

# *St. Angela Merici*

Catholic Church

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*We, the family of St. Angela Merici Catholic Church, welcome all to our parish of spirit-filled worship. We celebrate our love for Jesus and our diversity through faith formation, evangelization and service.*

## *The Pastoral Ministry*

Rev. David Klunk

Administrator

Rev. Francis Ng

Parochial Vicar

Deacon Benjamin Flores

Deacon Mike Shaffer

Deacons

Rev. Dan Mc Sweeney

Sunday Ministry

## *Celebration of the Eucharist*

Monday-Friday

6:30 am & 8:00 am

Saturday

8:00 am & 5:00 pm Vigil,

Sunday

7:45 am, 9:30 am, 11:15 am

12:45 Spanish,

5:00 pm

## *Adoration Chapel*

Monday-Saturday

9:00 am - 12:00 midnight

## *Sacrament of*

*Reconciliation*

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Or by Appointment

## *Office Hours*

Monday - Friday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm

Monday - Thursday

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday

8:30 am - 12:00 Noon



**THE SEVENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

**FEBRUARY 24, 2019**



## Reflection

The challenge of the true discipleship of Christ is that as Christians we are expected to treat others well or avoid hurting them. We respect and do good to others. It seems easy enough from our perspective, but what if we are the “beneficiaries” of evil deeds by others or are the object of their persecution and violence?

It is rather “easy” to be Christian until violence or evil is done to us. The Gospel however, challenges us at the very root of our understanding of what it means to be Jesus’ followers. Jesus commands, “Arise and Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you”, we are to lend without expecting payment; if struck on the cheek, we are to offer the other.

Why are we not permitted to hate those who hate us, expect payment from those who have borrowed from us, and retaliate when harms is done to us? Because the Father is like that, Jesus says. God is good to everyone, good and bad alike God is merciful to all, the kind and merciless alike. We are to act against our natural wishes and imitate our divine and loving Father in heaven.

This Gospel always reminds me of when I first went to Cursillo and I was so fired up for the Lord. To my dismay one of my co-workers used to make life so heavy for me and so that was my first trial. I asked the Lord “how can you want me to pray for this person, who is so bad”? It was a process for me to learn what God wanted me to do; Love everyone, respect everyone, and show Mercy, patience, kindness and care. There’s no way out, we need to pray for them love them and respect them.

Jesus says that if we love only those who love us, lend only to those who can repay us, or take revenge on those who hurt us, we are no better than unbelievers who do the same. Jesus expects us to act differently or in accord with who we are: children of God who are loved despite our unfaithfulness and wrong doing. We Christians are to live as children of the light.

This is the heart of Christianity: to love even when we are hated, as Jesus has shown us. Admittedly this is very difficult for most of us, especially when we are gravely wronged and we have done nothing to deserve it. Through this our hearts are conformed to the heart of Jesus.

Do we have enemies whom we find very hard to forgive? Are our hearts open to receive God’s grace so we can eventually forgive and love them? As human beings we are often caught up in the question of fairness .We want to be fair to our children, our students, our employees, our neighbors...and we want others to be fair to us. In the Gospel today Jesus tells us to love without limit, to go beyond being fair for “if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you?” As Christians we are called to radically trust in the power of love beyond what is fair. Amen.

Deacon Ben Flores

# Lenten Mission

*St. Angela Merici Parish Mission*

**Welcomes**

**Armando Cervantes**

**Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries for the Diocese of Orange**



*Join us for our Parish Mission*

**“Journey of Discovery”**

*Daily Sessions*

Monday, March 11, 7:00pm

Hospitality 8:00-8:30pm

Tuesday, March 12, 7:00pm

Hospitality 8:00-8:30pm

Wednesday, March 13

Hospitality at 6:30pm, Talk to follow at 7:00pm

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday Mornings

8:30 Hospitality, Talk at 9:00am

*Bring a friend!*

# Lent

## **March 6, Ash Wednesday**

6:30am Mass, 8:00am Mass, 10:30am Service (School), 12:00 Service, 4:00pm Service,  
5:30pm Mass and 7:30pm Mass Spanish

