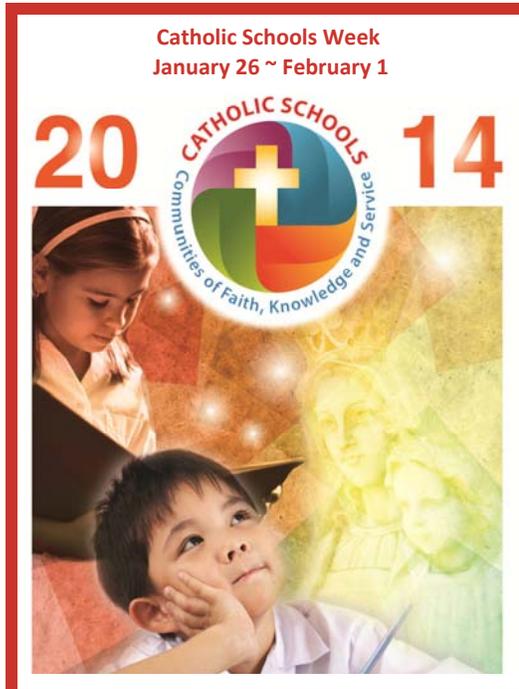


January 26, 2014 | Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Norbert Catholic School celebrates Catholic Schools Week

- + Alumni Mass, 9 a.m.
- + Pancake Breakfast, 8 a.m.
- + Open House, 10 a.m.
- + Book Fair, 10 a.m.

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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

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 8:23—9:3

A Great Light

Isaiah returns again this week with another optimistic prophecy. The lands that dwelled in darkness will see a great light.

Zebulun and Naphtali were the first lands invaded by Assyria. Their oppression had been long and hard. The people who lived there feared that they would never again find happiness. Now they learn from Isaiah that God has heard their prayer. The yoke of their oppression has been shattered. Light has dawned upon their darkness.

Matthew cites this passage in his gospel to introduce Jesus to his readers. Those who had longed for the news of salvation received it in his teaching and ministry. Some of them had yearned for days of hope. Others did not even know how empty their lives had been. Now the true light dawns upon "the land overshadowed by death." (Mt 4:16)

Gloom takes many forms in our lives. Some suffer poverty and debt. Others close their hearts to charity. Still others sense overwhelming despair no matter where they turn.

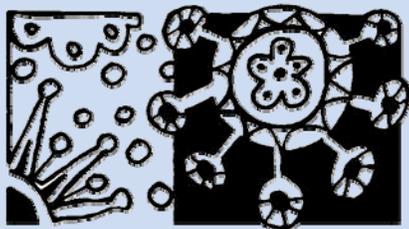
Isaiah prophesies that we do not have to live that way. God hears the prayer even of those whose land has been "overshadowed by death."

Open the eyes of faith, prepare yourself for good news, and see the light of Christ.

-Paul Turner.

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Attention Seniors

Parish Nurse Luncheon for Seniors

It's time to mark your calendars for the next senior luncheon. The Order of Malta Parish Nurse Program for Seniors is inviting all parishioners 60 years of age and older to the upcoming senior luncheon and health presentation. Please join us on **Thursday, February 20, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.** in the Family & Youth Center. Thomas J. Conway, Esq., CPA will present ***Advance Directives: Making Your Healthcare Wishes Known When You Can't Speak for Yourself***. Tom will discuss how to prepare and share with loved ones your wishes for end of life care, including a discussion about healthcare powers and living wills. He will also present ***Five Wishes***, the first Living Will to address personal, emotional and spiritual needs, along with medical wishes.

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 R.S.V.P. by Sunday, February 16, to Ann Bilash, RN at (714) 637-4360 x120.** We will be unable to accept RSVPs after this date.

Joyful News!

Mr. William Goldin, our Seminary Intern for the past year, will be ordained a deacon on Friday, February 7. Reverend Mr. Goldin will serve his first Mass as a Deacon on **Sunday, February 9, at 12 noon** at St. Norbert Church. A reception will follow the Mass. All are invited to join in the celebration.

