

May 4, 2014 | Third Sunday of Easter

You have made known to me
the paths of life;
you will fill me with joy
in your presence.

— Acts 2:28



300 East Taft Avenue • Orange, CA 92865

Telephone: (714) 637-4360 • Fax: (714) 637-4311

www.stnorbertchurch.org

CLERGY

Rev. Patrick Rudolph, Pastor
Rev. Agustín Escobar, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Kiet Ta, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Antonio Zapata, In Residence
Deacon Dave Blake
Deacon Joseph Esparza
Deacon Juan Espinoza
Deacon William Goldin

MINISTRY CENTER STAFF

Irene Ahedo, Office Manager
Margie Balch, Christian Service
Charlene Dumitru, Adult Faith Formation
John Erhard, Music Ministry
Carmen Estrada, Hispanic Ministry
Janine Kilgore, Liturgical Ministries
Kirsten King, Youth Faith Formation & Confirmation
John Loffer, Principal, St. Norbert Catholic School
Maria Martínez, Business Manager
Robin Mayes, School of Religious Education

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m.,
12 noon, 2 p.m. (Spanish), 5:30 p.m.
and 7 p.m. (Spanish)

Monday - Friday: 6:15 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday: 7 p.m. (Spanish)

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Sunday Vigil)

Holy Days of Obligation: as announced

CONFESIONS

Saturday: 3:30 to 4:45 p.m.

First Friday of each month: 9:30 a.m.
to 10:30 a.m.

MINISTRY CENTER HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Saturday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

EUCARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of each month beginning at 9 a.m.
and concluding at 8 a.m. on Saturday with
Benediction.

BAPTISMS

Please call the Parish Office for information
and to schedule Baptism Preparation.
Programs are available in English or in Spanish.

MARRIAGES

Please call the Parish Office for information.
Six months advance notice is required.
Marriage Preparation is available in English or
in Spanish.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK, COMMUNION FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Kindly call the Parish Office to make
arrangements.

FUNERALS

At the time of death, kindly call the Parish
Office for assistance in making arrangements.

*St. Norbert Parish is a dynamic community of disciples of Jesus Christ striving
to continue His ministries of prayer, love and service.*

Stewardship

Third Sunday of Easter

1 Peter 1:17-21

Priceless Friends

Some things truly are priceless. You may pay a lot of your hard-earned income to have a home, furnish it for comfort, feed the people who live there, and enjoy the amenities of life. You know the cost of the things you own.

But some things are priceless—the children who play, the people who love you, experiences of friendship, the wonder of creation, fresh air, freedom, and faith.

At Easter it becomes evident that something else is priceless. We are. Jesus offered himself up to death for something that was priceless to him. The First Letter of Peter says, "You were ransomed from your futile conduct ... not with perishable things like silver or gold but with the precious blood of Christ." Jesus' own life was more precious than silver and gold, and he gave it up for what he valued: humanity.

At Easter we learn again how precious is human life. We come to a new realization of who we are and how much we mean to the God who made us. We are loved.

As we look around at other people, we see some we know well and some who are strangers. We see people we love and people we ignore. We see people in need and people of plenty. But if we see them as God sees them, we see people of value. Let us live in reverence of the life we have and the life we see. It is priceless.

-Paul Turner

Copyright © 2010, Resource Publications, Inc.
All rights reserved. Reprinted with permission.



PASTORAL SERVICES APPEAL 2014
ST. NORBERT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Welcome to our 2014 St. Norbert PSA Information Corner!

Each weekend this box contains current pledge information.

Diocesan Assessment: \$150,000

Number of pledges received: 476

Amount Pledged: \$226,840

Amount Paid: \$114,416

Great news! As of March 31, our parish loan balance is \$608,031. Any funds in excess of the PSA Parish Assessment will be directed to pay down the loan.

Wills & Trusts Week 2014

The Orange Catholic Foundation will present afternoon and evening seminars at nine local parishes across our diocese during the week of **May 19—24**. Each session is presented by local Catholic estate planning attorneys who will explain and answer questions regarding estate taxes, probate expenses, trusts, guardianship of minor children, selection of personal representatives, and steps on how to create and update your own will or trust. To view the schedule of locations go to <https://www.oc-foundation.org/> and click on **Wills & Trusts Week**.

Luncheon for Seniors

Seniors, 60 years of age and older...Come join us at the next Order of Malta Parish Nurse Program Senior Luncheon on **Wednesday, May 21**, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Family & Youth Center. Dana Stradling, RN, MSN, UC Irvine Health Stroke Program Manager, will be discussing a very important health issue: strokes. Dana will focus on what causes strokes, how to recognize stroke symptoms, and how to prevent brain attacks. Many of you have experienced the devastating effects of a stroke, either first hand or with a loved one. Be sure to join us for this important presentation. A delicious catered lunch will be provided to all in attendance along with blood pressure screening and door prizes. There is no cost for this event. Please make sure you RSVP by Sunday, May 18, to Ann Bilash, RN at (714) 637-4360 x120. We are unable to accept reservations after this date.

May Christian Service Food Collection

This month we're collecting individual pop-top cans of Vienna sausage, chicken or tuna for the sack lunches we give away. Kindly leave your donations in the bin in the Ministry Center any time during the month. Thank you for your continued assistance in helping us feed those who are hungry.



Thank you!

