



ST. BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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September 11, 2021 to September 10, 2022
Mission San Gabriel Arcángel & Catholic Faith in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles

PARISH OFFICE:
MAIN #: 562-424-8595
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OFFICE HOURS:
Monday-Friday: 9:30am-5:00pm
Saturday: 8:30am-4:30pm
Sunday: 7:30am-2:00pm

PASTOR:
Rev. Dr. Antony Gaspar

Year C: Reading 894

Good News!

July 3, 2022

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Is 66:10-14c; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

There doesn't seem to be a period in human history when cities were not destroyed by war. This was the case in ancient Rome, Atlanta during the Civil War, Dresden in World War II, and more recently, Aleppo in Syria. The devastation of a city leaves the survivors of the tragedy in desperate straits. This is the situation to which Isaiah speaks in the first reading. His message is one of hope. Jerusalem will be rebuilt; it will flourish once again. God will "spread prosperity over her like a river" (Isaiah 66:12). This will not be accomplished through mere human effort, but through the power of God.

The passage from Luke tells us how God will accomplish such a feat. There we read that Jesus sent seventy-two followers to preach the gospel. The power of God will work through them. We know little about who they were, from which villages they came, or how long they acted as itinerant preachers. They may simply have gone back to their own lives and ministered to their own people. Such information is inconsequential.

What is important is the fact that God works through the followers of Jesus, through you and me. It will be through us that lives are rebuilt, that people will thrive again. It will be through us that cities are no longer destroyed by war. Do we believe this? Are we willing to be sent "to every town and place he intended to visit" (Luke 10:1)?

Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

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The harvest
is abundant
but the
laborers
are few;
so ask the
master of the
harvest to
send out
laborers for
the harvest.

Luke 10:2

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IN-PERSON MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday Saturday Vigil	7:00 am 5:00 pm	Church Church
Wednesday	8:00am	School Mass
SUNDAY	7:00 am 8:00 am 9:00 am 11:00 am	Church Parking Lot Church & Parking Lot Church
1st Friday of the month	9:00am-12:00pm 8:00am-9:00am	Eucharistic Adoration Confessions

LIVE-STREAM MASS / ONLINE

Monday - Saturday Tuesday Wednesday	7:00 am 7:30 am 7:30 am	Facebook & YouTube St. Joseph Novena Perpetual Help Novena
SUNDAY	9:00 am	Facebook & YouTube

CONFESSION HOURS:

Saturday: 3:30pm-4:30pm (inside the Church)

INFANT BAPTISMS: baptism@stbarnabaslb.org

WEDDINGS: Inquire at least 6 months in advance

ANointing OF THE SICK: Contact Office to arrange visit

PARISH 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."

PARISH MINISTRIES

Adoration Coordinators	Charito S/Faye R
Altar Servers (Youth)	Erika M
Baptism (Infants)	Jay G
Boy Scouts Pack 32 Cub Scouts Pack 32	Laura L/Chris C
Bulletin/Website/Social Media/Publications	Olivia B
CANA Marriage Renewal Movement	Bernie M
Coffee & Holy Donuts	Bill M
Cornerstone Crew	Dave A
Couples for Christ	Roy R/Faye R
Divine Mercy Apostolate	Itima E
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Sam C/Helen C
Filipino-American Association	Gene L
Finance Council	Espi G
Girl Scouts Troop #4283	Jessica C
Holy Name Society	Bob F
I.T. Resource Team	David A
Knights of Columbus #3449	Joe A
Lectors	Marina C
Legion of Mary	Barbara F
Liturgical Music Coordinator	Joseph P
Marian Cenacle M.M.P.	Mary C S/Mary S
Ministry of Consolation	Susan C
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena	Armando P/Gigi L
Our Lady Queen of Peace	Tricia J
Pastoral Council	Darrell S
Planning/Building Team	Sean F
Project Achieve	Michelle S
RCIA/Adult Sacraments	Andrea M/Susana M
Respect Life	Robert K
Sacristans	Sahlee B/Armando P
Safeguard the Children	Elizabeth C
Ushers & Greeters	Darrell S
Wedding/Quinceañera Rehearsal Coordinator	Deb R
Worship Environment	Olivia A

FOR MINISTRY INQUIRIES, or to view our complete listing, please visit www.stbarnabaslb.org/ministries or call our Parish Office.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We encourage you to register as a Parishioner. To be an "Active" member at our Parish, is to participate in the life of prayer and stewardship. Being a parishioner enables a person to be eligible to sponsor a child for Baptism, to receive financial aid for Catholic Education, to be Married in the Parish, book a Funeral/Memorial Mass and to prepare one's children for the Sacraments. All adults over the age of 21, living with their parents or on their own, are encouraged to register as well. Visit our website to register!

