

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church



14085 Peyton Drive, Chino Hills, CA 91709
(909) 465-5503 • FAX (909) 465-1683
E-mail: info@sptacc.org • Web site: sptacc.org

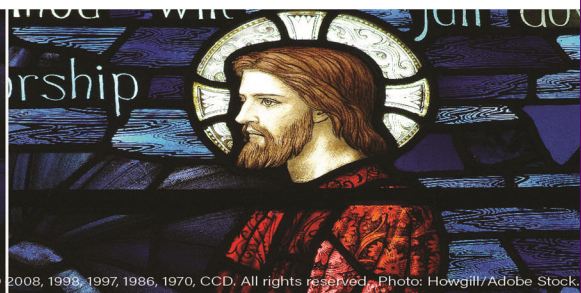
OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Faith Community, Baptized into Jesus Christ, formed by Word and Sacrament, and Empowered by the guidance of the Holy Spirit, Seek to be a visible sign of God's love. We seek to build the Kingdom of God by: Using our unique gifts to minister to one another, Welcoming all and caring for those in need, Teaching our faith to others and Uniting in worship as a family with the Body of Christ.

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him.

MARK 1:12-13

© J. S. Paluch Co., Inc. • Excerpts from the *Lectioary for Mass* © 2008, 1998, 1997, 1986, 1970, CCD. All rights reserved. Photo: Howgill/Adobe Stock.



DEAR HOLY PEOPLE OF GOD:

Now is **LENT** – and today is the **FIRST SUNDAY!** It was launched on **ASH WEDNESDAY**. Due to restrictions buoyed up by COVID-19 pandemic, you might have received the **Ashes** in many forms; but in whatever form the **Ashes** were received, the accompanying words are the same: **“Repent and believe in the Gospel!”**

This phrase: **“Repent and believe in the gospel”** is a **LENTEN** invitation of our **“homecoming to God’s loving heart.”** It’s surrendering our hearts to God, and let God recreate them according to his divine designs, as we pray: **“A clean heart create for me, O God, and a steadfast spirit renew within me.”** (Ps 51:12)

To accompany us in our **“homecoming to God’s heart,”** read this story:

Maria, a single mother, carried the burden of caring for her daughter, Christina. When Christina came of age, she became fixated on a city life. Maria knew the big city and what it would take for Christina to survive and constantly warned her to stay home.

But one day, Maria woke up to find Christina gone. Maria, immediately went to the city to find her daughter. But she didn’t know where to look; so before she left, she went to a photo booth and took as many pictures of herself as she could afford. Then, she went to the city. Everywhere she went – bars, clubs, and hotels, she hung a picture of herself until she ran out of money and pictures. And she went home with a broken heart.

Later, her daughter Christina was leaving a hotel after a long night. Life had caught up with her; she became disoriented, and decided to go home. As she exited a hotel, she saw her mother’s picture on a wall; took it down, and found a note on the back of it with her mother’s handwriting that simply said: **“Christina, wherever you are and whatever you’ve done, it doesn’t matter, I LOVE YOU! Please come home.”** And Christina, with a changed heart, went home.

Visualize this: when we’re lost God took a picture of himself – named it Jesus, and God hung it in a visible spot – the **CROSS**. If you’re lost, look at the **cross** and listen to God:

**“Wherever you are,
whatever you’d done, it doesn’t matter,
I LOVE YOU!
Please come HOME!”**

Fellow pilgrims: **“TRUST GOD!”** Come home! And while you are on your way home, God has already created a place for you in his heart!

Blessings!

Fr. Romy Seleccion, MS, Pastor

FIRST LENT
SUNDAY OF
FEBRUARY 21, 2021

Mass Intentions & Readings for the Week

First Sunday of Lent

Saturday, February 20

Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

People of the Parish, Frank & Priska Szabo,
Oliver & Elliot Cendejas,
†Mariano & Gorgonia Castro,
†Arthur & Letancia Rivada, †Doris Lasala,
†Sinforiana Raz, †Shalla de Guzman,
†Pedro & Juana Capones,
†Gregorio Inciong, †Juan DeLaRocha,
†Rafael Diaz, †Jazmine Geotina,
†Mike Gonzales, †Joaquin Ramirez,
†Delia Tayag, †Edwin Tang

Sunday, February 21

Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15

1st Sunday of Lent; Rite of Election;

Rite of Calling the Candidates

to Continuing Conversion; Rite of Sending

Alejandro & Imelda Vicencio, Maria Lopez,
†Ulpiano & Petra De Vera,
†Lauro & Nieves De Vera,
†Cedric & Laura Bautista, †Ana Palencia,
†Shalla de Guzman, †George Ronquillo,
†Francisco & Remedios Cruz,
†Teresita Parpana, †Hipolito Rizado,
†Evelyn Minogue, †Sylvia Ciolino,
†Jesus Hernandez, †Irene Ocampo,
†Jason Capones, †Esther Oppus,
†Toshiko Spence, †Carmen Castillo,
†Artemio Domingo, Jr.

