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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 8, 2021
I am the living bread
that came down from heaven.
— *John 6:51*

SUNDAY MASSES
5PM VIGIL
7AM; 9AM (WITH DRIVE-IN)
11AM (WITH ZOOM)
LOG-IN: 266 236 8157
1PM ESPAÑOL

DAILY MASSES
MORNING MASS
8:15AM
EVENING MASS
6:30PM
(JUEVES EN ESPAÑOL)
HOLIDAYS @ 9AM, NO EVENING MASS

CONFESSIONS CONFESIONES
SATURDAY (SÁBADO)
9:00 AM - 10:30AM
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:00 AM - 10:30 AM
6:00 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.

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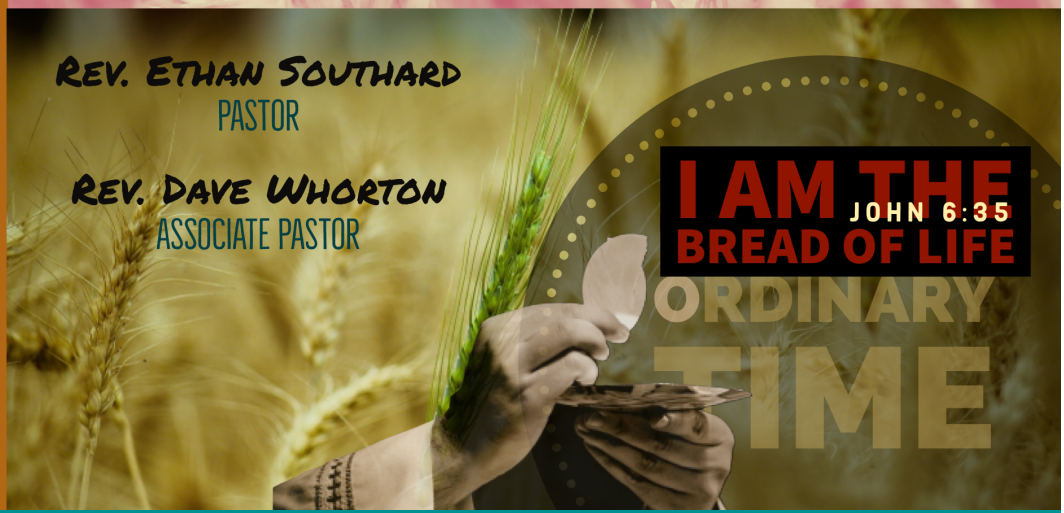

Praying for You

Mass Intentions for the Week
August 7 & 8, 2021

5pm Vigil -		John Simoni; Raquel Barot +; Oscar Custodio +; Lamar Custodio +
7:00 am -		Canuto and Arturo Domacena +; Natalie Simoni
9:00 am -		Robert Rapada +; Maria Theresa Perez De la Peña +; Araceli G. Ceballos +
11:00 am -		People of the Parish
1:00pm -		Kimberly Rodriguez; Alicia Avila; Maria Saenz +; Eduardo Flores Gomez +
August 9	**8:15am**	Javier Ramon; Araceli G. Ceballos +; Carmen Roperos +; Darlene Jackie
	6:30pm	Dayse De Cigarroa +; Adelaida Delrio McDavid +; Kimberly Ochoa
August 10	**8:15am**	Lawrence Hwang; George & Claribella Mandap; Germania Trinidad +
	6:30pm	Rosario Galvan; Ashley Joshi; Felisa Ceballos Trazo +; Araceli G. Ceballos +
August 11	**8:15am**	Anne Winner +; Araceli G. Ceballos +; Eledia Mirasol Tan +
	6:30pm	Rosario Galvan; Luis Ramon; Mary Meyers +; Brian Makohan +
August 12	**8:15 am**	Hermenegildo C. Tampinco +; Aaron Avellanosa +; Araceli Ceballos +
	6:30pm	Araceli Ceballos +; Antonio Sio + Ofelia Gomez Nuñez; Ana Luz Silva +
August 13	**8:15 am**	Araceli Ceballos + Rock Gabrielle +; Leticia Baeza Martinez; Jonathan Guardado +
	6:30pm	Izabelle Simoni; Oliver P. Dandan +; Danny Ilejay
August 14	**8:15am**	Precious +; Loretta +; Brenda; Araceli Ceballos +

Readings for the Week

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — After resting and taking nourishment twice, Elijah is strengthened to walk to the mountain of God, Horeb (1 Kings 19:4-8).

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

Second Reading — Be sealed by the Holy Spirit of God so as to be imitators of God and live in love (Ephesians 4:30 — 5:2).

Gospel — Jesus professes that he is the living bread and whoever eats this bread will live forever (John 6:41-51).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Wednesday: Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-6; Mt 18:21 — 19:1
Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24;Mt 19:3-12
Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Together in Mission

Our support of the Together in Mission Annual Appeal helps needy schools and parishes continue to serve their students, families and communities. As of June 16, we've raised almost $37,000 but are still need your help to reach our Parish Goal of $103,701 for this calendar year. On behalf of those you uplift, thank you for your generous support.

A Message from Fr. Ethan

[ENRICHMENT]

Last weekend our parish hosted a day of rest and enrichment at the Brandeis-Bardin Retreat Center in Simi Valley. As part of our CHILD (Communities of Holy Intimacy, Love, & Discipleship) Summer Series, we were invited to have fun as we were being nurtured in a playful way. Laughter, joy, and music filled the air as we put our burdens down and enjoyed the day with a childlike spirit.