FAKE TEXT MSG/SPAM E-MAILS

If you received a text message or E-Mail claiming it's from Fr. Antony, asking for money, gift cards or asking for your help, **THIS IS A HOAX!** PLEASE IGNORE SUCH MESSAGES (pretending to be from Fr. Antony) Do not reply to them and immediately delete it. Please ALERT the Parish Office if you receive any other fake messages, so we can flag it. Thanks for your cooperation.



Text the word "ENROLL" to 562-330-1646



Sign-up thru Faith Direct then enroll in our Text-To-Give

membership.faithdirect.net/CA794



FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

06/19/22: \$6,723.00
06/26/22: \$6,153.00

Faith-Direct
Bi-Weekly
Contribution: **\$7,932.22**
Period: 6/01 – 6/15

Thanks for your prayerful giving. Your donation supports the operations of our Parish Community.



Monthly Flower Donors for Tabernacle & our Blessed Mother:

Perlita Cervantes

June 25-July 9



Altar Flowers Sponsors:

Requested by: Francis & Olivia Baylen

June 27 - July 3

"Happy 46th Wedding Anniversary to Chris & Aurora Sarmiento"



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PRE-SCHOOL / DAYCARE

Main: (562) 988-8481

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & CONFIRMATION

Office: (562) 988-6855

1130 Marshall Place
Long Beach, CA 90807
(Office located upstairs of Parish Center)

religiouseducation@stbarnabaslb.org

Confirmation Coordinator:
Emmanuel Magallanes
213-948-7762 cell/text
confirmation@stbarnabaslb.org

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

7/4: Independence Day! Parish Office is closed
 7/10: MTF Breakfast Fundraiser 8am-11am/Hall/\$10
 7/14: Rosary for +Gerry Johnston/6pm
 7/15: Funeral for +Gerry Johnston/11am/Reception (Hall)
 7/17: National Needs Combined Collection

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

All through the Month of June, to the Fathers on the Father's Day
 Envelopes and List that are with us or with the Lord

Sat July 2 5:00p.m.	Death Anniversary: +George Astom Sr.
Sunday, July 3	
7:00 a.m.	Birthday: David Ameho Special Intentions: Marie Melanie Amon Repose: +Ruth Castro Death Anniversary: +Danilo Ortega Badiola
8:00 a.m.	Repose: +Ranny Ramos
9:00 a.m.	Birthday: Rita Rafalovich (96th), Everardo Canchola Repose: +Edgardo Joya, +Effie G. Marasigan, +Vincent Rosetti Lealuga, +Maria Estrada
11:00am	All Parishioners
Mon, July 4	America's Birthday! Repose: +Felonilla Ponce
Tues, July 5	Birthdays: Araceli Memije 40th day: +Benildo Loyola
Wed, July 6	OLPH Devotees; Birthday: Myrna Golfo Gloriani Repose: +Isaias de Leon
Thur, July 7	Death Anniversary: +Mary Abraham (1st)
Fri, July 8	Repose: +Augusto Pasamonte, +Isabel Villegas
Sat, July 9 7:00 am	Repose: +Rosemarie Lim Lee Death Anniversary: +Metudio Saballo



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in Ordinary Time
July 3, 2022**

May I never boast except in the cross
of our Lord Jesus Christ.

