



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.

July 29, 2018
17TH 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
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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>Maria Martin</i>	<i>Becky Salcedo</i>
<i>Ramirez Family</i>	<i>Mary Anne Aarset</i>
<i>Wally & Becky Puent</i>	<i>Erik Lifrak</i>
<i>Cynthia Manriquez</i>	<i>Ray Argueta & Family</i>
<i>Cecil Saguid</i>	<i>Jose Crespo</i>
<i>David A. Pacheco Pech</i>	<i>Joe Negrete</i>
<i>William Gonzalez</i>	<i>Irma Arellano</i>
<i>Jesus Sanchez</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

Check, if you

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

WATER PURIFICATION

In addition to having a bad odor and taste, contaminated water can contain microorganisms that cause diseases such as dysentery, cholera, typhoid, and hepatitis. You should therefore purify all water of uncertain purity before using it for drinking, food preparation, or hygiene. There are many ways to purify water. None are perfect. Often, the best solution is a combination of methods. Before purifying, let any suspended particles settle to the bottom, or strain them through layers of paper towel or clean cloth. Three purification methods are outlined below. These measures will kill microbes but will not remove other contaminants, such as heavy metals, salts, most other chemicals, and radioactive fallout.

BOILING

This is safest method of purifying water. Bring water to a rolling boil for 10 minutes, keeping in mind that some water will evaporate. Let the water cool before drinking. Boiled water will taste better if you put oxygen back into it by pouring it back and forth between two containers. This will also improve the taste of stored water.



The Office for Worship of the archdiocese is offering a retreat day on August 25, *Rooted in Diversity, We Grow in Unity*, for all liturgical ministers in the parishes--that includes participants from the pews as well. The program will include Keynotes in Spanish and English, breakout sessions and a plenary. We will begin the day at 8:00 AM with hospitality and end before 1:30 PM. To register please go to <http://archla.org/ofwliturgyday>



**17th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year "B" -
The God that Feeds Us**

There was once the youngest son of a retired teacher who had always thought that his father was not a successful person. One day while cleaning their house, he came across the pay-slip of his father. To his greatest surprise, he saw how much the monthly salary of his father was. His attitude towards his father immediately changed from that of scorn and rejection to admiration and praise. He began to wonder how his father was able to use such a meager amount to build a house, feed the family, clothe and pay the school fees of his six children.

The feeding of the 5000 is one of the miracles I saw my mother perform several times for me and my siblings. And not just my mother but most mothers all over the world. I remember the many times my mother transformed the remaining drop of soup in the pot into a full meal for me and my siblings. How she was able to do that, I do not know.

I still remember the many times when after returning from school and if my mother was not yet back from the market or from the farm, and if there was no food at home, all I needed to do was to go to a neighbor's house. By mere exchange of greetings with the mother of the house, she would hear the sound of my voice and with a mere look into my eyes, she would know what I needed and would give me food to eat. I didn't need to beg for food, mothers were able to read and understand our minds and out of the generosity of their hearts, they would do whatever is necessary to satisfy our needs. I saw my mother do this to others and I also experienced the same generosity from others.

Although the entire village was poor in the material sense of it, yet, no one died of hunger. No one was homeless. No one was lonely. And the best part of it is that we never knew that we were poor. We had so much love in our hearts. We knew one another by name and by merely looking at the face; one could easily be identified as the son or daughter of this or that man. We made joke of almost everything including death. We smiled a lot and considered ourselves richly blessed because we had people who cared.

No one can underestimate the power and effect of care. In the Gospel today, there was need to care for the hungry and from what transpired in this story, we see the difference the perspective we bring into any life situation could make.

Our attitude towards a crowd has a lot to say about our character. A crowd is always vulnerable and in need. Seeing a crowd, a trader may see an opportunity to make money, and a politician may seek for voters. Seeing a crowd, Jesus cared for them. Jesus preached to the people and seeing them hungry for food, challenged his apostles to give them food to eat.

The apostle Philip, using his human eyes, could not see how they could feed such a vast crowd.

He said "two hundred days' wages worth of food would not be enough for each of them to have a little." He would even go further to suggest that they send away the crowd so that they could go to the neighboring villages to get some food to eat.

