

OUR MISSION

To love God,
proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ,
and to serve all God's people.

ST. JAMES • ST. LEO

• CATHOLIC COMMUNITY •



Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ November 17, 2019

Under the care of the Eudist Fathers of the North American Province

*We Are Grateful,
Thankful & Blessed.*

**Continental Breakfast & Coffee
Sunday, November 17th**

Following the 7:30am, 9:00am, & 11:30am Masses

We need the support of our parishioners, families, and alumni to help us continue to provide the outstanding education and programs to the students of SJA.

Stop by our tables to see all the amazing programs we offer.



*St. James
ACADEMY*



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM
8:30 AM St. Leo Spanish
9:00 AM
10:30 AM St. Leo Spanish
11:30 AM
6:00 PM

Daily Mass at St. James
8:00 AM | Monday - Friday

Liturgy of the Hours
7:30 AM | Monday - Friday

Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM | Monday, St. Leo Mission
8:30 AM – 8:00PM | Thursday, St. James

Communion Service

6:45 AM | Monday - Friday
8:00 AM | Saturday

Reconciliation

3:30 PM | Saturday

Baptism

Call (858) 755-2545 *106

Marriage Preparation

Call Parish Office
(858) 755-2545 ext. *112

9 months prior to wedding

St. James Church

625 S Nardo Avenue

Solana Beach, CA 92075

(858) 755-2545 | Fax: (858) 755-3845

Office hours:

Monday 10:00am-4:00pm

Tuesday-Friday 9:00am-4:00pm

St. Leo Mission

936 Genevieve Street

Solana Beach, CA 92075

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Fr. Gerard's Corner

Apocalyptic literature can be difficult to understand, especially out of context. It flowered in the centuries before Jesus was born, but continued for centuries afterwards, when the church was persecuted by the Roman government. Apocalyptic writings foresaw a dramatic and violent end of the world, imagining current hardships magnified a hundredfold. The events that they imagined—natural disasters, wars, persecution—were enough to drive most people to fear or despair. But there was always consolation for those who were worthy, because God is more powerful than any earthly disaster. Luke reassures his audience with Jesus' words of comfort. "Do not be terrified . . . not a hair on your head will be destroyed" (Luke 21:9, 18). There is a larger plan and the faithful will be delivered.

It's not difficult to imagine that the world could be ending soon, what with terrorism, mass shootings, and global warming. But the lessons from today's readings apply to our era as well. Yes, terrible things are happening and will continue to happen. But this still "will not immediately be the end" (Luke 21:9). "The sun of justice with its healing rays" will arise (Malachi 3:20).

So what should we do? Saint Paul provides a model. We often think of Paul as a preacher, and this is certainly true, but he also taught by example. He worked "in toil and drudgery, night and day," to set an example to imitate (2 Thessalonians 3:8). Some Christians did not follow his lead, so he had to tell them that if they did not work, they should not expect to eat! The lesson: Working to build the kingdom of God was as necessary as food.

Fr. Gerard
J.S. Paluch Co., Inc.

Question of the Week:

Do I continue to meet my responsibilities even during difficult times? How can I bring myself to hope for healing justice in the midst of terrible events?

Collection for the Archdiocese of the Military

\$2,654.00

Weekly Collection November 10, 2019

At Mass	\$10,777.00
Online Giving	<u>\$ 9,689.00</u>
Total	\$20,466.00

*What return shall I make to the Lord
for all the Lord has given me
— Psalm 116*

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	The Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
Thursday:	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Friday:	St. Cecilia
Saturday:	St. Clement I; St. Columban; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro; Blessed Virgin Mary

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — For those who fear the name of the Lord, the sun of justice will arise (Malachi 3:19-20a).

Psalm — The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice (Psalm 98).

Second Reading — Those who are living in idleness are urged to earn their own living (2 Thessalonians 3:7-12).