— Galatians 6:14

**LET US CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR
THE COUNTRY OF UKRAINE.**



*Book Mass Intentions via Website, E-mail or by Phone. (+ indicates deceased)
 Send requests at least 2 weeks in advance, to be listed. Some names may not
 reflect above, due to early print deadlines or last-minute requests.*

REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

James E. Bockrath
 Oscar Contreras
 Jude Solomon
 Fern Davis
 Martha Ann Scarcella
 James Carroll
 Joe Espeleta
 Nancy Chang



Dr. Natamba Barnabas
 Natamba Austyn
 Gerry Johnston
 Jeffrey Espeleta Keng Seng
 Victims of mass shootings

TODAY'S READINGS: YR C / 894

First Reading — Rejoice and be glad for I will spread prosperity over Jerusalem like a river, and the wealth of nations like an overflowing torrent (Isaiah 66:10-14c).

Psalms — Let all the earth cry out to God with joy (Psalm 66).

Second Reading — May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ (Galatians 6:14-18).

Gospel — Jesus sends his disciples out in pairs to bring his peace and proclaim the kingdom of God (Luke 10:1-12, 17-20 [1-9]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9;
 Mt 9:18-26; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass "For Public Needs," nos. 882-889, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16;
 Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17;
 Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

Sunday: Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37;
 or Ps 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

PRAYERS NEEDED FOR HEALING

Elizabeth N. Gabrillo, Florencio "Junn" P. Gabrillo Jr., Lorna E. Declines, Nelia N. Estrada, Sue Ann E. Tumakay, Mario & Mely Visperas, Natividad S. Fernandez, Rogy Soriano, Luningning Hobbs, Richard Geronimo, Cesar Giron, Robert Carambelas, Hector Gustilo, Rose de los Reyes, Alvino Jauregui, Tina Quinn*, Bridget Vanderwerff, Carmela Chiurazzi, Violet Firmalino, Maria Sanchez, Erwin Castillo, Earl Leiran, Cecilia Van Vooren, Steve Ferrer, Scott Polson, Josephine Hong*, Chean & Harper Hong, Joseph Delos Reyes, Samuel Chavez, Ildefonso Reyes, William & Gloria Dorsey, Carl Valentini, Mercy Damacion, Ching Dalog, Eddie Reyes, Johnny Rimas, Antonio Montuya, Alexander Sabunas, MaryAnn Salas*, Lydia Clark, Ted & Terri Furlow, Victor Perez Jr., Julian Ashley Johnson, Nancy Mendoza, Brian Sabunas, Ken Augustine, Connie Edwards, Mary & Steven Pearson, Betty Chrysler, Kathy Wachter, Josh & Pam Batovsky, Sherrie & Heather Wren, Augusto David, Barbara Hendron, Roxann, Donn & Danny Batovsky, Maxym Velazquez, Angelica Bianchi, Martha Pech*, Bill Dobberpuhl, Malou Cantor, Avery Morgia, Barbara Florida, Stefan Uhlar*, Mediadora Contreras, Antonio Sison, Sr. Perseveranda Sison, Celso Castillo, Sylvia Cabrera*, Victoria Cabrera*, Jonathan Pascual, Jessie James, Lihini Ratnayake, Sneha Banerjee, Theo Nemeth*, Alihuseyn Agazade*, Mariamma George*, Annalee Ruot*, Phillip Reher, Jeremy Lee Mago, Stephanie, Lucy Galletes*, Norma Badiola, Ria Charo Badiola, Justina Ramos, Stefan Uhlar*, Zuzana Vikrutova, Rodney Benjamin, Colton*, Haley Smith*, Beth Galapon, Maribel Munoz, Kim Bach, Kelly Buish*, Barbara OHara*, Ruth Ashley, Zaldy Abilo

List updates every 4-6 months. If you would like to be added or RE-ADDED to our prayer list, please email church@stbarnabaslb.org. Names w/asterisks denotes inclusion to St. Peregrine (patron Saint of cancer) prayer list as well.

PARISH & MINISTRY NEWS

*** IMPORTANT NOTICE ***

LA County has lifted the indoor face mask mandates to align with CA. As of today, **masking is strongly recommended, but no longer required** in most indoor settings, including houses of worship.

WE NEED USHERS!!!

Would you like to help usher during the Mass that you attend? Join our Ushers Ministry, by contacting **Ministry Leader: Darrell at 562-243-1378 or E-mail directly to: dstew40@gmail.com** We are refraining from passing the baskets around, rather we will be using a bag with an extended pole for safety.

