

Blessed are you who fear the LORD.

Psalm 128:1a



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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

CONFESSIONS

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.

EUCCHARISTIC 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

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Thessalonians 5:1-6

The End

If we knew when the end of our life would be, we could get ready for it. We could have our wills prepared, our possessions disposed, funeral arrangements made, and goodbyes said. We would also have plenty of time to repent for the sin we had committed.

Evildoers would also know how much time they still had to commit sin before they needed to repent.

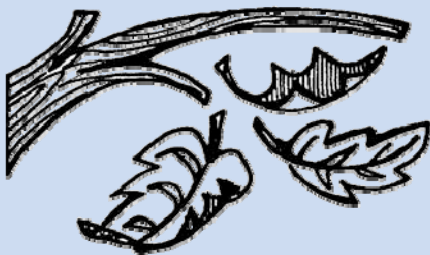
God does not give us this information. We do not know when our life will end or when Christ will come again. God's hope is that we would be ready all the time, and that we would live each day as if it were our last.

The First Letter to the Thessalonians says, "You yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief at night."

God's day will come suddenly, when we do not expect it, and it will rob us of what we hold dear, as a thief does at night. Throughout the month of November we reflect on the end—the end of the church year and the end of life. It is a mournful time, but a beautiful time. We remember all the saints and all the souls of the faithful departed. We thank God for the fruits of the earth, and we prepare ourselves for the eternal harvest in heaven. We do not know when it is coming, but we want to be ready.

-Paul Turner

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Call to Discipleship

Each year in the Diocese of Orange, Bishop Kevin Vann encourages all of us to observe Stewardship during November. Basically, stewardship in our Catholic Tradition is this: *Everything comes from God, everything belongs to God and we, God's chosen ones, are blessed to be the stewards of God's countless gifts.*

The Gospel often reminds us that our talents and abilities are to be gratefully acknowledged, carefully developed, and generously used for the good of others and the glory of God. Perhaps this stewardship prayer will give some assistance to each of us in understanding **Stewardship as a call to Discipleship**. Please keep this prayer handy for frequent use.

God my Creator, you made me all that I am and gave me all that I have.

Help me show my gratitude by using these gifts to serve others in your name.

Jesus my Redeemer, you taught me the way to eternal life by your example of loving service to others.

Grant me the courage to respond to your call to Discipleship by following in your footsteps.

Holy Spirit of God, be with me as I choose each day to put you first in my life.

Let me be a model of Christian Stewardship so others will come to know you through my actions.

I pray, my dear Lord, that you open the minds and hearts of all the men, women and young people of our parish that we may joyfully accept your challenge to be good stewards.

Amen.

Opening the Year of Celebrating Consecrated Life

Solemn Evening Prayer

Friday, November 21, at 7:30 p.m.

Holy Family Cathedral, Orange

Pope Francis has dedicated a year for the Church to celebrate all men and women dedicated by vow. Please come and celebrate with our Religious Priests, Sisters, Brothers and Members of Institutes.

Weekly Parish Offering

Thank you for your continuing support of St. Norbert Parish. For the fiscal year July 1, 2014, to June 30, 2015, our parish budget calls for \$27,900 to be donated weekly at the Sunday collection. **The collection Sunday, November 9, was \$24,616.24.** 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.





Parish Life



Lector Formation Workshop

All lectors are asked to attend our yearly formation workshop on **EITHER Monday, November 17**, from 7:30 to 9 p.m., **OR Wednesday, November 19**, from 10 to

11:30 a.m., in the Ministry Center Hall. Workbooks for Year B will be distributed. Anyone who is interested in becoming a lector is also welcome to attend.

Thanksgiving Christian Service Food Collection

This month we are collecting boxed stuffing mix to go with our Thanksgiving Turkey Giveaway on **Saturday, November 22**. We will have bins in the vestibule the next two weekends, or you can drop the stuffing mix off at any time in the Ministry Center. Thank you, as always, for your generosity in helping those in need.



