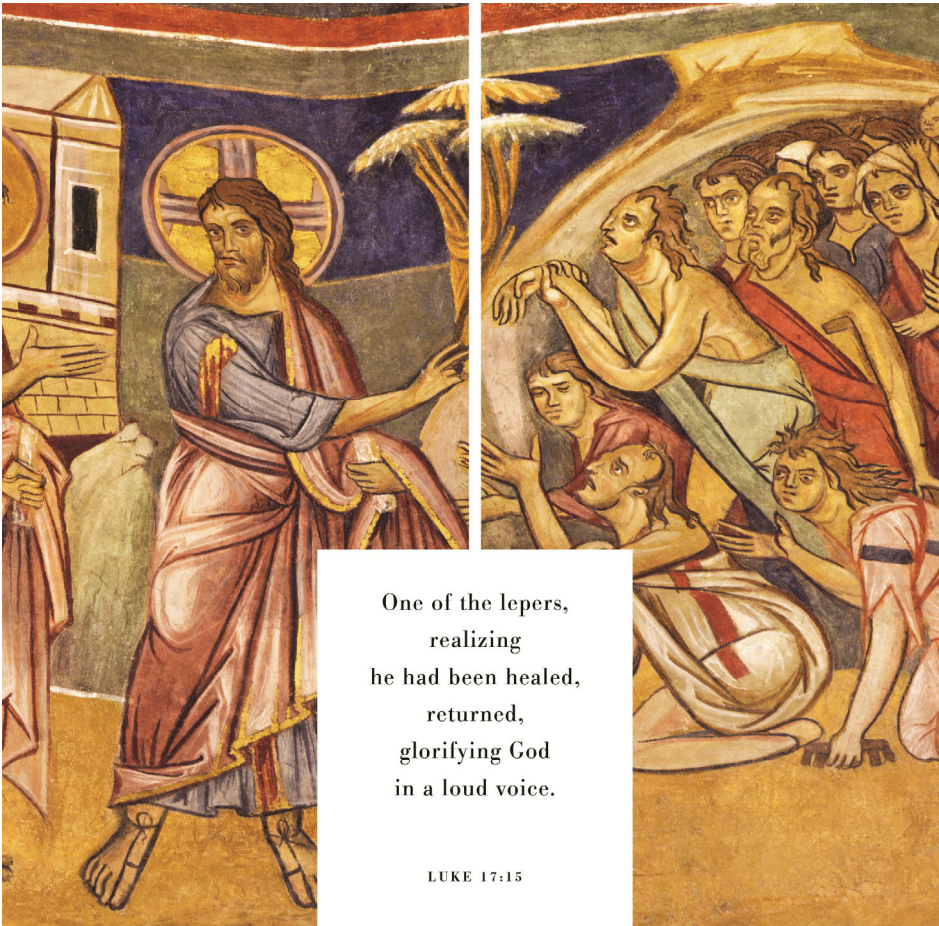


ST. JUSTIN PARISH

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One of the lepers,
realizing
he had been healed,
returned,
glorifying God
in a loud voice.

LUKE 17:15



Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil

5:00 p.m.

Sunday

7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m.,
12:15 and 7:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday

8:30 a.m.

Saturday

8:00 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation

8:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m.
and 7:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Or by appointment

Adoration Chapel

Monday-Friday
2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 13, 2019

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Whose generosity do you tend to take for granted? How will you change this?

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9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Closed for lunch
12:00 - 1:15 p.m.

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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Naaman and the leper who returned to Jesus saw God's hand in their healing. Only through God's intervention could they have been cured. Through this recognition of God's presence and action in their lives, they grew in faith. For what are you grateful? Pause for a moment to reflect on all of the blessings in your life. God is the source of these many blessings—life, love, gifts, and so much more. Of all the gifts for which we must be grateful, none is as great, or as astounding, as the gift of salvation offered to us through Jesus Christ. Let this sink in, not only in your mind but in your heart. Like Naaman and the leper who returned, allow yourself to be touched by the immense love of God for you.

