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Office Hours: 9:00am-5:00pm, Monday - Thursday and 9:00am-1:00pm, Friday **Remember, Renew, Rejoice...**



Pictured are Jose Guardado and Flor Alvarado preparing pupusas for our Pupusa Sale last Sunday.

Mass Times

Saturday: 4:00pm in English

Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am in English, 12:30pm in Spanish

Confessions: Saturdays 3:00-3:30pm

Visit our website for Holy Day and special Mass times.

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Pentecost Sunday

June 9, 2019

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Mass Intentions for the Week

Intentions for June 10-14, 2019

Mon.	8am	Communion Service
Tues.	6pm	†Bob Cook
Wed.	No Mass or Communion Service	
Thurs.	8am	†Modesta Ayala
Fri.	8am	†Beverly Little

Saturday, June 15, 2019

4:00pm	†Charles Bybee Jr
	†Charles Bybee Sr

Sunday, June 16, 2019

8:00am	†Evelyn Morrison
10:30am	†Martha Velazquez Calix
	†Charlie Carrollo
12:30pm Spanish	†Pablo José Zayas
	En Honor a la Santísima Trinidad

From Death to New Life

- †Robin Crutcher, sister of Barb Sauer
- †Mary Lou Fuenfhausen, mother of Deacon Ken Fuenfhausen
- †Reva Alsup, Beautiful Savior
- †Joseph Bost, son of James and Cherie Bost



Calendar/Information

Sunday, June 9 - Domingo, 9 de Junio

10:30am Bible Study

11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano

Monday, June 10 - Lunes, 10 de Junio

7:00pm Boy Scouts

7:00pm Formación de Lectores y Ministros Eucarísticos

Tuesday, June 11 - Martes, 11 de Junio

7:00pm Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

7:00pm Pequeñas Comunidades Cristianas

Wednesday, June 12 - Miércoles, 12 de Junio

9:00am Legion of Mary

6:30pm Cantor Rehearsal

Thursday, June 13 - Jueves, 13 de Junio

9:00am Church Decorating

9:30am Piecemakers Quilt Group

8:00pm Choir Practice (8:00 group)

Friday, June 14 - Viernes, 14 de Junio

9:00am Altar Society Church Cleaning

7:00pm WOW Ladies Event

Saturday, June 15 - Sábado, 15 de Junio

8:00am Knights of Columbus Fishing Tournament

3:00pm Confessions

Sunday, June 16 - Domingo, 16 de Junio

9:30am Summer Choir Practice

11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano

Ladies Evening Event

The St. Sabina Parents Lounge Ladies are hosting another "WOW" evening event on Friday, June 14, 7-10pm in the parish hall. All women of St. Sabina are invited to grab a girlfriend and join the fun. "WOW" means Work On Whatever. Bring a project you'd like to work on, such as: a craft, sewing project, scrapbooks, paint your nails, organize paperwork, photos or emails, etc. Let's get together as women of the parish and chat and work on whatever! If you don't have a project, just come to chat. Feel free to bring a snack to share if you'd like. Can't get there right at 7pm? No worries—come and go as you wish. All women and nursing babies are welcome. (Please no other kiddos at this event. Parents Lounge will try to host a full family event soon.)

St. Michael the Archangel Summer Camps

This summer, St. Michael the Archangel High School will be sponsoring summer athletic camps for kids. The camps will be run by coaches from St. Michael's. The list of sports available, as well as registration info can be found at smacatholic.org/camps. For more information, please contact Rich Weitz at 913-302-8564 or rweitz@smacatholic.org.



Knights of Columbus 1st Annual Fishing Tournament

Saturday, June 15

From 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

To benefit the ALTAR SOCIETY

Fishing tournament will be held at
13802 E. 195th St. (Moorman's House)

Adults \$20.00

Children \$10.00 (no younger than 5 years of age)

(Children must be supervised by an adult)

Tournament East of J Hwy on 195th St.

