 41. 43. 44. 45. 47. 48 [41]/Lc 11, 37-41

Miércoles: **San Ignacio de Antioquía, obispo y mártir**

Gal 5, 18-25/Sal 1, 1-2. 3. 4 y 6 [cfr. Jn 8, 12]/Lc 11, 42-46

Jueves: **San Lucas, Evangelista**

2 Tim 4, 10-17/Sal 145, 10-11. 12-13. 17-18 [12]/Lc 10, 1-9

Viernes: **San Juan de Brébeuf y San Isaac Jogues, sacerdotes, y compañeros, mártires**

Ef 1, 11-14/Sal 33, 1-2. 4-5. 12-13 [12]/Lc 12, 1-7

Sábado: **San Pablo de la Cruz, sacerdote; el Día más dulce**

Ef 1, 15-23/Sal 8, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7 [7]/Lc 12, 8-12

### VERSO DEL EVANGELIO DE DOMINGO

Ellos se asombraron todavía más y comentaban entre sí: "Entonces, ¿quién puede salvarse?" Jesús, mirándolos fijamente, les dijo: "Es imposible para los hombres, mas no para Dios. Para Dios todo es posible". - Mc 10, 26-27

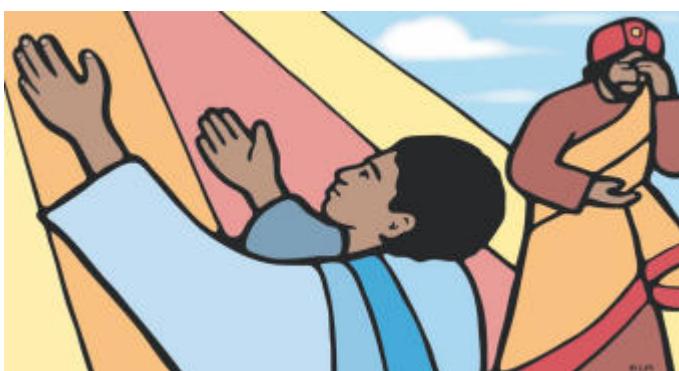
### MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICO

El hombre rico decididamente se acercó a Jesús y le hizo la pregunta: "Maestro Bueno, ¿Qué tengo que hacer para conseguir la vida eterna? Jesús, como buen Maestro le responde: "Vete, vende todo lo que tienes y reparte el dinero entre los pobres, y tendrás un tesoro en el Cielo". Siguiendo la respuesta, Jesús lo invita: "Después, ven y ségueme" (Marcos 10:21-22).

Parece que en el tiempo de Jesús era imposible dejarlo todo. Pero, en nuestro tiempo, es lo mismo no es realista. Tomar la decisión de dejar todo lo que uno tiene es difícil y doloroso. Entonces, ¿qué se puede hacer? La verdad es que si hacemos esta pregunta, debemos de prepararnos para la respuesta que nos dará Jesús. Su respuesta será la misma que le dio al hombre rico. Imagina la mirada cariñosa del Señor diciendo: "Sólo te falta una cosa." Pregúntese: ¿Qué cosas debo dejar ahora para encontrar la vida eterna? Quizás debe dejar de tener prejuicios, o a lo mejor somos de esos ricos egoístas sin dinero. Ante toda respuesta, el secreto estriba en la Palabra de Dios que nos ilumina. La sabiduría de Dios es la que nos ayuda a vivir sabiamente. La Palabra dirige al corazón para ver las necesidades de los demás. Y ante todo lo demás, confiar en Dios. Ojalá que la mirada cariñosa de Jesús no quede flotando en el aire, sino que tenga respuesta. Una de tantas es dejarse tocar por Dios, para dar cabida al discipulado y seguir a Dios sin condiciones. ¡Danos, Señor, el valor de compartir lo que tenemos, ya sea cosas materiales o amor por los que nos rodean!

### VIVIR LA LITURGIA

¿Está contento y satisfecho con lo mínimo y esencial de su fe?, o ¿desea la excelencia? Los diez mandamientos representan lo mínimo, y en toda realidad, es fácil cumplir con ellos. La plenitud del Evangelio es otra cosa. Vivir verdaderamente como Jesús vivió muchas veces requiere un gran sacrificio y tal vez dejar las cosas del mundo. ¿Está listo para seguir este tipo de vida? Dios quiere que vivamos en abundancia, no superficialmente. El amor nos pide que extendamos más allá del estatus quo y que entremos en lo radical. Lo que uno posee no puede ser importante. Cuando Dios se lo puso así al joven rico, se fue triste porque tenía mucho. Cuando Jesús lo enfrenta, ¿cómo reacciona usted?





