Mary Immaculate Church

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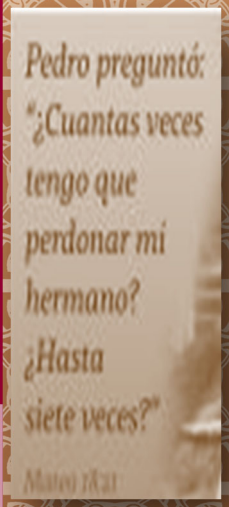
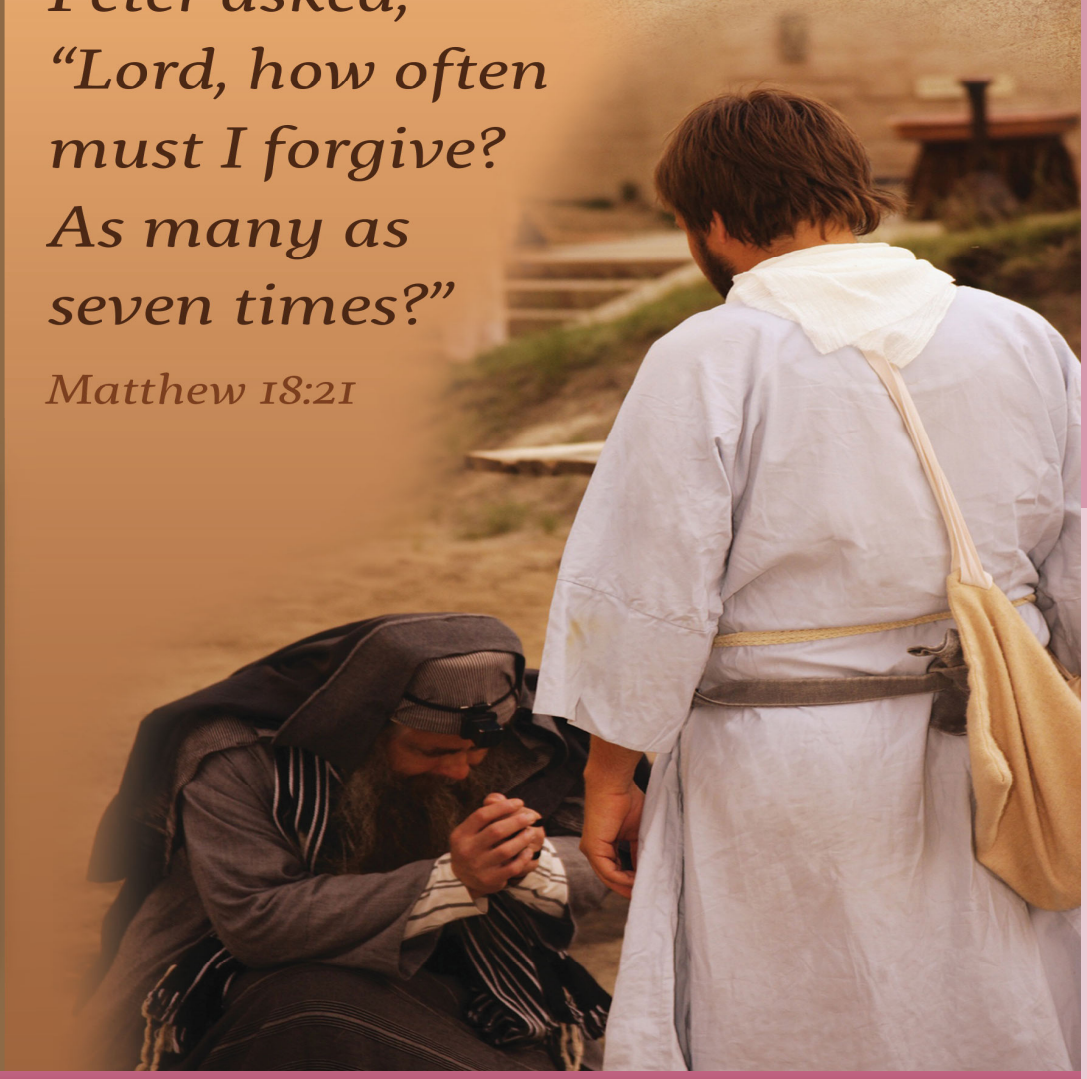
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



September 17, 2017

Peter asked, "Lord, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?"