In the apostle Philip, we see the crippling effect of viewing reality only from human and material perspective. Whenever we view what we or others have with mere human eyes, it is never enough for us, hence the tendency to avoid sharing and the desire to horde and to accumulate more.

Today, Jesus shows us that it is by caring and sharing what we have that we begin to live beyond the immediate self and its limiting effects on the human mind. It is the power of care that catapults the human mind from the physical to the spiritual realm. The physical eyes limit our possibilities but the spiritual eye opens it up to the limitless horizon of the blessings that surround us.

Rather than seeing five loaves, like Jesus, we need to see five blessings. Five loaves are countable while five blessings are not. It is only when we begin to see five blessings and not just five barley loaves that we begin to build a world in which all will be rich in Christ - the Kingdom of God.

On the spiritual sphere, there is no limit to the good we can do when we believe. "Little is much when God is in it." Those who are willing to offer their lives selflessly by relinquishing their attachment to material things like, time, money, talents, etc., will be used by God to create extraordinary things in the world. We must never believe that our resources are too little to be used to help others because God delights in taking a humble, seemingly insignificant person for the greater glory of His name (1 Cor 1:27).

The God who created us without our cooperation cannot save us without our cooperation. God could simply snap His fingers to feed the crowd, but He didn't. Instead, He used what was available and then "gave it to his disciples to distribute to the people." The disciples trusting the Lord distributed what they were given, and likewise should we.

Our problems are never too big (the "many" of John 6:9) for God to handle. Like Andrew we often wonder, "What good are we going to do with only five loaves and two fish?" Logically this is impossible but we should never lose sight of the fact that it is God's doing, not ours.

We ought to bring our lives to God in a spirit of obedience and sacrifice, no matter how insignificant we may think our gifts or talents are (Rom 12:1). When doing so, expect God to do far beyond what can be imagined (Eph 3:20). By virtue of our baptism, we have within us the power to multiply bread for all the hungry people of our world. Our struggle then should be not to die with our potentials but endeavor to make them actual; trusting that through our help God will lavish the hungry with spiritual blessings in abundance.

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P A R I S H N E W S



American Red Cross BLOOD DRIVE

All Souls Church will be hosting a Blood Drive on August 19, 2018, from 8:30 am to 2:30 pm in the parish hall.

Your precious gift of blood can save up to three lives. It is important that we support others in this process as there is no substitute for blood.

To schedule an appointment, log onto www.redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code ALLSOULS or call your American Red Cross representative at 626-437-7893.

Thank you for your gift of life!

GIVE BLOOD, GIVE LIFE



Celebrate a summer evening at Mary & Joseph Retreat Center. This year's fundraising evening will include Mass, a reception, and dinner. There will be an evening concert in the Lounge by pianist Noel Gould, who won the 2017 Grand Prize at the House of Hope Talent Show. Noel is excited to share with us the musical genius of Beethoven, Scarlatti and Chopin in an intimate setting. Dessert will be served under the stars. Please join and celebrate all of the unique and beautiful venues of Mary & Joseph Retreat Center. Donation per person: \$100 To register call Marlene at (310) 377-4867 x234 or register online at www.maryjoseph.org

LUAU

A Dinner Dance
in cooperation with
the Filipino Ministry

Date: Sat., August 11, 2018
Time: 6:00pm until Midnight
Venue: Parish Hall
Ticket Price: \$15.00/person

*Proceeds go to the construction of the church grotto

All Souls Church

Grand Opening

of our new website!

We have great news for our community. Our new website is up and running. We hope this resource helps you stay up to date with events happening at our Parish. Please visit:

<http://www.allSouls-la.org>

FINANCIAL REPORT

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

4TH SUNDAY OF JULY

◀07/22/18▶

1 st Collection:	\$ 7078.50
2 nd Collection:	\$ 753.00
Candles:	\$ 183.00
Total:	\$ 8014.50



SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

PETER'S PENCE
TOTAL: \$873.85

PRIEST RETIREMENT FUND
TOTAL: \$1,613.51

THANK YOU

All Souls Parish would like to express its heartfelt gratitude to everyone who contributed to:

*Father Patrick Mbazuigwe,
Silver Jubilee Celebration*

Your gracious contributions in every aspect made of this day a memorable one. It was a day of joy; it was a day of community; it was a day of blessings!

