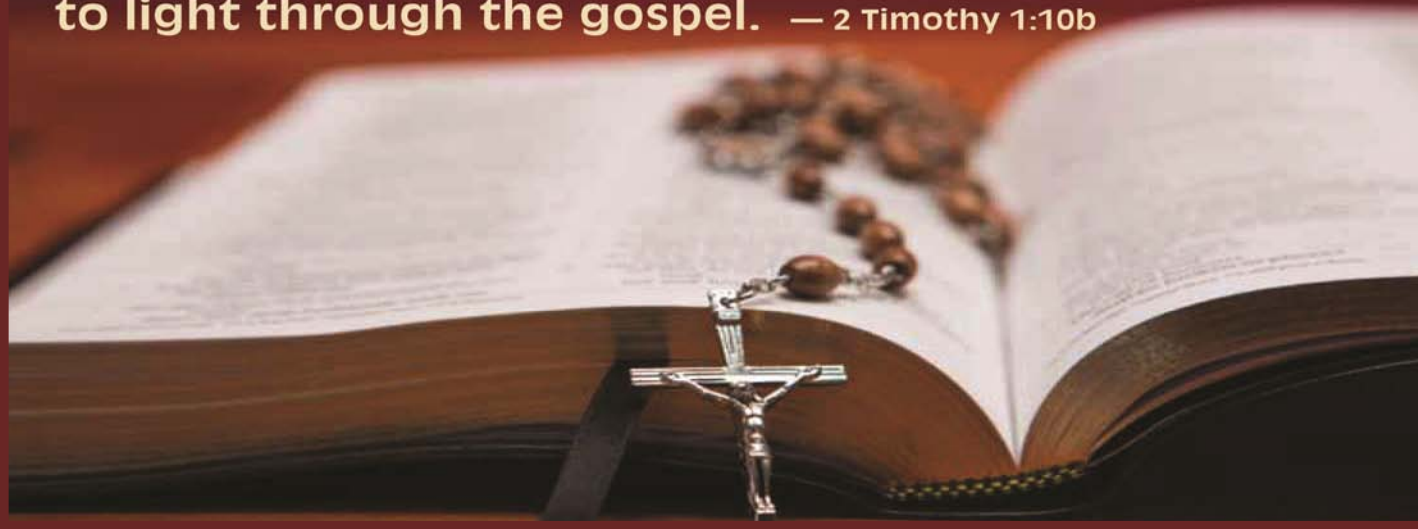


March 16, 2014 | Second Sunday of Lent

**Christ Jesus . . . destroyed death
and brought life and immortality
to light through the gospel. — 2 Timothy 1:10b**



St Norbert CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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

Fridays during Lent: 9:30 to 10 :30 a.m.
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

Second Sunday of Lent

Genesis 12:1-4a

An Act of Faith

"Abram went." Those two words may not sound like much, but they set in motion the entire story of God's chosen people.

God made a big promise to Abram. God promised to make him the father of a great nation, to have his name revered in blessings, to side with his friends, and bring an end to his enemies. Who could refuse such a deal?

God asked only one thing of Abram. God asked him to go.

Abram had been living in Ur, in modern day Iraq. He probably had a very comfortable arrangement with property and family of his own. But God had other ideas. God wanted Abram to inhabit another place, where his family could prosper in number, productivity, and faith. These blessings would be his if Abram would just go.

Abram went. In that simple act of obedience, he demonstrated the hugeness of his faith and the sturdiness of his trust. In that simple act, he became the beneficiary of God's great promise.

God may be asking you to go, to leave some place of comfort, to cross the threshold of a land you do not know, to believe that greater promises lie beyond. God needs only some sign of faith and trust.

-Paul Turner

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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.

Number of pledges received: 267

Amount Pledged: \$105,825

% Pledges received to Parish Goal: 71%

How we are **Sent to Serve** in St. Norbert Parish:

- 12, 174** people assisted by Christian Service food distributions
- 40** home-bound parishioners/seniors currently receive assistance from our Parish Nurse
- 26, 208** hospitalized patients at Kaiser Hospital receive Holy Communion annually (42/day)
- 3,884** registered households in St. Norbert Parish
- 11,652** estimated number of individual Catholics in our parish

Lent 2014 at St. Norbert Parish

Parish Mission

April 7-10 at 7 p.m.