**\* Thursday, March 7, 6:30 & 8:00am, ADDITIONAL MASS, 6:00pm**

## **Friday, March 8**

Stations of the Cross, 1:45 pm (School), 6:00pm and 7:00pm Spanish  
Fish Fry every Friday during Lent 5:30pm

## **Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, March 11, 12 & 13**

Parish Mission "Journey to Discovery" Talks at 9:00am and 7:00pm Daily (See Mission Page for details)

**\*Thursday, March 14, 6:30 & 8:00am, ADDITIONAL MASS, 6:00pm**

## **Friday, March 15**

Stations of the Cross, 1:45pm (School), 6:00 pm and 7:00pm Spanish  
Fish Fry every Friday during Lent 5:30pm

**\*Thursday, March 21, 6:30 & 8:00am, ADDITIONAL MASS, 6:00pm**

## **Friday, March 22**

Stations of the Cross, 6:00pm and 7:00pm Spanish  
Fish Fry every Friday during Lent 5:30pm

**\*Thursday, March 28, 6:30 & 8:00am, ADDITIONAL MASS, 6:00pm**

## **Friday, March 29**

Stations of the Cross, 1:45 pm (School), 6:00pm and 7:00pm Spanish  
Fish Fry every Friday during Lent 5:30pm

## **Saturday, March 30**

School Family Mass 5:00pm

## **Monday, April 1**

Individual Confessions 9:00am School  
Penance Service 7:00pm

**\*Thursday, April 4, 6:30 & 8:00am, ADDITIONAL MASS, 6:00pm**

## **Friday, April 5**

Stations of the Cross, 1:45pm (School) 6:00pm and 7:00pm Spanish  
Fish Fry every Friday during Lent 5:30pm

**\*Thursday, April 11, 6:30 & 8:00am, ADDITIONAL MASS, 6:00pm**

## **Friday, April 12**

Stations of the Cross, 1:45pm (School) 6:00pm and 7:00pm Spanish  
Fish Fry every Friday during Lent 5:30pm

## **Saturday/Sunday, April 13 and 14**

Passion (Palm) Sunday

Blessing, Procession and Distribution of Palms at all Masses  
Domingo de Ramos (Pasión)

Bendición, Procesión de Palmas en todas las Eucaristias

Saturday, 5:00pm Vigil, 7:45am, 9:30am, 11:15am, 12:45pm Spanish and 5:00pm

## **GREAT NEWS!!!**

**We ALL will have the opportunity to celebrate MASS MORE OFTEN!!!**

**How you ask????**

**AT OUR NEW EVENING MASS!!**

**CAN YOU BELIEVE IT??**

**IT'S TRUE!!**

**Starting Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM,**

**St. Angela Merici Church will have a weekly evening Mass!! Woohoo!**

**What a wonderful way to start off this Lenten season!**

**Jesus will be there, hope you will be too!!**



### **Come Experience a Powerful Evening of healing and worship!**

**Bishop David G. O'Connell**

has graciously accepted an invitation to an evening healing mass here at St. Angela's, **tomorrow Feb. 25** at 7:15 pm. Bishop O'Connell was born in Ireland and ordained at All Hallows College, Dublin, in 1979 for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. He was consecrated by the Archbishop of Los Angeles, Jose Gomez, on September 8, 2015. His Episcopal motto, "Jesus I Trust in You," reflects his desire to bring a new springtime of mercy and compassion into the world.

### **Apologetics for beginners - "How to defend the Pope."**

We will learn what the Church teaches about the anti-Christ and how to answer accusations from some fundamentalists that the Pope is the anti-Christ. How to answer the charge that Vicarius Filii Dei adds up to 666 in Latin. Is this an official title of the Pope?

Visit our YouTube channel "catholic apologetics for beginners" and click to subscribe.