ALL GOOD GIFTS

In the past few years, many have adopted the practice of keeping a gratitude journal. Sometimes, the journal-keeper uses a book that includes prompts that guide the user's reflection. Others simply keep a list or write brief reflections at the end of their day or week, recognizing the many things for which they are grateful. The action of seeking out the blessings of life creates a habit of attentiveness. We see what we seek. When we look for things for which to be grateful, we realize that we are surrounded by blessings. This is not only a good practice for our emotional

health and well-being. Recognizing our blessings and growing in gratitude for them is a deeply spiritual practice, through which we become attentive to God's presence and action in our lives. Gratitude can truly be a life-changer for us. As we grow in gratitude, we view the world through the perspective of abundance rather than scarcity. Without the habit of gratitude, we take things for granted. We get caught in an endless cycle of wanting more, rather than seeing all that we have.

ONE OR ONE OF THE NINE

Naaman and the leper also grasped that their grateful faith should lead them to respond in praise and to make a change in their life. Naaman vowed to put his faith in the Lord; the leper returned, glorifying God and thanking Jesus. Not all responded in thankful praise, however. The leper who returned was one of ten. The other nine went about their merry way, happy to be healed, but failing to acknowledge or express their gratitude to the Healer. Are you one, like Naaman and the leper who returned to Jesus, whose thankfulness leads you to faith and to faith-filled living? Or are you one of the nine, who takes for granted the gifts and blessings that surround you? For what are you grateful? What is your faithful and faith-filled response?

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WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT OCTOBER 6, 2019

Goal	\$12,500.00
1st Collection	\$9,028.40
Direct Deposit	\$1,493.00
Online Giving	\$1,548.00
Variance	-\$430.60

Upcoming Second Offerings
Your generosity is appreciated.
**Denotes Parish Second Collection.*

10/20	World Mission Sunday
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Go to our website at
www.st-justin.org  **Online Giving**
to make safe and
secure donations by credit card,
checking or savings.
We have 180 regular users!

**Come
Join Us!**

St. Justin Guadalupe Society

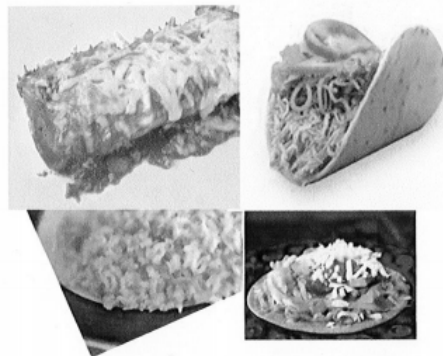
Tostada, Enchilada or Soft Taco Rice Plate Fundraiser

Sunday, October 20, 2019
before or after Masses

A delicious brunch or lunch

**We appreciate
your support**

A delicious breakfast



**Chicken Enchilada or
Chicken Soft Taco
Plate \$7.00
Tostada Plate \$6.00**

**Pan dulce with
Hot Mexican Chocolate
\$2.00**

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We pray for those
who are ill or
suffering from
loneliness, sadness,
or depression. We
pray for those who
care for them. We
pray for our deceased family and
friends. We pray for our men and
women who are serving in the
military.



*This week we pray especially for
those who are ill or preparing for
surgery:* Calvin Nicholas Choe,
David DeGroot, Mariana Dharma,
Kathleen F. Farinas, Maura Flosi,
Paul Hesselgrave, Gino Hernandez,
Michael Hernandez, Khinh Huynh,
Mary Kane, Zenaida Mendoza,
Rosemary Nemeth, Thomas
Pacheco, Henry Ponce, Gloria
Rohrig, Arthur Santoso, Pam
Seghieri, Theresa Thuy Tran,
Vincent Vergano, Traye Bi Youan

Mass Dedications for the Week of October 14th – October 20, 2019 + notes deceased

Monday 8:30 a.m.	Carmen Sonico +	Saturday 5:00 p.m.	No Intention
Tuesday 8:30 a.m.	Rodolfo Villarin +	Sunday 7:30 a.m.	No Intention
Wednesday 8:30 a.m.	Bernice Rutski + Theresa Thuy Tran	Sunday 9:00 a.m.	John G. Figueira, Jr. +
Thursday 8:30 a.m.	No Intention	Sunday 10:30a.m.	FOR ALL PARISHIONERS
Friday 8:30 a.m.	Guadalupe Madrid	Sunday 12:15 p.m.	Paul Boenardi Koesnadinata + Hendrata Family
Saturday 8:00 a.m.	Esther Garcia + Olga Garcia +	Sunday 7:00 p.m.	Caroline Mathews + Lyle April Roberts +

CATECHETICAL MINISTRY NEWS

Call or email Laura Ortiz, (408)296-1193 ext. 100, lortiz@dsj.org for registration information.