Gospel — Jesus foretells the destruction of Jerusalem, the persecution of his followers (Luke 21:5-19).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday:	2 Mc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-7; Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday:	2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15; Lk 19:11-28
Thursday:	1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lk 19:41-44
Friday:	1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11-12; Lk 19:45-48
Saturday:	1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19; Lk 20:27-40
Sunday:	2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

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Prayer Requests

Doris Bower	Barry Kershaw
Gerri Dunham	Aidan Morris
Tommy Fitzpatrick	Jessica Painter
Doris Garcia	Catherine Renner
Dana Grant	Dottie Renner
Pete Heffron	Mike Reynolds
Harvey Hodsdon	Debbie Reynolds
Evelyn Jerde	Tim Rueth Family
Aaron Jilka	Mark S.
Linda Johnson	Nona Sims
Monica	Andrew Thompson
Mary Kieffer	

We are happy to list the names of persons who need special prayers. Names will be listed for one month. Call (858) 755-2545 ext.*100 to add a name to the list. Please make sure you have permission from the person prior to calling.

Prayer Ministry Schedule

- **3rd** Saturdays after 5 p.m. Mass.
- **3rd** Sundays after 9 & 11:30 a.m. Masses
- **3rd** Wednesdays: 7:00 to 8:15 p.m. "**Holy Spirit Encounter**" Worship/Adoration, and praying over individuals.

Eucharistic Adoration

Each hour I spend with Jesus will deepen His Divine PEACE within my heart. "Come to Me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you"



We need additional adorers to sign up for Thursday evening hours 7-8pm.

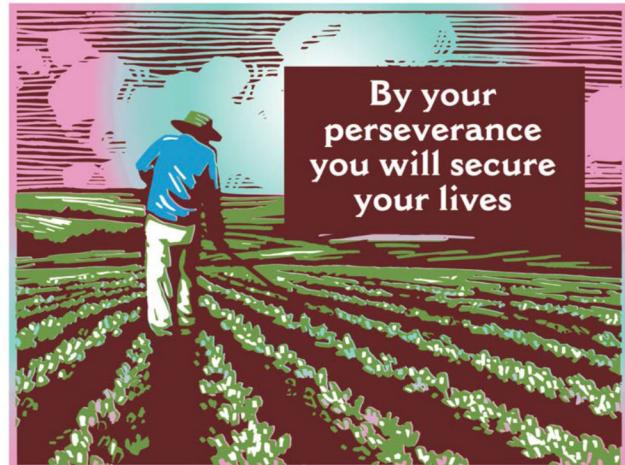
Please sign up to spend an hour on Thursdays with Jesus. Call Monica (858) 945-7220 or email mzeboldbell@cox.net

All are welcome to join the **Rosary group** any **Monday** 6pm in the chapel behind the Altar.

Mass Intentions



Monday, Nov 18 ~ Erin Gault †
Tuesday, Nov 19 ~ Sean Maloney †
Wednesday, Nov 20 ~ Patrick Oltati †
Thursday, Nov 21 ~ Dorothy Garza †
Friday, Nov 22 ~ Joe Moisant Int.