Join us on Wednesday, Feb 27<sup>th</sup> in the St. Paul room from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm call or text:

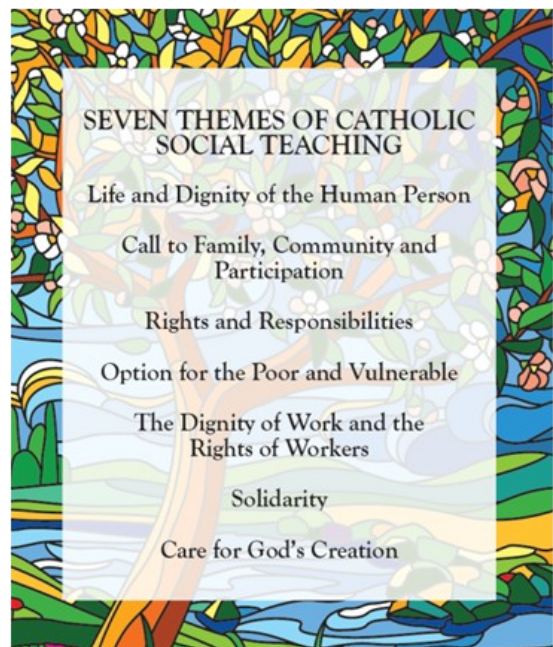
**Steve Allevato @ 714/746-3677 for more info.**

### **St. Angela School and Youth Ignite Social Justice**

Invite you to SET AN EXAMPLE...

***Treat everyone with kindness and respect, even those who are rude to you—not just because they are nice, but because YOU ARE.***—Angelique (St. Angela Merici School)

If someone is rude or mean, still treat them with the same respect you give someone who is kind to you, not because they are kind but because you are the bigger person. If you spread kindness and respect to others than others see your example and pass it on.



# Community

## American Red Cross/ St. Angela Merici Blood Drive Today

**Sunday February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019, Parish Hall 8:30am- 2:20pm**

From Your  
Heart.....



To someone  
in need...

*Thank you to all that have signed up to donate. Please stop by the hall today **no appointment is necessary** walk-ins are welcome.*



On behalf of Knights of Columbus Council 9511 we extend our heartfelt thanks for your generosity in donating to our annual drive for people with intellectual disabilities. Thanks to your kindness and generosity we raised over \$7400.00 on the weekend of February 16-17, 2019. Proceeds will go to support a variety of state-wide programs dedicated to improving the quality of life for people with intellectual disabilities, such as Camp ReCreation, Special Olympic, Day of Sharing, and Knight to Remember Dinner Dance. Thanks again and God bless.

### ***How are we doing?*** **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

<i>Weekly Income Goal</i>	<i>Income Received</i>
<b>\$ 24,593.00</b>	<b>\$ 20,540.00</b>

***Thank you for your contribution!!!***

### **Beware of Email Scams!**

Unfortunately, Fr. Dave's name was used in an email scam this past week. If you received an email that proposed it was Fr. Dave asking for money or itune cards, please disregard the email. It is a scam!

### **Pastoral Services Appeal**

Through the Pastoral Services Appeal we are supporting the mission of the Diocese of Orange as well as our Parish Church. PSA provides an opportunity for us to join together as one church family in realizing our goals as well as join with Catholics throughout the Diocese of Orange to support ministries and services that benefit our own parish as well as people all over Orange County. In the weeks ahead we will hear from Fr. Dave who will ask us to consider how we can respond to this call to carry on with the work of Christ in our community.

# Family Mass

The School Open House was a great success...and the Church was packed to capacity. A big "THANKS" to Mrs. Tapia and our awesome school staff who made the day so wonderful.

Upcoming School Masses will be Saturday, March 30th at 5:00 pm and Easter Sunday, April 21st at 9:30. Mark your calendars and join us!



# Faith Formation

## Adult Faith Formation



Parents do you have a child preparing for First Communion and need to attend an AFF event/class? Here are some upcoming opportunities:  
Sessions are held in **St. Paul Room**.



