August 23, 2020

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



Holy Family Pastoral Staff Retreat-August 17th

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MASS

Daily: 8:00 am, 9:00 am and 5:30 pm (9:00 am is live streamed ONLY)

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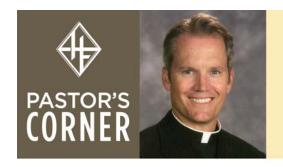
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Dear Parishioners,

This past Monday, we had our retreat for our pastoral staff of Holy Family. In the retreat we did some reflection on the pandemic and how it has affected us personally and in ministry here at Holy Family. What have we done well? What can we do better? We are here to serve you, and we want to ensure that we maintain our connection with all of our parishioners and ministries. It's a gargantuan task, but we are giving it our best shot.

Why is this important? Well ... think about it. Is there anything more important than our relationship with our Savior and being the person we are created to be, striving for excellence and charity and humility and purity and greater love for all of creation? Is there anything more important than doing the best that we can to please God, serve God and gain entry to heaven some day when the Lord calls us home?

Our mission to serve and to help one another in our personal relationships with God. He is love. He loves. And he cares for each one of us despite our sins and our brokenness. His healing power is readily available, but we have to do our part as well. We want to help us all on this incredible journey of life on the way to our heavenly home.

It is very easy in our crazily busy world to lose sight of the fact that we are just passing through. Our stay here is only temporary. Our ultimate goal is heaven and that is for eternity. We have a very merciful God, but what if we don't achieve our goal?

Most of us grapple with the very enticing material and sensual world. We get distracted. We enjoy the good things in life. So, what must we do to attain eternal life? How do we get the fulfillment we all so earnestly long for? Since we are made in the image of God, we can only find fulfillment in God Himself. If we read any of the saints, we are going to find this common thread in their writings: "Our hearts are restless till they rest in Thee" per St. Augustine.

In September, we are going to be working hard to reinvigorate our ministries virtually and help one another recharge as we have an exciting (albeit different) parish year ahead.

God bless us all -

Fr. Jim Bevacqua, Pastor 818-247-2222 x225 fr-bevacqua@hfglendale.org



THESE INTENTIONS WILL BE SAID IN THE PRIEST'S PRIVATE MASS

SUNDAY AUGUST 23

8:00 AM Leodegario Salcedo - Deceased 9:30 AM For the People of the Parish and Karen Girardi & Family 10:30 AM Rudy Arredondo - Deceased Antonio & Cuca Avila - Deceased

Erica Barin

NOTE: 10:30 AM (Livestream ONLY)

5:30 PM Oneight and Edge Program

MONDAY AUGUST 24

8:00 AM Regina Teoco - Deceased and Primitiva Abucot - Deceased 9:00 AM Pami Danque - Deceased

NOTE: 9:00 AM (Livestream ONLY)

5:30 PM Religious Education Program and Catechists

TUESDAY8:00 AM

AUGUST 25
Michelle Coleto

and Holy Family Grade School staff and

9:00 AM faculty

NOTE: 9:00 AM (Livestream ONLY)

5:30 PM Fil-Am Council officers and members

WEDNESDAY8:00 AM

AUGUST 26
Blanca Galapon

and Holy Family High School staff and

faculty

9:00 AM Karen Girardi & Family

NOTE: 9:00 AM (Livestream ONLY)

5:30 PM The Valino family THURSDAY AUGUST 27

8:00 AM George Asmar - Deceased and Youssef and Barbara Nouh Holy Family Ushers and Lectors

NOTE: 9:00 AM (Livestream ONLY)

5:30 PM Maria Elena Reyes - Deceased

FRIDAY AUGUST 28

8:00 AM Beatriz & Agustin Jereza - Deceased and Carmelo Castro - Deceased 9:00 AM Dr. Rizal Pangilinan - Deceased

NOTE: 9:00 AM (Livestream ONLY)

5:30 PM Lucy Cruz - Deceased

Dr. Rizal Pangilinan - Deceased Luz Quiambao - Deceased

SATURDAY AUGUST 29

8:00 AM Gregoria Aguilar - Deceased and Karen Girardi & Family 9:00 AM Holy Family Clergy and Staff

NOTE: 9:00 AM (Livestream ONLY)

5:30 PM Maria Guerrero

Cora P. Jackson - Deceased

PARISH NEWS

HOLY FAMILY MISSION STATEMENT

As disciples of Christ, Holy Family Parish is committed to being a more caring, united Catholic community of faith that welcomes all ages, cultures, and walks of life and strives to build the Kingdom of God.