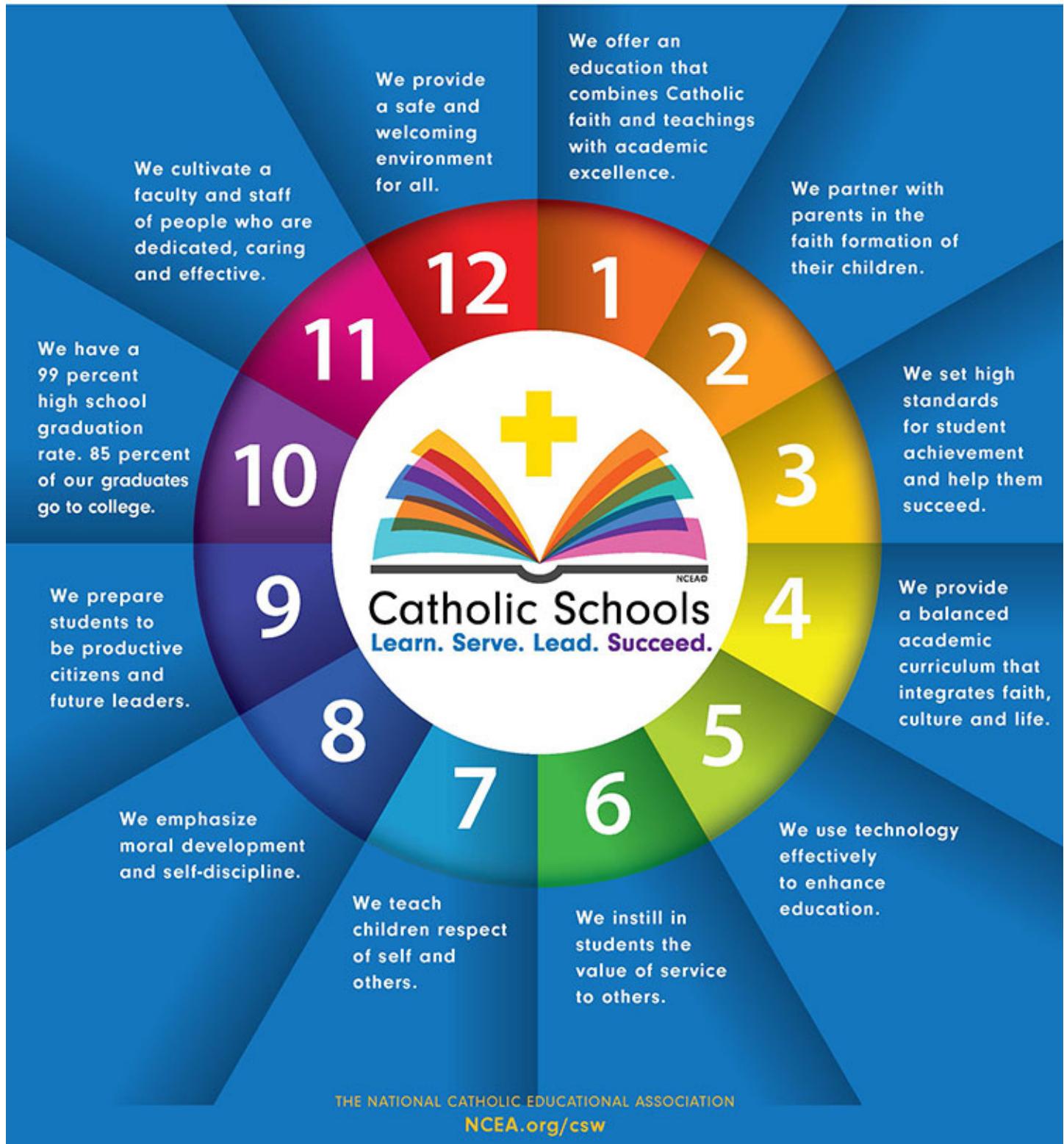
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Sexual Abuse Compensation Program

The Independent Victim Compensation Program (ICP), a program sponsored by the Diocese of San Diego to assist victim-survivors who were abused as minors by priests of this diocese, is accepting applications. The ICP is independent and not controlled by the Church. There is no time limit on when the abuse may have taken place. The program will consider all claims, regardless of how long ago the abuse occurred. No attorney is necessary and there are no fees of any kind. U.S. Residency is also not required. For more information go to their website www.CaliforniaDiocesesICP.com

To report suspected sexual misconduct or child abuse within our institutions and ministries please contact the Child and Youth Protection Office, Victims Assistance Coordinator, Rodrigo Valdivia at (858) 490-8310.