Funeral Announcements

A list of the funerals which will be held each week at St. Norbert Church is listed on the bulletin board in the vestibule. Please check the bulletin board for the most current funeral notices.



Religious Education Congress 2014

March 13-16

The Annual Religious Education Congress held at the Anaheim Convention Center is ready to nourish and nurture us once more.

The weekend will offer participants morning praise, evening liturgies, and a variety of prayer experiences, as well as a variety of topical workshops. Why not treat yourself to this most wonderful experience? To pick up a copy of the guidebook, please stop by the School of Religious Education office, or call Robin Mayes at (714) 998-1070. Some guide books are also available in the Ministry office or you may go online to www.recongress.org

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, January 19, was \$25,906.00.** The collection is 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

**Pancake Breakfast****THIS Sunday, January 26****8 a.m. to 12 noon**

Join old and new friends for a delicious meal in the Family Youth Center during the school Open House. The menu includes pancakes, sausage, cold juice and hot coffee. Proceeds will go toward the eighth grade's trip to Washington D.C., Boston and New York in the spring.

Mom's Retreat

Join other St. Norbert moms for a weekend away from the hustle and bustle! We will be heading to Vina de Lestonnac Retreat Center in Temecula (www.vinalestonnac.com) on the weekend of **March 7-9**. Our schedule allows time for prayer, discussion, rest and getting to know some amazing women! The cost is \$175, which includes all meals and a two-night stay. A \$25 deposit is due by **February 1**. Please contact Amy Glenane at (714) 974-8781 or aglenane1@gmail.com for more information.

**Vacation Bible School 2014**

Save the date for this year's Vacation Bible School: **June 23-27!** Registration and sign-ups will begin in April. Adults who are interested in volunteering can contact Amy Glenane at (714) 974-8781 or aglenane1@gmail.com

**St. Norbert Mothers Group Bake Sale**

On **Sunday, February 2**, after the morning Masses, stop by and enjoy a homemade treat or two, baked by the loving hands of St. Norbert moms. Proceeds from the bake sale will be used to support our charitable service projects in the parish and local community. Thank you for your support!

**Congratulations!***¡Felicidades!***Don & Cathy Ward****Married 50 years on January 25, 2014****Catholic Schools Week Kickoff**

Along with Catholic schools across the nation, St. Norbert Catholic School kicks off Catholic Schools Week today. The celebration will begin with our **8th Annual Alumni Mass at 9 a.m.**, where we look forward to seeing many familiar faces and classmates from the past. Next, guests are invited to a delicious **Pancake Breakfast** in the Family & Youth Center, as well as our **Scholastic Book Fair** in the school library. Most importantly, we invite you to our **Open House**. Come into our classrooms—the heart of St. Norbert Catholic School. Talk with our teachers, peruse our students' work, and visit with other families. See how the children of St. Norbert Catholic School continue to grow—learning, living and loving their faith. Catholic Schools Week is a joint project of National Catholic Education Association and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

January Christian Service Food Collection

This month we're collecting granola bars and/or lunch size boxes of raisins. 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.

**Christian Service Request**

Christian Service is in need of two or three more drivers with a pick-up truck, van or SUV to help with our bread pick up at Second Harvest on Friday afternoons. This is a once-a-month or so commitment from noon until around 2 p.m. to go to Second Harvest in Irvine and box up bread and bring it back to St. Norbert for our Saturday food distribution. Please prayerfully consider if you can help out for a couple hours once a month. Any questions or to volunteer, please call Margie Balch at (714) 637-4360 x113 or by e-mail at mbalch@stnorbertchurch.org Thank you for your support of those in need.

