



**"Lord, do you not care that my sister
has left me by myself to do the serving?
Tell her to help me."**

LUKE 10:40



Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

JULY 21, 2019

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We, the Catholic community of St. Joseph, Placentia, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, center our lives on Jesus Christ. Together we grow as disciples of the Lord in faith and action.

Nosotros, la comunidad Católica de St. Joseph, Placentia, bajo la guía del Espíritu Santo, centramos nuestra vida en Jesucristo. Juntos crecemos como Discípulos del Señor en fe y en acción.

**Masses: Saturday Vigil: 5pm, 7pm (Spanish) Sundays: 7:15am, 8:45am, 10:30am, 12:15pm (Spanish) 5pm
LIFETEEN**

Weekdays: 8:30am, Saturdays: 8:00am;

Confessions: Thursday 6:30pm and Saturday at 3:30pm and by appointment

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Pastoral Letter

Dear Church Family,

She arrived at our house in a battered old car. Her gray stringy hair looked dirty and her cloths appeared messy. When she smiled a missing front tooth showed a gap. The "bird lady" had come to get the injured dove we had found. We had been surprised the dove, we called Needles due to his long beak, had lived past the first night because of the trauma of capture and the chunk missing from his shoulder. He should have died from shock, but Needles had a strong will to live and even began drinking water and eating by the next day.

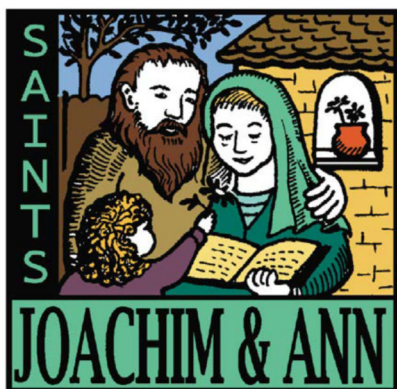
For a few days Needles was docile and calm, but soon he began to feel better and became more difficult. He and we knew this should all be temporary because he was meant to fly, soar, and sit on phone lines. After a week of rest and healing we decided to give Needles a chance to fly. He ran, he jumped, and he flopped, but he could not fly. Back in the cage he went and we began to be concerned. What should we do?

God does answer prayer so quickly sometimes. That same day we heard of the "bird lady". After calling her...she was at our house in a flash (did she fly?). At the door she stuck out her rough old hand and said, "Hi, I'm Helen". I led her to Needles and she looked at him carefully for a moment. I warned her that he was feisty and asked if she would like some rubber gloves. "Oh my no!" was her answer. Before we or Needles could squawk she had snatched the large dove and put him under her baggie old sweater. He didn't move or peep... evidently he felt safe and secure.

Helen left as quickly as she came and I thought to myself..."That is a special person! I think I've seen an angel." She had been helping birds since she was a child and even had a legless bird in her care. Several months later we received a note from Helen saying Needles had healed and she had set him free. She had seen him flying East...the direction of our home.

When Helen tucked Needles securely under her sweater and arm it reminded me of how God tells us in His Holy Word that we can hide in the shadow of His wing. "How precious is Thy steadfast love O God! The children of men take refuge in the shadow of Thy wings." (Psalm 36:7) While we are there...Let's be quiet and still and let Him give us the healing and guidance we need and desire...so we too can fly.

Dixie Plinski
Spiritual Director



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CELEBRATING ST. JOACHIM AND ST. ANN

These saints were living in Jerusalem and were childless. They each received a visit from an angel announcing they would have a daughter who would be "spoken of in all the world." It is possible that the first Christians in Judea passed down the names of Mary's parents, who, of course were Christ's grandparents. Notice the stained glass window above the ambo—with St. Anne and Mary

Father will have a blessing for Grandparents after Communion on Friday, July 26, 2019.

Sunday Offertory

7/15/2019 Week 3

Cash / Check's \$

17,130.63

EFT'S \$ 5,266.01

Total \$ 22,396.64



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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 21, 2019

It is Christ whom we proclaim, admonishing everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.

— *Colossians 1:28b*



Sunday

8am to 2pm

Monday through Thursday

8:30am to 6pm

Friday

8:30am to 12:30pm

Saturday

8am to 12:30pm



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ONLINE GIVING

How do I sign up?

