



Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# ST. BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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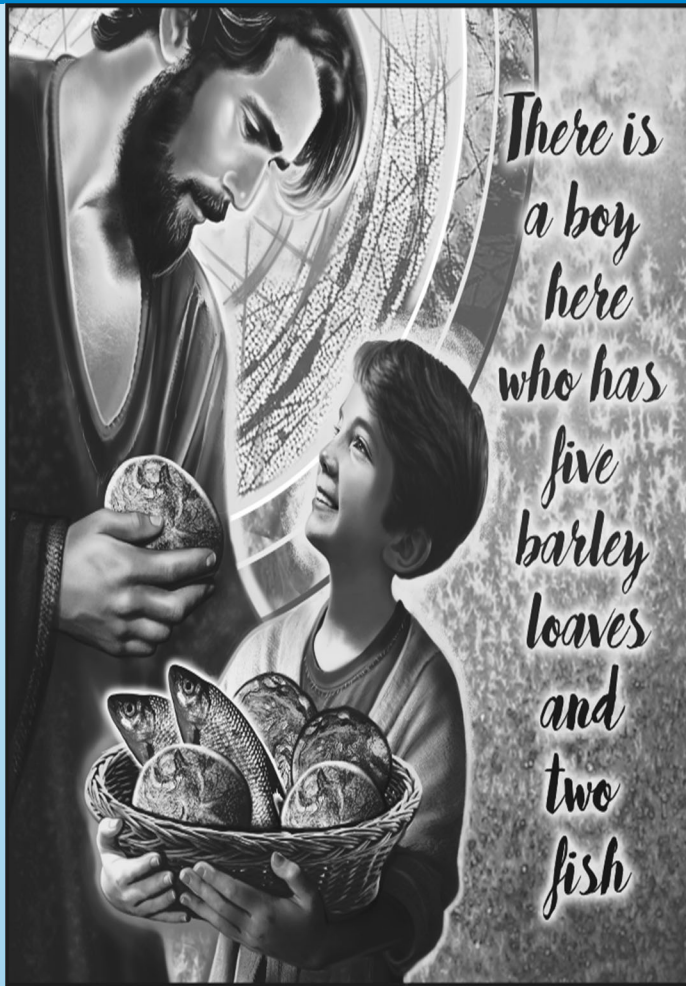
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## Good News!

July 29, 2018  
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)  
2 Kgs 4:42-44; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

The multiplication of the loaves and fish is a scene commonly sculpted on the tombs of Christians in Rome. These early Christians, an ocean away, not only heard the story but believed it and sealed their lives with it. What powerful message of life and death did they find?

Aside from being a symbol of the Eucharist, the center of early Christian worship then as today, this miracle is a call to generosity. By giving your life to Jesus, he can multiply it and raise it up to new life.

Jesus sees the hunger of the crowd and wants to satisfy them. He asks what provisions they have, and all they can muster is two fish and five loaves. Andrew questions what good that is for so many. Implicit is that it may be better to save what little there is for themselves.

Jesus sees things differently. He gives thanks for the little they have and has the apostles give it away. He knows the Father will multiply this generosity. Rather than look at what they have as a scarcity of goods, he sees them as gifts to share.

This is the radical change of heart that Jesus asks of us. Everything we have is a gift to be shared. When we live in love, and not in selfish fear of how to satisfy ourselves, then God multiplies what little we have and provides everything we need.

When the Gospel declares the apostles had collected twelve baskets of leftovers, the text shouts that God is a God of abundance, not of scarcity.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

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### CONFESSIONS:

1st Friday of the Month  
7:15am—7:50am

Saturday  
3:30pm—4:30pm

### INFANT BAPTISMS:

4th Sunday of the Month:  
2:30pm (must pre-register)  
Email: baptism@stbarnabaslb.org

**WEDDINGS:** (6 Months Prior)  
Email: church@stbarnabaslb.org

**ANOIDTING OF THE SICK:**  
(Call Parish Office)

### MASS TIMES:

Saturday 8:00am | 5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday 7:30am | 9:00am | 10:45am  
12:30pm | 5:30pm

Monday—Friday 8:00am

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

(1st Friday of the Month)

Adoration: 8:30am—7:00pm | Mass: 7:30pm

### MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA:

Every Wednesday (Novena after Mass)  
Rosary: 6:15pm | Mass: 6:30pm

### MISSION STATEMENT

"We, the Catholic Community of St. Barnabas Parish, are a people formed by Christ, called in Baptism and united in the Eucharist; we continue the mission of the Church in the world through Prayer, Apostolic Works, Evangelization, and Christian Stewardship."