**World Day of the Sick Mass**

The annual World Day of the Sick event, hosted by the Order of Malta, will be held at St. Columbian Church in Garden Grove on **Saturday, February 8**. Bishop Kevin Vann will be the principal celebrant of the Mass. He will be assisted by the parish priests of the Diocese of Orange.

Each year hundreds of Orange County's sick and disabled parishioners, and their caregivers, from all parts of the Diocese attend this spiritual healing event to receive a blessing with the waters of Lourdes, the site of the apparition of our Blessed Mother. The Mass, followed by the individual blessings, will begin at 10 a.m. Attendees in need of assistance will be aided by the Knights and Dames of the Order of Malta. All are welcome.



Youth & Teen Ministries

School of Religious Education

There are no classes for Preschool and Kindergarten this Sunday, January 26, due to the parish school Open House.

In today's Gospel message we are called to be followers of Jesus. How do we do that? Parents of children in SRE PK through 6th grade, the following questions are nice discussion starters to help share the Good News with your children and help today's Gospel message come alive.

1. How did people learn about Jesus when there were no TVs or computers?
 2. What would it be like today if Jesus came to your city and your parents took you to hear him?
 3. How can you pass the good news about Jesus to other people?
- Continue your Gospel experience with your children today and everyday by being the disciples of Jesus that we are called to be. "Fishers of Men." Today is a nice day to go fishing... Have a blessed faith filled week!

St. Norbert Catholic School

Attention Parents!

We are now accepting applications for preschool through eighth grade for the 2014-15 school year. Please stop by the school office to pick up an application, or call us at (714) 637-6822. If your child turns three, four or five years old by September 1, 2014 he/she is eligible for three-year-old preschool, four-year-old preschool, or kindergarten respectively. Kindergarten assessment visits will take place in February. Please call the school office to schedule your appointment. Learn more about our school at the Open House today, or visit us online at www.stnorbertchurch.org/school



Donate Your Vehicle and 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**. The organization handles the paperwork, picks up or tows the vehicle, makes repairs, sells the vehicle and provides 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, a perpetual fund that is predictable, reliable and prudent over time, providing a source of continuous support for our school outlined in a restricted gift agreement. The principal of this fund remains intact and interest earned will be allocated annually to the operating budget of our

Youth Ministry & Confirmation

High School S.N.A.C. Night

Sunday Night After Church tonight! Join us after 5:30 p.m. Mass tonight, January 19, for fellowship in the YM Room.



Confirmation Preparation

The next class meetings for Confirmation Years 1 & 2 will be on **Tuesday, February 4**, in the homes.

Confirmation 1: Ten Commandments

Confirmation 2: Morality and Decision Making

High School Teen Night

Next Monday evening, January 27, at 6:30 p.m. in the YM Room
Join us for fellowship and formation with your peers!

Youth Ministry Band Practice

Thursday, January 30, from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in the YM Room

Junior High Ministry

Junior High Social: Monday, January 27, at 5 p.m.

Young Adult Ministry

Bi-Weekly Formation and Fellowship Nights

All young adults in college (18-25) are invited to attend. Find us on **Facebook: St. Norbert's Young Adult Ministry**, for updates and inspiration! Our next gathering will be on **Thursday, February 6**.

Service Project Opportunities

E-mail Helen at hbaehner@stnorbertchurch.org to sign up for any of the following service projects:

- **YM Help Day:** This Monday, January 27, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the YM Room. We need teens to help us work around the office and to get the newsletter prepped for February.
- **Christian Service:** Saturdays 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.

SNCS continued...

school, diminishing the deficit that exists between our income and ordinary expenses. Currently, we depend on fundraising to close that gap.

Donations can be made online from the school website (www.stnorbertchurch.org/school) by clicking on the *Donate Your Car* link, 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 about this program or St. Norbert Catholic School, please call the school's Advancement Director, Patty Bornhop, at (714) 637-6822 x204.



R.C.I.A.