Matthew 18:21



Clergy

Rev. Abel Loera, Pastor

Rev. Walter Paredes, Associate

Deacons

Dn. Jesús López
Dn. Jose Cruz Ortiz

Office Hours
Monday -Friday/
Lunes—Viernes
9:00am-8:00pm
Sábado/Sat. 8:00 am-4:00pm
Domingo/Sun. 8:00am-4:00pm

Mass Schedule

Misas en Español:
De Lunes-Viernes- 6:30PM
Sábado - 7:00PM

Domingo - 6:00AM,
8:00AM, 12:00PM,
2:00PM, 6:00 PM, & 8:00 PM

Misa Bilingüe / Bilingual Mass -Life Teen
4:00PM

English Masses:
Daily - 7:00AM
Saturday - 7:00AM
Sunday - 10:00 AM

Confessions/Confesiones:

Saturday/Sábado: 5:00PM - 7:00PM

Hora Santa - Todos los jueves y Viernes Primero del mes de
7:00 PM a 9:00 PM

Misa de Sanacion: Todos los últimos viernes del mes de 6:30pm

Charlas Pre bautismales:

Martes de 6:00 pm- 9:00 PM

Parish Directory / Directorio Parroquial

Executive Secretary: Nery Flores
Plan Manager Superviser: Victor Lopez

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Raquel Arroyo, Religious Education Coordinator
Roxana Contreras, Secretary
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Office Hours / Horario de Oficina
Monday—Wednesday/ Lunes – Miercoles,
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Deaconate Couple:
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(818) 899-0278

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Javier & Carolina Hinojosa,
Lissette Villalobos, Secretary

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Confirmation, EDGE, LifeTeen
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Office Hours / Horario de Oficina
Monday -Thursday
Lunes a Jueves
3:00PM – 6:00PMl

Marriage Office (818) 899-0278 Ext. 1006
Monday—Wednesday & Friday
Lunes—Miercoles y Viernes
3:00pm—6:00pm
Saturday / Sabado:
9:00am – 12:00pm
Weddings are scheduled six months in advance
Las bodas se programan con seis meses de anticipación

Mary Immaculate School Corner

http://maryimmaculateschool.org

Come Visit our School!

Be part of our Family!

Parish School / Escuela Parroquial
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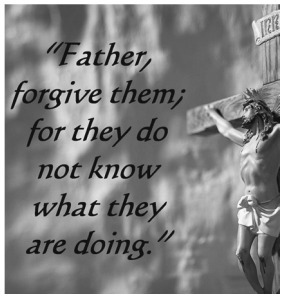
Ms. Verónica Macías , Principal
Mrs. Becky Cisneros, Vice Principal
Mrs. Hortencia Vargas, Secretary

"Mary Immaculate School is currently accepting applications for the 2017-2018 school year. Scholarships are available to those who qualify.

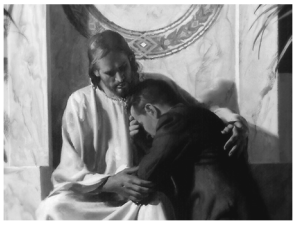
For more information, please contact the school office."