We want to especially thank Bishop David O'Connell and all the wonderful priests and deacon who honored us with their presence during the Mass celebration.

May our gracious God bestow a bounty of blessings on all our committees, parishioners, relatives, and friends.

HOLY HOUR:

August 3, 2018

Join us for an hour of meditation ending with benediction. Everyone is invited.
The service is bilingual.

Did You Know?

Parents of young children have likely heard the phrase “boys will be boys” many times — usually to excuse so-called “typical boy” behaviors. But this rationalization can extend dangerously through adulthood, to excuse sexual assault and harassment. The messages received by young children have lasting effects. Boys hear that they need to hide their emotions, so if they are abused, they’re less likely to come forward. Girls hear that boys can be rough or rude, and learn to tolerate rather than push back. Eliminating this gender divide early may help combat sexual abuse and assault.

THINKING OF BECOMING CATHOLIC OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS?

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a spiritual path in preparation for baptism and a commitment to reflect and partake in Catholic practices. Adults in the R.C.I.A. join in special rites during the Sunday liturgies at various times of the year. In addition, they get acquainted with parishioners by servicing the parish or wider community. In return, the community joins in prayer as the rites are celebrated, hospitality as new members join, and in ministries like sponsor, team member, and dismissal leader.

An adapted form of the program, for Christians who have been baptized in another faith tradition, will be imparted.

Please contact the Pastoral Center at
626-281-0466 for an appointment
or more information.



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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	JULY 28, 2018
5:30PM	Condes Family (Thanksgiving) Maria Carreon (Dec.)
SUNDAY	JULY 29, 2018
7:30AM	Valentino Butiu (Thanksgiving) Salvador Vasquez (Special Intention)
9:00AM	Florencio Macalintal (Dec.) Salvador Vasquez (Special Intention)
10:30AM	Salvador Vasquez (Special Intention)
12:00PM	Ricardo Vallejo (Dec.) Almas del Purgatorio
5:30PM	Salvador Vasquez (Special Intention)
MONDAY	JULY 30, 2018
7:30AM	Fr. Lee (Dec.) Salvador Vasquez (Special Intention)
TUESDAY	JULY 31, 2018
7:30AM	Rene De La Rosa (Birthday) Ignasia Roque (Dec.)
WEDNESDAY	AUGUST 1, 2018
7:30AM	Chung, Hao Nu (Dec.) Prospero D. Mangilog (Dec.)
THURSDAY	AUGUST 2, 2018
7:30AM	Richard Odenthal (Dec.) Loreli Odenthal (Dec.)
FRIDAY	AUGUST 3, 2018
7:30AM	Geronimo Yu, Jr. (Dec.) Jerry Martinez (Dec.)
SATURDAY	AUGUST 4, 2018
7:30AM	Tina S. (Dec.) Salvador Vasquez (Special Intention)

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — When they had eaten, there was some left over, as the LORD had said (2 Kings 4:42-44).

Psalm — The hand of the Lord feeds us; (Psalm 145).

Second Reading — Strive to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace (Ephesians 4:1-6).

Gospel — Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted (John 6:1-15).

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, JULY 30

- 6:00pm - LAPD Testing-Outside Group—SC 7
7:00pm -
7:00pm -

TUESDAY, JULY 31

- 5:30pm - Bingo Night-Bingo-Halls & Conf. Room, Kitchen
6:30pm - Junta de Mesa Directiva—Amigos de Jesus—SC5
7:00pm - Spanish Baptism Class- Baptism-Guadalupe Conf. Rm.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1

- 10:00pm -
6:30pm - Choir Practice-Parish-Basement Conf. Room
7:00pm - Grupo de Oracion—Amigos de Jesus—F/B Halls, Ktch, HC
7:00pm - Risen Christ Prayer Group—Parish—All Souls CR
7:00pm - Meeting- Legion of Mary- SC 5

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2

- 9:00am - Sunday Scriptures—Parish—All Souls CR
6:30pm - Crecimientos—Amigos de Jesus—SC5
7:00pm - Reflecciones de Libros Liturgicos— Parish— Hall Conf. Rm

FRIDAY,AUGUST 3

- 10:00am -
5:00pm - Memorial Mass-Funerals-Church
7:00pm - Holy Hour—Parish—Church
8:00pm - Meeting—Encuentro Matrimonial—Hall Conference Rm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4