a dozen reasons to choose Catholic Schools





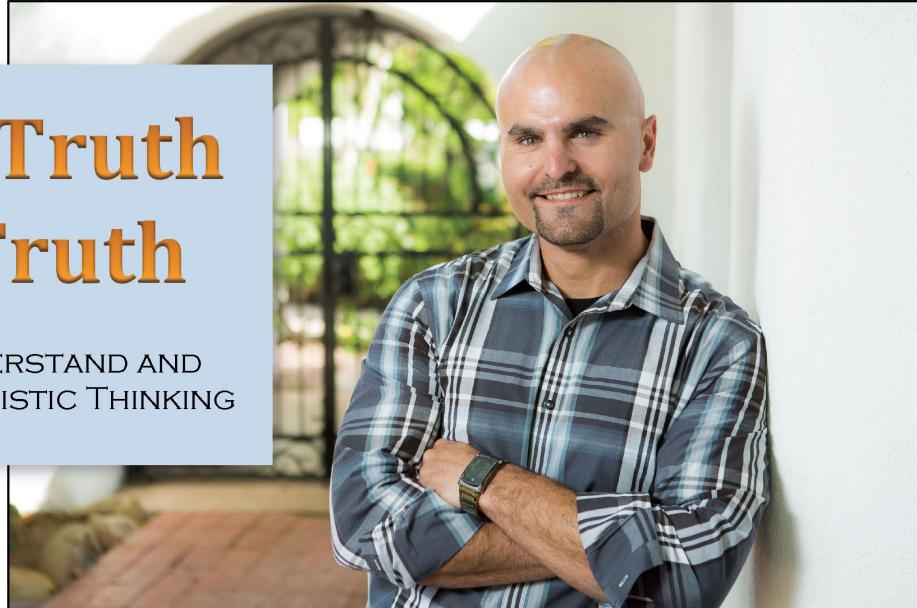
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PARISH FAITH NIGHTS

"To love God, proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ, and serve all God's people."

Your Truth My Truth

HOW TO UNDERSTAND AND
REFUTE RELATIVISTIC THINKING



FREE TALK! GUEST SPEAKER KARLO BROUSSARD

Karlo exposes the absurdities of the modern belief that truth is relative to what an individual or culture believes. He provides arguments to show that truth exists independently of what an individual or group of individuals might think. As a staff apologist and speaker for Catholic Answers, Karlo travels the country giving talks on apologetics, the Bible, theology, and philosophy. Karlo is one of the most dynamic and gifted Catholic speakers on the circuit today, communicating with precision of thought, a genuine love for God, and an enthusiasm that inspires.



Catholic Answers

**Tuesday Evening, November 19, 2019
Dinner 6pm, Talk 7pm**

St. James Parish Hall, 625 S. Nardo Ave., Solana Beach
Free talk, join us before for a home-cooked meal \$10

Questions, email psmith@stjames-stleo.org

Mission Circle

People Helping People In Need

Be sure to like Mission Circle on Facebook to keep up with all our news and activities!

Travel Size Toiletries

Thank you for all your generous donations!

We still have a great need for travel sized toiletries. Please save the travel-size toiletries from your hotel stays and leave them under the sink in the church social room. The prisoners in the Tijuana jail will greatly appreciate them.



Volunteers Needed

Looking for a great opportunity to serve others this holiday season? Mission Circle is organizing a volunteer group to work at Holiday Baskets, the Community Resource Center's annual event where 6,000 people in need receive gifts of food, toys, blankets, outerwear and much more. Our volunteer shift takes place from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14, at the Del Mar Fairgrounds; to sign up or get more information, email Anastacia Grenda at aegrenda@gmail.com.

Secretary Wanted

Would you like to work at the parish? Candidates for the position of Parish Secretary should have good people skills, pleasant phone voice and manners, typing experience, computer literacy (including a good knowledge of Microsoft Office Programs including Microsoft Publisher), be proficient in office clerical skills, and have knowledge and familiarity with the organizational structure and practices of the Roman Catholic Church. For more information please see the employment section on the diocese website: <https://www.sdcatholic.org/diocese/administration/human-resources/employment/>



SAN DIEGO CATHOLIC ADULT COMMUNITY

Young Adults | Adult Community | ACTIVE 60's+

Sign up for weekly email updates at <http://sandiegocac.org/>

Contact Nancy Wesseln nancy@sandiegocac.org
(858) 847-0724

"The Best Way to Meet Catholics Like You"

Young Adults (20s and 30s)

Sunday, December 8th, 6pm

St. James YOUNG ADULT Join us for Mass and Dinner – Contacts: Kelly and Sierra

Saturday, December 14th

Diocese of San Diego – Young Adult Gala

St. Michael's Parish Hall in Poway.

