



CATHEDRAL OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Stewards of God's Gifts

April 21, 2024 | Fourth Sunday of Easter

MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY | DOMINGO

8:00 am	English
10:00 am	English*
12:00 pm	Español*
2:00 pm	Chinese*
4:00 pm	English
6:00 pm	Español

*Livestream available.

Monday—Friday

Lunes—Viernes

12:10 pm

ADORATION

ADORACIÓN

Wednesday & Thursday

Miércoles y Jueves

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

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Monday—Friday

Lunes—Viernes

11:30 am—12:00 pm

Saturday | Sabado

4:00 pm—5:00 pm

CATHEDRAL HOURS

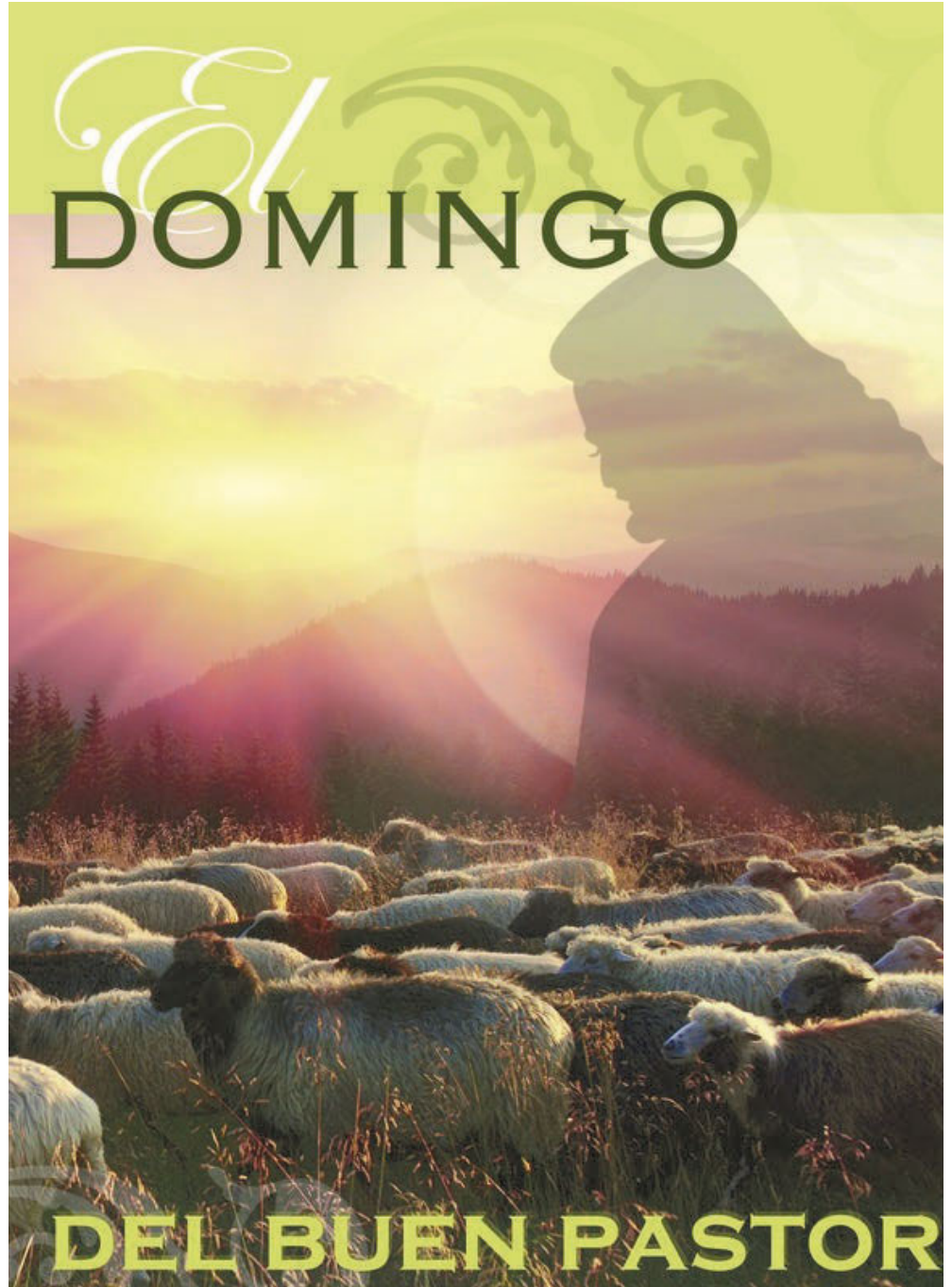
Monday—Friday

10:00 am—4:00 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday

9:00 am— noon & 1 pm—4 pm



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RECONCILIATION: 1st Sunday of the month before mass. Please contact Kenneth Ng or Fr. Chiu in advance.

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A Glimpse of Spirituality 靈修一瞥121 (Matt 17:10-13)

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The Jews had a tradition, and retain it to this day, that before the coming of the Messiah, Elijah should come in accordance with Malachi 4:4, 5. Jesus not only acknowledged the necessity of Elijah's coming before the Messiah; he also assured his disciples that he had already come. Further, Jesus described the treatment that he had received from the false religious leaders as to make them understand what John the Baptist had encountered in his life.

