



**June 29, 2025**

*Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles*

## 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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# 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)

# Office of Liturgy

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# Apostolates & Organization

Ministry of the Sick	Larry Dumont
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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
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St. Vincent de Paul	Rosemary Gramajo
Amigos de Jesus	Estela Murga
Filipino Ministry	Rose Pichon
Young Adult Mtry.	Leticia Urtecho
Youth Ministry	Vivian Vasquez
Catholic Women's Association	Ma Grace N. Tima



# Readings & Prayers for the Sick

## First Reading:

"Now I know for certain that the Lord sent his angel and rescued me from the hand of Herod and from all that the Jewish people had been expecting." (Acts 12:11)

## Psalm:

The angel of the Lord will rescue those who fear him. (Ps 34)

## Second Reading:

The Lord will rescue me from every evil threat and will bring me safe to his heavenly Kingdom. (2 Tm 4:18)

## Gospel:

I will give you the keys to the Kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." (Mt 16:19)

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Sunday: *Vigil:* Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 *Day:*

Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Monday: Gn 18:16-33/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11/

Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13/

Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29

Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5/

Mt 9:9-13

Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 9:14-17

Esperanza Canale  
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Palma Jones  
Gloria Moore  
Loan Le  
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Lucy Tsang  
Rosa Martinez  
Ramirez Family  
Wally & Becky Puente  
Cynthia Manriquez  
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Guadalupe Nevarez  
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Cecilia Chow  
Erik Lifrak  
Ray Argueta & Family  
Jose Crespo  
Joe Negrete  
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Reyes Family  
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# FROM THE PASTOR'S CORNER

## 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year "C" Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

Whenever we say that our church is catholic and apostolic, we are saying that our church is universal and founded on the teachings of the apostles. The two prominent apostles whose teachings and preaching shaped the doctrine of our faith are Saints Peter and Paul whose feast day we are celebrating today.

Jesus called Peter to become one of His apostles. Jesus appointed Peter to become the head of the apostles. It was while at Caesarea Philippi that Jesus asked his apostles "Who do people say I am?" Some people thought that Jesus was Moses, Elijah, Jeremiah, or John the Baptist who came back to life. Since the crowd did not know the true identity of Jesus, He directed the same question to His very own apostles.

"And you, who do you say I am?" Peter answered "You are the messiah, the Son of the living God." It was on that day that Jesus said, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah. For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my heavenly Father." Jesus goes on to say, "And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth is bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven" (Mtt 16:15 – 19).

Going by his name, Simon (Peter) was the son of Jona. He was born at Bethsaida on the shore of the Sea of Galilee. Peter had a brother named Andrew and it was actually Andrew who brought Peter to meet Jesus. Peter was a married man, who with his family lived in Capernaum. Peter was a professional fisherman at the Sea of Galilee until Jesus called him to become a "fisher of men" and numbered him among his 12 apostles.

It was after Simon declared Jesus as the Messiah that Jesus called him Kepha – the rock, which in Latin is Petrus – Peter. From that moment forward, Peter was privileged to be present at some important events in the life of Jesus like the raising of Jairus daughter from death, the raising of Lazarus, the transfiguration, the Last Supper, the trial and crucifixion of Jesus.

After the resurrection of Jesus, Peter was among the first to encounter the risen Lord, and by re-confirming his love for Jesus, Peter was given the mandate to lead and feed the people of God. Peter led and guided the early Christian community and presided over the election of Matthias to replace Judas who committed suicide after betraying Jesus.

Peter performed miracles in "Jesus' name" and Peter's post Pentecost preaching brought many souls to God. Peter presided over the first council of the church in Jerusalem and opened the door for Gentiles to become Christians without first being circumcised. It was believed that Peter died a martyr's death in 67 AD during the persecution of the emperor Nero. Peter was crucified head down in Nero's garden on the Vatican hill. By paying the ultimate price with his life, Peter fully identified with his master, Jesus Christ.

Paul was not one of the 12 apostles called by Jesus but Paul is given the title of an apostle because of his missionary zeal, teaching and tireless proclamation of the good news. Paul is the greatest missionary the church has ever known. He was well grounded in both Jewish and Greek cultures. He holds a Roman citizenship by birth.

From his early childhood, Paul was zealous about the things of God. Paul was a tent maker. He came from Tarsus in modern day Turkey. Paul was well-educated and he grew up a Pharisee. As a Pharisee, Paul was determined to wipe off Christianity in the land of Israel.

Paul presided over the death of Stephen and seeing that the death of Stephen was pleasing to many, Paul was determined to kill more Christians. It was while he was on his way to Damascus to obtain permission from the high priest to kill more Christians that he had an encounter with Jesus (Acts 9). This is an encounter that will transform Paul's life in a way he could not imagine. The change was radical and exponential in character such that Paul, who used to persecute Christians, became the greatest defender and preacher of the faith he once persecuted.