**Sunday, February 24, 2019 @ 10:45AM-12:30PM**

Topic: The People of God, The Early Church, Church History

**Sunday, March 3, 2019 @ 9:00AM-10:30AM**

Topic: Sin and Living Lent

**Sunday, March 10, 2019 @ 10:45AM-12:30PM**

Topic: The Ten Commandments (1-3)

**For more information or to RSVP for one of the above dates please contact: Andrea Draper at 714/529-1821 ext. 136 OR [amd.stangela@gmail.com](mailto:amd.stangela@gmail.com)**



### Ignite Ministry Events

Ignite Ministries would like to invite any high school youth interested in deepening their relationship with God to come to our **Youth Night - every Thursday at 7 pm** in the Youth Room. Come spend a fun night with friends!

### Steubenville!!

Steubenville Sign-ups are open! Steubenville is an amazing weekend youth conference filled with wonderful speakers, great music and inspiring presentations! Send your high school students and they'll come back madly in love with God! Featuring Fr. Mike Schmitz!!!

Event Date: July 26-28

Cost: \$300 - must place down payment of \$75 in order to be placed on list, there will be fundraising opportunities to defray the cost, dependent on student's participation in fundraisers

"See what love the Father has bestowed on us, that we may be called children of God." -1 John 3:1

### Confirmation

Don't forget Confirmation 1 retreat is Sunday, March 10th in the hall at 9am-6pm. We hope to see ALL C-1 students there!! Parents join us for 5 pm Mass!

**Fall Confirmation 1** - The next class will be Wednesday, **March 13** from **7:15-8:45 pm** in Olson Hall. If you missed the Orientation on September 9, email Danny Serna at [samconfirmation@gmail.com](mailto:samconfirmation@gmail.com) to collect the information, especially the calendar.

See you soon!

**Confirmation 2** - If you have any questions regarding the Confirmation program, please contact **Danny at (714) 529-1821 x117**.

### RCIYA-Young Adult Faith Formation

If you are a young adult (18-26) and would like to receive your sacraments please call **Shannon at (714) 529-1821 x115**.

### RCIT

If you are a high school teen who has not been Baptized or received First Communion and would like to receive your sacraments please call Shannon at (714) 529-1821 x115.



# Liturgy and Worship

**St. Angela Merici Community extends its prayers and care for the following intentions:**

*The Sick, Homebound, and those in Skilled Nursing Facilities:*

**Antonia Beltran, Rosario Juarez Cortez, Albert Berardi, Donna Hanna, Sharon Bravo, Lynette, Dustin & Troy Barrett.**

*The Deceased of our Community:*

**Salvador Duran Moreno, Consuelo Gamez, Guillermina de Gaxiola, Carlos Alvarado, Kathleen Dodge, Soledad Serna, Jack Harris and Sue Schuler.**

## **Our Community Eucharist Intentions for the Week**

### **Monday 02/25**

6:30 AM Ahmed Nacpil (D)  
8:00 AM Darlene Chavira (L)

### **Tuesday 02/26**

6:30 AM Ann Campbell (L)  
8:00 AM AM PALS Petitions

### **Wednesday 02/27**

6:30 AM Martha Barrios (D)  
8:00 AM Jeanine Morand (L)

### **Thursday 02/28**

6:30 AM Douglas Arentz (D)  
8:00 AM Bill Holbrow (D)

### **Friday 03/01**

6:30 AM Doris Dinsmore (D)  
8:00 AM Edmon Pascual (D)

### **Saturday 03/02**

8:00 AM Cezar Estrada (D)  
5:00 PM Ariana Espinoza (L)

### **Sunday 03/03**

7:45 AM The Clements Family (L)  
9:30 AM Linda Williamson (D)  
11:15 AM Sam Sanguedolce (D)  
12:45 PM Jose Segura (D)  
5:00 PM The Community of St. Angela

## **Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy**

Join us Monday - Saturday, in Church following the 8:00 AM Mass.

## **Connecting - Welcome!**

### **New? Visiting? Interested?**

Are you visiting for the first time? Are you interested in knowing more about the ministries and activities at Saint Angela Merici Parish and School? Please check our Parish and School Website: **[www.stangelabreachurch.org](http://www.stangelabreachurch.org)**.

