

CHURCH OF SAINT MARK

Corpus Christi

June 3, 2018

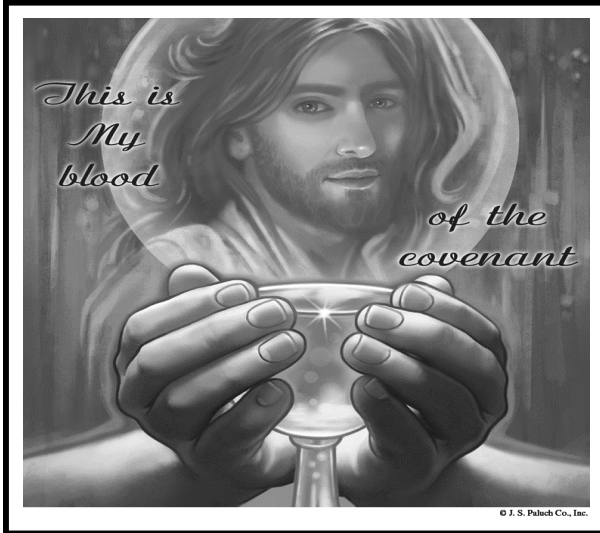
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Office Hours:	Monday - Friday 8:00am - 4:30pm Closed 12:00pm - 1:00pm
Sunday Masses:	Saturday: (Vigil) 5:30pm Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am 12 noon (Spanish) & 5:30pm
Daily Masses:	Monday - Saturday 8:00am
Holy Day Masses:	8:00am, 12:15pm and 7:00pm (Bilingual)
Eucharistic Adoration :	First Monday of each month 8:30am to 8:30pm
Confessions:	Saturday 4:30 - 5:15pm
Baptism:	3rd weekend of each month. Please contact the rectory office.
Marriage:	6 months notice is required. Please contact the rectory office.
Anointing of The Sick:	Sacrament for the sick is celebrated upon request. Please contact the rectory office.
Holy Eucharist for the Sick:	Communion is given upon request. Please contact the rectory office.

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FROM OUR PASTOR

Pastor's Corner

During the month of May we honored Mary, the Blessed Mother of Jesus Christ, with our May crowning and the recitation of the Rosary. Mary had the courage to say YES to the will of God as proclaimed by the angel Gabriel, and, as a result, she changed the course of human history. Are we ready to say yes to the will of God each day? No, we won't change the course of human history the way that Mary did. But we can change our world in many small ways, just by following her example.

Also during the month of May, the second grade children of our parish school and our Religious Education program received their First Holy Communion. It was such an honor to give the Eucharist to each of these children as they received the Body and Blood of Christ for the first time. And, on the Feast of the Pentecost, 56 high school students and young adults were sealed with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation, conferred by Bishop Gordon Bennett. Again, a wonderful time of grace in our parish community.

Finally, last month Pope Francis announced that in October he will canonize two new saints: Pope Paul VI and Archbishop Oscar Romero. These two holy men of the 20th century served God by serving God's people. Pope Paul, by being the leader of the Catholic Church from 1963 until 1978, and Archbishop Romero, by being the shepherd of the people of El Salvador during the tumultuous times that resulted in the deaths of many innocent people. On March 23, 1980, Archbishop Romero gave a homily in which he called for an end to the violence and an end to the oppression of the poor and marginalized. The next day, while celebrating Mass at the Divine Providence Cancer Hospital, he was shot and killed by someone who had come *into* the church with a desire not for prayer and spirituality, but a desire for violence and death. Archbishop Romero became a martyr because he spoke out against what was wrong. Both of these saints have been in heaven for many years, and now they are being recognized officially as saints.

Today we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi, the Body and Blood of Christ. We receive the Eucharist because Jesus wants to live within us. He gave us the Bread of Life and the Cup of Eternal Salvation so that we may be one with Him, as we follow in His Light.

