

# St. Angela Merici

Catholic Church

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**Saint Angela Merici A Stewardship Parish**

## *The Pastoral Ministry*

**Rev. Michael-Dwight**  
*Pastor*

**Rev. Loc Tran**  
*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-Friday

9:00 am - 12:00 midnight

## *Sacrament of Reconciliation*

Saturday 3:30 pm or  
by Appointment

## *Office Hours*

Monday - Thursday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Friday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm

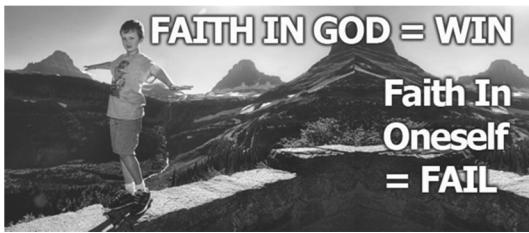
Saturday & Sunday

8:30 am - 12:00 Noon



**THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF THE  
LITURGICAL YEAR**  
**OCTOBER OBSERVANCE OF THE  
YEAR OF MERCY-DIGNITY OF LIFE**  
**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

**OCTOBER 23, 2016**



## Reflection

Can any of us ever imagine saying in prayer: ... O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity --- greedy, dishonest, adulterous --- or even like other persons (Luke 18)?

It is almost embarrassing to be privy to someone's personal prayer especially when the words offered to God are so self-righteous. To the story's credit, it does not say that the Pharisee boasted about himself to others. The Gospel states ... he took up his position in the temple area and spoke his prayer (Luke 18). He certainly was not going to make the mistake of "revealing" this true self to others, but his thoughts and prayers betrayed his outward appearance of someone who lived without a blemish or wrinkle and was somehow a cut above everyone else!

Very often we are careful about what we say to others and how we say it, but it is what lies "within" that testifies to the truth about ourselves. We can manage almost every part of our behavior, but when it comes to our thoughts it seems we are continually out of control. We catch ourselves thinking things about others and situations, and rationalize that we "simply cannot help ourselves," but the truth is we can! Perhaps the truth of our inappropriate judgments like the Pharisee arises out of our inability of seeing ourselves as we truly are and our misjudgments of others deflect our own personal conviction. We scrutinize people. We criticize situations. We look at this or that circumstance and make judgments using ourselves as the criteria or the canvas in which we become the arbitrator of relegating others to their place in life.

Unfortunately, our failure to recognize that we exhibit these types of thoughts are akin to the Pharisee and speaks volumes about our faith. No matter how much we think we are religiously faithful, it is of no consequence when we fail to control our internal judgments which only serve to testify to our faith in ourselves rather than in God. Both the Pharisee and the tax collector have faith. They believed! They were faithful, but the only difference was that the Pharisee had faith in himself. He came to the temple not to praise God, but to praise his own self-righteousness ... I fast twice a week, I am not dishonest, I am not adulterous (Luke 18), where as, the sinner simply acknowledged and embraced who he was. He let the chips fall squarely on himself and not on anyone else: ... O God, be merciful to me a sinner ... (Luke 18). There is no room for masks or disguises when it comes to God. We can always trick ourselves and others into thinking we are something we are not, but how can we believe we can ever fool God? When we allow ourselves to "get out of control" with our internal judgments it only substantiates our own self righteousness and our lack of faith in God.

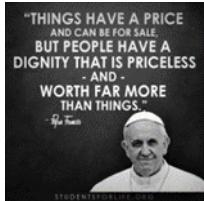
Faith solely centered on our own righteousness tries to desperately and fanatically attempt to cover up our own weakness under the veneer of good deeds and the perceptions we have created about others and beliefs that God loves us because we are good; while faith in God believes that we are good because God loves us. Faith is the core of today's episode. The question is with whom does our faith rest. Do we like the Pharisee take up our position and speak our prayer about ourselves or are we like the tax collector who stands at a distance not even raising our eyes to heaven, beating our breast and praying ... O God, be merciful to me a sinner (Luke 18). An honest examination of our judgments will give us the answer of where we stand in the temple and whether our faith rests with ourselves or with God.