### **Register!**

Are you a Catholic or non-Catholic attending Eucharist at Saint Angela Merici, but have not registered? Join us!

### **Why Register?**

Saint Angela Merici is a vibrant parish offering many avenues for ministry. Connecting with other parishioners and personal as well as community spiritual growth opportunities. We would love to get to know you and talk to you about our various activities, groups, and events at our parish and school. Please pick up a Registration Form by the Baptismal Font or go online to register at [www.stangelabreachurch.org](http://www.stangelabreachurch.org). We look forward to connecting with you!



# An Invitation to Ministry

<b>29th Evening Adoration:</b>	
Spanish Ministries	(714)529-1821 x 134
<b>Active Christians Today (A.C.T.):</b>	
Maria Fulton, Coordinator	(714)529-6776 x 142
Yarmniz Garcia	(714)529-6776 x 144
<b>Adoration Ministry:</b>	
Dave Engels	(714)992-1306
<b>Administrative Assistant / SP-Weddings</b>	
Ana Rodriguez	(714)529-1821 x 110
<b>Adult Faith Formation &amp; RCIA</b>	
Andrea Draper	(714)529-1821 x 136
<b>Altar Server Ministry:</b>	
Amy Hinz	(562)253-8901
<b>Audio / Visual Ministry:</b>	
Ron Sled	(714)803-1224
<b>Baptism Preparation:</b>	
Andrea Draper - English	(714)529-1821 x 136
Jose Lopez - Spanish	(562)640-7194
Susie Beas	(714)356-5004
<b>Bereavement Support Group:</b>	
Mike & Rachel Schafer	(714)309-2933
<b>Bible Study:</b>	
Andrea Draper	(714)529-1821 x 136
<b>Bodas Comunitarias:</b>	
Deacon Benjamin Flores	(714)240-1289
<b>Boy Scouts :</b>	
Paul Hinz	(562)253-8902
<b>Bread of Angels Ministry (Saturday Hospitality):</b>	
Bob Duffy	(714)871-0218
<b>Centering Prayer</b>	
Terry Saenz	(657)278-3823
<b>Children's Faith Formation/ High School RCIA:</b>	
Leticia Garcia	(714)529-1821 x134
<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word:</b>	
Nita Causey	(714)321-2925
Debbie Kistler	(714)743-2978
<b>Church Sacristan Ministry:</b>	
Rebeca Rodriguez	(714)256-0638
Carolyn Lamka	(714)441-1278
Gloria Pena	(714)879-0639
Chrissy Spittell	(714)529-8893
<b>Confirmation Faith Formation:</b>	
Danny Serna	(714)529-1821 x 117
<b>Ministerio Hispano - (Spanish Worship) :</b>	
Leticia Garcia	(714)529-1821 x 134
<b>Coros Unidos:</b>	
Rafael Bucio	(714)529-1821
<b>Cub Scouts:</b>	
Greg Marick	(714)317-6060
<b>CFC Family Ministry</b>	
John Siazon	(714)397-2275
Felicia Siazon	(714)858-6277
<b>Cursillo:</b>	
Dave Engels	(714)992-1306
<b>Ejercito Azul (Spanish Rosary):</b>	
Lola Flores	(562)694-5878
<b>Emergency Resource Response Ministry:</b>	
George Ullrich	(714)267-6132
<b>Empezar de Nuevo</b>	
Carmela Gutierrez	(714)770-7770
<b>Encuentro Matrimonial:</b>	
Guillermo & Rosaelia Martinez	(562)697-1321
<b>Environment:</b>	
Irma Gonzalez	(714)612-2853
Dinora Cardenas	(562)500-7000
Corina Pineda	(562)972-2165
<b>Evangelization / Apologetics</b>	
Steve Allevato	(714)746-3677
