



ALL SOULS CHURCH

A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, at All Souls Church, are a multicultural Catholic Community called to share our gifts and to grow through worship and spiritual formation. We are brothers and sisters in Christ led by the Holy Spirit to witness the Good News to all.

June 17, 2018
ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PASTORAL CENTER HOURS

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 9AM-9PM

CLOSED FOR LUNCH: 12:30PM-1:30PM

SATURDAY: 9AM-8PM CLOSED FROM 12:30-1:30PM

SUNDAY: 8:30AM-2:30PM

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MASSES

Weekdays: Monday - Saturday.....7:30 a.m.

Saturday/Vigil:5:30 p.m.

Sunday/Domingo:

- ◆ English:7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
- ◆ Español:12:00 Mediodía

Holy Days to be announced

Los Dias Festivos se Anunciaran

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

- ◆ Saturdays from 4 - 5 p.m.
- ◆ Sabado de 4 -5 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

- ◆ Please call the Pastoral Center for a priest.
- ◆ Unción de los Enfermos: favor de llamar al Centro Pastoral para contactar a un sacerdote.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

- ◆ Español: El primer sábado del mes a las 10 a.m.
- ◆ English: Third Saturday of the month at 10 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

- ◆ Book for an appointment at least (6) months in advance of proposed wedding date.
- ◆ Llame al Centro Parroquial por lo menos (6) meses antes de la fecha del matrimonio.

DEVOTIONS

Holy Hour: 1st Friday of the month at 7 p.m. (Bilingual)

OFFICE OF LITURGY

Funeral Services	Diep Dinh	Ext. 219	Sacristan	Librado Mercado	(626)281-0466
Altar Servers	Paul/Marleny Gutierrez	(626)281-0466	Wedding & Quinceañeras	Eleana Benalcazar/Patty Ayala	(626)281-0466
Lectors	Eng: Esperanza Canale	(626)281-0466	Assist. Director of Music	Jerry Yslas	(323) 919-1906
	Span: Eleana Benalcazar	(626)281-0466	Eucharistic Ministers	Eng: Lupe Valencia	(626)281-0466
Ushers	Darin Doerning/Jose Serna	(626)281-3042		Span: Humberto G.	(626)281-0466

APOSTOLATES & ORGANIZATIONS

Ministry of the Sick	Larry Dumont	Guadalupanos	Marina Ramirez
Safeguard the Children	Irene Oaxaca	Rosario de Misericordia	Angelina Farias
Bereavement Ministry	Jose Luis Diaz	Our Lord's Mission	Gerber Bernal or Arturo Camargo
Legion of Mary	Salvador Agudo	St. Vincent de Paul	Midory Gonzalez
Cursillos in Christianity	Aida Gonzalez	Encuentro Matrimonial	Victor Pla
English Bible Study	Sheila Henderson-Linan	Amigos de Jesus	Estela Murga
Spanish Bible Study	Maria de Jesus Martinez	Filipino Ministry	Jun (Isidro) Cabaccang
Knights of Columbus	Pablo Gutierrez	Youth Ministry	Leticia Urtecho



SCHOOL OFFICE: (626) 282-5695
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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

<i>Jim Robinson</i>	<i>Becky Salcedo</i>
<i>Ramirez Family</i>	<i>Mary Anne Aarset</i>
<i>Wally & Becky Puentes</i>	<i>Erik Lifrak</i>
<i>Cynthia Manriquez</i>	<i>Ray Argueta & Family</i>
<i>Adela Cruz</i>	<i>Jose Crespo</i>
<i>David A. Pacheco Pech</i>	<i>Joe Negrete</i>
<i>William Gonzalez</i>	<i>Irma Arellano</i>
<i>Jose Luis Diaz</i>	<i>Ricardo Hernandez Moreno</i>
<i>Elia Ramirez</i>	<i>Reyes Family</i>
<i>Guadalupe Nevarez</i>	<i>Therese Huyen-Duong Thi Vu</i>
<i>Amelia Espitia</i>	<i>Blanca & Nanci Mejia</i>
<i>Miriam & Julia Jimenez</i>	<i>Mercedes Tarazona</i>
<i>Michelle & Claudia Roma</i>	<i>Delia Vargas</i>
<i>Evelyn De Guzman</i>	<i>William Cardona</i>
<i>Hortencia Palafox</i>	<i>Agustin & Elvia Esquivel</i>
<i>Jerry Lopez</i>	<i>Rubi Arroyo</i>

Please complete this form and place it in the Collections Basket, or bring it to the Pastoral Center. Registration allows us to verify active membership, especially for those who wish to baptize, be godparents, sponsors, or be married.