During this week let us take some time to give thanks to God for the many blessings that He has bestowed on us, and to recognize our call to follow in His footsteps.

May the Lord continue to bless us always and in all ways,

Father Paul Spellman

La Esquina del Párroco

Durante el mes de mayo honramos a María, la Santísima Madre de Jesucristo, con la coronación de mayo y la recitación del Rosario. María tuvo el valor de decir SI a la voluntad de Dios proclamado por el ángel Gabriel, y, como resultado, ella cambió el curso de la historia humana. ¿Estamos dispuestos a decir sí a la voluntad de Dios cada día? No, no cambiará el curso de la historia humana de la forma en que lo hizo María. Pero podemos cambiar nuestro mundo de muchas maneras pequeñas, siguiendo su ejemplo.

También durante el mes de mayo, los niños de grado segundo de nuestra escuela parroquial y nuestro programa de educación religiosa recibieron su Primera Comunión. Fue un gran honor dar la Eucaristía a cada uno de estos niños que recibieron el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo por primera vez. Y, en la fiesta de la Pentecostés, 56 estudiantes de la escuela secundaria y los adultos jóvenes adultos fueron sellados con los dones del Espíritu Santo en el Sacramento de la Confirmación, conferido por el Obispo Gordon Bennett. Una vez más, un tiempo maravilloso de la gracia en nuestra comunidad parroquial.

Por último, el mes pasado el Papa Francisco anunció que en octubre va a canonizar a dos nuevos Santos: Papa Paul VI y el Arzobispo Oscar Romero. Estos dos hombres santos del siglo XX sirvieron a Dios sirviendo al pueblo de Dios. El Papa Paul, por ser el líder de la iglesia católica desde 1963 hasta 1978 y Monseñor Romero, por ser el pastor del pueblo del Salvador durante los tiempos tumultuosos que resultaron en la muerte de muchos inocentes. El 23 de marzo de 1980, Monseñor Romero pronunció una homilía en la que llamó a poner fin a la violencia y fin a la opresión de los pobres y marginados. Al día siguiente, mientras celebrando la Misa en el Hospital de cáncer de la Providencia Divina, fue disparado y asesinado por alguien que había entrado en la iglesia con un deseo no de oración y espiritualidad, sino un deseo de violencia y muerte. Monseñor Romero se convirtió en un mártir porque él habló contra lo que estaba mal. Ambos de estos santos han estado en el cielo durante muchos años, y ahora están siendo reconocidos oficialmente como Santos.

Hoy celebramos la fiesta de Corpus Christi, el Cuerpo y Sangre de Cristo. Recibimos la Eucaristía, porque Jesús quiere vivir dentro de nosotros. Nos dio el pan de vida y la Copa de salvación eterna para que seamos uno con él, mientras seguimos en su luz.

Durante esta semana tomemos un tiempo para dar gracias a Dios por las muchas bendiciones que nos ha dado a nosotros y reconocer nuestro llamado a seguir sus pasos.

Que el Señor nos siga bendiciendo siempre y en todas las formas,

Padre Paul Spellman

SPIRITUAL LIFE

FOREVER YOUNG 40 PLUS MINISTRY POTLUCK

The Forever Young 40 Plus Ministry is a ministry for all those who are 40 years of age or older. The next gathering will be a potluck Sunday June 3rd at 6:30 in the parish hall and there will be a second potluck Monday, June 4th at 12:00pm also in the parish hall. Please join us and bring your favorite dish or dessert to share!

DAY OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Our monthly day of Eucharistic Adoration will be Monday, June 4th. We need at least 4 volunteers present each hour throughout the day. If you are available, please sign up for an hour of designated prayer on the sign-up sheet located in the vestibule.

THE MARY WIDOWS OF ST. MARK

The Mary Widows of St. Mark is a ministry of our parish for all widows to gather together to share, pray and socialize. The next gathering will be Saturday, June 9th at 1:00pm at the home of Mrs. Helen Liberto. For more information, please call 310-391-2997.