The Catechumens and Candidates anticipating reception of the Sacraments of Initiation this spring will be on retreat with their sponsors and team members next weekend, **January 31 – February 2**, at Prince of Peace Abbey in Oceanside. Please keep them all in your prayers.

Our RCIA session on **Thursday, January 30**, will be on the Sacraments of Vocation with Deacon Dave Blake. The following week, the topic will be the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

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. 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.

Are Science & the Catholic Faith Compatible?

Our DVD study of *In the Beginning: Evidence for God from Physics*, will conclude this **Tuesday, January 28**, with the topic: *Physics, Evolution and the Bible*. These presentations by Fr. Robert J. Spitzer, S.J., Ph.D., are fascinating discussions of how faith and reason, belief and science, are not incompatible for Catholic Christians. For more information on this program, please go to www.magisreasonfaith.org. We meet in the Ministry Center Library at 7:30 p.m.

Evening Bible Study

Our Bible Study on the Old Testament book of Genesis will continue on **Wednesday evening, January 29**, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Ministry Center Library. This week we will discuss Chapters 12 – 17, the stories of the Call of Abraham, the Covenant, and the story of Hagar and Ishmael. Please bring your Bible and read these chapters of Genesis before the class.

Morning Bible Study

The Monday Morning Bible Study will resume this week, **January 27**, discussing Chapter 15 of Acts and the Council of Jerusalem where some of the earliest issues of the church were decided. Please join us at 9:15 in the Ministry Center Library. For more information, please call Monica at (714) 998-3215, or Sue at (714) 974-9234.

Prayer & Meditation with Scripture

Our prayer group continues on **Tuesday evening, January 28**. This weekly hour of prayer time utilizes varying prayer forms each week, including Lectio Divina, centering prayer, prayer of remembrance, Taizé prayer and Ignatian meditation. It 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 will be most welcome!

Wondering Why

In today's Gospel, Jesus calls the first four of his disciples. Eventually he will select twelve to be in his closest circle of associates. Many other men and women followed Jesus, traveled with him and ministered with him, but Scripture puts emphasis on the twelve because they are reminiscent of the twelve tribes of Israel. In other words, Jesus initiates the New Israel, the New Kingdom of God. Just as the twelve sons of Jacob were the founding fathers of the Nation of Israel, the twelve disciples will be the founders of the new church.

Jesus chooses a variety of people for this select group. He does not select only the most highly educated, most sophisticated or wealthiest people. He selects those who might not seem great in the eyes of the world, but in whom Jesus recognizes the character of loyalty, integrity, perseverance and fidelity. These first four are fishermen. They were probably illiterate, continuing a trade they had learned from their fathers. Among them are two sets of brothers. Later Jesus will choose a tax collector who probably was well-schooled but would not have been accepted among the Jews because of his work, a Zealot who was on the radical edge of military opposition against the Roman occupation, and six other ordinary guys. To these twelve, Jesus entrusted building of the Kingdom of God.

It is clear from the Gospels that these twelve did not always understand what the plan was. They had trouble with Jesus' parables; they attempted to instigate political motives; they refused to believe him when Jesus predicted that he must suffer and die. They did not understand what Resurrection meant until after it had happened. But they were willing. Except for one, they were willing to follow Jesus, learn from him, and ultimately give their lives for his message.

They were unlikely candidates for the mission to which they were called. If Jesus had been running a corporation, the resumes of these apostles would probably have never made it past the first review in Human Resources. But Jesus could see the *real* human resources. He saw the spirits of those he called and knew what they could accomplish, even when they did not.

Jesus continues to call unlikely people into discipleship. He calls people from all races, economic levels, education, work, ability and life history. For everyone he calls, he sees an inner gift given by God, to build the Kingdom. Jesus sees the reality of whom each can become as more important than who they might presently be. Jesus sees the potential that lies in each of us.