Give Thanks

Thursday, November 27

As a community of faith we thank God for the many blessings we enjoy. Please join us for our annual Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9 a.m. All who attend are

invited to bring bread and wine for your family meal to have it blessed. We also encourage you to bring a donation of non-perishable food to help restock the Christian Service pantry for the needy in our community.

Thanksgiving Pie Makers

Once again we are asking for your help this Thanksgiving in baking or buying a pie (any filling) to serve the needy. Pies may be delivered to:

Larry & Jeanne Honikel

1600 Maplewood Street, Orange

Please deliver your pie(s) any time on **Wednesday, November 26**. For more information call Larry or Jeanne at (714) 637-1248.

NOTE: We are looking for someone to take over this parish tradition from Larry and Jeanne Honikel. If you are willing to take on this project beginning next year, please contact Larry or Jeanne at (714) 637-1248. The project involves having space to collect and store pie donations the day before Thanksgiving. Someone else will pick up the pies and deliver them on Thanksgiving morning.



Early Bulletin Deadline for Thanksgiving Weekend

In order to accommodate our publisher's holiday production schedule, **the deadline for bulletin articles to be published on November 30, is Monday, November 17**. Articles must be received by e-mail or delivered to the Ministry Center by 5 p.m. on the deadline date. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!



This Week is Taco Sunday & First Christmas Boutique

The Christmas Boutique will be held after all Masses this **Sunday, November 16**. This year we have a great selection of Christmas gift

items as well as an array of household, jewelry and other fun things to see, as well as a unique hand-crafted items made by the loving hands of our Sewing Circle Ministry.

Taco Sunday will begin at 10 a.m. and continue until 2 p.m. We'll be serving all your favorites: tacos, tostadas, tamales, burritos, taquitos and quesadillas. Please join us for this great event—dine, shop and help Christian Service serve the needy.

Young at Heart Club

On **Thursday, November 20**, the Young at Heart Club will have its annual Thanksgiving Feast. Please join us at 10 a.m. in the Ministry Center for a delicious catered turkey lunch with all the trimmings. Please bring your favorite appetizer, side dish, beverage or dessert. We will be discussing plans for the December meeting. We will also elect new officers for the coming year. For more information, call Elizabeth at (714) 538-6602.



It's Adopt-a-Family Time!

The Adopt-a-Family coordinators will be out at the Ramada after all Masses starting next weekend, **November 15/16**, for Christmas Adopt-a-Family sign-ups. Spread the joy of Jesus' birth by providing a needy family with a grocery card, clothing and a toy or gift card for each child and any extras you wish to provide for the family. Choose from all sizes of families, or grab a friend and adopt a family together! Thank Our Lord for all your blessings by helping a less fortunate family have a Merry Christmas. Let's get into the spirit of giving...for it is in giving that we receive.

Thank you and God bless you for your support and generosity!



National Needs Special Collection

November 22 & 23

The annual National Needs Collection will be taken up in the Diocese of Orange next weekend. This collection combines three national collections into one: **Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Catholic Communication Campaign, and Catholic University of America**. Your generosity will support the ongoing needs of these vital ministries.

Youth & Teen Ministries

School of Religious Education



SRE Advent Enrichment Program for Parents

Monday, November 17: from 4 to 5 p.m. for parents whose children attend SRE class at this time, and then repeated from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

for parents of children in the later class.

Tuesday, November 18: from 4 to 5 p.m. for parents whose children attend SRE class at this time, and then repeated from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. for parents of children in the later class.

Parents of children in SRE Kindergarten are welcome to attend either date or time. The meetings will be held in the Ministry Hall, Section C. RSVP to Robin Mayes in the SRE office (714) 998-1070.

St. Norbert Catholic School

End of Year Giving

As 2014 winds down, please consider St. Norbert Catholic School in your end-of-year giving considerations.

A gift of cash and non-cash items of any size, such as stocks or mutual funds, to the SNCS

Endowment Fund will provide a source of continuous financial support to St. Norbert Catholic School now and into the future.

