St. Joseph Parish

August 4, 2019 | Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness, that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days.

-Psalm 90:14



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Mass Schedule

<u>Saturday</u> 5:00 p.m. Vigil

<u>Sunday</u> 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30 am & 12:30 pm

Holy Days Vigil Mass: 7:00 pm Holy Day: 8:00 am & 7:00 pm

> Daily Mass (M-F) 8:00 am

Reconciliation

<u>Saturdays</u> 4:00-4:45pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday before the first Friday of the month from 6-8pm



Every Wednesday after 8:00 am Mass

Bulletin Notices Deadline

Monday 1:00 p.m. Please submit your request with your name & phone # to the parish office to Tricia at bulletin@stjosephlb.org.

Parish Life

Welcome



Praying for each of you while I am on vacation. I will return August 10th.

Blessings,

Msgr. Kevin

Faith Direct

Faith Direct ~ Thank you, for being a part of our St. Joseph family! Consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct so that your gift can reach us even when you cannot.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: CA717 Thank you for your continued

support of our parish family.

God Bless You! Msgr. Kevin

Readings for the Week

Monday: Tuesday:	Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21 Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36
Wednesday:	Nm 13:1-2, 25 — 14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-23; Mt 15:21- 28
Thursday:	Nm 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Mt 16:13- 23
Friday:	Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16, 21; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday:	2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24 -26
Sunday:	Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lk 12:32-48 [35-40]

Did You Know?

When shouldn't you be your child's "friend"?

As parents, we want to be close to our children — such closeness is not to be confused with **being our children's friend, though** – our children need us to be role models, authority figures AND trusted confidants. This can be a difficult balance to maintain, but we cannot let our desire to be close to our children blind us to when they need a strong, reliable adult to tell them what's right and wrong.

Parent/child relationships are not built on equality like friendships. Parents have life experience and wisdom that children do not, which gives you more insight and authority in a given situation. Parents also have the responsibility to make unpopular **decisions in their children's best interests, and this is** an important responsibility to help your children grow up.

For more information, check out the VIRTUS® article "What makes a friend? Part 3 — When Should a Parent Not be an Older Child's 'Friend'?" at <u>http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx</u>

Liturgy, Worship & Prayer_

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY	<u>August 3</u>
5:00 p.m.	† Agustin Barrido
SUNDAY	August 4
7:30 a.m	† Donald Pedvault
9:00 a.m	Parishioners
10:30 a.m	† Patricia Hanson
12:30 p.m	Al Pule
MONDAY	August 5
8:00 a.m	† Botelhor Salvate Family
TUESDAY	<u>August 6</u>
8:00 a.m	† Donna Halligan
WEDNESDAY	<u>August 7</u>
8:00 a.m.	† Calogero Ragusa
THURSDAY	August 8
8:00 a.m	Ron Steiner
FRIDAY	<u>August 9</u>
8:00 a.m.	Ryan Ford
SATURDAY	<u>August 10</u>
5:00 p.m.	† Mort Kier
SUNDAY	August 11
7:30 a.m	† Jean Libby
9:00 a.m	† Dr. Pat Mitchell
10:30 a.m	Parishioners
12:30 p.m	Maria Cevallos



Do you want to deepen your relationship with Jesus?

For more information and a video about the Cursillo movement visit our Cursillo webpage under the Faith Formation/ Adult Faith Formation Ministry at www.Stjosephlb.org

†-Prayers for the Deceased





Pray For The Sick . . . Fernando Montoya ~ Tim Ginnett ~ Eileen Bentley ~ Nina Escandon ~ Odete Salvate ~Bernie Voigt ~ Jim & Jean Hodge ~ Patricia Hanson ~ Thomas Barrett ~ Gary Hillebrecht ~ Pat Murach ~ Gilbert Martinez ~ Antoinette Hansen ~ Michael Hansen ~ Linda Mangio ~ Mickey Jorda ~ Aurora Moreno ~ Don DeRuyter ~ Anita Beudo ~ Steve Aguilar ~ Mike & Collette Diharce ~ Daniel Shields ~ JoAnne Miya ~ Mela Larwood ~ Robert Doty ~ Beth Dobberpuhl ~ Allison Longo ~ Delfina Schmit ~ Mark Alchorn ~ Anthony Vasquez ~ Nancy Bush ~ Jim Schorr ~ Dn. Roger Faubert (OLR) ~ Ron Steiner ~ Al Pule ~ Maria Cevallos ~ Fr. Michael Meyer ~ Mary Carmen Armas and Wendy Claire Smith. In order to keep our prayer list up dated, submitted names will remain on the list for a limited time. If you would like to resubmit a name please contact Tricia at bulletin@stjosephlb.org or call the PLC office.

Faith Formation



2019-20 High School Confirmation Registration

High School Confirmation 1 Registration Forms for new students can be picked up at the parish office or downloaded from the parish website (see confirmation under the Sacraments tab). Current High School Confirmation families please turn in the Green registration form that will be given to you on Sunday, April 28, 2019, or call Michelle at (562) 598-0519 to request a new form.

Family Movie Night September 21, 2019



To end the summer, St. Joseph Parish is going to transform its field into an outdoor movie theatre for its first family movie night of the 2019-20 season. We will be showing Toy Story 1 on Saturday, September 21, 2019 At 6:30pm. Bring snacks, drinks, blankets and lawn chairs for this infinity and beyond night of fun, laughs and community.



Are you looking for a way to share your faith, time and talents with others? The Faith Formation department needs you!! Volunteers are needed as catechists (teachers), catechist aides. sacramental preparation, office and resource support, and safety monitors in our early childhood through high school confirmation programs. You don't have to have a child in our program to volunteer. We encourage all adults to prayerfully consider whether this ministry is right for you! All volunteers must be cleared through our Safe Environment program. We will provide training and support along the way. If interested, please contact the Faith Formation office at 562-698-0519.