\$40/single and \$70/married couple.

Tickets: www.yamsd.org

Purchase your ticket TODAY! Tickets will sell out!

Adult Community (35+)

Wednesday, November 20th, 7:00pm

Theology "Uncorked!" (21+)

Our Mother of Confidence

Speaker: Steve Marshall

Topic: 2000 Years of Mercy: Sacred Heart

Devotion Through the Ages

Sacred Heart images are a standard feature in many Catholic homes. Growing up, this symbol was constantly present to many of us, but what does it really mean? Join spiritual theologian Steve Marshall in exploring the roots of the devotion in both scripture and Church history. Discover the moment when this "sacred heartbeat" rose to a crescendo and surged into the life of the universal Church, and how it can change our lives today.

Young Adults: stephen@sandiegocac.org

Adult Community: nancy@sandiegocac.org

Active 60s+

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, November 23rd, 8am

Hike Penasquitos Canyon Preserve

Contacts: Sandi and Mike
sandi@sandiegocac.org

SAVE THE DATE

Friday, December 6th

Christmas Happy Hour

St. Therese of Carmel Parish Hall
Contact: camille@sandiegocaca.org



SAN DIEGO CATHOLIC ADULT COMMUNITY

Pastoral Council



Bob Giese



Greg Lefevre



Susan Hanna



Camille Ashcraft



Marty Peters



Christy Bohan



Liz Truxaw

The St. James-St. Leo Pastoral Council is an advisory group to our pastor and is made up of 18 parishioners from our St. James-St. Leo Community. We are advisory only – we don't set any policy or direction. We currently have 5 active committees. Hospitality, Liturgy, Youth Ministry, Evangelization and St. James Academy, and we expect adding other committees in the future. Every year one third of the council will be retired and new members from the parish will be taking our places.

To better represent the entire parish, the pastoral council is looking for your input. The Council is conducting a parish wide survey that will be accessible on the parish website and will be available for 2 weeks. This survey will cover the 5 areas of parish life that our committees are currently addressing. The survey results will be published.



Fr. Gerard Lecomte



Katie Pelisek

The Pastoral Council wants to be very visible and accessible to all parishioners. Our photos will be in the back of the church and on the website as well. We will all be wearing white Pastoral Council name badges. You are welcome to approach anyone of the members with any issue. The council e-mail address is: PastoralCouncil@stjames-stleo.com and our meetings, on the third Monday of the month, are open for all parishioners to attend. There will opportunity for parishioners to provide input to the council at our meetings – you just have to set it up in advance with the parish office.

The Pastoral Council is looking forward to receiving your input on any St. James-St. Leo pastoral issue.



Alicia Rodmel



Shirley Giese



Jennay Gunderson



Kevin Gunderson



Christine Battenfield



Debbie Derderian



Raphael Rodmel



Tim Truxaw



Mike Brown



Charles Ettari

El rincón del P. Gerardo

La literatura apocalíptica puede ser difícil de entender, sobre todo cuando se saca fuera del contexto. Surgió en los siglos anteriores al nacimiento de Jesús, pero continuó durante siglos después cuando la Iglesia fue perseguida por el gobierno romano. Los escritos apocalípticos vaticinaron un fin del mundo dramático y violento con un aumento desmesurado de las adversidades ya existentes. Los acontecimientos que ellos imaginaron, tales como desastres naturales, guerra y persecución, eran suficientes para provocar el miedo y la desesperación en la mayoría de la gente. Pero siempre había consuelo para aquellos que confiaban en Dios, pues Dios es más poderoso que ningún desastre terrenal. Lucas le da tranquilidad a su audiencia con las palabras consoladoras de Jesús: "Que no los domine el pánico . . . ni un cabello de su cabeza perecerá" (Lucas 21, 9. 18). Hay un plan más grande y los fieles se salvarán.

