# St. Genevieve Catholic Church

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Saint Genevieve



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Vigil (Saturday) 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 6:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

2:00 p.m. en Español

5:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m.

Monday - Saturday: Spanish Weekday Masses

Tuesday and Thursday: 6:30 p.m. en Español Friday: 7:00-8:00 p.m.

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(Exposition/Benediction)

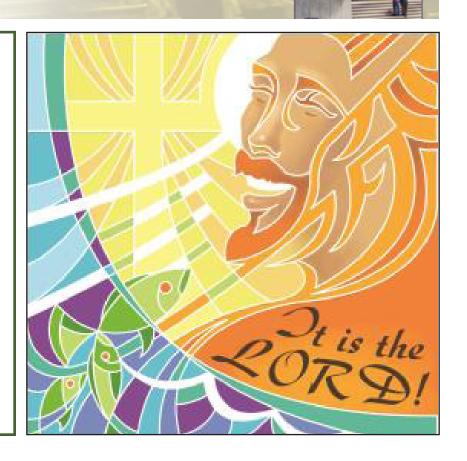
Please visit our website www.stgenparish.org to join the live-stream.

**Confessions** / **Confesiones** 

Saturdays 3:30-4:30 p.m.

**Devotions** / **Devociones** 

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.; with Mass on the First Wednesday of the month.



## Some Words from the Pastor

Congratulations to our brothers and sisters who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last Sunday. It was a beautiful and solemn celebration which was presided by Bishop Alex Aclan, our regional bishop here at the San Fernando Pastoral Region. The bishop highlighted that they will not forget this, since their confirmation day was celebrated during the Divine Mercy Sunday. It was his hope that they will always remember that through the grace and mercy of God, they have received the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Receiving the Holy Spirit through the Sacrament of Confirmation empowers and inspires one to take part in the life and mission of the church. The celebration took place within the Eucharist, where our Lord nourishes us with his body and blood. And have been singled out through their anointing to become witnesses of the Risen Lord.

The gospel this Sunday presents the seashore appearance in which the Lord would ask Peter if he loves him. The question was asked three times which alludes to the denial of the Lord by Peter three times. And three times, Peter would answer, "Yes Lord I love you." Every time he answered yes, the Lord would give him the mission to feed his sheep and tend his flock. It would highlight the special role of Peter as head of the church. While Peter would express his love for Jesus, it is in a way saying that he would love and care for the whole flock. It is the role and mission that the Pope has been called to do. And we have been blessed to have known popes in our time,

like St. John Paul II, Pope Emeritus, Benedict XVI and Pope Francis, who had shown tremendous and great love for us, the church.

The Lord is also asking us to love him. We can personalize the question of Jesus to Peter. As he asks us, "Do you love me?" There can, and there should be no doubt that our answer would be, "Yes, Lord, I love you." Hence, we should be able to love the church. We have to care for our church. To make it more specific, we have to love and care for our parish church of St. Genevieve. We have varied ways of showing our love for our church. Obviously, we need to pray for our parish community and support our church by sharing our time, talent and treasure. If we love the church, then we have to come to our church, at least every Sunday. We have to come and worship together through the celebration of the Eucharist. And with the inspi-

ration of the Holy Spirit, we are called to have a more active participation through the different ministries and apostolates in the church. We are enjoined to use the gifts of the Holy Spirit which we received when we were confirmed. Let us reveal the fruits of the Spirit as we show our love, kindness and serve the Lord and his Church with joy and faithfulness.



Have a Blessed Sunday!

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## **OUR PARISH COMMITEES**

Pastoral Council: Mr. Noel Omega, Chair Latino Ministry Advisory Council: Dn. Paulino Juarez-Ramirez Safeguard the Children: Mrs. Maricar Rebultan Finance Council: Mr. Tony Braganza, Chair

# Stewardship of Treasure

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

 April 24, 2022
 \$12,216.00

 Sunday Collection:
 \$12,216.00

 Online giving:
 \$335.00

 Mailed in donations:
 \$3,289.00

 Weekday Collection:
 \$717.00

2nd Collection Catholic Relief Services\$3,332.00Together in Mission Parish Goal:\$49,350.00

#### Inspiration Building Campaign

Parish Goal: \$4 Million
Pledges to Date: \$3,553,746
Pledge/Gift Count: 1184 Families

To make your **Inspiration Building** payments online please visit: **osvonLineGiving.com/2949** 

Completed pledge forms can be dropped in the collection basket, taken to the Parish Office or turned in to the campaign table after Mass on the first weekend of every month.