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ ZIP: _____
 Phone No. (_____) _____
 Date: _____

New Parishioner Change of Address Remove Me

Yes, send me Collection Envelopes

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Father's Day Prayer

God our Father,
 you govern and protect your people
 and shepherd them with a father's love.
 You place a father in a family
 as a sign of your love, care,
 and constant protection.

May fathers everywhere be faithful
 to the example shown in the Scriptures:
 steadfast in love, forgiving
 transgressions, sustaining the family,
 caring for those in need.

Give your wisdom to fathers
 that they may encourage and
 guide their children.
 Keep them healthy
 so they may support a family.

Guide every father
 with the Spirit of your love
 that they may grow in holiness
 and draw their family ever closer to you.
 Amen



11th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year "B"
"Great things often have a Humble beginning."



I once read a story about Bill Gates, who, in a restaurant after eating gave \$5 to a waiter as tip. The waiter had a strange look on his face after seeing the tip. Bill noticed it and asked him what happened? The waiter said: I'm just amazed because on this same table your son gave a tip of \$500 while you his father, the richest man in the world, only gave \$5. Bill smiled and replied with meaningful words, "He is the son of the world's richest man but I am the son of a wood cutter".

One may ask, how does Bill Gates' story relate to our Gospel story? The parable of the mustard seed lays down a universal and eternal truth that has always shaped the Catholic notion of an authentic life. Like Bill Gates, great things often have a simple beginning. We may live in an age that emphasizes on size and numbers, yet the lesson of history is that it is not the big but the small beginnings which are of paramount importance.

Big dreams are not bad in themselves but what we make of it is what counts. Both the Tower of Babel and the Titanic started big but ended a disaster. However, it is out of the small beginning with twelve apostles came 120 disciples (Acts 1:15) and the millions of Christians in the world today. We should never be discouraged by small beginnings. If a project or an enterprise has God at its foundation, though small it may be, will eventually become successful in the end.

The greatness of the mustard seed – the mustard seed is a very small seed that grows into large shrubs or herds. The notion of the mustard seed as the smallest of all seeds should be understood as proverbial rather than factual because the Cypress seed is smaller than the mustard seed. The Palestinians would often compare anything that is infinitesimally small to the mustard seed. Jesus compared faith to the mustard seed in the Gospel of Mt 17:20 – "if you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain 'move from here and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."

The disciples of Jesus – to whom this parable was first directed, was meant to encourage and build their faith in God and His work in Jesus. The disciples had expected much and seen very little happen. Jesus use of non-violence could not match the violence that confronted Him. John the Baptist had a successful mission and the disciples looked forward to something greater than John (Mt 3:11; Mk 1:7; Lk 3:16, Jn 1:26-27) – the One who comes after me is greater than me. He must increase while I (John) must decrease (Jn 3:30).

A disastrous mission? – To the disciples, Jesus may not be able to sustain the zeal that attracted the crowd to him. As opposition increased, the crowds began to leave one by one. The apostles were afraid that the mission of Jesus, which had a humble beginning but later developed in a sensational manner with wonders and great teachings may likely end in failure and disaster. The high hope of the disciples was gradually turning into a disappointment. Jesus used this parable to teach them that faith in God is the key to success.

Authentic Christian faith – Christian faith is a living faith. Like the mustard seed, it is meant to grow at every moment. Our computer and Fast-food age may want quick result. It is very seldom that great things happen that way. We may think that the little we can do may be ineffective, but the cumulative effect of small efforts can be used mightily by God in the realization of the kingdom of God. A mature faith is never gained in a drive-through manner. It goes through the crucible of life but in the end, it grows bigger and deeper than it used to be.

Individual and Communal Conversion – Conversion is gradual. It is not something that happens suddenly. Conversion is process oriented. Each conversion story is unique. Truth is one, yet many roads lead to it. The conversion of an individual may be personal but never private. It is the holiness of individuals that make up the holiness of the community. Be it the conversion experience of St. Paul or that of the individual who was born into a Christian family, faith is meant to grow. The person who knows Christ ought to grow a little more every day.

The Tree and its Branches – The branches of the mustard tree provides shelter for the birds. A unique feature of a great empire is its ability to provide shelter for the small people of the earth (birds) so that they could enjoy peace and safety (Ezk 17:22-24; 31:3). The kingdom is like a great tree with many branches in which people, good and bad alike, find peace and rest.