If you have any questions about our programs, contact Mary Kane at (408) 296-1193 ext. 104

GENERAL INFORMATION

*Catechesis is more than just religious education.
It is a life long journey towards a deeper
relationship with Christ.*



Our program seeks to bring children to Christ, to prepare them for the sacramental life of the church, and to help them understand our call to serve one another through social justice.

It's not too late to sign up for Ongoing Faith Formation Classes!

3's, 4's, K, and 1st Grade: Sunday, 9-10: a.m.

2nd– Jr. High: Sunday, 10:15-11:30 a.m.

Please drop off completed registration forms to the Parish Ministry Center.

Sacramental Preparation Program (2nd Grade and Up)

First Reconciliation and First Eucharist

- ◆ Your child must be baptized.
- ◆ You may register for this program if your child has already completed one full year of Ongoing Faith Formation with consistent attendance or was enrolled at a Catholic School last year.
- ◆ Concurrent enrollment in our Ongoing Faith Formation Program or a Catholic School.

Required Parent Meeting: October 13th at 4:00 p.m. PMC

High School Confirmation Program is Full!

Session: *"How do I know God is real?"*

5:30-7:00 p.m.

Parish Ministry Center



Please keep our candidates in your prayers.

RCIA (adapted for children)

If your child is seven years or older and unbaptized, we provide the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults adapted for children. Please contact the front office for more information.

CLOW (Children's Liturgy of the Word)

During the 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Sunday Masses, children are dismissed to the Parish Ministry Center Chapel for an age appropriate Liturgy of the Word. The children return to church during the Presentation of the Gifts.

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(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Our next meeting is **Tuesday, October 15th** at 7-8:30pm in the PMC. Come with any questions that you may have about faith, religion, and the Catholic Church. This program is for adults who are seeking baptism, or were baptized Catholic but have not celebrated the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. This is a process marked by liturgical rites that are celebrated with the community. This process is centered on the Sunday readings and includes attending Mass.



The next infant Baptism Preparation class is October 16th at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Ministry Center.

**Please call the Parish Office to register.
408-296-1193 ext. 100**

MINISTRY NEWS

COMMUNITY MINISTRY



Outreach Dinner

Our next Outreach Dinner will be taking place **Sunday, October 27.** It will begin at 1:30 p.m. in our Parish Small Hall. All Senior Citizen members of our Parish are invited, along with a guest, to this meal followed by BINGO.



Financial Assistance for Parishioners

St. Justin Community Ministry has set aside some funds to provide Parishioners with limited Financial Assistance when facing unexpected issues. If you find yourself in need, contact Joe Bauer via email at joseph.bauer@dsj.org or at 408-296-1193 extension 109.

Food & Diaper Collection

Most of you are aware of the Community Ministry Collection Barrels that are located in our Church. During the month of October, we will continue to request canned Soup, Ravioli, Chili, Macaroni & Cheese and Tomato Sauce. We are also in need of **size 5 and size 6 diapers.**

These are items that we do not receive often from the Second Harvest Food Bank.

Please feel free to drop donations in the barrels in the Church, the barrel in the Foyer of the School or bring items to the Parish Office.



Fresh Fruit and Vegetables needed

For those of you who have backyard fruit trees with an over abundance of fruit and/or gardens with vegetables please consider donating what you can to Community Ministry. The fruit and vegetables are a welcome addition to the food that we distribute to those seeking assistance.