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# Third Sunday of Easter

Today's Readings: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a, 13b; Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

The Easter season provides us an opportunity to reflect upon who we are as Church, in light of the first experiences of Jesus' followers. From today's Gospel, we realize that all we do is founded on our friendship with and trust in Jesus, as witnessed in Jesus' dialogue with Peter. From Revelation, in the image of Jesus as the sacrificial Lamb, we can anticipate suffering for the sake of love for God and for others. From the apostles' bold speech in Acts, we remember that when we stay true to the Gospel, even at great cost, we must always embody God's forgiveness toward those who resist God's invitation. The early Church struggled to understand how to live the way of Jesus, and we can expect no less struggle for ourselves. And like them, we may also know the joy of growing friendship with God along the way.

## Obeying God

In the first chapters of Acts, the apostles venture out energetically, soon after Pentecost, to proclaim the risen Jesus. Today's reading shows the Sanhedrin, the formal religious body that had condemned Jesus shortly before, now threatening the apostles. The Sanhedrin likely feared that Jesus' followers would, in vengeance for the Crucifixion, stir up a riot or even a violent revolt. The apostles, consistent with Jesus' own dealings with the authorities, proclaim Jesus' message of God's forgiveness of everyone, and refuse to incite violence. It is a great challenge, as Peter said, to "obey God rather than man." Throughout history, when groups of God's people, inspired by God's dream for a just and free world, have spoken out non-violently against injustice and oppression, they have sought to obey God's summons. We the Church, while always mindful of the dangers of

self-deception, are similarly called to discern and obey God in our own time and place.

## Repeated Questions

In today's Gospel, John sets the scene for Jesus' encounter with Peter, sitting by a "charcoal fire." There is just one other mention of a charcoal fire in John's Gospel: when Peter warms himself while awaiting Jesus' trial, and Peter goes on to deny knowing Jesus, three times. The evangelist directly links Jesus' three questions of Peter, "do you love me?", to Peter's three denials. Through his repeated questioning, Jesus helps Peter to face his actions fully, and to accept forgiveness fully as well. When God invites us into prayer, we may be invited to enter into deep conversation with God about our lives. God can pose the same questions to us, again and again over time, to face what we might prefer to avoid: Can you forgive someone who has hurt you? Can you be more generous? Can you let go of obstacles to becoming more loving? And even: Do you love me? Jesus' encounter with Peter suggests that we can face such questions with deep trust in God.

## From the Parish Center

Temporary Location of the St. Genevieve Church Parish Office

In lieu of the construction of the Inspiration Building, the Parish Office will be temporarily located at the Presbyterian Church Property. From Roscoe Blvd, take Hazeltine Ave., then turn left at the first Alley, pass the St. Genevieve Pre-School. You can park at the Presbyterian Parking lot. \*Stewardship of Time

#### PARKING DURING CHURCH SERVICES

On weekends, you can park in front of the Elementary School Building. Entrance is at the Community Street, while exit is towards Hazeltine Ave. Parking is not allowed during school days. Parking at the Presbyterian Parking lot is available during the week and weekends, except on Sunday from 10A.M. - 1:00 P.M. There may still be some spaces available during this time. Please park your car properly. \*Stewardship of Time

## Together in Mission "As One We Believe"

As one Catholic community of faith, let us pray and reflect on how we can continue to help our struggling parishes and schools in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. One(1) in every five (5) parish es needs financial assistance, and one(1) in every four(4) Catholic Schools needs critical funds to keep their doors open. Our total goal for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles is \$14.4 Million. Our parish goal is \$40,350.00. \*Stewardship of Time