Though John's ministry was excellently calculated to produce all the effects ascribed to it by the prophets, the disciples should not be surprised to find that being a prophet was not for the worldly glory but the heavenly. That is to say, from the aspect of the world, John failed, and so did Jesus while their merciful love was misinterpreted. As a result, they met with opposition and persecution.

Jesus said, "I tell you that Elijah has already come, and they did not know him, but did to him whatever they pleased. So also the Son of man will suffer at their hands."

The verb "suffer" (*paschein*) denotes a bad sense in respect to undergoing evils or being afflicted. Concerning Jesus' suffering, it must be regarded from the perspective of the experience of his transfiguration (Matt 17:1-9). In short, Christians have to interpret Jesus' suffering and death with the hope of resurrection. John already had gone the way of Jesus through suffering, in particular his case of being beheaded by Herod. However, at the end of the way of cross, Jesus' glory will triumph.

Christians' religious experience of committing their lives to Jesus is like a spark of fire, lightening the dark tunnel of life while they almost give up God and follow the evil way of life because of suffering or persecution. Endurance with faith, hope, and charity will light up the spark of life.

猶太人有一傳統，一直保留到今天，根據拉4:4, 5, 厄里亞在默西亞來臨之前先到。耶穌不只承認厄里亞必在默西亞之前出現，他也向門徒保證他已經來到。此外，耶穌描述他從虛假宗教領導那裡遭遇的對待，以便讓門徒了解洗者若翰在他生活中所遇到的事情。

儘管若翰的牧職偉大博愛，可是，不但沒有達到預期效果，最終招致含冤砍頭，他的生命說明一個事實，成為先知不是為了世界的光榮，反之，是天上的；也就是說，從世界的角度來看，若翰完全失敗，耶穌也失敗了，因為他們的慈悲大愛都被世界誤解誤讀誤會；結果，他們遭到世界反對和迫害。

耶穌說：“厄里亞已經來了，人們卻不認識他，反而任意待了他；照樣，人子也要受他們的磨難。”

動詞“磨難” (*paschein*) 表示對受邪惡折磨的不好感覺。關於耶穌所受苦難，必須從祂顯聖容的經驗來看 (瑪17:1-9)。簡言之，基督徒要以復活的希望來解讀耶穌的苦難死亡。若翰已經走上耶穌的道路並且經歷苦難，特別是被黑落德斬首；然而，在十字架的盡頭，耶穌的光榮將會凱旋。

