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FEBRUARY 12, 2023
SIXTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

*"Amen, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away,
not the smallest letter or the
smallest part of a letter will pass from the law."*

MATTHEW 5:18

Together in Mission 2023

Commitment weekend

Feb. 11 & 12

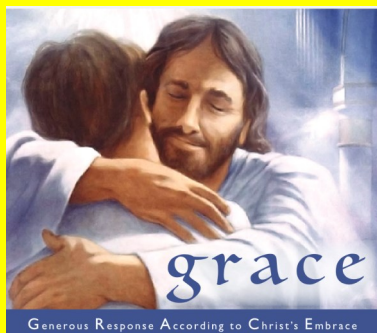


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**Obey and teach
God's commandments**



Sunday, Feb 12
(Matthew 5:17-37)

Whoever obeys and teaches these commandments will be called greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

What would our world be like if everyone lived out the teachings that Jesus gives us in today's Gospel? It

would be a world where people work out their differences peacefully. Where husbands and wives are always faithful to one another. Where no one tells a lie or engages in dishonest deals.

Such a world might seem impossible, but this is the world that God has always intended for his people. It's the kingdom that Jesus announced was "at hand" at the beginning of his ministry (Matthew 3:2). It's the kingdom that he ushered in by his death and resurrection. If it seems hidden in some ways, that's because it's all under construction! We won't experience it fully until Jesus comes again.

But that doesn't mean we can't at least begin to experience God's kingdom today. In fact, God is calling us to build the kingdom. How? We can begin by taking Jesus' Sermon on the Mount as a blueprint for our lives. He calls us to pray and not worry about our daily needs. To care for the poor. To forgive as God has forgiven us. To love our enemies. To turn the other cheek. When we do these things, we make God's kingdom visible.

Because Jesus' teachings can be challenging, we might try to make excuses for ourselves or think that only the saints can obey them. But the more we try to live out Jesus' words, the more his Spirit fills our efforts with his divine grace—and the more we come to realize that it doesn't depend only on us, but also on God's power within us.

Today at Mass, ask the Lord how you might bring God's kingdom to the places where you live and work. Rely on his teachings to guide you and the Spirit to empower you. Above all, stay alert, because opportunities to build the kingdom of God will surely come your way!

"Jesus, may your kingdom come through me and all your people!"

(Word Among Us—Meditations)

**"THE PRIESTHOOD IS THE LOVE
OF THE HEART OF JESUS. WHEN
YOU SEE A PRIEST, THINK OF
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST."**

—ST. JOHN VIANNEY

**Vocation
SUNDAY**

ST. LORENZO RUIZ
WALNUT

FEBRUARY 19



Fr. Mike Perucho



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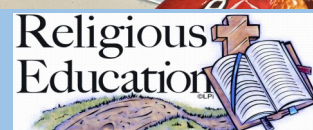
Inter-Congregation Vocation Ministry

The Consecrated Women Religious will be visiting our parish on the weekend of February 18-19, 2023. The Sisters will come to represent the more than 1,500 **Religious Women in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles**. The purpose of the visit is to spread the Good News that as Nuns/Sisters that have contributed significantly to the life of parishes and schools in the Archdiocese, they are still alive and well! They are serving in various forms of ministries. The sisters will have available literatures on their Orders/Congregations and will be very happy to answer questions you may have.

The sisters are requesting that as a parish

- We all begin to pray for vocations, especially vocations to priesthood and consecrated life.
- To share memories or a story about a sister that you know.
- And if you think you are called to the consecrated life, the sisters are here to assist you with your discernment.

Let us help this project and promote the Vocation-Culture in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles.



**中文彌撒每月第二主日 Chinese Mass:
Feb 12, at 3:30 pm**

DONATION:



We are a family at SLR.