A gift of any size to our **Tuition Assistance Fund** will offer immediate support to a family/families struggling to meet their child(ren)'s tuition costs (\$5,600/year).

St. Norbert Catholic School is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization (Tax I.D. #95-2420254). Your gifts to our school are tax deductible. To arrange your gift, please contact our school's Development Director Patty Bornhop at (714) 637-6822 x204 or pbornhop@saintnorbertschool.org Thank you for your consideration. God bless!



Donate Your Vehicle & Support SNCS

St. Norbert Catholic School has partnered with **Cars 4 Causes**, the vehicle donation service known as the "Charity that gives to charities." Anyone with a functioning or non-functioning vehicle they no longer want—car, truck, RV, motorcycle or boat—can contact **Cars 4 Causes**, who will handle the paperwork, pick up or tow your vehicle, make repairs, sell the vehicle and provide the donor with a tax receipt. St. Norbert Catholic School will then receive a donation based on the final resale price of the vehicle. The money earned from this program will be directed straight to our school's Endowment Fund.

Donations can be made online from the school website (<http://saintnorbertschool.org/fundraisers>) or by calling **Cars 4 Causes** directly at 800/766-CARE. Callers should indicate St. Norbert Catholic School as the charity of their choice. For more information, please contact, Patty Bornhop, at (714) 637-6822 x204 or pbornhop@saintnorbertschool.org

Youth Ministry & Confirmation

Serving Junior High through College-Age Young Adults



Confirmation Program Confirmation 1 & 2

Today, Sunday, November 16: C1Teen/Sponsor Event from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m.

C1 & C2 Classes in Homes:
Tuesday, November 18, from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

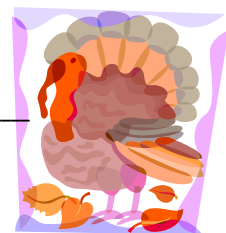
Next Sunday, November 23: C1 & C2 Father & Son Advent Retreat Day from 1:30 to 6:30 p.m. For all teen boys in the Confirmation Program and their fathers.

Junior High Ministry

Monday, November 17: Junior High Thanksgiving Social from 4 to 5:15 p.m.

Vision Leadership Team

Wednesday, November 19: Vision Potluck Thanksgiving Social from 6 to 8 p.m. Sign up for food items to bring!



Young Adult Ministry

Faith Formation Nights will be back in December—have a blessed Thanksgiving!

RCIA for Teens

(Teens preparing for Baptism, First Eucharist & Confirmation)
Rite of Welcome in the church this **Thursday, November 20**, from 6 to 7:15 p.m.

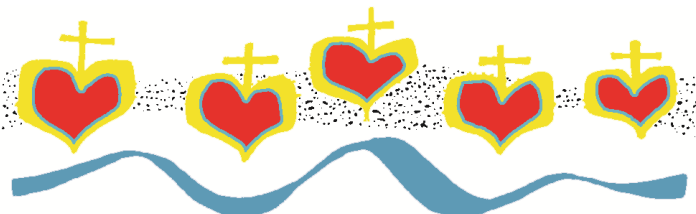
December First Friday

Our monthly Teen Holy Hour on **Friday, December 5**, will be replaced with the Rosary Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe. We are looking for 3 teens to help lead the Rosary in English. E-mail Kirsten if you are interested at kdking@stnorbertchurch.org

Service Opportunities

All teen volunteers must sign-up in advance with Helen via e-mail at hbaehner@stnorbertchurch.org

- **Christian Service: Saturdays in November** (except **Saturday, November 29** on Thanksgiving weekend) **from 8 to 11 a.m. OR 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.** Join us to help our Christian Service Ministry serve our community.





R.C.I.A.

This **Thursday, November 20**, Marlyn Schima will be speaking about Christian stewardship. We will not meet the following week because of the Thanksgiving holiday. Parishioners who are interested in any of the RCIA presentations or in sharing your faith with the RCIA community are always invited to join us for any session.