1. Visit our parish website
2. Click on the Online Giving link
3. Complete the online registration form

It's that simple!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9;
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Tuesday: Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17;
Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28;
Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28

Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15;
Mt 13:24-30

Sunday: Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-3, 6-8; Col 2:12-14;
Lk 11:1-13

Ministry Spotlight



Backyard Theology

We wish to thank Lena Decker for hosting our first Backyard Theology on Friday July 12th at her home.

Over 40 parishioners attended this evening talk, given by Father Martin on the "Our Father". We enjoyed the fellowship, food, and discussion time together.

Our next event, [Theology in Our Own Backyard](#) will be Wednesday August 21st in our parish center from 7:00pm to 9:00pm.

No registration is necessary.

Please watch the bulletin for additional details



CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

- ◆ On-line registrations are now open for year 1 & 2 and years 3-5 (continue formation)
- ◆ On-site registration dates:

August 5, 2019	5pm-7pm	Hall C
August 14, 2019	5pm-7pm	Hall C
September 9, 2019	5pm-7pm	Hall C
- ◆ Requirements to register: Baptism Certificate or Birth Certificate if child is not baptized

Fees: Year 1	\$120
Year 2	\$185
Year 3-5	\$100

Got plans for [Friday Night, August 2nd?](#)

Join us for an evening of Music, Community, Worship, Adoration and Food.

Worship Night Under the Stars
is for the whole family!

Spend time together feeling inspired, encouraged, loved and thankful!

Make *Worship Night Under the Stars*
part of your summer plans!

When: [Friday, August 2, 2019 from 6pm to 9pm](#)

Where: St. Joseph Church Field

Bring: Chairs, blankets, etc.

More details to come!

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

There's a different pace to a summer Sunday, especially on those days when we dream of air conditioning and wave any available paper to stir the air. Yet we persist in gathering, even with so many breaks from the usual routines. We distance ourselves not only from routines, but from schedules and familiar well-worn paths. These are playful days and contemplative days. We see long-lost friends and visit almost-forgotten places. We have more leisure than any people before in the history of the world, and we need it because our lives are so care-worn and tiring. More of us walk barefoot and look up at the stars or dip our toes in the lake or sea, sing around campfires, read novels on the beach, and eat comfort food with our fingers. We see how beautiful life can be, and are more aware than usual of how God is always breaking in with signs of love.

In Genesis today, Abraham and Sarah practice hospitality to their visitors, who turn out to be God dropping in. During the summer months, God practices hospitality in return, inviting us into a season of celebration. Keeping Sunday holy is a good habit to cultivate in these days when our spirits are especially receptive to God's deep desire for us to know divine love.

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LOST & FOUND

Lost a pair of sunglasses, a purse or an umbrella?

Perhaps it was left behind after Mass and it's waiting for you in the Parish Center. . . .

Come take a look before the end of July.

We will be donating anything left behind to St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Thank you.

Looking to share your time and talents at St. Joseph Parish?

We have many ministries in need of volunteers!
Hospitality, Environment, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Altar Servers, Catechists, Ushers and Greeters
For more information, please contact:

Summer Pongetti & Mary Lou Juster.
(Contact info listed on 2nd page of bulletin)

Parish Book Study

The GiFT Group ministry invites you to a study of
The 10 Biggest Lies of the Enemy by Deacon Keith Strohm,
who was our Parish Mission speaker.

These discussion sessions will help us dive deeper into the powerful messages he shared with us!

No registration fee required!

Join us on:

Tuesdays at 7pm in Parish Center Rooms 1-2
7 Sessions, July 9 through August 20

BUT please purchase your copy of the book at:
JMJ's Catholic Store

310 E. Orangethorpe Ave. Suite A, Placentia
(949) 812-1799

Information? Call/text John Thompson at 714-458-6194 or
email discipleship@stjosephplacentia.org