- 8:00am - 2000 Hail Mary's —Filipino Ministry-Hall CR & Kitchen
10:00am - Spanish Baptisms—Baptism-Church
12:00pm - Special Mass-Parish-Church

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5

- 8:00am - Food Sale—TBD -Patio

HELPER NEEDED

God is a good worker; but loves to be helped.
-Basque Proverb

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

- Monday: Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-4, 10-11, 17-18; Mt 13:44
Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53
Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34;
Mt 14:1-12
Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-25, 54;
Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

MILAGRO SEMANAL

Esta semana señala el comienzo de una especie de “desvío litúrgico”. Hemos estado escuchando el Evangelio según san Marcos durante este año litúrgico (Ciclo B). Hoy comenzamos a escuchar una larga sección del Evangelio según san Juan que empieza con el milagro de la multiplicación de los panes y peces. Este milagro es un preludio de las declaraciones del Señor, que comenzaremos a escuchar en algunas semanas, en las que Jesús se llama a sí mismo el “Pan de Vida”. Cada semana somos testigos de un milagro en la Misa. No vemos la multiplicación de panes. Lo que vemos con los ojos de la fe es el milagro de la transformación de elementos comunes, pan y vino, en el Cuerpo y la Sangre del Señor. Una vez que hemos recibido al Señor, comienza la multiplicación, porque en la Eucaristía se nos fortalece para multiplicar nuestros esfuerzos por alimentar a los pobres, darles refugio a los que no tienen hogar y brindarles consuelo a los afligidos.

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Eliseo da de comer a cien hombres con veinte panes de cebada, los primeros frutos de la última cosecha y quedan sobras (2 Reyes 4:42-44).

Salmo — Abres tú la mano, Señor, y sacias de favores a todo viviente (Salmo 145 [144]).

Segunda lectura — Pablo exhorta a los efesios a que se muestren dignos de la vocación que han recibido; siendo comunidad unida, llena de fe y esperanza (Efesios 4:1-6).

Evangelio — Jesús da de comer a un enorme gentío que incluye cinco mil hombres con cinco panes de cebada y dos pescados (Juan 6:1-15).

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes:	Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 13:31-35
Martes:	Jer 14:17-22; Sal 79 (78):8, 9, 11, 13; Mt 13:36-43
Miércoles:	Jer 15:10, 16-21; Sal 59 (58):2-4, 10-11, 17-18; Mt 13:44-46
Jueves:	Jer 18:1-6; Sal 146 (145):1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53
Viernes:	Jer 26:1-9; Sal 69 (68):5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58
Sábado:	Jer 26:11-16, 24; Sal 69 (68):15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12
Domingo:	Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Sal 78 (77):3-4, 23-25, 54; Ef 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

HORA SANTA

3 de Agosto
7-8PM



¿Sabía Usted?

Los padres de niños pequeños suelen repetir la frase de que “los varones son varones” para justificar ciertas conductas masculinas. Pero este entendimiento podría ser un modelo peligroso para la etapa adulta, ya que esos argumentos podrían justificar el abuso sexual y la violación. Recuerden que los mensajes que les transmitimos a los hijos tienen un efecto duradero. Además, cuando los niños aprenden que los “varones” no deben mostrar sus emociones, esto podría ser peligroso en caso de un abuso sexual, ya que ellos no querrían contar lo sucedido. Y cuando las niñas escuchan que los varones tienen que ser duros y poco corteses, ellas también aprenden que ellos deben ser tolerados en vez de rechazados. Eliminando la diferenciación de género en la crianza de los hijos/hijas podría ayudar a combatir el abuso sexual y las violaciones.

DIOS NO LE DA LAS
BATALLAS MÁS
DURAS A SUS
SOLDADOS MÁS
FUERTES, ÉL FORMA A
SUS SOLDADOS MÁS
FUERTES A TRAVÉS
DE LAS BATALLAS
MÁS DURAS.

CatholicLink

El Centro de Retiros Pasionista Mater Dolorosa ofrece un retiro de fin semana en español para mujeres, sobre el tema: “En busca de la Santidad” en el Barron, CP. Se llevará cabo del 3 al 5 de agosto, en Mater Dolorosa : 700 N. Sunnyside, Sierra Madre. Favor de llamar a 626-55-7188, para mas información.