

Missionary Cooperative Appeal

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Pastor's Corner

Last weekend we heard in the Gospel of Mark that everyone who does the will of God is brother and sister and mother to him. This beautiful image of a family under the guidance of God and His leadership is at the core of Jesus' message. Jesus wants to show how closely united we are. It's interesting to note that Jesus never recognizes that anybody who does the will of God could also be father to him. We know this is deliberate. There can be no father except the heavenly Father. Even the humble St. Joseph is never really the father, neither literally nor metaphorically. There is one Father. Call no one else father. This clear message reveals the closeness that Jesus the Son experiences with the Father. There is no hint that Jesus could possibly have a different father than our heavenly Father.

Today is Father's Day in which we celebrate the lives of all men who have accepted the role as father in our lives. We appreciate all the fathers who have helped to raise and guide us, care for and teach us. Our fathers are often the first and most important example of how to live a moral and spiritual life. We thank all the fathers who have tirelessly performed the tasks of

cares for the needs of their families. We thank all the religious fathers who have revealed the gentle love of a father's care, as well.

On this day, however, we do not miss the opportunity to thank God our Father for the graces He offers us each and every day. Jesus tells us that this Father is as close to us as He is to the Son. Jesus wants us to see that our heavenly Father is as much united to us as He is to the Son. Our true Father is not distant and uncaring, but right here and loving. It is surprising that we do not have any feast day honoring God the Father. Perhaps we know that every celebration is in honor of the Father's life with us. Yet, with all the negative publicity about fatherhood, maybe we have down-played this great image of God. This word "Father" is not a title but a reality. He *is* our Father and He *is* our only Father. This Father loves us beyond our understanding. We are truly brothers and sisters with Jesus, and today we honor our Father and thank Him for His love.

~Father Michael~

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The **MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE APPEAL** is an annual program in which missionaries from around the world speak at each parish. The goal of this appeal is to increase awareness of missionary work and to raise funds to help missionary organizations continue their evangelization efforts. In the Diocese of Sacramento, 50 different missions were selected this year to each speak at two parishes. Last year through generous denotations, we collected \$392,880 for 51 missions.

This weekend, June 16-17, our parish is being visited by **Father M.S. Selva Raj** with the Diocese of Kumbakonam. He will share with us their courageous evangelization efforts on behalf of the Catholic Church and give us an opportunity to support their work in the field. A second collection will be taken up following their presentation. Special envelopes will be provided for your convenience. Donations made by check should be made payable to the parish. All funds collected throughout the Diocese will be equally divided among the 50 missionary organizations visiting the Diocese of Sacramento this year. Thank you for your generosity.



"The Society for the Propagation of the Faith accepts requests from Mission Dioceses and Religious Orders working in the missions to preach at a parish for the purpose of making an appeal for financial support. This annual appeal is one that helps unite the Diocese of Sacramento with the Universal Church and to emanate mission awareness among the people of the Diocese of Sacramento. The generous donations are a reflection of the ongoing awareness and concern for the peoples of the world." (scd.org)



Facebook letting the world know what you did last night and what your friends had for lunch, Instagram showing us how cute your friends pets are and how good you look in that new dress, Netflix allowing us to re-watch that episode of Star Trek we've seen a million times, Amazon enabling us to shop for a birthday gift at 3 a.m., games that lets us kill zombies from the safety of our couch, Uber ready to pick us up wherever and whenever to take us anywhere we want, Postmates ready to deliver to our home practically whatever whenever we want it, texts from friends asking what we have planned tonight... oh, and all the information the Internet has to offer, there's quite a bit today keeping our eyes glued, us attached and some of us quite reliant to our personal devices or our "smart tv's" at home today. These devices, these relatively new technologies, and what they're capable of doing for us, have changed the cultural landscape enormously over the past 10 years. Have you ever asked yourself what this change to our culture might look like in the next 20 or 40 years? Well how about 800 years?! *WALL-E* (2008) a Pixar animated film directed by Andrew Stanton did ask that question and right off the bat, things don't look good, as Earth has been abandoned by mankind, having used up all its natural resources and left unable to sustain plant and animal life...and all that is left, is our trash.

