



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi"—which translated means Teacher— "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come, and you will see." - Jn 1:38-39a

2º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO

El se volvió hacia ellos, y viendo que lo seguían, les preguntó: "¿Qué buscan?" Ellos le contestaron: "¿Dónde vives, Rabí?" (Rabí significa "maestro"). El les dijo: "Vengan a ver". - Jn 1, 38-39



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Horario de Oficina

Lunes y Viernes 9:00am-2:00pm
 Martes, Miércoles y Jueves 9:00am-4:00pm.

Mass Schedule /Horario de Misas:

Saturday/Sábado

Spanish/Español 5:30pm

Sunday/Domingo

English/Inglés 8:00am & 11:00am
 Spanish/Español 1:00pm

Daily Mass/Misa entre semana

Monday-Friday 8:00am

Holy Days/ Días Santos

Usually /Usualmente 8:00am & 7:00pm
 (Watch Bulletin for updates)

Eucharistic Adoration/Adoración al Santísimo

Friday/Viernes 9:00am-9:00pm

Confessions/Confesiones

Saturdays/Sábados 4:00pm-5:00pm

Jóvenes Para Cristo

Lunes 7:00pm

Grupo de Oración Carismática

Jueves 7:00pm

Apostoles de la Palabra

Miercoles 7:00pm

Parish Mission Statement

“As a diverse and welcoming Catholic community, we are dedicated to continue the mission of Jesus Christ through sincere worship, service and education.”

“Como una comunidad diversa y acogedora que somos estamos dedicados a continuar la misión de Jesucristo por medio del culto sincero, servicio y educación.”

The future
 starts
 today, not
 tomorrow.

St. John Paul II



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WELCOME TO/ *Bienvenidos a*

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

Registration forms are in the back of Church or available from the office.

Formas para registro en la parroquia están disponibles en la mesa que esta en la parte de atrás de la iglesia o en la oficina.

Weekly Notes

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our faith is not just about ideas. It's really about having an encounter with God and, in particular, the Risen Christ! Once we give ourselves over to the notion of God's presence, we have to train ourselves to listen for God's voice and be attentive to God's call. Having companions on our faith journeys is so incredibly important as they can help us fine-tune our listening skills and discern God's voice from others we may be hearing. Faith is all about having these profound encounters not only with God but with our brothers and sisters, and creation itself. Anyone or anything that is alive with God's presence becomes an occasion for God to speak and call us to deeper graces and experiences. "Come, and you will see."

The example and teaching of Jesus, the lives of the saints, those living among us and those glorified in heaven, and the wonder and beauty of creation can all serve to help us listen more clearly and assist in positioning ourselves for this profound God meeting. It is an encounter that can quickly and easily lead to a friendship and intimate intertwining of our souls to their Maker, making a claim on us like no other. Then, the Word of God moves from being just a body of ideas to something we simply accept and do. The person of Jesus Christ swiftly moves from being just a good prophet in word and deed to the incarnate presence of God Himself, the Lamb of God. The voice leads us to the Person behind it.

The Gospel is hard to follow. We can intellectually debate whether what Jesus said is really what we are asked to do. The Gospel ideas do not always make sense in our practical, secular world. The person of God always does. We can debate the practicality and sense of ideas and doing so often keeps the more difficult ones at a safe distance away from us. Jesus said to love our enemy, but we really don't need to do that, our minds try to convince us. It just doesn't make sense. Yet, if we are truly in love with the God who is behind the voice of those words, they make perfect sense. Our deep and intimate love of this God would even find us laying down our lives for Him if necessary. Speak Lord, your servant is listening