# Did you Know?

Tips for water safety

As the weather heats up, children and their families are drawn to the cool water pools, ponds and the ocean offer. Parents and caregivers should keep a few safety tips in mind when children are near water. Watch children at all times, keep weak swimmers and younger children within arm's reach at all times. At parties or crowded gatherings, choose a water watcher — a trusted adult in charge of watching swimmers and rotate responsibilities as needed. Drowning is a leading cause of death for children, but it can be prevented. For more tips, visit safekids.org/poolsafety. \*Stewardship of Time

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# In your charity, please pray for our sick parishioners

Rene Amaya, Bella Antonio, Lowel Mark Antonio, Paulina Baggao, Lilia Bello, Jackie Bico, Tony Bueno, Gerardo de la Pena, Maxluis Dominguez, Teodoro Kalaw, Cecilia Mana-ay, Karina Monarrez, Teresa Gosiengfiao, Rita Gopez-Najoan, Jesus Santos, Freddie Sotto, Daisy Valdez, Teresita Zervoulakos.

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## Mass Intentions

## THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

| 4/30 | 5:00 p.m.   | Noel Santos(Intention)<br>Allan Chorwitz(+) | READINGS FOR THE WEEK  Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29 |  |
|------|-------------|---|--|--|
|      |             | Fe Abueg Palis(+)                           | Tuesday:   | 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14  |
|      |             | Maria Rosario Go Lim(+)                     | Wednesday:   | Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40  |
|      |             | Ma. Concepcion Canicula                     | Thursday:  | Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51   |
|      |             | Pestejo(Intention)                          | Friday:  | Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59   |
|      |             |   | Saturday:  | Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69   |
| 5/01 | 6:30 a.m.   | Sick of the Parish                          | Sunday:  | Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-3, 5; Rv 7:9, 14b-17;<br>Jn 10:27-30                             |
|      | 8:30 a.m.   | Richard J. Torres(+)                        |  |  |
|      |             | Pamela Hayslett(Intention)                  |  |  |
|      |             | Rodolfo Alegre(+)                           |  |  |
|      |             | Robert Galano(+)                            | LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA  |  |
|      |             |   | Lunes:   | Hch 6:8-15; Sal 119 (118):23-24, 26-27, 29-30;   |
|      | 10:30 a.m.  | Filipina Mariscotes(+)                      |  | Jn 6:22-29   |
|      |             | Elipidio Mariscotes(+)                      | Martes:  | 1 Cor 15:1-8; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Jn 14:6-14  |
|      |             | Misael Bacleon(+)                           | Miércoles:   | Hch 8:1b-8; Sal 66 (65):1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40   |
|      |             | Evelyn Layco(+) Noel Santos(Intention)      | Jueves:<br>Viernes:  | Hch 8:26-40; Sal 66 (65):8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51  |
|      |             | Noel Santos(Intention)                      | Sábado:  | Hch 9:1-20; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59<br>Hch 9:31-42; Sal 116 (115):12-17; Jn 6:60-69 |
|      | 2:00 p.m.   | Victor Gonzalo Toleda(+)                    | Domingo:   | Hch 13:14, 43-52; Sal 100 (99):1-3, 5; Ap 7:9, 14b-17;                                       |
|      | 2.00 p.iii. | Galilea Toledo(Intention)                   | Dominigo.  | Jn 10:27-30  |
|      |             | Miguel Angel Gurrola(+)                     |  | )ii 10.27 )0   |
|      |             | Evangelina Gurrola(+)                       |  |  |
|      |             |   |  |  |
|      | 5:00 p.m.   | Sick of the Parish                          | We would like to welcome our new parishoners:<br>Mr. & Mrs. Miguel Hernandez       |  |
| 5/02 | 8:00 a.m.   | Elena Mancao(+)                             |  |  |
|      |             | Feliza De Mesa(+)                           |  |  |
|      |             | Lolita Lantin Cruel(+)                      |  |  |
| 5/03 | 8:00 a.m.   | Fe Wong(+)                                  |  |  |
| 5/04 | 8:00 a.m.   | Mariquita Gadula(+)                         |  |  |
| 5/05 | 8:00 a.m.   | Corazon Mendoza(+)<br>Tito Ramiso(+)        |  |  |
| 5/06 | 8:00 a.m.   | Sick of the Parish                          |  |  |
| 5/07 | 8:00 a.m.   | Pedro Antonio Solomon(Intention)            |  |  |