The Knights of Columbus Council #15733 and the Red Cross, Orange County Chapter conducted a successful blood drive at St. Norbert Church on Sunday, March 30. Sixty-six blood units were contributed by repeat and new donors. Through this effort approximately 200 lives will be saved. Many thanks to all the donors. Another drive is planned for late October.

Weekly Parish Offering

Thank you for your continuing support of St. Norbert Parish. For the fiscal year July 1, 2013, to June 30, 2014, our parish budget calls for \$27,900 to be donated weekly at the Sunday collection. **The collection for Sunday, April 27, was \$30,898.80.** These collections are not only for operating expenses each week, but also for any ongoing repair work, upgrades, etc. to our parish facility. Your regular donations are needed for the good of St. Norbert Parish and the spread of the Gospel.



Pancake Breakfast Today!

Our Knights of Columbus and Youth Ministry teens are working side-by-side this morning to serve you a delicious pancake breakfast after the 7:30 a.m. and 9 a.m. Masses. Please join us in the Ministry Center Hall for mouth-watering pancakes, bacon, OJ, coffee and a smile! It's all free, but your good-will donations in support of our ministries are most welcome!

Save the Date

Veritas Jazz Concert

On Saturday, June 14, at 7 p.m., *Veritas* returns with an outdoor concert of vocal jazz entitled, *Singing with a*



Swing. Come partake of delicious wines and appetizers under starry June skies as you enjoy some of the best music from the 1930s and 1940s. *Veritas* features superb vocalists Anna Schubert, Jessica Elisabeth, Jonathan Arnold, and Andre Kelly. A talented jazz combo featuring Aaron Doyle on sax, John Erhard on keyboard, Sam Montooth on bass, and Carl Smelser on drums will provide the smooth and swinging groove. This concert will benefit St. Norbert Music Ministries. The suggested donation for tickets is one for \$30.00 and two for \$55.00.

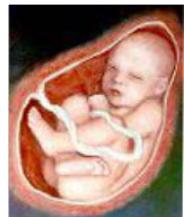
Weekend Receptionist Needed for St. Norbert Church

St. Norbert Church has an opening for a well-organized, dependable, receptionist working weekends, 16 hours per week in a busy front office. Responsibilities will include a variety of general office administrative tasks including answering phones, detailed data input, maintaining calendars and key check-out, scheduling, office support to the Pastor and Parochial Vicars and assisting with special projects. Candidate must have excellent customer service skills, proficient computer skills and be detail oriented. Ability to multi-task and ability to work without close supervision. Bilingual Spanish, preferred. Application and job announcement may be obtained on the St. Norbert website: www.stnorbertchurch.org, or by calling (714) 637-4360. Kindly submit resume to mmartinez@stnorbertchurch.org

Spiritual Adoption

Seven-Eight Month Developing Baby

You're in the home stretch with your spiritually adopted baby. He is completely formed, and has been since 8 weeks. All he is doing now is gaining weight-and making his mother uncomfortable with his size. But she's not worried now. In a short time, her baby will be born. She has planned to bring her baby home or to place her baby for adoption. Either way, she knows she can receive the assistance she needs from the Catholic Church and from the crisis pregnancy centers. Your baby's mother appreciates the prayers you have said for her and her baby throughout the pregnancy. It hasn't been easy, but your prayers have given her grace to seek the help she needs.



Mother's Day Orchid Sale

May 10 & 11

Celebrate the blessing of motherhood. Buy a fresh orchid plant for Mom next Sunday for \$15 to \$20 each. Hispanic Ministry will hold its annual Mother's Day flower sale next weekend. Beautiful hothouse orchids will be available for sale on the Ramada after all Masses. Proceeds will be used toward a scholarship fund for catechists in training. We thank you in advance for your support of Hispanic Ministry and our catechists.

Look for the People Wearing White

Our Neophytes who were baptized at the Easter Vigil will be wearing their white baptismal robes to Sunday Masses during the Easter Season (Easter through Pentecost). They are a sign of new life in our community of St. Norbert. Take the time to greet and congratulate them during this period of celebration.



Men's Group of Faith

Join us on **Friday, May 9**, from 7 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., for support, fellowship, and meaningful discussion about challenges men face today. We meet in the Mother Teresa/Dorothy Day Room upstairs in the Ministry Center. For more information, please feel free to contact Gary McKimmey at (714) 224-6160, gmckimmey@completeofficeca.com or Matt Terrones at (714) 904-5822, mterones@aol.com



Annual Altar Server Meeting & Training for New Servers

The annual altar server meeting for experienced servers will be **Saturday, June 28**, at 9 a.m. in the church. We will also train students interested in becoming altar servers on this date. Students must be in fifth grade or above as of September 2014, and have received their First Holy Communion in the Catholic Church. If you have any questions, please e-mail Karen Purpura at kpurp@sbcglobal.net

Recycle Your Grocery Bags at Christian Service Ministry

Keep those bags coming! We need your clean paper or plastic grocery bags for Saturday food distribution. You may drop off bags anytime at the Ministry Center or the Christian Service Office. Thank you and God bless!





Youth & Teen Ministries

School of Religious Education

Please pray for the children on retreat today as they prepare to receive First Holy Communion. The retreat will continue after the 9 a.m. Mass in the Family Youth Center.

First Communion Dates to Remember

Monday, May 12: **Mandatory** First Communion Rehearsal (for the 12 noon Mass SRE students) at 6:30 p.m.