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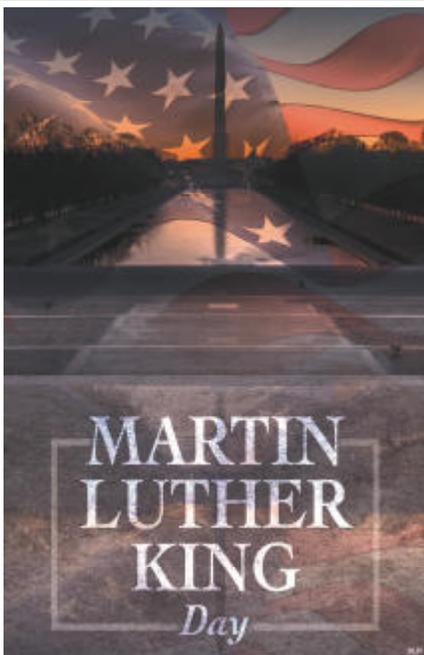


2º. Domingo en Tiempo Ordinario

En este relato del Evangelio, se dice que Juan estaba con sus discípulos y, que, en ese momento, Jesús pasaba por ahí. Juan, ve a Jesús y dice a sus discípulos: “Ese es el Cordero de Dios” (Juan 1:36). Desde ese momento, Juan deja de ser importante y sede el lugar al Cordero de Dios. Por lo tanto, los discípulos, sin ningún retraso ni pregunta, siguieron a Jesús. Era el momento del encuentro, de la intimidad, de pasar un buen rato con él. El Papa Francisco lo describe de la siguiente manera: “Verdaderamente cada uno tiene su encuentro con Jesús. Pensemos en los primeros discípulos que seguían a Jesús y permanecieron con Él toda la tarde - Juan y Andrés, el primer encuentro - y fueron felices por esto”.

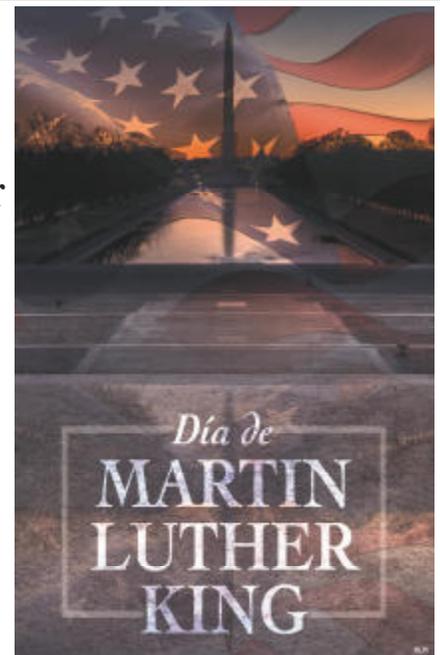
El Papa continúa su reflexión diciendo: “Todos nosotros hemos tenido en nuestra vida algún encuentro con Él, un encuentro verdadero, en el que sentí que Jesús me miraba. No es una experiencia sólo para santos. Y si no recordamos, será bonito hacer un poco de memoria y pedir al Señor que nos dé la memoria, porque Él se acuerda, Él recuerda el encuentro. Una buena tarea para hacer en casa, sería precisamente volver a pensar cuando sentí verdaderamente al Señor cerca de mí, cuando sentí que tenía que cambiar de vida y ser mejor o perdonar a una persona, cuando sentí al Señor que me pedía algo y, por ello, cuando me encontré al Señor (Homilía en Santa Marta, 24 de abril de 2015). Para nosotros ahora, cabe la siguiente pregunta. ¿Dónde, dónde, encontraré al Señor?”

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The Church Office will be
CLOSED, on Monday,
January 18, 2021 in
Observance of Mating Luther
King Day.

La Oficina Parroquial estará
CERRADA, el lunes, 18 de
enero del 2021 en
Connemoración de
Martin Luther King.



St. Matthew Catholic School

Are you interested in pursuing a Catholic education for your child? St. Matthew Catholic School offers small class sizes, individualized instruction, and a highly trained and caring staff.

Did you know that Financial Assistance is available to help families cover tuition costs for K-8 grade students?