Ecumenical Spirit – The diversity we see in our faith should not be seen as a disaster. The kingdom is meant to provide shelter for all. We need to harness the good qualities we find in each and every person, church and group. We may not always insist that our way is the only way or that our church is the only church. Having the fullness of the truth does not mean that there is nothing good in others.

Unity and not Uniformity – The many branches should be considered as strength not as weakness. In this lies the church's great virtue and blessing. Not all worship alike; some find God in a bare simplicity, others in elaborate forms of worship. Some find God in nature, some in music, some in silence, etc. Amidst the multiplicity of doctrines and worships we can always find the truth that helps us to develop a good relationship with God and be united with Christ, the author and finisher of our faith (Heb 12:2).

Finally, like the mustard seed, an authentic faith is a living faith. It is meant to grow. Faith cannot be stagnant. Any faith that refuses to grow will never refuse to diminish and eventually die. Trees may have limit to the height they could grow but faith in Christ is exponential in character. Our faith may be small like the mustard seed, but if it is rooted in God, there is no limit to the good we can do in this world.

Do you want to become a Catholic?

Do you wish to receive Confirmation and/or the Eucharist?

If "YES" is your answer to both of these questions, then RCIA is for you!



Registration will begin September 1, 2018, when we will be available to answer your questions.
Our first class will be on September 20, 2018.

* * * * * PLEASE SUPPORT OUR YOUTH MINISTRY *

* The Firework stand provides funding for several teen conferences, outings, meetings and teen leadership training.
* Please help support our youth program by purchasing your Fireworks from our stand.

* The Firework Stand hours of operation *

* Wednesday, June 27th – 12:00pm – 4:00pm
* Thursday, June 28th – 10:00am – 10:00pm
* Friday, June 29th - 10:00am – 10:00pm
* Saturday, June 30th - 9:00am – 10:00pm
* Sunday, July 1st – 8:30am – 10:00pm
* Monday, July 2nd – 9:00am – 10:00pm
* Tuesday, July 3rd – 9:00am – 10:00pm
* Wednesday, July 4th – 9:00am – 10:00pm



Town Hall Meeting/Survey

We will be having a "Town Hall" Meeting on Saturday, June 23rd, at 3 pm in the parish hall, and we want to hear what your thoughts are regarding our parish community strengths and weaknesses. We also want to hear your ideas on how we can improve our church grounds and buildings.

A Suggestion Box is now placed in the church vestibule and will remain there leading up to the June meeting where you can drop off your ideas anytime.



MASS IN RECOGNITION OF ALL IMMIGRANTS

Sunday, June 24, 2018
4:00 PM

Immigration has a variety of root causes. Family reunification, seeking economic stability with employment, civil unrest or war in one's homeland and climate change rendering one's ancestral lands uninhabitable all lead people to migrate. Biblical justice echoes a call to welcome the stranger, as one of the most vulnerable segments of the population.

Pre-Procession begins at 3:30pm
Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, 555 West Temple Street, Los Angeles



FINANCIAL REPORT

Thank you for your generosity and continued support of the Offertory Collection.

2ND SUNDAY OF JUNE

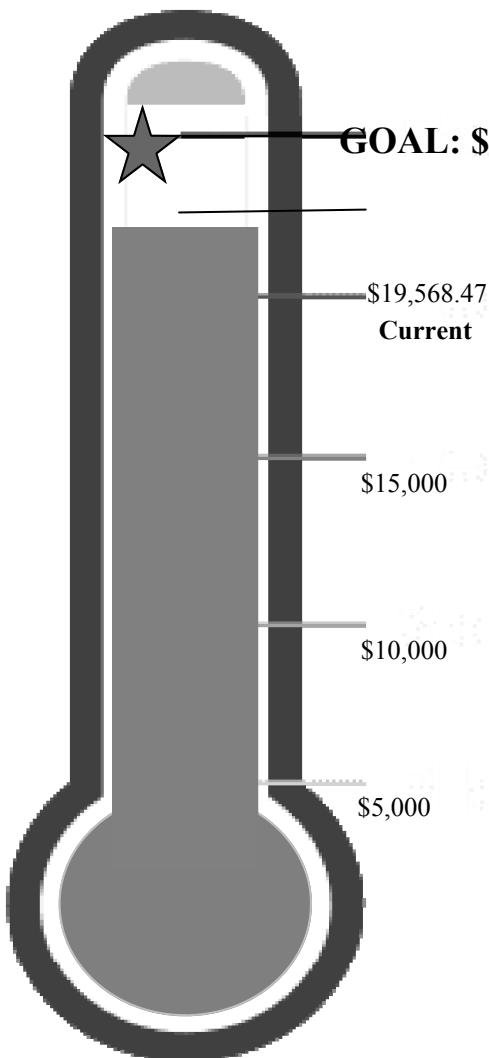
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1st Collection: \$ 5162.50
2nd Collection: \$ 1129.00
Candles: \$ 44.25
Total: \$ 6,335.75