Our story begins by introducing us to our star, a robot named WALL-E (Waste Allocation Load Lifter: Earth-Class). A smart machine that has managed to "outlive" all of the others like him and over the hundreds of years on Earth doing his job, as the movie trailer describes, "he has developed a personality". WALL-E has one "directive" and that is to compact waste into easily stacked cubes which WALL-E uses to build giant towers. The waste, which covers the city like leaves in the fall, is the extreme result of mankind's indifference to the world around him caught up in the comfort and self-absorption that can potentially come with increasing reliance on technology. A grim outlook, yes, but for the sake of this well told story, the world presented to us is not so far outside the imaginable, that suspending our disbelief is quite easily done. But despite this bleak future presented, there is hope. And that hope is found in EVE (Extraterrestrial Vegetation Evaluator), a far more advanced, gravity defying robot who is sent by the ship the remaining humans are living on in deep space. A ship that resembles a luxury cruise ship that possesses technology that has, over the 800 years in space, turned the inhabitants to overweight, anti-gravity chair traveling, device addicted layabouts who have all their needs taken care of by the automated systems around them.

EVE also has one "directive" and that is to periodically check Earth to see if there have been any changes to its ecosystem, in other words, search Earth for plant or animal life, which, "she", does find with the help of WALL-E, and there kicks off our story. As she travels back to the mother ship, WALL-E tags along, and we see them both act as catalysts for change on the ship as they begin to interact with the people aboard. The human characters we are introduced to begin to acknowledge a world outside of their devices, their technological comforts, a world that includes "real" human interaction. As WALL-E and EVE run into obstacles trying to notify the captain of the ship that Earth can again sustain life. The story, with spoilers avoided, shows us to the extreme, the ultimate dangers followed to their logical conclusions, those being, the over-usage and ultimate reliance on "devices" that can mimic social interaction *and* over-consumerism that can build for us a world of our own creation, a world we may not want to leave. But ironically,

WALL-E and EVE, despite being "tech" themselves, act as instruments to break the bonds that mankind has created for themselves, "...for God all things are possible" (Matthew 19:26). He can use even those things that can be abused to turn us around and show us, again, what is truly important. Those being that true happiness is not found in what "things" can do to make us feel better and acknowledging a world that is outside of our minds and our own personal satisfaction, made up of people who desire to be loved and have the capacity to give it...but most importantly, a God who sustains us, made of that very love, a love that is always unconditional and ready to be given.

Technology today is a wonder that continues to make strides that move us forward at an extraordinary pace and the movie WALL-E reminds us that there are things more important. Our self worth is not based on how many "likes" or "thumbs up" our pictures or posts get. It isn't based on how many things we own or the newest impressive technological device we have that makes something faster or easier. But based, in the eyes of God, on our capacity to choose Him and His will, despite all our distractions, so that we can be instruments of His love, and in doing so, like WALL-E, be that catalyst that helps someone peek their head above that device just long enough to notice a world that is full of people ready to love and a God that already does.

~Brian Perez~

Cinema Divina Cathedral Movie Night
presents

Next Friday!

Fiddler on the Roof

June 22, 2018 6:00 pm
Mercy Hall - Free Admission

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~PARISH NEWS~

The Cathedral's Rosary Club will host a **33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY GROUP RETREAT** which consists of Reading, Pondering, and Meeting starting Wednesday, July 11, 2018 and concluding on Wednesday, August 15, 2018 at the 5:10 pm Mass with Consecration. We will meet every Wednesday during this time. The retreat meetings will take the place of the regular Rosary Club meetings held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month. We invite all (including non-Catholics) to participate in this sacred opportunity at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament. "Once you make the consecration, it is for life." If you have any questions and/or need more information, please contact Lolita at Lolita.Urrutia@gmail.com or via voice/text message at (916) 213-5862. Buy the book and contact Lolita no later than Friday, July 6, 2018 if you are interested in participating.

HOW CRAFTY ARE YOU?

The annual Festival of Trees and Lights in December has become a Cathedral tradition. It's the only fundraiser of this size and scope that we do to raise funds for the homeless and others in need. Even though we are no longer sponsoring the "House," we continue to help our community through our other social service ministries that provide lunches or emergency financial aid.

YOU CAN HELP. If you have a craft, or can sew, bake, cook, or have a talent for bargain shopping, then come to our Festival Crafters Orientation on July 10th in Mercy Hall. We'll discuss what types of crafts or sellable items you feel you can contribute, and we will start planning our best event yet!