Monday, February 22

1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19

Washington's Birthday;

Julian Calendar Lent begins

8:00 a.m. †Louise Cortes, †Shalla de Guzman,
†Efren & Suzita Chya, †George Ronquillo

Tuesday, February 23

Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15

St. Polycarp

8:00 a.m. Michael Urgo, Emerita de Guzman,
†Virgilio Pasillao, †Shalla de Guzman

† Deceased

Wednesday, February 24

Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32

8:00 a.m. Ambrose Trenado, Jim Zoeter,
Sonia Pacis, †Shalla de Guzman

Thursday, February 25

Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12

8:00 a.m. Dalusong Family, Brandon Urgo,
†Olga Bermudez, †Vitaliano Castillo

Friday, February 26

Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-8; Mt 5:20-26

Abstinence

8:00 a.m. Sonia Pacis, Eli Ocampo,
†Shalla de Guzman, †Amalia Paras

Saturday, February 27

Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

St. Gregory of Narek

Ching Gutierrez, Leni & Lucia Basilio,
Anthony Tapay, Sonia Pacis,
Rosenio Medenilla, Lina Medenilla,
†Sinforiana Raz, †Shalla de Guzman,
†Doris Lasala, †Vincent Castillo,
†Delia Tayag, †Wiro Jailego, Sr.,
†Marcia Triana, †Alfredo Rosales,
†Maria Tomasa Garcia, †Mamerto Buhay,
†Mariano Buhay, †Dorothea Buhay,
†Emmanuel Garcia, †Lupe Garcia

Sunday, February 28

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116:10,
15-19; Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

2nd Sunday of Lent

For the People of the Parish,
Mark & Gina Ocampo, Jose Madrigal,
Garrido Family, Irene Alvarado,
Tapay Family, †Jesus & Milagros Rodulfo,
†Shalla de Guzman, †Hipolito Rizado,
†Sylvia Ciolino, †Marieta Hammerly,
†Dionisio Vardeleon, †Art Azarcon,
†Maria Chavez, †Delia Tayag,
†Marcia Triana, †Daralus Tarapore,
†Pedro Gonzalez, †Rafael Maldonado,
†Rosa Campiran

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

THE SICK AND SUFFERING: Yvonne Acosta, Ana Alvarado, Elvira Alvarez, Luis Arieta, Isabel Ayala, Luis Barahona, Leni Basilio, Leodi Basilio, Joe Bok, Clarissa Borromeo, Jeanette Byczek, Allison Carlos, Cella Family, Ernesto Cruz, Dean Crawford, Maria Dalusong, Gus Davila, Jenny Dicar, John Eagan, Charlie Field, Wayne Fisher, Thomas Galvan, Jr., Alex Garcia, Roberto Garcia, Harvey & Patricia Geiss, Jose Guadalupe Guerrero, Jon Hosea, Juan Jimenez, Gonzalo Jurado, Leo de Leon, Marlene Lombardo, Frank Lopez, Louise Lopez, Fr. Michael Maher, ss.cc., Joe Manzanares, Larry McCann, Fr. Pat O'Hagan, ss.cc., Raymond Henderson, Lina Medenillo, Rosenio Medenillo, Kathy Moreno, Sonia Pacis, Charlie Perez, Janelita Picar, Susie Pinter, Bart Ramos, Candy Randall, George Rodriguez, Judy Sacaris, Roy Singzon, Joe Tolido, Danny Triana, Stephanie Tribe, Nattalie Vignoni, Dcn Paul Von Ins, James & Mary Watson, Sheila Williams and Anthony White.

DECEASED: Sharon Haeflinger and Rachelle Miranda.

THE PREGNANT WOMEN AND ALL THE NEW MOMS OF OUR PARISH: If you would like prayers, support, meals and a gift after your baby is born, contact Alexandra Latten Argosino at 707-416-3311, Elizabeth Ministry.

**IMPORTANT
NOTICE**

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED THROUGH
MARCH 1, 2021**

Due to the Governor's Regional Closure Directives, the Parish Office will be closed to the public.

Please contact the Parish Office; and we will continue to assist you.



The Ignite Team invites all 4th – 6th graders to B.L.A.S.T: Building Lives Around Sound Truth.

Join us for games, lessons, bible challenges and friends. Come to our kickoff session on **Wednesday, February 24th at 6:30 p.m. on zoom** as we discover **God's Power!**

To sign up, visit the parish website or contact Hannah at granados.hannah.99@gmail.com

JOURNEY OF HOPE

The San Bernardino Catholic Divorce Ministry is offering a Divorce Support Group "Journey of Hope" for anyone to join by Zoom. This group is led by facilitators from St. Paul the Apostle.

Journey of Hope is a 6-Week Program to support those going through the emotional pain of divorce and separation. Key challenges and unique family dynamics as a result of this unexpected journey will be addressed as well as a safe environment to share concerns and reconnect with understanding and a new hope.