The Year of Mercy

Into the Heart of Mercy

# Year of Mercy-Dignity of Life



The Holy Father often calls a culture of waste or a throwaway even goes so far as to see and treat human life as disposable. The elderly are marginalized and the lives of person with disabilities are deemed less worth living. The fundamental truth that the inalienable worth of a human being transcends his or her degree of development is forgotten leading to the destruction of unwanted babies in the womb and experimentation on embryonic children in the lab. Since everything is interrelated, concern for the protection of nature is also incompatible with the justification for abortion. How can we genuinely teach the importance of concern for other vulnerable beings, however troublesome or inconvenient they may be if we fail to protect a human embryo even when its presence is uncomfortable and creates difficulties? If social sensitivity toward the acceptance of new life is lost, then other forms of acceptance are valuable for society also wither away. (Excerpts from Pope Francis' Encyclical Laudato Si care for Our Common Home)



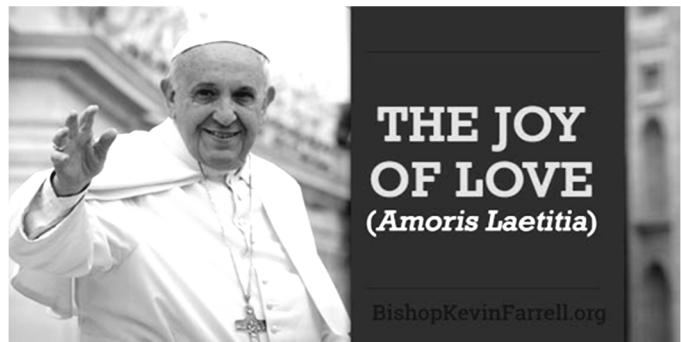
**Alzheimer's disease** is an irreversible, progressive brain disorder that slowly destroys memory and thinking skills, and eventually the ability to carry out the simplest tasks. In most people with Alzheimer's, symptoms first appear in their mid-60s. Estimates vary, but experts suggest that more than 5 million Americans may have Alzheimer's. If you or a loved one has received a diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease, you may be feeling overwhelmed. You and your family will need time for the diagnosis to sink in and to prepare emotionally, financially, and practically for this progressive and terminal disease. This is a difficult time, but it's helpful to know about the condition once a formal diagnosis has been made. Many people with Alzheimer's feel a sense of relief when the news or understanding of their condition is finally out in the open. Gathering more information can help relieve your anxiety and stress. Learning, knowing what to expect, and sharing thoughts and information with loved ones, others who have the disease and professionals can help you feel more in control and better able to take advantage of current treatments and assistance.



## Anointing of the Sick

Today we celebrate October's Mercy Sunday – *The Dignity of Life*. We support the dignity that human life holds in every stage and acknowledge that all of us experience brokenness, hurt, injury, or are suffering and in need of the healing power of God. After all Eucharists this weekend, the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated. Please come forward after mass and be anointed with the Oil of the Sick and experience the healing power of God offered to us in Jesus Christ.

Pope Francis' document: *Amoris Laetitia* – The Joy of Love will be presented in a series each week during the Year of Mercy. It is an easy-reading document and inspires us to become a People of Mercy. We are presenting *The Joy of Love* in its original English translation without commentary as an avenue of reflection and prayer during this Liturgical Year of Mercy.



The Twenty-Third in the Series

### **The Love of a Mother and a Father**

"Children, once born, begin to receive, along with nourishment and care, the spiritual gift of knowing with certainty that they are loved. This love is shown to them through the gift of their personal name, the sharing of language, looks of love and the brightness of a smile. In this way, they learn that the beauty of human relationships touches our soul, seeks our freedom, accepts the difference of others, recognizes and respects them as a partner in dialogue... Such is love, and it contains a spark of God's love!" Every child has a right to receive love from a mother and a father; both are necessary for a child's integral and harmonious development. Respecting a child's dignity means affirming his or her need and natural right to have a mother and a father." We are speaking not simply of the love of father and mother as individuals, but also of their mutual love, perceived as the source of one's life and the solid foundation of the family. Without this, a child could become a mere plaything.

