

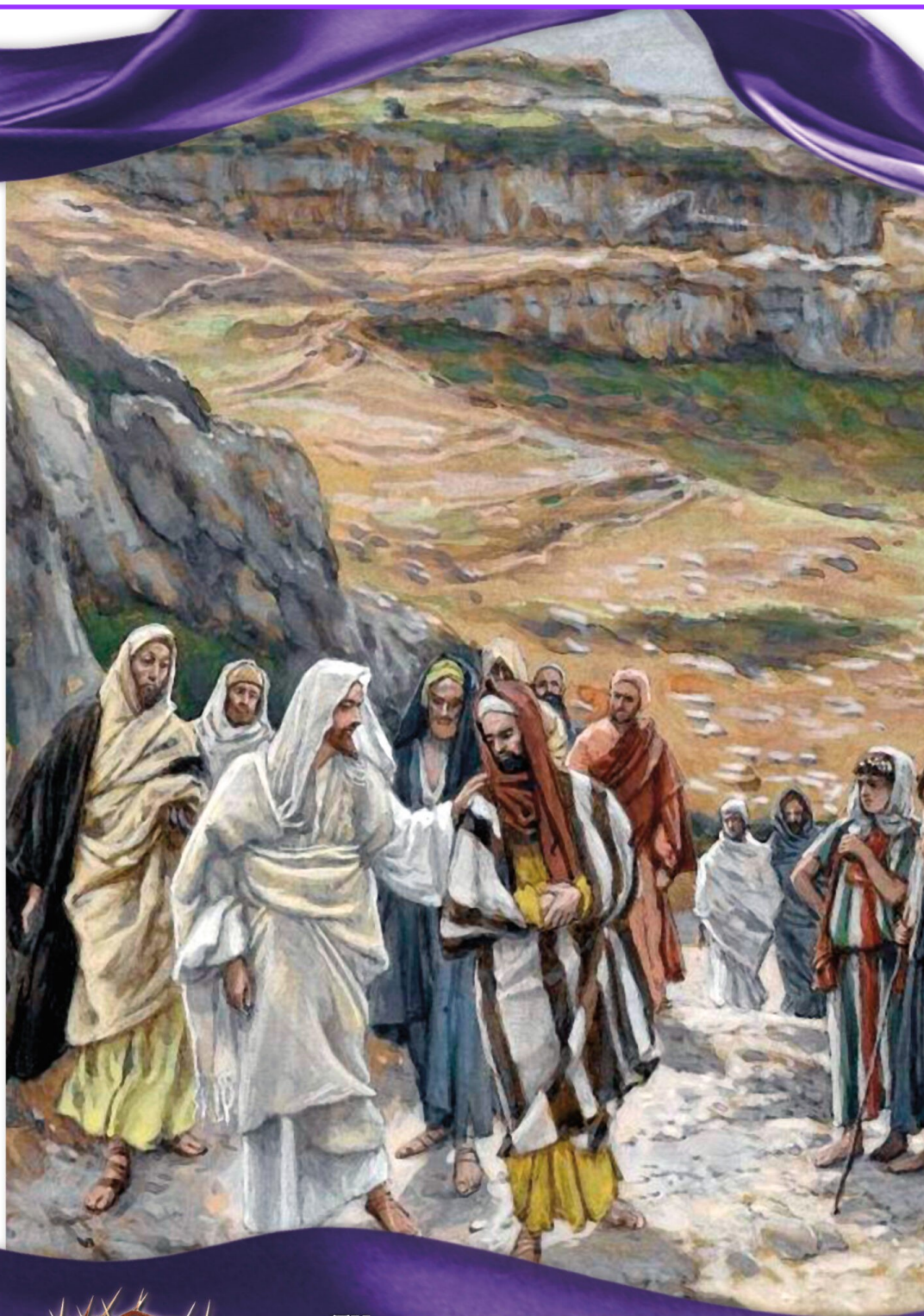
“The hour has come
for the Son of Man
to be glorified.
Amen, amen, I say
to you, unless a grain
of wheat falls to the
ground and dies, it
remains just a grain
of wheat; but if it
dies, it produces
much fruit.”

John 12:23,24

“Ha llegado la hora
de que el Hijo del
hombre sea glorificado.
Yo les aseguro que
si el grano de trigo,
sembrado en la tierra,
no muere, queda
infecundo; pero si
muere, producirá
mucho fruto.”