Financial Aid is not determined solely on income, but takes in each family's complete financial picture.

Now is the time to apply!

If you are interested in sending your child to St. Matthew Catholic School for the 2021-2022 school year, please follow these steps to have the best opportunity to receive the maximum financial assistance available.

- Apply for Financial Assistance online through FACTS, <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/3GK8Y>
Deadline February 1, 2021
- Submit an Admissions Application to St. Matthew Catholic School
Admissions Application in English <https://bit.ly/AdmissionEnglish>
Admissions Application in Spanish <https://bit.ly/AdmissionSpanish>

Escuela Católica San Mateo

¿Está interesado en seguir una educación católica para su hijo? La Escuela Católica San Mateo ofrece clases con grupos pequeños, instrucción individualizada y un personal altamente capacitado y atento.

¿Sabía que hay asistencia financiera disponible para ayudar a las familias a cubrir los costos de matrícula para los estudiantes de grados K-8?

La ayuda financiera no se determina únicamente en función de los ingresos, sino que incluye el panorama financiero completo de cada familia.

¡Ahora es el momento de aplicar!

Si está interesado en enviar a su hijo a la escuela católica San Mateo para el año escolar 2021-2022, siga estos pasos para tener la mejor oportunidad de recibir la máxima asistencia financiera disponible.

- Solicite asistencia financiera en línea a través de FACTS, <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/3GK8Y>
Fecha límite 1 de febrero de 2021
- Envíe una solicitud de admisión a la escuela católica San Mateo
Solicitud de admisión en inglés <https://bit.ly/AdmissionEnglish>
Solicitud de admisión en español <https://bit.ly/AdmissionSpanish>

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 17, 2021

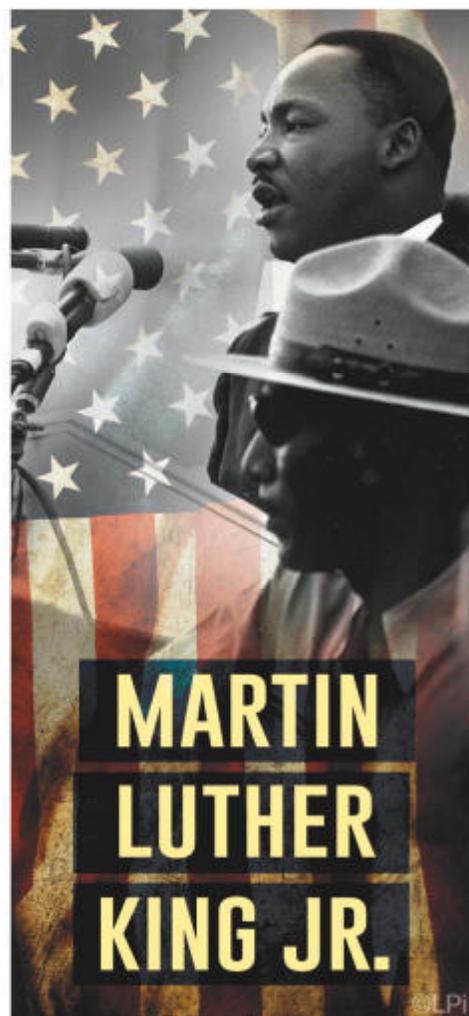
SUN 1/17	1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a]/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42
MON 1/18	Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 2:18-22
TUE 1/19	Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c [5]/Mk 2:23-28
WED 1/20	Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 3:1-6
THR 1/21	Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [8a and 9a]/Mk 3:7-12
FRI 1/22	Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [11a]/Mk 3:13-19
SAT 1/23	Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Mk 3:20-21
SUN 1/24	Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 17, 2021

Sunday:	2 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	January 18-25 is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity; Martin Luther King Day
Wednesday:	St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr
Thursday:	St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr
Friday:	Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
Saturday:	St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin; BVM
Sunday:	3 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