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MARRIAGE BANNS

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HOLY FAMILY HIGH SCHOOL SWEATER MASS

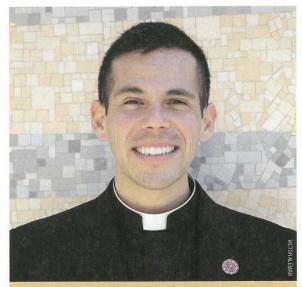


OUR NEW ASSOCIATE PASTOR BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1

Michael Mesa

Age: 31

Hometown: Pomona/Diamond Bar Home parish: St. Denis Church, Diamond Bar First parish assignment: Holy Family Church, Glendale



"Doctors have crazy hours. I think that kind of prepared me for the sacrifice involved in the life of a priest."

ichael Mesa grew up in the Pomona/Diamond Bar area and was raised Catholic, but admittedly was the kind of Catholic who sort of took his faith for granted; the kind who attended Mass every Sunday but did so

"We went to the 7:30 a.m. Mass," he said. "So, I didn't really pay attention that much."

Most of his energy was focused on becoming a doctor, a focus that landed him at USC where he majored in biology. It was after graduation, while working in a research lab at USC, that his life changed as he, in his words, "came to God

Employing his training in biology, he began to ponder life's big questions: What is consciousness and what is the purpose of life? Yeah. Big.

"You start to get into the physics of what the universe is made out of and then eventually you hit philosophy where, you know, I had to decide does God exist or not," he said. "And I kind of reached the conclusion, OK, he does exist, so what does that mean for my life?

"I think that initial call to find God through my intellect kind of led me to then look at the faith that was right in front

Fittingly, his search led him to a book, well, the book. He began reading the Bible, from cover to cover, on Jan. 1, 2011. From the beginning, from the first pages of Genesis, he said, "The word of God stirred up something in my heart. There was this truth and beauty reflected in all these questions I had been thinking about and it kind of started me on this

Around the same time, he was led back to his home parish of St. Denis Church in Diamond Bar, where he was given a book on rediscovering one's Catholicism. He read it, loved it, and soon found himself back at Mass, fully awake.

"I noticed in the Mass that there was this joy, this hope that

was, you know, in everyone," he said.

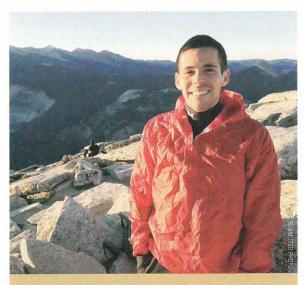
And it's that hope and joy he hopes to bring to his new parish, Holy Family Church in Glendale. He said he is "honored and humbled" to be going to a parish in possession of more than 100 years of history, a stunning church and a personal connection to St. Frances Cabrini. He believes the journey that delivered him to Glendale prepared him well.

"Doctors have crazy hours. I think that kind of prepared me for the sacrifice involved in the life of a priest," he said. "I didn't really feel it was a sacrifice, just the next step in follow-

ing God; kind of an adventure."

It's an adventure he's eager to share with others, even in these historically uncertain times, even when some may question God's role in their lives or God's very existence. He believes he can offer some comfort and perhaps a few

After all, he's done the research.



Michael Mesa

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Vigésimo Primer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario 23 de agosto de 2020

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— Mateo 16:19

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Pondré en sus manos la llave de la Casa de David (Isaías 22:19-23).

Salmo — Señor, tu amor perdura eternamente; obra tuya soy, no me abandones (Salmo 138 [137]).

Segunda lectura — Los designios de Dios son impenetrables, no se pueden comprender sus caminos (Romanos 11:33-36).

Evangelio — Tú eres el Cristo, el Hijo de Dios vivo (Mateo 16:13-20). Salmo responsorial: *Leccionario Hispanoamericano Dominical* © 1970, Comisión Episcopal Española. Usado con permiso. Todos los derechos reservados.

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