Paul was an apostle to the Gentiles and with Barnabas, brought the faith to Europe, beginning at Athens, and from Rome, Christianity spread over the whole world. In the course of his missionary work, Paul founded many churches and the 14 apostolic letters he wrote to the churches he founded have remained a great source of truth and dogma.

Like Peter, Paul was arrested during the persecution of the emperor Nero, and was beheaded outside the gates of the city of Rome in 67 AD. It is believed that both Peter and Paul were martyred in June of 67 AD. Their churches, St. Peter's Basilica and St. Paul Outside the Walls, were built at the respective locations of their martyrdom and burial. Their heroic death mirrors the death of Jesus who died on the cross for the salvation of the world.

The teachings, preaching and exemplary lifestyle of Peter and Paul is the bedrock of the church's traditional teaching and missionary endeavor. Whenever we gather to celebrate their feast day, we gather in thanksgiving to God who is the source of their strength and good works. As they worked hard to protect the church on earth, we believe that now in heaven they still remain the intercessors, guide and protector of the church on earth.

As we celebrate their feast day in gratitude to God, we at the same time renew our baptismal promise to live and work for God all the days of our lives. We renew our resolve to become missionaries of the good news of salvation. We stand bold like Peter and Paul, in good times and in bad, in sickness and in health to proclaim Jesus as Lord and Savior of the world. Amen.



# Finance Report

# Mass Intentions

## COLLECTION

June 22, 2025

## TOTAL

\$ 6,335.00

*Thank you for your continuous support and generosity.*

## Did you know?

Los adultos de confianza deben planificar momentos constantes y frecuentes para hablar con los niños, desde la edad preescolar hasta la adolescencia, sobre la seguridad corporal. Es muy útil que los niños sepan cuáles son los límites y las normas sobre cómo deben comportarse con los demás y cómo deben esperar ser tratados, ya que esto les ayuda a identificar comportamientos potencialmente abusivos. Para más información, lea el artículo de VIR-TUS® “Compartir con los niños información adecuada para su desarrollo y edad” en [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).



### Receiving the Holy Communion

During Communion, once you have received the host, you must consume it immediately. If you return to your seat without consuming the host, an usher or Eucharistic minister may reach out to you to do so right away.

### Como Recibir La Sagrada Communion

Para la comunión, una vez que haya recibido la hostia consagrada debe consumirla de inmediato. Si regresa a su asiento sin consumir la hostia, un ujier o ministro eucarístico puede acercarse a usted para decirle que lo haga de inmediato

SATURDAY	JUNE	28-2025
5:30pm	Paulino Penas Jr.	Dec.
	Gonzalo Aguilar	Dec.
SUNDAY	JUNE	29-2025
7:30am	Domingo Nemecia	Dec.
9:00am	Barbara Ngeche Forbi	Special Int.
	Simon Fornebi Fobi	Special Int.
10:30am	Eduardo Garcia	Dec.
	Maria Luz de Zeledon	Dec.
5:30pm	Michael D. Stanford	Dec.
MONDAY	JUNE	30-2025
7:30am	Fr. Paul Lee	Dec.
	For Those in Purgatory	
TUESDAY	JULY	01-2025
7:30am	Julio Obong Acuesta	Dec.
	Maila Yumul Tuazon	Dec.
WEDNESDAY	JULY	02-2025
7:30am	Gloria Medina	Dec.
	Anna Ha Danh Nu	Dec.
THURSDAY	JULY	03-2025
7:30am	Ma. Guadalupe Salazar	Dec.
	Alejandra Negrete	Birthday
FRIDAY	JULY	04-2025
7:30am	Happy Independence Day!	
SATURDAY	JULY	05-2025
7:30am	Gonzalo Aguilar	Dec.
	Samuel Joseph Montes	Dec.



## PREGUNTAS DE LA SEMANA

### Pregunta de la 1ª Lectura:

En su milagroso escape de la prisión, Pedro se convenció de la obra salvadora de Dios en su vida. ¿Dónde ves a Dios obrando en tu vida?

### Pregunta de la 2ª Lectura:

Cuando Pablo se acercaba al final de su vida, se dio cuenta que Dios lo había rescatado de muchos peligros y amenazas. Al reflexionar sobre tu vida, ¿puedes ver los momentos en los que la mano salvadora de Dios estuvo presente para ti?

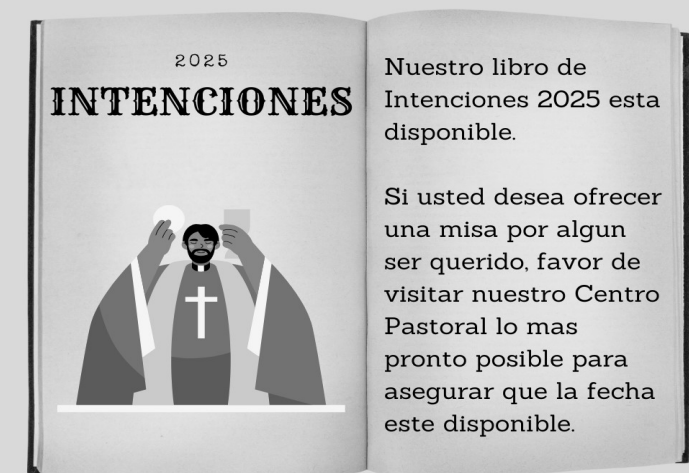
### Evangelio:

Jesús encomendó a Pedro que fuera la base ("roca") de su Iglesia. ¿Hay alguna tarea o responsabilidad que sientas que debes llevar a cabo en tu parroquia?