基督徒參與耶穌生命的宗教經驗，像火花，照亮他們因苦難或迫害而幾乎放棄天主並走上邪惡生活的生命黑暗隧道；可是，帶著信望愛的堅忍，將燃燒生命的火花。

Edificio del Tesoro/Treasure Building

Como mayordomos, reconocemos que todo lo que tenemos es un regalo de Dios. Para mostrar verdaderamente nuestra gratitud por Sus dones, debemos entregarnos a Él compartiendo nuestros recursos con nuestra comunidad de fe. Mientras damos nuestro tiempo y talento, también debemos dar nuestro tesoro. La mayordomía del tesoro consiste en dar generosamente para agradecer a Aquel que nos ha dado tan generosamente.

As stewards, we recognize that everything we have is a gift from God. To truly show our gratitude for His gifts, we need to give our very selves to Him by sharing our resources with our community of faith. While we give of our time and talent, we must also give of our treasure. Stewardship of treasure is about giving generously to thank the One who has given so generously to us.

¿Sabías que el seguro de la Catedral aumentó un 30% respecto al año pasado?

Como se anunció en enero, los gastos de la Catedral regularmente superan sus ingresos. Este año no es la excepción. Desde julio de 2023 hasta marzo de 2024, la Catedral ha gastado \$72,604 más en su presupuesto de operaciones de lo que ha podido recaudar. Faltan solo 3 meses más para el final del año fiscal. Todos los regalos son muy apreciados.

¿COMO PUEDES AYUDAR?

Aumente las donaciones de su hogar en al menos \$5 por semana. (tal vez renuncie a las golosinas de un vendedor).

Did you know that insurance for the Cathedral increased 30% over last year?

As was announced in January, the Cathedral's expenses regularly outstrip its income. This year is no exception. From July 2023 to March 2024, the Cathedral has spent \$72,604 more in its operations budget than it's been able to bring in. There are just 3 more months to the end of fiscal year. All gifts are greatly appreciated.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Increase your household's giving by at least \$5 per week. (maybe forgo a Starbucks coffee one day each week.)

	July 2023- March 2024	Avg. per month	
Ofertorio	\$ 475,973.74	\$ 52,885.97	Offertory Giving
Donaciones Directas	\$ 257,200.90	\$ 28,577.88	Direct Donations
Otros ingresos	\$ 251,707.89	\$ 27,967.54	Other Income
Ingresos de explotación	\$ 984,882.63	\$ 109,431.40	Operating Income
Salarios y beneficios	\$ 481,922.08	\$ 53,546.90	Wages & benefits
Iglesia y terrenos	\$ 248,512.40	\$ 27,612.49	Church & Grounds
Reguros e impuestos	\$ 97,594.50	\$ 10,843.83	Insurance & Taxes
Evaluación diocesana	\$ 66,521.00	\$ 7,391.22	Diocesan Assessment
Otros gastos operacionales	\$ 162,936.95	\$ 18,104.11	Other Expenses
Los gastos de explotación	\$ 1,057,486.93	\$ 117,498.55	Operating Expense
Pérdida	\$ (72,604.30)	\$ (8,067.14)	Loss

For questions, leave a message for Robert Ingenito, Finance Council, at 916-444-3071.

Events and Information

Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament



Women's Retreat June 13-16

Deepen your relationship with Jesus Christ, renew yourself spiritually, give new meaning to prayer life and Sunday liturgy, and build lasting friendships with members of your community by going on an ACTS weekend retreat.