SHARP in the church. **At least one parent must attend with each child.**

Saturday, May 17: First Communion Masses at 10 a.m. (SNCS) and 12 noon (SRE)

Sunday, May 18: First Communion Mass at 9 a.m. (Mrs. Bittel's class)

SRE Registration 2014-15

Early Bird Registration for next school year's Faith Formation classes, PK through 6th grade, officially begins on **Sunday, June 1**. Registration information and forms are now available on line at the St. Norbert Church website: www.stnorbertchurch/religiouseducation.html

SRE Teachers for 2014-2015

Teachers are needed for our new fall program, *Pflaum's Gospel Weeklies*. There will be an in-service on **Wednesday, May 21, at 6:30 p.m.** All current teachers and interested potential teachers are invited to attend.

Please pray for guidance in sharing your faith journey with the children PK through 6th grade. Please contact Robin Mayes at (714) 998-1070 (SRE office) if you are interested or have any questions.

St. Norbert Catholic School



Please Support Catholic Education

Our parish school is in great need of increasing our Tuition Assistance Fund for the upcoming 2014-15 school year. The financial climate and unemployment have greatly affected many families in our school community. Can you help us support families who desire a Catholic education for their child(ren) but who are facing challenges in financial resources? **Donations of any amount** to this fund can be made as a memorial gift in a loved one's name, anonymously, or in your name, and paperwork will be completed for your tax purposes. To join us in bolstering this fund, please contact Patty Bornhop in the school office at (714) 637-6822 x204, or pbornhop@saintnorbertschool.org. St. Norbert Catholic School is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Your gifts to our school are tax deductible.

Youth Ministry & Confirmation



Congratulations to our 95 newly Confirmed teens and those who also received their First Holy Communion! It's been an honor to journey with you for these two years.

All newly Confirmed and returning Vision Leadership Team:

Please join us for our first Vision meeting this coming **Wednesday, May 7**, at 7 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room!

Junior High Ministry

Our last class of the year is **Monday, May 5**, from 5 to 6:15 p.m. We are looking forward to seeing you for pizza, fun, T-shirt giveaway and a celebration of the end of a good year.

First Communion Spanish Mass (one of three Masses for seventh and eighth graders): **Saturday, May 10**, at 12 noon. Rehearsal for this Mass is on **Friday, May 9**, at 6:30 p.m. in the church.

Young Adult Ministry

Faith Formation Night: Thursday, May 15, from 8 to 9:30 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room. All Young Adults are welcome to join us for formation and fellowship

Service Project Opportunities

E-mail Helen at hbaehner@stnorbertchurch.org to sign up.

- **Her Servants' Kitchen:** **Thursday, May 8**, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Servite High School. Join us as we work alongside the Friars at Servite to serve the community of homeless people at La Palma Park. Drop-off and pick-up are at Servite High School. Permission slip required.
- **Christian Service:** **Saturdays in May** (except May 24) **from 8 to 11 a.m. OR 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.** Join us to help our Christian Service Ministry to serve our community.



FRIDAY, JUNE 6

6 p.m.

Anaheim Hills Country Club

St. Norbert Catholic School Auction

Attention St. Norbert Catholic School Alumni:

- Both Mr. Loffer and Mrs. Debevec will be retiring at the end of this school year, and we invite all of you to attend the annual school auction to help celebrate their many years of service and dedication and send them off in style.
- Can't attend? Kindly consider donating an item or service, or send in your monetary donation to sponsor a teacher's attendance. Please contact Haley Eaton at haleyeaton@gmail.com if you have any questions, or you may call the school office at (714) 637-6822 for more information.



Faith Formation & Enrichment

R.C.I.A.

Thursday evening RCIA sessions will resume this **Thursday, May 1**, with a reflection on the Resurrection and the Paschal Mystery. The following week our topic will be: ***Eucharist as Celebration—Understanding the Mass.***

Those considering becoming a Catholic are invited to come to the Inquiry sessions which also take place on Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9 in the Ministry Center Library, resuming on **May 1**. The Inquiry groups are casual meetings to answer initial questions that people may have, to reflect upon God's presence throughout their lives, and to begin to become familiar with the Sunday scripture readings. If you would like more information, please call Charlene at (714) 637-4360 x114. Anyone who hopes to be received into the Church by Easter next year, 2015, should begin the RCIA process as soon as possible.

Adult Faith Formation

Easter Study: Resurrection!

We will continue our series on Resurrection and Afterlife this Wednesday evening, **May 7, at 7:30 p.m.** This series will reflect on Catholic belief in the afterlife as revealed in the Gospels, the Letters of St. Paul, and the Book of Revelation. This week's topics will be: ***St. Paul on the Resurrected Bodies and Mysticism and Heaven.***

The recorded presentations will be given by Professor Candida Moss, a professor of New Testament and Early Christianity at the University of Notre Dame. Each evening we will hear two 25-minute presentations with time for discussion after each section. Our meetings will be from 7:30 to 9 p.m., and it will be helpful for participants to bring a Bible.

Monday Morning Bible Study

This Monday is the second session of our Monday Morning Bible Study. We are studying Fr. O'Byan's retreat lecture series ***Spirit Of El Shaddai: God of the Nations.*** This series looks at the theological themes present in the book of Genesis. We will meet on **May 5, 12, 19 and June 2**, from 9:15 to 11 a.m. in the Ministry Center Library. Study guides will be available at no cost to participants. Please contact Monica at (714) 998-3215, or Sue at (714) 974-0234 for more information.