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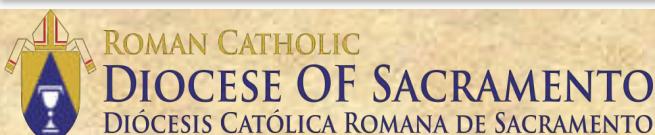
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## MARRIAGE PREPARATION

The Diocese of Sacramento requires an engaged couple to complete a marriage preparation program no later than two months before their wedding date. Contact: Janet & Omar Bardales at [matrimonyprep@att.net](mailto:matrimonyprep@att.net), or 916-427-9160, or Sister Jenny at 916-444-5364. You do not have to have your wedding at the Cathedral in order to take this class.

## GET MARRIED AT THE CATHEDRAL

If you would like to celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony at the Cathedral, download the Cathedral Wedding Guidelines and Reservation Form on the cathedral website. Contact the parish office at least *six months* before your desired wedding date to arrange a meeting with Wedding Coordinator, Titi Kila, at the Cathedral Office, 916-444-3071 x13, [tkila@cathedralssacramento.org](mailto:tkila@cathedralssacramento.org).

## HAVE YOUR MARRIAGE BLESSED IN THE CHURCH

If you would like to have your civil marriage blessed in the Catholic Church, please call or email Deacon John at the Cathedral Office to explore this possibility: 444-3071 Ext. 11; [jgisla@cathedralssacramento.org](mailto:jgisla@cathedralssacramento.org). This can often be done in a small, private ceremony called a Convalidation, without any cost or fee. If you have been together for a number of years and would like to be married in the Church, this can also often be done in a small, private ceremony without any cost.

## QUINCEAÑERA

This is the tradition of celebrating a young girl's coming of age on her 15th birthday with a Mass, and highlights the virtues of family and social responsibility, recognizing her journey from childhood to maturity. For more information on celebrating this beautiful tradition at the Cathedral, call Titi Kila, at 916-444-3071, x13, or [tkila@cathedralssacramento.org](mailto:tkila@cathedralssacramento.org).

## LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

For ages 5 to 10 years old, at the 11:00 am Sunday Mass (Check calendar for dates), this program provides children with age appropriate explanations of the Sunday readings and gives parents with young children an opportunity to focus on the Scripture readings and the homily without distractions. Children return to their families before the Offertory. For more information, contact the education office or Dorothy Corgiat at [dlcorgiat@yahoo.com](mailto:dlcorgiat@yahoo.com).



### 聖加理多(十月十四日)

聖加理多是羅馬的奴隸，主人托他管理銀行，因業務失敗，存款無法清償，被官廳逮捕，判處苦工勞役。債權人代他求情，暫時恢復自由。他到猶太人會堂索討銀行客戶的債債，以騷擾會堂的罪名，再度被捕，在鐵礦作苦工。過了一個時期，加理多獲得大赦，恢復自由。

教宗聖冉斐利納任加理多為亞比利亞教徒墳場總管理員，至今這墓窟稱為聖加理多墓窟。歷代教宗，自冉斐利納起，至歐弟奇止（除高內略和加理多兩位教宗外）均葬在該墓窟。聖冉斐利納教宗祝聖加理多為六品副祭。教宗駕崩，加理多榮登伯多祿寶座，治理教務，任勞任怨。主曆二二二年，為主致命。

#### St. Callistus (October 14)

Saint Callistus was a slave in Rome. The owner asked him to manage the bank. Due to business failure, they could not pay off the debt with the deposits. He was arrested and sentenced to labor. The creditor pleaded for him and temporarily granted his freedom.

He went to the Jewish synagogue to ask the bank's customers for debt repayment. He was arrested again for harassing the syndicate and sent to the mine for hard labor. After a while, he got the amnesty and freedom.

Pope Zephyrinus appointed St. Callistus to be the chief administrator of the Appian cemetery, and today the tomb is called the St. Callistus Tomb. Every Pope starting from Zephyrinus to Eutychian (except for Pope Cornelius and Callistus) are buried in the tomb.

Pope Zephyrinus ordained St. Callistus as the sixth class alter server. When Pope Zephyrinus passed away, and St. Callistus succeeded as the Pope, governing the affairs of the church, and working hard. St. Callistus died in AC 222.



### 本週報告 (會長)

- 慕道班將於每星期彌撒後以中文舉行。如果您認識的任何朋友或家人對天主教信仰有興趣，請邀請他參加。
- 我們將繼續在下個主日彌撒前下午兩點半開始誦唸玫瑰經。
- 我們現正售賣紅包去籌款。特價是3堆10美元，1堆4美元。促銷活動至10月31日為止

#### Announcement this week (President)

- We will have the RCIA every week after mass in Chinese. If any friend or family member you know is interested in the Catholic faith, feel free to invite him/her to the RCIA.
- We will continue to have rosary recitation next Sunday at 2:30 pm before mass
- We are having fundraising by selling red envelopes (Lai See), the promotion is \$10 for 3 stacks, and the price for a stack is \$4. The promotion is until October 31.

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