Brochure

To learn more, contact
Lucila Martinez,
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916-947-6985
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Register



NATIONAL
Eucharistic
Pilgrimage

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

The Cathedral will be part of a four-day procession across the Diocese as part of a national procession to Indianapolis for the National Eucharistic Congress in July. Find out more information here:
www.eucharisticpilgrimage.org/st-junipero-serra-route

PEREGRINACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA NACIONAL

Miércoles, 22 de mayo de 2024

La Catedral será parte de una procesión de cuatro días por toda la Diócesis como parte de una procesión nacional a Indianápolis para el Congreso Eucarístico Nacional en julio. Obtenga más información aquí: www.eucharisticpilgrimage.org/st-junipero-serra-route

"The Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament Presents"

A Eucharistic Revival Concert

Dave Brubeck's

PANGE LINGUA VARIATIONS

An Ode to Sacramento

Saturday, July 6 at 8:00 pm

Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament

1019 11th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Cathedral Choir and Orchestra, Neal Gittleman, Conductor

Special Guest Performances By:

Chris Brubeck

Dan Brubeck

Joe Gilman



Chris Brubeck



Dan Brubeck



Neal Gittleman



Joe Gilman

WINE & CHEESE RECEPTION AND TOURS OF THE CATHEDRAL: 6 pm with the Concert at 8 pm

For ticket information, publicity & community outreach contact:

concerts@cathedralsacramento.org

"All proceeds will be used to fund the Cathedral's Social Service Ministries"

Eventos e información

Adult Bible Study WHAT WE BELIEVE The Beauty of the Catholic Church



**Thursdays
until June 13
7:00 - 8:30pm
St. Pius X
Room**
Also available
via Zoom.

What We Believe

A ten-part study by Ascension Press rediscovering the Catechism of the Catholic Church with engaging videos and small group discussion.

Sign up to receive info:
<https://is.gd/cathedralbelieve>

Cathedral Nights

NOTE: The Cathedral Nights Concert, originally scheduled for May 11, has been postponed. New date will be announced later. Information regarding ticket refunds will be published in the bulletin within the next two weeks.

NOTA: El Concierto de Noches de Catedral, originalmente programado para el 11 de mayo, ha sido pospuesto. La nueva fecha se anunciará más adelante. La información sobre los reembolsos de boletos se publicará en el boletín dentro de las próximas dos semanas.

St. Mark Pray for Us!

Author of the second Gospel in the Bible
He founded the Church in Alexandria and travelled with St. Paul and St. Barnabas on their missionary journeys.

- Patron Saint of Notaries -

Feast Day: April 25th

Share Catholic

www.ShareCatholic.com

April 28 Second collection Catholic Home Missions Appeal

Over 40% of dioceses in the United States and its territories are considered mission territories, because they are unable to fund essential pastoral activities needed in their communities. Your support of the Catholic Home Missions Appeal funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States.

28 de abril Segunda colecta Llamamiento para las Misiones Católicas en el Hogar

Más del 40% de las diócesis de los Estados Unidos y sus territorios se consideran territorios de misión porque no pueden financiar actividades pastorales esenciales necesarias en sus comunidades. Su apoyo a la Campaña de Misiones Nacionales Católicas financia educación religiosa, formación en seminarios, capacitación para ministerios laicos y otros programas que construyen comunidades de fe vibrantes aquí en los Estados Unidos.

KEEP THE FLAME ALIVE

*like the new light of the
Easter Candle*

**Wednesdays, 7:00 pm via
Zoom**

Join us! Father O'Reilly leads a study on the Gospel of John and we continue learning about the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

Contact Donna:
flamealive22@gmail.com

MANTENGA VIVA LA LLAMA

*como la nueva luz del Cirio
Pascual*

Miércoles, 7:00 pm vía Zoom

¡Únete a nosotros! Padre O'Reilly dirige un estudio sobre el Evangelio de Juan y seguimos aprendiendo sobre la Liturgia de la Eucaristía.

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SUNDAY CATHEDRAL TOURS

**English at 9am and 11am &
Spanish at 1pm**

Docents share how the Cathedral is such an important part of early California history. Learn how our beautiful and important art works have symbolism integral to our Catholic Faith.

TOURS DE LA CATEDRAL DEL DOMINGO

**Español a las 1 pm y inglés a las
9am y 11am**

Los docentes comparten cómo la Catedral es una parte importante de la historia temprana de California. Conozca cómo nuestras hermosas e importantes obras de arte tienen un simbolismo integral para nuestra fe católica.

