



IMMACULATE HEART OF *M*ARY

— Parish Mission + Mision Parroquial —

*With Mary, we seek to know Christ better and to make him better known through our words and actions.
Con María, deseamos conocer mejor a Cristo y darlo a conocer por medio de nuestras acciones y palabras.*

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME — SEPTEMBER 6, 2020



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Dear families of the Immaculate Heart of Mary,

In the final verses of today's Gospel reading Jesus says that when two or three are gathered in his name, **"there am I in the midst of them"** (Matthew 18:20). So we understand that fraternal correction is always undertaken with Jesus present to us. Likewise, encouraging the good in others is not only the right thing for us to do, it is a necessity. The Lord tells the prophet Ezekiel that if he **"does not speak out" to dissuade a person from evil, then he too will be held responsible.**

We live in a "do your own thing" age when moral objectivity is often ignored. Clearly when the message we share with others is one of love, our motives cannot ever be misinterpreted. As St. Paul writes, **"Love does no evil to the neighbor; hence, love is the fulfillment of the law"** (Romans 13:10).

In August we began to have the First Communions and Baptisms. We will continue to have these done in September as well as the RCIA sacraments of Baptism, First Communions and Confirmation. These were all sacraments that were not able to be received at the Easter Vigil and May First Communions. As our newly catechized members of IHM move forward in their faith, pray for them that they are blessed with the Holy Spirit.

Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

Fr. Quang

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Queridas familias del Inmaculado Corazón de María,

En los últimos versículos del Evangelio de hoy, Jesús dice que cuando dos o tres se reúnen en su nombre, **"yo estoy en medio de ellos"** (Mateo 18:20). Así que entendemos que la corrección fraternal se lleva a cabo siempre con Jesús presente. De la misma manera, fomentar el bien en los demás no sólo es lo correcto para nosotros, sino que es una necesidad. El Señor le dice al profeta Ezequiel que si **"no habla" para disuadir a una persona del mal, entonces él también será responsable.**

Vivimos en una época de "haz lo tuyo" en la que la objetividad moral es a menudo ignorada. Claramente cuando el mensaje que compartimos con otros es de amor, nuestros motivos nunca pueden ser malinterpretados. Como escribe San Pablo, **"El amor no hace mal al prójimo; por tanto, el amor es el cumplimiento de la ley"** (Romanos 13:10).

En agosto comenzamos a hacer las Primeras Comuniones y seguiremos haciéndolas en septiembre, así como los sacramentos del Bautismo, la Comunión y la Confirmación de RICA. Estos eran todos los sacramentos que no se podían recibir en la Vigilia Pascual y las Primeras Comuniones de Mayo. A medida que nuestros miembros recién catequizados de ICM avanzan en su fe, rezen por ellos para que sean bendecidos con el Espíritu Santo.

Inmaculado Corazón de María, ruega por nosotros.

Padre Quang

Weekday Masses/Misas Diarias

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00AM (English)

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 8:00AM (Bilingual)

Sunday Mass/Domingo Misa

9:00AM (English) -10:45AM (Español) - 12:30PM Traditional Roman Rite (Latin)

Prayers & Weekly Scriptures/Oraciones y Lecturas de la Semana

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK INTENCIONES PARA MISAS DE LA SEMANA

SAT. SEP. 5TH

8:00AM Anisa Barbosa - Birthday

SUN. SEP. 6TH

9:00AM † Julie Halpin
Ryan Adler & Family - Health
† Germano Bettencourt
Immaculate Heart of Mary
10:45AM Giovanni Moreno - Birthday
Legión de Maria - Special Intention
† Jose Velez, Jr.
12:30PM † Reynaldo Fernando Alvarez

MON. SEP. 7TH

8:00AM Anthony Ford - Birthday
† Natalia Diaz

TUE. SEP. 8TH

8:00AM † John Walter Wagner, Sr.
† Guadalupe Chavez Lafranchi
Mama Mary

WED. SEP. 9TH

8:00AM † Tina Rodriguez
Eddie Pedroza - Birthday

THU. SEP. 10TH

8:00AM Mathew Family - Thanksgiving
† Martha Hernandez

FRI. SEP. 11TH

8:00AM † Mariano Ochoa de Rio
† Idalina Diaz

August Baptisms

English: Xavier Alexander Durham
Kelsey Reigh S. Pobre

Spanish: Emilio Rizo
Serena Noelle Hyer
Maddelyn Sarahi Calixto Mendez
Alan Dorantes Cabrera
Santiago Emiliano Rojas Montes
Mateo Chavez
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If You would like a name added to the prayer list, please call the parish office at (925) 634-4154 or e-mail: bulletin@ihmbrentwood.com. At the end of each month you must call to place the name again on the list.