Prayer & Meditation with Scripture

Our prayer group continues on **Tuesday evening, May 6.** This weekly hour of prayer is a time to meet with others in quiet and peace away from the busyness and noise of the world. We gather in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at 7:30 p.m. Please feel free to join us—you are most welcome!

Wondering Why

Luke's Gospel is the only one that tells the story of the two disciples on the Road to Emmaus. Mark mentions briefly an appearance of Jesus to two disciples who were walking on their

way to the country, which is probably the same event, but Mark gives no other details about the encounter other than to say that the two disciples went back and told the others, but were not believed. Luke's account is full of details and gives the story theological depth on a number of levels.

These two disciples are walking away from Jerusalem. We can assume they are discouraged and disappointed. Their hopes in Jesus seem to have been crushed three days before when he was put to death. Now they are walking away – away from their hopes, away from their plans, away from their community.

As they walk along a stranger joins them. The reader is told that the stranger is Jesus, but the two disciples do not recognize him. It is a puzzling detail. If they are disciples they must have known Jesus well. One identified as Cleopas may even have been Jesus' uncle, as in another Gospel he is described as being the husband of Mary who was mother of James, a cousin of Jesus. These were close companions, yet they fail to recognize the Lord. Of course, they were not expecting to see Jesus, they did not understand yet about the Resurrection, and even though some women had told them of the empty tomb and stories of angels, these disciples did not believe the women. One could imagine that they were so blinded by the darkness of their own despair that they could not see the Light of their companion.

Jesus knows they do not recognize him, but he chooses not to disclose himself immediately, nor to abandon them for their lack of faith. Instead he begins to explain the scriptures to them and how the writings refer to the Messiah. Even hearing the words of scripture, they don't figure it out, but later they will reflect that their "hearts were burning" as he spoke.

In this story, Luke is telling disciples of all times that Jesus is present with them, even when they are in turmoil and despair and cannot recognize him. Still he is there walking along with them, patiently explaining so that they might understand. And the Lord is present in the scriptures, from the beginning they point the way to him, the promise of God which was a greater promise than could ever have been expected. At the breaking of the bread after the blessing, the disciples recognize that Jesus is with them, but physically he vanishes from their sight. Luke is telling us that it is in the bread that he remains present to his disciples. They do not need his physical body, they have his Eucharistic body, in which he is totally and forever present. Then, these two disciples, who had been discouraged, disbelieving, distressed, know that Jesus lives, and they immediately return to Jerusalem to tell the others.

A description of the Mass is embedded in this early story about the Risen Jesus. He is present when his disciples are gathered. No matter where or under what conditions, he is present in the Word proclaimed, he is present in the breaking of the bread, and all these things call the disciples to mission, to go and tell the others.

We each walk our own Emmaus journey and often fail to recognize that the Lord is walking right beside us all the way. We listen to the scriptures. We share the Eucharistic bread. And we must go back and tell the others of the miracles we experience when we recognize that the stranger who walks with us is the Risen Lord!

Ministerio Hispano

Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

Algunas veces e inesperadamente algo nuevo se desliza sobre nuestro horizonte y nos agarra desprevenidos. Nos levantamos una mañana, nos quedamos parados al pie de la cama mientras pensamos que es bueno estar vivo; entonces nos sonreímos brevemente antes de volver a concentrarnos en los quehaceres del día. O nos sentamos con un amigo al mediodía para almorzar, nos contamos historias y reímos al recordar cosas de la vida de los dos, y en medio de todo eso pensamos para nosotros mismos que este momento presente ha valido todas las luchas y lágrimas de la vida. O nos sentamos en la rara quietud de una casa donde raramente hay quietud y soñamos despiertos acerca de todas las cosas que han sucedido en esta casa en el transcurso de los días y los años y nos damos cuenta de que dentro de esas paredes además de vida ha habido amor y madurez, y ahora oímos el tirar de una puerta y nuestro día regresa al tumultuoso caos.

Todos esos son momentos de gracia, momentos en que las sombras se esfuman aunque sea brevemente y vemos con mucha más claridad que nunca antes, que ésa es la mera presencia de Dios en que nos movemos y existimos. Entonces, por supuesto, el momento desaparece y queremos contárselo a alguien y tal vez tratemos de hacerlo, pero al final de cuentas nuestras palabras no alcanzan a describir la experiencia. Después de todo, ¿con qué palabras se puede explicar que por un breve momento caminamos por la vida junto a Dios de una manera más consciente que nunca antes?

Me pregunto si eso fue parte de lo que sucedió cuando Cleofás y su amigo se encontraron con el extraño en el camino cuando iban de Jerusalén hacia Emaús. ¿Cómo es posible que no se dieran cuenta que ese extraño era Jesús? Tal vez la gracia haya sido que por la fe llegaron a reconocer al Señor Jesús entre ellos y en realidad no tenía importancia si la luz les llegó rápida o lentamente. Lo importante es que sucedió.

—Padre Joseph J. Juknialis

Derechos de autor © 2013, World Library Publications.
Todos los derechos reservados.



CAMPAÑA PARA LOS SERVICIOS PASTORALES 2014
LA IGLESIA DE SAN NORBERTO

Bienvenidos a nuestro rincón de información sobre la PSA 2014 de San Norberto!