Anyone interested in beginning the process of becoming Catholic, or with questions about Catholic belief, is invited to come any Thursday at 7:30 p.m. to our Inquiry sessions. Inquiry is an open-ended small group discussion format designed to respond to questions or to begin a person's faith journey toward Catholic sacraments. Topics are determined by the interests expressed in the group.

Bible Studies

Monday Mornings: The morning group will meet this **Monday, November 17**, in the Ministry Center Library at 9:15. New participants are still welcome to join this overview of the whole Bible which will continue until Easter. Each session consists of a video presentation and discussion.

Beginners Bible Study to Continue: Parishioners who have been attending the **Tuesday evening** Bible Study for beginners have decided to continue for another six weeks in order to have additional sessions on New Testament writings. New participants are welcome. It is not necessary to have attended the previous sessions. This week we will be studying the Gospel of Mark. This group meets on Tuesday evenings from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Ministry Center Library

Wednesday evenings: On **Wednesday, November 19**, we will conclude our 8-week Bible Study on the Prophets of the Old Testament. We will continue to reflect upon the relationship between the Prophets and the Kings of Israel from David to the Babylonian exile, and how the religion of the Israelites continued to develop through Divine revelation and the preaching of the Prophets. This week we will look at the stories in the Book of Daniel. This group meets on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Ministry Center Library.

Prayer & Meditation with Scripture

Our prayer group will gather in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel this **Tuesday, November 18**. This hour of prayer time utilizes varying prayer forms each week. It is a time to meet with others in quiet and peace away from the busyness and noise of the world. We gather for prayer in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at 7:30 p.m.



Wondering Why

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells a parable about three servants who were entrusted with varying amounts of money by their master. Two invested the money and realized a profit. One buried his money in the ground to keep it safe, so the funds he was given did not grow. This is not a story about investment banking nor is it advice on how to deal with the current economic crisis. Jesus is telling us that whatever the gifts are that God has given us, we must use them, perhaps even risk them, for them to prosper and grow. If we hide our gifts and refuse to use them, they will benefit no one. Perhaps more importantly, Jesus is assuring us that no matter how small we feel our individual gifts may be, with God, they will become far more than we had imagined.

We are the stewards, the guardians, of God's gifts. The world and its environment itself is a gift from God and as good stewards we are all called to be responsible in our care for the earth, its resources, and its inhabitants, human, animal, plant and mineral. We also all have individual gifts of our time, our talents and our treasure. In the parable, the third servant hid his money because he was afraid. Sometimes, we too hide our talents, our God-given gifts because we are too afraid to use them. We might be afraid that other people might not appreciate our abilities, might ridicule our intentions or efforts, or that our personal talents are not as developed as someone else's. The servants in the story did not all receive the same amount, but all were expected to put whatever gift they were given to good use. When we use our gifts, they develop and grow. Neglected, they fade away from disuse. Jesus is promising in this story that it is the effort that counts. In the Kingdom of God those who are willing to try reap a benefit. Those who will not risk themselves are failing to do what the master asks of them.

Giving up some of our time and using our natural abilities to help other people is a way to be a responsible steward of God's gifts. Think about the things you enjoy doing, these are clues to your talents. Someone who loves children or enjoys telling lively stories might make an excellent religious education teacher for the primary grades. A person with sensitivity to recognizing the movement of the Spirit in another person's life might be called to be a sponsor in RCIA. Our youth always need wise mentors who can offer love, guidance and patient listening. Financially supporting, as we are able, our church and other worthwhile charities is also a part of our Christian commitment to stewardship. Volunteering in the larger community, being active in political issues for the good of the people, assisting those who are troubled or living in poverty are also ways invest our gifts that God has given to us.

This week, think about your gifts, realizing that everyone is gifted in some way. Then think about the needs in your church, your school, your community and see what connections occur to you about who might be in need of the very gifts that God has entrusted to you.

