



All Souls Catholic Church



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PASTORAL CENTER HOURS

Monday-Friday 9am-7pm
Closed for Lunch: 12:30pm-1:30pm

PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays/Entre Semana

Monday-Saturday 7:30am

Saturday/Vigil:

5:30pm

Sunday/Domingo

English: 7:30am, 9:00am, 5:30pm

Español: 10:30am

Holy Days to be Announced

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4-5pm & by appointment

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please call the Pastoral Center for a priest.

Uncion de los Enfermos: favor de llamar al Centro Pastoral para contactar a un sacerdote.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Español: El primer sábado del mes a las 10am

English: Third Saturday of the month at 10am

SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

Book for an appointment at least 6 months in advance
Llame al Centro Parroquial por lo menos 6 meses antes

DEVOTIONS

Holy Hour: 1st Friday of the month at 7pm (Bilingual)

February 5, 2023

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MISSION STATEMENT

We, at All Souls Church, are a multicultural Catholic Community called to share our gifts and to grow through worship and spiritual formation. We are brothers and sisters in Christ led by the Holy Spirit to witness the Good News to all.

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Ministry of the Sick	Larry Dumont
Safeguard the Children	Irene Oaxaca
Bereavement Ministry	Diep Dinh
Legion of Mary	Salvador Agudo
Cursillos in Christianity	Aida Gonzalez
English Bible Study	Sheila Henderson-Linan
Spanish Bible Study	Maria de Jesus Martinez
Knights of Columbus	Frank Bodeman
Guadalupanos	Marina Ramirez
Rosario de Misericordia	Angelina Farias
Our Lord's Mission	Josephine Espinosa
St. Vincent de Paul	Pearl Martinez
Encuentro Matrimonial	Victor Pla
Amigos de Jesus	Estela Murga
Filipino Ministry	Rose Pichon
Youth Ministry	Leticia Urtecho
Catholic Women's Association	Ma Grace N. Tima



Readings & Prayers for the Sick

First Reading:

Then your light shall break forth like the dawn,
and your wound shall quickly be healed. (Is 58:8)

Psalm:

The just man is a light in darkness to the upright. (Ps 112)
Or Alleluia.

Second Reading:

When I came to you, brothers and sisters,
proclaiming the mystery of God,
I did not come with sublimity of words or of wisdom.
For I resolved to know nothing while I was with you
except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. (1 Cor 2:1-2)

Gospel:

"You are the light of the world.
A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.
Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel basket." (Mt 5:14-15)

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Sunday: Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/
1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

Monday: Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c/
Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30/
Mk 7:14-23

Thursday: Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mk 7:24-30

Friday: Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13/Mk 8:1-10

Loan Le	Ethelyn Beltran
Angelica Ruedas	Karen Katsumura
Matthew Perez	Andrea Primicias
Pilar Garza	Cecilia Chow
Gary Meraz	Erik Lifrak
David A. Jr. & Family	Ray Argueta & Family
Lucy Tsang	Jose Crespo
Rosa Martinez	Joe Negrete
Ramirez Family	Bernardina Castañeda
Wally & Becky Puente	Reyes Family
Cynthia Manriquez	Mercedes Tarrazona
William Gonzalez	Fernando Torres
Joel Lopez	Gerardo Duran
Guadalupe Nevarez	Cidronio Abelar
Evelyn De Guzman	Yessenia Alvarez
Hortencia Palafox	Juanita Madrigal
Francis Araiza	Mark Venegas
Rafael Garcia	Marco de la Garza
Sonia Gorope	Therese Huyen-Duong Thi Vu
	Elizabeth Pham

GOSPEL MEDITATION

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

I recently decided to learn to cook. As I sit at the feet of various YouTube cooking masters, I notice how much of cooking is adding ingredients that don't provide any more nourishment, like herbs and other seasonings. But man! They make all the difference because they make the meal delightful to eat and share.

Jesus calls his disciples "salt of the world." No one eats just salt. So, Christians are not meant to replace or do away with the world. They are meant to be agents of preservation and glorification. Notice how often these days the Church seeks to preserve what is threatened: the goodness of marital and family love, the desires of young people for greatness, the value of honest work, healthy economics, and altruistic political engagement, the dignity of the poor and vulnerable. Over and over, we say to a world who wants to throw things out, "It's worth saving! We'll preserve it! We'll show you it's wonderful." If we can't engage the world like that, Jesus says we are the ones who get thrown out, because salt alone is worthless.

Jesus only asks us to do for others what he does for us. He is the "salt" of everything in our lives. Is there something in your life starting to rot a bit? Something tasting bland and boring? Let Jesus salt it and see if you like it better.

