



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 28, 2015

ST. BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Saturday 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

Sunday 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY 8:00 AM
(VIGIL) 5:00 PM

SUNDAY 7:30 AM
9:00 AM
10:30 AM
12:00 PM

MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:00 AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

1st Friday of the month 8:30 am - 9:00 pm

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA

Wednesday 6:30 pm



SACRAMENTS

Confession

1st Friday of the month 7:15 am - 7:50 am

Saturday 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Baptisms

4th Sunday of the month 1:30 pm
by prior arrangement

Marriages

Please contact Priest 6 months prior

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the office

**Whoever had much
did not have more,
and whoever had less
did not have less.**

—2 Corinthians 8:15

THE LORD OF LIFE

At this bountiful time of year, our Sunday readings teem with life and abundance. Both the first reading, from the book of Wisdom, and the Gospel passage from Mark assure us that God did not make death or even will us to be ill. Illness and death entered the world through the presence of evil, the Wisdom author tells us. Mark's stories of Jesus healing a hemorrhaging woman and resuscitating a dead little girl make it clear that Jesus is from God. As the Son of God he does not will that anyone suffer illness or death. In the face of such power, the second reading, from Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians, provides a stark contrast. Jesus, who could raise the dead to new life, "though he was rich, for your sake he became poor" (2 Corinthians 8:9). Our gift of new life from Christ demands our response in charity.

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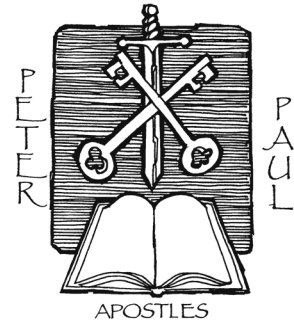
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**Please don't hesitate to contact any of the above individuals to learn more about their ministry.*

SAINT OF THE DAY

Saint Peter and Saint Paul Feast Day: June 29

The liturgical feast is in honour of the martyrdom in Rome under the Emperor Nero of the apostles Saint Peter and Saint Paul. Saint Peter was crucified upside down and buried in the Vatican; Saint Paul was stabbed with a sword and buried on the Via Ostiense.



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DAILY ROSARY/DIVINE MERCY

Please join us in reciting the Rosary every morning **(Monday through Saturday) at 7:35 am**

before daily Mass. It is a beautiful and spiritual way to start your day.



Divine Mercy

Every day following weekday Mass, we invite you to join us for the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

It starts about five minutes after Mass (around 8:35 am).

It can be the best fifteen minutes of the day. If you cannot join us, perhaps you can join the Divine Mercy on EWTN television channel at noon.

THE KIDS' BULLETIN

Please don't forget to pick-up your copy of **"The Kids' Bulletin"** after every Mass, at the exits of the Church!



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Mark Your Calendar

- 7/3: First Friday Adoration @8:30am-9pm/Church
- 7/4: Happy Fourth of July! Parish Office Closed
- 7/5: New Sunday Mass schedule takes effect
- 7/8: Knights of Columbus Meeting @7pm/Parish Hall
- 7/10: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Feast Day Mass @5:30pm/Church



Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday, June 29th

8:00 am- Galia Novikoff +

Tuesday, June 30th

8:00 am- Jeanne Roerig +

Wednesday, July 1st

8:00 am- Father's Day Novena

Thursday, July 2nd

8:00 am- Intention of Estrellita Delunas

Friday, July 3rd

8:00 am- Heliodoro Solis +

Saturday, July 4th

8:00 am- Nelson Martinez +

5:00 pm- Father's Day Novena

Sunday, July 5th

7:30 am- All Departed Souls in our Memoriam Room +

9:00 am- Intention of St. Barnabas Parishioners

10:30 am- Intention of Araceli Memije

12:00 noon- Michael Dean Vasquez +

**Book your Mass Intentions in person, at the Parish Office.*

Pray For The Sick

The following names have been recently added:

Olivia Santos and Edina Hintay.