Ministerio Hispano

Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

Algunas cosas caen en nuestra vida y nosotros sencillamente las aceptamos. Así eran las vacaciones de verano cuando yo era niño. No había necesidad, ni ciertamente deseo, de organizarla para que fueran más efectivas. El verano era mejor cuando sencillamente se daba: montar en bicicleta, jugar algún tipo de béisbol en los terrenos de la escuela detrás de nuestra casa, nadar en uno de los parques, ir a comprar helado o nieve al anochecer, atrapar luciérnagas y un millar de otras cosas que juntas constituían el verano.

Hay otras cosas, sin embargo, que caen en nuestra vida, pero que no llevan a ninguna parte, salvo y tal vez después de bastantes aguijonazos. La escuela me viene a la mente. Nunca hubiera ido a la escuela de haberseme dado la opción. Sacarme las amígdalas cae en la misma categoría, así como usar frenillos en mis dientes, mudarme a una ciudad nueva cuando tenía ocho años y la muerte de mi abuela el día que cumplí doce años. Yo lo tomaba todo con calma, pues no había otra manera de tomarlo. Aunque si me hubiesen dado a elegir, nada de eso hubiera sucedido jamás. Sencillamente pasé por todo eso y después todo pasó.

El Evangelio de esta semana propone que Dios viene más o menos de la misma manera. Dios nos da cinco talentos en la vida, dos o aun uno y con ellos nos da suficiente energía para doblarlos. Sin embargo, algunas veces Dios llega de sorpresa cuando preferiríamos que nos dejara tranquilos y entonces le echamos tierra a Dios sólo porque la situación no nos parece muy vivificante. Pero pudiera ser vivificante, como lo es la rutina agotadora de criar a los hijos o ir al mismo trabajo que hemos tenido por los últimos veinticinco años, o cuidar de unos padres ancianos. Al final nos damos cuenta que echarle tierra a esa vida es más mortífero que arriesgarse a vivirla y que al vivirla produciremos más fruto que nunca soñado.

—Padre Joseph J. Juknialis

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Un Llamado al Discipulado

Cada año en la Diócesis de Orange, el Obispo Kevin Vann nos anima a todos a observar el tema de corresponsabilidad durante el mes de noviembre. Básicamente, esto es corresponsabilidad en nuestra Tradición Católica: *Todo proviene de Dios y todo le pertenece a Dios, y nosotros los elegidos de Dios, estamos bendecidos para ser los administradores de los infinitos dones de Dios.*

El Evangelio nos recuerda a menudo que nuestros talentos y habilidades en un acto de agradecimiento deben ser reconocidos, cuidadosamente desarrollados y utilizados generosamente por el bien de los demás y por la gloria de Dios. Quizás esta oración de corresponsabilidad ayude a cada uno de nosotros en la comprensión de la **Mayordomía como un llamado al discipulado**. Por favor tenga a mano esta oración para uso frecuente.

Dios mi creador, tú creaste todo lo que soy y me diste todo lo que tengo.

Ayúdame a mostrar mi gratitud mediante el uso de estos dones para servir a los demás en tu nombre.

Jesús mi Redentor, tú me enseñaste el camino a la vida eterna con tu ejemplo y amor al servicio al prójimo.

Concédeme el valor para responder a tu llamado al discipulado y seguir tus pasos.

Espíritu Santo de Dios, acompáñame, en cuanto elijo todos los días el ponerte primero en mi vida.

Permíteme ser un modelo de la mayordomía cristiana para que otros vengan a conocerte a través de mis acciones.

Ruego, mi querido Señor, que abras las mentes y los corazones de todos los hombres, mujeres y jóvenes de nuestra parroquia que gozosamente aceptemos tu reto de ser buenos administradores de tus bienes.

Amén.

Taller De Duelo

La Navidad y el Año Nuevo son fiestas en las que la familia se reúne con alegría y entusiasmo. Pero para quienes han sufrido la muerte de un ser querido, separación o divorcio, esto conlleva a un estrés adicional, debido a que la tristeza, la angustia y en muchos casos la desesperación, hacen difícil que puedan integrarse a las celebraciones. Si usted ha tenido una pérdida que le está causando tristeza, le invitamos a este taller.