Cada fin de semana este recuadro contendrá información actualizada sobre sus promesas.

Compromiso Diocesano: \$150,000

Número de promesas recibidas: 476

Cantidad prometida: \$226,840

Cantidad de promesas pagadas a la fecha: \$114,416

iBuenas noticias! Al 31 de marzo, el saldo de la deuda de nuestra parroquia es de \$608,031. La cantidad que sobrepase nuestro compromiso anual con la PSA será abonada directamente para el pago del adeudo.



¡Atención Jóvenes en High School!

Becas Guadalupanas 2014

El Fondo de Becas Guadalupanas de San Norberto otorgará tres becas de \$1,000 cada una a estudiantes que estén cursando su último año de escuela preparatoria (high school), y que hayan sido aceptados como estudiantes de tiempo completo en una institución de estudios superiores como colegio comunitario, universidad, o un colegio vocacional. Las solicitudes están disponibles en la oficina del Centro de Ministerios, o pueden bajarlas por Internet en www.stnorbertchurch.org/youthministry seleccionando *Guadalupana Scholarship*. Para más información o para hacer donativos al fondo de becas, favor de comunicarse con Pat Robles-Friebert a pfriebert@aol.com o (714) 813-8477.



Escuela Bíblica de Verano

Las inscripciones para la Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones (VBS) 2014 ya comenzaron. Nuestro tema este año es *Animales Extraños...¡Donde el amor de Jesús es único-en-su-clase!* Únanse a nosotros para una semana de diversión del **23 al 27 de junio**, de las 9 a.m. a las 12:15 p.m. ¡Esta semana incluirá divertidos y originales juegos, manualidades, emocionantes historias de la Biblia, deliciosos refrigerios (snacks) y música en vivo cada día! La fecha límite para inscribirse es el **13 de mayo**. El cupo es limitado. ¡Inscríbanse ya!

Los paquetes de inscripción están disponibles en nuestro sitio en Internet de la parroquia: www.stnorbertchurch.org Por favor, póngase en contacto con Amy Glenane en: aglenane1@gmail.com, o llame al (714) 974-8781 para más información. Aproveche esta oportunidad de regalarle a su niño/os esta semana de profundizar en su fe.

Escuela de Verano en la Diócesis de Orange 2014

A todas las personas que necesitan recertificarse, y necesitan saber qué clases pueden ayudarles en su currículo, ya tenemos los folletos en la oficina del Centro de Ministerios. Favor de comunicarse con Shyntia o Carmen para obtener una copia. Recuerden inscribirse a tiempo para no pagar sobrecargo. También necesitan hablar con Juan Hernández o Rita Mejía para obtener la beca de inscripción. Pueden llamar al (714) 637-4360 x105 o 106.

Ofrenda Semanal Parroquial

Agradecemos su apoyo continuo a San Norberto para el año fiscal de julio 1, 2013 a junio 30, 2014. Sus donaciones dominicales aportan al presupuesto que nuestra parroquia necesita para cubrir los gastos de cada semana, el cual es de \$27,900. **La colecta del domingo pasado 13 de abril, fue \$30,898.80.** Se necesita de su donación semanal para el bienestar de nuestra parroquia y para la promoción del Evangelio.



Ministerio Hispano



Ensayos para la Primera Comunión

El ensayo para los niños que harán su Primera Comunión a las 10 a.m. será el **jueves 8 de mayo** a las 5 p.m. en la iglesia.

El ensayo para los niños que celebrarán su Primera Comunión a las 12 del medio día, será el **viernes 9 de mayo** a las 6:30 p.m. En este ensayo tienen que estar presentes los chicos que están con Matt Flati y tienen hermanitos/as en la catequesis del sábado. Favor de comunicarse a la oficina si tienen alguna pregunta o duda con respecto a los horarios al (714) 637-4360 x105 o 106. Por favor traigan únicamente a los niños/as que harán su Primera Comunión. El lugar de reunión será en la Ramada.



Venta de Orquídeas para el Día de las Madres

Como cada año, el programa de educación religiosa en español tendrá su venta de hermosas orquídeas en todas las misas, dando inicio el **sábado 10 de mayo** en la misa de las 5 p.m. Los fondos recaudados son para ayudar a que las catequistas terminen su formación y de esta forma puedan compartir más ampliamente la fe a los niños que cada año llegan al programa de nuestra parroquia. De antemano les agradecemos su apoyo.

Anoten en su calendario

Inscripciones para Catecismo

El **sábado 17 de mayo** estaremos dando inicio a las inscripciones para el Programa de Catecismo 2014-2015 a las 10 a.m. en el patio de la escuela. Favor de recordar que solamente son 20 niños por salón y los niños de la catequesis del Buen Pastor únicamente son 10 por salón.

Retiro de Catequistas

El miércoles 7 de junio

Si no se han anotado favor de hacerlo lo antes posible ya que tenemos que dar la cantidad de personas que nos acompañarán. Favor de Comunicarse con Carmen al (714) 637-4360 x106 o Shyntia al x105. Después de un año de arduo servicio, necesitamos un día de reflexión y compartimiento. Dios les bendiga por su servicio a la comunidad.