All are encouraged to pray for them and others already included in the **Prayer Intention Book**, which will be presented at each Mass on Saturday and Sunday. Call the Office to be added to the list. You may also write your own prayer intentions in the Prayer Intention Book that will be available before each Mass on Saturday and Sunday, located on a stand at the back of the Church.

We Remember...

We Pray for and remember those who have died.

- Jean Jackson 5/25/15
- Maria Sora Porra De Ron 5/26/15
- Edgar Jacob Del Castillo

Today's Readings

First Reading — God did not make death, nor does God rejoice in the destruction of the living (Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24).

Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).

Second Reading — Your abundance should supply the needs of the others (2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15).

Gospel — Your faith has saved you (Mark 5:21-43 [21-24, 35b-43]).

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Readings For The Week

Monday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

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

Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29

Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Country or a City," nos. 882-886, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Ss. Peter and Paul

Tuesday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

Wednesday: Blessed Junípero Serra; Canada Day

Friday: St. Thomas; First Friday

Saturday: Independence Day; First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary

Parish News

CHANGE IN SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Effective July 5, 2015

The Mass schedule for Sunday will be as follows:

7 : 30 AM 9 : 00 AM 10 : 45 AM
12 : 30 PM 5 : 30 PM

MEMORIAL PLAQUE

Remember your deceased loved ones by ordering a 3" x 3/4" memorial plaque to be placed in our

"In Memoriam" Prayer Room in our church. The requested donation is **\$50.00**. Masses for our beloved departed whose names are inscribed on the memorial plaques are offered once a month in our parish church. For more info, call the Parish Office at **(562) 424-8595**.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Friday, July 3rd, 2015 – 8:30 AM to 9:00 PM

Come join us for meditative prayer before Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament **every First Friday of the month**, starting after the 8:00 am Mass until 9:00 pm.

We invite our parishioners to spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament and pray for an increase in vocations and your own personal intentions.

"The Church and the world have a great need of Eucharistic worship. Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love. Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Him in adoration and in contemplation that is full of faith... May our adoration never cease."

– Saint John Paul II



St. Barnabas School News

Applications for new students and returning students are now available in the school office. **The school office is open now through July 2, 8 am-2 pm, Monday through Friday, and will be closed for summer break July 3-Aug 31. The office will open again on August 3, 8:00 am-2:00 pm.** New siblings (entering school for their first time) of current St. Barnabas students must also pick-up an application. Please submit the necessary copies of Sacramental certificates as requested on the application. ***** You can also download an application via the school's website: www.school.stbarnabaslb.org *****

The school, mindful of its mission to be a witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students regardless of race, color or national and/or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available at the school.

The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, disability, sex or national and/or ethnic origin in the administration of educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs, although certain athletic leagues and other programs may limit participation and some archdiocesan schools operate as single sex schools.

While the school does not discriminate against students with special needs, a full range of services may not always be available to them. Decisions concerning the admission and continued enrollment of a student in the school are based upon the student's emotional, academic and physical abilities and the resources available to the school in meeting the student's needs.

Ministry News

🎵 UPDATING SOUND SYSTEM Our equipment is in desperate need of an update. We have researched the costs for this and have come up with a sum total of \$4,264.00 with tax and shipping. This sum total has decreased through generous donations we have received. A special thank you to all who have given from their "treasure". We only need \$2,210.00 more!!! We are asking all of you to prayerfully consider a donation to purchase these much needed necessities for our sound system. You can place donations in the regular collection baskets – **Please stipulate on your checks "for microphones" or place in a separate envelope and mark "for microphones"**. Thanks in advance for your generous donations. We will purchase the equipment when we have the full amount.

Learning More About Our Catholic Faith

St. Barnabas Catholic Community invites you to learn what it means to be Catholic, to delve deeper and understand the Catholic Faith through the Adult Initiation Process (**R.C.I.A**) **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**.

These sessions are for those interested in joining the Catholic Faith OR if you need to complete your sacraments of initiation – Confirmation & Eucharist, or if you would just like to learn more about your Catholic faith. We'll begin these sessions at the end of August. Watch bulletin for more information. If you are interested in more information on the RCIA process, call us at **(562) 988-6855** or call Parish Office at **(562) 424-8595**.