Please visit our website for more information:

www.stjosephplacentia.org

and be sure to follow us on Facebook and Instagram

Please pray for the sick/oremos por los enfermos

Pam Dietrich

Jim Dinsmore

Louie Bosques

Bea Halphide

Rich Tourne

Elouise Woore

Bill O'Neil

Austin Aita

Ken Renaud

Angel Aparato

Paul Moynihan

Guadalupe Soto

Bishop Tod Brown

Ramona Gonzalez

Sandra Rambert

Kalem Uranga

Nonie Morilla

Lemar Garland

Geraldo Ramos

Mary Serna

Victoria Aguero Solano

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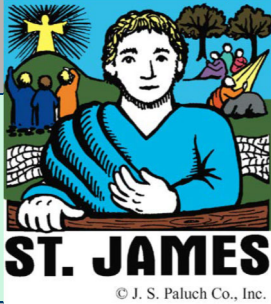
Mariko Mori

Jeronimo Torres

Imelda Ledezma

Anja Smits

Pray for those who have died
oremos por los que han muerto
Alfredo Bernal

	<i>Sunday</i> <i>Domingo</i> 7/21	<i>Monday</i> <i>Lunes</i> 7/22	<i>Tuesday</i> <i>Martes</i> 7/23	<i>Wednesday</i> <i>Miércoles</i> 7/24	<i>Thursday</i> <i>Jueves</i> 7/25	<i>Friday</i> <i>Viernes</i> 7/26	<i>Saturday</i> <i>Sábado</i> 7/27
Children's Faith Formation	 St. Mary Magdalene						
Adult Faith Formation	RCIA Dismissal 8:45am Parish Center MR 3&4	RCIA Class 7pm MR 1&2					
Youth Ministry					 ST. JAMES © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.		
Formación de Fe							
Music Ministry & Other Parish Ministries			Servidores 6pm Hall C Parish Book Study 7pm Hall B Knights of Columbus Meeting 7pm Hall A	Grupo de Jovenes 6pm Hall B Grupo de Oración 6:30pm Hall C	Crecimientos 7pm Hall B		



*Learn how you can become a member
of the largest Catholic Men's
organization in the world.
Join the Knights of Columbus*

Saturday, July 20

8:00am	Hahn Family	Sp Int
5:00pm	Legoria & Armando Carmona	RIP
7:00pm	Cleotilde Lazcano	RIP

Sunday, July 21

7:15am	Maria Inez Martinez	RIP
8:45am	Corazon Viray Azarcon	RIP
10:30am	Jane M. Hill	RIP
12:15pm	Rosenda Luna	RIP
5:00pm	For the Parish	

Monday, July 22

8:30am	Ed & Vicki Villena	Sp Int
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Tuesday, July 23

8:30am	Evaristo Corales	RIP
	Patricia Marinovich	RIP
	Peter Pino	RIP
	Gerry Scott	RIP
	Glenda Dawson	RIP

Wednesday, July 24

8:30am	Warren Emens	RIP
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Thursday, July 25

8:30am	Budi Tjokrobintoro	RIP
	Anita Castillo	RIP
	Anton Kaiser	RIP
	Hermie Maiquez	RIP
	Jim Renaud	RIP

Friday, July 26

8:30am	Linda Duran	Sp Int
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Saturday, July 27

8:00am	Julian Padilla	RIP
5:00pm	Rosa Hernandez	RIP
7:00pm	Hermelinda De la Cruz	RIP

Sunday, July 28

7:15am	Stan Wysocki	RIP
8:45am	For the Parish	
10:30am	Pam Mauss	RIP
12:15pm	Antonio Serna	RIP
5:00pm	Robert O'Brien	RIP

- ◆ Council Mtg on July 23
- ◆ Orange Co. Chapter Mtg on July 25
- ◆ Formation Degree at Fr. Kass Hall on July 28

AS WE CELEBRATE THE FIRST AMENDMENT, WE MUST SAFEGUARD OUR FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOM

There are churches in every town across America, chaplains are on staff in Congress and the military, and the dollar bill in your pocket proclaims, "In God We Trust." With these and other marks of religion all around, you may wonder why the Catholic Church in America annually observes Religious Freedom Week.

The sad fact is, we've seen a growing hostility to religion and its role in our politics and public life. Among numerous cases, Christian bakers have been sued for declining to use their creative talents for same-sex weddings and gender-transition parties, and nurses have faced discipline and dismissal for refusing to assist in abortions.

And recently, U.S. senators have harshly questioned public servants about their Catholic faith and membership in the Knights of Columbus.