Confessions

Fridays at 9:30 a.m. (through April 11)

Saturday afternoons at 3:30 p.m. (through April 12)

Parish Lenten Penance Service

Wednesday, April 9 at 7 p.m.

Fish Fry

Friday evenings at 5 p.m. (through April 11)

Stations of the Cross

Friday evenings at 7 p.m. (through April 11)

Lenten Study Group

Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. (through April 2)

Fast4Families

Fast every Wednesday and pray for immigration reform and citizenship for the 11 million undocumented immigrants currently without legal protection and facing permanent second-class status in our country. Don't let our politicians, Republican or Democrats, use human persons "as pawns on the [political] chessboard" (Pope Francis). Have a conversation, and perhaps join together with others in our parish to pray and fast for just, compassionate and comprehensive immigration reform. Resources for advocacy are available at the Office of Life, Justice & Peace at <http://www.rcbo.org/respect-life.html> and **Fast4Families** at fast4families.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, March 9, was \$27,025.73.** 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.



Taco Sunday & Mini Boutique

Be sure to stop by the Ministry Center this **Sunday, March 16**, for Taco Sunday, our Mini-Boutique AND the Italian Catholic Federation's St. Joseph Table. The St.



Joseph Table will open after the 7:30 Mass, with an array of delicious food items for sale. Tasty Mexican foods will be served at Taco Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. In addition, the Mini-Boutique Circle's will feature special items for Easter and 5 items. Coffee and Doughnuts will be available during Boutique hours, from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

C2 Retreat Scholarship Plea!

If you are interested in donating a scholarship of any amount (retreat cost is \$175), please contact Kirsten at kdking@stnorbertchurch.org or (714) 637-4360 x210. We will be humble stewards of any gifts that are given for this cause and ensure they go to families in need.

Red Cross Blood Drive

St. Norbert Knights of Columbus Council #15733 will host another Red Cross/St. Joseph Hospital blood drive on **Sunday, March 30** at the St. Norbert Ministry Center from 8:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. To sign up, go to www.redcrossblood.org, click on "Enter a Sponsor Code," enter **StNorberts**, and then select an appointment time. You may also sign up after Masses on **March 22 and 23**. For more information or assistance, please contact Bill Everest at bill.everest70@gmail.com or (714) 633-9154.



*The need is constant ~ The gratification is instant
Give blood ~ Save a life*



40 Days for Life

Lent is a time of prayer and fasting. It is also a time appropriately designated **40 Days for Life**, an international pro-life campaign. Ash Wednesday marked the beginning of this pro-life awareness campaign in 251 cities in 11 countries. Locally, many witness peacefully in front of Planned Parenthood at 700 S. Tustin in Orange from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. This witnessing is effective. It has been reported that up to 75% planned abortion clinic appointments are cancelled when peaceful witnessing occurs in front of abortion facilities. We invite you to witness any time you can make it, especially with a friend. You can see who has signed-up for a time on www.40daysforlife.com/orangecounty If you see a time when no one has signed up, please sign-up and go witness in prayer. You may also contact Bernie Vitichus at (714) 771-0984 or [bvitchus@aol.com](mailto:bvitichus@aol.com) for more information.

Fasting and Abstinence for Catholics in the U.S.



During Lent, Catholics in the United States **abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and on all the Fridays of Lent. They fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.**

To **abstain from meat** on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent means to not eat meat on those days. It does not intend the omission of eggs or dairy products.

The **required fast** on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday involves eating only one full meal on those days. One or two smaller meals may be taken on those days, but may not total one full meal. The required fast does not allow eating anything between meals.

"All Catholics who have **completed their fourteenth year** are bound by the law of abstinence; all adults are bound by the law of fast up to the **beginning of their sixtieth year**."

Nevertheless, pastors and parents are to see to it that minors who are not bound by the law of fast and abstinence are educated in an authentic sense of penance." ~Code of Canon Law, #1252



March Christian Service Food Collection

This month we're collecting 16-20 ounce jars of creamy peanut butter. Kindly leave your donations in the bins in the Ministry Center this **Sunday, March 16**, or any time during the month. Thank you for your continued assistance in helping us feed those who are hungry.



Fish Fry

Join us on Fridays during Lent from 5 to 8 p.m.
in the Ministry Center Hall for
great food, wonderful company and FISH!

