



All Souls Catholic Church



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• DEACON •

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The Most Holy Trinity

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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PARISH 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)

Office of Liturgy

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Youth Ministry	Leticia Urtecho
Catholic Women's Association	Ma Grace N. Tima



Readings & Prayers for the Sick

First Reading:

"When there were no depths I was brought forth,
when there were no fountains of springs of water;
before the mountains were settled into place,
before the hills, I was brought forth;
while as yet the earth and fields were not made,
nor the first clods of the world." (Pv 8:24-26)

Psalm:

O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth! (Ps 8)

Second Reading:

The love of God has been poured out into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. (Rom 5:5)

Gospel:

"Everything that the Father has is mine;
for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine
and declare it to you." (Jn 16:15)

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Sunday: Pv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15
Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7/Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34/Mt 6:24-34

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FROM THE PASTOR'S CORNER

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, Year "C" God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit: One God in Three Persons

Once upon a time, a man climbed up to the mountain to meet a guru (wise man). He met the guru sitting on a rock and kind of half nodding. The man shoved the guru a little bit to wake him up. The guru said, "What can I do for you?"

The man said, "Well, I've come all the way from America, and I heard you are a very wise man, so what I really want is for you to explain to me the meaning of God, so that I will do my best to worship Him the way you do."

He was a very nice man but the guru looked at him with pity and said to him, "A god that anyone can explain is not the god that you should worship."

And this is true. God is a mystery and God dwells in inaccessible light - "God alone is immortal and dwells in inaccessible light, whom no man has seen or can see. To God be honor and eternal dominion! Amen (1 Timothy 6:16).

However, God has become visible in the person of Jesus Christ who came to show us the way to God. He suffered, died and rose from death.

Prior to His ascension into heaven Jesus said to His disciples, "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you to 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. He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you" (Jn 16:12-15).

On the day of His ascension into heaven, Jesus breathed on His apostles and said to them "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." This mandate is intrinsically tied to what Jesus said to Peter when he declared that Jesus is the Son of God. "You are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church ... whatever you bind on earth is bound in heaven ..." (Mtt 18:18). Based on this mandate, the church affirms her teaching authority.

The dogma of the church has it that one of the foundational and fundamental truths revealed by the Holy Spirit to the church is about the true nature of God – God is a unity in trinity which comprises of God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit undivided in unity. This dogma on the Most Holy Trinity is a doctrine of faith and not of reason. There is no way that the human mind can understand or explain how God is one in three persons. Logically speaking, if something is one then it is one and if it is three then it is three, but to be one in three person and is still one God is something beyond human comprehension.

Borrowing the words of St. Augustine (354-430) and St. Anselm of Canterbury (1033-1109) belief in the Holy Trinity could be classified as "fides quaerens intellectum" – faith seeking understanding. One begins with faith in God and on the basis of faith comes to a better understanding of the fundamentals of Christian truth. What the human mind cannot comprehend, we believe, celebrate and worship in this liturgical celebration.

For lack of a better explanation, it could be said that the work of God the Father is made manifest in creation. However, even at creation it is still the trinity that is fully at work hence in the creation of human beings God said "Let US make man in OUR own image and likeness" (Gen 1:26). Even after human beings sinned, to redeem the human race the Bible says "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16). It is out of the love between the Father and the Son that the Holy Spirit was given to us, "And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever" (Jn 14:16). It is therefore within the horizon of God's love and grace that we live, move and have our being.

However, even with this explanation, the trinity remains a mystery that the human mind cannot fully grasp. As a mystery, the more we want to understand it; upon a critical examination even what we thought we understood eludes us.

It is therefore important to note that our inability to logically explain the trinity beyond any reasonable doubt does not in any way entail that the belief is irrational. It rather means that the belief is non-rational (beyond reason) since it cannot be reduced to logical thinking – "God that can be explained is not the true God that you should worship."

Belief in the trinity invites us to be humble. In spite of human greatness and acuity, there are still so many things that we neither understand nor could explain. It is like the colors, our inability to define or explain color so that a blind person can understand it, does not mean that colors do not exist. It only goes to mean that human beings' means of communication and explaining meanings is limited and imperfect.