In early June, during a Senate hearing for a nominee to the federal court, Ben Sasse of Nebraska defended the Knights by humorously calling attention to judicial nominees being grilled about their membership in the K of C.

Sasse asked Peter J. Phipps, a member of the Knights: "Are you now or have you ever been involved in the organization of a fish fry?" (The wording was reminiscent of McCarthy-era hearings when government officials were questioned about affiliation with the Communist Party.)

Sasse's intervention brought attention to the veiled anti-Catholicism of some senators. These politicians see the Catholic faith as "extreme" because it upholds the teachings of Jesus Christ on marriage and the sanctity of human life.

Back in January 2019, Sasse introduced a Senate Resolution approved by unanimous consent, that "disqualifying a nominee to federal office on the basis of membership in the Knights of Columbus" violates that anti-religious test clause of the U.S. Constitution.

As we consider current threats to religious freedom, we should remember that the Knights of Columbus was established at a time of great anti-Catholic sentiment in America. Father Michael McGivney founded our Order in 1882 to provide a safe haven for Catholic men to grow in charity, unity and fraternity toward one another and their neighbors, and to help families cope with the death of a breadwinner. Our Order continues its vigorous defense of religious freedom in many ways in the United States and around the world.

Other News & Happenings

Enrich Your Faith this Summer with a Cursillo Weekend!

Inspirational talks, Mass, music, adoration and friendship are what you'll experience on a Cursillo weekend.

It's a grace-filled weekend that can bring new vitality, joy and hope to your life.

Applications are being accepted now.

You won't want to miss it!

If the Cursillo dates in July don't fit into your schedule, then plan ahead for the fall!

Summer Cursillo:

Women: July 25-28

Fall Cursillo:

Men: Oct. 3-6

Women: Oct. 17-20

For an application or more information, contact Susan and Matt Heffron at stjosephPlacentiaCursillo@gmail.com or (951) 833-3142.



SAVE THE DATE

Friday, August 23, 2019 at 7pm

St. Joseph Music Ministry Presents:

California Dreamin'

A music variety show featuring all St. Joseph choirs
(including the youth choir)

A SPIRITUALITY SERIES FOR MEN



Journey in the Desert:

A Spiritual Treasure Map

Saturday, August 3, 2019, 9am to 12pm

Presenter: Rev. Brad Karelius Fee \$40

The Bible and the Blues

Sunday, September 22, 2019, 4pm to 5:30pm

Presenter: Dr. Daniel Smith-Christopher Fee \$40

The Choice is Yours:

Living in Harmony with Yourself

Saturday, December 7, 2019, 9am to 12:30pm

Presenter: Father Jim Clarke, Ph.D. Fee \$40

Work, Money and Sex:

Is That All There Is?

Saturday, February 1, 2020, 9am to 12:30pm

Presenter Father Jim Clarke, Ph.D. Fee \$40

Fee to attend ALL FIVE sessions: \$165.00



For more information or to Register,

Visit: EmmausSpiritualMinistries.org

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St. Joseph School News

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR THE 2018-19 SCHOOL YEAR

St. Joseph Catholic school is now accepting applications and open enrollment for Preschool and the school, for the 2019-20 school year.

Call the school office to set up a tour at
(714) 528-1794.

We will be happy to share the great news of
St. Joseph Catholic school.

The first day of school is Monday, August 26, 2019.

You may also visit the school website at www.sjsplacentia.org
and click on the online inquiries for more information.



Seeking a new Professional Landscape Service to keep the church and school grounds beautiful and well tended.

Responsibilities will include the cultivation and care of the landscaping and grounds for both the parish and school.