VIRTUS TRAINING

St. Mark will be hosting an Archdiocesan sponsored Virtus Training Session on Saturday, June 9th from 9:00am - 12:00pm. Please note: All those serving in our various ministries (Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Lectors, Choirs, etc...) need to be Virtus trained. Please call the school at 310-821-6612 to register. Registration is required and there is no fee.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

The Marina Hospital is in need of Eucharistic Ministers who are available to help take communion to the sick Monday through Friday. If you are interested, or for more information, please contact Carolyn Griswold at 310-821-9862.

ALTAR SERVERS

Saint Mark Church is in need of altar servers! Any young person, grade 5 and higher, interested in becoming an altar server for St. Mark Church, please contact Joan Horne at venicejoanie@hotmail.com.

ALTAR SOCIETY

The Altar Society of Saint Mark is in search of new members. This ministry meets every Tuesday and Saturday morning to help maintain the plants and keep the altar tidy and presentable. For more information about this ministry, please contact Chris Putziger at 310-396-3265.

VISITS TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If you or anyone you know is in need of receiving the sacrament of the anointing of the sick or is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion please call the rectory at 310-821-5058 to arrange a time for a visit.

VIDA ESPIRITUAL

MINISTERIO DE "FOREVER YOUNG 40 PLUS"

El Ministerio de "Forever Young 40 Plus" es un Ministerio de nuestra parroquia para todos aquellos que son 40 años de edad o más. La próxima reunión será un "potluck" el domingo, 3 de junio, a las 6:30pm en el salón parroquial y habrá una segunda reunión de "potluck" lunes, 4 de junio a las 12:00 del mediodía también en el salón parroquial. Por favor de unirse con nosotros y traiga un plato o su postre favorito para compartir!

DIA DE ADORACION EUCARISTICA

Nuestro próximo día de Adoración Eucarística será lunes el 4 de junio. Necesitamos por lo menos 4 voluntarios presentes cada hora durante todo el día. Si usted está disponible, por favor ponga su nombre en la lista que está en el vestíbulo de la Iglesia.

LAS VIUDAS DE MARIA DE SAN MARCOS

Las viudas de María de San Marcos es un ministerio de nuestra parroquia para viudas que gustarían reunirse para compartir, orar y socializar. La próxima reunión será el sábado, 9 de junio a la 1:00pm en la casa de la Sra. Helen Liberto. Para más información, llame al 310-391-2997.

ENTRENAMIENTO VIRTUS

El Arzobispado estará patrocinado una sesión de entrenamiento Virtus aquí en San Marcos el sábado 9 de junio de 9:00am - 12:00pm. Por favor de notar: Todos los que sirven en nuestros ministerios (Ministros de Eucaristía, lectores, ujieres, coros, etc...) necesitan ser entrenados. Por favor llamen a la escuela a 310-821-6612 para registrarse. Se requiere registro y es gratis.

MINISTROS DE LA EUCARISTÍA

El Hospital de la Marina está en necesidad de Ministros que están disponibles para llevar la comunión a los enfermos el lunes al viernes. Si usted está interesado, o para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con Carolyn Griswold 310-821-9862.

¡ATENCIÓN! SE NECESITA MONAGUILLOS!!!

La Iglesia de San Marcos está en necesidad de monaguillos! Cualquier joven, grado 5 y superior, interesados en ser un monaguillo, por favor póngase en contacto con Joan Horne venicejoanie@hotmail.com

SOCIEDAD DEL ALTAR

La sociedad del altar está buscando personas interesadas de ayudar cada martes y sábado por la mañana para ayudar mantener las plantas y el altar limpio y presentable. Si usted está interesado en este ministerio, por favor de llamar a Chris Putziger a 310-396-3265.