**Wednesdays, March 3rd - April 14th
7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**

See parish website for more information or contact us via email at CDM@sdiocese.org



**Knights of Columbus
Chino Valley Council #10234**

***Grab-n-Go
Burrito Breakfast
Today, Sunday
After the 9:00 a.m.***

Virtual Mass and Communion

***Chorizo, Hash-Browns, Eggs & Cheese
Sausage, Hash-Browns, Eggs & Cheese
Hash-Browns, Eggs & Cheese***

\$5.00 each

(Includes Bottled Water and Salsa)

All sales will be COVID-19 Compliant.

2020 TAX LETTER



If you would like to obtain your **2020 Contribution Tax Letter** and your donations are less than \$250, call the Parish Office at 909-465-5503 leave your name and telephone number.

Contributions Tax Letters over \$250 have been mailed.

Thank you for your support through the year!!

FIRST SUNDAY OF

Lent

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert,
and he remained in the
desert for forty days,
tempted by Satan.

He was among wild beasts,
and the angels ministered to him.

Mark 1:12-13

**FEBRUARY
21
2021**

Copyright © U.S. Catholic Co., Inc. Printed in the United States of America. All rights reserved. No part of this publication may be reproduced without written permission from the publisher.

Mass Intentions



The **Schedule of Mass Intentions** for the month of **March, 2021** is now available. Please contact the Parish Office!!

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The **Sacrament of Reconciliation** will be on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays**, beginning at **9:15 a.m.** and ending at **10:30 a.m.** (**OR** when the line of those waiting to receive *Reconciliation* ends, whichever comes first).

At this time, **ALL** celebrations of this sacrament will be **OUTDOORS**. Also, a minimum 6' (six foot), physical distancing between the priest and penitent must be maintained.

Everyone coming to receive the *Sacrament of Reconciliation*, **MUST**:

- Be wearing a **mask** that completely covers the nose and mouth areas.
- Maintain the 6' (six foot) physical distancing between all persons present (noted exception: those who are living in the same house).

The location for the *Sacrament of Reconciliation* will be just **outside** the entrance doors of the Church at Entry Gate #1, just off of Boys Republic Drive (see illustration).

If the above noted days and times are not convenient, an appointment may also be made to celebrate the *Sacrament of Reconciliation*. Please note that there will be **NO INDOOR** celebrations of the *Sacrament of Reconciliation* at this time.



PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION



St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Pre-school is enrolling new students for our 2020-2021 school year.

Contact the Director, Chrissy Stutzman at cstutzman@sptacc.org for more information.

BEREAVEMENT "SEASONS OF HOPE"

The Bereavement Ministry Support Group continues to meet via Zoom. **Meetings are on the 2nd and 4th Monday of every month from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** If you or someone you know are experiencing a loss, please contact Leeza Montoya at 714-342-8418 for information. Our next Zoom meeting will be held on **tomorrow, Monday, February 22nd**.

~Bereavement Grief Share Ministry

GRUPO DE ORACION "JESUS ENTRE NOSOTROS"

Te invita a tener un encuentro con Dios a través de la Oración, el Rosario y la Formación.

Nos reunimos por la plataforma virtual del Zoom todos los **Martes de 7:00 a 8:30 p.m.** Para más información, comuníquese con Angélica y Miguel al 909-973-8531 o con Marcelo al 909-917-8135.

Unidos en el camino para una conversión.

SPANISH PRAYER GROUP

Invites you to have an encounter with God through Prayer, Rosary and Formation.

We meet via Zoom every **Tuesday from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** For more information, contact Angelica and Miguel at 909-973-8531 or Marcelo at 909-917-8135.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS. THEY MAKE OUR BULLETIN POSSIBLE!!



Mass Schedule

SATURDAY

4:00pm – Livestream (*English*)
5:00pm – In Person
 6:30pm – Livestream (*Spanish*)

SUNDAY

7:00am – In Person
 9:00am – Livestream and **VCL***
1:00pm – In Person **Spanish**
3:00pm – In Person
5:00pm – In Person

You will need to reserve your seat through our Parish Website seating system. The reservation system enables us to have immediate contact tracing should the need arise. It also ensures that we do not exceed the maximum number of people for each mass and we will not have to “turn anyone away” from attending the Mass since their seat is already reserved. **NOTE:** If for some reason you will not be able to attend the Mass, please be considerate and **cancel** your reservation, so that someone else may attend the **“In Person”** Mass. Thank you.

* – **VEHICLE COMMUNION LINE**

- ♦ The *Vehicle Communion Line* is a **direct continuation** of the 9:00 a.m. Livestream Mass. In order to receive Communion (Eucharist), you **MUST:**
- ♦ Have already received your First Communion
- ♦ Have participated fully and completely in the 9:00 a.m. Livestream Mass (i.e., watched and responded throughout the Livestream Mass)
- ♦ Be in a state of grace
 Meet the *Eucharistic Fast* requirements (e.g., no food or beverages for **1 hour before** you receive the Eucharist. Noted exception: water and medication)
- ♦ All cars will enter through Gate #1 on Boys Republic Drive.
 You will **NOT** be parking, but simply entering into the *Vehicle Communion Line*.
 Please follow the directions of all *Guidance Ministers* as they direct you to one of the Communion distribution points.
- ♦ Please be aware that you **will** be exiting your vehicle in order to receive Communion (unless you have great difficulty walking).
- ♦ Please be aware that there is **NO** “upper age limit.” If you meet **all** of the above requirements and you are in good health (i.e., have no symptoms of illness – such as fever, cough, etc.), you are welcome to receive communion.
- ♦ In keeping with Diocesan guidelines, at this time, Communion will be given **in the hand only**.