<b>Facilities - Master Calendar:</b>	
Ana Rodriguez	(714)529-1821 x. 113
<b>Finance:</b>	
Luz Mendez	(714)529-1821 x. 111
<b>Formación de Fe para Niños:</b>	
Leticia Garcia	(714)529-1821 x 134
<b>Girl Scouts:</b>	
Emma Valadez	((714)920-2982
<b>Guerreros de Yahve:</b>	
Eloy Cabrera	(562)340-3599
<b>Grupo de Oración:</b>	
John Garcia	(714)529-1592
<b>Healing Eucharist / Charismatic Prayer Group:</b>	
Jude Catania	(714)525-8539
<b>Ignite Advisor:</b>	
Kelly Spies	(714)529-1821 x 169
<b>Eucaristía de Jóvenes</b>	
Sonia Villanueva	(562)612-5622
<b>Junior High Faith Formation</b>	
Lety Garcia	(714)529-1821 x 147
<b>Knights of Columbus:</b>	
Hector Morales	(714)397-3781
<b>Las Posadas:</b>	
Gloria Wade	(714)529-5513
<b>Lectors &amp; Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	
Steve Allevato	(714)746-3677
<b>Liturgy Planning:</b>	
Deacon Mike Schafer	(714)309-2933
<b>Marian Rosary / Sacred Heart Hour :</b>	
Joan Hosek	(714)983-7560
<b>Marriage Encounter:</b>	
John & Maggie Lee	(714)873-5136
<b>Men's Group:</b>	
John Cushing - Fellowship	(714)213-1953
<b>Ministerio de Hospitalidad:</b>	
Tano Gonzales	(714)737-5653
<b>Ministerio Liturgico</b>	
Maria Figueroa	(714)255-8365
<b>Monaguillos / Grupo Mikael:</b>	
Jose & Teresa Macias	(714)255-0928
<b>Music Ministry:</b>	
	(714)529-1821
<b>Parish Life:</b>	
Sue de Grasse	(714)529-1821 x 126
<b>Parish Bulletin:</b>	
Bulletin.stangela@gmail.com	
<b>Parish Website &amp; Parish Apps:</b>	
webmaster@stangelabreachurch.org	
<b>Pastoral Council:</b>	
Nick Pulone	(714)674-0650
<b>Quinceañeras:</b>	
Ana Rodriguez	(714)529-1821 x 110
<b>Restorative Justice (Detention Ministries):</b>	
Jan Urban	(714)423-5802
<b>Sagrada Familia:</b>	
Jesus Flores	(562)753-4659
<b>Parish School (Principal):</b>	
Juliana Tapia	(714)529-6372
<b>Sick, Elderly, &amp; Homebound:</b>	
Bob Lanphar	(714)809-8753
<b>Social Justice:</b>	
Dena Lordi	zb18@alumni.nd.edu
<b>Spiritual Director</b>	
Mrs. Ceci Witche, OP	(714)745-6117
<b>Stewardship / Travel Club</b>	
Gene Passafiume	(714)524-2874
<b>Ushers:</b>	
Rick Ritter	(714)310-6492
<b>Virgen Peregrina:</b>	
Rebeca Rodriguez	(714)256-0638
<b>Weddings:</b>	
Gloria Knapp	(714)990-2483
Yolanda Orozco	(323)350-4310
<b>Welcome, Fellowship &amp; Hospitality:</b>	
Parish Center Office	(714)529-1821
<b>Women's Group P.A.L.S.:</b>	
Darlene Chavira - AM	(714)928-0421
Donna Schafer - PM	(714)990-8414
<b>Young Adults RCIA - Spanish:</b>	
	(714)529-1829 x134
<b>Youth, Young Adult, Jr. Hgh &amp; S.A.M. School:</b>	
Shannon Trott	(714)529-1821 x 115
<b>Youth High School RCIA- English:</b>	
Shannon Trott	(562)217-5239

# **LASER-COM COVER SHEET**

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**REQUESTS & COMMENTS:**

**ATTENTION:**

**For any concerned issue please call Noel Ross at 949-922-6450 or email: [bulletin.stangela@gmail.com](mailto:bulletin.stangela@gmail.com).**

**Thank you.**