Since God has assumed flesh to live among us, the public face of the Trinitarian God is love. The only definition of God found in the Bible is that God is love, when we live in love, we live in God and God lives in us. Belief in the Trinity becomes a reminder that we are the products of God's love. It is out of love that God created us and out of love that God redeemed us and out of the love between the Father and the Son that the Holy Spirit is given to preserve us in holiness.

Rather than bother about understanding or decoding the mystery of the Blessed Trinity, we should instead love one another for it is love that makes the world go round. The entire Bible is an effort to reveal the love of God. Since the glory of God is a human being fully alive, it is by loving others that we live in God.

To live in the Holy Trinity is to live within the "Horizon of Grace." For believers in Christ Jesus, the fullness of life well lived is therefore, neither found nor measured by human intelligence, wealth, power or authority but by the profundity of our love for God and others.



Finance Report

Mass Intentions

Thank you for your continuous support and generosity

COLLECTION

TOTAL

June 5, 2022

\$ 6,276.00

Did you know?

If your family is planning a beach or lake vacation, it is time to review a few simple boating safety measures. Discuss these rules with your family before you go out on the water so everyone knows what is expected. Everyone should wear life jackets that fit them safely. Children should also be monitored for any signs of hypothermia, especially after playing in the water. Keep dry blankets, towels, and extra clothes on hand to change into if children are too cold. Parents should learn or re-fresh basic CPR and water rescue skills before vacation. For more tips, visit https://www.safekids.org/safetytips/field_risks/boating.

CALLED TO RENEW

“Called to Renew is a bold plan to strengthen every parish and Catholic center in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, vital ministries that serve thousands each year, education and formation for our children, and the support of priests and those discerning the call.” All Souls’ goal is \$____. We thank you for all your support and encourage you to continue your contributions in support of this pledge.

**Source: calledtorenew.org*

SATURDAY	JUNE	11-2022
5:30pm	Tommy Arpon	Dec.
	Delia Vargas	Dec.
SUNDAY	JUNE	12-2022
7:30am	Delia Vargas	Dec.
9:00am	Victor San Lucas	Birthday
	Ma Therese Chia	Dec.
10:30am	Victor R. Salazar	Healing
	Antonio Rodriguez Tellez	Dec.
	Lucila Rodriguez	Dec.
5:30pm	Adela Dominguez & Family	Sp. Int.
	Anabella Noguera	Birthday
	Luis Fabian Arguello	Healing
MONDAY	JUNE	13-2022
7:30am	Nathan Matos	Birthday
	Delia Vargas	Dec.
	Lizette Terron	Dec.
TUESDAY	JUNE	14-2022
7:30am	James Tam	Healing
	Lynn Rodriguez	Dec.
	Francisco Q. Gallardo	Birthday
WEDNESDAY	JUNE	15-2022
7:30am	Peter Lee	Dec..
	Estela Hernandez	Dec.
	Alberto Dominguez	Dec.
THURSDAY	JUNE	16-2022
7:30am	Sheldon Dingle	Dec.
	Naomi Muñoz	Healing
FRIDAY	JUNE	17-2022
7:30am	Alfredo Reyes	Dec.
	Samantha Jones & Family	Thanksgiving
SATURDAY	JUNE	18-2022
7:30am	Peter Lee	Dec.
	Naomi Muñoz	Healing

La vida puede hacernos sentir muy distraídos y desapegados. Quizás es por eso que muchas personas buscan cosas que les hagan “sentirse bien”, creyendo erróneamente que esas cosas en realidad les brindan un sentido y propósito. En verdad, son simplemente más distracciones. Cuando descubrimos el verdadero silencio, podemos darnos cuenta de que las conmociones e impulsos en nuestros corazones que desean conexión, significado y propósito son realmente Dios tratando desesperadamente de atraernos hacia Su Corazón Divino. Una vez que nos sometemos a la atracción de Dios, somos guiados a la belleza de la presencia de Dios. Esta santa presencia nos lleva a las alturas de las montañas, la inmensidad de las profundidades del océano, el comienzo y el final de las cosas, y la majestad de la maravilla universal. Conocemos al Padre. Luego, llevados suavemente a la ternura de la compasión, el amor, la misericordia y el perdón, tocamos la inocencia y la vulnerabilidad de la vida. Vemos a los pobres y a los quebrantados. Conocemos al Hijo. Finalmente, nos dirigimos hacia las estaciones que cambian, el menguar y fluir de la vida, las inspiraciones que sorprenden y la maravilla, el asombro y el gozo de la vida. Abrazamos al Espíritu Santo. ©LPI