TOGETHER IN MISSION

Participating in the good works of Together in Mission is one way that every Catholic in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles can show their love for their neighbor. "It is not enough to say we are Christians. We must live the faith not only with words but with our actions"



Did You Know?

As parents/caregivers, we teach children to say "please" and "thank you," to play nicely, and to respect other adults. It is also key to stress the importance of safety, and let children know that it is okay to be impolite if they feel threatened or scared. Children should know that it's okay to say "NO" if someone is asking them to do something they don't feel comfortable doing, and that setting boundaries by saying things like -- "Don't touch me there," or "I don't like that" -- are not rude, but in fact necessary for their safety.



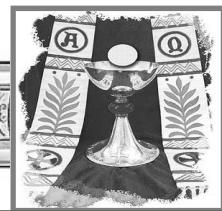
Let Us Celebrate Our Pastor's Ministry

Our beloved Pastor, Fr. Patrick Mbazuigwe, will be soon celebrating his 25th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination. In honor of his outstanding service, All Souls Church will compile congratulatory greetings in a beautiful Anniversary Souvenir Program as a gift to him.

Please stop by our Pastoral Center to pick up a form and receive more details about the various possible donations. Anniversary messages can range from a full page to a business card size.

The deadline for submissions has been extended.

Proceeds will also be used to cover expenses for the brochure, souvenirs, and homily book production. Any remainder will go to Fr. Patrick's Village Town Hall Building Project in Nigeria.



June 17, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	JUNE 16, 2018
5:30PM	Cecille Saguid (Healing) Jose Ting (Dec.)
SUNDAY	JUNE 17, 2018
7:30AM	Sheldon Dingle (Dec.) All Souls in Purgatory
9:00AM	Mr. & Mrs. Colita Leake (Dec.) Charles Rosario (Dec.)
10:30AM	Ruben Bacani Sr. (Dec.) Consuelo Luna (Dec.)
12:00PM	Den. Eudoro (15th Anniv. of Ordination) Daniel Navarro (Dec.) Maria Elena Coronado Burgos (Dec.)
5:30PM	Gustavo Escobedo (Special Int.)
MONDAY	JUNE 18, 2018
7:30AM	Rosaire-Yves Mbida (Dec.)
TUESDAY	JUNE 19, 2018
7:30AM	The Holy Father's Intentions
WEDNESDAY	JUNE 20, 2018
7:30AM	Religious Vocations
THURSDAY	JUNE 21, 2018
7:30AM	Gilda Atkinson (Dec.)
FRIDAY	JUNE 22, 2018
7:30AM	Salvacion Cordero (Dec.) Mathew, Samantha & Christina Jones (Healing)
SATURDAY	JUNE 23, 2018
7:30AM	Karina Hernandez-Guardado (Birthday) Kuey Man Yip (Dec.) Harold Yun (Dec.)

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I have lifted (Ezekiel 17:22-24).
Psalm — Lord, it is good to give thanks (Psalm 92).
Second Reading — aspire to please the Lord (2 Corinthians 5:6-10).
Gospel — It is the smallest of all seeds, and becomes the largest of plants (Mark 4:26-34)

ALL SOULS CATHOLIC CHURCH

PARISH GROUPS EVENTS CALENDAR

Call the Pastoral Center beforehand to check if any changes have been made to the parish schedule. Thank you.