VISITAS A LOS ENFERMOS

Si usted o alguien que conoce necesita recibir el Sacramento de la unción de los enfermos o no puede salir de su casa y le gustaría recibir la Sagrada comunión por favor llame a la rectoría al 310-821-5058 para ser una cita.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Thank You

As this year's formal Religious Education sessions conclude, we offer thanks to the many catechists who volunteer every week in our preschool, elementary, middle grades, Children's Liturgy, and teen Confirmation programs. We also thank those who serve as adult catechists in Bible studies, RCIA, meditation and prayer groups. They are visible signs of God's presence among us. St. Mark thanks each of them for their faithful service. If you sense a call to any of these ministries don't hesitate to call the Religious Education Office for more information.

Religious Education Registration

This is a reminder that registrations for Religious Education programs for Early Childhood (4-5yr olds), Elementary (grades 1-6), Junior High (grades 7-8) and Confirmation (grades 9 and above) are now being accepted. Please call 310-822-1201 for more information.

Educación Religiosa

Este año escolar llega a su fin y este es un recordatorio de que las inscripciones de los programas de educación religiosa para la primaria (grados 1-6), Junior High (grados 7-8) y la confirmación (grados 9 y superiores) ahora están siendo aceptadas. Puede llamar 310-822-1201 para obtener más información.

Study of Catholicism

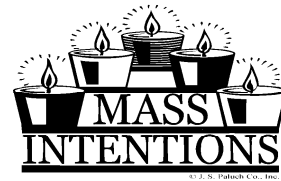
Parishioners are invited to gather each Monday evening at 7pm in the school to explore the rich treasure of the Catholic faith using the study guide for Bishop Robert Barron's well-know series "Catholicism." All are welcome.

This Week at St. Mark's June 4 – June 10 2018

Mon.	8:00am Mass - Church Adoration 8:30am - Church Forever Young 40 Plus Potluck 12:00pm - Hall Meditation 6:30pm - School Bible Study 7:00pm - School Spanish Leaders 7:00pm - School Benediction 8:30pm - Church
Tues.	8:00am Mass - Church St. Vincent de Paul 7:00pm - School
Wed.	8:00am Mass - Church Legion of Mary 6:00pm - School RCIA Inquiry 6:30pm - School
Thurs.	8:00am Mass - Church Spanish Prayer Group 7:00pm - Church
Fri.	8:00am Mass - Church Graduation 5:00pm - Church
Sat.	8:00am Mass - Church Virtus Training 9:00am Confessions 4:30pm -5:15pm
Sun.	10th Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass Times: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00pm (Sp), 5:30pm

Mass Schedule

Sat. June 9	5:30pm Fr. Paul Spellman
Sun. June 10	7:30am Fr. Michael Tang
	9:00am Fr. Paul Spellman
	10:30am Fr. Tom King
	12:00pm Fr. Paul Spellman
	5:30pm Fr. Paul Spellman



Sat. June 2	5:30pm Bess & Lex O'Neill †
Sun. June 3	7:30am Giuseppe Marchese †
	9:00am Joe Stockemer
	10:30am Nancy Ziello †
	12:00pm Jose Guadalupe Galvan †
	5:30pm Alfredo Urdaneta †
Mon. June 4	8:00am Karen Kanutson †
Tues. June 5	8:00am Eulalia Serna
Wed. June 6	8:00am Willmore Holbrow †
Thurs. June 7	8:00am James Bewhite †
Fri. June 8	8:00am Nonie Aguino †
Sat. June 9	8:00am Peter Dacre †

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

First Reading — After Adam and Eve eat of the forbidden fruit, the LORD God puts enmity between the serpent and the woman (Genesis 3:9-15).

Psalm — With the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption (Psalm 130).

Second Reading — We have an eternal dwelling from God, not made with hands (2 Corinthians 4:13 — 5:1).

Gospel — "Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother" (Mark 3:20-35).

LECTURAS DE LA PROXIMA SEMANA

Primera lectura — El Señor puso enemistad entre la serpiente y la mujer (Génesis 3:9-15).