Liturgy of the Word

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (GOOD SHEPHERD)

APRIL 21, 2024

Mass Intentions & Observances

SUN 4/21

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00 AM: MARY ZAMORA +

10:00 AM: ELIZABETH VILA TOMAS +

12:00 PM: PEOPLE OF THE PARISH S.I.

4:00 PM: MANUEL PURUGGANAN +

6:00 PM: EDUARDO RAMOS S.I.

MON 4/22

FOURTH MONDAY OF EASTER

12:10 PM: GURPREET S.I.

TUES 4/23

FOURTH TUESDAY OF EASTER

12:10 PM: DAVID J MARTIN +

WED 4/24

FOURTH WEDNESDAY OF EASTER

12:10 PM: DAMIANA TABANIAG +

THU 4/25

FEAST OF ST. MARK

12:10 PM: FR. JAMES ZAKOWICZ +

FRI 4/26

FOURTH FRIDAY OF EASTER

12:10 PM: LOUIS J. FIACCO +

S.I. = for special intention

+ = for repose of the soul

READING 1

ACTS 4:8-12

Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said:

"Leaders of the people and elders: If we are being examined today about a good deed done to a cripple, namely, by what means he was saved, then all of you and all the people of Israel should know that it was in the name of Jesus Christ the Nazorean whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead; in his name this man stands before you healed. He is the stone rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. There is no salvation through anyone else, nor is there any other name under heaven given to the human race by which we are to be saved."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PS 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29

R. The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,
for his mercy endures forever.

It is better to take refuge in the LORD
than to trust in man.

It is better to take refuge in the LORD
than to trust in princes.

R. The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me
and have been my savior.

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.

By the LORD has this been done;
it is wonderful in our eyes.

R. The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD;
we bless you from the house of the LORD.

I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me
and have been my savior.

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
for his kindness endures forever.

R. The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

READING 2

1 JN 3:1-2

Beloved: See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God. Yet so we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we shall be has not yet been revealed. We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

ALLELUIA

JN 10:14

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

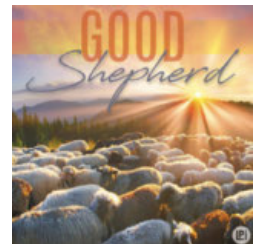
I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my sheep, and mine know me.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL

JN 10:11-18

Jesus said: "I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep. I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd. This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own. I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again. This command I have received from my Father."



Mass Intentions

Please email:

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or call 916-444-3071, ext. 10

Liturgia de la Palabra

IV DOMINGO DE PASCUA

21 DE ABRIL DE 2024



PRIMERA LECTURA HCH 4, 8-12

En aquellos días, Pedro, lleno del Espíritu Santo, dijo: “Jefes del pueblo y ancianos, puesto que hoy se nos interroga acerca del beneficio hecho a un hombre enfermo, para saber cómo fue curado, sépanlo ustedes y sépalo todo el pueblo de Israel: este hombre ha quedado sano en el nombre de Jesús de Nazaret, a quien ustedes crucificaron y a quien Dios resucitó de entre los muertos. Este mismo Jesús es la piedra que ustedes, los constructores, han desechado y que ahora es la piedra angular. Ningún otro puede salvarnos, pues en la tierra no existe ninguna otra persona a quien Dios haya constituido como salvador nuestro”.

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R. La piedra que desecharon los constructores es ahora la piedra angular. Aleluya.

Te damos gracias, Señor, porque es bueno, porque tu misericordia es eterna.
Más vale refugiarse en el Señor que poner en los hombres la confianza; más vale refugiarse en el Señor que buscar con los fuertes una alianza.

R. La piedra que desecharon los constructores es ahora la piedra angular. Aleluya.

Te doy gracias pues me escuchaste y fuiste para mí la salvación.
La piedra que desecharon los constructores es ahora la piedra angular.
Esto es obra de la mano del Señor
Es un milagro patente.