Husband and wife, father and mother, both "cooperate with the love of God the Creator, and are, in a certain sense, his interpreters." They show their children the maternal and paternal face of the Lord. Together they teach the value of reciprocity, of respect for differences and of being able to give and take. If for some inevitable reason one parent should be lacking, it is important to compensate for this loss, for the sake of the child's healthy growth to maturity. The sense of being orphaned that affects many children and young people today is much deeper than we think. Nowadays we acknowledge as legitimate and indeed desirable that and have personal goals. At the same time, we cannot ignore the need that children have for a mother's presence, especially in the first months of life. The weakening of this maternal presence with its feminine qualities poses a grave risk to our world. I certainly value feminism, but one that does not demand uniformity or negate motherhood.

We often hear that ours is "a society without fathers." In Western culture, the father figure is said to be symbolically absent, missing or vanished. In our day, the problem no longer seems to be the overbearing presence of the father so much as his absence, his not being there. Fathers are often so caught up in themselves and their work, and at times in their own self-fulfillment, that they neglect their families. They leave the little ones and the young to themselves." The presence of the father, and hence his authority, is also impacted by the amount of time given over to the communications and entertainment media. Nowadays authority is often considered suspect and adults treated with impertinence. They themselves become uncertain and so fail to offer sure and solid guidance to their children. To be a father who is always present. When I say 'present,' I do not mean 'controlling'. Fathers who are too controlling overshadow their children, they don't let them develop." Some fathers feel they are useless or unnecessary, but the fact is that "children need to find a father waiting for them when they return home with their problems. They may try hard not to admit it, not to show it, but they need it." It is not good for children to lack a father and to grow up before they are ready.

# Pastoral Services Appeal Acknowledgement

Thank you for your continued support of our PSA campaign. Through your generosity we have pledged \$94,251 only \$6,749 to reach our goal of \$101,000. If you have not donated yet, now is the time. Once we reach our goal, all monies collected are rebated directly back to St. Angela Merici. Think about it, pray about it.

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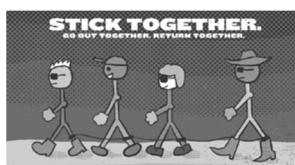




# Parish Life

## Mass Buddies

Are you visiting for the first time, thinking of becoming a Catholic or know someone who cannot come to mass because they cannot drive? Are you new to Saint Angela Merici? Wish you knew someone to sit next to in the pew and not feel like a stranger or alone? Maybe you are new to the Catholic faith and wish you knew the reason why certain prayers are said or what the rituals mean or maybe you are unsure when to stand, sit, or kneel. Mass Buddies is a ministry that will partner parishioners who attend a particular mass-time with those who cannot drive and arrange a "ride-share" to mass or pair you up with a "buddy" before mass to introduce you to other parishioners or sit with you at mass to answer any questions. **CONTACT YOUR BUDDY: Jeff Draper @ 714/981-5967 if you can be a buddy to a parishioner or if you need a buddy!** There is also information by the Baptismal Font.



## Father Dan's Fiftieth Anniversary October 2<sup>nd</sup> at the 7:45 AM Eucharist



I want to express my appreciation and thanks to Father Michael and the Community of Saint Angela Merici for the wonderful celebration on the occasion of my Fiftieth Year to the Priesthood!

I realize there were many people involved with the preparation of the mass and the reception giving their time and effort to make this a special day for me at Saint Angela. Thank you for all your efforts! I am also very grateful to all of you who attended the 7:45 AM mass on October 2<sup>nd</sup>. Your presence and support means a lot to me. As you know I have been at Saint Angela Merici for many years going all the way back to Monsignor Emmet McCarthy, the Founding Pastor, and it has been a tremendous gift from God to share with you for all these years. I thank the Lord for bringing me into your lives and you into my life.

The naming of the Gathering Area in my name, *Fr. Dan McSweeney Parish Plaza* was such a surprise and a great honor. I thank you for this perpetual remembrance. On the occasion of this Fiftieth Year of service to the Priesthood and the Church, I am humbled by God's call and thank you for sharing with me this grace.

Father Dan

Fr. Dan Mc Sweeney Parish Plaza



## Lector and Extra-Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers Meeting

All Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion as well as Morning Lectors and Ministers to the sick and homebound are invited to attend a meeting Tuesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, from 6-8 PM in the church. For more information contact **Steve Allevato at 714/746-3677 or steveaa333@hotmail.com.**

## Boy Scout Troop 811 Annual Spaghetti Dinner

Join us on Today, October 23rd, 4:30-7 PM in Olsen Hall. \$20 Per family or \$6 per adult & \$4 for children under 12.