Fecha: Sábado 6 de diciembre

Lugar: St. Angela Merici - Salón Sarah
585 S. Walnut Avenue en Brea

Hora: 10 a.m. – 12 media día

Para más información pueden llamar al (714) 529-1821x134 (El Grupo *Empezar de Nuevo*)

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 9 de noviembre, fue \$24,616.24.** Se necesita de su donación semanal para el bienestar de nuestra parroquia y para la promoción del Evangelio.

La parroquia de San Norberto es una comunidad dinámica de discípulos de Jesucristo que se esfuerza por continuar sus ministerios de oración, amor y servicio.



Ministerio Hispano



Taller de Formación de Lectores

Todos los lectores están invitados a participar del entrenamiento anual, el **lunes 17 de noviembre**, a las 7:30 p.m. en el Centro de Ministerios, también se repartirá el libro del Año B 2014-2015. Este taller se impartirá en inglés pero todos están cordialmente invitados. Para más información pueden comunicarse con la Señora Janine al (714) 637-4360 x110.

Comité Hispano

Se recuerda a todos los coordinadores y subcoordinadores del Comité Hispano que la reunión mensual de comité será la próxima semana, el **martes 18 de noviembre**, a las 7 p.m. en el salón de Oscar Romero. Para más información pueden comunicarse con Blandina Rosas al (714) 403-4666 o con Rita Mejia al (714) 392-6694

Reunión de Padres de Familia del Programa de Formación en la Fe

Favor de tomar nota, se recuerda a todos los padres de familia que la reunión mensual será el **sábado 22 de noviembre**, a las 6 p.m. en el Centro Familiar y Juvenil (Gym). Todos los padres con sus niños son bienvenidos. Para más información favor de comunicarse a las oficinas del Centro de Ministerios con Carmen Estrada o Shyntia al (714) 637-4360 x105 o 106. ¡Su asistencia es importante para sus niños!



Colecta de Comida de Servicio Cristiano para el Día de Acción de Gracias

Este mes estamos juntando cajas de relleno para dar junto con los pavos que estaremos repartiendo el **sábado 22 de noviembre** para la cena de Acción de Gracias. Tendremos contenedores en el vestíbulo de la iglesia durante los dos próximos fines de semana, o también pueden dejar sus donaciones en el Centro de Ministerios a cualquier hora. Como siempre, muchas gracias por su generosidad y por apoyarnos para poder ayudar a aquellos en necesidad.

Preparación Pre-Bautismal

Les informamos a los padres de familia que han registrado o van a registrar a sus niños para bautizar el **3 de enero del 2015**, que las pláticas de preparación se llevarán a cabo los **viernes 5 y 12 de diciembre**, de 6:30 p.m. a 8:30 p.m., en el salón Madre Teresa.

NO tendremos clases los viernes **19 y 26 de diciembre** como se hace cada mes; debido a la preparación de Navidad. Para más información favor de comunicarse a las oficinas con Carmen o Shyntia al (714) 637-4360 x105 o 106, agradecemos su comprensión.




Parish Calendar

November 16, 2014 ~ November 22, 2014

Sunday, November 16

- 8:30 a.m. Unique Boutique
- 9:00 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 10:00 a.m. Taco Sunday
- 3:00 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia
- 3:30 p.m. Confirmation 1 Teen/Sponsor Event

Monday, November 17

- 9:15 a.m. AFF: Monday Morning Bible Study
- 9:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Prayer Group
- 4:00 p.m. SRE Parent Advent Enrichment
- 4:00 p.m. Junior High Thanksgiving Social
- 6:30 p.m. SRE Parent Advent Enrichment
- 7:00 p.m. Lady Knights
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico para Grupo de Oración
- 7:30 p.m. Lector Formation Workshop