\$6 for

Fish OR Cheese Pizza

Both dinners include French fries & coleslaw.
Clam chowder & desserts on sale for additional charge.

Take out available, too!

Hosted by St. Norbert Catholic School Junior High students.

Youth & Teen Ministries

School of Religious Education

Rice Bowls for Lent

Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowls were sent home with your children. Please be sure to use the fun and easy resources that came with the rice bowls to deepen your family's Lenten experience and make a difference in the lives of the poor.

First Communion Dates to Remember

Saturday, March 22: First Reconciliation at 10 a.m.

Sunday, May 4: First Communion Retreat from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

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

Sunday, May 18: First Communion Mass at 9 a.m.

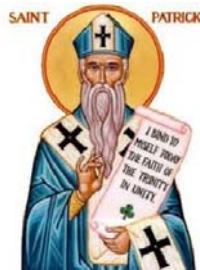
SRE Registration 2014-15

Early Bird Registration for next school year's Faith Formation classes, PK through 6th grade, will begin on **Sunday, June 1**.

St. Norbert Catholic School

Happy Feast of St. Patrick

Christ with me,
Christ before me,
Christ behind me,
Christ in me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ on my right,
Christ on my left,
Christ when I lie down,
Christ when I sit down,
Christ when I arise,
Christ in the heart of every man who thinks of me,
Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me,
Christ in every eye that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.



—St. Patrick



Sixth Graders Head to Camp

Please keep our parish school sixth graders in your prayers as they head off to Outdoor Ed camp in the mountains this week. We pray they grow in knowledge and faith as they explore God's creation in the mountains. God bless you boys and girls!

More Youth Ministry

Service Project Opportunities

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

- **YM Help Day for C1 Teens:** Tuesday, March 25, from 3:30 to 6 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room. Pitch in and help out! We will be preparing for the C2 Retreat and getting the April newsletter ready to mail.

Youth Ministry & Confirmation

Confirmation 1 & 2 Class at Church

Tuesday, March 18, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the FYC Gym.

Topic: Yearly Safe Environment Training from Human Options



Parent Ministry

Tuesday, March 18, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. is our next formation night in the Youth Ministry Room (at the same time as the Confirmation class in the gym).

Topic: *Theology of the Body: Teaching it to our Teens.* Join us for a very formative, informative and spiritual night on a topic that will benefit all of us in discussing tough issues of sexuality and self-worth with our teens!

Vision Leadership Team

Wednesday, March 19, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room. All Leaders are welcomed and encouraged to attend this retreat skit and speaker meeting!

C2 Leadership Retreat Meeting

Sunday, March 23 from 6:30 – 8 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room. All adult teachers, volunteers, co-teachers and Vision Team must attend this meeting. It's time for us to gather and pray together before we go on retreat! A simple dinner provided.

Youth Ministry Band Practice

Every Thursday in March (except Retreat week) from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room. We have lots to do to prepare for the C2 retreat! Join us to jam and to learn how to use your musical talent for God's glory!

Junior High Ministry

Monday, March 17, from 5 to 6:15 p.m. in the FYC Gym. Looking forward to seeing all of you there! We have a very special guest speaker tonight!

Young Adult Ministry

Thursday, March 20: Faith Formation Night from 8 to 9:30 p.m. in the YM Room. All young adults are invited to attend for formation and fellowship!

Young Adults will be hosting Stations of the Cross on **Friday, March 21**, from 7 to 8 p.m. Join us for an incredible, reflective time together!





R.C.I.A.

This **Thursday, March 20**, the Elect (those called to Easter Sacraments) will prepare for the first Scrutiny rite, which will be celebrated at the 10:30 Mass on March 23. The on-going Candidates will reflect on the story of the Transfiguration of Jesus.

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.



Adult Confirmation

Adult Confirmation classes will meet on **Tuesday, March 18**, for those already enrolled and their sponsors. No new registrations will be accepted. This week we will be discussing Christology, the study of Jesus, and how he is revealed through the

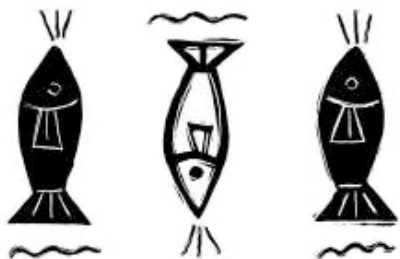
Gospels and the Church Councils. Those attending are asked to read Chapters 7 and 8 in the *U.S. Catechism for Adults* and prepare the accompanying reflection questions prior to class.