Último Día de Clases de Catecismo

El último día de clases de catecismo será el **sábado 31 de mayo**. Quiere decir que después que sus niños hayan celebrado su Primera comunión, el sábado siguiente necesitan regresar a sus clases regulares. Se les entregarán sus certificados a todos los niños del programa incluyendo los de Primera Comunión y su celebración de fin de año.



Parish Calendar

May 4, 2014 ~ May 10, 2014

Sunday, May 4

- 8:00 a.m. Knights of Columbus/Youth Ministry Pancake Breakfast
- 9:00 a.m. SRE First Communion Retreat
- 9:00 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 3:00 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia

Monday, May 5

- 9:00 a.m. Divine Mercy Prayer Group
- 9:15 a.m. Monday Morning Bible Study
- 5:00 p.m. Junior High Ministry
- 7:00 p.m. Baptism Preparation Class
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico para Grupo de Oración
- 7:30 p.m. Filipino Ministry

Tuesday, May 6

- 7:00 p.m. Reunión Mensual de los Ministros de Eucaristía
- 7:00 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class
- 7:00 p.m. RICA
- 7:00 p.m. Praying with Scripture

Wednesday, May 7

- 6:45 p.m. Men's Basketball
- 7:00 p.m. Vision Leadership Team
- 7:00 p.m. Jóvenes para Cristo
- 7:30 p.m. AFF: Resurrection!
- 7:45 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia

Thursday, May 8

- 6:30 p.m. Ensayo de Primera Comunión
- 6:00 p.m. RCIC
- 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración
- 7:30 p.m. RCIA & Inquiry
- 8:00 p.m. Young Adult Ministry

Friday, May 9

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Group of Faith
- 6:30 p.m. Ensayo de Primera Comunión
- 7:00 p.m. Jóvenes para Cristo
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico para Niños
- 7:00 p.m. Adolescentes

Saturday, May 10

- 10:00 a.m. Inglés como Segundo Idioma (ESL)
- 10:00 a.m. Preparación para la Ciudadanía
- 10:00 a.m. Primera Comunión
- 12:00 p.m. Primera Comunión
- 12:00 p.m. Christian Service Food Distribution
- 3:30 p.m. Confessions
- 6:30 p.m. Mother's Day Orchid Sale

Community Life & Groups

Attention High School Seniors!

2014 Guadalupana Scholarships

Three \$1,000 St. Norbert Guadalupana Scholarships are being offered to our parish graduating seniors who plan to continue their studies full-time at a community college, university or vocational/trade school.



The application deadline is **Friday, May 30**. For more information, please go to www.stnorbertchurch.org and click on the Youth Ministry tab.



Vacation Bible School

VBS will be held **June 23-27** from 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Our theme this year is **WEIRD ANIMALS...Where Jesus' Love is One-of-A-**

Kind! This faith-filled week will include wacky games, cool crafts, exciting Bible stories, yummy snacks, and live music each day!

- Students entering grades K-5 are able to participate as campers. Forms can be downloaded from our parish website or **Facebook** page: www.facebook.com/snvs The deadline to register is **May 13**. Space is limited, so sign up now!
- Students entering grades 6-12 are able to help as leaders and assistants. Earn service hours while having tons of fun! Register online at www.facebook.com/snvs
- Don't have a child to sign up, but still want to support VBS? We are seeking sponsorships and donations. Please contact us for more information!

Registration packets are also available on our parish website at www.stnorbertchurch.org Contact Amy Glenane at aglenane1@gmail.com or (714) 974-8781 with general VBS questions. Contact Sharon Pearson at stogiepearson@gmail.com or (714) 501-0652 with questions regarding student volunteers.



Alay Kay Maria

Monday, May 19 at 5 p.m.

The Filipino Community will celebrate **Alay Kay Maria** (Offering to Mary) on **Monday, May 19**, from 5 to 9 p.m. There will be Mass, Rosary, and flower offerings by young children. Children who wish to participate must register by **Monday, May 5**. Please call Lucille at (714) 974-4399 to register your child.

St. Norbert Mothers Group

We are a diverse group of women gathering together for mutual support, fellowship, service and love. We welcome you to join in our upcoming events and become a part of this great group of moms.

Here's what we have planned for May:

- **Tuesday, May 13:** Zoo Day at Santa Ana Zoo at 12:30 p.m.
- **Friday, May 16:** Mom's Night Out with Fondue, time TBA
- **Friday, May 23:** Faith & Fellowship

Contact Barbara Brule at (714) 287-9780 or bbrule79@yahoo.com for more information.

Pray for the sick . . .

Bertha Aragon

Jane Black

Irene Cabrera

Giovanni Camponovo

Leonard Cruz

Eileen De Brita

Maureen Ensch

Pauline Erhard

Bishop Cirilo Flores

"Poppy" Jeppesen

Tony Julik

Jorge Ledesma

Jane Leikhuis

Lisa Odeh

Cosme Ortiz

Mickie Pecoraro

Agustin Roa, Jr.

Bud Sprinkles

Kim Summers

Sheila Utrup

Thomas Watson

Theresa Whaley

Cris Wong

Eugene Wynsen

... and for those who have died.

