



St. Francis Xavier Parish

3801 Scott Road, Burbank, CA 91504

June 5, 2022

Pentecost Sunday



INDOOR MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday: 8 a.m.

Saturday Vigil: 5 p.m.

Sunday: 8 am, 10 am, 11:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Holy Hour—Friday: 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

CONFESSION & SICK VISITS

Confession is available 30 minutes before each weekend Mass. Sick Visits and Confession are also available by calling the Parish Office.

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From the Desk of Fr. Sebastian,

Dear Friends,

A young man was an apprentice to an artist who produced the most beautiful stained-glass windows. The apprentice, even after many months of training, could not attain the master's genius so he borrowed the master's tools, thinking that was the answer. After several weeks, the apprentice said to the master, "Master, I am not doing any better with your tools than I did with mine." The master replied, "So, it is not the tools of the master you need, but the spirit of the master."

We need the spirit of our Master who is Jesus. Jesus promised us His spirit. Remember the words of Jesus. He said to his disciples: When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. (Jn. 16/13). The Holy Spirit that Jesus promised descended upon His disciples on the day of Pentecost. In the presence of the Holy Spirit, they experienced a tremendous change in their convictions and perceptions. They became powerful witnesses of Jesus' mission. The church was born.

Today we are commemorating this great event. Today is Pentecost Sunday. Today is the Feast of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit helps us in different ways. The first and foremost gift of the Holy Spirit is the gift of discernment. This is probably what we need today. Our life is a series of choices. Our options are unlimited. We don't know how to choose.

The Holy Spirit helps us. Look at the Book of the Acts of the Apostles. In fact, this book is also called the Book of the Holy Spirit. The early church was in crises. Two groups were fighting for prominence. The Holy Spirit intervened. The result was the Jerusalem Council. The Holy Spirit led the church from crises to growth. The greatness of the Apostles was that they had listening ears and willing hearts. If we, individually or collectively, are facing crises, it is due to our failure in listening to the whispering of the Spirit.

Secondly, the Holy Spirit helps us to understand our common bond. The biggest crises of our time are division and divisive mentality. We pit people against one another for insignificant and selfish reasons. The spirit of God helps us to see our common heritage. The proof is Pentecost. On the day of Pentecost, even though the crowd was a collection of different colors, cultures and languages, everyone understood everyone else. The Holy Spirit filled their hearts with a new language, a language of love. So, our prayer must be "Come, Holy Spirit, fill our hearts and kindle in us with the fire of your love. Amen."

May God bless you.

PARISH NEWS

*May Crowning*

*Thank you to everyone who
shared this beautiful moment
with our community.*



*The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the
repose of the soul of: Barbara Trinchero*

Vigil: Friday, June 10th

7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.

Funeral: Saturday, June 11th

10:00 a.m.



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SUNDAY, JUNE 5

People of St. Francis Xavier

MONDAY, JUNE 6

Abrajano Family & Glorioso Family

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

Roxanne & Gina Carrasco & Abrajano Family

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

Eugenio Lirio III & Jonathan Franyutti †

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

David & Benjamin Carrasco

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

Grace Quiza & David Schaly †

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

People of St. Francis Xavier

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Readings for the week of June 5, 2022

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1,24,29-31,34/1 Cor12:3- 7,12-13/Jn 20:19-23
 Monday: Gn 3:9-15,20/Ps 87:1-3,5-7/Jn 19:25-34
 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-5,7-8/Mt 5:13-16
 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1-2,4-5,8,11/Mt 5:17-19
 Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10-13/Mt 5:20-26
 Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9,11-16/Ps 27:7-9,13-14/Mt 5:27-32
 Saturday: Acts 11:21-26;13:1-3/Ps 98:1-6

PRAY FOR THE SICK



We pray for our sick parishioners that they may know the healing of Christ:
 Fely Arenas, Teresita Blazon, Dwayne Cheshire, Colette Craan, John Gonzalez, Lindsey Hargrave, Micah Homayounian, Maria Sampley, Kathy Segura, Kirk Taylor, Betty Quigg, Lorraine White, Donna Kaiser, Isabella Riera, Samantha MacMartin, Bernadette Alles, Eunice De Sourdis, Maureen Creason, Tom McDonald, Scott Singer, Tirso George, Robert Caplan, Elaine Thimes, Xenia Stresino and Diane Doyle.

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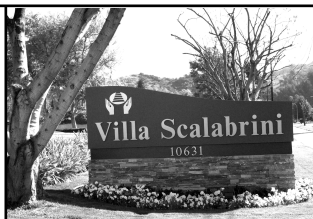
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