Not a crafter? No worries. We are looking for donations of sellable items, especially religious paraphernalia, like rosaries, statues, pictures, and Nativity sets. And, volunteers of all kinds are always welcome.

Contact Susan at susandurand@gmail.com or Paula at trupaula@gmail.com for more information and THANKS for your continued support!

SECOND ANNUAL COLLAR CUP SOCCER MATCH: PRIESTS VS. SEMINARIANS

Sacramento Republic FC is thrilled to host the annual Collar Cup. SRFC and Papa Murphy Park will provide the platform once again for the Sacramento Diocese to raise money and foster vocations. Join our Diocesan Priests and Seminarians, 2000+ Students, Young Adults and Families in an engaging day of vocations.



Schedule:

3:30pm: Gates Open
4:00pm: Vigil Mass on the Field presided by Bishop Jaime Soto
5:15pm: Collar Cup Game (Priest vs Seminarians)
6:00pm: Vocational Fair on Cal Expo grounds
8:00pm: Sacramento Republic FC vs St. Louis FC (included with Collar Cup)

Tickets: \$20.00 general | \$15.00 3-10 years old | 2 and under free
BUY TICKETS or REGISTER for the VOCATIONS CARNIVAL:
<https://scd.formstack.com/forms/collarcup>



EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

You could buy a meal for a person who is hungry or for a person who just ate a feast. You could spend time with a lonely person or with someone who has more friends than you. You could step forward to join a parish committee that your experience and knowledge can help, or you can join a ministry where you will constantly struggle to figure out what to do. All of the above actions involve you giving and sharing yourself and your gifts. But not all of these actions will bear good fruit.

If a sower sows seeds only on rocky or weed-infested soil, nothing of great value will grow. But if that same sower plants his seeds in rich soil, then the harvest will one day be great. In all of the soils, the seed is being sown, but it is not the act of sowing that is the most important factor.

In living a stewardship way of life, we must discern how best to share our gifts. Discernment needs the Holy Spirit and a desire to follow God's will, not our own. Our own desires and misconceptions can cause us to use our gifts unwisely. The more mindful we are of how, when, and why we are sharing ourselves, then the greater the impact for God's glory. God wants all of you, but not in a way that is without understanding and discernment. He wants you to shine as a light to the world through your stewardship just as He came to you as the Light of the World in baptism. You can't shine brightly if the match does not hit the wick.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Please remember in your prayers...

Deacon Don DeHaven
Tony Nebreda
Charles Bardin
Teresa
Nicanor Masadao, Sr. +
Suzanne Trujillo
Corazon Velasquez
Paulina
Dave McNett

Maggie Phelps
Amit Kumar
Steph Skiles
Maria Nguyen
Alfie +
Ernie +
Hashina +
Charles Pickering S.I.
Karla

Briceida Lopez
Rick and Anna Carpineta
Jo
Sonia
A Gerard
Tiler
Faye
Beverly Rogers
Linda Dixon
Joel & Cesar
Mariana Gonzalez

Jessie LaRay
Sophia LaRay
Elizabeth
Delores Abella S.I.
Jeremy Smock S.I.
Flora Bagcal
Minda Swars
Jennifer Swars
Emily West
Adrian John Bayan

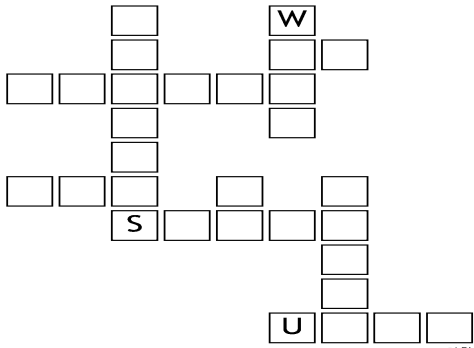


Cathedral Kids

Puzzle

Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:

Jesus used stories when he spoke to the people.



Sharing the Gospel

Think of how much you have grown since you were born. To see you now, it is hard to imagine you ever wore baby clothes. God's kingdom started out small, and it keeps growing, too. God's kingdom needs people like you to love Jesus and to learn from him. Let God's word sink into your life. As you grow closer to Jesus, God's kingdom will grow.

Prayer - Jesus, help me learn from you and love you, so that God's kingdom will grow.