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## FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

|                                      |                                         |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Weekly Contribution:                 | <b>\$9,065.43</b>                       |
| Faith-Direct Bi-Weekly Contribution: | <b>\$ 3,951.33</b><br>Period: 7/1- 7/15 |

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**"In loving memory of  
 Catherine L. Daugherty"**  
 July 30—August 5

### Monthly Flower Donors for Tabernacle & Blessed Mother:

**Violet Orayani**

July 28—Aug. 11

## DAILY DEVOTIONS

Please join us in reciting the **Rosary** every morning (Mon-Sat) at 7:35am before daily Mass. It's a beautiful and spiritual way to start your day. Every day following weekday Mass, we invite you to join us for the **Chaplet of Divine Mercy**. Prayers usually start approximately 5-10 minutes after Mass (around 8:40am). If you can't join us, you can join the Divine Mercy on EWTN television channel at noon.

### ST. BARNABAS SCHOOL

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Rel Ed Coordinator: Juan Rodriguez Jr.  
 religiouseducation@stbarnabaslb.org

Confirmation Coordinator:  
 Emmanuel Magallanes  
 confirmation@stbarnabaslb.org

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- 8/3 1st Friday Adoration 8:30am-7pm; Mass 7:30 pm
- 8/4 Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima pg 6
- 8/5 Fil-Am Mtg, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall
- 8/12 ACTS 29- 7pm Parish Center pg 5
- 8/15-Wed Holy Day of Obligation - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 9/3 Labor Day (Office/School closed)
- 9/7 - 9/9 Women's Silent Retreat pg 6
- 9/15 - 9/25 Holy Land Pilgrimage
- 10/19 - 10/20 BARNAFEST pg 8

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, July 30th

8:00 am- St. Barnabas Music Ministry; Father Matthew Spencer, OSJ; +Zenaides Climaco

### Tuesday, July 31st

8:00 am- St. Barnabas Ministry Leaders; +Bobbie Roth

### Wednesday, August 1st

8:00 am- To all newly engaged couples

6:30 pm- Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotees

### Thursday, August 2nd

8:00 am- Heleodoro Melgarejo; Doriza Elguira

### Friday, August 3rd

8:00 am- Frank & Jackie Spiziri; +Ernest Marrujo

7:30 pm- Rev. Fr. Matthew Wheeler

### Saturday, August 4th

8:00 am- Morgann & Mario Araujo; +Vicenta Idio; JB Na Pham

5:00 pm- JB Na Pham; All Departed Souls in our Memoriam Rm

### Sunday, August 5th

7:30 am- St. Barnabas Parishioners; +Alexia Damacion; +Margarita Abando

9:00 am- Moses Boye; Phebe Boye; Brianna Boye; Mario Lanzas

10:45 am- Julia Rodrigues; Valdomero & Inday Magno; +Graciano Lipez

12:30 pm- Thomas P. McJilton; Terry F. McJilton; Robert A. McJilton; +Catherine L. Daugherty

5:30 pm- +Leticia Ramos Garcia; +Jacquelyn M. Lofton

*\*Book your Mass Intentions in person, at the Parish Office. (+indicates deceased)*

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

Elizabeth Cannata, Charito Salas, Steven Urubeck, Lydia Estrada, Junn Gabrillo, Rory Letrondo, Luz Davila, Jim Reza, Ed Morris, Jennifer Rumps, Chuck G., Romeo Giron; Mateo Leyva, Barbara Hendren, Joseph Villegas

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

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — When they had eaten, there was some left over, as the LORD had said (2 Kings 4:42-44).