He has called us. We are his disciples today. It is up to us to build the Kingdom of God and to carry on the ministry of Jesus Christ through the power and gifts of the Holy Spirit. Although we might sometimes see ourselves as unworthy, broken, sinful people, Jesus sees the potentiality of who we can be, of who God calls us to be. If we are willing to accept in faith that faith which Jesus has in us, and realize that even our weaknesses can become our strengths, we, too, can build the Kingdom of God.



Ministerio Hispano

Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

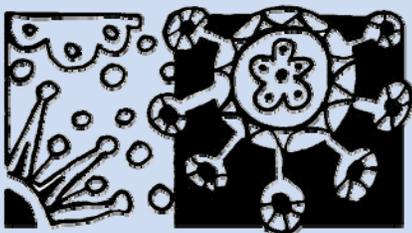
Imaginémonos un grupo grande de viajeros perdidos en medio de un bosque espeso y una noche sin estrellas. No pueden ver el camino, ni siquiera se pueden ver unos a otros. Poco a poco van deambulando en diferentes direcciones tratando desesperadamente de encontrar el camino en medio de árboles inmensos mientras que se siguen separando más y más. Súbitamente se ve la luz brillante y blanca de una linterna en los bordes del bosque. El temor de ellos se disipa con la oscuridad y al dirigirse hacia la luz todos se reúnen de nuevo, y se alegran al descubrir el camino que los sacará del bosque.

La imagen de la luz en la oscuridad es la fibra que va hilando todos los domingos del tiempo Ordinario entre la Navidad y la Cuaresma. Nos recuerda que la Luz del Mundo, cuyo comienzo celebramos durante el tiempo de Adviento y Navidad, es la misma luz de Cristo, cuya llama nos purificará e iluminará durante la Cuaresma y encenderá el fuego del Espíritu Santo en nosotros durante la cincuentena pascual.

Nuestra primera lectura de esta semana se asemeja a la salvación del “distrito de los paganos” para iluminar y disipar la oscuridad, la angustia y la pesadumbre. El Evangelio de Mateo personifica a Jesús como la luz que surge en la “Galilea de los paganos” y que atrae a los pescadores para que juntos se dispongan a seguirlo. Pablo nos exhorta a seguir unidos por el único camino que nos dirige al único Señor: Jesucristo.

—Virginia Stillwell

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Misa Mundial del Enfermo

La misa anual del día del enfermo se llevará a cabo el **sábado 8 de febrero** en la Iglesia de San Columbano, en Garden Grove. La misa será oficiada por el Obispo Kevin Vann y otros sacerdotes de la Diócesis de Orange. Cada año se reúnen cientos de enfermos y personas que los asisten o cuidan. Los que asisten a esta misa de sanación reciben una bendición con el agua de Lourdes, lugar en donde se apareció Nuestra Señora. Después de la misa habrá bendición individual que dará inicio a las 10 a.m. Los Caballeros y Las Damas de Malta ayudarán a las personas que necesitan asistencia. Recuerden que todos son bienvenidos.

¡Anoten la fecha!

Escuela Bíblica de Verano 2014

¡Anoten la fecha para la Escuela Bíblica de Verano de este año: **el 23-27 de junio!** Las inscripciones comenzarán en abril. Aquellos adultos interesados en ayudar como voluntarios pueden comunicarse con Amy Glenane al (714) 974-8781 o aglenane1@gmail.com

