

ST. ANGELA MERICI

CATHOLIC CHURCH

OCTOBER 9, 2022 | TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" Then he said to him, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." - Lk 17:17-19

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OUR MISSION

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.

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Rev. Bruce Patterson

In Residence

Our Parish Deacons

Deacon Benjamin Flores

Parish Office Hours

Daily

8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Monday - Thursday

4:00 to 7:00 pm

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass

Monday - Friday:

8:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

Confession

Saturday:

3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Weekend Mass

Saturday:

8:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

Sunday:

7:45 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:15a.m.

12:45 p.m. Spanish

5:00 p.m. Youth/Young Adult

Liturgy and Worship



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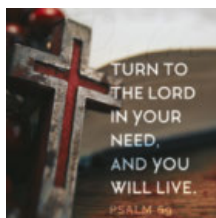
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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday

October 10 - **Columbus Day**

One Mass Only

Wayne Newcomb †

9:00 AM

Tuesday

October 11

Dean Allevato

8:00 AM

6:00 PM

Socorro Velasco †

Wednesday

October 12

Linda Moran †

8:00 AM

6:00 PM

Socorro Velasco †

Thursday

October 13

Linda Moran †

8:00 AM

6:00 PM

Mary Burson †

Friday

October 14

Jahja & Elizabeth Gotama †

8:00 AM

6:00 PM

Annie Garcia †

Saturday

October 15

Tony Abalde

8:00 AM

5:00 PM

Ramon Vicente Velasco †

Sunday

October 16

Robert Serafin

7:45 AM

Antonio Urbalejo †

9:30 AM

Ernie Cody †

11:15 AM

Benjamin Bonales †

12:45 PM

Edgar J. Uribe †

5:00 PM

Billy Earl Mcleran †



IN OUR PRAYERS

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Hengky Soekito

George Garcia

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Margarette Donnelly †

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Fred Mrazik †

HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST OR NEED A PASTORAL VISIT?

Please contact the Parish Center Office if you are interested in having a name added to our prayer list or if you would like to offer a weekly Mass intention for a loved one.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

REFLECTION FOR THE TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Ten lepers were cured. Only one returned to give thanks. When we fall victim to entitlement, we diminish our capacity to love. Never satisfied, we walk around with outstretched arms, eagerly searching for the next thing we want so that we can acquire it ourselves. Very rarely do entitled hands hold anything to freely give away to others. Entitled hands also find it challenging to reach toward heaven in a gesture of gratitude and praise. We are often more obsessed with celebrating our victories, securing our assets, safeguarding our futures, and stacking the deck of life in our favor rather than relishing and absorbing the gift of the moment and blessings received.

Entitled people find it difficult to pray properly. When the subject of our prayer is mostly about our needs and wants, we are falling into the trap of deception. We foolishly try to convince God that our tiny worlds are of greater importance than His. In ancient times, people would offer sacrifices to “the gods” to secure protection and favors. Our God desires mercy, not sacrifice, because He is about love and justice, not simply meeting our agendas. Every breath is a gift. Prayer, which is a celebration of that gift, acknowledges the Giver. Prayer strengthens the bond between Giver and receiver, creating a deepening awareness that nothing I am or anything I have can exist apart from His Divine Will. It also reminds us that we have done nothing to merit the unconditional love and mercy God showers upon us. Prayer is not just about getting what I need but celebrating who I am.

For St. Therese of Lisieux prayer is “a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy.” When our hearts “surge” toward God, we rush to the Source of our restoration and wholeness, knowing our longing for God’s Divine embrace. Prayer is a response to God’s graciousness with an act of gratitude returned by us. In prayer, we gaze upon each other in that sacred space where I give myself to God as He is, and God gives Himself to me as I am. We cannot take another step without saying thank you.

REFLEXIÓN PARA 28° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

El ser agradecido trae nuevos beneficios, el saber dar gracias es una gracia de un corazón que sabe que necesita de Dios y de los demás. Hay personas que saben agradecer cuando les haces un favor, de alguna manera dan las gracias. ¡Qué gran satisfacción! Sin embargo, hoy al final del relato del Evangelio, Jesús se sorprende que solamente uno, de los diez leprosos que sanó, regresa para darle las gracias. “¿No han sido sanados los diez? ¿Dónde están los otros nueve? ¿Así que ninguno volvió a glorificar a Dios fuera de este extranjero? Y Jesús le dijo: Levántate y vete; tu fe te ha salvado” (Lucas 17,17-19).