NEED A FEW VOLUNTEERS

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION (Bereavement)

This important Ministry is looking for Volunteers to join in helping out with Funerals. Some tasks include: Following up with the Families, assisting them with collecting information and "day-of" coordinating-with a Sacristan. If you are interested, please contact our Parish Office at: 562-424-8595, or E-mail to: church@stbarnabaslb.org ***Bilingual/Spanish a plus!***

NEW MASS INTENTION REQUEST POLICY

To request for a Mass Intention, you need to book it at least 1-2 weeks in advance (birthdays, anniversaries, etc). We **cannot accommodate last-minute requests any longer** (only exceptions: recent death or illness) in which you would need to book with our Parish Secretary immediately.

ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORS

If you would like to sponsor our weekly Altar Flowers in honor of a loved one, or special occasion, please contact the Parish Office at: 562-424-8595 or



E-mail to: church@stbarnabaslb.org to book your week. Suggested Donation/Cost: \$125—this includes a Mass Intention date of your choosing & bulletin spotlight. (depends on availability)

PROJECT ACHIEVE MINISTRY

To learn more about our ministry, our next info session will take place on: **Wed. July 6th at 7pm** via Zoom. **Meeting ID: 817 0665 6262**

Passcode: 644274 Call/text Michelle: 310-344-7862

COFFEE & HOLY DONUTS ARE BACK!

Coffee & Donuts are back at the Parish Hall on Sundays from 8am to 11am. Contact **Bill: 562-480-8002** on how your group or ministry can help host!

MOTHER THERESA FOUNDATION

INAUGURAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

El Dorado Golf Course, Long Beach, CA

SATURDAY: JULY 30, 2022

Registration: 9:30am

Tee-Time Begins: 11am

Tournament Fee: \$120

(includes: cart, snacks, raffle prizes, etc.)



Please call the following people to reserve your spot! Limited slots available! Contact for more info:

Jun Teves: 310-779-9791

Jun Paredes: 626-354-8113

Bernie Matute: 562-325-3065

Mar Garchitorea: 661-317-1713

www.MotherTheresaFoundation.org

Please pay tournament fees by: July 22, 2022

****Sponsorships are available for this event!****

Call for more info on how to be a sponsor! (or see below)

MOTHER THERESA FOUNDATION	
A 501(c)(3) NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION	
Mother Theresa Foundation INAUGURAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT El Dorado Golf Course, Long Beach, CA JULY 30, 2022 (SATURDAY)	
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MISSIONARY PRACTICES 2x2

When Jesus first sends his disciples to proclaim the kingdom of God in word and deed, he sends them two by two (Mark 6:7). To raise up a new generation of missionary disciples, the Archdiocese of Los Angeles encourages three simple Missionary Practices 2x2:

Gospel Reflection 2x2 - Reflecting together on the life and words of Jesus in the Gospels awakens faith and helps us share Him with others.

Prayer 2x2 - Praying together aloud opens hearts to Jesus.

and Acts of Charity and Justice 2x2 - Doing acts of charity and justice together with intentionality shows the love and mercy of Jesus.

Engaging in these missionary practices will form hearts for mission and increase confidence in proclaiming the Gospel.

For more information on how to engage in these practices, please visit:

<https://ForwardInMission.com/2x2>



PRAYER FOR THE JUBILEE

Commemorating the 250th Anniversary of the Founding of Mission San Gabriel Arcángel by St. Junípero Serra

Heavenly Father, we thank You for the gift of Your servant, St. Junípero Serra, and for all the missionaries, native peoples, and immigrants who established Mission San Gabriel Arcángel, that Your Kingdom might extend to the ends of the earth.

Help us to walk in their footsteps as missionary disciples. Guided by their example, may we be always faithful and courageous in proclaiming the Gospel of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Father, look upon Your family here in Los Angeles with mercy. Taught by the Word of Truth and fed with the Bread of Life, may Your Church here always seek to do Your will, and be the sign of Your love for all peoples, who are sons and daughters of God, all of us loved and desired by You, and born for greater things.

Renew us and strengthen us, and cleanse our hearts. By Your grace, may we follow Jesus with joy and holiness of life, and together with Him build a new world of faith and a city of saints.

Through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin of Guadalupe, Mother of the Americas, may we continue always forward in the mission of St. Junípero Serra, making Jesus Christ known to every heart in every nation.