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## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: *Vigilia*: Hch 3, 1-10/Sal 18, 2-3. 4-5/Gal 1, 11-20/  
Jn 21, 15-19 *Día*: Hch 12, 1-11/Sal 33, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7.  
8-9/2 Tim 4, 6-8. 17-18/Mt 16, 13-19  
Lunes: Gn 18, 16-33/Sal 102, 1-2. 3-4. 8-9. 10-11/Mt 8, 18-22  
Martes: Gn 19, 15-29/Sal 25, 2-3. 9-10. 11-12/Mt 8, 23-27  
Miércoles: Gn 21, 5. 8-20/Sal 33, 7-8. 10-11. 12-13/Mt 8, 28-34  
Jueves: Ef 2, 19-22/Sal 116, 1. 2/Jn 20, 24-29  
Viernes: Gn 23, 1-4. 19; 24, 1-8. 62-67/Sal 105, 1-2. 3-4. 4-5/  
Mt 9, 9-13  
Sábado: Gn 27, 1-5. 15-29/Sal 134, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Mt 9, 14-17



Hay que enseñar a los niños en edad escolar los peligros del abuso sexual y las señales de situaciones de riesgo que podrían conducir a un posible abuso. El abuso y la explotación sexuales no sólo se producen mediante el contacto en persona; también pueden ocurrir por el internet o por teléfono. Es importante que los niños conozcan los comportamientos adecuados e inadecuados de los adultos. Las situaciones de riesgo pueden incluir pedir a un niño que le envíe fotos o que alguien desconocido se ponga en contacto por el internet. Para más información sobre las normas de seguridad para niños pequeños, lea el artículo de VIRTUS® "Compartir con los niños información adecuada para su desarrollo y edad" en [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

### GRUPO DE ORACION

## 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

### Oración por el cuidado pastoral

¡Oh Dios! Bendice las almas que has confiado a nuestro cuidado. Así como escuchas cada una de sus oraciones, ayúdanos a escucharlas también. Responde a sus peticiones y necesidades personales a través de nosotros y nuestro ministerio, mientras todos buscamos hacer Tu voluntad. Amén.

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## GOD Bless AMERICA

Dear Parishioners,

This Friday, we celebrate the birth of our great nation, which was established under God almighty. We pray for peace as we count all the blessings we have received from God as a nation.

Please join fellow parishioners in giving thanks to God by attending our **Fourth of July Mass this Friday at 9 am**. Please note that there will **no 7:30 am Mass and no Holy Hour/Adoration** that evening.

All Souls wishes all of you a happy and healthy Independence Day filled with the blessings of our loving Creator, God, the Author of Life.



### FIREWORKS SALE

Our annual fireworks stand provides funding for our teens to attend conferences, leadership training, meetings, and other outings.

Please help support our Youth Program by purchasing your favorite fireworks from our stand.

Our hours of operation are as follows:

Saturday, June 28th	12 noon—10 pm
Sunday, June 29th	10 am—10 pm
Monday, June 30th	10 am—10 pm
Tuesday, July 1st	10 am—10 pm
Wednesday, July 2nd	10 am—10 pm
Thursday, July 3rd	10 am—10 pm
Friday, July 4th	10 am—Until sold out



### Join Us in the 2000 Hail Mary Devotion

The Filipino Ministry warmly invites everyone to the powerful intercessory devotion of the 2000 Hail Mary's taking place every first Saturday of the month. Together, we turn to our Blessed Mother, asking for her grace and intercession as we offer our special intentions to her, so that she may present them to her son, Jesus.

Join us and bring your petitions to the loving heart of Our Lady this coming: **July 5, 2025 at 8:00 AM in the Parish Hall**



We recall the day when our country claimed its place among the family of nations; for what has been achieved we give you thanks, for the work that still remains we ask your help, and as you have called us from many peoples to be one nation, grant that, under your providence, our country may share your blessings with all the peoples of the earth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.



Source: Collect for Independence Day, New Roman Missal



Monthly rosary in  
Intenciones para el rosario

Please fill in the form with your prayer in  
Por favor llenue el formulario con sus p

We will include them in our next rosary.  
Los incluiremos en nuestro proximo rosc

<https://bit.ly/AllSoulsGuadalupeanasPetition>



### Peter's Pence



On July 6, we will be taking up the Peter's Pence Collection. The faithful's offerings to the Holy Father through the Peter's Pence Collection are destined to Church needs, to humanitarian initiatives and social promotion projects, as well as to the support of the Holy See. Thank you, in advance, for your generosity.