We are pleased to announce that parishioners: **Robert Kalowes, Lisa Johnson and John Harlan** have completed a 14 month leadership program. The program called **"Tending the Talents"**, was sponsored by the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. The purpose of the program was to allow the lay leaders to articulate a vision for their local church and create a more vibrant faith community rooted in Jesus Christ. Congratulations Catholic Leadership Institute Graduates!



Photo by: Bob Kalowes

SAVE THE DATE!!! Saturday, August 22nd, 2015 **for our Annual Car Show and Barbecue!!!**



Music, great cars, food, and a wonderful blessing of the cars will be included! Come one, come all! Stroll around and admire the terrific cars from different car clubs in the area!

For further info or if you want to enter your car, please call **Jose Silva at (562) 426-1707 or the RE Office (562) 988-6855**. All proceeds go towards our excellent Confirmation **"Spirit & Life"** Ministry and our fantastic Peer Ministry!





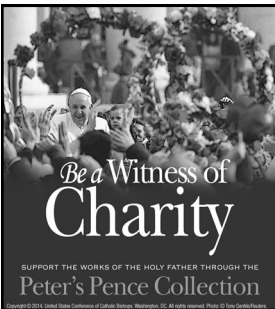
Photo by: Melody Cruz

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council 3449 is pleased to announce the men pictured above, have been elevated to the **Third Degree** in the Knight hierarchy and were joined by other members in celebration.

(L to R: Pedro Salas, Dominique Salas, Pascual Sampang, Waldy Cruz, Jim Supancheck, Anthony Vitale, Ray Barnum, Joe Ahle, Dr. Gene Lowther, Edward Sampang, Joey Kennett, Adriel Cruz & Jun Tadique.)

Knights of Columbus Meeting on **Wednesday, July 8th, 2015 at 7:00 pm at the Parish Hall.** Contact Waldy Cruz at (562) 682-0768 for more info.

Local Archdiocese News



The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up worldwide to support the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. This is an opportunity to join with our Holy Father, Pope Francis, and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Envelopes are available to support Pope Francis

in his charitable works. Please be generous in today's collection.

Sacred Heart Retreat House

Promoting the Spiritual Life

RESERVE NOW!!! FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED!

Women Silent Retreat

September 11th - 13th, 2015

Friday, 5:00 pm — Sunday, 12:00 pm

Sacred Heart Retreat House

920 E. Alhambra Road, Alhambra, CA 91801

Room Rates:

- Share-A-Room \$180.00
- Semi-Private Room \$240.00
- Private Room \$260.00

Retreat Master:

Rev. Phillip DeVous from the Diocese of Covington, KY

Contact: Connie Dobberpuhl (562) 426-3735

Or Barbara Florida (562) 423-1278

Church's Financial Report

Thank you for your support of St. Barnabas Parish.

Collection on 06/21/15

2014

\$13,181.75

2015

\$13,993.15

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Musicians & Singers to help with our Masses! We are adding another Mass on Sundays, so we are in need of more ministers of music! Please call the Parish Office at **(562) 424-8595** and leave your name and phone number. We will get back to you! When you sing you pray twice!!!



Congratulations To The Following:

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS! Matthew Sr., & Christina Barber/Family, Brandon Perez & Maribeth Quilao/Family and Jose & Cecilia Fletes/Family.

ANNIVERSARIES: Hugo Dueñas & Jennie Aguilar-Dueñas (10 years), John & Carol Samson (55 years), and John & Ginger Gillette (45 years).

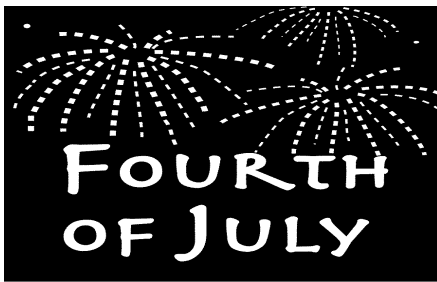
Are You Celebrating An Anniversary?