Lenten Study Group

Our Lenten Study and Reflection Group continues this week on **Wednesday, March 19**. We will be exploring the dimensions of spirituality taught by Fr. Ron Rolheiser in four DVD presentations. This week's topic will be from the series *Living in the Image of God: The Struggles Inherent in our Blessedness*. Time for group discussion will follow the one-hour video presentation. Fr. Rolheiser is a well-known author and speaker who presents his material with charm, humor, and scholarship. This series will lead us through Lent to our Parish Mission which will take place the week of April 7, and then into Holy Week. We will meet in the Ministry Center Library from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Prayer & Meditation with Scripture

Our prayer group continues on **Tuesday evening, March 18**. 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 are most welcome!



Journeys of Faith

On the Second Sunday of Lent, we hear from Kendra Cook, a baptized Candidate seeking Full Communion with the Catholic Church through the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist.

Kendra writes:

I joined RCIA after 2 years of attending St. Norbert. Parishioners My-Linh Duvan and Peter Vinh Nguyen took me into their home when I was at a point where I may have become homeless. Their rules were that I attend church, I go to school, and that I become a part of the family. I am now engaged to their son. I knew that I wanted to belong to a church where its people showed me the kindness that the Nguyen family has.

I came from the Methodist church, after spending my earlier years exploring my faith on my own. There is a feeling of absolute serenity that takes over, that I can't describe, during mass, and during the RCIA teachings. Since I have started this process, I have become open, I have become more charitable to the less fortunate, and I don't feel that all decisions are solely on my shoulders. I have become part of a community, and I have gained a life-long friend, my sponsor, Cheryl Suda. Cheryl came to serve as a sponsor, not knowing who I was, but she just knew she wanted to help. I am grateful that she was brought to me with her many gifts of kindness, knowledge, heart and faith. I am grateful to the instructors, and to Charlene, the Director for all of their teachings and guidance.

After going to the RCIA retreat, and taking time to reflect on my faith, I felt a great feeling of affirmation that this beautiful path is truly the one for me.

During our trip, I was selected to have my feet washed on Holy Thursday, and I felt so honored and surprised all at the same time. I am looking forward to this as well as the ability to partake in the sacrament of the Eucharist. I have longed to have this miraculous experience for years, and it is amazing to now actually long for it, knowing its full meaning. In August, I will be able to participate in this sacrament, as I also celebrate the sacrament of Marriage with my future husband and best friend, Clifford Nguyen. Having the ability to fully experience the Mass at our wedding has more meaning to me now than I ever realized before. May my life in, and my relationship with, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, continue to grow, forever.





Ministerio Hispano

Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

La Cuaresma es una invitación a entrar más profundamente en el corazón de Dios. Lo que Dios le pide a Abrán es que confíe en que Dios lo va a dirigir. Desde los meros comienzos Abrán es llamado a poner su confianza en el Señor y en las promesas del Señor. Se nos dice que Abrán tiene 70 años en el momento en que deja su tierra. Recuerdo el comentario de una persona: “Imagínate entrar en tu casa y decirle a tu esposa, ‘Cariño, tenemos que empacar e irnos, pero no sé a dónde’”. Sencillamente se nos dice: “Partió Abrán, como le había dicho el Señor” (Génesis 12:4). La fe de Abrán ejemplifica la confianza en que Dios lo está guiando.

Jesús llevó consigo a los tres apóstoles a una montaña alta. Las montañas eran a menudo el lugar de encuentro de Dios con los profetas—Moisés y Elías, por ejemplo. Cuando Jesús y los tres apóstoles llegan a su destino, Jesús se transforma ante ellos, su rostro y su vestido brillaban. Súbitamente Moisés y Elías están hablando con él. Podemos entender por qué Pedro quería quedarse allí. Pero aquí no se termina la jornada, la cual terminará en una colina en las afueras de Jerusalén. Por lo pronto ellos escuchan palabras que también son para nosotros hoy día: “Éste es mi Hijo amado...escúchenlo (Mateo 17:5).