Si su familia está planeando unas vacaciones en la playa o en un lago, es hora de revisar algunas medidas simples de seguridad para navegar en barco. Discuta estas reglas con su familia antes de salir al agua para que todos sepan lo que se espera. Todos deben usar chalecos salvavidas que les queden bien ajustadas. Los niños también deben ser monitoreados por cualquier signo de hipotermia, especialmente después de jugar en el agua. Tenga a mano mantas secas, toallas y ropa adicional para cambiarse si los niños tienen demasiado frío. Los padres de familia deben aprender o refrescar las habilidades básicas de resucitación cardiopulmonar y rescate acuático antes de las vacaciones. Para obtener más consejos, visite https://www.safekids.org/safetytips/field_risks/boating.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: Prov 8, 22-31/Sal 8, 4-5. 6-7. 8-9 [2]/Rom 5, 1-5/Jn 16, 12-15
Lunes: 1 Kgs 21, 1-16/Sal 5, 2-3. 4-6. 6-7/Mt 5, 38-42
Martes: 1 Kgs 21, 17-29/Sal 50, 3-4. 5-6. 11 y 16/Mt 5, 43-48
Miércoles: 2 Kgs 2, 1. 6-14/Sal 30, 20. 21. 24/Mt 6, 1-6. 16-18
Jueves: Eclo 48, 1-14/Sal 96, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 7/Mt 6, 7-15
Viernes: 2 Kgs 11, 1-4. 9-18.Sal 131, 11. 12. 13-14. 17-18/Mt 6, 19-23
Sábado: 2 Cr 24, 17-25/Sal 89, 4-5. 29-30. 31-32. 33-34/Mt 6, 24-34

MISA ESPECIAL

La Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles te invita a celebrar la *Solemnidad del Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo* asistiendo a **Misa** (inglés/español) con el Arzobispo José Gómez **seguida de una procesión eucarística** en las calles del centro de Los Ángeles. Únase a nosotros el **domingo 19 de junio de 2022 a las 12:00 p.m.**



**CRISTO ACTÚA COMO
UNA MADRE AMOROSA.
PARA INDUCIRNOS
A SEGUIRLO,
ÉL SE DA A SÍ MISMO
COMO EJEMPLO
Y NOS PROMETE
UNA RECOMPENSA EN
SU REINO.**

S. ANTONIO DE PADUA

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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.

CONFIRMATION

On June 10, 2022 a group of youth received the Sacrament of Confirmation. They prepared for two years by learning about our Catholic doctrine. We ask that you join us in prayer for them, that they may continue their path in communion with the Holy Spirit. May they spread the joy of our faith onto others.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

Priest Retirement Fund

This week, our special collection is in support of retired priests. "Your gift to the Priest Retirement Fund helps provide a monthly stipend to retired priests of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. For most priests, this assistance is their only means of support. This helps many senior priests stay well and active in our communities."

For more details, please visit the following page:
www.la-archdiocese.org/org/annualappeal/Pages/prf.aspx

CORPUS CHRISTI



All Souls Church will be having adoration for an hour immediately following our 10:30 a.m. Mass on June 19th, the feast of Corpus Christi. Adoration will conclude with benediction. You are all invited to come spend one hour in prayer in the presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.



Gift that special father in your life with a spiritual bouquet composed of a novena of Masses for Father's Day. Envelopes are in the vestibule. Once you fill out the envelope with the name of your father, please return them either to the collection baskets or to the Pastoral Center by 5 pm on Friday, June 17th.

Congratulations, Graduates!

Heavenly Father,
We thank you for the special moment that our graduates get to enjoy as they cross the stage filled with pride and a sense of accomplishment. Thank you for supporting them through their studies and for sending your Holy Spirit every time they needed you. We ask that you continue to bless their journey that they may find a vocation that fills them with passion and compassion to serve those around them. We ask that you also continue to bless their families, as they often make great sacrifices to support the academic journey of their sons and daughters. Lastly, bless all the teachers who give so much of their time, knowledge and care in order to uplift and inspire our future generations. Amen.