If you are in need, and would like to receive a food basket, please provide your name and information to our Parish Office. *We will contact you to coordinate pick-up.*

Parish Office: 909-595-9545

Mass Schedule*

Mon to Fri: 7:00am and 7:00pm

Sat: 8:00am

5:00pm- livestreamed

**Sunday: 7:30am , 9:00am, 10:30am- livestreamed,
12:00pm , 1:30pm (Spanish) -livestreamed, 6:30
pm**

Mass in Filipino: Every 1st Sunday, 3:00pm

Chinese Mass: Every 2nd Sunday, 3:30pm

**Confession: Monday-Friday: 6:45am & 6:45pm,
First Friday: 7:30-8:30pm; Saturday: 3:30pm-
4:30pm**

Parish Office 909-595-9545

**subject to change— call for special masses*

The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



Jesus said to his disciples:
"Let your statement be, 'Yes, yes' or 'No, no';
anything beyond these is of evil." Mt 5:37

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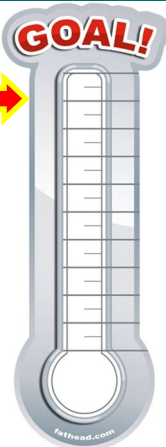


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- Go online
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 You**

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**Please help us
 support our
 struggling
 parishes and
 schools**



Please COME & Join our... SLRC
'Word Made Flesh'

**a 'way of life'
 on the Road to
 (and through)
 Emmaus**

**... A program & undertaking of SLRC
 inviting, encouraging and enabling
 the community to 'read', 'reflect',
 'share' and 'pray' on the Word
 daily and liturgically.**

**"Stay with us, for night comes quickly,
 The day is now almost over"**

Be missionaries...

**Be part of the Seventy-Two
 appointed in pairs to share the King-
 dom... Join our "SLRC Word Made Flesh"
 and make it a way of life**



**The following are the 'Word
 Made Flesh' Groups that
 available for you:**



- ⇒ **Mondays 7:30pm** Dave & Edith De Leon (deleondy@yahoo.com)
- ⇒ **Tuesdays 9:30am Zoom Meeting** Linda Talcott/
 Bob Kondrath (linda@shop4georgie.com)
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2335265316>
- ⇒ **Wednesdays 7:00 pm** Ray & Jasmin Apodaca
 (rayapodaca@saintlorenzo.org)
- ⇒ **Wednesdays 8:00 pm** Sheila Sobretudo **Zoom**
 (sheilasobretudo@gmail.com)
- ⇒ **Miércoles 11:00 am y 7:00 pm** Gaby Coria
 (Gabycoria@saintlorenzo.org)
- ⇒ **Thursdays 7:00 pm** Terry Perkins
 (tlpkittycat@yahoo.com)
- ⇒ **Thursdays 8:00 pm** Orly & Meanne Vales
 (ovales88@gmail.com)
- ⇒ **Fridays 5:00 pm** Adriana Melchor
 (melchorpoly5@gmail.com)
- ⇒ **Saturdays 10:30 am** Susie Taon
 (Susietaon@saintlorenzo.org)

Temporalities

We thank our February
Liturgical Sponsors

Sponsor of Light

Gonzalez Family

In loving memory of

Mario Gonzalez & Roderick Lansang

Sponsor of Altar Bread

Rommel & Elaine Castro

*In thanksgiving from the family of Rolaine Castro
with special intentions*

Sponsors of Altar Wine

Wilma & Virgilio Najera

In celebration of their 30th wedding anniversary

Sponsors of the Word

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St. Lorenzo Collection

Summary Feb 5, 2023

Plate: \$ 4,572

Envelopes: \$ 7,053

Faith Direct (Online): \$ 4,935

Total : \$ 16,560

SLR Lenten Schedule

BURNING OF THE PALMS

Sunday, February 19

6:30pm.....**Burning of the Palms**
followed by mass

ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, February 22

7:00am.....Mass

12:00pm.....Scripture

5:00pm.....Mass

7:00pm.....Bilingual Mass

(All services followed by Distribution of Ashes)