Finally, we ask that you bring **hand sanitizer** with you and make sure that everyone in the vehicle is wearing a **face mask** that completely covers your nose and mouth.

ST PAUL THE APOSTLE

VIRTUAL 5K

~~February 17~~ - March 17

\$25: Price Includes 5k Shirt

RUN/WALK WITH
ST. PAUL

Register at sptacc.org or Eventbrite
 Stay Connected at [Facebook.com/sptacc](https://www.facebook.com/sptacc) or
 Email: RunwithStPaul@gmail.com

What is a Virtual Race? A virtual race is a race you run, jog, or walk on the road, trail, treadmill, track, or any location you choose. You get to run your own race, at your own pace, and time it yourself.

Temptations

Mark 1:12-15 states, "At once the Spirit drove him out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him."

As Catholics, we recognize Jesus' suffering and his journey throughout the desert. It's seen how the devil's intention was for Jesus to make himself "number one" with only focusing on himself. As we know, Jesus' goal in life was to value his Father and always regard him as "number one." We too are called to honor God's name by spending time with, praying to, and trusting in Him.

While we are all still in quarantine, we often recognize our faults, mistakes, and complaints. When we talk to our family and friends, we mostly discuss the things we miss and issues we continue to face. Quarantine has not only taken a toll on our mental health, but has also increased our temptations. We can see how this pandemic has tested our ability to follow through with Christ's plan for us. We have certain temptations to do things we know we aren't supposed to do. Sometimes, we want to travel and go see our friends without having to cover our faces. Sometimes, we wish we could socialize and see someone else's smile again.

During this Lent season, let us take these 40 days to better ourselves. Let us take these 40 days to truly spend time with our Lord. Let us utilize this time to better our relationship with God and the people around us. Let us take this quarantine as a blessing.

May we find peace knowing that Jesus is here with us. May we trust in His plan for ourselves and for our world.

BIBLE STUDY
BIBLE STUDY
BIBLE STUDY

BY FR. JOSEPH
 TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23
 7PM-8PM

Please email ramon.cordoba1996@gmail.com
 for more info or follow us on social media
 @saintpaulyam

Spark Night
The Three Pillars of Lent

Friday, February 26th | 5:00 to 6:00 pm

Zoom Code: 651 625 9503

Email ramon.cordoba@gmail.com for
 the password!



OFICINA PARROQUIAL CERRADA HASTA EL 1^{RO} DE MARZO

Debido a la Clausura del Mandato Regional del Gobernador, la Oficina Parroquial estará cerrada al público.

Comuníquese con la Oficina; para continuar asistiéndole.

HERMANOS EN CRISTO CAMINEMOS CON JESÚS

Que estos 40 días sean para abrir el corazón al hermano que sufre y a la misericordia de Dios.

Los invitamos a unirnos en oración, para acompañar a Jesús en su viacrucis. Todos los Viernes hasta el **2 de Abril a las 7:00 p.m.** por la plataforma virtual del Zoom.

Meeting ID: 89623583206

Password: María

Monica Alatorre: 909-720-9568

Maricela Castañeda: 626-244-4432

SANTO ROSARIO

Acompáñanos todos los **miércoles** a rezar el Santo Rosario, unidos como una cadena que nos une el Cielo y la tierra uno de cuyos extremos está en nuestras manos y el otro en las manos de la Santísima Virgen. Oremos por nuestras necesidades y las del mundo.



Desde tu hogar en compañía de tu familia, transmitido por medio del **Zoom a las 7:00 p.m.**

ID para la Reunión : 89623583206

Contraseña: María

Sagrada Familia

Maricela Castañeda: 626-244-4432

Monica Alatorre: 909-720-9568

Bertha Palma: 909-438-6567



BISHOP AMAT HIGH SCHOOL

Co-educational, Catholic High School

Invites you to attend
an Information/Open House Session
Wednesday, February 24, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

Join us virtually to learn more about our
Academic, Athletic, and Extra Curricular
Activities Programs

Take a virtual tour of our campus

CLASS OF 2025 APPLICATION DEADLINE - March 10, 2021

ENTRANCE TEST - Saturday, March 13, 2021

14301 Fairgrove Ave. • La Puente, CA
www.bishopamat.org • (626)-962-2495

Visit the Bishop Amat website for more information.
To register for our virtual Information Session/Open house [click here](#). Please contact Mrs. Monica Leon at 626-962-2495, Ext 7449 or mleon@bishopamat.org for more information.