Raymore/Peculiar area – South of Peculiar Water Towers



Information

This Week's Do You Know Video:



Continuing our series on Pope Francis' Apostolic

Exhortation, Rejoice and Be Glad: On the Call to Holiness in Today's Word, this week's DYK video examines the signs of holiness in today's world found in chapter 4 of Rejoice and Be Glad. In this chapter, Francis specifies five signs of holiness which he calls spiritual attitudes for understanding the way of life to which God calls us. For Francis, these are five great expressions of love for God and neighbor which contrast with certain dangers and limitations present in today's culture and world. The five great signs of holiness in today's world are: 1. Perseverance, Patience and Meekness, 2. Joy and a Sense of Humor, 3. Boldness and Passion, 4. In Community and 5. In Constant Prayer. Typical of Rejoice and Be Glad, Pope Francis briefly, succinctly and in a very practical, understandable manner devotes time to each sign, showing how each contributes to our growth in holiness. Francis then contrasts each sign with what today's culture offers, showing both the dangers and limitations of that culture that often derail us on our journey to holiness. Make time to view this week's DYK video and become more familiar with the signs of holiness that help and guide us in responding to our call to holiness.

happy birthday

Douglas Ambrose	Wendy Gomez	Bernabe Morales
Stephanie Arroyo	Jasmin Guardado	Dwayne Perkins
Millie Billesbach	Kathryn Guezuraga	Arturo Pinon
Teresa Bradley Bays	Alejandro Hernandez	Antonio Randazzo
Brian Brizuela	Asencion Hernandez	Daniel Ratigan
Maurice Burgin	Juan Hinojos	Jack Renfro
Yajahira Campos Valdez	Luke Kille	Jose Reyes
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Alexander Cortez	Spencer Lueckenotto	Ayleen Rodriguez
Cleta Cowley	Joshua Mackall	Antonio Romero
Toby Coyle	Alice Maedge	Maria Rosales
Matthew Crosby	Aleksandra Mancilla	John Samson
Leonardo Curls	Karen Mansker	Jordan Sedlock
Meagan Embry	Brandon Mansur	Kathy Shields
Karina Franco	Gregory Mata	Jeffrey Spiller
Josselin Garay	David McDonough	Chuck Stinger
Roberto Garcia	Adolfo Medina	Gina Torrey

Happy Anniversary

Billy and Alice Maedge	61 Years!	6/14/1958
Michael and Sandy Hiesberger	55 Years!	6/13/1964
Mark and Cheryl Nichols	44 Years!	6/13/1975
Rob and Diane Lang	40 Years!	6/16/1979
Wayne and Jan McDougal	39 Years!	6/14/1980
Larry and Kathy Spencer	36 Years!	6/14/1983
John and Connie Hagemann	30 Years!	6/10/1989
Curtis and Ella Wathor	30 Years!	6/10/1989
Gary and Cyndi Lueckenotto	29 Years!	6/16/1990
Jordan and Sara Del Valle	14 Years!	6/13/2005
Dean Lenz and Tiffany Mayerchack	12 Years!	6/15/2007
Collin and Melissa Kelch	12 Years!	6/16/2007
Brian and Andrea Becker	3 Years!	6/11/2016
Caleb and Alexandria Jergensen	3 Years!	6/11/2016

75th Anniversary Mass and Dinner

Save the date of August 24th! Bishop Johnston will be coming to celebrate our 4pm Mass in honor of our parish's 75th anniversary. After Mass, all are invited to a dinner in the gym.

How To Keep Your Child Catholic? Try the Newman Connection!

College is often a difficult time for young Catholic students who do not meet and socialize with other likeminded Catholics. The Newman Connection Project is designed to help young men and women who are leaving home for the first time to meet people with similar beliefs and principles. All we need from you is the **Student's Name, University/College Name and City/State** the student will attend. Call Homer Radford at 816-560-2992 or email to hradford2@comcast.net and the folks at Newman Connection will help your student(s) keep connected with their faith! [<http://www.newmanconnection.com>]

Save the Date - Pitching for Priests

6th Annual Pitching for Priests Softball game
 Friday, July, 5th at 7:00 pm
 Community America Ballpark - T-bones Stadium
 We will have a few unique bobble heads as part of the raffle this year and baseball cards of each player! More information to come! For tickets visit: <https://catholicradionetwork.ticketspice.com/pitching-for-priests-2019>.