## Death Penalty Resource Table

Nov. 6!

We are encouraged by our Bishops to engage in Catholic Social Teaching issues: the Death Penalty is a Life Issue!

YES ON 62

Proposition 62 replaces CA's Failed Death Penalty System Saves taxpayers \$150 million a year Guarantees CA will never execute an innocent, wrongfully convicted person. Ends painfully lengthy legal process for victims' family members.

NO ON 66

Proposition 66 increases taxpayer costs by tens of millions of dollars. Increases risk of executing an innocent person Bureaucratic nightmare – forces hiring of hundreds of unqualified attorneys. Moves death penalty appeals to local, county courts.

**Restorative Justice: For more information call Jan Urban 714/423-5802.**



**Knights of Columbus Blood  
Drive**  
**October 30,**  
**8:30 AM - 2:30 PM**  
**(by Appointment)**  
**in Olson Hall**

The American Red Cross has formed a community of service; generous, strong and decent people bound by beliefs beyond themselves. The honor, spirit, and resource of the American people to come forth with neighbors helping neighbors in need during earthquakes, floods, fires, storms and for deeply personal and often quiet disasters that require the gift of blood. The Knights will be on the plaza after all Eucharists this weekend. Sign up early and for your preferred time.

For more information contact **Jeff Draper @ 714/981-5967 or jeffreydraper@netscape.net.**

**Volunteers Needed**

We need volunteers to help pack food every month, first Wednesday of the month. Please call A.C.T. office for details. **714/529-1821 xt. 143**



**VETERAN'S DAY WEEKEND**

November 11-13 is Veteran's day weekend. It is also the date of the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. So if you are a veteran at marriage, but looking for

some basic training in improved communication that will result in a more romantic relationship, come to the weekend.

The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend gives couples the tools to keep their relationship in tip top condition while renewing the intimacy and passion they have for each other.

For more information contact:

**John & Maggie Lee at 714/873-5136 or [lee4wwme@att.net](mailto:lee4wwme@att.net) or visit our website: [www.ocwwme.org](http://www.ocwwme.org).**



**Celebrate our  
Newly Baptized**

We celebrate and rejoice with Angela Elizabeth, daughter of Victor and Maria Serna and Angela's sponsors: Silvano and Estela Serna also, Alinna Michelle-Maya, daughter of Steve and Marina Corona and Alinna's sponsors: Alexander Valentine Camps and Maria Jesus Nunez. All of whom were baptized into the Christian Community on October 15th!

**Weekend summary of October, November and December Events & Activities**

**Today**

Mercy Sunday-Dignity of Life  
Anointing of the Sick – All Eucharists

**Sat/Sun., Oct. 29/30**

Día de Los Muertos- All Eucharists  
Remembrance of Our Beloved Deceased- All Eucharists  
Knight's of Columbus Blood Drive - Olson Hall

**Sat/Sun., Nov. 12/13**

Death to Life: Pastoral Reflection  
Liturgical & Funeral Preparedness

**Sat/Sun., Nov. 19/20**

Feast of Christ the King - Tamale Sunday

**Thurs., Nov. 24**

Thanksgiving – Mercy Family Eucharist at 9:00 AM

**Sat/Sun., Nov. 26/27**

First Sunday of Advent

**Sun., Dec. 4**

Closing of the Year of Mercy at 9:30 AM

**Sat/Sun., Dec. 10/11**

Gaudete Sunday - Advent Sacrament of Reconciliation -  
All Masses - Youth and Young Adults - Commemoration of  
Our Lady of Guadalupe -  
Procession with Saint Juan Diego @ 5 PM

# Faith Formation



## Confirmation

**Confirmation 1** Fall-Class #4-November 9<sup>th</sup> in Olson Hall at 7:15-8:45 PM

**Confirmation 1** parents and students the next TOB is November 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00-8:30 PM. Parents will meet in the church and students will meet in Olson Hall.

**Confirmation 1**-If you have a Sunday Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> class meet at your assigned location 7:00-8:30 PM.