Ud. quiere añadir un nombre en esta lista, por favor llame a la oficina de la parroquia al (925) 634-4154 o mande un correo electrónico al: bulletin@ihmbrentwood.com. Al final del mes, usted debe llamar a la oficina si desea que el nombre aparezca de nuevo.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Monday: 437: 1 Cor 5:1-8 Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12
Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: 636: Mi 5:1-4a Ps 13-6abc
Mt 1:1-16, 18-23

Wednesday: 439: 1 Cor 7:25-31 Ps 45:11-12, 14-17
Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: 440: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13 Ps 139:1b-3,
13-14b, 23-24 Lk 6:27-38

Friday: 441: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27 Ps 84:3-6,
8, 12 Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: 442: 1 Cor 10:14-22 Ps 116:12-13,
17-18 Lk 6:43-49

Sunday: 130: Sir 27:30—28:7 Ps 103:1-4, 9-12
Rom 14:7-9 Mt 18:21-35

Lectura

Gloria

Gloria a Dios en el cielo,
Y en la tierra paz a los hombres
Que ama el Señor.

Por tu inmensa Gloria te alabamos,
te bendecimos,
te adoramos,
te glorificamos,
te damos gracias,
Señor Dios, Rey celestial,
Dios Padre todopoderoso.

Señor, Hijo único, Jesucristo,
Señor Dios, Cordero de Dios,
Hijo del Padre;
Tu que quitas el pecado del mundo,
Ten piedad de nosotros;
Tu que quitas el pecado del mundo,
Atiende nuestra suplica;
Tu que estas sentado a
La derecha del Padre,
Ten piedad de nosotros;
Porque solo tu eres Santo,
Solo tu Señor,
Solo tu Altísimo Jesucristo.
Con el Espíritu Santo
En la gloria de Dios Padre.
Amen.

Primera lectura

Ez 33:7-9

Esto dice el Señor:
“A ti, hijo de hombre,
te he constituido centinela para la casa de Israel.
Cuando escuches una palabra de mi boca,
tú se la comunicarás de mi parte.

Si yo pronuncio sentencia de muerte contra un hombre,
porque es malvado,
y tú no lo amonestas para que se aparte del mal
camino,
el malvado morirá por su culpa,
pero yo te pediré a ti cuentas de su vida.

En cambio, si tú lo amonestas
para que deje su mal camino
y él no lo deja,
morirá por su culpa,
pero tú habrás salvado tu vida”.

Salmo Responsorial

Salmo 94, 1-2. 6-7. 8-9

Señor, que nos seamos sordos a tu voz.

Segunda Lectura

Rom 13, 8-10

Hermanos: No tengan con nadie otra deuda que la del amor mutuo, porque el que ama al prójimo, ha cumplido ya toda la ley. En efecto, los mandamientos que ordenan: “No cometerás adulterio, no robarás, no matarás, no darás falso testimonio, no codiciarás” y todos los otros, se resumen en éste: “Amarás a tu

prójimo como a ti mismo”, pues quien ama a su prójimo no le causa daño a nadie. Así pues, cumplir perfectamente la ley consiste en amar.

Evangelio

Mt 18, 15-20

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: “Si tu hermano comete un pecado, ve y amonéstalo a solas. Si te escucha, habrás salvado a tu hermano. Si no te hace caso, hazte acompañar de una o dos personas, para que todo lo que se diga conste por boca de dos o tres testigos. Pero si ni así te hace caso, díselo a la comunidad; y si ni a la comunidad le hace caso, apártate de él como de un pagano o de un publicano.

Yo les aseguro que todo lo que aten en la tierra, quedará atado en el cielo, y todo lo que desaten en la tierra, quedará desatado en el cielo.

Yo les aseguro también, que si dos de ustedes se ponen de acuerdo para pedir algo, sea lo que fuere, mi Padre celestial se lo concederá; pues donde dos o tres se reúnen en mi nombre, ahí estoy yo en medio de ellos”.

Credo de Nicea

Creo en un solo Dios, Padre todopoderoso, Creador del cielo y de la tierra, de todo lo visible y lo invisible.