**Psalm** — The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs (Psalm 145).

**Second Reading** — Strive to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace (Ephesians 4:1-6).

**Gospel** — Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted (John 6:1-15).

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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13;  
Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-4, 10-11, 17-18;

Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34;

Mt 14:1-12

Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-25, 54;  
Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

## SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Peter Chysologus

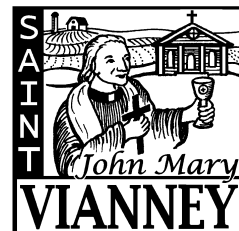
Tuesday: St. Ignatius of Loyola

Wednesday: St. Alphonsus Liguori

Thursday: St. Eusebius of Vercelli;  
St. Peter Julian Eymard

Friday: First Friday

Saturday: St. John Vianney; First Saturday



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## WE REMEMBER...

*We Pray for and remember our parishioners who have died.*

John Perius 6/29

John Esparaza 7/5

Hilda Jordan 7/1

Beatriz Aniano Celis 7/5

Lilia Bradbury 7/15

## PARISH NEWS & MORE

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & CONFIRMATION

Registration continues every Sunday for our completely re-structured and revitalized Religious Education Program. There will be a table out every Sunday after all the Masses from 10am-3pm, (except 5:30pm). You can also call the Religious Ed office for more info. Contact the following people for more details:

Rel Ed Coordinator: Juan Rodriguez Jr.

New E-mail: [religiouseducation@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:religiouseducation@stbarnabaslb.org)

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### SUMMERTIME HOURS

Thursday, Friday: 4 pm - 9 pm

Sunday: 10 am - 3 pm

Office Tel: (562) 988-6855

### DONOR WALL

A new donor wall has been commissioned for the back of the Church. All existing donor names will be part of the new wall.

### FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS FOR ALTAR

We are looking for Parishioners who would like to sponsor our fresh flower arrangements for our Altar only, in honor of a loved one. If interested, please email the Parish Office at: [church@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:church@stbarnabaslb.org).

### TOGETHER IN MISSION UPDATE

Our total as of July 16, 2018 for our Together In Mission Campaign is: \$25,247.00. We are at 36% of our Parish Goal. Thanks for the continued support. If you have not made your donation or pledge to Together In Mission, you can go to: [www.ourmissionla.org](http://www.ourmissionla.org) for more information. It's all year long, so it's not too late to make your pledge or donation!

### NATIONAL NEEDS COMBINED COLLECTION

There will be a special 2nd collection this weekend. Please take a special envelope in the pew or exits and bring it back next week. This collection helps support some of the poorest dioceses in the country that depend on annual collections. Through vital evangelization programs, the Black and Indian Home Mission provides aid to some of the neediest African-American and Native American communities. This also helps areas through the Catholic Home Missions Appeal and the Catholic University of America. Thanks for your generosity.

## PARISH MINISTRIES

### NEED EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Looking to serve in a rewarding Ministry? We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers. Please contact the following people for more information:

Eucharistic Ministers—Call Sam: 562-521-4040

*Download a volunteer form from our Church website.*

### LOOKING FOR USHERS

We need Ushers for the 5:30pm Mass on Sundays! This is a great ministry and an excellent way to serve God and your fellow parishioners. If interested, please contact Darrell at 562-424-8982.

### FILIPINO AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Please join us in our next meeting on Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall. New members are welcome and encouraged to attend. We will also have a potluck dinner, so please bring a dish to share. For more information, please call Dr. Gene R. Lowther at (562) 427-1386 or Helen Cajayon at (562) 290-2019.

### THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Judge Walter Desmond Council #3449 of the Knights of Columbus is pleased to announce the following **Officers for the 2018-2019 Year:**



**Grand Knight:** Anthony Vitale; **Deputy Grand Knight:** Julio Ramirez; **Chancellor:** Jesse Moreno; **Financial Secretary:** Dr. David Ameho; **Treasurer:** Dr. Benjamin Sy; **Warden:** James Teahan; **Recorder:** Greg Czopek; **Advocate:** Robert Kalowes; **Lecturer:** Alden Hutchinson; **Inside Guard:** Reggie Villegas; **Outside Guard:** Alexander Turla; **Trustee 1<sup>st</sup> Year:** Jun Tadique; **Trustee 2<sup>nd</sup> Year:** Ray Barnum; **Trustee 3<sup>rd</sup> Year:** Joe Ahle

Please congratulate these men and keep them in your prayers as they devote their time, talents, and treasures to works of charity, service, and helping to build up the Domestic Church.