Tuesday, November 18

- 4:00 p.m. SRE Parent Advent Enrichment
- 6:00 p.m. Adult Faith Formation Thanksgiving Celebration
- 6:30 p.m. SRE Parent Advent Enrichment
- 7:00 p.m. Comité Hispano
- 7:00 p.m. RICA
- 7:30 p.m. Confirmation 1 & 2 Classes in Homes
- 7:30 p.m. AFF: Beginner's Bible Study
- 7:30 p.m. Praying with Scripture

Wednesday, November 19

- 9:00 a.m. Southwest Community Kitchen Food Drop-Off
- 10:00 a.m. Lector Formation Workshop
- 6:00 p.m. Vision Team Thanksgiving Potluck
- 6:45 p.m. Men's Basketball
- 7:00 p.m. Jóvenes Para Cristo
- 7:30 p.m. AFF: Prophets Bible Study
- 7:45 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia

Thursday, November 20

- 10:00 a.m. Young at Heart Club
- 6:00 p.m. RCIC
- 6:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus
- 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración
- 7:00 p.m. RCIA & Inquiry
- 8:00 p.m. Young Adult Ministry

Friday, November 21

- 7:00 p.m. Jóvenes Para Cristo
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico para Niños
- 7:00 p.m. Adolescents

Saturday, November 22

- 9:00 a.m. RICA Retiro de Adviento
- 10:00 a.m. Inglés como Segundo Idioma (ESL)
- 10:00 am. Preparación para la Ciudadanía
- 12:00 p.m. Christian Service Food Distribution
- 3:30 p.m. Confessions
- 6:00 p.m. Reunión de Padres de Familia del Programa de Formación en la Fe

Community Life & Groups



Keep Christ in Christmas Card Sale

If you ordered Christmas cards from the Knights of Columbus last weekend, please pick up your pre-paid orders from the Knights after Mass this weekend. Thank you for your patronage. 50% of the proceeds will be donated to St. Norbert Parish.

St. Norbert Mothers Group

Come connect with other Catholic moms! 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 this month:

Friday, November 21: Faith & Fellowship, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 30: Family Advent Event, 10 a.m.

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



Childcare Co-Op

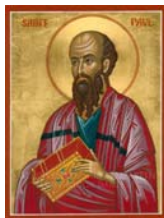
9 a.m. Mass

Do you have a child between the ages of 9 months and 4 years of age? Would you like one hour on Sunday to focus on your faith while your children are happily playing? Please consider joining the 9 a.m.

Co-op! Come visit us in the Preschool Center. If you are interested in finding out more information, please contact Michelle Navarro at (949) 322-4073 or micortiz@aol.com

Pilgrimage Opportunity

Msgr. John Urell, pastor of St. Timothy, and Charlene Dumitru, Director of Adult Faith Formation at St. Norbert, will co-direct a pilgrimage to significant locations mentioned in the writings of St. Paul, the Book of Revelation and early church history located in Turkey. We will travel from **April 8 to April 22**, but registrations are being taken now. As the number of pilgrims will be limited, please register for your place as soon as possible. For more information or to receive a brochure and registration form, you may contact Charlene at (714) 637-4360 x114, or by e-mail at cdumitru@stnorbertchurch.org



Pray for the sick...

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Anthony Azzopardi
David Banmiller
Betty Bick
Bishop Tod Brown
Ed Burns
Beverly Cerchio
Wanda Clark
Marie Donaldson
Fr. Agustín Escobar
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Eric Janson
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Gladys Leon
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Carolyn Pierce
Ron Pohl
Rafael Razo
Don Relock
Christine Stevens
Marce Stouffer
Sheila Utrup
Matthew Vega
Cris Wong
Frank Wong

... and for those who have died.