September 22 @ 6:00pm Fr. Luciano Hall

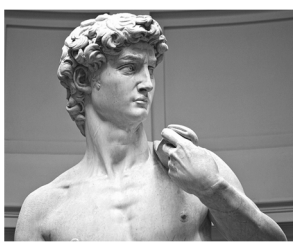


The Power Of Forgiveness

This Sunday's readings are the continuation of last Sunday's readings. If you remember, last Sunday we heard in the readings, especially in the gospel, what to do when someone sins against you. First, Jesus says, "go and tell him his fault between you and him alone...If he does not listen take one or two brothers as witnesses…If he refuses to listen to them, tell the church." (Matthew 18:15-20) In my homily I mentioned that unfortunately most of the times we do the opposite. We first let the community know about the faults other people have committed against us and usually they are the last to know about it. This Sunday , Mathew continues with the theme of forgiveness in which Jesus is addressed by Peter who asks him "Lord, If my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus answered, "



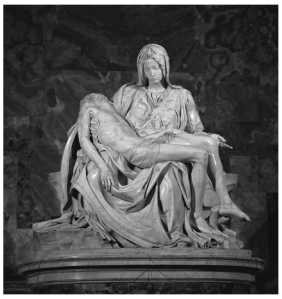
I say to you, not as seven times but seventy times seven." Both gospels speak to us of a sad reality in our lives that in spite of efforts to live a Christian lives, we are not perfect, we are not angels nor saints. We fail and sin and hurt other people just as others do against us. What to do with this unfortunate reality? Jesus gives us the answer: Cancel the debt—always forgive. There is power in forgiveness and God gives us the grace to do so. When we don't forgive we poison ourselves with toxic thoughts of the damage we have received. When we forgive, on the other hand, we not only redeem the person we forgive, but we are not letting this damage control our lives and happiness. There is the story of Michelangelo, the great Italian sculptor, who was in the mountains picking rocks for his work and of his workers asked him "Michelangelo, how do you transform a piece of rock into a piece of art?" Michelangelo answered, that's easy, I take away what does not belong to the piece of art." We should be like Michelangelo, we should be divine artists who and look at the piece of art in our brothers and sisters and take away that pieces of "rock" that are not important. We can transform their lives with the power of love; we can transform their hearts with the power of forgiveness.



Blessing,
Fr. Abel Loera,
Pastor

El Poder del Perdón

Las lecturas de este domingo son la continuación a las lecturas que leíamos el domingo pasado. Si recuerdan, el domingo pasado escuchamos, especialmente en el evangelio, que hacer cuando una persona comete un pecado en contra de nosotros. Lo primero que hay que hacer, nos dice Jesús, "ve y habla con el para dejarle saber de su falta…si no te escucha, toma contigo una o dos personas mas… si se niega escucharlos decirlo a la comunidad." (Mateo 18:20-25) En mi homilía decia que desafortunadamente la mayor de las veces hacemos esto al revés, primero dejamos saber a la comunidad de la falta de las personas y éstas son las ultimas en saberlo. El evangelio de Mateo continúa este domingo con el tema del perdón. Pedro le pregunta a Jesús, "Señor, cuantas veces tengo que perdonar las ofensas de mi hermano? Hasta siete veces? Jesús le contestó, no te digo siete, sino setenta veces siete." Los dos evangelios nos hablan de una triste realidad en nuestras vidas; que aún en nuestro esfuerzo por vivir una vida cristiana, no somos perfectos, no somos ángeles ni santos. Y fallamos y pecamos y herimos al igual que otras personas nos ofenden y nos hieren. Que hacer ante esta triste realidad? Jesús nos da la respuesta: Cancela la deuda—siempre perdonar. Hay poder en el perdón y Dios nos da la gracia para poder hacerlo. Cuando no perdonamos dejamos que nuestra mente se envenene con pensamientos tóxicos recordando siempre el daño que hemos recibido. Cuando perdonamos, sin embargo, no solamente estamos redimiendo a la persona devolviéndole su dignidad, sino que también no estamos dejando



que este daño controle nuestras vidas y nuestra felicidad. *Miguel Ángel*, el gran escultor italiano, solía ir a las montañas a recoger roca para su trabajo. Uno de sus compañeros le pregunto: "Miguel Ángel, como le haces para transformar una roca en una pieza de arte? A lo que Miguel Ángel contesto, "Ah, muy sencillo, le quito lo que le sobra." Deberíamos ser como Miguel Ángel, deberíamos ser artistas divinos que sabemos que hay en cada persona una obra de arte y quitar esas partes de "roca" que no son importantes. Podemos transformar vidas con el poder del amor; podemos transformar vidas con el poder del perdón.