MINISTRY FOR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS WITH GAY AND LESBIAN CATHOLICS (MFGLC)

FELLOWSHIP MEETING

March 4, 2021

from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Guest Speaker: **Sunny Sanchez**

Topic: **"Intro to the ABC's of LGBTQ+"**

*Bilingual Presentation

We are a ministry that serves Catholics in the Diocese of San Bernardino who are seeking faith and spiritual support, accompaniment, and Catholic resources concerning Lesbian and Gay issues. We promote respect, compassion, sensitivity, and inclusivity and emphasize the inherent dignity of all persons. We strive to provide a safe space for dialogue and welcome all who would like to learn more or simply have questions about this ministry that celebrates more than 20 years of service.

For more information and/or to obtain the Zoom meeting ID and passcode: mfglc@sbdiocese.org or call 909-475-5448.

Repent *and* Believe

Do you ever have the experience of hearing one of the stories from the Gospels for the hundredth time and suddenly realizing how strange it is?

Often, we have heard these stories since we were children, and that they can go in one ear and out the other without much notice. We can go our whole life without realizing how strange Jesus really was.

This Sunday we have one such Gospel reading. Every Lent we hear this story of Jesus going to the desert for forty days to be tempted by Satan. But isn't this an odd thing for Jesus to do? Why would he intentionally go out into the desert like this?

In her wisdom, the Church gives us this reading at the beginning of Lent because Jesus is giving us an example of what the season of Lent is meant to be for us. Lent is a time to remember the reality of our life on earth. In the way that Lent prepares us for Easter, our life on earth is meant to prepare us for heaven – the eternal Easter. We are battling against evil in the desert of this world, with the hope of the resurrection on the other side. Lent draws us into this reality and prepares us for this battle.

DISCUSSION: Please watch the short *Opening the Word* video at sptacc.formed.org

Think of your own life and the places
the Lord is calling you to repentance

and deeper conversion. How can you arrange your prayer, fasting, and almsgiving during Lent in a way that actually helps you move closer to that conversion?

PRAYER: Consider the Gospel story for today. Imagine Jesus's life for those forty days, and his love for you that drove him into the desert in the first place. Then think of the moment when he emerged and began to announce his Kingdom was at hand.

Take a word that comes to mind and reflect a moment on what it means to you personally. For example, you might have been drawn to the words, "Repent, and believe in the gospel." Ask yourself what they mean in your own life. How is Jesus calling you to repentance this Lent so that you can believe more deeply that the Kingdom of God is here?

RESOLUTION: It takes courage to admit our sins and our weaknesses. We long so deeply to be loved, and we are often afraid that our imperfections make us unlovable. This fear often prevents us from admitting our sins keeping us enslaved to Satan and our hearts closed off from the Lord's mercy.

Recall Jesus's words to St. Faustina, "Always fight with the deep conviction that I am with you." When we remember that God is with us in our fight against sin, and that he will always love us, repentance becomes effortless. His "perfect love casts out



fear" (1 John 4:18). This week, call to mind the sins and weaknesses that you are ashamed to show even to God. Try to fight with the deep conviction that he is with you, and bring these things to the confessional with true repentance in your heart. Be sure to pay attention to the faith that grows in your heart as you repent.

DIGGING DEEPER: The Catechism says that to even begin to understand what sin is “one must first recognize the profound relation of man to God, for only in this relationship is the evil of sin unmasked” (CCC 386). Sin is a relational act of man to God that can only be understood when we ponder the reality of the type of relationship God wants to bestow on us.

Spiritual warfare is not an arbitrary battle, but a battle to accept the gift that God freely offers us. Satan tempts us to deny the Lord and the gifts that come from being made his sons and heirs. Will we say yes to Satan and his empty promises, or yes to being a child of God?

Reflections reprinted here with permission from Augustine Institute.



We encourage you to take notes as you reflect on this week readings / homily

21 DE FEBRERO DE 2021

*Jesús se fue a Galilea para predicar
el Evangelio de Dios y decía:
“Se ha cumplido el tiempo y
el Reino de Dios ya está cerca.
Arrepiéntanse y crean en el Evangelio”.*

Marcos 1:14-15

PRIMER CUARESMA

DOMINGO DE

Es muy probable que hoy tu sacerdote no te ofrezca este saludo, y tú no esperas recibirlo. ¿No es la Cuaresma un tiempo de arrepentimiento y reflexión? ¿Alrededor el color que decora es morado o púrpura y no hay “aleluyas”? ¿La oración, el ayuno y las obras de caridad, acompañan nuestra relación con Dios?

Sin embargo, es cierto que hay practicas cuaresmales que tienen un festivo entretelado con estos elementos penitenciales. Un ejemplo es el restablecimiento de antiguas practicas cuaresmales que integran la preparación final de las personas elegidas para recibir los sacramentos de Iniciación en la Pascua, el Bautismo, la Confirmación y la Eucaristía. La insistente predicación de Jesús en el Evangelio de Marcos llega poco después de su propio bautismo y nos recuerda que estos sacramentos siguen señalando un cambio radical en la vida de una persona: ellas han respondido a la predicación de Jesús acerca del reino y ahora están públicamente profesando ellos mismos ser discípulos del Señor y miembros iniciados plenamente de su Iglesia visible. La oración, el ayuno y las obras de caridad durante la Cuaresma fueron parte de esta preparación. El arrepentimiento era entonces, y nos recuerda hoy, también importante para aquellas

personas plenamente iniciadas; la labor del arrepentimiento, de examinar nuestras vidas por medio de la oración y de hacer los cambios en anticipación al reino de Dios, es un aspecto de nuestra vida en Cristo.