Tuesday class go Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> to your assigned location 7:00-8:30 PM.

Wednesday class go Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> meet at your assigned location 7:00-8:30 PM.

**Confirmation 2**- Second Retreat-October 28-30th. Please turn in all needed information by October 24<sup>th</sup> in the Parish Center Office labeled Confirmation.

**Confirmation 2** students the first XLT is November 5<sup>th</sup> from 7:00-9:00 PM in Olson Hall. Your FIRE and BLAZE group leaders look forward to seeing you there! **#Join the Revolution**

Confirmation 2 parents and students the next TOB is November 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00-8:30 PM. Parents will meet in the church and students will meet in Olson Hall.

If you have any questions please contact **Kristi @ 714/332-8117**.

## Young Adult Faith Formation

Upcoming dates:

Today, Confirmation class, 4:00-4:45 PM, in the Youth Room. November 6, All Sacraments, 4:00-4:45 PM, in the Youth Room. We will be attending mass together after our meeting.

**If you are a young adult and would like to receive your sacraments please call Kristi at 714/332-8117.**

## Youth Ministry Events

### Youth Ministry Events

Join us EVERY **Thursday Night @ 7 p.m.** in October for our **Respect Life** month:

October 27<sup>th</sup>: Movie Night ; Continue joining us in November for when we begin our month on **A Saint's Life** EVERY **Thursday Night @ 7 PM.** November 3<sup>rd</sup>: We are the Saints; November 10<sup>th</sup>: Superheroes...God's Squad Steubenville Youth Conference Popcorn Fundraiser. Pick up order form through Youth Ministry **DUE NOVEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup>**

Popcorn can be picked up on December 4<sup>th</sup> after all masses. Ending with Mercy:

Youth XLT: Saints in the Making - November 5th @ 7 PM.

**Any questions feel free to call Liz Serna at 714/332-8169**



## Adult Faith Formation

### Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist

If you are an adult aged 26+ and seek more information about the Catholic Church regarding Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist or if you are already baptized as Catholic or in another Christian denomination and would like to prepare for Eucharist and/or Confirmation, we invite you to our inquiry session.

### AFF Sessions

Faith Sharing: All adults and parents of children preparing for Confirmation or First Eucharist the next session is: (credit for session attendance).

**Wednesday, October 26, 7:15 - 8:45 PM**

Journey of Faith: Adults preparing for Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation the next session is: (all adults are welcome to join the conversation)!

**Wednesday, October 26, 2016 6:00 - 7:15 PM**

**Space is limited so please RSVP with Andrea Draper at 714/529-1821 ext 136 OR [amd.stangela@gmail.com](mailto:amd.stangela@gmail.com).**

Please note: No one under 18 will be admitted. All sessions are held in St. Paul room.



# Liturgy and Worship

**"Christ's Healing Presence"** is the theme Fr. Ben Tran will address at the Healing Service on **Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:15 PM**. Fr. Benjamin Tran felt the "nudge" to the priesthood during high school and applied to Queen of Angels high school seminary in San Fernando, CA. After graduating, he decided to explore other aspirations and went to Orange Coast Community College in Costa Mesa and transferred to Cal State Fullerton, CA. During his 3rd year in college, he experienced an incredible spiritual awakening that propelled him to seriously reconsider the call to the priesthood. After a time of prayer and discernment, he applied to St. John's Seminary College in Camarillo, CA where he completed his undergraduate studies and continued on to receive his theological degree at St. John's Theology. He was ordained on June 10, 2006. Since then he has served as a priest for the Diocese of Orange in various parishes and now is assigned to St. Anne in Seal Beach.

For more information call Jan 714/529-2277.