Juan 12, 23 y 24

Jesus Discourses with His
Disciples by James Tissot
Circa 1886-1894



5TH SUNDAY OF
LENT

5º DOMINGO DE CUARESMA



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Office Hours

Monday & Friday 9:00am-2:00pm
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:00am-4:00pm.

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."

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

Total Contribution for the Week of 03/14/2021	\$6,143
Last year, same week Año Pasado, misma semana	\$5,081
Property Development—Capital Campaign Bank Account balance as of 02/28/2021 Balance de Cuenta de Banco para el Fondo de Desarrollo 02/28/2021	\$47,725

Thank you for your generosity!
Gracias por su generosidad!

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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.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

**March 21, 2021
5th Sunday of Lent**

Any good teacher or parent will tell you that once a lesson is really learned it doesn't need to be taught again. When we internalize things we have learned, they become a part of who we are and influence how we perceive and interact with our world. The same is true for the law God has written upon our hearts. Once humanity learns this lesson, we will simply know it to be true and act accordingly. Sometimes, it is hard to get people to learn the lessons they need to learn. They are often distracted, disinterested, conflicted, misdirected, or just too stubborn and unable or unwilling to see what is right before their eyes. Understanding that God is in a loving and committed relationship with those fashioned and formed in God's own image, seems like such a simple lesson to learn. But history and experience has proven that it is not.

We struggle with faith, especially when that faith asks us to learn something very particular about ourselves. We must, like a grain of wheat, fall to the ground and die. Because God's DNA is at the very core of who we are, there are specific pearls of wisdom that must be acquired before we can live a full life. One very powerful lesson is that it is not the task of the world to tell us who we are and what has meaning, but God. For many, death is not an opportunity for greater life but a permanent ending to the life they have known. Jesus knew every dimension to what it means to be fully human because he was! He knows the joys, limitations, sorrows, frustrations, wonders, suffering, opportunities, and joys of the human experience. Jesus can teach us a wealth of knowledge and life's lessons from his example, especially obedience.

When we accept the law God has placed in our hearts and gain wisdom from it, then when we suffer we learn to listen more attentively to the Voice behind that law. We naturally flee to our Creator for inspiration, consolation, hope, direction, and comfort as we navigate through this time of darkness. We will not need to run from it, subdue it, fight it, or be overcome by it because we will know, having internalized this profound lesson before, that God will bring new life. God's law is love and love never fails. Even in the moments of Jesus' deepest despair, he glorified the name of his Father. What he learned allowed him to put everything in perspective and be obedient to the tender, loving Voice that echoed within. As Lent quickly winds down, may we learn the same! Then, may we gain the fortitude and wisdom to help others see what is right before their eyes.

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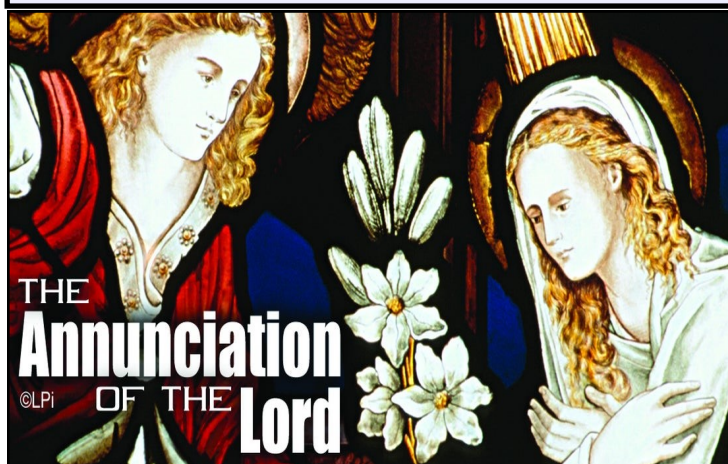
MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO – ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA

21 de Marzo de 2021
5º Domingo de la Cuaresma

“Jesús dijo: “Desátelo y déjenlo caminar” (Juan 11:44). Ya estamos al umbral de la Pasión del Señor. A lo largo de la Cuaresma, hemos escuchado el amor de Dios por nosotros en cada mensaje del Evangelio. Desde las tentaciones de Jesús en el desierto, la transfiguración, la samaritana, el ciego de nacimiento, y hoy, la liturgia que nos sitúa en la resurrección de Lázaro, el Evangelio es de amor y vida. De estar atado de pies y manos, ha desatado, caminando libremente. Hoy el Señor nos desata de nuestros pecados, si lo deseamos. La promesa del Padre sigue viva en su Hijo Amado. Jesús lo afirma con sus palabras: Yo soy la resurrección y la vida. El que cree en mí, aunque muera, vivirá. El que vive, el que cree en mí, no morirá para siempre” (Juan 11:25-26).