We ask this, through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Most Reverend José H. Gomez
Archbishop of Los Angeles

ON THE MERCY OF GOD

A Spiritual Meditation from the Writings of St. Junípero Serra

**O Lord, You are complete mercy, complete love,
and complete tenderness toward all men and women,
even toward the most ungrateful sinners.**

**You wish all people to attain the ends
for which You compassionately created us.**

**You yearn that we might believe
that You are the Way, the Truth, and the Life,
and advance toward the salvation You will for us.**

**You are sweet and gentle,
and You call us in the gentleness of Your divine voice,
in the sweet and gentle tones of a Father
addressing his favorite child.**

**You extend the golden bonds of Your goodwill and
love,
You pardon us in your mercy.**

**Father of all mercy and consolation,
pour forth the abundance of Your love with mercy.**

**By your mercy, conquer every type of malice.
Help us to leave not only our faults,
but the bad habits and situations in our lives which
lead to these faults,
that we might love You alone.**

**Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening with a
contrite heart.**

**Help us to begin right now to realize the truth!
To be entirely animated by love of You,
Help us begin to live a holy life,
with a burning love and zeal for the salvation of our
neighbors.**

**Make us more gentle, more calm,
more nurturing and strong.**

**Remind us of Your gentle goodwill, O Lord.
May we never be severe or harsh.
May we see in everyone, a child whom You have
created and
redeemed with the most precious blood of Your Son.
Teach us to know that You value kindness,
that love is the best way to attract people to You.
May we always help others to taste and see
the sweetness and gentleness of Your love.**

**Let us bear every hardship
for the love of You and the salvation of souls.
In our trials, may we know that we are loved as Your
own children.**

**To a willing heart all is sweet,
so grant us love and patience, and
conform us always to Your will, O God.**

**We entrust ourselves to the
Ever-Immaculate Queen Mary
and say with the Angel, Hail Mary.**

*— Compiled by Most Reverend José H. Gomez,
Archbishop of Los Angeles
July 1, 2020*

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL

Our world is hurting. We all need healing, yet many of us are separated from the very source of our strength. Jesus Christ invites us to return to the source and summit of our faith—his Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist. Visit website for more resources: <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/>

CONGRATULATIONS

6/26 Baptism:

Alessandra Mila Martinez

Wedding Anniversaries for the Month:

Rey & Marina Nufable 7/15 (33yrs)



Email us Names, year you're celebrating, along with your Wedding Anniversary date to: church@stbarnabaslb.org

OUR BELOVED PARISHIONER

+GERRY JOHNSTON

Our beloved friend and long-time Parishioner of St. Barnabas has passed away...

July 14, 2022

Rosary for the soul of

Gerry Johnston

6:00pm— Church

July 15, 2022

Funeral Mass for Gerry Johnston

11:00am—Church

Reception to follow at the Parish Hall



3-DAY WOMEN'S RETREAT

SACRED HEART RETREAT HOUSE

3-Day Women's Retreat (Alhambra, CA)

September 16, 17 & 18, 2022

Retreat Master: Fr. Timothy Reid

This Classic Women's Retreat begins on Friday evening and goes into Sunday mid-morning. It is led by a priest retreat master speaking at five conferences and he will also be available for confession. Meanwhile the Carmelite Sisters will lead prayers such as Night Prayer, meditative reflection periods, and the Rosary. All periods between activities will maintain a silent environment intended to support your interior intimacy with Jesus while mealtime conferences help supplement conference material. **Register online now, or call Eva Talastas: 562-428-7194/562-818-9541 or Barbara Florida: 562-423-1278/562-208-7045**

Registration Costs: (limited rooms available, hurry!)

Private Room / Private Bath: \$349

Semi-Private Room: \$320

Double Room: \$249

Suite: \$290

Sacred Heart  Retreat House

<https://sacredheartretreathouse.com/events/091622-onsite>

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KNIGHTS KORNER

The Judge Walter Desmond Council #3449 of the Knights of Columbus is happy to announce the officers for the coming year.