Se nos pide caminar con Jesús durante cuarenta días —algunas veces estaremos en el desierto de las pruebas, otras en lo alto de una montaña para disfrutar de un momento de increíble claridad. En ambos lugares sabemos que Jesús es el Hijo amado, que confía en la voluntad del Padre. La Cuaresma nos invita a caminar confiando siempre en el Padre.

-James A. Wallace, C.Ss.R.

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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.

Número de promesas recibidas: 267

Cantidad prometida: \$105,825

% de promesas recibidas para llegar a la meta parroquial: 71

Cómo somos **Enviados a Servir** en la parroquia de San Norberto:

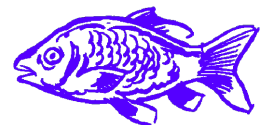
- 12,174** personas asistidas a través de la distribución de comida de Servicios Cristianos
- 40** feligreses/personas mayores recibiendo ayuda de nuestra enfermera parroquial
- 26,208** pacientes internados en el hospital Kaiser que reciben la santa comunión anualmente (42/diarios)
- 3,884** familias registradas en la parroquia de San Norberto
- 11,652** número aproximado de católicos en nuestra parroquia

Misión Cuaresmal

Invitamos a todas las familias a que se unan a la comunidad de San Norberto para continuar acompañando en la jornada de fe a Jesús y María camino al desierto, camino al Calvario y a la Gloria de su Resurrección. El próximo miércoles estaremos en el segundo día de nuestra Misión, el tema de este año es la **Alegría del Evangelio**, el Dr. José Antonio Medina continuará compartiendo el **miércoles 19 de marzo**, a las 7 p.m. en la iglesia, y el Padre Eugenio Cárdenas estará el **miércoles 26 de marzo**, a la misma hora. ¡Vengan y alimenten su espíritu para continuar la jornada de la vida diaria! ¡Hagamos un alto para descansar y estar cerca de nuestro Redentor! Para más información pueden comunicarse con Carmen Estrada al (714) 637-4360 x106.

Pescado Frito

Únase a nosotros los viernes durante el tiempo de Cuaresma de las 5 a las 8 p.m. en el Centro de Ministerios, tendremos comida, y estaremos rodeados de esta maravillosa comunidad. El costo es sólo \$6.00 y puede escoger pescado o pizza, incluye ensalada y papitas fritas, y por una cuota adicional también puede disfrutar de postre. También tenemos órdenes para llevar a casa. Todos esto esta organizados por los adolescentes de la Escuela de San Norberto todo esto está organizado. Vengan con su familia y amigos, y después de comer acompáñenos al viacrucis en la iglesia. Los esperamos.



Escuela Bíblica de Verano

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

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 marzo, fue de \$27,025.73.** Se necesita de su donación semanal para el bienestar de nuestra parroquia y para la promoción del Evangelio.



Ministerio Hispano

Reunión de Comité Hispano

A todos los Coordinadores y Sub-Coordinadores de ministerios, se les recuerda sobre la invitación que hizo el Padre Agustín de leer el libro *La Alegría del Evangelio* escrito por el Papa Francisco, ya que al inicio de las reuniones iremos compartiendo lo que hemos leído, si todavía no han recogido su libro favor de pasar a la oficina de Ministerios Hispanos. También tomen nota que el **martes 18 de marzo** todos tendremos que estar presentes a las 6:50 p.m., ese día estará con nosotros compartiendo el Señor Carlos Obando, en donde daremos el primer paso a la preparación de nuestra jornada Cuaresmal. Contamos con su presencia, porque cada uno de ustedes es importante.

Donación de Sangre a la Cruz Roja

Los Caballeros de Colón Consejo #15733 de nuestra parroquia estarán patrocinando donación de sangre a la Cruz Roja/Hospital San José, el **domingo 30 de marzo** en el Centro de Ministerios de San Norberto, de las 8 a.m. a las 2 p.m.



Puede registrarse en www.redcrossblood.org, haga clic en "Enter a Sponsor Code", escriba nuestro código de patrocinador *Stnorberts*, y seleccione el horario en que usted puede venir. También puede anotarse después de misa el **22 y 23 de marzo**. Para más información o pedir ayuda, favor de comunicarse con Bill Everest a bill.everest70@gmail.com o al número de teléfono (714) 633-9154.