Pastoral Care

Nursing Home Mass Schedule

June 12	No Mass or Communion Service
June 19	10:00am Foxwood Springs (Communion Service)
June 26	11:00am Carnegie Village

Rachel's Vineyard Retreats

Are you or a loved one suffering from abortion? Find hope and allow God to heal your heart by attending a Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat. The second of three 2019 retreats to be held in the Kansas City area will be on July 26-28. For more information or to register, please call Teresa O'Donnell at (816) 679-4973 or email rvkcmo@gmail.com (please note: you might have to check your Spam folder for the guaranteed email reply) or visit www.rachelsvineyardkc.org.

Anointing of the Sick is the Sacrament that is received by those who are ill or suffering. By the sacred anointing and the prayer of the priest, the whole Church commends those who are sick to Christ. The sick person receives the Holy Spirit's gifts of strength, faith, peace, and courage, and his or her suffering is united with the suffering of Christ for the building up of the Church (Catechism of the Catholic Church, CCC nos. 1520-23).

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

For more information on this ministry, contact Marta Roper in the parish office, 816-979-3154 or marta@stsabinaparish.org.

Prayer Requests/Peticiones de Oración

Dick Armstrong	Cathy Hall	David Pierce
Lorenzo Barragon	Laverne Harlow	Doug Pritchett
Beverly Bell	Connie Harper	Sherman Ragsdale
Dennis Berg	Cherie Hatfield	Larry Rhodes
Jean Berg	Beth Heide	Anna Ryan
John Bidondo	Rhonda Henke	Patricia Santana
George Bremer	Alex Henningsen	Ron Schock
Maxine Bremer	Morgan Hilliard	Liz Selleck
Roger Brown	Richard Hoedl	Brenda Sheppard
Sheila Brown	Gale Holsman	Brian Sheppard
Joyce Callahan	Araceli Jimenez	Jaxton Shipley
John Caoile	John Jongenelen	Lois Simpson
John Cikan	Kathy Keary	Don Standley
Cindy Circo	Don Kueck	Charles Stinger II
Steve Circo	Fred LeBoeuf	Marjorie Storm
Joseph Coots	Darrell Littler	Rita Stout
David Dawes	Baby Long	Melinda Tafuro
Margaret Dellaguardia	Bonita Mackedanz	Vivian Tafuro
Margo Dellaguardia	Ray Malisos	Jean Tate
Nolan Dickerson	Janet Moorman	Joe Taylor
Marcia DiGeorge	Karen Muelbach	Angel Thomas
Steven DiGeorge	Harry Muench	Bruce Thompson
Paula Dull	Joan Muench	Priscilla Tristani
Judy Giannini	Bogumila Oczko	Richard Vogel
Kelly Hall	Ezequil Olarte	Mary Westfall
Terry Eppert	Chuck Orstad	Marie Wilburn
Monica Espinoza	Thelma Palmer	Mary Wickstrum
Connie Firner	George Panebianco	Jeanette Woolworth
Jean Frank	Harry Peckham	Carmitia Yust
Al Gebauer	Juanita Peckham	
Ginny Hailey	Monica Peek	

Wellness Center

Did You Know— To make the most of the sunny days and star-studded nights, you need to be prepared so don't leave home without these essentials.



Sunscreen: Any time you'll be outside, it's important to wear sunscreen. This is especially important when spending time around sand and water as these reflect the sun's rays, which put you at higher risk for sunburn. Everyone should use sunscreen that offers broad-spectrum.

Sunglasses: Protect those peepers by keeping sunglasses on hand.

Water: When outdoors during summer, your body needs water to stay energized and to keep you cool. If you're doing an activity in the heat, you'll need to increase your water intake. Keep a bottle nearby and drink often.

Insect repellent: Warm weather brings people and insects out. From mosquitoes and ticks to ants and chiggers, bugs thrive in the summer. The first step to keep yourself protected is to be aware of what insects you may encounter during the activities you have planned for the day. Next, be prepared by using appropriate insect repellent and clothing.

Shoes: The unofficial shoe of summer has to be the flip-flop. These easy-on, easy-off shoes have been keeping feet cool for generations. The problem is flip-flops offer little support and put you at higher risk of injury. Support your feet and be ready for summer by buying a pair of supportive sandals that have toe and ankle straps. Athletic-style sandals are durable and will last more than one season, making them a worthwhile investment.

These summer tips will help you feel your best all summer long!



