

Dear Parishioners of Divine Savior and our cherished visitors:

Ezekiel 18:25-28; Psalm 25:4-9; Philippians 2:1-11; Matthew 21:28-32

Our second reading for this Sunday reminds us that our path to meaningfulness, purpose and fulfillment is paved with compassion and mercy. We unite with each other with the love that God freely offers us. We pray that unlike either son in this Sunday's Gospel, we will say "yes" right off and live that "yes" by imitating God by loving well. For more...[CLICK HERE](#)

~Fr. Roman

We will celebrate **outdoor Mass at 7:30am** this Sunday, September 27th. All current guidelines will remain, **including to RSVP** for attendance, to wear a mask, to maintain physical distancing before, during and after Mass, and to bring a chair. [Click here](#) to RSVP. Also, we will continue to live stream Masses at 4:30pm Saturday and 9am Sunday. **Outside Communion will continue this Sunday after the 9am live stream Mass.**

SPECIAL OUTDOOR MASS -- ALL NON- HUMAN FAMILY MEMBERS WELCOME. NEXT Sunday, October 4th at 11:30am the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi. Please ensure that non-human family members are leashed or in a carrier. If you have recently lost your beloved animal companion, please feel free to bring a favorite photo.

This Mass will be in addition to our regular 7:30am outdoor Mass. Please RSVP, wear a mask and bring a chair. [Click here](#) to RSVP. **Following Mass, we will have a special pet blessing.** You may bring your pet at 12:30pm if you would like to come for the blessing only.



Happy Anniversary

Do you have a Wedding Anniversary in September? There is still

time to add your names to the list of those being recognized this weekend. Email your name, spouse's name, date of your anniversary and years married to elaine@divinesavior.com by Saturday at noon. We will post it during the Wedding Anniversary blessing at the end of all Masses THIS weekend.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

A reminder that anyone wanting to celebrate this Sacrament may call the office, 916-989-7400 and connect with either priest. A mutually acceptable time will be determined for you.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Divine Savior invites everyone to Eucharistic Adoration following the livestream of daily Mass on Friday, October 2nd. Adoration begins immediately after Mass and continues until 10:30am.



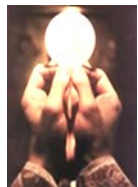
Please pray for those who are sick, in pain or recovery, or in need of spiritual healing.

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| Beckham Anaya | Sheldon Anderson Jr. |
| Talon Bonanno | Julie Bouse |
| Eduardo Bravo | Pat Collier |
| Noreen Davis | Michael W. Donner |
| Carol Dziedzic | Reggie Faulk |
| Dorothy Feldman | Bud Green |
| Rosa Gutierrez | Sandra Harris |
| Delores Henkel | John Herzog |
| Kay Hoffer | Bridgette Hubbard |
| Doug Jackson | Martin Jennings |
| Diane Jones | Carl Larson |
| Vicente Meno | Nick Merlo |
| Sybil Miller | Mauri Murillo |
| Allen D. Nelson | Glen Newton |
| John Newton | Shirley Newton |
| Patty Nicholson | Sue O'Brien |
| Jacque Olson | John Padden |
| Karen Paddock | Linda Parker |
| Gladys Reilly | Christopher Revak |
| Roxanne Rosales | Madeline Rose |
| Gerry Ryden | Donna Schulte |
| Tom Sekel | Bernice Siddall |
| Shari Sigl | Israel Lopez Silva |
| Daya Vati Singh | Roberta Sly |
| Craig Smith | Stella Zipp |

*Please pray for the souls of those
who have died:*

Bob Collier Rosemary Dubé
—For these and all the faithful departed, through
the mercy of God,
rest in peace.

REMINDER FROM MINISTRY TO THE HOMEBOUND



We take communion (Eucharist) to the homebound and want to remind you that, if you are unable to share in communion at our outdoor 7:30 a.m. Mass on Sundays, or during drive-by communion on Sundays at 9:50am, you may call the parish office at 916-989-7400 to request private communion. We will do our best to serve you in a timely way.

BEREAVEMENT RETREAT

Christ the King Retreat Center

THIS Monday Sept 28th
10:30am -2pm

Fr. Tom Bonacci, CP
Presenter. [Click here](#) for more information.



SECOND COLLECTION

Next week, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection. For more information, and to donate online, [click here](#).

FAITH FORMATION



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Parish families

Faith formation for children, middle and high school will kick off THIS Sunday, Sept. 27th. If you haven't already, [Enroll now!](#)

For more information about ministry for children & youth including sacrament preparation, please go to the parish website under [Faith Formation](#).

Deepening Our Christian Faith - a small faith group study with Fr. Marcel

Sundays at 2pm, all are welcome to join Fr. Marcel's book study on [Prayer of Fire, Experiencing the Lord's Prayer](#). Email frmarcel@divinesavior.com for information.



Saturday, October 24th 9am-Noon

Food Drive sponsored by Divine Savior at the Orangevale Food Bank

- To help the OV/Fair Oaks Food Bank and the Seventh-day Adventist Food Closet serve all residents of Orangevale and Fair Oaks who are in need of food. For more information on donating to the Parish Food Drive or to volunteer to help, [click here](#).



Going Deeper with Fr. Roman

Be sure to watch this weeks edition of "Going Deeper" with Fr. Roman:

[We're in this Vineyard Together.](#)