Mary Levandowski

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 15, 2014

5:00 p.m. The Rugienius Family

Sunday, November 16, 2014

7:30 a.m. + Joseph & Marguerite Allmann

9:00 a.m. + Denice Costanza

10:30 a.m. St. Norbert Parishioners

12:00 p.m. + Joseph Alonge

2:00 p.m. + Maclovio & Catalina Urbano

5:30 p.m. + Bud Sprinkles

7:00 p.m. + Jesús Torreblanca García

Monday, November 17, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Mark Pernell

8:30 a.m. + Bernard Ernestes

Tuesday, November 18, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Mary Ann Wilson

8:30 a.m. + Agraphine Mack

Wednesday, November 19, 2014

6:15 a.m. Fr. Kiet

8:30 a.m. + Filomena Mayola

7:00 p.m. Rev. Agustín Escobar

Thursday, November 20, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Fran Renzo

8:30 a.m. + Robert Renaud

Friday, November 21, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Dominador Villegas

8:30 a.m. St. Norbert Presentation Sisters

Saturday, November 22, 2014

8:30 a.m. + Fr. Curtis Bryant



Charismatic Healing Mass

Monday, November 17, at 7:15 p.m.

**St. Angela Merici Church
585 S. Walnut Avenue in Brea**

All who are suffering physically, emotionally, spiritually, psychologically, or know others who are, are encouraged to come. All are most welcome! Fr. Michael Barry will be the celebrant. For more information, please call Jude at (714) 525-8539.



Good Grief! Here Comes Christmas!

Wednesday, December 3

For most people, the holidays are highly anticipated days of family celebration, reunion, gift-giving and fun. Others dread the holidays or simply endure them. For them the holidays

represent loss and loneliness.

If you have recently lost a loved one or you have had losses in the past that cause you to associate sorrow with the holiday you are invited to:

GOOD GRIEF! HERE COMES CHRISTMAS!

A simple time of retreat and reflection for persons who have suffered loss and are experiencing bereavement. In addition to reflection, practical suggestions for how to "be" during the holidays season will be offered. Treat yourself to a little TLC as we move through this busy time.

Christ Cathedral Pastoral Center, Room 1AB
13280 Chapman Avenue, Garden Grove

There is no cost for the retreat, and there is a choice of two retreat times: **9:30 to 11:30 a.m. or 7 to 9 p.m.**

Facilitator: Kathy Schinhofen

Register online or RSVP to Esther Ramirez by **Monday, December 1**, at eramirez@rcbo.org or (714) 282-6001.

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Homeless Awareness Month

November is Homeless Awareness month. *HomeAid* of Orange County has designed a calendar of activities for each day of the month to raise awareness. To download a copy of the calendar, go to <https://homeaidoc.app.box.com/s/kaln38k2o1r9xmh5omel>

We also invite you to join *HomeAid* and tour partner agency shelters on **Touring Tuesdays** from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. all Tuesdays of November.

November 18: Precious Life Shelter and Thomas House

November 25: The Village of Hope

Other ways you can get involved include:

Monday, November 17: Come to the *HomeAid* office and make lunch for the homeless, 12 to 1 p.m.

Tuesday, November 18: Volunteer at the Cold Weather Emergency Shelter in Santa Ana, 5 to 8 p.m.

Saturday, December 6: Bring your care items to the *HomeAid* office and participate in a CareKit Assembly Day, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

For more information please contact Gina Scott at *HomeAid* Orange County: (949) 777-3866 or gina@homeaidoc.org



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Sunday, November 16, 12 to 3 p.m.

Visit the campus; meet teachers and students; learn about our International Exchange Program; consider Connelly as a High School for your daughter. For more information please call (714) 776-1717 x221 or e-mail admissions@connellyhs.org Cornelia Connelly School is located at 2323 W. Broadway in Anaheim.

*Spiritual nourishment as we prepare to celebrate
our Lord's birth!*

Advent Retreat for Adults

Sunday, December 14, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Includes lunch.
- Mass at 2 p.m.
- Freewill offering greatly appreciated.

Please RSVP by **Thursday, December 11**, to (714) 557-4538 or heartofjesusrc@sbcglobal.net

The Heart of Jesus Retreat Center is located at 2927 S. Greenville Street in Santa Ana www.sacredheartsisters.com



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