Mission for the Week - Memorize John 3:16 this week. Let God's love sink into your heart. Treasure what you learn from Jesus.



Read the Gospel and Color



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Date	Mass / Intentions	Observances & Readings	Activities
Saturday June 16	5:00 pm / Damiana Tabaniag + Mass of Thanksgiving for St Francis Xavier Cabrini S.I.	1 Kgs 19:19-21/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10 [cf. 5a]/Mt 5:33-37	MISSION APPEAL WEEKEND
Sunday June 17	7:30 am / Rosario Purugganan + 9:00 am / Manuel Purugganan + 11:00 am* / Julius & Beverly Dalman S.I. Agnelo Monteiro + 1:00 pm Spanish /Emerita Flores + Leticia Natilio Robles S.I. 3:00 pm Chinese 5:00 pm / Edward Grzyb S.I. 7:00 pm Spanish/ People of the Parish HAPPY FATHER'S DAY	11th Sunday in Ordinary Time Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34	MISSION APPEAL WEEKEND BAPTISM SUNDAY 2:30pm Rosary recitation before the Chinese Mass *Liturgy of the Word for Children at the 11am Mass
Monday June 18	12:10 pm / Manuel Purugganan + Columbus Johnson + Gina Lopes S.I. 5:10 pm / Ron Pineda + Denise Uwingabire S.I.	1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7 [2b]/Mt 5:38-42	6:30 pm RCIA Evening Prayer 7:00 pm RCIA Class
Tuesday June 19	12:10 pm / Julius & Beverly Dalman S.I. Souls in Purgatory 5:10 pm / Manny Guardado S.I.	St. Romuald, Abbot 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16 [3a]/Mt 5:43-48	6:00pm Spanish Choir Rehearsal for the 7pm Mass
Wednesday June 20	12:10 pm / John Mooney + Gustiniano Morales S.I. 5:10 pm / Mirella Martinez S.I.	2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24 [25]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18	7:00pm Spanish Choir Rehearsal for the 1pm Mass 7:15pm Communion & Liberation 7:15PM The Rosary Club
Thursday June 21	12:10 pm / Nestor Purugganan + 5:10 pm / Souls in Purgatory	St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7 [12a]/Mt 6:7-15	ACTS Women's Retreat
Friday June 22	12:10 pm / Moises Raña + Ann & Scott Osborne S.I.	St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, Thomas More, Martyrs 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18 [13]/Mt 6:19-23	6:00pm Movie Night "Fiddler on the Roof" Mercy Hall





Esquina del Pastor

El fin de semana pasado escuchamos en el Evangelio de Marcos que todos los que hacen la voluntad de Dios son hermanos y madres para él. Esta bella imagen de una familia bajo la guía de Dios y su liderazgo es el núcleo del mensaje de Jesús. Jesús quiere mostrar cuanto unidos estamos. Es interesante notar que Jesús nunca reconoce que cualquiera que haga la voluntad de Dios también podría ser padre para él. Sabemos que esto es deliberado. No puede haber padre excepto el Padre celestial. Incluso el humilde San José nunca es realmente el padre, ni literalmente ni metafóricamente. Hay un Padre. Llama a nadie más padre. Este claro mensaje revela la cercanía que Jesús el Hijo experimenta con el Padre. No hay ninguna pista de que Jesús podría tener un padre diferente a nuestro Padre celestial.

Hoy es el día del padre en el que celebramos las vidas de todos los hombres que han aceptado el papel de padre en nuestras vidas. Agradecemos a todos los padres que nos han ayudado a criarnos, guiarnos, cuidarnos y enseñarnos. Nuestros padres son a menudo el primer y más importante ejemplo de cómo vivir una vida moral y espiritual. Agradecemos a todos los padres que han realizado incansablemente las tareas de cuidar

las necesidades de sus familias. Agradecemos a todos los padres religiosos que también han revelado el dulce amor por el cuidado de un padre.