Salmo — Del Señor viene la misericordia, la redención copiosa (Psalm 130 [129]).

Segunda lectura — Dios nos tiene preparada en el cielo una morada eterna (2 Corintios 4:13 — 5:1).

Evangelio — El que cumple la voluntad de Dios, ése es mi hermano, mi hermana y mi madre (Marcos 3:20-35).

SPIRITUAL LIFE

PRECIOUS BLOOD

On this solemnity we focus our attention on the Body and Blood of Christ. We listen to the story of the renewal of the old covenant, which Moses sealed by splashing the blood of animals on the altar of sacrifice, as well as on the people. Jesus, whose blood is the blood of the new covenant, shed that precious blood on the cross, saving us from sin and promising us everlasting life. Blood is the life source that courses through our bodies. The precious blood of Christ is the life source for our spirits. Today may we, like the psalmist, offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving to the Lord, whose Body and Blood strengthen us to bring the Good News to everyone we meet.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-16; Mk 12:1-12
 Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2-4, 10, 14, 16;
 Mk 12:13-17
 Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2;
 Mk 12:18-27
 Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14;
 Mk 12:28b-34
 Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-6;
 Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
 Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 2:41-51
 Sunday: Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-8;
 2 Cor 4:13 — 5:1; Mk 3:20-35

SAFE GUARD THE CHILDREN

Practice fire safety in the home

Developing a family fire plan for evacuation can save lives. Children should be a part of the planning, and should know which exits to use to get out of the house and where to meet once they are safely outside. Smoke detectors and fire extinguishers should also be part of your plan; children should know what to do if the smoke detector goes off, and older children should be taught how to use a fire extinguisher. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS® article “A Reminder about Fire Safety in the Home,” visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/>

VIDA ESPIRITUAL

PRECIOSA SANGRE

En esta solemnidad centramos nuestra atención al Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo. Escuchamos el relato de renovación de la antigua alianza, la cual Moisés selló rociando la sangre de animales en el altar de sacrificio, así como en las personas. Jesús, cuya sangre es la sangre de la nueva alianza, derramó esa preciosa sangre en la cruz para salvarnos del pecado y prometernos la vida eterna. La sangre es la fuente de vida que fluye por nuestro cuerpo. La preciosa sangre de Cristo es la fuente de vida de nuestro espíritu. Que hoy, como el salmista, ofrezcamos un sacrificio de agradecimiento al Señor, cuyo cuerpo y sangre nos fortalecen para llevar la Buena Nueva a todos los que conocemos.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 2 Pe 1:2-7; Sal 91 (90):1-2, 14-16; Mc 12:1-2
 Martes: 2 Pe 3:12-15a, 17-18;
 Sal 90 (89):2-4, 10, 14, 16; Mc 12:13-17
 Miércoles: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Sal 123 (122):1b-2;
 Mc 12:18-27
 Jueves: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Sal 25 (24):4-5ab, 8-10, 14;
 Mc 12:28b-34
 Viernes: Os 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-6; Ef 3:8-12, 14-19;
 Jn 19:31-37
 Sábado: 2 Tm 4:1-8; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lc 2:41-51
 Domingo: Gn 3:9-15; Sal 130 (129):1-8; 2 Cor 4:13-5:1;
 Mc 3:20-35

PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS

Seguridad en la Casa

Desarrollar un plan de evacuación familiar en caso de incendio puede salvar vidas. Los niños deben ser parte de la planeación y deben saber qué salidas usar y dónde reunirse. Los detectores de humo y los extintores de incendios también deben formar parte de su plan, y sus hijos deben saber qué hacer si el detector de humo se activa y los niños mayores deben saber cómo usar un extintor de incendios. Para obtener una copia del artículo completo de VIRTUS® “A Reminder about Fire Safety in the Home” (Recordatorio sobre la seguridad contra incendios en el hogar), visite <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.