Jesús Torreblanca

Dorothy Wells

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 3, 2014

5:00 p.m. + John & Rose Brugioni

Sunday, May 4, 2014

7:30 a.m. + Bruce Anderson

9:00 a.m. St. Norbert Parishioners

10:30 a.m. + Christopher Gayahan

12:00 p.m. + Jack & Barbara Resh

2:00 p.m. + Camerina Cerda

5:30 p.m. + Herminia Aguirre de Cueva

7:00 p.m. John Nguyen

Monday, May 5, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Zena Brennan

8:30 a.m. + Kathy Oldham

Tuesday, May 6, 2014

6:15 a.m. Thu Nguyen

8:30 a.m. + Peg Wynsen

Wednesday, May 7, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Milo Le Vecke

8:30 a.m. + Inocensia Mar

7:00 p.m. + José Vega & Josefina Flores

Thursday, May 8, 2014

6:15 a.m. Giovanni Camponovo & Family

8:30 a.m. + Robert Wynsen

Friday, May 9, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Lilian Petz

8:30 a.m. + Patty Heim

Saturday, May 10, 2014

8:30 a.m. Minerva Rodríguez



Our Parish & Beyond



Priesthood Discernment Evening

This evening is designed to familiarize interested men with the life, prayer and possible call to priesthood is the Diocese of Orange. There is no commitment on your part, other than an expression of interest to participate.

The next "Priesthood Discernment" evening will be held on **Wednesday, May 7, at 6 p.m.** at the Diocese of Orange Pastoral Center, First Floor, Room 1D, Christ Cathedral Campus.

If you have any questions regarding the Priesthood Discernment evening, please contact our Director of Vocations, Fr. John Moneypenny at (714) 282-3036, or via e-mail at fr.jmoneypenny@rcbo.org



Intercessors of Divine Mercy Feast of the Visitation

The Intercessors of the Divine Mercy invite you to celebrate the Feast of the Visitation with Fr. Piotr Prusakiewicz on **Saturday, May 31**, at St. Thomas Korean Catholic church, 412 N. Crescent Way in Anaheim.

Fr. Prusakiewicz, a member of the Congregation of St. Michael the Archangel in Marki, near Warsaw, Poland, is regarded as a world-renowned expert on Divine Mercy and Holy Angels. He served as chaplain to the Congregation of Sisters of Mercy of Our Lady of Mercy in Warsaw where St. Faustina began her religious life. Come and receive the blessings the following program offers.

- Healing Mass
- Holy Hour
- Blessing with first class relic of Sr. Faustina
- Inspiring talks from Fr. Piotr

The program begins at 8:30 a.m. and concludes at 1 p.m. Please RSVP to Lourdes Carroll at (714) 624-6561 or by email to marilyn@pacbell.net

New Hope Crisis Counseling Center Telephone Hotline & Online Counseling

A faith-based response—24 Hours a day/ 7 Days a Week

Trained crisis workers provide peer counseling to people who are struggling to cope with day-to-day life.

(714) New Hope (Hotline)

www.newhopenow.org (Online)

Live in a Christ-Like Manner

In the Cursillo Movement we approach evangelization as a very natural act of being Christ-like within each of our daily activities. We realize that while most people would like to live their lives in a Christ-like manner, the pressures of the world often make this difficult, if not impossible. The Cursillo Movement provides a method and a technique to provide each of us with the tools, the mentality, the strength and the support to make this natural type of evangelization possible. If you would like to bring Christ into your life, take the first step and sign up for Cursillo. The next Cursillo weekends will be in October 2014. Please contact Ron Accornero at (714) 396-7295 for more information about Cursillo.



Magnificat Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, May 17

9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Embassy Suites Anaheim-South
11767 Harbor Boulevard, Garden Grove

Magnificat Prayer Breakfast presents singer/songwriter, **Jackie Francois Angel**. Come renew your spirit and join us for a morning of prayer, praise and Jackie's inspirational testimony, *Surprised by Love*.

Registration by mail by May 10: \$28 per person

Registration at the door: \$33 per person

Mail to: Magnificat Ministry, P.O. Box 4381, Orange, CA 92863
The meal includes a full plated breakfast as well as the speaker's program. Please visit www.magnificat-orangecounty.org for a flyer and registration information. BLUE flyers are also available in the vestibule of the church. For registration information, contact Denise at (949) 583-7380 or jdhall@sbcglobal.net



Hospice Volunteers Needed

Hospice volunteers are needed in our community to provide supportive services to terminally ill patients and their families.

VITAS Innovative Hospice Care® is seeking interested individuals who can commit an average of two hours per week to make a difference with patients or in our offices. You can volunteer around your schedule and in the area you live or work. The only necessary qualifications are a caring heart, the ability to listen, and a willingness to learn. The next training class is **Saturday, May 17**, from 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Please contact Libby Davis, Volunteer Manager at (714) 734-2723, or elizabeth.davis@vitas.com





Parish Ministries & Organizations

Adult Faith Formation

Charlene Dumitru, Director (714) 637-4360 x114

Altar Care

Denise Bittel (714) 633-2444

Altar Servers/Monaguillos[English] Karen Purpura (714) 974-6507
[Spanish] Jaime Estrada (714) 420-5462**Baptismal Preparation/Pre-Bautismales**[English] Charlene Dumitru (714) 637-4360 x114
[Spanish] Carmen Estrada.. (714) 637-4360 x106
[Spanish] Isaias Perez.....(714) 721-3944**Bereavement**

Denise Bittel (714) 637-4360 x130

Bible StudiesMonday AM - Monica Everling....(714) 998-3215
Evening - Charlene Dumitru . (714) 637-4360 x114**Bodas**