Representatives from the Archdiocese's Office of Restorative Justice (ORJ) led us through reflections on who we are and how we encounter Christ in each other. Somehow, the over 100 people who participated in the day, transcended language and ministerial groups, to truly join together as one in the spirit of Christ.

At the 5pm Vigil Mass that Saturday evening, I asked Fred Perez, our Finance Council Chair, of his impression or experience of that day. Fred responded that so often we feel that we have to bring Jesus to other people, like those in jail, but he realized that Jesus is already there in the other person. In the Gospel of Matthew 25:36, Jesus said "I was in prison and you visited me." Fred continued by saying that if Jesus is already there, our job is to simply recognize the presence of Christ in the other person.

In this weekend's Gospel, we hear the Jews murmur about Jesus saying, "Is this not Jesus, the son of Joseph? Do we not know his father and mother? Then how can he say, 'I have come down from heaven?'" (John 6:42). This line in the Gospel is so important because it reminds us of how easy it can be to overlook someone, or to think we know who they are, or who they aren't. Some of the Jewish people failed to recognize who Jesus truly was, even when he was there in the flesh, speaking with them!!

That caution is still present for all of us today. Lat week, Fred, reminded us that if we're not careful, we may fail to recognize the presence of Christ in the people that we are speaking with or working with. We may even take on the attitude that we have Jesus and they don't, so we need to teach them and give them Jesus!!

If Jesus really was in prison and we went to visit him, what would our attitude be? Would we try to teach Jesus and tell him how to be better? Would we go easy and light and allow Jesus to minister to us? Would we say, I know who your parents are, where you come from, and why you are here?

Jesus wants to feed and nourish all of us. He says, "I am the bread of life" and "Whoever eats this bread will live forever" (John 6:48; 51). Will we let Jesus feed us in all of our encounters with each other?

Blessings on your week. May God continue to nourish us and feed us with his food for the journey.

With a tender heart,

Father Ethan

Mensaje del P. Ethan [Enriquecimiento]

El fin de semana pasado nuestra parroquia organizó un día de descanso y enriquecimiento en el Centro de Retiro Brandeis-Bardin en Simi Valley. Como parte de nuestra Serie de Verano CHILD (Comunidades de Sagrada Intimidad, Amor y Discipulado), fuimos invitados a divertirnos mientras nos cuidaban de una manera entretenida. La risa, el gozo y la música llenaron el aire mientras dejamos nuestras cargas y disfrutamos del día con un espíritu infantil.

Representantes de la Oficina de Justicia Restaurativa (ORJ) de la Arquidiócesis nos guiaron a través de reflexiones sobre quiénes somos y cómo encontramos a Cristo en los demás. De alguna manera, las más de 100 personas que participaron en el día, trascendieron el idioma y los grupos ministeriales, para unirse verdaderamente como uno en el espíritu de Cristo.

En la misa de vigilia a las 5 pm ese sábado por la noche, le pregunté a Fred Pérez, nuestro presidente del Consejo de Finanzas, sobre su impresión o experiencia de ese día. Fred respondió que muchas veces sentimos que tenemos que llevar a Jesús a otras personas, como los que están en la cárcel, pero se dio cuenta de que Jesús ya está allí en la otra persona. En el Evangelio de Mateo 25,36, Jesús dijo: "[Estaba] preso, y me vinieron a ver". Fred continuó diciendo que si Jesús ya está allí, nuestro trabajo es simplemente reconocer la presencia de Cristo en la otra persona.

En el Evangelio de este fin de semana, escuchamos a los judíos murmurar acerca de Jesús diciendo: "¿Acaso este no es Jesús, el hijo de José? Nosotros conocemos a su padre y a su madre. ¿Cómo puede decir ahora: "Yo he bajado del cielo""(Juan 6,42). Esta línea del Evangelio es muy importante porque nos recuerda lo fácil que puede ser pasar por alto a alguien, o pensar que sabemos quiénes son o quiénes no. ¡¡Algunos judíos no reconocieron quién era realmente Jesús, incluso cuando estaba allí en persona, hablando con ellos!!

Esa precaución todavía está presente para todos nosotros hoy. La semana pasada, Fred, nos recordó que si no tenemos cuidado, es posible que no reconozcamos la presencia de Cristo en las personas con las que estamos hablando o trabajando. ¡Incluso podemos adoptar la actitud de que tenemos a Jesús y ellos no, así que tenemos que enseñarles y darles a Jesús!

Si Jesús realmente estuviera en la cárcel y fuéramos a visitarlo, ¿cuál sería nuestra actitud? ¿Trataríamos de enseñarle a Jesús y decirle cómo ser mejor? ¿Seríamos tranquilos y ligeros y permitiríamos que Jesús nos ministrara? ¿Diríamos, sé quiénes son tus padres, de dónde vienes y por qué estás aquí?

Jesús quiere alimentarnos y nutrirnos a todos. Él dice: "Yo soy el pan de vida" y "El que coma de este pan vivirá eternamente" (Juan 6,48; 51). ¿Dejaremos que Jesús nos alimente en todos nuestros encuentros entre nosotros?

Bendiciones en tu semana. Que Dios continúe cuidándonos y alimentándonos con su alimento para el camino.

Con un corazón tierno,

Padre Ethan

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Malachi 3:23-24
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FEAST OF SAINT JOHN EUDES

AUGUST 19TH