UNA SEGUNDA OPORTUNIDAD PARA CAUSAR UNA PRIMERA IMPRESIÓN

Otros cambios con el bautismo son más sutiles y personales. Cuando Noé y su familia salieron del arca, vieron que las aguas del diluvio habían bajado después de que limpiaron el mundo de la pecaminosidad humana. Todo estaba limpio y fresco, una nueva creación, con un arcoíris que garantizaba la promesa de Dios de nunca volver a destruir el mundo con agua. Así, también, los recién bautizados salen de la fuente bautismal y son ungidos con el crisma. Como la tierra después del diluvio, ahora son una creación nueva. Limpiados del pecado y ungidos con el crisma, son renovados, incorporados en la alianza de amor de Dios. Es por esto por lo que la Cuaresma es siempre, una anticipación festiva de la Pascua y siempre del bautismo, así como siempre del arrepentimiento que nos lleva más profundamente al reino de Dios.

Lecturas de hoy: Gn 9:8–15; Sal 25:4–5, 6–7, 8–9;
1 Pe 3:18–22; Mc 1:12–15



TV | INTERNET | VOICE

Call To Establish New Service

844-648-7796

©2016 Charter Communications
Cobalt Communications is an authorized Charter Retailer
Service not available in all areas

Now Open To Serve You **SEAFOOD RANCH GRILL** FOOD TO GO • DINE IN • CATERING

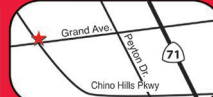
2120 Grand Ave., Ste. A, Chino Hills, CA 91709

909-590-7232

Corner of Grand Ave. & Chino Hills Pkwy. - Across "English Park"

Store Hours: Mon-Fri 9am-7:30pm • Sat 8am-6:30pm • Sun 8am-4:30pm

Filipino Food



**WE SERVE BREAKFAST
EVERYDAY**

catholicmatch[®]
California



CatholicMatch.com/myCA

Chino Tire & Muffler
Wheel Alignment - Tires
Disc Brake Specialists
Foreign & Domestic
13552 Central #C, Chino
—628-7115—



CRUM OPTOMETRIC GROUP, INC.
Serving The Residents Of Chino Hills Since 1992
Quality Eye Care For A Lifetime
(909) EYE TEST 393-8378
2581 Chino Hills Pkwy — Ralph's Center

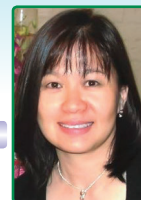
*We are here to provide **HEALTHY TEETH GUMS & BODY FOR A LIFETIME!***

- Health & Wellness • Teeth Whitening
 - Cosmetic Dentistry • Orthodontics
 - Oral Surgery • Root Canals
 - General & Preventive Dentistry
- STRICT STERILIZATION PRACTICED**

\$99 - 20 Minutes In-Office Teeth Whitening

Call Dr. Evelyn Catuira for an appointment
Loma Linda University Graduate (909) 396-5111

Find Us On Yelp, Facebook, Brighter.com (91765 Zip Code)



966 N. Diamond Bar Blvd., Diamond Bar **Catuira Family Dentistry**

LIFE INSURANCE WITH LIVING BENEFITS
Breathe easier with Living Benefits Life Insurance
Live Life Fully Covered.

PLAN FOR TODAY...PROTECT FOR TOMORROW!

Have life insurance already? No problem,
we can compare and it's free.

Call me Jaime, Lic. # 0J05833 626-589-2281 to learn more



Chino Hills Counseling

COMPASSIONATE CHRISTIAN CARE

Kari Halko-Weekes, Ph.D.
Licensed Psychologist
MFC34551 PSY22121
(909) 590-2260

www.chinohillscounseling.com

3833 Schaefer Ave. Suite K, Chino, CA 91710

A Division of Claremont Counseling and
Support Center. A Psychological Corporation



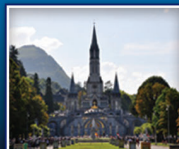
**BERT
FORTIER**

800-500-5332
Bert@gsloans.com

Purchase / Refinance Loans
\$0 Down, VA, FHA, Private \$\$\$
Age 62+ No Payments for Life
Age 62+ Line of Credit Option

Greystone Loans Inc.
www.gsloans.com

*LOW RATES NMLS# 248744
Usher 11:00 AM Mass DRE# 00186402



Catholic Cruises and Tours **and The Apostleship of the Sea** **of the United States of America**

Take your FAITH ON A JOURNEY.