Creo en un solo Señor, Jesucristo, Hijo único de Dios, nacido del Padre antes de todos los siglos: Dios de Dios, Luz de Luz, Dios verdadero de Dios verdadero, engendrado, no credo, de la misma naturaleza del Padre, por quien todo fue hecho; que por nosotros, los hombres, y para nuestra salvación bajó del cielo, **y por obra del Espíritu Santo se encarnó de María, la Virgen, y se hizo hombre**; y por nuestra causa fue crucificado en tiempos de Poncio Pilato, padeció al tercer día, según las Escrituras, y subió al cielo, y está sentado a la derecha del Padre; y de nuevo vendrá con gloria. Para juzgar a vivos y muertos, y su reino no tendrá fin. Creo en el Espíritu Santo, Señor dador de vida, que procede del Padre y del Hijo, que con el Padre y el Hijo recibe una misma adoración y Gloria, y que hablo por los profetas.

Creo en una iglesia, que es santa, católica y apóstolica. Confieso que hay un solo bautismo para el perdón de los pecados. Espero la resurrección de los muertos y la vida futura del mundo. Amen.

Readings

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ,
Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen

First Reading

Ez 33:7-9

Thus says the LORD:
You, son of man, I have appointed watchman for the
house of Israel;
when you hear me say anything, you shall warn them for
me.
If I tell the wicked, "O wicked one, you shall surely die, "
and you do not speak out to dissuade the wicked from his
way,
the wicked shall die for his guilt,
but I will hold you responsible for his death.
But if you warn the wicked,
trying to turn him from his way,
and he refuses to turn from his way,
he shall die for his guilt,
but you shall save yourself.

Reponsorial Psalm

Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Second Reading

Rom 13:8-10

Brothers and sisters:
Owe nothing to anyone, except to love one another;
for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law.
The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery;
you shall not kill; you shall not steal; you shall not covet, "
and whatever other commandment there may be,
are summed up in this saying, namely,
"You shall love your neighbor as yourself."
Love does no evil to the neighbor;
hence, love is the fulfillment of the law.

Gospel

Mt 18:15-20

Jesus said to his disciples:
"If your brother sins against you,
go and tell him his fault between you and him alone.
If he listens to you, you have won over your brother.
If he does not listen,
take one or two others along with you,
so that 'every fact may be established
on the testimony of two or three witnesses.'
If he refuses to listen to them, tell the church.
If he refuses to listen even to the church,
then treat him as you would a Gentile or a tax collector.
Amen, I say to you,
whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven,
and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in
heaven.
Again, amen, I say to you,
if two of you agree on earth
about anything for which they are to pray,
it shall be granted to them by my heavenly Father.
For where two or three are gathered together in my name,
there am I in the midst of them."

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
**and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.**

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.



Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament.
 I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul.
 Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.
 I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You.
 Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Oración de Comunión Espiritual

Creo, Jesús mío, que estás real y verdaderamente en el Cielo
 y en el Santísimo Sacramento del altar.
 Te amo sobre todas las cosas
 y deseo vivamente recibirte dentro de mi alma,
 pero no pudiendo hacerlo ahora sacramentalmente,
 ven al menos espiritualmente a mi corazón.
 Y como si ya te hubiese recibido,
 Te abrazo y me uno del todo a Ti.
 Señor, no permitas que jamás me aparte de Ti. Amén.

Oracion San Miguel

San Miguel Arcángel,
 defiéndenos en la batalla.
 Sé nuestro amparo contra la
 perversidad y asechanzas del
 demonio. Reprímale Dios,
 pedimos suplicantes,
 y tú Príncipe de la
 Milicia Celestial,
 con el divino poder de Dios,
 arroja al infierno a Satanás
 y a todos los espíritus
 malignos
 que andan dispersos
 por el mundo
 para la perdición de las
 almas. Amén.



Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel,
 defend us in battle,
 be our protection
 against the wickedness and
 snares of the devil.
 May God
 rebuke him we humbly pray;
 and do thou, O Prince of
 the Heavenly host,
 by the power of God,
 cast into hell Satan
 and all the evil spirits
 who prowl about the world
 seeking the ruin of souls.
 Amen



Paul Abenoja



Leland DeFrates

Permanent Deacons

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome our two newest Permanent Deacons, Paul Abenoja and Leland DeFrates to IHM. After 5 years of study and parish assignments they will be ordained to the Permanent Diaconate on Saturday, September 12th and begin active ministry here in the parish on Sunday, September 13th where they will serve at the 9:00 AM English and 10:45 Spanish masses. Please welcome them as your new deacons after mass on the 13th. They will be assisting Deacon John and all the parish. Pray for them, as you pray for all your clerics.

