

St. Joseph Parish

**LOVE YOUR ENEMIES,
THAT YOU MAY BE CHILDREN
OF YOUR HEAVENLY FATHER,
FOR HE MAKES THE SUN RISE
ON THE BAD AND THE GOOD.**

MATTHEW 5:44-45

**SEVENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

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Mass Schedule

Saturday

5:00 p.m. Vigil

Sunday

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

Saturdays

4:00-4:45pm

Eucharistic Adoration

No Adoration till
further notice due to church
being closed for
construction.

OLPH Devotion

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

Dear Parish Family:

The season of Lent commences this week with Ash Wednesday, our forty day journey with Christ and the Church. The *Catechism of the Catholic of the Catholic Church* reads, “The desire for God is written in the human heart, because we are created by God, and for God and God never ceases to draw us to himself.”

During these final days leading up to Lent, prayerfully consider your personal sacrifice with the goal of conforming your life to Jesus Christ. **As we celebrate the Church’s traditions of prayer, fasting and almsgiving, we don’t do Lent alone, we honor Lent with the entire Church and our faith community of St. Joseph’s behind us. Know that I’m praying for you!**

Below is our Ash Wednesday schedule and the Church’s guidelines for Lent!

MAKE IT A GREAT LENT!!

Peace,
Msgr. Kevin

Ash
Wednesday 

Ash Wednesday

February 26, 2020
Mass 8am, 12 noon and 7pm

Friday Adoration 630 station 7pm after
Ash Wednesday.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. For members of the Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

Please Join Us for



Hosted by:
02/23/2020– Parish Counsel
03/01/2020– MFBW

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

Be holy, for I, the LORD, your God, am holy.
— *Leviticus 19:2b*

Liturgy, Worship & Prayer_____

Mass Intentions

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>February 22</u>
5:00 p.m. -	† Marguerite Arieiy
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>February 23</u>
7:30 a.m. -	† Frances Stickney
9:00 a.m. -	† Cecilia Messano
10:30 a.m. -	† Gertrude Padilla
12:30 p.m.	Parishioners
<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>February 24</u>
8:00 a.m. -	† Ben Acuna
<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>February 25</u>
8:00 a.m. -	School Mass
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>February 26</u>
8:00 a.m. -	† Mary Lou Clark
12:00 p.m.-	† Kenneth Richard Jackson
7:00 p.m.-	† George Clasby
<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>February 27</u>
8:00 a.m. -	† Maria & Dominico Dang
<u>FRIDAY</u>	<u>February 28</u>
8:00 a.m. -	† Frank Aimone
<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>February 29</u>
5:00 p.m. -	Teresa Dewey- 100th Birthday
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>March 01</u>
7:30 a.m. -	Parishioners
9:00 a.m. -	† Dr. Patrick Mitchell
10:30 a.m. -	† Lillie Burchard
12:30 p.m.	† Jake Jahn
	†-Prayers for the Deceased

Meditation

Be Still
AND KNOW THAT
I AM GOD...

Christian Meditation
Every Tuesday – 7:00PM
School Math Lab

Communion to Sick

If you or a loved one is homebound and would like to have Holy Communion brought to you or are in need of the Sacrament Anointing of the Sick

Please call Olga at 562-594-4657

Communion
to the
Homebound



Lord Hear Our Prayers

Pray For The Sick . . . Fernando Montoya ~ Ana Reveles ~ Tim Ginnett ~ Eileen Bentley ~ Nina Escandon ~ Margarita Santos de Jesus ~ Odete Salvate ~ Bernie Voigt ~ Patricia Hanson ~ Thomas Barrett ~ Gary Hillebrecht ~ Pat Murach ~ Gilbert Martinez ~ Antoinette Hansen ~ Michael Hansen ~ Linda Mangio ~ Aurora Moreno ~ Don DeRuyter ~ Anita Beudo ~ Steve Aguilar ~ Mike & Collette Diharce ~ JoAnne Miya ~ Mela Larwood ~ Robert Doty ~ Beth Dobberpuhl ~ Allison Longo ~ Delfina Schmit ~ Anthony Vasquez ~ Nancy Bush ~ Al Pule ~ Maria Cevallos ~ Fr. Michael Meyer ~ Donovan Nelson ~ Kathleen Pillon ~ Erin Dau ~ Leslie Kaye ~ Hoeurt Cheam ~ Miriam Kang ~ Danny Petrov ~ Holvia Espinoza ~ Deputy Dakota Palanca ~ Michael Horan ~ Carol Kefalas ~ Connie Gallego ~ Earl Harvey ~ and Wendy Claire Smith. **Please contact Tricia at bulletin@stjosephlb.org to add or remove**