R. La piedra que desecharon los constructores es ahora la piedra angular. Aleluya.

Bendito el que viene en nombre del Señor.
Que Dios desde su templo nos bendiga.
Tú eres mi Dios, te doy gracias.

Tú eres mi Dios, y yo te alabo.

Te damos gracias, Señor, porque eres bueno, Porque tu misericordia es eterna.

R. La piedra que desecharon los constructores es ahora la piedra angular. Aleluya.

SEGUNDA LECTURA 1 JN 3, 1-2

Queridos hijos: Miren cuánto amor nos ha tenido el Padre, pues no sólo nos llamamos hijos de Dios, sino que lo somos. Si el mundo no nos reconoce, es porque tampoco lo ha reconocido a él.

Hermanos míos, ahora somos hijos de Dios, pero aún no se ha manifestado cómo seremos al fin. Y ya sabemos que, cuando él se manifieste, vamos a ser semejantes a él, porque lo veremos tal cual es.

ACLAMACIÓN ANTES DEL EVANGELIO JN 10, 14

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Yo soy el buen pastor, dice el Señor;
yo conozco a mis ovejas y ellas me conocen a mí.

R. Aleluya.

EVANGELIO JN 10, 11-18

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a los fariseos: “Yo soy el buen pastor. El buen pastor da la vida por sus ovejas. En cambio, el asalariado, el que no es el pastor ni el dueño de las ovejas, cuando ve venir al lobo, abandona las ovejas y huye; el lobo se arroja sobre ellas y las dispersa, porque a un asalariado no le importan las ovejas.

Yo soy el buen pastor, porque conozco a mis ovejas y ellas me conocen a mí, así como el Padre me conoce a mí y yo conozco al Padre. Yo doy la vida por mis ovejas. Tengo además otras ovejas que no son de este redil y es necesario que las traiga también a ellas; escucharán mi voz y habrá un solo rebaño y un solo pastor.

El Padre me ama porque doy mi vida para volverla a tomar. Nadie me la quita; yo la doy porque quiero. Tengo poder para darla y lo tengo también para volverla a tomar. Éste es el mandato que he recibido de Louis J. Fiacco mi Padre”.





Family Faith Formation and OCIA

This month our Families of Faith also consider the role of the Saints as a help in our spiritual battle. The photos highlight our community day.

Este mes nuestras Familias de Fe también consideran el papel de los Santos como ayuda en nuestra batalla espiritual. Las fotos resaltan nuestro día comunitario.

Prayer and the Communion of the Saints

In our “Battle of Prayer” we have been looking at what we can do to be aware of those times we allow ourselves to be taken up with distraction. One huge help is to ask the Saints to aide us. They have walked the road of spiritual battle, and know what will best assist us, and want to help us on our road to Heaven! In addition to imitating the Saints, we can rely on their prayers, interceding for us. The Catechism says, “Their intercession is their most exalted service to God’s plan. We can and should ask them to intercede for us and for the whole world.” (CCC 2683). It is therefore good to speak to the Saints of our troubles, and they in turn will pray for us to God. May Mary, the Mother of God and all the Saints intercede for us, and help us on this Spiritual Battle toward Heaven. Amen.



Jenga Catechism



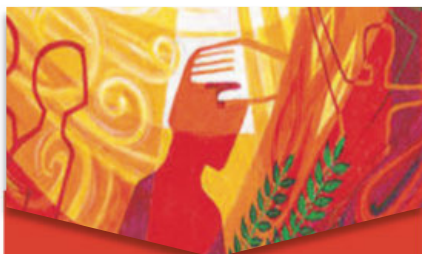
Sharing Experience of Practice of Prayer



Distraction in Prayer/Relationship



Please pray for our children preparing for their First Reconciliation this coming Thursday, April 25. May they experience the love of God as they are restored to their Baptismal Innocence.



Please pray for our Youth who will be on retreat next Saturday, May 4, as they deepen their readiness to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of Your love.