Children Liturgy of the Word

Children Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) will return to the 9am mass on Sunday, September 8, 2019. A special thank you to our CLOW instructors.

2019-20 Faith Formation Registration



FAITH FORMATION

Registration Now Open!

What do you need to do to Register your child for Faith Formation?

Registration for the 2019-20 Faith Formation Classes is now open. Registration forms for new students for Early Childhood (Ages 3-5), Elementary (Grades 1-5) and Junior High (Grades 6-8) can be picked up at the parish office or downloaded from the parish website (see Faith Formation tab). Current RE families please turn in the orange registration form that was given to you on March 17, 2019 or call Michelle at (562) 598-0519 to request a new form.

2019 San Pedro Regional Congress

October 5, 2019 (8:30am-4:15pm) Saint Joseph High School 5825 Woodruff Avenue Lakewood, Ca 90713

This is an annual, 1-day event, that offers attendees the opportunity to grow in their knowledge of the Catholic Faith, to deepen their spirituality, to increase their catechetical, liturgical, and leadership skills, and to be challenged by a variety of current topics and presenters. There is something for everyone!

https://www.la-archdlocese.org/org/ore/sppr/ Pages/San-Pedro-Regional-Congress.aspx

Events_

Regional Office

Join Bishop Trudeau at the Life, Justice & Peace parish leadership meeting to be held on Wednesday, August 14th 7-9pm!

⇒ Learn from your Regional Bishop his priorities and how his office can help your ministry

- ⇒ Network with people working in ministry throughout your community
- ⇒ Get answers to questions and help with challenges of working in the parish
- ⇒ Take home exclusive materials for Respect Life Month and OneLife LA

Come and share with us the amazing work your parish is doing!

Mark your calendars and <u>RSVP today!</u>

St. Philomena Catholic Church 21900 Main St. Carson, CA 90745 Location: Parish Hall B Special Guest: Bishop Marc Trudeau

For more information call (213) 637-7690.

Safeguard the Children

St. Joseph Parish will be offering:

Protecting God's Children Adult Awareness Session Sunday, September 15, 2019 from 2-5pm

Keeping the Promise Alive [™] Refresher Program Tuesday, September 3, 2019 from 7:8:30pm

To register: email religioused@stjosephlb.org. Registration closes two days before the session.

Esther Ministry

Eliminating human trafficking is a priority issue for the Catholic Church. The Catechism of the Church forbids acts that cause the enslavement of humans. During the Second Vatican Council in 1965, the Church



stated "slavery, prostitution, the selling of women, and children, and disgraceful working conditions where people are treated as mere tools for profits rather than free and responsible persons are infamies and supreme dishonor to the creator." (Gaudium et Spes, 1965).

We can all help in eliminating this crime by being aware of the signs of trafficking, advocating for fair trade products, educating others that this exists in our own neighborhoods, and praying for those forced into slavery.

Please visit: sistersagainsttrafficking.org/help for

more information. Also join our email list at <u>estherministry1@gmail.com</u> to receive updates on our current activities.



Book Club

Our new book is titled "Harm Not the Earth" by Megan

McKenna, a well-known speaker at the Religious Education Congress and author of many books. This book discusses our attitudes towards God and the Earth and what it means to live and be responsible for creation in the image and likeness of God.

Our discussion will take place on Wednesday, October 9, at 7pm in the PLC. Enjoy reading the book even if you are not available for the discussion. This book is available from Amazon.

Community/Ministries_

St. Joseph Seniors

Join now for a fun 2019 \$10 a year membership Our next meeting will be on Monday, Aug 12th

Just a reminder that we will have our craft/ hobby display at the August 26 meeting. Bring your items to share with the other members. This could be a good time to do some shopping. So, come and bring your friends to have a fun time at the poker table, tables of Mexican Train, Bridge, Sequence, other fun games, and of course, Bingo.

We will still be having a fun opportunity for all members to win some money \$\$\$\$\$ playing the disc bingo game which is available to all members in attendance. So, bring some extra cash (\$1 a card) for a chance to win some of the money taken in. This will be in addition to regular Bingo for the Bingo players and other games being played.

Just a reminder that our meetings are on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month.

All regular meetings: 11:30 am to 2:30 pm. Bring your Brown Bag Lunch. Drinks & Desert provided. Free bakery items Join us for fun and games and fellowship. For information call: Marilyn North (562)429-8891

Meditation

Christian Meditation Every Tuesday – 7:00PM School Library



Movement for a Better World

"True charity requires courage: let us overcome the fear of getting our hands dirty so as to help those in need." Pope Francis

Aug 17-18 Food from the Heart: Collecting family food for Catholic Charities of Long Beach.

Sep 16- 9:00 AM Coffee in the Park: Welcome and provide breakfast and encouragement to the patrons of the Long Beach Multi-Service Center.

Opportunities in Abundance: As we enter our 34th year of service, please prayerfully consider your ability to assist our mission of providing hope and support to our marginalized brothers and sisters in the Long Beach area. Fulfilling opportunities to serve exist at all levels of availability.

Skip-a-Meal Donations: Skip a meal each week to share your blessings with those in need. These are the primary source of our support.

For these and many other fulfilling ways to serve, please call Tim Clark (562) 431-4385.

Hospitality

Please Join Us 8/4/19: Meditation 8/11/19: Faith Formation

Lost and Found ~

Lost/Found is in the Foyer of the church. Hospitality team can help direct you.