Servicios a la Comunidad

- **Quinceañeras:** Los celebraciones de quinceañeras se llevan a cabo cada dos meses, el tercer sábado del mes que corresponda, a las doce del mediodía. La jovencita tiene que haber celebrado el Sacramento de Confirmación o estar asistiendo al programa, anotarse con un mínimo de 3 a 6 meses para participar de un día de reflexión en donde la joven invita a los padrinos y a su corte. El día de reflexión ocurre solo dos veces al año. Para más información pueden comunicarse con la Sra. Columba al (714) 279-9149 o a las oficinas del Centro de Ministerios al (714) 637-4360 x106 con Carmen Estrada.
- **Presentación de niños:** Se lleva a cabo el último domingo de mes en la misa de las dos de la tarde. Únicamente los niños de 3 años y de cuarenta días.
- **Bautizos:** Los primeros sábados de cada mes a las diez de la mañana, y las pláticas de preparación al sacramento son los dos últimos viernes de mes de las 6:30 p.m. a las 8:30 p.m. en el salón Madre Teresa.
- **Pre-matrimoniales:** El equipo de parejas de San Norberto prepara a las parejas que contraerán matrimonio durante el año. Las clases se imparten en los meses de enero, marzo, junio y octubre. Dichas clases son en español. Si usted está pensando contraer matrimonio, puede inscribirse llamando al (714) 637-4360 x106 con Carmen Estrada para obtener más información.

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 19 de enero fue de \$25,906.00.** 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

Servicios Cristianos

Este mes de enero los Servicios Cristianos de nuestra parroquia está reuniendo barras de granola y cajitas de pasas, que son las que se usan para las bolsas de almuerzos. Se agradece que deje sus donaciones en la oficina del Centro de Ministerios a cualquier hora que a usted le sea posible.




Parish Calendar

January 26, 2014 ~ February 1, 2014

Sunday, January 26

- 8:00 a.m. SNCS Pancake Breakfast
- 9:00 a.m. SNCS Alumni Mass
- 10:00 a.m. St. Norbert Catholic School Open House
- 10:00 a.m. SNCS Book Fair
- 10:00 a.m. Charlas Pre-matrimoniales
- 3:00 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia
- 6:30 p.m. High School S.N.A.C. Night

Monday, January 27

- 9:00 a.m. Divine Mercy Prayer Group
- 5:00 p.m. Junior High Social
- 6:30 p.m. High School Teen Night

Tuesday, January 28

- 2:30 p.m. St. Norbert Parent Rosary Group
- 6:30 p.m. Padre Pio Rosary Group
- 7:00 p.m. RICA
- 7:30 a.m. AFF Science & Faith Series
- 7:30 p.m. Praying with Scripture & Ice Cream Social
- 8:00 p.m. Escuela de Dirigentes

Wednesday, January 29

- 6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball
- 7:00 p.m. JPC Formación de Discípulos
- 7:30 p.m. AFF Bible Study: Genesis

Thursday, January 30

- 10:00 p.m. Mother's Group Park Day at Shaffer Park
- 6:00 p.m. RCIC
- 6:30 p.m. YM Band Practice
- 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración
- 7:30 p.m. RCIA & Inquiry

Friday, January 31

- 7:00 p.m. Jóvenes para Cristo
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico para Niños
- 7:00 p.m. Junta de Adolescentes

Saturday, February 1

- 9:00 a.m. Certificación Básica Modulo 2
- 10:00 a.m. Bautizos
- 10:00 a.m. Inglés como Segundo Idioma (ESL)
- 10:00 a.m. Preparación para la Ciudadanía
- 12:00 p.m. Christian Service Food Distribution
- 3:30 p.m. Confessions

Petición de Servicios Cristianos

Servicios Cristianos necesita dos o tres conductores con camioneta pick-up, camioneta (van), o SUV para ayudar a recoger pan de "Seguna Cosecha" (Second Harvest) cada viernes por la tarde. Esto es un compromiso de aproximadamente una vez al mes desde el mediodía hasta las 2 de la tarde. Consiste en ir a "Segunda Cosecha" en Irvine, poner el pan en cajas, y llevarlo a San Norberto para nuestra distribución de alimentos. Favor de considerar en oración is usted puede ayudarnos dos horas una vez al mes. Si tiene preguntas o para ser voluntario, póngase en contacto con Margie Balch al (714) 637-4360 x 113 o mbalch@stnorbertchurch.org Gracias por su apoyo a aquellos en necesidad.