Stewardship

Eucharistic Minister & Lector Formation:

Have you ever considered serving our parish as a Eucharistic minister or Lector? Lay Ministers of Holy Communion, commonly known as Eucharistic or Communion Ministers, are those parishioners who are commissioned to assist the priest in the distribution of Holy Communion at Mass. Lectors proclaim the Scripture readings at Mass. Both of these are Liturgical Ministries, as they serve at Liturgy, which is any type of public prayer.

We have a goal to be able to create a schedule with ministers serving an average of once or twice a month. We need about 25 new ministers at each Mass time, or a total of 75 new ministers. You can see the need is great. New Lectors are also welcomed.



Those who serve in the liturgical ministries often experience a deeper sense of prayer at liturgy, a new connection with other parishioners, and often learn new things about the Mass as a result of their formation and service. The time commitment doesn't require much time outside of that which you already spend each week at Mass, so it is a great way to serve the parish if you are a busy person.

Please prayerfully consider answering the call to serve our parish in one of these ministries. Formation for Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers is June 25 & 26, 7:00 PM in the church. You will need to attend both evenings. (But please contact Susan if you want to be attend formation but have a conflict.) Sign up for formation in the gathering space, or on the website: www.stsabinapish.org. Contact Susan Ratigan in the parish office at 979-3158 or susan@stsabinaparish.org for more information about liturgical ministries.

Catholic Communication Campaign

Next weekend our second collection is for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ in the United States and in developing countries around the world through the Internet, television, radio, and print media. Fully 50% of funds collected remain here in the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message. To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/cc.



Saint Sabina Catholic Church

Blood Drive

Tuesday, July 16

2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

700 Trevis Ave.

Gym

Book your appointment today at savealifenow.org/group, enter **Group Code: MA**. For additional details contact Michael Dailey at 816.853.8386 or mgdailey123@yahoo.com.

Medical eligibility questions? Call 1.800.688.0900

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Blood Center
1-877-468-6844
www.savealifenow.org

Pictured below is Emilia Valle, preparing pupusas for our Pupusa Sale last weekend. Thank you to the members of our Salvadoran community that helped with the sale, and thank you to all those who purchased pupusas! The benefits from our sale will go towards our annual Romero Celebration.



Stewardship

“The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, ‘Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.’ And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.’”

John 20: 20-23

Each one of us, young and old alike, is personally called today by the Holy Spirit into the same mission as that of the first Apostles — to advance the Kingdom of God in our corner of the world. Just as He did on that Pentecost day, the Holy Spirit speaks to us in our “own language” to give us the Good News of the Gospel and urge us to share it. We can think of our own language as the particular gifts, talents and passions we possess. We experience the presence of the Holy Spirit through them and we are meant to put them to work in grateful service of the Kingdom of God. When we consider the stewardship way of life we are called to live, we often focus on the challenges it poses. Surrendering ourselves to God is indeed a challenging way to live. But it leads to a life that is exciting, creative and deeply rewarding. Stewardship allows us to experience life as a great adventure because it is a life guided and directed by the very source of power and creativity— the Holy Spirit! — See more at www.catholicsteward.com/blog/.

Contributions for May 26

Envelopes/Sobres:	\$11,197.00
Plate/Canasta:	\$ 894.90
Maintenance-Upkeep:	\$ 551.37

Contributions for June 2

Envelopes/Sobres:	\$15,913.00
Plate/Canasta:	\$ 1,212.86
Maintenance-Upkeep:	\$ 2,233.25

Peter’s Pence Collection - June 8-9

The Peter’s Pence Collection has ancient roots that reach all the way back to the New Testament times. The early Christians provided material support that the disciples, those preaching the Gospel, could distribute to those in need (see Acts 4:34-35, 11:29). Today, the Peter’s Pence Collection is the way we, as members of the Catholic Church, unite ourselves to the concerns of the Holy Father. Donations to this collection support the charitable works of Pope Francis for the relief of those most in need. Please pray for the Holy Father as he reaches out compassionately to make the world less cold and more just, and pray for those suffering around the world who will benefit from this collection.

Usher/Greeter Formation

Calling all friendly and helpful parishioners! Please consider serving our parish as an Usher/Greeter. Welcoming those gathering for prayer is an important ministry and sets the tone for the experience we have at liturgies. If you like to help and want to share your time/talent with our parish, but don’t have a lot of time to share outside of the time you come to Mass, this might be a great ministry for you!