Sonia Jiménez (714) 778-0661

Bulletin Editor

Joan Doyle (714) 282-1082

stnorbertbulletin@gmail.com**Calendar Secretary**

Lola Reynoso.....(714) 637-4360

Charlas PrematrimonialesDionicio y Fausta Medina.....(951) 496-2350
Ángel y Carla Jaime (714) 289-8185**Childcare Co-Op**

Michelle Navarro (949) 322-4073

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Michele Desbiens.....(714) 999-2710

Christian Service

Margie Balch (714) 637-4360 x113

Coffee & Donut Coordinator

Janet Llewellyn.....(714) 998-3104

Confirmation Preparation

Kirsten King (714) 637-4360 x210

Cub Scout Pack #863

Joe Beckman (714) 222-2895

Cursillo

Ron Accornero (714) 771-3222

Diacono

Juan Espinoza.....(714) 202-5828

Divine Mercy Prayer Group

Helen Amposta (714) 279-9441

Elizabeth Ministry

Amy Glenane (714) 974-8781

ESL (inglés como segundo idioma)

Mary Richardson.....(714) 637-4711

Eucharistic Adoration Committee

Ed Majcher.....(714) 998-1574

Eucharistic Ministers/Ministros**Extraordinarios de Eucaristía**[English] Fran Needham (714) 743-5169
[Spanish] Bertha Manzo (714) 771-6882
[Spanish] Alma Arzaga.....(714) 630-8678**Eucharistic Ministry to the Sick & Homebound/Enfermos**[Kaiser] Toby Tobin (714) 998-2584
[Home Route] Janine Kilgore(714) 637-4360 x110
[Spanish] María Ruiz.....(714) 633-7829**Filipino Ministry**

Lucille Justiniani.....(714) 974-4399

Grupo de OraciónBenito González.....(714) 538-1853
Antonio Vásquez (714) 499-5548**Guadalupanos**

Carmen Carbajal (714) 974-5251

Hospitality/HospitalidadJanet Llewellyn (714) 998-3104
[Spanish] Alberto Ocampo.....(714) 597-2428
[Spanish] Bertha Toribio (714) 998-5210**Inquiry Classes**

Charlene Dumitru (714) 637-4360 x114

Italian Catholic Federation

Joe & Rose Digrado.....(714) 974-1978

Jóvenes Para CristoAlfredo Rodríguez.....(714) 788-7175
Gloria Chávez.....(714) 805-0257**Kirkwood Eucharistic Ministers**

Peter Ricks.....(714) 633-0731

Knights of Columbus Council #15733

Bill Everest.....(714) 633-9154

Lady Knights

Carolyn Ohrbrecht.....(714) 402-2576

Lectors/Lectores

[English] Cameron LaFont.....(714) 974-3786

[Spanish] Santiago Guzman (714) 360-7691

Library

Kathleen Rapport (714) 538-8117

Líders de Comité Hispano

Rita Mejía (714) 633-0198

Juan Hernández.....(714) 289-8312

Liturgy

Janine Kilgore (714) 637-4360 x110

Men's Group of Faith

Gary McKimmy (714) 224-6160

Matt Terrones (714) 904-5822

Ministerio Hispano

Carmen Estrada (714) 637-4360 x106

Shyntia Ospino, Secretary...(714) 637-4360 x105

Mothers Group

Barbara Brule (714) 287-9780

Music/Coro

John Erhard, Director (714) 637-4360 x126

Contemporary Ensemble, English

Janine Kilgore.....(714) 637-4360 x110

Coro de Niños

Ana Muñoz.....(714) 402-2789

Domingos, español

Cristal Flores(714) 279-9149

Jóvenes Para Cristo Coro

Miguel Lugo(714) 538-2497

Valentin Nieves(714) 996-0410

Miércoles, español

Miguel Lugo(714) 538-2497

Traditional Choir, English

John Erhard(714) 637-4360 x126

Nurse for Seniors, Order of Malta

Ann Bilash, RN(714) 637-4360 x120

Orange Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

Mary Vitchus(714) 771-0984

Praying with Scripture

Sr. Breda Christopher(714) 283-2496

Quinceañeras

Rosalba Hernández(714) 597-3953

RCIA/RICA

[English] Charlene Dumitru (714) 637-4360 x114

[Spanish] Gilma y Ruben Tenorio..(714) 597-1318

Respect Life

Bernie Vitchus(714) 771-0984

Returning Catholics Fellowship

Charlene Dumitru.....(714) 637-4360 x114

St. Norbertfest

Mike Adray(714) 637-4360 x116

St. Norbert Catholic School

John Loffer, Principal.....(714) 637-6822

School of Religious Education/Catequistas

Robin Mayes [English](714) 998-1070

Carmen Estrada [Spanish] .. (714) 637-4360 x106

Sewing Circle

Ellen Riopel(714) 750-9039

Southwest Community Kitchen Outreach

Marie Baumann(714) 997-9254

Ushers

Joe Costanza(714) 532-5494

Young at Heart

Elizabeth Severin.....(714) 538-6602

Young Adult Ministry

Adrian Chavez(714) 225-4261

Youth Ministry/Adolescentes Latinos

Kirsten King, Director (714) 637-4360 x210

Matt Flati, Junior High.....(714) 637-4360 x212

Helen Baehner, Secretary .. (714) 637-4360 x215

[Spanish] Jaime Estrada(714) 420-5462