En este día, sin embargo, no perdemos la oportunidad de agradecer a Dios nuestro Padre por las gracias que nos ofrece todos los días. Jesús nos dice que este Padre está tan cerca de nosotros como lo está del Hijo. Jesús quiere que veamos que nuestro Padre celestial está tan unido a nosotros como lo está con el Hijo. Nuestro verdadero Padre no es distante e indiferente, sino que está aquí y amando. Es sorprendente que no tengamos ninguna fiesta que honre a Dios el Padre. Quizás sabemos que cada celebración es en honor de la vida del Padre con nosotros. Sin embargo, con toda la publicidad negativa sobre la paternidad, tal vez hemos minimizado esta gran imagen de Dios. Esta palabra "Padre" no es un título sino una realidad. Él es nuestro Padre y Él es nuestro único Padre. Este Padre nos ama más allá de nuestro entendimiento. Somos verdaderamente hermanos y hermanas con Jesús, y hoy honramos a nuestro Padre y le agradecemos su amor.

~Padre Michael~

Llamamiento cooperativo misionero



La Apelación de Cooperación para las Misiones es un programa anual en el cual misioneros de todo el mundo hablan en cada parroquia. El objetivo de esta apelación es para aumentar el conocimiento del trabajo de misioneros y para recaudar fondos para ayudar a las organizaciones misioneras en su esfuerzo de evangelización. En la Diócesis de Sacramento, 50 diferentes misiones fueron seleccionadas este año para que cada una hable en dos parroquias. El año pasado a través de donaciones generosas, recolectamos \$392,880 para 51 misiones.



El próximo fin de semana, nuestra parroquia será visitada por Fr. M.S Selva Raj con la diócesis de Kumbakonam. Él/ella compartirá con nosotros sus esfuerzos de evangelizar en nombre de la Iglesia Católica y nos dará la oportunidad de dar apoyo a su trabajo en el campo. Habrá una segunda colecta después de su presentación. Se proporcionarán sobres especiales para su conveniencia. Donaciones hechas por medio de cheque deben hacerse a nombre de la parroquia. Todos los fondos recaudados en la Diócesis se dividirán igualmente entre las 50 organizaciones misioneras que visitan la Diócesis de Sacramento este año. Gracias de antemano por su generosidad.

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LAS LECTURAS de la semana del 17 de junio de 2018
 Domingo: Ez 17, 22-24/Sal 92, 2-3. 13-14. 15-16 [cfr. 2]/2 Cor 5, 6-10/Mc 4, 26-34
 Lunes: 1 Re 21, 1-16/Sal 5, 2-3. 4-6. 6-7 [2]/Mt 5, 38-42
 Martes: 1 Re 21, 17-29/Sal 51, 3-4. 5-6. 11 y 16 [3]/Mt 5, 43-48
 Miércoles: 2 Re 2, 1. 6-14/Sal 31, 20. 21. 24 [25]/Mt 6, 1-6. 16-18
 Jueves: Eclo 48, 1-14/Sal 97, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 7 [12]/Mt 6, 7-15
 Viernes: 2 Re 11, 1-4. 9-18. 20/Sal 132, 11. 12. 13-14. 17-18 [13]/Mt 6, 19-23
 Sábado: 2 Cr 24, 17-25/Sal 89, 4-5. 29-30. 31-32. 33-34 [29]/Mt 6, 24-34
 Domingo siguiente: Vigilia: Jr 1, 4-10/Sal 71, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 15. 17 [6]/1 Pe 1, 8-12/Lc 1, 5-17
 Día: Is 49, 1-6/Sal 139, 1-3. 13-14. 14-15 [14]/Hch 13, 22-26/Lc 1, 57-66. 80

LAS CONMEMORACIONES de la semana del 17 de junio de 2018
 Domingo: 11o Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Día del Padre
 Martes: San Romualdo, abad
 Jueves: San Alonso Gonzaga, religioso
 Viernes: San Paulino de Nola, obispo; san Juan Fisher, obispo, y santo Tomás More, mártires
 Domingo siguiente: La Natividad de San Juan Bautista

VERSO DEL EVANGELIO DE DOMINGO

"El Reino de Dios se parece a lo que sucede cuando un hombre siembra la semilla en la tierra...y la tierra, por sí sola, va produciendo el fruto: primero los tallos, luego las espigas y después los granos en las espigas. Y cuando ya están maduros los granos, el hombre echa mano de la hoz, pues ha llegado el tiempo de la cosecha". - Mc 4, 26. 28-29

LA CORRESPONSABILIDAD DIARIA

Podrías comprarle una comida a una persona que tiene hambre o a una persona que acaba de asistir a un banquete. Podrías pasar tiempo con una persona solitaria o con alguien que tiene más amigos que tú. Podrías unirte a un comité parroquial donde aportar tu experiencia y conocimiento o a un ministerio donde nunca tienes nada para hacer. Todas las acciones mencionadas implican que te brindarás a otros y compartirás tus dones, pero no todas darán buenos frutos.