Please plan to attend the formation session for Ushers/Greeters on Tuesday, June 18 at 7:00PM in the church.

Please sign up on the Registration Form in the Gathering Space or on the website, www.stsabinaparish.org.

What do ushers/greeters do?

Ushers are responsible for welcoming people as they arrive for Mass.

They create an atmosphere of hospitality and make sure general needs of our community are met as they arrive at church.

Ushers take up the collection and find members of our community to present the offering during Mass.

Ushers help facilitate processions and assist during large or special liturgies, when things may be a bit unfamiliar for the assembly.

They often pass out needed materials (bulletins, candles, special envelopes).

Who can be an usher/greeter?

Any member of our parish, male or female, who is interested in extending hospitality to our community at Mass.

Adults and high school youth (Younger children may serve as greeters but must have adult supervision to assist with the offering).

Please register for the formation on the sign-up sheet in the gathering space, on the website or contact Susan Ratigan at susan@stsabinaparish.org or 816-979-3158. If you would like to serve as an usher/greeter, but can’t attend this session, please contact Susan. There will be future formation dates. Thank you!

Ushers & Greeters



Youth Ministry

Youth News

New Peer Ministers! We are inviting high school and college age youth/young adults to serve on our leadership team for the upcoming school year. If you are excited to share your faith and serve our parish youth community through small group discussion, short talks, meeting preparation, prayer leading and serving on the Search team, then Peer Ministry is for YOU! We will have a few gatherings for fun this summer as well as some training and planning meetings before the new school year begins. Please contact Kirstie Roberts if you did not receive information about this ministry in the mail.

Vacation Bible School—July 21-25

VBS registrations are available online and in the gathering space! We are also recruiting volunteers to serve as crew and station leaders! Contact Kirstie Roberts in the Youth Office if you need to complete the requirements for volunteering with children as soon as possible. Our theme this year is ROAR! Life is Wild, God is Good! We can't wait to hear all the kiddos ROAR! Get those registrations turned in soon so we have enough supplies for everyone! This program is open to friends. Bring them!



Child Safety

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. **Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and**
2. **Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and**
3. **After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman at 816.812.2500 if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.**

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

All volunteers with youth and children must attend one Protecting God's Children workshop, submit to a background check and sign the policy on Ethics and Integrity in Ministry, (EIM). More info at <https://kcsjatholic.org/the-office-of-child-and-youth-protection/>

The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



saint snippets

June 13

St. Anthony of Padua
Portuguese priest and Franciscan friar renowned for his preaching; patron saint of lost things

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Reflection on the Readings

With the Feast of Pentecost, the Easter season comes to an end. Psalm 104, the responsorial psalm for Pentecost, resounds with this rich refrain: "Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth." **What focus does this psalm present as we try to gain wisdom from the other Pentecost readings?**

What is the Lord's spirit and how does it bring about the renewal of the earth? *Ruah*, the Hebrew word for spirit, can mean wind, breath, soul, spirit. Psalm 104 depicts God as the giver and sustainer of life, the one who continually creates and re-creates. **It is God's breath or *ruah* which creates, sustains and re-creates life. Without that breath we perish.** So we praise God for continually creating and re-creating us. **What are the concrete manifestations of this re-creation? The other readings provide strong clues as to what re-creation entails.**

The first reading, unique to Luke's Acts of the Apostles, is the narrative of Pentecost. The backdrop to the descent of the Spirit is the Jewish feast of Weeks, *Sukkoth*, or Pentecost, occurring exactly fifty days after Passover. **The narrative specifies two aspects of re-creation. One is the attitude of receptiveness needed if we are to be open to the presence of the Spirit.** This requires the support and encouragement of a community that is attuned to the direction of the Spirit. Once such an attunement is cultivated, then the Spirit can do its work. **The powerful result is a two-fold miracle, corresponding to the two things that most humans find challenging: speaking and listening meaningfully.**

Speaking in a language that all can understand is a miracle in itself for most of us. But listening and understanding something we find difficult or strange is an even greater miracle. In other words, the Spirit reverses the confusion and tyranny of the Tower of Babel syndrome (Gen 11), gifting us with wisdom, along with understanding hearts and minds, so that God's presence, mission and reign become living realities. **This gifting is intended for all, achieving a universalism consistent with God's intention and purpose from the beginning of creation.**