Retiro de Mamás

Únase a las mamás de San Norberto durante un fin de semana para aprender cómo ayudarse así misma a tomar momentos de descanso y ayudar a mejorar a toda su familia. Será un fin de semana maravilloso. El retiro se llevará a cabo en la Viña de Lestonnac, Temecula **los días 7, 8 y 9 de marzo**. Tendremos tiempo de oración, conversación, descanso y saber qué tan importante son las mujeres como seres humanos. El costo es de \$175 el cual incluye comida y dos noches de estancia. Si desea más información, puede comunicarse con Any Glenane al (714) 974-8781 o a la dirección electrónica aglenane1@gmail.com y dar \$25 de depósito. Este retiro será en inglés.

Oportunidad de ayudar en un proyecto

Se invita a todos los chicos y chicas que están en el Programa de Confirmación, el día de mañana **lunes 27 de enero**, de las 3:30 p.m. a las 6:30 p.m. en el Salón de Jóvenes. Necesitaremos ayuda para enviar el correo del mes de febrero.

Pueden enviar un correo electrónico a la siguiente dirección hbaehner@stnorbertchurch.org para anotar el horario que cada uno puede venir. ¡Les esperamos!



Ellos dejaron
las redes y lo
siguieron.

Community Life & Groups

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.



Look what's coming soon:

- **Thursday, January 30:** Park Day at Shaffer Park, 10 a.m.
- **Sunday, February 2:** Bake Sale after morning Masses
- **Thursday, February 13:** Valentine Play Date at Serrano Park, 10 a.m.
- **Friday, February 28:** Faith & Fellowship, 7:30 p.m.

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



St. Norbert Women's Retreat

Our annual St. Norbert Women's Retreat will be held at Mater Dolorosa Retreat Center on the weekend of **February 7, 8**

and 9. Join your fellow parishioners for this weekend of spiritual enrichment and growth. The Passionist retreat team will offer inspirational talks as well as quiet time for Mass, confessions and Stations of the Cross. Our retreat will begin on Friday evening with a buffet supper and concludes on Sunday after Mass.

Please call Marcia Ferraro at (714) 637-6189, or Barbara Ward at (714) 812-1615, for further information or to make your reservation. **Requested donation:** \$210.00 (\$50.00 non-refundable deposit)



Childcare Co-Op

9 a.m. Mass

If you have children between the ages of 9 months and 4 years of age and you would like one hour on Sunday to focus on your faith while your children are happily playing, please consider joining the 9 a.m. Childcare 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 by e-mail at micortiz@aol.com

Pray for the sick...

Peggy Ann Anderson	Fr. John Joyce
Elaine Borza	Victoria Meza Mendez
The Burke Family	Sister Frances O'Leary
Alessandro Camponovo	Ronald Pohl
Giovanni Camponovo	Barbara Resh
Joseph Carri	Jack Resh
Martha Centellas	Ed Sadow
Tom Cowan	Sheila Utrup
Bernie Dinardo	Theresa Whaley
Grace Dinardo	Cris Wong
Kathy Hyland	Vincent Zorbo
	Virginia Zorbo

... and for those who have died.

Henry Aguirre	Moritz Lauria
Herb Jacobson	Gregg Weidman
	Theresa Williams

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 25, 2014

5:00 p.m. + Elias & Irene Cleary

Sunday, January 26, 2014

7:30 a.m. + Arthur & Jeanne Peyser
 9:00 a.m. + Mary Glenane
 10:30 a.m. + Marciano Lamanilao, Jr.
 12:00 p.m. + Johnny Iglesias
 2:00 p.m. + Isai González
 5:30 p.m. + Jeanette Meilak
 7:00 p.m. + Berta Aragon

Monday, January 27, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Frank Brown
 8:30 a.m. + Rudy Olivia

Tuesday, January 28, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Mrs. Selway
 8:30 a.m. + Audrey Hoffman

Wednesday, January 29, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Ellen Benninger
 8:30 a.m. + William Willkom, Sr.
 7:00 p.m. + Louie Lopez