— Father John Muir

5º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Todos en algún momento de nuestra vida queremos brillar. Por ejemplo: en la escuela deseamos el primer lugar; en los deportes pasa lo mismo, el trofeo es importante para lucir en los medios de comunicación. Ahora, en la modernidad, los youtubers quieren brillar, dar luz y ser los mejores. La liturgia de hoy nos relata cómo Jesús se dirige a todos nosotros para ser sal y luz. "Ustedes son sal de la tierra...ustedes son la luz del mundo" (Mateo 5,13-14). Qué bonito sería ser sal hasta que se haga justicia, y ser luz hasta que triunfe la paz. Se ha olvidado el significado de ser hijos de la luz. Violencia, injusticia, muerte y destrucción es lo que oscurece a la sociedad actual.

Pero, ¿está todo perdido? ¿Cuál sería la esperanza? El Evangelio da una serie de recomendaciones. Algunas de ellas son: *compartir el pan y lo que tenemos con el que menos tiene, dar posada al inmigrante, escuchar al triste, al enfermo*. Por mencionar algunos puntos. Es decir, no dar la espalda al propio hermano. Queremos ser, como Jesús, sal y luz para el mundo y para todos los que viven cerquita de nosotros. Saber dar sabor a la vida implica darse, comprometerse, salir de la zona de confort, dar un paso siempre adelante, nunca para atrás, como se dice, ni para tomar vuelo. El reto es ser sazonador y lámpara de Dios, hablando por los sin voz. Solo así, Jesús podrá decirnos: "Ustedes son la sal y luz del mundo". ©LPi



Finance Report

Mass Intentions

Thank you for your continuous support and generosity.

COLLECTION	TOTAL
January 29, 2023	\$4,898.00

Did you know?

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles and Joan Vienna, director of Safeguard the Children, were recently recognized for 18-year partnership with the VIRTUS® program, working to keep children and young people safe from child sexual abuse in our parishes, schools, homes and community. "So many have experienced hope and healing through ongoing awareness and education, and we appreciate [the Archdiocese's] vision of where and how the programs would and do best serve our Church and communities," said Pat Neal, director of VIRTUS® Programs and Services. For more information visit, <https://angelusnews.com/local/california/virtus-partnering-for-safety/> and <https://lacatholics.org/protect/>.

Sacrament of Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism is the first step in a lifelong journey of commitment and discipleship. All Souls is happy to celebrate the baptism of children in our community. Please consider the following when preparing your child for this sacrament of initiation:

- Your child must be six years old or younger
- Parents must submit an application a month prior to the desired date
- Parents and godparents must attend a pre-baptismal meeting in accordance with the baptism calendar.
- A donation of \$50 is requested when filling out application
- One godparent is sufficient
- The godparents should be practicing Catholics
- The godparents must be at least 16 & have received the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and First Communion
- If not single, the godparents must be married through the Catholic Church.

SATURDAY	FEBRUARY	04-2023
5:30pm	Benjamin Alberto Gutierrez	Dec.
	Benjamin Gan	Dec.
	Caity Hui	Dec.
SUNDAY	FEBRUARY	05-2023
7:30am	Yi Pu Wang	Healing
	Meilani Gozali	Dec.
9:00am	Julius Neba Tambi	Dec.
	Dominic Nchinda Fobi	Dec.
	Anastacia & Ricardo Rodriguez	Dec.
10:30am	Trinidad Gomez	Dec.
	Canuto Gonzalez	Dec.
	Ovidio Lara	Dec.
	Levon Dadikozian	Dec.
	Araceli Ramirez	Dec.
5:30pm	Pope Benedict XVI	Dec.
	Anabella Noguera	Birthday
MONDAY	FEBRUARY	06-2023
7:30am	Pope Benedict XVI	Dec.
	Vicky Aguilar	Birthday
TUESDAY	FEBRUARY	07-2023
7:30am	Maria Salinas	Dec.
WEDNESDAY	FEBRUARY	08-2023
7:30am	Jean Di Mauro	Dec.
THURSDAY	FEBRUARY	09-2023
7:30am	Grace	Sp. Int.
FRIDAY	FEBRUARY	10-2023
7:30am	Teresa Lopez	Healing
SATURDAY	FEBRUARY	11-2023
7:30am	Alfredo & Magdalena Llanillo	Dec.