**R.C.I.A.**

Do you know someone who is interested in the Catholic faith? Are you Catholic, but have never been confirmed? Would you just like to know more about your Catholic faith? Or are you from another denomination and what to explore and embrace the Catholic Faith? **R.C.I.A.**, Rite of Catholic Initiation for Adults, may be what you are looking for. This fall classes begin on **October 1st from 7pm-9pm** at the Parish Center. If you are interested or know of someone who is interested, please email the Parish Office at [church@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:church@stbarnabaslb.org).

**FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE**

The Office for Worship presents  
**“Rooted in Diversity, We Grow in Unity”,**  
**on Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup> 8:00 A.M.-1:30 P.M.**

A day of enrichment for liturgical ministers. Includes opportunities for those engaged in liturgical ministry in the parish. There will be a keynote in English, followed by breakout groups. This will be an inspiring and enjoyable day to lift our spirits and send us back to the parish with new enthusiasm for our ministry.

Held at American Martyrs Church, 1431 Deegan Pl., Manhattan Beach. \$25 before August 15.

Please register online: <http://archla.org/ofwliturgyday>  
 For more information, please call 213-637-7262, or email at [ofwmailbox@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:ofwmailbox@la-archdiocese.org)

**A MINISTRY FOR MARRIED COUPLES**

Looking for a way to share the many blessings of married life? Catholic Engaged Encounter needs couples to help minister to engaged couples. **NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY** and free training is provided! If you would like to share what you've learned as a married couple and meet a terrific community of married couples, please consider the ministry of Catholic Engaged Encounter. For more information, call Joe & Kathie Schneider at 805-687-4338 or visit our website at: [www.CEEofLA.org](http://www.CEEofLA.org) and email us at: [autohaus@silcom.com](mailto:autohaus@silcom.com)

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

Youth Ministry Coming Soon...

*Acts 29*

THE NEXT CHAPTER

Kick Off Welcome Meeting  
*August 12th @7pm at the Parish Center*  
**Open to all youth from ages 13-18.**  
**Strongly encouraged for**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Candidates.**

Please **RSVP** to Rose if interested.

Email:

**[youthministry@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:youthministry@stbarnabaslb.org)**

Call: **(562) 988-6855**

**SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN*****Did You Know?***

Nearly everyone has a cell phone and that may be great for communication and connection, but it also gives rise to concerns about who may be taking photos of you or your children without your knowledge. You can't police the behaviors of others around you, but you can avoid taking pictures of your own children in public, and posting photos online that give away the locations of your favorite parks and hangouts. If your children have phones, monitor the photos they are taking and sharing, too. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS® article "Camera Phones: Unseen Dangers" <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>





## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Last Wednesday, the greatest pilgrimage in our tradition ended with the feast of Saint James at his shrine in Compostela, Spain. Every year, as many as a hundred thousand persons walk a portion of the medieval way of the pilgrim, earning the right to wear the scallop shell symbol of this journey of faith. In legend, this city on the northern coast of Spain is the final resting place of the apostle, and the full name of the cathedral is "Saint James of the Field of Stars." There is a tradition that Saint James the Great preached there.

In the Roman Catholic tradition, the pilgrimage, like any procession, is a symbol, life's journey distilled, a powerful sign of our journey toward a certain goal. The perils of the road, the support of companions, the contemplative slower pace of life, have the potential to transform and renew the pilgrims in ways that last a lifetime. Along the way, the distinctions between rich and poor fall away, and everyone shares humble rustic food and stops for the night in hostels or under the stars. After a long walk, the experience of entering through the great doors into the vast cathedral filled with incense, light, and song is a foretaste of heaven. The pilgrims often say that their whole lives are redirected toward that moment of entry into the heavenly Jerusalem. The most memorable feature of the cathedral is called the *botofumeiro*, an incense burner on pulleys and chains that sweeps through the cathedral in immense circles, swirling clouds of sweet-smelling incense around the vast nave.

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Thank you for being a part of our St. Barnabas family. I appreciate all that you do

for our parish and community by sharing your God-given gifts of time, talent and treasure. Your active participation in the life of our parish helps us to fulfill our vision and mission.