The second reading from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians proclaims that the presence of the Spirit manifests diversity in thought, gifts, feelings and presence. Our oneness in the Spirit is made manifest through

the many diverse gifts given to build up the entire body of Christ. Diversity is not destructive of unity but rather is the essential component of unity. **Jesuit Pierre Teilhard de Chardin perfectly expressed this reality by stating that "unity is achieved by honoring the differences."**

The gospel reading from John takes the dynamics of re-creation to even greater depths. As Jesus interacts with his followers on resurrection day, he greets them with peace, the first and sure sign of the presence of the Spirit, a gift of the risen Jesus. Following this greeting, Jesus commissions them to go out and spread that special gift to all. By breathing on them the Spirit, Jesus re-creates them for relationship and mission, just as God did at the very moment of our creation. **Integral to the mission of relationship in the Spirit is our ability to forgive and reconcile. Only by being willing to forgive and reconcile, will we ever be able to achieve that peace that the Spirit gives.**

The responsorial psalm focuses the wisdom from the other readings by dialoguing with them about the essentials involved in being renewed and re-created by God in and through the Spirit. God is the giver of all life, continually renewing and re-creating us. When we choose to speak and listen with open hearts, when diversity is seen as a rich blessing, when forgiveness is graciously practiced and peace becomes a way of life, then we can be certain that the Spirit is present, renewing and re-creating us for abundant life.

How does the Spirit help you experience diversity as a treasured gift that enhances community? How do you experience the Spirit re-creating and energizing you to welcome the stranger and the foreigner knocking at our doors? **How does the Spirit help you live and act so that all can experience God's life-giving Spirit, present and active among us?**

Biagio Mazza
Pastoral Associate

Readings



Bible Study

Sunday, June 9

1st Reading: Acts 2:1-11

Psalm: Psalm 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (30)

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Gospel: John 20:19-23

Sunday, June 16

1st Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31

Psalm: Psalm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (2a)

2nd Reading: Romans 5:1-5

Gospel: John 16:12-15

Catholics are mostly exposed to the Bible through the Sunday Lectionary Readings. In order to help us all enter into the Bible through the Sunday readings, we offer study sessions that provide an opportunity to read, to study background to the readings, and to reflect on how to apply the readings to our lives. **Our next Bible Study dates are June 9 and July 14 at 10:30am in the conference room.** All are welcome; bring a Bible. To register, call Biagio at 816-979-3153.



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Reflexión Sobre las Lecturas

Con la fiesta de Pentecostés, la temporada de Pascua llega a su fin. El Salmo 104, el salmo responsorial de Pentecostés, resuena con este rico refrán: "Envía tu Espíritu, Señor, y repuebla la faz de la tierra". **¿Cual enfoque presenta este salmo ya que intentamos obtener sabiduría de las otras lecturas de Pentecostés?**

¿Qué es el espíritu del Señor y cómo produce la repoblación de la tierra? *Ruah*, la palabra hebrea para espíritu, puede significar viento, aliento, alma, espíritu. El Salmo 104 representa a Dios como el dador y sustentador de la vida, el que continuamente crea y recrea. **Es el aliento de Dios o *ruah* lo que crea, sostiene y recrea la vida. Sin ese aliento perecemos.** Así que alabamos a Dios por crearnos y recrearnos continuamente. **¿Cuáles son las manifestaciones concretas de esta reconstrucción?** Las otras lecturas proporcionan pistas sólidas sobre lo que implica la reconstrucción.

La primera lectura, exclusiva de los Hechos de los Apóstoles de Lucas, es la narrativa de Pentecostés. El telón de fondo del descenso del Espíritu es la fiesta judía de las Semanas, *Sukkoth* o Pentecostés, ocurriendo exactamente cincuenta días después de la Pascua. **La narrativa especifica dos aspectos de la reconstrucción. Una es la actitud receptiva necesaria para estar abiertos a la presencia del Espíritu.** Esto requiere el apoyo y el estímulo de una comunidad que esté en sintonía con la dirección del Espíritu. Una vez que se cultiva tal sintonización, entonces el Espíritu puede hacer su trabajo. **El poderoso resultado es un milagro doble, que corresponde a las dos cosas que la mayoría de los humanos encuentran desafiantes: hablar y escuchar de manera significativa.**