Primera Lectura:

El profeta Isaías habló del deseo de Dios de que no solo alimentemos a los hambrientos y cuidemos de los afligidos, sino también que nos deshagamos del lenguaje malicioso y acusatorio. *¿Cuál de estas directivas podrías hacer esta semana?*

Segunda Lectura:

Pablo enseña a los corintios a poner su fe en el poder de Dios más que en la sabiduría humana. *¿Cuáles podrían ser algunas buenas maneras de asegurarse de que esto se convierta en un ejercicio espiritual regular?*

Evangelio:

Jesús llama a sus seguidores a ser sal de la tierra y luz del mundo. En otras palabras, Jesús está llamando a sus seguidores a tener una influencia positiva en el mundo. *¿De qué manera los creyentes de hoy pueden hacer el bien en el mundo?*

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La Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles y Joan Vienna, directora de la oficina Safeguard the Children, fueron reconocidas recientemente por su sociedad de 18 años con el programa VIRTUS®, trabajando para mantener a los niños y jóvenes a salvo del abuso sexual infantil en nuestras parroquias, escuelas, hogares y comunidad. “Muchos han experimentado esperanza y sanación a través de la concientización y la educación continuas, y apreciamos la visión [de la Arquidiócesis] de dónde y cómo los programas servirían mejor a nuestra Iglesia y comunidades”, dijo Pat Neal, director de Programas y Servicios de VIRTUS®. Para obtener más información, visite <https://angelusnews.com/local/california/virtus-partnering-for-safety/> y <https://lacatholics.org/protect/>.

AMIGOS DE JESUS

El grupo de oración, Amigos de Jesús, les invita a unirse a una noche de reflexión, alabanza y oración en comunidad. Las reuniones son a las 7pm cada miércoles. Si gusta unirse, favor de llamar al Centro Pastoral para mas detalles.



LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

- Domingo: Is 58, 7-10/Sal 111, 4-5. 6-7. 8-9 (4)/1 Co 2, 1-5/Mt 5, 13-16
- Lunes: Gn 1, 1-19/Sal 103, 1-2. 5-6. 10 y 12. 24 y 35/Mc 6, 53-56
- Martes: Gn 1, 20—2, 4/Sal 8, 4-5. 6-7. 8-9/Mc 7, 1-13
- Miércoles: Gn 2, 4-9. 15-17/Sal 103, 1-2. 27-28. 29-30/Mc 7, 14-23
- Jueves: Gn 2, 18-25/Sal 127, 1-2. 3. 4-5/Mc 7, 24-30
- Viernes: Gn 3, 1-8/Sal 31, 1-2. 5. 6. 7/Mc 7, 31-37
- Sábado: Gn 3, 9-24/Sal 89, 2. 3-4. 5-6. 12-13/Mc 8, 1-10



Tenemos Agua Bendita disponible en nuestro Centro Pastoral.

Bendice tu hogar, familia, vehículo, y lugar de trabajo.

El agua bendita es una herramienta espiritual para tener un día mejor.

Nuestro libro de dedicatorias ya esta disponible para el año 2023. Si gusta ofrecer alguna misa en honor a un ser querido, favor de visitarnos en el Centro Pastoral.



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Rest in Peace

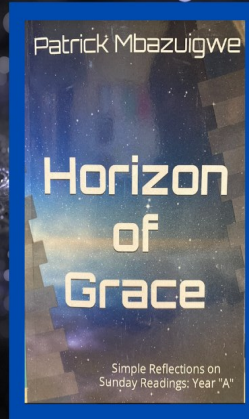


Supreme Pontiff,
Benedict XVI

SAVE THE DATE

All Souls Church will celebrate a Memorial Mass for Pope Benedict XVI next Saturday, February 11, 2023, at 9:00 am. You are all cordially invited to join us as we gather to honor his life and reflect on his invaluable gift of service.

HAVE YOU GOTTEN YOUR COPY YET?



Our beloved Father Patrick has released a compilation of his wonderful reflections in an effort to help us continue to grow in grace and understanding of God's Word. We hope that you help us support this evangelization cause for a suggested donation of \$10.

Copies available at our Pastoral Center!
Cash or Check Only

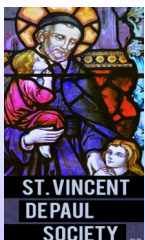
ADORATION CHAPEL

Every minute that we spend in adoration of our Lord deepens our relationship with Him. Take a break from the worries of the world and come spend some time with Him in silent meditation.

Our Adoration Chapel is open the same hours as our Pastoral Center.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL'S



The next food distribution will take place on February 16, 2023 At 12 noon



For 30 years your tremendous support of Together in Mission has directly helped thousands of students, families, and parishioners in underserved communities. Together, as ONE Catholic family, we have helped parishes and schools become thriving communities of faith—vibrant, alive, and rooted in the love of Christ. The extraordinary history and impact of our annual appeal inspire us to march forward toward a common horizon where the light of Christ is present.

In this 30th anniversary year, we prayerfully ask that you make a special gift, during our Commitment Weekend, and shine His light in an extraordinary way for all communities to see.