Si un agricultor siembra semillas en un suelo rocoso o plagado de malezas, no puede crecer nada bueno. Pero si ese mismo agricultor siembra semillas en tierra fértil, algún día su cosecha será grandiosa. La semilla puede sembrarse en cualquier suelo, pero no es el acto de la siembra el factor más importante.

Para vivir una vida de corresponsabilidad, debemos discernir cuál es la mejor forma de compartir nuestros dones. Para discernir se requiere del Espíritu Santo y del deseo de cumplir la voluntad de Dios, no la nuestra. Nuestros propios deseos e ideas erróneas pueden llevarnos a usar nuestros dones de manera imprudente. Cuanto más consciencia tengamos de cómo, cuándo y por qué nos brindamos a otros, más grande será el impacto para la gloria de Dios. Dios nos quiere a todos, pero no sin comprensión y discernimiento. Él quiere que brilles como una luz para el mundo a través de tu corresponsabilidad así como Él vino a ti como la Luz del Mundo en el bautismo. No puedes brillar intensamente si el fósforo no enciende la mecha.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICO

Muchas veces los maestros de las escuelas y los catequistas de las parroquias llevan a cabo la dinámica de invitar a sus alumnos a plantar una semillita de frijol en un pequeño vaso lleno de tierra. Todos los días los niños cuidan y observan cuidadosamente la semilla hasta que brota la planta. Y al verla crecer se llenan de contento. En las lecturas de hoy encontramos algo similar a esta dinámica. Jesús nos asegura que la semilla crece por sí misma con impresionante vitalidad. "Escuchen esta comparación del Reino de Dios. Un hombre esparce la semilla en la tierra, y ya duerma o esté despierto, sea de noche, o de día, la semilla brota y crece, sin que él sepa cómo" (Mc. 4:26).

En el Evangelio, Jesús dice palabras que ayudan al corazón de cada persona a crecer sembrando el bien en dondequiera que se encuentre. Las parábolas son una directa invitación a la esperanza, a no perder el ánimo de sembrar a pesar del desaliento que muchas veces afecta a los sembradores. Papás, mamás, maestros, catequistas y, en fin, todos los trabajadores que día a día luchan por una sociedad más justa. Jesús hoy nos reta a todos a dejar el desánimo y seguir evangelizando, dialogando y guiando a nuestros hijos, alumnos, amigos y familia. Aunque parezca que la semilla no da fruto, Dios se encarga de que germine en cada corazón. ¿Cómo sientes que germina la Palabra de Dios en tu vida? ¿Cómo respondes ante el desánimo de seguir esparciendo el bien? La Palabra de Dios nos alienta a ser fieles y tener plena confianza en él. ¡No lo defraudemos, sigamos luchando por la justicia!

VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Jesús compara el Reino de Dios con una semilla de mostaza, la más pequeña de las semillas. Cuando se planta, la pequeña semilla de mostaza se convierte en un enorme árbol con grandes ramas. De manera que en cada una de nuestras vidas, las cosas pequeñas también pueden tener efectos profundos. Dios puede usar uno de nuestros gestos más insignificantes para cambiar radicalmente la vida de otra persona. Podría ser la amabilidad de una sonrisa, nuestra disposición a hospedar a alguien, escuchar la historia de alguien, ayudar a alguien que está sufriendo, defender a alguien que tiene la razón o felicitar a alguien por lo que hizo. Todos tenemos dones y talentos que Dios nos ha dado. Nuestra tarea es usarlos de manera creativa, constante, tierna y generosa, y confiar que Dios se encargará del resto.