Mass is included with all our tours

Catholic Cruises/Tours to Worldwide Destinations

- Holy Land Discovery
- Fatima, Lourdes and Shrines of Spain
- Grand Catholic Italy • Footsteps of Apostle Paul
- Shrines of Alpine Europe • Pilgrimage to Lourdes
- Scottish Highlands • Camino, A walking journey for the soul



Catholic Cruises and Tours



(CST 2117990-70)



www.CatholicCruisesandTours.com

Call us today at 860-399-1785 or email eileen@CatholicCruisesandTours.com

LOOKING TO MAKE A MOVE?



Gaby Islas

Realtor®
Hablo Español
gaby.islas@gmail.com
DRE# 01854184
Local Parishioner



(714) 315-6319

Life Matters

For more information go to www.usccb.org/respectlife

ONE PARISH

Grow in your faith,
find a Mass, and
connect with your
Catholic Community
with OneParish!



Download Our Free App or Visit
www.MY.ONEPARISH.com



Please Cut Out This "Thank You Ad" and Present It
The Next Time You Patronize One of Our Advertisers

Thank You

Thank you for advertising in our church bulletin.
I am patronizing your business because of it!

SPACE AVAILABLE

To Advertise Here...

Contact BERT AVELLANA today at
(800) 231-0805 • avellanab@jspaluch.com

J.S. Paluch
Company

TOM'S REMODELING & MORE



Kitchen/Bathroom
Home Repairs
Flooring/Molding

Tom Ward

Over 25 years experience

Always Free Estimates

909/973-6913

Local Parishioner

Support the Advertisers That Support Our Community

If You Live Alone You Need MDMedAlert!

24 Hour Protection at HOME and AWAY!

- ✓ Ambulance
- ✓ Police
- ✓ Fire
- ✓ Friends/Family

Solutions as Low as **\$19.95** a month
FREE Shipping
FREE Activation
NO Long Term Contracts



CALL NOW! **800.809.3352**

MDMedAlert
Safe-Guarding America's Seniors Nationwide

GPS Tracking w/Fall Detection
Nationwide, No Land Line Needed
EASY Set-up, NO Contract
24/7 365 Monitoring in the USA

Bernheim Law



Fernando J. Bernheim
ATTORNEY AT LAW

Free Initial Consultation

Parishioner Since 1989

"Protecting Individuals' Rights"

Personal Injury § Family Law § Criminal Law
Immigration Law § Living Trusts

Phone 909.949.1960 • Fax 909.949.2533 • BernheimLawFirm.com
MGR Office Plaza • 222 N. Mountain Ave., Ste. 108 • Upland, CA 91786

NETREALTY
Abby Ronquillo

Broker, GRI, CRS, SFR, ABR
(949) 701-9992 | abby@netrealty.com | www.netrealty.com
420 N. Main Street, Suite 114, Corona, CA 92880



CalDRE #01889111

WHY IS IT

A man wakes up after sleeping
under an ADVERTISED blanket
on an ADVERTISED mattress
and pulls off ADVERTISED pajamas
bathes in an ADVERTISED shower
shaves with an ADVERTISED razor
brushes his teeth
with ADVERTISED toothpaste
washes with ADVERTISED soap
puts on ADVERTISED clothes
drinks a cup
of ADVERTISED coffee
drives to work
in an ADVERTISED car
and then . . .
refuses to ADVERTISE
believing it doesn't pay.
Later if business is poor
he ADVERTISES it for sale.
WHY IS IT?

Protecting **Seniors**
Nationwide

Medical Alert System



\$29.95/MO. billed quarterly

- One Free Month
- No Long-Term Contract
- Price Guarantee
- Easy Self Installation

Call Today! Toll Free 1.877.801.8608



PIERCE BROTHERS CRESTLAWN
MEMORIAL PARK and MORTUARY

Se Habla Español 951-689-1441 FD 1343 & COA 503
11500 Arlington Ave. Riverside, CA 92505 www.PierceBrosCrestlawn.com

GREENHILLS

MARKET & FAST FOOD

Authentic Filipino Groceries – Great Selection of Custom Cut Meats & Fresh Seafood
Popular Filipino Food, Snacks & Desserts – Seafood Steaming & Grilling

FREE: Meat Deboning/Slicing/Cutting **FREE:** Frying for Fish, Jumbo Squid & Shrimp

(909) 923-2385 Website: GreenhillsMarket.blogspot.com

Serving Chino Valley Since 2002

BREAKFAST SERVED DAILY

STORE HOURS: **MONDAY-SATURDAY 9AM-8PM, SUNDAY 9AM-6PM**

FILIPINO CATERING IS OUR SPECIALTY

2401 S. VINEYARD AVE. SUITE C ONTARIO, CA 91761 - NEXT TO SEARS OUTLET (RIGHT OFF 60 FWY. AT VINEYARD)

FINDaPARISH.com

Check It Out Today!

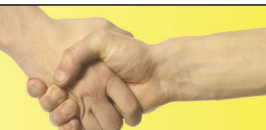
Consider Remembering
Your Parish in Your Will.

For further information,
please call the Parish Office.