*La necesidad es constante ~ la gratificación es al instante
Done sangre ~ y salve una vida.*



Parejas que Contraerán Matrimonio

¿Están pensando en contraer matrimonio y necesitan recibir las clases de preparación, y no saben cuándo ni en dónde pueden recibir esta

preparación? Tendremos las próximas clases aquí en San Norberto el **28, 29 y 30 de marzo**. Para más información favor de comunicarse con Dionicio o Fausta Medina al (951) 496-2350, después de las 5 p.m. o bien pueden llamar al Centro de Ministerios al (714) 637-4360 x106 con Carmen Estrada.

Servicios Cristianos

Colecta de comida para el mes de marzo

Este mes estamos recaudando frascos de crema de cacahuate cremosa de 16-20 onzas. Pueden dejar sus donaciones en el contenedor ubicado en el vestíbulo de la parroquia, o a cualquier hora durante el mes en el Centro de Ministerios. Gracias por su constante apoyo para ayudarnos a alimentar a aquellos en necesidad.



Parish Calendar

March 16, 2014 ~ March 22, 2014

Sunday, March 16

- 8:30 a.m. St. Joseph Table
- 8:30 p.m. Unique Boutique
- 10:00 a.m. Taco Sunday
- 9:00 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 3:00 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia

Monday, March 17

- 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. Lady Knights
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico de Grupo de Oración
- 7:00 p.m. JPC Formación de Discipulos

Tuesday, March 18

- 6:30 p.m. JPC Ensayo Estaciones de la Cruz
- 6:30 p.m. Padre Pio Rosary Group
- 6:50 p.m. Comité Hispano
- 7:00 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class
- 7:00 p.m. RICA
- 7:30 p.m. Praying with Scripture
- 7:30 p.m. C1 & C2 Confirmation Classes in FYC Gym
- 7:30 p.m. Parent Ministry

Wednesday, March 19

- 9:00 a.m. Southwest Community Kitchen Food Drop-Off
- 6:00 p.m. YM Vision Leadership Team Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball
- 7:00 p.m. Misión Cuaresmal
- 7:30 p.m. AFF: Lenten Study Group

Thursday, March 20

- 6:30 p.m. JPC Ensayo Estaciones de la Cruz
- 6:30 p.m. YM Band Practice
- 7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus
- 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración
- 8:00 p.m. Young Adult Ministry

Friday, March 21

- 9:30 a.m. Confessions
- 5:00 p.m. Fish Fry
- 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 22

- 9:00 a.m. Certificación Básica Módulo 4
- 10:00 a.m. First Reconciliation
- 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

Community Life & Groups

Young at Heart Club

Our next meeting will be held in the Ministry Center on **Thursday, March 27**, beginning at 10 a.m. After a brief meeting and potluck lunch, we will caravan/carpool to Bower's Museum, located at 2002 N. Main Street, Santa Ana. We should be ready to leave by 12:30 p.m. for the 1:30 p.m. musical program, *Timeless Melodies*, featuring the career of Fred Astaire. Admission is \$10 for non-members and \$7 for members. Parking is \$6. Call Elizabeth at (714) 538-6602 for more details.

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 in the coming weeks:

- **Friday, March 28:** Faith & Fellowship at 7:30 p.m.
- **Sunday, March 30:** Family Stations of the Cross (tentative)
- **Thursday, April 3:** Monthly Brunch at 9:30 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 via e-mail at micortiz@aol.com



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 off anytime at the Ministry Center or the Christian Service Office. Thank you and God bless!

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



Pray for the sick...

Jane Arrington	Patricia Moore
John Braunschweiger	Jane Nieblas
Carol Braunschweiger	Sister Frances O'Leary
Guadalupe Casillas	Nancy Sampo
Eileen De Brita	Joseph Sánchez
Maureen Ensch	Cesar Santillan
Pauline Erhard	Robana Stevenson
Daniel Fogarty	Gregory Telles
Lucila Harding	Jeri Thomas
Fr. John Joyce	Sheila Utrup
Barbara Kohlenberger	Thomas Watson
Kathleen Mann	Theresa Whaley
Cadie Maclean	Cris Wong

... and for those who have died.