Hablar en un idioma que todos puedan entender es un milagro en sí mismo para la mayoría de nosotros. Pero escuchar y comprender algo que nos resulta difícil o extraño es un milagro aún mayor. En otras palabras, el Espíritu invierte la confusión y la tiranía del síndrome de la Torre de Babel (Gen 11), otorgándonos sabiduría, junto con la comprensión de los corazones y las mentes, para que la presencia, la misión y el reinado de Dios se conviertan en realidades vivientes. **Este don está destinado a todos, logrando un universalismo consistente con la intención y el propósito de Dios desde el principio de la creación.**

La segunda lectura de la primera carta de Pablo a los corintios proclama que la presencia del Espíritu manifiesta diversidad en pensamiento, dones, sentimientos y presencia. Nuestra unidad en el Espíritu se manifiesta a través de los muchos dones diversos que se dan para edificar todo el cuerpo de Cristo. La diversidad no es destructiva de la unidad,

sino que es el componente esencial de la unidad. **El jesuita Pierre Teilhard de Chardin expresó perfectamente esta realidad al afirmar que "la unidad se logra honrando las diferencias".**

La lectura del evangelio de Juan lleva la dinámica de la reconstrucción a profundidades aún mayores. Cuando Jesús interactúa con sus seguidores el día de la resurrección, los saluda con la paz, la primera y segura señal de la presencia del Espíritu, un don del Jesús resucitado. Después de este saludo, Jesús les encarga que salgan y difundan ese regalo especial para todos. Al respirar sobre ellos el Espíritu, Jesús los recrea para la relación y la misión, tal como lo hizo Dios en el momento de nuestra creación. **Una parte integral de la misión de la relación en el Espíritu es nuestra capacidad de perdonar y reconciliarnos. Solo al estar dispuestos a perdonar y reconciliar, podremos alcanzar esa paz que el Espíritu nos da.**

El salmo responsorial enfoca la sabiduría de las otras lecturas al dialogar con ellos acerca de lo esencial involucrado en ser renovado y recreado por Dios en y a través del Espíritu. Dios es el dador de toda vida, renovándonos y recreándonos continuamente. Cuando elegimos hablar y escuchar con los corazones abiertos, cuando la diversidad se ve como una rica bendición, cuando el perdón se practica con gracia y la paz se convierte en una forma de vida, podemos estar seguros de que el Espíritu está presente, renovándonos y recreándonos para una vida abundante.

¿Cómo le ayuda el Espíritu a experimentar la diversidad como un don preciado que mejora la comunidad? ¿Cómo experimenta el Espíritu recreando y energizándolo para darle la bienvenida al extranjero que toca a nuestras puertas? **¿Cómo le ayuda el Espíritu a vivir y actuar para que todos puedan experimentar el Espíritu vivificante de Dios, presente y activo entre nosotros?**

Biagio Mazza
Asociado Pastoral

Lecturas



Lecturas del Domingo, 9 de Junio

Primera Lectura: Hechos 2:1-11

Salmo: Salmo 104:1ab y 24ac, 29bc-30, 31 y 34

Segunda Lectura: 1 Corintios 12:3-7, 12-13

Evangelio: Juan 20:19-23

Lecturas del Domingo, 16 de Junio

Primera Lectura: Proverbios 8:22-31

Salmo: Salmo 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Segunda Lectura: Romanos 5:1-5

Evangelio: Juan 16:12-15

Noticias Juveniles

¡Nuevos Ministros Jóvenes! Estamos invitando a los jóvenes/adultos jóvenes de la high school y universidad a formar parte de nuestro equipo de liderazgo para el próximo año escolar. Si estás emocionado de compartir tu fe y servir a nuestra comunidad parroquial de jóvenes a través de grupos pequeños, pláticas breves, preparación para juntas, orar y servir en el equipo de Search, ¡entonces el Ministerio de Ministros Jóvenes es para TI! Tendremos algunas reuniones para divertirnos este verano, así como algunas reuniones de capacitación y planificación antes de que comience el nuevo año escolar. Comuníquese con Kirstie Roberts si no recibió información sobre este ministerio por correo.