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

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

**J. Richey, Deacon Ben Flores, Pat & MaryJane Hanifin, Silvia Alvarez-Loya, Hugh Berry, Frances Hunter, Marilyn Burtner, Dorothy Gebka Alice Castro, Terria Villanueva and Fr. Phyllis Tah.**

*The Deceased of our Community:*

**Yolanda McCarger, Arturo Serna, Jose Savala, Irene Trujillo and Mildred Harcourt.**

## Our Community Eucharist Intentions for the Week

### **Monday 10/24**

6:30 AM Rita Rucker (D)  
8:00 AM Rita Rucker (D)

### **Tuesday 10/25**

6:30 AM Rita Rucker (D)  
8:00 AM Chibundu Abanobi (L)

### **Wednesday 10/26**

6:30 AM Chibundu Abanobi (L)  
8:00 AM Lori Robles (D)

### **Thursday 10/27**

6:30 AM Rita Rucker (D)  
8:00 AM Therese Nguyen (D)

### **Friday 10/28**

6:30 AM Rita Rucker (D)  
8:00 AM Juliana Bartolome (D)

### **Saturday 10/29**

8:00 AM Francisco Maron (D)  
5:00 PM Therese Nguyen (D)

### **Sunday 10/30**

7:45 AM Amparo G. Valencia (D)  
9:30 AM Felipe Maron (D)  
11:15 AM Lolita Magdato (D)  
12:45 PM Carmen & Angelica Alvarado (D)  
5:00 PM The Community of St. Angela



If you have Celiac, Gluten Free hosts are available. Please see the Presider prior to Eucharist and he will make arrangements and explain the process so you will have a gluten-free host served to you at communion.

## Connecting with Saint Angela Merici — 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 Parish School? Please check our Parish and School Website: [www.stangelabreaching.org](http://www.stangelabreaching.org).