LIVE THE LITURGY Inspiration for the week

We have often heard it said that God is always calling but we are not always listening. It is not only that we are not listening, but that we are not familiar enough with God to even recognize that it is God who is calling! We can easily mistake God's voice for someone or something else and miss some profound opportunities for connection. We have to train our minds, hearts, and souls to specifically listen for the voice of God. It is a voice that draws us to deeper places, leading us to moments of grace and more profound God awareness. To look at Jesus and be able to say, "Behold, the Lamb of God," means that I know something special about this person whom others know as simply a man. I will become more attentive and receptive when he says, "Come, and you will see." I may even be more willing to set aside what I am doing and actually go.

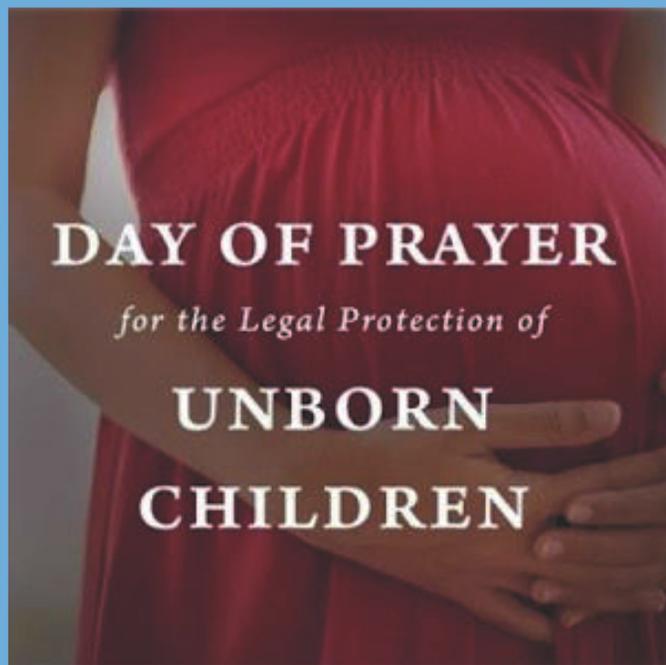


*The time is
always right
to do what
is right.*

— DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

January 22 Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

A day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life. Parishes will celebrate the daily Mass for Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life



Baptisms and Classes

English Baptisms and Classes are by appointment only. Please call the church office for more information 503-649-9044.

Bautizos en Español

Sacramento del Bautismo Las fechas siguientes están programadas para celebración de el Sacramento del Bautismo los Sábados.

Es necesario tener todos los documentos requeridos antes de que se le pueda dar fecha por concreto.

Por el Momento solamente hay Bautizos los Sábados a las 10:00am Lllamar a la oficina con Lorena para más información. 503-649-9044

Las platicas para Bautizo se estarán llevando a cabo por medio de cita

*Para mas información ó para clases personales con el Padre Jeff o Los Diáconos favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial

"Giving Our First Fruits to God" "Dando Nuestros Primeros Frutos a Dios"

Total Contribution for the Week of 1/10/2021	\$4,749
Last year, same week Año Pasado, misma semana	\$6,200
Property Development—Capital Campaign Bank Account balance as of 12/31/2020 Balance de Cuenta de Banco para el Fondo de Desarrollo 12/31/2020	\$42,820

**Thank you for your generosity!
Gracias por su generosidad!**

MASS INTENTIONS/Intenciones de la Misa

Mon	Jan.	18	8:00am	No Mass
Tue	Jan.	19	8:00am	No Mass
Wed	Jan.	20	8:00am	No Mass
Thu	Jan.	21	8:00am	No Mass
Fri	Jan.	22	8:00am	No Mass
Sat	Jan.	23	5:30pm	Dolores Duarte
Sun	Jan.	24	8:00am	People of the Church
			11:00am	Holy Father
			1:00pm	+Nicolas Verdin Cruz Jr.





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