Bendiciones,
Pbro. Abel Loera
Párroco

Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento

Les invitamos a tener la oportunidad de estar con el Santísimo Sacramento, junto a Jesús Sacramentado de 7:00 a 9:00 PM todos los jueves.

Los diferentes Ministerios de nuestra parroquia son los que nos ayudan a dirigir estos momentos mediante la preparación de la adoración.

Septiembre

21 Grupo de Oracion

28 Altar Servers (Monaguillo)

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 1 Tim 2:1-8; Sal 28 (27):2, 7-9; Lc 7:1-10
Martes: 1 Tim 3:1-13; Sal 101 (100):1b-3ab, 5-6; Lc 7:11-17
Miércoles: 1 Tim 3:14-16; Sal 111 (110):1-6; Lc 7:31-35
Jueves: Ef 4:1-7, 11-13; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Mt 9:9-13
Viernes: 1 Tim 6:2c-12; Sal 49 (48):6-10, 17-20; Lc 8:1-3
Sábado: 1 Tim 6:13-16; Sal 100 (99):1b-5; Lc 8:4-15
Domingo: Is 55:6-9; Sal 145 (144):2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Fil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-3ab, 5-6; Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35
Thursday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13
Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday: Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Vigésimo Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Domingo Catequético
Martes: San Jenaro
Miércoles: Santos Andrés Kim Taegŏn, Paul Chŏng Hasang y compañeros; Roshashaná (el Año Nuevo judío 5778) comienza al atardecer
Jueves: San Mateo
Viernes: Inicio del Otoño
Sábado: San Pío de Pietralcina (Padre Pío)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday
Tuesday: St. Januarius
Wednesday: Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, and Companions; Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year 5778) begins at sunset
Thursday: St. Matthew
Friday: Autumn begins
Saturday: St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)

Padre Pio's Sacred Heart Novena Prayer

O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, ask and you will receive, seek and you will find, knock and it will be opened to you." Behold I knock, I seek and ask for the grace of (here name your request). Our Father ... Hail Mary ... Glory Be ... Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You.

O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, if you ask anything of the Father in My name, He will give it to you." Behold, in Your name, I ask the Father for the grace of (here name your request). Our Father ... Hail Mary ... Glory Be ... Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You.

O my Jesus, You have said: "Truly I say to you, heaven and earth will pass away but My words will not pass away." Encouraged by Your infallible words I now ask for the grace of (here name your request). Our Father ... Hail Mary ... Glory Be ... Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You.

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, for whom it is impossible not to have compassion on the afflicted, have pity on us miserable sinners and grant us the grace which we ask of You, through the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, Your tender Mother and ours.

Say the Hail, Holy Queen and add: "St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus, pray for us."

Announcements / Anuncios

Chaminade Family Spirit Night is being held on Friday, October 20th, for middle school students and their families. This is a special evening of fun, food, fellowship, and football beginning **at 5:15pm** with pre-game performances of our Eagle Regiment Band and cheerleaders and a light supper. Families will be treated to a preview of the football game and a presentation on our Athletic programs. Our Ambassadors will give families a tour of the campus, and will escort them to reserved seats in our stadium to be our guests for the football game against Alemany. **Please RSVP to the Admissions Office at (818) 347-8300 ext. 355 or via email to yuramoto@chaminade.org.**

Aviso del Padre Abel:

A las personas que desean comunicarse con el Padre Abel favor de llamar directamente al telefono: (818) 403-0910 y si no contesta en 24 horas favor de dejar mensaje o llamar otra vez.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Your love as husband and wife is a gift to one another as well as a gift from God. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend to receive the tools needed to make the most of this precious gift. Deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next WWME weekend Sep 29 - Oct 1 in Palmdale. Go online to www.twocanlove.org for more information. We help make good marriages better.