# Tercer Domingo de Pascua

Lecturas de hoy: Hch 5:27-32, 40b-41; Sal 30 (29):2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a, 13b; Ap 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

El tiempo de Pascua nos ofrece la oportunidad de reflexionar sobre quiénes somos como Iglesia, a la luz de las primeras experiencias de los seguidores de Jesús. Desde el Evangelio de hoy, nos damos cuenta de que todo lo que hacemos se fundamenta en nuestra amistad y confianza en Jesús, como lo atestigua el diálogo de Jesús con Pedro. Desde el Apocalipsis, en la imagen de Jesús como Cordero sacrificado, podemos anticipar el sufrimiento por amor a Dios y a los demás. Del discurso audaz de los apóstoles en los Hechos, recordamos que cuando nos mantenemos fieles al Evangelio, incluso a un gran coste, debemos encarnar siempre el perdón de Dios hacia los que se resisten a la invitación de Dios. La Iglesia primitiva luchó por entender cómo vivir el camino de Jesús, y no podemos esperar menos lucha para nosotros. Y como ellos, también podemos conocer la alegría de una creciente amistad con Dios a lo largo del camino.

#### Obedecer a Dios

En los primeros capítulos de los Hechos, los apóstoles se aventuran con energía, poco después de Pentecostés, a anunciar a Jesús resucitado. La lectura de hoy muestra al Sanedrín, el cuerpo religioso formal que había condenado a Jesús poco antes, amenazando ahora a los apóstoles. Es probable que el Sanedrín temiera que los seguidores de Jesús, en venganza por la crucifixión, provocaran un motín o incluso una revuelta violenta. Los apóstoles, en consonancia con el trato de Jesús con las autoridades, proclaman el mensaje de Jesús de que Dios perdona a todos, y se niegan a incitar a la violencia. Es un gran desafío, como dijo Pedro, "obedecer a Dios antes que a los

hombres". A lo largo de la historia, cuando grupos del pueblo de Dios, inspirados por el sueño de Dios de un mundo justo y libre, se han manifestado de forma no violenta contra la injusticia y la opresión, han tratado de obedecer la llamada de Dios. Nosotros, la Iglesia, aunque siempre conscientes de los peligros del autoengaño, estamos igualmente llamados a discernir y obedecer a Dios en nuestro propio tiempo y lugar.

## Preguntas Repitidas

En el Evangelio de hoy, Juan prepara la escena del encuentro de Jesús con Pedro, sentado junto a un "fuego de carbón". Sólo hay otra mención de un fuego de carbón en el Evangelio de Juan: cuando Pedro está calentándose mientras espera el juicio de Jesús, y éste niega tres veces conocer a Jesús. El evangelista vincula directamente las tres preguntas de Jesús a Pedro, "¿me amas?", con las tres negaciones de Pedro. A través de sus repetidas preguntas, Jesús ayuda a Pedro a enfrentarse plenamente a sus acciones, y a aceptar también plenamente el perdón. Cuando Dios nos invita a la oración, podemos ser invitados a entrar en una conversación profunda con Dios sobre nuestras vidas. Dios puede plantearnos las mismas preguntas, una y otra vez a lo largo del tiempo, para enfrentarnos a lo que quizá prefiramos evitar: ¿Puedes perdonar a alguien que te ha hecho daño? ¿Puedes ser más generoso? ¿Puedes dejar de lado los obstáculos para ser más cariñoso? E incluso: ¿Me amas? El encuentro de Jesús con Pedro sugiere que podemos enfrentarnos a esas preguntas con una profunda confianza en Dios.

## Del Centro Parroquial

Ubicación temporal de la Iglesia de Santa Genoveva Oficina Parroquial

En lugar de la construcción del Edificio de inspiración, la Oficina Parroquial se ubicará temporalmente en la Propiedad de la Iglesia Presbiteriana. Desde Roscoe Blvd., tome Hazeltine Ave., luego gire a la izquierda en el primer callejón, pase el St. Genevieve Pre-School. Puedes aparcar en el Estacionamiento Presbiteriano.