MONDAY, JUNE 18

3:00pm -
3:00pm -
7:00pm -

TUESDAY, JUNE 19

5:30pm - Bingo Night-Bingo-Halls & Conf. Room, Kitchen
6:30pm - Quinceañera Rehearsal-Quinceañeras-Church
7:00pm - Rosario de Misericordia-Santo Rosario-SC 5

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20

2:00pm -
7:00pm -
7:00pm - Prayer Night-Amigos de Jesus-Halls, HCR, Kitchen

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

3:00pm - Food Distribution-Saint Vincent de Paul-SVDP Gate
6:30pm - Rehearsal-Quinceañera-Church
7:00pm - Reflecciones de Libros Liturgicos-Parish-Hall Conf. Rm.
7:00pm - English Bible Study-Front Hall

FRIDAY, JUNE 22

7:00am -
10:00am -
3:00pm -
7:00pm - Meeting-Firework Stand--Confirmation Team-Halls
8:00pm - Meeting-Encuentro Matrimonial-Hall Conference Room

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

12:00pm - Quinceañera-Quinceañeras-Church
2:00pm - Town Hall Meeting-Parish-Halls
2:00pm - Quinceañera-Quinceañeras-Church

SUNDAY, JUNE 24

7:30am - N/A

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

- Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-7; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-6ab, 11, 16; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-7; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20;
Ps 132:11-14, 17-18; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-34; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6ab, 15ab, 17;
1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17

UN EXCELENTE CUENTISTA

En el Evangelio de hoy, se nos presenta a Jesús como un excelente cuentista. A él le gustaba contar parábolas como una forma para comparar esto de aquello. En muchas de las parábolas, Jesús revela quien es Dios al comparar la naturaleza o acciones de Dios con alguna situación conocida de su audiencia. En la parábola de la semilla de mostaza, Jesús proclama una verdad maravillosa e irrefutable. Su pequeño grupo de discípulos, tan insignificantes como ellos se hubieran sentido, un día producirán un reinado poderoso cuyo crecimiento lo comenzó Dios. Las semillas de este reino fueron plantadas por Dios y es Dios quien cosechará el fruto producido por esas semillas. No se puede predecir que tanto crecerá el Reino de Dios. Debemos confiar el trabajo de las manos del dueño, así como nosotros, al igual que la semilla de mostaza, crece y crece.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Elevaré los árboles (Ezequiel 17:22-24).

Salmo — Es bueno dar gracias al Señor (Salmo 92 [91]).

Segunda lectura — En el destierro o en la patria, nos esforzamos por agradar al Señor (2 Corintios 5:6-10).

Evangelio — El hombre siembra su campo, y sin que él sepa cómo, la semilla germina y crece (Marcos 4:26-34).

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 1 Re 21:1-16; Sal 5:2-3ab, 4b-7; Mt 5:38-42

Martes: 1 Re 21:17-29; Sal 51 (50):3-6ab, 11, 16;
Mt 5:43-48

Miércoles: 2 Re 2:1, 6-14; Sal 31 (30):20, 21, 24;
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Jueves: Sir 48:1-14; Sal 97 (96):1-7; Mt 6:7-15

Viernes: 2 Re 11:1-4, 9-18, 20;
Sal 132 (131):11-14, 17-18; Mt 6:19-23

Sábado: 2 Cr 24:17-25; Sal 89 (88):4-5, 29-34;
Mt 6:24-34

Domingo: Vigilia: Jer 1:4-10; Sal 71 (70):1-6ab, 15ab, 17;
1 Pe 1:8-12; Lc 1:5-17

El Centro de Retiros Pasionista “Mater Dolorosa” ofrece un retiro spiritual de fin de semana los días 29-30 de junio y 1 de julio. Para mas informacion, favor de llamar al 626-355-7188 o visite la pagina web: www.materdolorosa.org

17 de junio del 2018

¿Sabía Usted?

Como padres de familia y cuidadores de niños, nosotros les enseñamos a los niños a decir “por favor” y “gracias”, a jugar con amabilidad, y a respetar a los adultos.

También es muy importante recalcar la importancia de la seguridad, y dejar que los niños sepan que está bien ser descortés si ellos se sienten amenazados o temerosos. Los niños deben saber que está bien decir “NO” si alguien les está pidiendo hacer algo con lo cual ellos no se sienten cómodos, y que poner fronteras diciendo cosas como, “No me toque allí”, o “Eso no me gusta”, no es malcriadeza, sino que es necesario para la seguridad del niño.

¿QUÉ HACER MIENTRAS ESPERAS PARA CONFESARTE?



Apaga el celular



Revisa tus pecados



Habla con el Señor



Reza el Rosario



Haz una lectura espiritual



Medita las lecturas del día

 CatholicLink

Oración por los papás

Bendice Señor a nuestros padres.

Protégelos todos los Días,

guía sus pasos y llena sus corazones de amor,

sus mentes de sabiduría,

y pon en sus espíritus la paz que solo tú puedes dar.

Te lo pedimos en nombre de tu hijo Jesús.

Amén.



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