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Groups in our Parish



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Searching for
Volunteers

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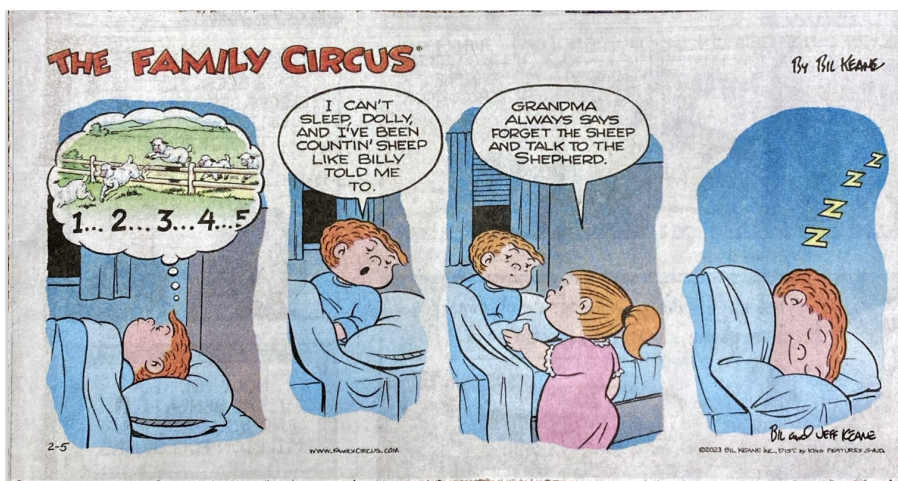
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IN PERSON | ANAHEIM, CA

YOUTH DAY
STRIVE 4 LIFE



ADULT DAYS
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Dear Jesus,

We pray for every parish.
May our parishes, placing
communion at the center,
increasingly become
communities of faith,
fraternity, and welcome
toward those most in
need. *(Special Intentions
of Pope Francis)*

Come join our **Youth Choir on Sunday, February 19th**
at 10:30AM Mass! (9:30AM Rehearsal in class-
rooms). Youth Hosts Hospitality Donuts and Coffee af-
terwards, then join us for a Word Among Us Lunch Meet!

Youth Day, Strive 4 Life Religious Education Congress-

- ⇒ **Thursday, February 23rd**
- ⇒ 7:30AM-3:30PM
- ⇒ Anaheim Convention Center

Register now!

- For more details, visit:
- Website: <https://recongress.org>

For more information on our upcoming activities:

Text or Call: (626) 377-1591

E-Mail: maryannegarcia@saintlorenzo.org

We got some fun activities planned! Check them out here:

ATTENTION ALL C2 KIDS!!! Confirmation 2 retreat is already
being planning for March 10-12! What a way to start the new
year 2023. This retreat is only for confirmation kids in their
second year. Here are some throwback pictures from last years
retreat. Turn in your retreat forms ASAP!--



We love and are most proud of our children, families and formation volunteers of our Rel Ed. Program!



Heartfelt 
THANKS
TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!



First Sunday of the month—Filipino Mass Feb 5 @ 3:00pm; Fr. Thomas presided.



The St. Lorenzo Ruiz Devotion burning of petitions (every First Tuesday). Fr. Paul and parishioners/ devotees last Tuesday 7:00pm Feb 7th



Come join the Youth Choir!
3rd Sundays of the Month.



Jesus...
"the Bread of Life"
"Springtime of the Soul... the Family"



LENT 2023

Our 2023 Lenten Brochure coming this week!

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LENTEN FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

All Fridays, February 24 to March 31
6:30pm.....Stations of the Cross
7:00pm.....Mass followed by Fellowship
7:30-8:30pm..... Confession

Knights of Columbus fundraiser

Come and enjoy a delicious burrito and meet St. Lorenzo Ruiz Knights of Columbus
February 19, 2023
8:00am to 3:00pm
Next to the Hospitality area