Thursday, January 30, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Camponovo-Vera Family
 8:30 a.m. + Genara Chee

Friday, January 31, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Fr. Glenn O'Connor
 8:30 a.m. + Fr. Curtis Bryant

Saturday, February 1, 2014

8:30 a.m. + George Jana



Our Parish & Beyond



Magnificat Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, February 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Embassy Suites Anaheim-South, 11767 Harbor Boulevard in Garden Grove

Magnificat Prayer Breakfast presents Kathy Marchetti speaking on *Finding the Endless Font of God's Loving Mercy and Forgiveness*.

Registration by mail by February 15: \$28 per person

Registration at the door: \$33 per person

Mail payment 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-ministry.net for a flyer and registration information. Flyers are also available in the vestibule of the church. For registration information, contact Denise at (949) 583-7380 or djhall@sbcglobal.net



Come aboard the ark!

Are you looking to do something meaningful and challenging in your life?

L'Arche Wavecrest is a community of persons with and without intellectual disabilities sharing life together and growing in loving, mutual relationships.

- We are looking for a dedicated person who has a generous heart, a loving attitude and dedicated toward making a change in society.
- This work involves being a live-in assistant and working with persons with intellectual disabilities.

We are part of the international L'Arche community founded by Jean Vanier and made known by theologian, Henri Nouwen. If you believe God may be calling you to this type of service in an intentional community, please contact Jim Dempsey, Director at (714) 923-1221 for more information.

Creighton Model FertilityCare™ System Introductory Session

Free introductory session offered for women and couples to learn about the Creighton Model System. Women or couples wishing to enter the program are then scheduled for individual follow-ups to learn and use the system to achieve and avoid pregnancy. This system is also particularly helpful to couples having difficulty conceiving.

When: Monday, February 10, 2014

Time: 7 p.m.

Where: St. Joseph Church
717 N. Bradford Avenue, Placentia
Parish office Meeting Rooms 1-2

Cost: Free!

Contact: Sarah Rooney at sarah.fertilitycare@gmail.com to RSVP or with questions. See <http://stjosephplacentia.org/fertilitycare> for more info!



To Trust Again

To Trust Again is a special marriage preparation program designed for couples entering re-marriage after one or both partners has experienced loss through death or divorce.

This is a 10-hour program presented by married couples in an experiential style using a variety of exercises that cover many aspects of marriage. Participants will have the opportunity to recall the richness of their own experiences, gain deeper insights, and develop strategies to empower their own relationship.

To Trust Again is offered four times each year in the winter, spring, summer, and fall. The group sessions are held at Holy Family Cathedral in Orange and a confirmation letter will be sent upon receipt of the completed registration form. Registration forms may be obtained by calling (714) 639-2900 x239. Please register at least three months prior to your wedding date. The dates for 2014 are: **January 12 & 19, April 20 & April 27, July 20 & 27 and October 19 & 26.** Sponsored by Deanery II, Diocese of Orange.

Catholic Women's Retreat

April 25 - 27

At the Irvine Outdoor Education Center, located next to Irvine Regional Park

The women of St. Martin de Porres Parish would like to invite the women of St. Norbert Parish to join us on a weekend retreat. The weekend will focus on spiritual growth, fellowship, relaxation and fun for women of all ages. To receive a brochure, contact Lynn Clark at (714) 970-7452 or by e-mail at lynn0542@spcglobal.net

Marriage Encounter

A new year is upon us. Why not start it out by making a Marriage Encounter weekend to freshen up your marriage by putting some spark and romance in it? The next scheduled weekend is Valentine's weekend **February 14-16**. What a great Valentine's present to each other! For more information please contact Jim or Cheryl at (949) 551-9156.



Charismatic Healing Mass

Monday, January 27 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. Eamon O'Gorman will be the celebrant. For more information, please call Jude at (714) 525-8539.



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