Escuela Bíblica de Verano—21-25 de Julio

¡Los registros para la Escuela Bíblica ya están disponibles en línea y en el espacio de reunión! ¡También estamos reclutando voluntarios para servir como líderes de los grupos y las estaciones! Comuníquese con Kirstie Roberts en la Oficina Juvenil si necesita completar los requisitos para ser voluntario con niños lo más antes posible. Nuestro tema este año es RUGIDO! La vida es salvaje, Dios es bueno! No podemos esperar a escuchar a todos los niños RUGIR! ¡Entregue esos registros pronto para que tengamos suficientes materiales para todos! Este programa está abierto para tus amigos también. ¡Tráelos!



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- 1) Llame a línea directa de Abuso Infantil en Missouri al 1.800.392.3738 (si la victima tiene menos de 18 años de edad).
- 2) Póngase en contacto con su departamento de policía local o llame al 911.
- 3) Después de informarle a las autoridades de la orden civil y de leyes, reporte el abuso sexual del menor o del adulto vulnerable al Defensor del Pueblo Diocesano al 816.812.2500 si el abuso implica a un sacerdote, diacono, empleado o voluntario de la Diócesis de Kansas City-St. Joseph.

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Todas las personas que son voluntarios con los jóvenes ó niños de nuestra parroquia deben atender a un taller llamado Protegiendo a los Niños de Dios, también necesitaran someterse a una verificación de antecedentes y deberán firmar la póliza sobre Éticas e Integridad en el Ministerio (EIM). Más información en <https://kcsicatholic.org/the-office-of-child-and-youth-protection/>

Los Más Pequeños

Jim Burrows



AMAR A LA GENTE NO SIEMPRE ES FÁCIL. ES POR ESO QUE DIOS NOS DA EL ESPÍRITU SANTO.

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a sus discipulos:
“Estas cosas os he dicho estando con vosotros. Pero el Consolador, el Espíritu Santo, a quien el Padre enviará en mi nombre, El os enseñará todas las cosas, y os recordará todo lo que os he dicho”. Jn 14:26

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La Colecta Peter's Pence - 9 de Junio

La Colecta Peter's Pence tiene raíces muy antiguas que se remontan a los tiempos del Nuevo Testamento. Los primeros cristianos les dieron apoyo material a los discípulos, aquellos que predicaban el Evangelio, para que ellos lo distribuyeran entre los más necesitados (ver Hechos 4:34-35, 11:29). Hoy, la Colecta Peter's Pence es la manera en la que nosotros, como miembros de la Iglesia Católica, nos unimos a las preocupaciones del Santo Padre. Los donativos a esta colecta financian las obras de caridad del papa Francisco para darles alivio a los más necesitados. Ore por el Santo Padre mientras que el ayuda lleno de compasión para hacer un mundo menos frío y más justo y ore por los que sufren alrededor del mundo quienes se beneficiaran con la colecta.

Campaña Católica de la Comunicación

Nuestra colecta especial la próxima semana es para la Campaña Católica de la Comunicación. Esta campaña conecta a las personas con Cristo en Estados Unidos y en los países en desarrollo alrededor del mundo a través del Internet, la televisión, la radio y los medios impresos. El 50% de los fondos recaudados permanecen aquí en la Diócesis de Kansas City-St. Joseph para financiar los esfuerzos locales en el campo de las comunicaciones. Tu apoyo ayuda a propagar el mensaje del Evangelio.

¿Desea ser un Lector o un Ministro Extraordinario de la Comunión?

Le invitamos a tomar la clase de preparación el 10 de Junio y la práctica el 17 del mismo mes de 7:00 a 9:00 p.m. Si desea más información o registrarse por favor comuníquese con Gloria García o María Palomares, o en la oficina al 816-979-3150

Platicas Pre-Bautismales - 13 de Julio

Normalmente cada segundo Sábado del mes de las 10 am a la 1 pm. (Sólo para niños de 0-6 años.) Salón doble del área de educación. Para niños mayores de 7 años requerirán una formación especial.

PRÓXIMOS BAUTISMOS: Llamar a Kris al 816-979-3151. Favor de llenar su aplicación para asistir a las platicas con anterioridad. **No se ofrece cuidado de niños.**

Felicidades Por Su Bautismo

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En esta foto aparecen miembros de las Pequeñas Comunidades Cristianas con el Padre Jeff, en su servicio de oración el martes, 28 de mayo.



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