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Nos gustaría aprovechar esta oportunidad para dar la bienvenida a nuestros dos nuevos Diáconos Permanentes, Paul Abenoja y Leland DeFrates a ICM. Después de 5 años de estudio y asignaciones parroquiales serán ordenados al Diaconado Permanente el sábado 12 de septiembre y comenzarán su ministerio activo aquí en la parroquia el domingo 13 de septiembre donde servirán en las misas de 9:00 AM en inglés y 10:45 en español. Por favor, denles la bienvenida como sus nuevos diáconos después de la misa del 13. Asistirán al Diácono John y a toda la parroquia. Rezen por ellos, así como ustedes rezan por todos vuestros clérigos.



Information/Información

St. Vincent de Paul for Friday's Food Pantry

For the weekend of September 13, 2020, please bring canned fruits. THANK YOU!

Para el fin de semana del 13 de septiembre, 2020, por favor traigan frutas enlatadas. GRACIAS!

SCHEDULE OF SECOND COLLECTIONS

September 20, 2020 - Maintenance Fund
October 4, 2020 - Facility Improvement Fund

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FECHAS DE SEGUNDAS COLECTAS

20 de septiembre, 2020 - Fondo del Mantenimiento
4 de octubre, 2020 - Fondo del Mejoramiento de las Instalaciones

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We now have a code for the website **FORMED.ORG** - Simply open a web browser and type in: www.formed.org. - Go to the lower right hand side and click on "Register" and follow the prompts. Our IHM code is: **CM7TFZ**.

This is a dynamic website that has all things Catholic, on demand, all the time! Check it out!!!

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- 1 Chronicles 29:9

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Lunes, 6 de septiembre es el Dia del Trabajador y la oficina no tendra servicio de telefono ese dia.

Ministry Meetings/Reuniones de Ministerios

+ **Confessions / Confesiones**

Tuesday/Martes: 6:00 - 7:00PM
Saturday/Sabado: 3:30 - 4:30PM

Devotions/Devociones

Monday to Friday/Lunes a Viernes
8:00AM

Holy Rosary/Santo Rosario

+
Wednesday/Miércoles
8:30AM

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena Novena Madre del Perpetuo Socorro

+
Friday/Viernes
8:30AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet Novena Coronilla a la Divina Misericordia

Anointing of the Sick Unción de los Enfermos

Home Communion Comunión a los Enfermos

Contact a priest / llame a un sacerdote

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The Story of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

This is a fairly late feast, going back only to the 13th or 14th century. It was established widely throughout the Church to pray for unity. The present date of celebration was set in 1969, in order to follow the Annunciation of the Lord and precede the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist.

Like most feasts of Mary, it is closely connected with Jesus and his saving work. The more visible actors in the visitation drama (see Luke 1:39-45) are Mary and Elizabeth. However, Jesus and John the Baptist steal the scene in a hidden way. Jesus makes John leap with joy—the joy of messianic salvation. Elizabeth, in turn, is filled with the Holy Spirit and addresses words of praise to Mary—words that echo down through the ages.

It is helpful to recall that we do not have a journalist's account of this meeting. Rather Luke, speaking for the Church, gives a prayerful poet's rendition of the scene. Elizabeth's praise of Mary as "the mother of my Lord" can be viewed as the earliest Church's devotion to Mary. As with all authentic devotion to Mary, Elizabeth's (the Church's) words first praise God for what God has done to Mary. Only secondly does she praise Mary for trusting God's words.

Then comes the *Magnificat* (Luke 1:46-55). Here, Mary herself—like the —traces all her greatness to God.

Reflection:

One of the invocations in Mary's litany is "Ark of the Covenant." Like the Ark of the Covenant of old, Mary brings God's presence into the lives of other people. As David danced before the Ark, John the Baptist leaps for joy. As the Ark helped to unite the 12 tribes of Israel by being placed in David's capital, so Mary has the power to unite all Christians in her son. At times, devotion to Mary may have occasioned some divisiveness, but we can hope that authentic devotion will lead all to Christ and therefore, to one another.

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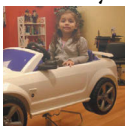
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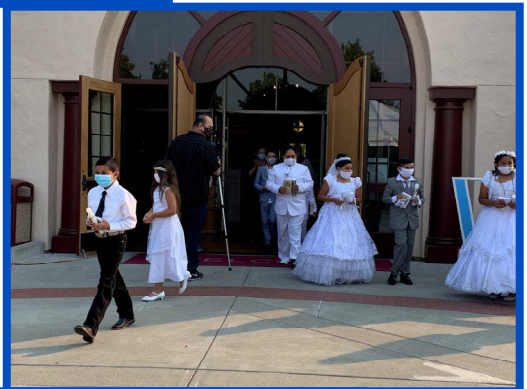
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