Debbie Detterich

Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 15, 2014

5:00 p.m. + Edward Loritz

Sunday, March 16, 2014

7:30 a.m. + Bruce Anderson
 9:00 a.m. St. Norbert Parishioners
 10:30 a.m. + Isabel Guzman
 12:00 p.m. + Janice Felix
 2:00 p.m. + Raybel Martínez
 5:30 p.m. + Jeremy & Allison Trahan
 7:00 p.m. + Carolina Sanchez Torres

Monday, March 17, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Mark Pernel
8:30 a.m. + Erin Shigenaga

Tuesday, March 18, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Rufino Aquinde, Sr.
8:30 a.m. + Peg Wynsen

Wednesday, March 19, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Frederick Rewkowki
8:30 a.m. + Inocencia Mar
7:00 p.m. + Matias & Silvina Torres

Thursday, March 20, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Robert Renaud
8:30 a.m. + Audrey Hoffman

Friday, March 21, 2014

6:15 a.m. + Alison Holmes
8:30 a.m. + Robert Wynsen

Saturday, March 22, 2014

8:30 a.m. + George Jana



Marriage Encounter

We are having a Marriage Encounter weekend just before Mother's Day. Make this the best Mother's Day ever by making a Marriage Encounter Weekend to put the spark and romance back in your marriage that may have gone out. Our next scheduled weekend is **May 2-4**. For more information please call Jim or Cheryl at (949) 551-9156.



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)

Since 1968 New Hope Crisis Hotline, now affiliated with Catholic Charities, has provided crisis intervention and suicide prevention services to people in Orange County and around the world. All of our crisis workers are volunteers, who have attended an intensive training program using an "active listening" model of peer counseling. Our services are free and open to all. For further information contact Dr. Louise Dunn, New Hope Director at (714) 620-8810 or dunnlouise@rocketmail.com

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



Anniversary Celebration St. Francis Home

The St. Francis Guild of St. Francis Home presents a Mexican Fiesta Dinner on **Sunday, March 30**, from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. The dinner is sponsored by La Casa Garcia Mexican Restaurants. Celebrate the Home's 70 years and Mr. Garcia's 70th

birthday. (He provides the food!) Enjoy delicious food with music, raffles, a car show and a tour of the Home. All proceeds will be used toward the purchase of a wheelchair-accessible van.

Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$5 for children under 10. To purchase tickets, please contact Tere Ross at tereross@sbcglobal.net or (714) 546-4410, or just come. St. Francis Home is located at 1718 W. Sixth Street in Santa Ana.

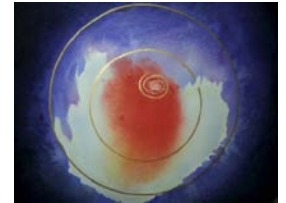
A Pathway To God

Exploring Dreams, An Ancient Spiritual Practice

Dreams are most useful in spiritual growth when we prayerfully listen to them rather than seek to interpret them.

We should receive them as gifts from God, asking him what he wishes to draw to our attention through them.

-David Benner, Sacred Companions, The Gift of Spiritual Friendship & Direction



In this experiential and participatory workshop we will explore:

- How to create sacred dream tending space
- Individual dream tending methods
- Symbolism, the language of dreams
- Ethics and dreamwork
- Being present to hear the dreams of another
- Dream exploration as a spiritual practice

When: Saturday, March 29, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Where: St. Joseph Center, La Posada, 440 South Batavia Street, Orange

Fee: \$70 (includes lunch)

Register: Bobbie Ascarate, bobbie.ascarate@gmail.com or (714) 849-1072

Early registration is encouraged! In order to provide the optimum workshop experience, participation is limited to twelve. Facilitated by Bobbie Ascarate, a trained and experienced interfaith spiritual director.



Pechanga!

Thursday April 24

The Lestonnac Clinic Women's Guild cordially invites you to a day at Pechanga Resort and Casino. Come join the fun! Win raffle prizes on the bus! Make it a LUCKY Day at Pechanga!

Pick-up will be at La Purisima Church, 11712 Hewes Street, Orange. Please arrive early by 9 a.m. for our 9:30 a.m. departure. Valid Photo I.D. required to board bus. Must be 21 years of age. Cost: \$20 per person.

The deadline for all reservations and payments is **Monday, April 10**. Submit "Proof of Age" and pre-payment for valid reservation. We need a minimum of 40 people, so invite your friends! Call Paula Baldini at (714) 724-4951 or Linda Mazzara (at 714) 633-9079 for reservations.

Proceeds benefit the Lestonnac Free Medical and Dental Clinic, 1215 E. Chapman Avenue, Orange.

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