En su catequesis de este domingo, el Papa Francisco nos exhorta a saber agradecer con la siguiente reflexión: “Qué importante es saber agradecer al Señor, saber alabarlo por todo lo que hace por nosotros. Y así, nos podemos preguntar: ¿Somos capaces de saber dar gracias? ¿Cuántas veces nos decimos gracias en familia, en la comunidad, en la Iglesia? ¿Cuántas veces damos gracias a quien nos ayuda, a quien está cerca de nosotros, a quien nos acompaña en la vida? Con frecuencia damos todo por descontado”. Y a Dios, ¿sabemos agradecerle por la vida, la salud, el trabajo y por tanto amor que nos brinda día a día? “Es fácil ir al Señor para pedirle algo, pero regresar a darle gracias... Por eso Jesús remarca con fuerza la negligencia de los nueve leprosos desagradecidos”. Y ese era un extranjero. ¿Qué te parece?

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Our Parish

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading: Naaman returned with his whole retinue to the man of God. On his arrival he stood before Elisha and said, "Now I know that there is no God in all the earth, except in Israel. (2 Kgs 5:15)

Psalm: The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power. (Ps 98)

Second Reading: If we have died with him we shall also live with him; if we persevere we shall also reign with him. (2 Tm 2:11-12)

Gospel: "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" (Lk 17:17-18)

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DO YOU KNOW... THERE ARE 14 CORPORAL AND SPIRITUAL ACTS OF MERCY?

Did you know there are 7 corporal works of mercy and 7 spiritual acts of mercy? The spiritual and corporal works of mercy are charitable actions by which we come to the aid of our neighbor in his spiritual and bodily necessities.

The corporal works include:

- * Feed the hungry.
- * Give water to the thirsty.
- * Clothe the naked.
- * Shelter the homeless.
- * Visit the imprisoned, or ransom the captive.
- * Bury the dead.

The spiritual works of mercy were inspired by the life of Jesus and instructed to his disciples. The spiritual works include:

- * Admonish the sinner. (Give correction to those who need it.)
- * Instruct the ignorant (Share our knowledge with others.)
- * Counsel the doubtful. (Give advice to those who need it.)
- * Comfort the sorrowful
- * Bear wrongs patiently
- * Forgive all injuries
- * Pray for the dead

PALS CATHOLIC WOMEN'S GROUP

GOD IS ALWAYS CALLING YOU TO A DEEPER MORE INTIMATE RELATIONSHIP

Morning and Evening PALS invites you to answer the call. We are Catholic Women of all ages, committed to deepening our



relationship with God through Prayer, Adoration, Learning and Sharing. We invite you to join us as we journey together to a more fulfilling, life-giving Faith Experience. Share in small groups and be inspired by engaging Catholic Speakers who can bring us the Richness and Beauty of our Catholic Faith. Weekly Meetings for the Morning Pals group are on Tuesdays at 9:30 am and continue through May in the Parish Hall and on ZOOM. PALS P.M. meet weekly at 7pm Tuesday nights. For information about the morning PALS group please call **Darlene Chavira at 714 928-0421**. For the evening PALS - consider signing up for St. Angela Merici Flocknote and select PALS (P.M.) The Link is below, or scan the QR code on one of the Flocknote banners on the Plaza.

<https://StAngelaMerici5.flocknote.com/PALSpm>

St. Angela Merici Ignite 678 Jr. High Ministry

Please join Us on
Friday, October 7
6:30 to 8:30 pm

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If you have any questions please
contact Jose/Cynthia Vargas at
(562) 217-0496



Friday Night With Friends

Please Join us Friday October 21st

Dining Inside the Hall Between 5:30 PM and 7:00 PM

Doors open at 5:00 PM, however, serving will begin at 5:30 PM



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Various Sides:

Mac & Cheese, Rice pilaf, Coleslaw, Cesar Salad, French Fries, Fresh Fruit

Beer and Wine \$4

Soft Drinks & Bottled Water \$1.00

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Praying the Rosary for America. Please join us!

The American TFP – America needs Fatima – www.ANE.org

America Needs Fatima

Public Square Rosary Crusade

October 15 from 12 noon to 1:00 pm.

“I invite you to join a Public Square Rosary Rally on October 15 at 12 noon at the **Central Park in Brea on Brea Blvd. Between Elm St. and Date St.** Please join in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against my Immaculate Heart and fervently pray for the conversion of the United States. Will you be able to join me and other Catholics on that very important day?” The Public Square Rosary, sponsored by America Needs Fatima, will be one of over 23,000 rallies that will take place across the United States that day.

The power of the Rosary is BEYOND DESCRIPTION
Archbishop Fulton Sheen



Do you BELIEVE?

Maybe it's time to BELONG

Have you thought about becoming Catholic, completing your sacraments of Communion and/or Confirmation, or maybe you are interested in learning more about your faith?

For more information or to RSVP please contact: Andrea Draper at: andrea.draper@stangelabreachurch.org OR (714) 529-1821 ext. 136



IGNITE YOUTH MINISTRY



Confirmation I & II for 2022-23 is now open on our church website at stangelabreachurch.org. Both CI & CII Class/Mass will be held on Sundays from 3pm-6pm, twice a month, beginning in October.