**The Most Complete
Online National
Directory of
Catholic Parishes**

Please Patronize

The Sponsors Who Appear On This Bulletin.
It Is Through Their Support That This Bulletin Is Made Possible.
Business Owners Interested In Advertising Please Call
J.S. Paluch at 1-800-231-0805



St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

Pastor Fr. Romy Seleccion, MS
Parochial Vicar: Fr. Michael Fredericks
 Fr. Joseph Pilotin, MS
Deacons Deacon Pat Martinez
 Deacon Tony Moralez
 Deacon Gary Quinn
 Deacon John Duffy
Parish Manager Manny Perez, Jr.
Parish Ministries Dir Paulina Espinosa (ext. 313)
Audio Visual Michael Palacios (ext. 330)
Catechetical Min. Dir Jeanie Kiefer (909) 325-8900
Music Coordinator Erika Regalado (ext. 335)
Preschool Director Chrissy Stutzman
 (909) 325-8950

Young Adult Ministry

Youth Ministry Ramon Cordoba (ext. 343)

Parish Office Hours:

Monday thorough Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday: Closed

Weekend Masses:

- **Saturday:** 4:00 p.m. *(English/Livestreamed)*
- 5:00 p.m. *(English/Courtyard)*
- 6:30 p.m. *(Spanish/Livestreamed)*
- **Sunday:** 7:00 a.m. *(English/Courtyard)*
- 9:00 a.m. *(English/Livestreamed)*

Vehicle "Communion Distribution" after this **Mass Only**

1:00 p.m. *(Spanish Courtyard)*

3:00 p.m. *(English/Courtyard)*

5:00 p.m. *(English/Courtyard)*

Weekday Masses:

- Monday through Friday: 8:00 a.m.
(English/Livestreamed)

Holy Day Masses:

Check the bulletin for the schedule.

Eucharistic Adoration:

- Adoration: First Fridays Only

Reconciliation:

- Tuesday & Thursday from 9:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
 Contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment with a priest.

Baptisms:

Contact the Parish Office for more information and requirements.

Marriages:

Six months advance notice. Contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Sick Calls:

Contact the Parish Office to schedule.

Funerals: Contact the Parish to make arrangements.

MINISTRY	CONTACT	PHONE
Community		
Boy Scouts	Edzel Fuertez	909-519-4958
Cub Scouts	Monica Palmisano	310-749-5575
Filipino Catholics	Romy Reyes, Jr.	951-505-1605
Finance Council		
Grupo Hispano	Sinai Martinez	714-768-4817
Harvest Festival	Raoul & Melinda Raymundo	909-590-7339
Marriage Enrichment	Alain & Nerissa Valdellon	714-887-6924
Pastoral Council	John Steins	323-377-2945
Special Needs Families	Kareem & Amy Zoque	909-597-1507
Faith Formation		
Catholics Returning Home	Dan & Bernadette Burke	909-606-4047
Ignite Evangelization	Andy & Linda Lujan	909-376-9885
Men's Fellowship	Paul Hutchinson	909-628-4106
RCIA	Jerry Watson	951-264-9790
Sacred Hearts Secular Branch	Magda Vitale	626-664-4554
Small Faith Communities	Faye Wong	909-720-1167
Social Justice	Chris & Phyllis Floersch	424-337-2299
Women's Fellowship AM	Andrea Lucken	909-702-9781
Prayer		
Divine Mercy	Rick & Emily Jiao	909-248-8790
Eucharistic Holy Hour	Teresa Fahrenhorst	714-261-1147
Grupo de Oración	Miguel & Angelica Ortega	909-973-8531
Legion of Mary	Craig Steffes	714-883-0517
Legion of Mary (Chinese)	Esther Hwang	909-837-8533
Rosary Group	Lulu Enverga	909-497-0558
Vocations Committee	Jerome & Carol Murphy	909-315-8108
Christian Service		
Bereavement Grief Share	Leeza Montoya	714-342-8418
Cancer Support	Randy Candelaria	310-691-9853
Coffee and Donuts	Pat & Kathleen Hamamoto	909-217-4051
Divorced & Separated Ministry	Diane Dale	949-300-8931
Elizabeth Ministry	Alexandra Latten Argosino	707-416-3311
Knights of Columbus	Jim Dunkelman	909-489-8656
Knot Just a Prayer	Candace John	909-465-3157
Ministry to the Sick	Dcn. John & Tessie Duffy	909-993-7324
Respect Life & Family	Kelly Schlegel	909-896-6351
Restorative Justice	Pablo Alvarez	909-606-1317
Senior Adult Ministry	Zeny & Gilbert Ong	909-217-8526
St. Paul's Clothing Ministry	David & Maria Nunez	714-746-5137
St. Paul's Food Ministry	David & Maria Nunez	714-746-5137
Warm up St. Paul	Yolanda Ravega	909-952-8034
Liturgical		
Altar Servers	Annette Granados	909-568-8469
Environment	Raoul & Melinda Raymundo	909-590-7339
Eucharistic Ministry	Vincent Enverga	909-527-5734
Hospitality - Youth		
Hospitality (Ushers/Greeters)	Dennis Balich	909-591-1542
Lectors	Brenda Dunkelman	909-437-0284
Sacristans	Rick Quintero	909-374-0690