UPCOMING FAITH FORMATION FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN

SUN 21 APR Family Faith Formation (Espanol) 10:00 AM, Mercy Hall
Family Formation—Chinese 12:30pm—in Classrooms
OCIA for Families—Year 2 11:45 AM, Manogue

MON 22 APR Evening Prayer (All Welcome) 6:30 PM, Mercy Hall
OCIA Formation for Adults 7:00 PM, Mercy Hall/Classes

TUE 23 APR Family Faith Formation 6:00 PM, Mercy Hall

THU 25 APR 1st Reconciliation Service 5:00 PM—in Church
Adult Confirmation Class 7:00 PM, St Toribio
Adult Formation: What We Believe 7:00 PM, St Pius X

SAT 27 APR NO Family Faith Formation 10:00 AM, Mercy Hall

SUN 28 APR Family Faith Formation(Espanol) 10:00 AM, Mercy Hall
Family Formation—Chinese 12:30pm—in Classrooms
OCIA for Families—Year 1 11:45 AM, Manogue

SAT 04 MAY Youth Confirmation Retreat 9:00 AM—6:00 PM Cathedral Lower Level

Preparation for Sunday Mass Sunday, 28 APR 24

Prepare:
5th Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:26-31
Psalm 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32
1 John 3:18-24
John 15:1-8

Focus of the Gospel:

In the Gospel next Sunday, Jesus is very clear: “...without me you can do nothing.” He uses the image of the grape vine (Jesus) and its branches (we, his church). It is not enough to belong to the vine, but we must constantly remember that all we do must be done with God and His Divine Will. How often do we attempt to do good for the Church and for God on our own strength? Saint Paul (Saul) attempted to please God apart from Jesus; in the first reading, we see that once he was united with the Church in his proclamation, it began to bear much fruit for the Kingdom of God. How are we called to unite all we do with Jesus?

With Your Family

- ◆ Read John 15:1-8
- ◆ Imagine your family / community is a sports team, and one very talented member does a lot on his own. How successful is the team? Imagine that the team changes strategy and decides to work together, united with God to guide them. Does it make a difference?
- ◆ Where is an area of your life you are trying to do it on your own? How can you unite it to God?
- ◆ Pray Psalm 22:26-32 together.

Family Faith Formation and OCIA—Formation of Faith and of Sacraments for Children and Adults

Formación de fe Familiar y OICA

Oración y Comunión de los Santos

En nuestra "Batalla de Oración" hemos estado analizando qué podemos hacer para ser conscientes de esos momentos en los que nos permitimos distraernos. Una gran ayuda es pedirles a los santos que nos ayuden. ¡Han recorrido el camino de la batalla espiritual, saben qué nos ayudará mejor y quieren ayudarnos en nuestro camino al Cielo! Además de imitar a los santos, podemos confiar en sus oraciones,

intercediendo por nosotros. El Catecismo dice: "Su intercesión es su servicio más exaltado al plan de Dios. Podemos y debemos pedirles que intercedan por nosotros y por el mundo entero". (CCC 2683). Por eso es bueno hablar a los santos de nuestras dificultades, y ellos a su vez orarán por nosotros a Dios. Que María, la Madre de Dios y todos los Santos intercedan por nosotros y nos ayuden en esta Batalla Espiritual hacia el Cielo.



"Mission Impossible" Prayer Wall



OICA Families of Teens/Parents praying together

What is OCIA?

The "Order of Christian Initiation for Adults" provides a place for seekers to explore what the Catholic Church believes and teaches as part of their journey towards embracing Christ and His Church in the reception of sacraments. Catholics who have not received Sacraments of Confirmation and of the Holy Eucharist may attend. To know more, go to our website: cathedralsacramento.org

Preparación para la Misa Domingo, 28 ABRIL 24

Preparar:
5to Domingo de Pascua

Hechos 9:26-31
Salmo 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32
1 Juan 3:18-24
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