"Quien teme al Señor tiene una fortaleza segura, y para sus hijos será un refugio."
 ~Proverbios 14:26~



" The Cathedral is for everyone." ~Bishop Patrick Manogue, 1886~

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- Father Kieran McMahon, Priest in Residence**
- Father Nicholas Ho, Chinese Mass**
- Deacon John Gisla, Office Manager
- Deacon Don DeHaven
- Deacon Edgar Hilbert
- Sister Jenny Aldeghe, Director of Education
- Michael Ognisty, Sacristan
- Rex Rallanka, Director of Music
- Tom Waddock, Cathedral Manager
- Carmen Perez, Secretary
- Katie McAllister, Bookkeeper
- Tit Kila, Wedding Coordinator

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

The cathedral offers a complete faith formation program, including Catholic Faith Formation, Confirmation, The Rite of Christian Initiation Program, R.C.I.A for teens and children, Religious Education for Spanish Speaking Adults, and a Catechesis Formation Program. For information on all of these programs, contact Sister Jenny and her staff at jenny@cathedralsacramento.org, or 916-444-5364

Liturgy of the Word for Children, ages 5 to 10 years old, every Sunday at the 11:00 am Mass. 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.



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TOURS

Tours are free and are led by trained Docents after the 9am and 11am Sunday Masses, and at 12:40pm on Wednesday. Tours in Spanish are held the 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month after the 1pm Mass. Tours begin at the Baptismal Font. Contact 916-444-3071 to arrange free private group tours.

GIFT SHOP on the Lower Level

Sundays 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

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Altarservers contact Michael Ognisty at mfognisty@msn.com.

Benedictus Youth Group contact Victoria Ramos at 916-444-3071, or benedictusyg@gmail.com.

Brown Bag Lunch Ministry — If you would like to donate lunches or volunteer your time, please contact Jerri at jerrirush@comcast.net. For further information, please visit cathedralsacramento.org/ministries.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for ages 3+, for information, visit www.youngsheep.org, or call 916-910-3435.

Cathedral ACTS Missions contact Susanna Romo, at (916) 955-8137 for more information. 2018 Retreats are Women's Retreat June 21-24 (Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament), Women's Retreat August 16-19 (St. Rose of Lima, Roseville), Men's Retreat November 15-18 (Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament).

Cathedral Men's Group meets the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:15 pm, Lower Level. Contact Bob Meyers at cynm1@yahoo.com.

Cathedral Young Adults contact Titi Kila at cathedralya@gmail.com.

Choir (English) contact Rex Rallanka, Music Director at rrallanka@cathedralsacramento.org or 916-444-3071, x 38.

Choir (Spanish) contact Jerry Vanoye in the choir annex after the 1pm Mass, or Ricardo Savala in the choir annex after the 7pm Mass.

Communion & Liberation catechesis meets every Wednesday at 7:15pm in the Cathedral Lower Level.

Email Prayer Chain submit your email address, and you will be notified when prayers are needed by those who have made a special request. Contact Lynne Amerson at cbs1017pc@yahoo.com.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion contact Amy McCormick at ammccormick@att.net, or 916-801-3967.

Front Door Ministry contact ministries@cathedralsacramento.org for information about volunteering or donations.

Greeters and Ushers contact Tom Waddock at 916-444-3071, x 36.

Knights of Columbus, Cathedral Chapter contact the rectory office.

Lectors contact Fred Heacock at fheacock72@hotmail.com.

Respect Life Ministry contact Linda Walters, English Coordinator at 916-524-5885, or Patricia Davila, Spanish Coordinator at 916-502-4854, or email Veronicaavina@yahoo.com for meeting times and other information.

Rosary Club (Rosary Beads and instructions are provided) meets every 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:15 pm. You don't need to sign up, just show up. For more information, contact Lolita Urrutia at lolita.urrutia@gmail.com.

Saint Vincent de Paul, Cathedral Chapter contact the rectory office.

Spanish Parents Group Leaders meets every Sunday, contact Leticia Hilbert at leticia_hilbert@hotmail.com.

To learn more about the ministries at the Cathedral,
visit our website:

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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@cathedralsacramento.org.

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, 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.

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 the Cathedral Office, 916-444-3071, x13, tkila@cathedralsacramento.org.

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Chinese Community Column 華人團體專欄

在五月二十八日的亡兵紀念日，我們的一些教友參加了屋崙華人天主教團體在Fremont Central Park 內的Lake Elizabeth旁邊的野餐活動。

A few of our parishioners participated in the Picnic Event for Oakland Chinese Catholic Community on Memorial Day, May 28 at Fremont Central Park next to Lake Elizabeth.



本週報告 (會長)

訂購了粽子去籌款和慶祝端午節的教友，請在今日彌撒後大堂樓下領取訂購了的粽子。

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