Please reach out to St. Joseph Church Plant Manager Jerry Cates for more information at jcates@stjosephplacentia.org or call (714) 528-1487 x. 215



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INFANT BAPTISMS

The next Baptism Workshop dates are:

English

Tuesday, August 6, 2019 in Hall A

Spanish

Martes, Agosto 13, 2019 Salon 3 & 4

Baptism Dates are:

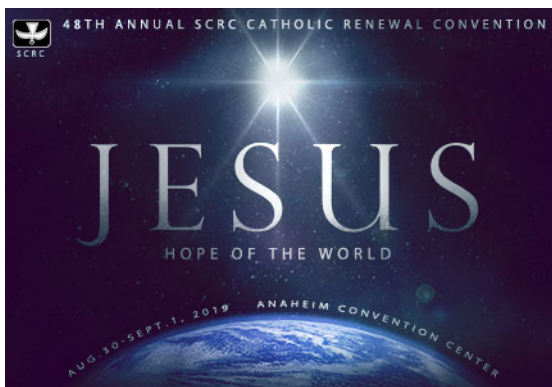
Saturday, August 3, 2019

10am English & 12pm Spanish

For more information about the process to baptize, visit our website at www.stjosephplacentia.org.

To confirm a date for your child's baptism all requirements must be met at least

10 days prior to the date of the baptism.



JESUS HOPE OF THE WORLD

The 48th Annual SCRC Catholic Renewal Convention will take place over the Labor Day weekend, Friday, August 30, 2019 to September 1, 2019 at the Anaheim Convention Center & Arena.

This year's theme is "Jesus, Hope of the World"

Over 40 Catholic Speakers & 70 Presentations!
Spiritually enriching for all ages!

For a brochure or more information contact: spirit@scrc.org or call (818) 771-1361

Online information and registration: SCRC.ORG

Reflexión del XVII Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

Hoy escuchamos en el Evangelio que Jesús visita a Marta y a su hermana María en su casa.

María se sienta a los pies de Jesús a escuchar su palabra, mientras que Martha hace los quehaceres de la casa. Luego Martha se acercó a Jesús y le dijo: "Señor, ¿no te has dado cuenta de que mi hermana me ha dejado sola con todo el quehacer? Dile que me ayude. EL Señor respondió: "Martha, Martha, muchas cosas te preocupan y te inquietan, siendo así que una sola es necesaria. María escogió la mejor parte y nadie se la quitará".

Cuántas veces no andamos de prisa para terminar los quehaceres de la casa y no tomamos tiempo para hacer más cosas con la familia. Por eso hoy al escuchar al señor que le dice a Marta que no se preocupe y no se inquiete. Tómese el tiempo y planea algo para hacer con la familia ya sea ir a misa el domingo y luego invitar a familiares o amigos que vengan a su casa y pasar un buen tiempo. La hospitalidad es sagrada y trae bendiciones.

Formación de Fe para Niños:

- ◆ Registros en línea ya están abiertos para primer y segundo año y formación continua años 3,4 y 5.
- ◆ Registros en persona serán:

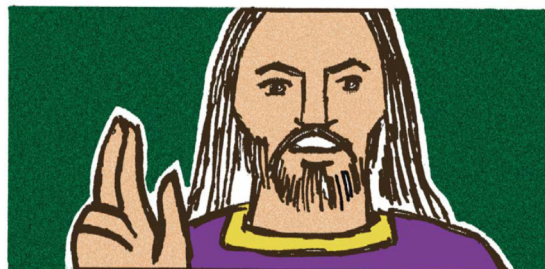
5 de agosto, 2019	5pm-7pm	Salón C
14 de agosto, 2019	5pm-7pm	Salón C
9 de Septiembre, 2019	5pm-7pm	Salón C
- ◆ Requisitos para registrar: Fe de bautizo o certificado de nacimiento si el niño/a no está bautizado.

Cuota: 1er año	\$120
2do año	\$185
3er, 4to, 5to año	\$100

Sitio web www.stjosephplacentia.com

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Cant 3:1-4b o 2 Cor 5:14-17; Sal 63 (62):2-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Martes: Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50
Miércoles: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Sal 78 (77):18-19, 23-28; Mt 13:1-9
Jueves: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Sal 126 (125):1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28
Viernes: Ex 20:1-17; Sal 19 (18):8-11; Mt 13:18-23
Sábado: Ex 24:3-8; Sal 50 (49):1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Mt 13:24-30
Domingo: Gn 18:20-32; Sal 138 (137):1-3, 6-8; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13



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Decimosexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario 21 de julio de 2019

Ese mismo Cristo es el que nosotros predicamos cuando corregimos a los hombres y los instruimos con todos los recursos de la sabiduría, a fin de que todos sean cristianos perfectos.
— *Colosenses 1:28b*

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