Faith Formation

Long Beach High School &
Young Adult Ministry

XLT
A NIGHT OF
ADORATION
& WORSHIP



A night of music, adoration and reflection
lead by Fr. Charles Balamaze

Saturday, March 14, 2020 (7-9pm)

Our Lady of Refuge Church
5195 E Stearns Street
Long Beach, CA 90815

For more information contact joe Voigt @ joe@stjosephlb.org

**God's
Story**

YOU'VE GOT A FRIEND IN HIM!

St. Cornelius Parish

All K through Middle School Children are invited to our VBC this year.

Registration Information Coming Soon!

Children Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

Children Liturgy of the Word
is available to all children from
age 3 – 9 years old.

02/23/20 - NO CLOW
03/01/20 - 9am Mass—Team 4
03/08/20 - 9am Mass—Team 1
03/15/20 - 9am Mass—Team 2



2020-21 Faith Formation Registration



FAITH FORMATION

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

Early Childhood, Elementary, Jr. High

Early Registration packets will be available on
March 29, 2020

Registration for the 2020-21 Faith Formation
Classes starts on March 29, 2020. 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](#)) on or after
that date. Current RE families will be given
their registrations forms during class on or
before that date. Look forward to seeing you
all in the 2020-21 Faith Formation Season!

Save The Date

Please Support Our St. Joseph
Band Program - Fundraiser



Saturday, February 29th
6:00 pm
Fr. Martin Hall

Community/Ministries

Movement for a Better World

"If you want to go fast, go alone. If you want to go far, go together." African Proverb

Feb. 24, 9:00 AM- Coffee in the Park: Provide breakfast and encouragement to the patrons of the Long Beach Multi-Services Center. *We would welcome 3 or 4 additional regulars to support this important and meaningful outreach!*

Mar. 16- Children's Book Drive: Collecting new and gently used reading books for the children of our supported families at our Easter distribution, April 4.

Skip-a-Meal Donations: Please be especially mindful during the holiday season when our needs are greatest.

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

Cursillo

Are you ready to move forward in your faith?

Consider attending a Cursillo weekend. Many who have made their Cursillo weekend have likened it to a personal encounter with Christ or being touched by the Holy Spirit.

Everyone experiences something different.

Upcoming Cursillo weekends:

Apr 16-19 – Men ~ Apr 30 – May 3 – Women

July 9-12 – Men ~ July 23-26 – Women

Oct 1-4 – Men ~ Oct 15-18 – Women

For those interested in finding out more about Cursillo, please visit our website at: <https://stjosephlb.org/> or www.occursillo.org. All are invited to attend a potluck hosted at St. Hedwig Church, Los Alamitos, Quinn Hall on Saturday, March 7 following the 5:30pm vigil Mass starting about 6:30.

For information, call Tom Newton at 562-519-3189 or
Bill and Katie Greening at 562-421-3997.

St. Joseph Seniors Club

ST. JOSEPH SENIOR SOCIAL GROUP INVITES YOU TO JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP, FUN AND GAMES!

\$10 a year membership.

Your dues for 2020 are due now.

Meetings are on the 2nd and 4th
Monday of each month

Our next meeting is February 24, 2020.

**Our annual Lenten Retreat
will be Monday, March 23.**

Msgr. Kevin Kostelnik will be the retreat leader.

Schedule: 9:00am - 11:00am

homily, 11:15am Mass,

12:00 lunch, ends at 1:00pm.

RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST! The cost is \$10.00 and includes a Continental Breakfast and a boxed lunch.

Please call Judy @ 562-421-6883 or

Marilynv@ 562-429-8891 for reservations or more information.

**For More Information Please call Jan Minter
562-704-2342**