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Christian liturgy has always contained an opportunity to make a choice for sharing. From the beginning, Christians pooled their resources, especially for the care of widows and orphans, at the weekly Eucharist. Over the years, the collection became detached from the liturgy and baskets or plates would be passed through the community while the Mass was going on at the altar, or contributions would be collected at the doors. In Milan's Ambrosian Rite, these gifts have always been brought to the altar by lay people in procession. In German countries, the ancient custom was for the entire assembly to process with their gifts—first the men, then the women, then the priests and deacons—to offer their gifts at the altar. The old ceremony of canonization included a curious vestige of this procession: people would present the pope with two loaves of bread, two barrels of wine and water, five candles, and three cages containing pigeons or turtledoves!

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If you suspect abuse in your parish, school or in the Diocese of San Jose, please contact: Child Protective Services 408-299-2071; Call 911; or **The Diocesan Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults**, 408-983-0113 or email protection@dsj.org. If you suspect financial mismanagement in your parish, school or in the Diocese of San Jose, please contact: **EthicsPoint**: dsj.ethicspoint.com.



STAND AND BE COUNTED

Registering in a parish is a declaration of your desire to be part of a Catholic community and a commitment in all its dimensions brings you advantages, recognition, and responsibilities of many kinds. Being a registered parishioner makes things much easier when it is time for infant Baptism, weddings, when asked to be a Baptismal or Confirmation Sponsor and even funerals.

We are often asked to provide affidavits for Baptismal and Confirmation Sponsors. We can only do this if a person is a registered, active and contributing member.

So, are you a registered parishioner?

If not, please consider registering. Registration forms are available in the Parish Ministry Center or online at www.st-justin.org



ST. JUSTIN SCHOOL

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APPLICATIONS**

**For More Information
Contact Us at**

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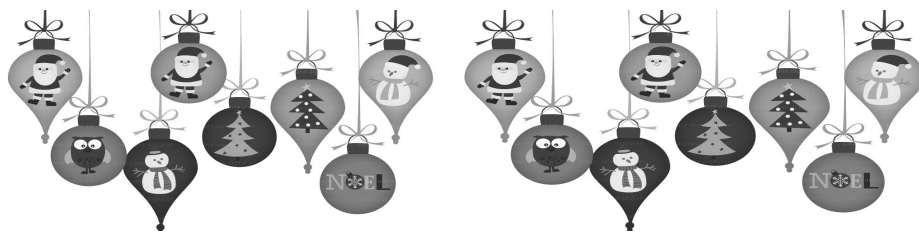


KNIGHTS The Knights of Columbus

OF COLUMBUS Fr. Joseph Geary Council of

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

St. Justin and St. Martin parishes will be conducting its annual fund raising drive to benefit people with intellectual disabilities this weekend, Oct. 12th – 13th. Council members and family members will be asking for donations after the weekend Masses outside the church. The funds are raised for the Special Olympics and Parents Helping Parents organizations, who both help individuals with disabilities. We want to thank everyone who have made contributions over the years. Any contributions you can make will be greatly appreciated!



St. Justin Thrift Store

**Christmas and Holiday
SALE**

NOVEMBER 16-17, 2019

Christmas and Holiday shopping at its finest! Join us in the Large Hall for a two-day shopping extravaganza! Christmas Trees, decorations (ornaments, dishes, and wrapping paper), Thanksgiving decorations, and much, much, more.

Saturday 11/16

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday 11/17

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

*Please note – this is a Thrift Store inventory sale, not a craft boutique
Thrift Store Sales benefit St. Justin School*

ADS



Stablemates & Ladies Guild

ANNUAL BBQ



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH AT 6PM

BBQ RIBS or CHICKEN/DRINKS/LIVE MUSIC/\$30
ST. JUSTIN PARISH LARGE HALL
TICKETS AVAILABLE AT PARISH MINISTRY CENTER

Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary



Mike & Joan Hastings
October 11, 1969



*All Saints Day,
 November 1, is
 a holy day of
 obligation.*

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*Masses will be held at 8:30 a.m.,
 12:15 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.*



*During the month of
 November we remember and
 honor our deceased family and
 friends. Beginning October 27th
 We invite you to bring framed
 pictures of your deceased loved
 ones and place them on the
 tables by the baptismal font.
 All Souls envelopes will also be
 available at the entrances of the
 church.*



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