

"Lord, send out Your Spirit and renew the face of the earth"

- Responsorial Psalm



MAY 20, 2018

PENTECOST SUNDAY

MASS SCHEDULE May 21st through May 27th

Tuesday (May 22nd)	7:00 am Daily
Wednesday (May 23rd)	7:00 am Daily
Thursday (May 24th)	7:00 am Daily
Friday (May 25th)	7:00 am Daily / No School Mass
Saturday (May 26th)	5:30 pm Vigil
Sunday (May 27th)	9:00 & 11:00 am, and 4:30 pm

Memorial Day is Monday, May 28th. The Parish Office will be closed.



No Youth Group Meeting this Sunday due to the CARWASH. Please be sure to bring your car(s) out for a good wash!

REMINDER:

Knights of Columbus Breakfast this Sunday, 8 am to 1 pm at the School. Come and enjoy some great food and great company.

To ALL MINISTRIES and CHURCH GROUPS: To help maintain an accurate calendar and prevent any double-bookings, please send your requests for 2018-2019 to the Parish Office for meetings that use the Parish Center, the Chapel, the Rectory and the School Gym. Thank you for your cooperation.

UPCOMING EVENTS/NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE:

1. Memorial Day Mass with Bishop Jaime Soto at St. Mary's Funeral Chapel (6509 Fruitridge Road, So. Sacto.) on Monday, May 28th at 10 am. Following Mass will be a patriotic presentation at the Veterans Section of the Cemetery.
2. SACTO CLASSIC 4TH ANNUAL BASKETBALL GAME - Priests vs Seminarians: Wednesday, May 30th. See poster is in the church entrance for event details, times, location and ticket information
3. COLLAR CUP SOCCER MATCH - Priests vs Seminarians: Saturday, June 23rd at Papa Murphy's Park (Exposition Blvd.). Gates open at 3:30 p.m. Event includes Vigil Mass, soccer match then a professional soccer game in the evening. To purchase tickets, go to www.CollarCup.com or call (916) 733-0258. See poster in the church entrance.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY - GN 3:9-15, 20; ACTS 1:12-14; PS 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7; JN 19:25-34
 TUESDAY - JAS 4:1-10; PS 55:7-8, 9-10A, 10B-11A, 23; GAL 6:14; MK 9:30-37
 WEDNESDAY - JAS 4:13-17; PS 49:20-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; JN 14:6; MK 9:38-40
 THURSDAY - JAS 5:1-6; PS 49:14-15AB, 15CD-16, 17-18, 19-20; See 1 THES 2:13; MK 9:41-50
 FRIDAY - JAS 5:9-12; PS 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; See JN 17:17B, 17A; MK 10:1-12
 SATURDAY - JAS 5:13-20; PS 141:1-2, 3 and 8; See MT 11:25; MK 10:13-16
 SUNDAY - DT 4:32-34, 39-40; PS 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22; ROM 8:14-17; RV 1:8; MT 28:16-20

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF GRACE

Pastor's Corner

The giving of the Spirit to the new people of God crowns the mighty acts of the Father in salvation history. The Jewish feast of Pentecost called all devout Jews to Jerusalem to celebrate their birth as God's chosen people in the covenant Law given to Moses at Sinai (see Leviticus 23:15-21; Deuteronomy 16:9-11).

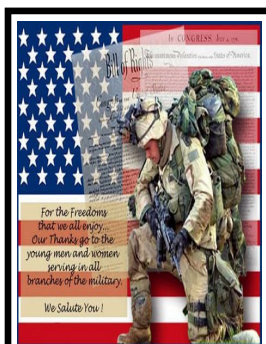
In today's First Reading, the mysteries prefigured in that feast are fulfilled in the pouring out of the Spirit on Mary and the Apostles (see Acts 1:14). The Spirit seals the new law and new covenant brought by Jesus, written not on stone tablets but on the hearts of believers, as the prophets promised (see Jeremiah 31:31-34; 2 Corinthians 3:2-8; Romans 8:2). The Spirit is revealed as the life-giving breath of the Father, the Wisdom by which He made all things, as we sing in today's Psalm.

In the beginning, the Spirit came as a "mighty wind" sweeping over the face of the earth (see Genesis 1:2). And in the new creation of Pentecost, the Spirit again comes as "a strong, driving wind" to renew the face of the earth.

As God fashioned the first man out of dust and filled him with His Spirit (see Genesis 2:7), in today's Gospel we see the New Adam become a life-giving Spirit, breathing new life into the Apostles (see 1 Corinthians 15:45, 47). Like a river of living water, for all ages He will pour out His Spirit on His body, the Church, as we hear in today's Epistle (see also John 7:37-39). We receive that Spirit in the sacraments, being made a "new creation" in Baptism (see 2 Corinthians 5:17; Galatians 6:15).

Drinking of the one Spirit in the Eucharist (see 1 Corinthians 10:4), we are the first fruits of a new humanity—fashioned from out of every nation under heaven, with no distinctions of wealth or language or race, a people born of the Spirit.