<b>29th Evening Adoration:</b>	(714)529-1592	<b>Healing Eucharist / Charismatic Prayer Group:</b>	(714)525-8539
John Garcia		Jude Catania	
<b>Active Christians Today (A.C.T.):</b>		<b>High School RCIA</b>	(714)529-1821 x 117
Maria Fulton, Coordinator	(714)529-6776 x 142	Tanner Jauregui	
Yarmniz Garcia	(714)529-6776 x 144	<b>Eucaristía de Jóvenes</b>	(562)612-5622
Jan Zylla	(714)529-6776 x 143	<b>Junior High Faith Formation</b>	
<b>Adoration Ministry:</b>		Lety Garcia	(714)529-1821 x 147
Dave Engels	(714)992-1306	<b>Knights of Columbus:</b>	
<b>Administrative Assistant / SP-Weddings &amp; Quinceañeras:</b>		Phil Kiefer	(714)315-8882
Ana Rodriguez	(714)529-1821 x 110	<b>Las Posadas:</b>	
<b>Adult Faith Formation &amp; RCIA</b>		Gloria Wade	(714)529-5513
Andrea Draper	(714)529-1821 x 136	<b>Lectors &amp; Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	
<b>Altar Server Ministry:</b>		Steve Allevato	(714)746-3677
Cynthia Weiner	(714)529-8271	<b>Marian Rosary / Sacred Heart Hour :</b>	
Erin Johnnie	(714)256-9323	Joan Hosek	(714)983-7560
<b>Audio / Visual Ministry:</b>		<b>Marriage Encounter:</b>	
Ron Sled	(714)803-1224	John & Maggie Lee	(714)873-5136
<b>Baptism Preparation:</b>		<b>Mass Buddies:</b>	
Andrea Draper - English	(714)529-1821 x 136	Jeff Draper	(714)981-5967
Jose Lopez - Spanish	(562)697-0650	<b>Men's Group:</b>	
<b>Bereavement Support Group:</b>		John Cushing - Fellowship	(714)213-1953
Deacon Mike	(714)309-2933	Frank Locaino - Recon	(714)944-6946
<b>Bible Study:</b>		<b>Ministerio de Hospitalidad:</b>	
Andrea Draper	(714)529-1821 x 136	Tano Gonzales	(714)225-3540
<b>Bodas Comunitarias:</b>		<b>Ministerio Liturgico</b>	
Deacon Benjamin Flores	(714)240-1289	Maria Figueroa	(714)255-8365
<b>Boy Scouts :</b>		<b>Monaguillos / Grupo Mikael:</b>	
Christian Lising	(714)906-9276	Jose & Teresa Macias	(714)255-0928
<b>Bread of Angels Ministry (Saturday Hospitality):</b>		<b>Parish Life:</b>	
Phil Vasquez	(714)390-1208	Sue de Grasse	(714)529-1821 x 126
<b>Children's Faith Formation:</b>		<b>Parish Bulletin:</b>	
Leticia Garcia	(714)0529-1821 x134	Bulletin.stangela@gmail.com	
<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b>		<b>Parish Website &amp; Parish Apps</b>	(714)612-8384
William & Karen Mangold	(714)993-2267	<b>Parish Center Office</b>	(714)529-1821
<b>Church Sacristan Ministry:</b>		<b>Pastoral Council:</b>	
Rebeca Rodriguez	(714)256-0638	Nick Pulone	(714)674-0650
Franz & Lanny Liem	(714)529-1821	<b>Pastoral Care Council:</b>	
Carolyn Lamka	(714)441-1278	Bob Lanphar	(714)809-8753
Gloria Pena	(714)879-0639	<b>Quinceañeras</b>	
Chrissy Spittell	(714)529-8893	Yolanda Orozco	(323)350-4310
<b>Confirmation Faith Formation:</b>		<b>Restorative Justice (Detention Ministries):</b>	
Kristi Biederman	(714)529-1821 x 117	Jan Urban	(714)879-7663
<b>Consejo de San Pablo - (Spanish Worship) :</b>		<b>Sagrada Familia:</b>	
Leticia Garcia	(714)529-2337	Jesus Flores	(562)753-4659
<b>Coros Unidos:</b>		<b>School ( Principal ):</b>	
Rafael Bucia	(714)529-1821	Nancy Windisch	(714)529-6372
<b>Cub Scouts:</b>		<b>Sick, Elderly, &amp; Homebound:</b>	
Greg Marick	(714)317-6060	Bob Lanphar	(714)809-8753
<b>Detention Ministry:</b>		<b>Spiritual Direction</b>	
Jan Urban	(714)423-5802	Mrs. Cecilia (Ceci) Witchey, OP	(714)993-6117
<b>Ejercito Azul (Spanish Rosary):</b>		<b>Stewardship / Travel Club</b>	
Lola Flores	(562)694-5878	Gene Passafiume	(714)524-2874
<b>Emergency Resource Response Ministry:</b>		<b>Stitches for Soldiers</b>	
George Ullrich	(714)267-6132	Bonnie Garcia	(714)529-1821 x 114
<b>Empezar de Nuevo</b>		<b>Virgin Peregrina:</b>	
Carmela Gutierrez	(714)770-7770	Rebeca Rodriguez	(714)256-0638
<b>Encuentro Matrimonial:</b>		<b>Wedding Coordinators:</b>	
Jaime & Lorena Hernandez	(714)519-1688	Gloria Knapp	(714)990-2483
<b>Evangelization / Apologetics</b>		<b>Welcome, Fellowship &amp; Hospitality:</b>	
Steve Allevato	(714)746-3677	Peter Toller	(714)528-4305
<b>Facilities Coordinator / Environment</b>		<b>Women's Group P.A.L.S.:</b>	
Bonnie Garcia	(714)529-1821 x 114	Gloria Pena - AM	(714)879-0639
<b>Finance:</b>		Donna Schafer - PM	(714)990-8414
Lisa Connell	(714)529-1821 x 111	<b>Worship Council:</b>	
<b>Finance Council:</b>		Chuck Andersen	(858)539-3531
Dennis Dascanio	(714)680-6202	<b>Worship Ministry:</b>	
<b>Formación de Fe para Niños:</b>		Chuck Andersen	(858)539-3531
Leticia Garcia	(714)529-1821 x 134	Sue de Grasse	(714)529-1821 x 126
<b>Girl Scouts:</b>		Mike Neis	(714)528-6770
Amy Hinz	(562)253-8901	Nancy Peralta	(714)529-1821 x 162
<b>Gospel Of Life Council / Ushers:</b>		Eric LeVan - Accompanist	(714)313-9656
Phil Vasquez	(714)390-1208	Sydney Alcaraz - Youth	(714)529-1821 x 115
<b>Guerreros de Yahve:</b>		Jenna Cushing - Youth	(714)529-1821 x 115
Eloy Cabrera	(562)340-3599	<b>Youth, Young Adult, Jr. Hgh &amp; S.A.M. School:</b>	
<b>Grupo de Oración:</b>		Danny Serna	(714)529-1821 x 115
John Garcia	(714)529-1592	Liz Serna	(714)529-1821 x 169

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**Thank you.**