This summer, I pray that you will have some quiet and restful time that includes the love, joy and peace of being with family and friends. Please consider that St. Barnabas continues to be open for Mass, numerous activities and the Sacraments. During these summer months your generosity through Faith Direct can help provide the consistent resources we need to operate our parish and ministries.

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Thank you for your continued support of our parish family! God Bless You, - Fr. Antony Gaspar & Staff

## CONGRATULATIONS TO

### Wedding Banns:

Anacleto Torrijos & Arnel Ignacio  
Sasha Eivers & Miguel Haro  
Lisa Cedillo & Devon Brown

### Wedding Anniversaries:

Ted & Jean Robinson 7/13 (60yrs)  
Moses & Faustina Boye 7/15 (12yrs)  
Julian & Christina Yap 7/17 (53yrs)  
Roger & Tess Solis 7/22 (49yrs)



### Baptism 7/22:

Mark Anthony Rubio, Jr.

*Celebrating your Wedding Anniversary? Email us Names, year you're celebrating, along with your Wedding Anniversary date to: [church@stbarnabaslb.org](mailto:church@stbarnabaslb.org)*

## WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT

### SACRED HEART RETREAT HOUSE

September 7-9, 2018

The Sacred Heart Retreat House in Alhambra is hosting a Women's Silent Retreat from September 7th to 9th from Friday night at 6pm and ends Sunday at Noon. For info and reservations, please see the flyers posted on the Church bulletin boards. Limited spaces so book your spot now! Or you can **contact Barbara at: 562-423-1278 or Eva at: 562-818-9541 for more info!!!**



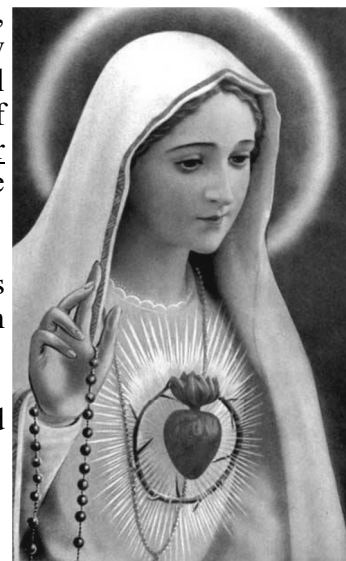
## FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

### NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA

On Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, and on **every first Saturday of the month**, there will be a novena in honor of Our Lady of Fatima after the 8:00am mass in the Church.

All are welcome to join us in this special Marian Devotion.

Mark your calendars and spread the word!



# Dear Padre

July 29, 2018

**What is the "gospel of prosperity?" I heard a televangelist say it's the Lord's will that all people have cars in the driveway and money in the bank.**

If there is a "gospel of prosperity," Matthew, Mark, Luke, or John didn't write it, and it isn't about Jesus. If anything, the Gospels would be called "Gospels of poverty." Jesus himself was born in poverty. Had he wished to extol riches and prosperity, he could have been born into the lap of luxury. But God chose the poverty of a stable and not well-to-do parents.

Although the subject of riches and poverty appears in all the Gospels, Luke deals with it the most. It is thought that Luke was concerned because he was of, and dealt with, people of means. Luke sees money and goods as dangerous to salvation. Although "nothing will be impossible with God" (1:37), Luke uses the image of a camel passing through the eye of a needle (18:25). It's easier for that to happen than for a rich person to enter the kingdom. Scary words.

Yet, poverty itself is not hailed as good, nor are riches condemned in themselves. It's what wealth does to people—why they accumulate it. When we focus on riches and possessions, we risk turning from God, growing deaf to the cries of the poor. Possessions and wealth are to be shared, not hoarded.

It sounds like the televangelist may have written the so-called "gospel of prosperity" himself, perhaps justifying his own gains. I hope not, because getting rich off the message of Christ is also contrary to the gospel.

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## STAND FIRM

In time of desolation one should never make a change, but stand firm in the resolutions and decisions that guided one the day before the desolation.

—St. Ignatius of Loyola

## FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

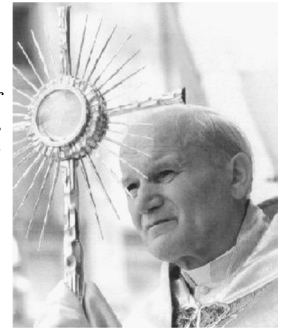
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