#### ESTACIONAMIENTO DURANTE LOS SERVICIOS DE LA IGLESIA

Los fines de semana, puede estacionar frente al edificio de la escuela primaria. La entrada es en la calle De la Comunidad, mientras que la salida es hacia Hazeltine Ave.No se permite el estacionamiento durante los días escolares. El estacionamiento en el estacionamiento presbiteriano está disponible durante la semana y los fines de semana,

excepto los domingos de 10A.M. - 1:00 P.M.Todavía puede haber algunos espacios disponibles durante este tiempo. Por favor, estacione su automóvil correctamente. \*\*Corrresponsabilidad Tiempo

## "Unidos en la fe"

Como una comunidad católica de fe, oremos y reflexionemos sobre como podemos seguir ayudando a nuestras parroquias y escuelas en dificultades en la Arquidiócesis de Los Angeles. Una de cada 5 parroquias necesita ayuda financiera, y 1 de cada 4 escuelas católicas necesita fondos críticos para mantener sus puertas abiertas. Nuestra meta acumulada de Unidos en Mision 2022 es de 14.4 millones de dólares. Nuestra meta para nuestra parroquia es \$40,350.00.
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# ¿Sabía Usted?

Consejos para la seguridad en el agua

A medida que el clima se calienta, los niños y sus familias se sienten atraídos por las aguas frescas de las piscinas, de las lagunas y del océano. Los padres de familia y los cuidadores deben tener en cuenta algunos consejos de seguridad cuando los niños están cerca del agua. Vigile a los niños en todo momento, mantenga al alcance de la mano en todo momento a los niños que no puedan nadar muy bien y a los niños más pequeños. En fiestas o reuniones llenas de gente, elija un vigilante del agua, un adulto de confianza a cargo de observar a los nadadores y rote las responsabilidades, según sea necesario. El ahogamiento es una de las principales causas de muerte en los niños, pero se puede prevenir. Para obtener más consejos, visite safekids.org/poolsafety. \*Corresponsabilidad de Tiempo

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# Elementary Valiant News

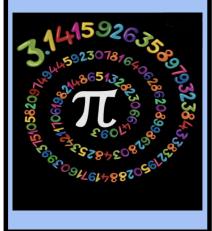


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**MARCH 2022** 

## Pi Day, March 14th

What is Pie Day? Pi day celebrates the mathematical constant approximately equal to 3.14159. It is the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter. Pi Day was founded by Physicist Larry Shaw in 1988. This past week, 1-6 graders competed against each other to see how many numbers they could memorize! Dylan Robles from fifth grade won and memorized about 300 Pi numbers. "What really motivated me was when Mrs. Ramirez, the 5A teacher, introduced it. I was really interested in learning it!" All students tried really hard and did an amazing job!



## Middle School Goes on a Retreat

Last Wednesday, March 16, Middle School attended a retreat to reflect upon their character. Students were put into groups and specifically without their friends. The groups would work together during activities. They created posters as a group and worked on problem solving activities, such as moral dilemmas. At the end of the day, there was an open mic session to reflect on the day. Many students shared what they were thankful for at the school. For example, some spoke about their friends, education, and talents in sports and music. Others shared takeaways from the retreat. They

learned how to step out of their comfort zone, get out of their usual cliques, and make new friends. It was amazing to listen to students' opinions. Thank you senior retreat leaders for leading the conversations and activities.



## Instructional Aides and More...

Instructional aides are very important to the SG community because they help students in and out of the classroom. They support students by assessing them and working one-on-one or in small groups with those who may need some extra help. Their favorite part about supporting students is being able to see the little ones grow in their education and learning little by little each day.

Two instructional aides, Mrs. Hernandez and Ms. Sandoval have additional roles at school. Mrs. Hernandez is part of the admissions team so she assists Mr. Jasso

when new families are interested in going to school here at St. Genevieve. She handles tours, testing, and interviews for incoming students. Ms. Sandoval is the After-school Daycare Director. She oversees the supervision and activities after school.