Con Lázaro resucitado, Jesús anuncia su resurrección. Quien entendió bien el mensaje fue Marta, con su respuesta dada a la pregunta de Jesús: “Sí, Señor; yo creo que tú eres el Cristo, el Hijo de Dios, el que tenía que venir al mundo” (Juan 11:27). El Santo Padre, dijo que el Señor “Nos invita, casi nos ordena, que salgamos de la tumba en la cual nuestros pecados nos han hundido. Nos llama insistentemente a salir de la oscuridad de la prisión en la que estamos encerrados, conformándonos con una vida falsa, egoísta, mediocre. ‘Salí afuera!’, nos dice. ‘¡Salí afuera!’”. (Radio Vaticana 6 de abril 2014). El reto es salir sin miedo, confiando en la providencia de Dios, y en todo lo que se pueda hacer por desatar los nudos de la vida de los unos y los otros.

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MASS INTENTIONS/Intenciones de la Misa

Mon	Mar.	22	8:00am	No Mass
Tue	Mar.	23	8:00am	Van Vu Business
Wed	Mar.	24	8:00am	Van Vu Business
Thu	Mar.	25	8:00am	Van Vu Business
Fri	Mar.	26	8:00am	Van Vu Business
Sat	Mar.	27	5:30pm	+Nghia Van Pham
Sun	Mar.	28	8:00am	People of the Church
			11:00am	+Nghia Van Pham
			1:00pm	Holy Father

Finance Council Members Needed

The Parish Finance Committee needs 5-6 new members to replace those who are leaving in the next few months. The minimum requirement is a 1 hour monthly meeting, where we discuss how we can best plan and finance the various needs in our Parish Community. Please consider being a part of this dynamic and diverse group of people.

If you are interested please contact Fr. Jeff at 503.852.2127 or by email at fjmeeuwsen@seas-aloha.org or Greg Westby finance council member at 503.799.7818; email greg.westby@onsemi.com



Italy: Assisi, Florence & Rome,
with Fr. Jeff-April 19-28, 2022



Discover the tranquil hilltop village of Assisi. Taste an array of Italian wines. Explore Florence, the living museum of Italian Renaissance. Enjoy a special private tour of the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel, without the crowds! Accompanied by an excellent local guide, learn about the spiritual, historical, and cultural significance of Italy. Let Magi Travel take you on one of their quality, custom tours which have been planned and perfected for over 35 years. Space is limited.

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Website: www.seas-aloha.org

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

HORARIO DE SEMANA SANTA



Vigil Mass 5:30pm (*Transmisión en Vivo*)

Palm Sunday—Domingo de Ramos

8:00 am English (*Live Stream*)

11:00am English

1:00pm Español

3:00pm Español

Holy Thursday, April 1st at 7:00pm

(*Live Stream*)

Blessed Sacrament till 10:00pm

Jueves Santo, 1^o de Abril a las 7:00pm

(*Transmisión en Vivo*)

Adoración al Santísimo hasta las 10:00pm

Good Friday, April 2nd

Stations of the Cross at 12:00pm

Veneration of the Cross at 7:00pm

(*Live Stream*)

Viernes Santo, 2 de Abril

Viacrucis al Medio Día en Inglés

Veneración de la Cruz a las 7:00pm

(*Transmisión en Vivo*)

Holy Saturday Vigil, April 3rd at 8:30pm

Vigilia Del Sábado de Gloria a las 8:30pm

(*Live Stream / Transmisión en Vivo*)

Easter Sunday April 4th

Domingo de Pascua 4 de Abril

8:00am-English (*Live Stream*)

11:00am-English

1:00pm-Español (*Transmisión en Vivo*)

3:00pm Español



CAMP HOWARD 2021



REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Join us for Summer Day Camp and Family Camp at Camp Howard this summer. Make friends, explore the outdoors, enjoy traditional camp activities like archery, arts & crafts, pedal carts, swimming, fishing, and more.

OPEN HOUSE DATES:

Saturday, May 22nd, 2pm to 5pm

Sunday, June 27th, 2pm to 5pm

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WE'RE HIRING SUMMER STAFF

Email Peggy English, Camp Director,
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