If you are celebrating your 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55 or 60th Wedding Anniversary, please let us know so we can all celebrate with you! Please call the Parish Office at **(562) 424-8595** with Names, year you are celebrating, along with your Wedding Anniversary date.

Holy Humor

The Catholic school teacher asks, "Now, Little Johnny, tell me honestly, do you say prayers before eating?" "No sir," Little Johnny replies, "I don't have to. My Mom is a good cook."

THE BOOK OF CATHOLIC JOKES, by Deacon Tom Sheridan published by ACTA Publications, Chicago, Ill



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The American Revolution was a beginning, not a consummation.

—Woodrow Wilson

dear Padre

June 28, 2015

What does the Church teach about animal cruelty?

What constitutes cruelty to animals? I think rodeos are cruel to animals, others don't. My sister thinks I'm cruel when I leave my two dogs in cages while at work. Does the Church teach anything about this?

The Catechism of the Catholic Church (2416–2418) talks about how we should treat animals. In short, animals are God's creatures and we owe them kindness. However, we may use animals for food, clothing, and to help us in our work and leisure. Therefore, it is morally acceptable to use animals for medical and scientific experiments within reasonable limits if they contribute to caring for and saving human lives. But we should not cause animals to suffer or die needlessly, and we should not spend excessive money on them that could go toward relieving human misery or love animals with the same affection due only to persons.

Thus, using animals in rodeos could be justified as entertainment. No one tries to injure the animals on purpose. In fact, people often go out of their way to keep the animals healthy.

As for caging your dogs, there are tiny cages that could inflict cruelty and other types that afford comfort, space, and safety. But if you cage your dogs, also make certain they get adequate exercise.

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Sunday Series

SYMBOLS IN STAIN GLASS WINDOW: St. Patrick

Symbols have been used in stain glass windows to tell stories of the saints or to reflect Christian principles. Some of the symbols in the St. Patrick window are:

Bell- (in middle of the window, on left) The National Museum of Ireland in Dublin possesses a bell first mentioned, according to the Annals of Ulster, in the Book of Cuanu in the year 552. The bell was part of a collection of "relics of Patrick" removed from his tomb sixty years after his death to be used as relics. The bell itself is simple in design, hammered into shape with a small handle fixed to the top with rivets. Originally forged from iron, it has since been coated in bronze. The bell is accredited with working a miracle in 1044 and having been coated in bronze to shield it from human eyes, for which it would be too holy.

Green in Patrick's robe- The color symbolizes growth, life, hope, fidelity, and immortality. **2.** Green is a liturgical color used on the Sundays after the Feast of the Holy Trinity.

Shamrock-(in the bottom right hand corner) - a three-leaved plant, used to illustrate the Christian teaching of three persons in one God. The shamrock has since become a central symbol for St Patrick's Day.

Trinity Knot- (in between the" In memory of Walter Desmond")- The symbol has been used by Celtic Christians as a sign of the Trinity (Father, Son and Holy Spirit). The circle emphasizes the unity of the whole combination of the three elements. It is also said to symbolize God's love around the Holy Trinity.

Purple Cross-(on right side of Patrick) - After 325 A.D. the cross rose in popularity as a symbol of the Christian faith. It was in that year that Constantine conquered the Roman Empire and made Christianity its main religion. Purple is a color used to symbolize royalty. It is symbolic of preparation, mourning, humiliation and the Passion. Purple is a liturgical color used during the seasons that call for repentance: the four Sundays of Advent, Lent, Holy Week, and Maundy Thursday.

Miter's Hat- (in Patrick's arm) - Sign that Patrick was a Bishop.

Pastoral Staff- (upper right hand of window) - This staff which is the symbol of a Bishop has a snake's head on it. The absence of snakes in Ireland gave rise to the legend that they had all been banished by St. Patrick chasing them into the sea after they attacked him during a 40-day fast he was undertaking.

Eireann- the genitive case of Gaelic Éire, meaning "Ireland".

Prison Tower- represents Patrick being held a prisoner for many years.



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