CONFIRMATION:

To all students comfirmation clases will be as follow:

First Year students will begin clases on Sep.20,2017
Second Year students will begin clases on Sept. 21, 2017 at 6:30pm please be on time.

Did You Know

Talk to kids about location sharing dangers

Many popular social media sites offer users the ability to tag or share their locations whenever they post. Depending on the site, this information can be shared with friends, followers, and other people who use the site, regardless of whether they are friends with the user or not. Location sharing is a tool that can be used by predators searching for potential victims. Parents and children need to have open discussions about providing information online, highlighting what is safe to share and when it is safe to do so. As a general rule, widespread location-sharing should be discouraged. For more information about how to help your children understand who can see what they post and share, request a copy of the VIRTUS© online article "Technology Safety," by emailing jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or calling (213) 637-7227.

Hable con los niños sobre los peligros de compartir su ubicación

Muchos sitios de redes sociales populares ofrecen a los usuarios la posibilidad de etiquetar o compartir sus ubicaciones cuando postean. Dependiendo del sitio, esta información se puede compartir con amigos, seguidores y otras personas que utilizan el sitio, independientemente de si son amigos o no del usuario. La ubicación compartida es una herramienta que puede ser utilizada por los depredadores que buscan víctimas potenciales. Los padres de familia y los niños necesitan tener discusiones abiertas sobre el suministro de información en línea, destacando lo que es seguro compartir y cuando es seguro hacerlo. Como regla general, se debe desalentar la distribución generalizada de la ubicación. Para obtener más información sobre cómo ayudar a sus hijos a comprender quién puede ver lo que publican y lo que pueden compartir, solicite una copia del artículo en línea de VIRTUS © "Technology Safety" (Seguridad tecnológica), enviando un correo electrónico a bmelendez@la-archdiocese.org o llame al (213) 637-7508.

Fiesta de San Judas Tadeo

Pre Venta! Ahorre!

Tenemos nuestra pre-venta de boletos para los Juegos Mecanicos (Rides) y para la comida

Recuerde que ya están disponibles sus Boletos para la rifa ya están disponibles en la oficina parroquial o a fuera de nuestra iglesia cada domingo.

Si ya vendió sus boletos de la rifa o compro los boletos favor de traer el talón del boleto y el dinero a la oficina parroquial

Renta de Espacios para la feria: (rent a booth)

A las personas que tengan un negocio y estén interesadas en rentar un local para los tres días de la fiesta de San Judas Tadeo favor de comunicarse a la oficina parroquial o con el Señor Gustavo Valdivia

Padrinos para la Fiesta de San Judas Tadeo:

A las personas que gusten ser padrinos de la fiesta 2017 ayudando con donativos para el mariachi en la celebración de la misa del dia 20 de Octubre o deseen pagar alguna manda a San Judas favor de comunicarse a la oficina.

Comite de entretenimiento:

Personas que gusten participar artísticamente, solistas, grupo, mariachi o con baile folklórico en nuestra fiesta en honor de San Judas Tadeo favor de comunicarse con los señores

Pepe Benites al # 818 8957 o el Señor. Dagoberto Rivera 818-582 0350

Fiesta de San Judas Tadeo

Ride Tickets!

32 tickets x $20 dlls

Pick Up @ MI parish office

Pre-Sale !

Ride & Food Tickets!

Pre-sale Food Tickets!

$20 dlls for 25 tickets

TICKET

ENTER TO WIN

Boletos para la rifa!

ya están disponibles en la oficina parroquial y a fuera de nuestra iglesia cada domingo. Haga su donativo y ayúdenos a construir el nuevo centro de San Judas Tadeo aquí en nuestra parroquia.

Buy your Raffle Tickets , we have them available at the parish office!

All donations will be for the new pastoral center .