Grand Knight: Greg Czopek, Deputy Grand Knight: Reggie Villegas, Chancellor: Dave Sanders, Recorder: Bill Mueller, Treasurer: Juan Ovalle, Advocate: Bob Kalowes, Warden: James Teahan, Inside Guard: Alex Turla, Outside Guard: Manny Magallanes, Financial Secretary: Dr. Ben Sy, Lector: Alden Hutchinson and Trustees: Joe Ahle, Ray Barnum and June Tadique. We are also pleased to announce that our Pastor, Father Antony, has accepted our request as Council Chaplain.



Photo above: The Knights of Columbus Council presents a \$1500.00 check to Father Antony from profits from the Annual Fish Fry. Left to Right, Past Grand Knight David Ameho, Immediate Past Grand Knight Joe Ahle, Father Antony, and Grand Knight Greg Czopek.

In order to define some of the positions within the Knights we offer this short version of their responsibilities: The Grand Knight is the leader of the Council and runs all of the meetings, the Deputy Grand Knight fills in for the Grand Knight in his absence, the Chancellor is responsible for recruiting new members, the Recorder records all of the minutes of the meetings, the Treasurer is responsible for all of the financial transactions, the Advocate is responsible for the legal issues and meeting protocol, the Warden is responsible for meeting security along with the guards, the Financial Secretary is the Council Administrator, appointed by the national council, the Lector leads prayers at the meetings in lieu of the Chaplain and the Trustees are Past Grand Knights responsible for authorizing financial transactions and elections. The Chaplain is our spiritual guide and our advisor on many issues.

Please visit: www.youtube.com/stbarnabaschurchlongbeach

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, who in the abasement of your Son
have raised up a fallen world,
fill your faithful with holy joy,
for on those you have rescued from slavery to sin
you bestow eternal gladness.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

WEEKLY REFLECTION

GOOD NEWS IS ON THE WAY

This week, in the midst of summer, the scriptures greet us with joy, peace, mercy, and more peace! Sounds a little like Advent, doesn't it? We often associate the prophet Isaiah with that preparatory season, and our first reading rings with such words as exult, comfort, and rejoice. The Israelites had reason to rejoice, for they had returned, come home, to a rebuilt Jerusalem from their exile in Babylon. In the Gospel, the seventy-two disciples who were sent out have their own "homecoming," returning to Jesus from spreading the Good News of the Kingdom and preparing people for the "advent" of Jesus into their cities and towns on his long road to Jerusalem. Like the exiles in Isaiah, the disciples return rejoicing.

The Good News, the Kingdom of God, is coming, even in summer. As today's psalm reminds us, "Shout joyfully to God, all the earth!"

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REFLECTION QUESTION:

Do those around me see in me the joy of someone who has been rescued from sin?

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: Independence Day
Tuesday: St. Anthony Zaccaria;
St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Wednesday: St. Maria Goretti
Saturday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions;
Blessed Virgin Mary

Dear Padre

July 3, 2022

Why should I have my baby baptized?

Some parents pondering baptism say a child should mature first, then choose his or her religion. Yet, parents make many choices for their children—including name, diet, bedtime, and education. To forgo baptism means to choose a nonreligious outlook on life for your child. Indeed, objection to baptism can be a veiled statement about the parents' disregard for religion.

Baptism confers many benefits. First, it cleanses the soul of original sin. Scripture says Adam and Eve relinquished their God-centeredness, instead adopting a self-centered attitude. They thought of themselves as the center of the universe. Such self-delusion is the origin of all sins. Baptism reverses this, with God telling the child he is loved and regarding him like his own Son, Jesus. Baptismal waters immerse the child into the depths of God's love.

Second, baptism begins a new life of loving response to God's love. Of course, infants don't understand this during baptism. Children learn it from religious training and their parents' example. The sacraments aid us in living this life of love, especially the Eucharist in which Christ comes to us as bread and wine to nourish us with his love. As parents give a child her very existence, through baptism they set her on course toward eternal life.

Finally, baptism makes the recipient a member of Christ's body, the Church. The child, along with other Church members and guided by ordained pastors, will speak for Christ in society. What parent doesn't want the best for his or her child? Through baptism, God also wants the best for them.

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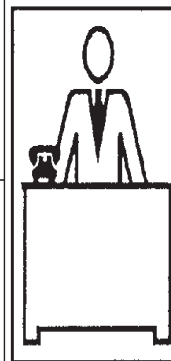
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