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BLESS AND PROTECT OUR MILITARY, O LORD

Please Pray for:

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| Nash Bulaong | Thomas Burkstrand | Brian Chrisman |
| Shelby DeLamora | Jason Enjambre | Zachary Evans |
| Angelo Garcia | Mikayla George | Lawrence Hermosa |
| Anthony Huggins | Diana Jacinto | Austin Mora |
| Wesley Paige | CeCe Pitts | Renald Rivera |
| Andrew Sawitsky | Terrin Vilhauer | Christian Watson |

And pray for their families, the Chaplains, first responders, police and firefighters who protect and serve.

There will be a 2nd collection the weekend of May 26th/27th for the Catholic Communication Campaign. Envelopes will be in the pews. Thank you for your consideration.



To everyone that purchased a rose for Mother's Day. All proceeds went to the Sacramento Life Center. Thank you also to the Respect Life Ministry for overseeing this event.



Please notify the Parish Office if you wish to add /remove a name.

WILLIAM CHUA LORNA ARUCAN	JOVEN LAWRENCE MILLIE CENTERS	STEVE PALMER RHODA DAVIDSON	ANA RAMIREZ-PALMER SONJA CRAIGHTON
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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, May 19th at 5:30 p.m.	For All of Our Ministries and the work they do
SUNDAY, May 20th at 9:00 a.m.	For Michael D'Angel +
at 11:00 a.m.	For All Parishioners
at 4:30 p.m.	For Rocky & Chris Giantasio +
TUESDAY, May 22nd at 7:00 a.m.	For All Students taking Placement and Academic exams
WEDNESDAY, May 23rd at 7:00 a.m.	For the well being of our parishioners in the community
THURSDAY, May 24th at 7:00 a.m.	For the Needy and Homeless in our Community
FRIDAY, May 25th at 7:00 a.m.	No School Mass

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 26th
 5:30 p.m. -- Jim Martone, Glenn Mochel, David Pitts
 Sunday, May 27th
 9:00 a.m. -- Anna Beall, Michael Beall, Michael Rivera, Sandy Westlake
 11:00 a.m. -- Trudy Connolly, Fidel Martinez, Judie Martinez, Frances Villanueva
 4:30 p.m. -- Isabella Zink

LECTOR SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 26th
 5:30 p.m. -- Millie Centers, Carolyn Tagupa, Carolyn Tagupa
 Sunday, May 27th
 9:00 a.m. -- Rose Lloyd, Fay Landry, Maureen Girard
 11:00 a.m. -- Mike McFeely, Cindy Fabonan, Wilma Bulaong
 4:30 p.m. -- Dennison Ocampo, Annie Hoang, Annie Hoang

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 26th
 5:30 p.m. -- Francesco Giordano
 Sunday, May 27th
 9:00 a.m. -- Louise Hernandez, Steven Barrow, Catherine Barrow
 11:00 a.m. -- Chloe Tanner, Chase Tanner, Ryan Fritz
 4:30 p.m. -- Kate Zink

CHILDREN'S LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 27th
 9:00 a.m. - Natalie/Megan J. 11:00 a.m. - Mrs. G./Barbara 4:30 p.m. - Cara

Weekly Budget Goal = \$4,271.00; Collections for May 13, 2018 = \$3,174.00

Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help: Wednesdays; Rosary & Novena, 6:00 pm followed by Mass (Church).

Bereavement Ministry: Call the Parish Office 916-371-4814 as needed.

Bible Study: Tuesdays, 7:00 pm (Parish Center) covering "Revelation".

Catholic Faith Formation: Tuesdays, 5:30 - 6:45 pm (Sept 5, 2017 thru May 22, 2018); for K-5 & Confirmation Prep for 6th - 8th (School).

Graced Youth Ministry - Every other Sunday, 6:00 pm (School Gym).

Moms Ministry: 3rd Sunday of the month, 6:30 - 7:30 pm (Parish Center).

Mom's Ministry Bible Study: Call the Parish Office 916-371-4814 for session times.

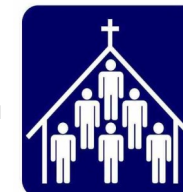
OLG Prayer Meeting: 2nd thru 5th Fridays of the month, 7:00 pm (OLG School Chapel).

RCIA: Thursdays, 5:30 pm (Parish Center); Mondays Inquiry, 7:00 pm. (Parish Center).

Respect Life Ministry: 3rd Thursday of the month, 6:30 pm (Church Rectory).

St. Vincent de Paul: 2nd Thursday of the month, 6:30 pm (Church Rectory).

Women's Council: 1st Tuesday of the month, 7:00 pm (Parish Center).



Vacation Bible School - Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus.
 June 11-15, 2018 at Holy Cross, 800 Todhunter Avenue, WS. Visit www.vbspro.events/p/olgvbs2018 to register. Register early because space is limited. Registration open to kids 4 yrs to 6th grade. Volunteers needed (7th gr. in the fall to Adults). Flyers will be handed out after Masses for the next 2 weeks. Hope to see you ere!