CI fee is \$175 and CII is \$250. We accept payments in cash, checks or credit/debit cards in the Parish Office.

Please contact Natalie, Youth Minister, if you have any questions natalie.espada@stangelabreachurch.org or at 714-366-3534.

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Lessons from Baptizing a Frog

I used to lead an RCIA session on baptism, where I would bring in my Kermit the Frog toy from when I was a child and pretend to baptize it. It was a session I especially made sure I led when we had children preparing for Easter sacraments. You would think Kermit would have become super holy having been baptized so many times, year after year. But, if he had been real, he would not have been any holier due to multiple baptisms than he was after the first baptism. He couldn't be re-baptized. (Not to mention, of course, he is a FROG.)

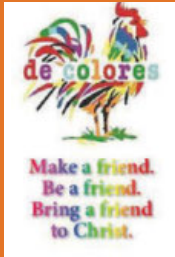
When Jesus came to John for baptism, he transformed the baptism of repentance that John was practicing into a baptism of redemption. And although we are called to repentance over and over in our life, redemption comes to us only once. We cannot get baptized again in the Jordan or Sea of Galilee because of romantic notions, or come into the Catholic Church by a second baptism so we can start all over. Our baptism, whether we can remember it or not, is a one-time deal. But it is the real deal. Whether you feel it or not, you are sealed for Christ, and the stain of original sin has been washed away.

Too many of us take that moment for granted. Yes, you may have been baptized as an infant. But much time has passed since then, and you can work to understand the impact that it had on your life. We sometimes look for a good time to begin living a stewardship way of life. However, that time already passed, and God has been waiting. We are called to reflect on our baptism and respond to the call it has placed on our lives. We can respond and be disciples, or we can be like Kermit the Frog, always searching for a new start that never comes.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Give Yourself the Gift of Cursillo!!

A Cursillo weekend is a unique Catholic experience. It's an opportunity to encounter our Lord and to experience hope, peace, and healing while gaining tools for living our Catholic faith vibrantly. Weekends are held at Divine Word Retreat Center in Riverside, Thursday evening through Sunday evening. It will include inspirational talks, group discussions, daily Mass, opportunities for Reconciliation and adoration, singing, laughter, friendship and delicious meals. Come and see!



Next Cursillo Weekends:

- Mens: October 13-16
- Womens: October 20-23

Applications for the next Cursillo weekends are being accepted now! For more information, or to get an application, contact St. Angela Merici Cursillo Parish Representatives:

Dave Engels at 714-992-1306 or email: engelsda33@att.net

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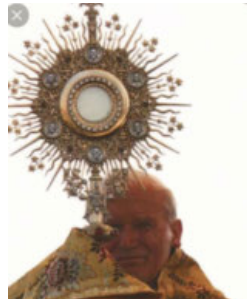
Whatever your life is missing, God can help you find it.

Visit the Lord in that 'heart to heart' contact that is Eucharistic Adoration. Day after day, you will receive new energy to help you bring comfort to the suffering and peace to the world. "(St. Pope John Paul II)

Sign up for a Heart to Heart with Jesus!

Please contact us:

Email-adoration.chapel@stangelamericibreachurch.org Call/text 657.210.1265



HOURS NEEDED

These are the hours without a weekly committed adorer

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2:00 AM	1:00 AM	1:00 AM	1:00 AM	2:00 AM	2:00 AM	1:00 AM
3:00 AM	2:00 AM	2:00 AM	2:00 AM	3:00 AM	8:00 AM	2:00 AM
4:00 AM	3:00 AM	3:00 AM	3:00 AM	6:00 AM	11:00 AM	3:00 AM
5:00 AM	4:00 AM	8:00 AM	6:00 AM	8:00 AM	7:00 PM	5:00 AM
6:00 AM	6:00 AM	9:00 AM	7:00 AM		8:00 PM	6:00 AM
8:00 AM	8:00 AM		8:00 AM			7:00 AM
1:00 PM	4:00 PM					8:00 AM
	6:00 PM					9:00 AM
						12:00 PM
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						2:00 PM
						8:00 PM
						9:00 PM

Lo que sea que le falte a su vida, Dios puede ayudarlo a encontrarlo.


Visitar al Señor en ese contacto de 'corazón a corazón' que es la Adoración Eucarística.

Día tras día, recibirás nueva energía para ayudarte a traer consuelo a los que sufren y paz al mundo," (San Papa Juan Pablo II)

¡Regístrese para un Corazón a Corazón con Jesús!

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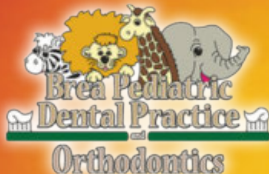
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