No es difícil imaginar que el mundo terminará pronto al ver el terrorismo, las masacres humanas y el calentamiento global. Pero las lecciones que sacamos de las lecturas de hoy también son aplicables a nuestra era. Ciento es que están sucediendo cosas terribles y van a seguir ocurriendo, "pero todavía no es el fin" (Lucas 21, 9). "Brillará el sol de justicia, que les traerá la salvación en sus rayos" (Malaquías 3, 20).

Así pues, ¿qué debemos hacer? San Pablo nos da el modelo. Podemos considerar a Pablo un predicador, pues ciertamente lo es; pero también enseñó con su ejemplo. "De día y de noche trabajé hasta agotarme", así nos dio un ejemplo a imitar (2 Tesalonicenses 3, 8). Algunos cristianos no siguieron el ejemplo de Pablo y por eso tuvo que decirles que si no trabajaban, ¡no deberían esperar comer! La lección es ésta: Trabajar para construir el Reino de Dios es tan necesario como el alimento.

P. Gerard
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Pregunta del Día

¿Sigo asumiendo mis responsabilidades aún durante los tiempos difíciles? ¿Cómo puedo no dejar de perder las esperanzas de una justicia holística en medio de acontecimientos terribles?

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Para ellos que temen al Señor, brillará el sol de justicia (Malaquías 3:19-20a).

Salmo — El Señor llega para regir la tierra con justicia (Salmo 98 [97]).

Segunda lectura — Pablo habla de su trabajo duro entre los tesalonicenses (2 Tesalonicenses 3:7-12).

Evangelio — Jesús predice la destrucción de Jerusalén, la persecución y el odio hacia sus seguidores (Lucas 21:5-19).

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63;
Sal 119 (118):53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158;
Lc 18:35-43

Martes: 2 Mc 6:18-31; Sal 3:2-7; Lc 19:1-10

Miércoles: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Sal 17 (16):1bcd, 5-6,
8b, 15; Lc 19:11-28

Jueves: 1 Mc 2:15-29; Sal 50 (49):1b-2, 5-6, 14-15;
Lc 19:41-44

Viernes: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Cr 29:1bcd, 11-12;
Lc 19:45-48

Sábado: 1 Mc 6:1-13; Sal 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19; Lc 20:27-40

Domingo: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Sal 122 (121):1-5; Col 1:12-20;
Lc 23:35-43

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Trigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Lunes: Dedicación de las Basílicas de san Pedro y san Pablo; Santa Rosa Filipina Duchesne

Jueves: La Presentación de la Santísima Virgen María

Viernes: Santa Cecilia

Sábado: San Clemente I; San Columbano;
Beato Miguel Agustín Pro;
Santa María Virgen

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

Todos los Jueves

A las 7:00pm en la Misión de San León Magno.

Tenemos Alabanza,
predicación de la Palabra
y Oración. Acompáñanos!



VENTA DE CORONAS DE ADVIENTO

1 de Diciembre en la Misión de San León

Estaremos vendiendo las tradicionales coronas de adviento después de las misas.
Los fondos son para nuestra Misión.

¡Gracias!

El padre Gerardo y todo el personal de St. James-St. Leo agradecemos infinitamente a toda la comunidad de St. León Magno por el hermoso evento realizado en la fiesta de nuestro patrono y de la despedida de la hermana Zita el pasado domingo. Gracias a los jóvenes por su excelente participación, gracias a todo el equipo organizador, Dios bendiga su trabajo y multiplique su generosidad.



MINISTERIO DE MATRIMONIOS

Miércoles 20 de Noviembre

A las 7:00pm

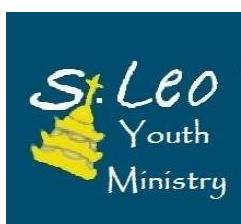
en la Misión de San León Magno

Los esperamos .

GRUPO DE JÓVENES

de 12 a 18 años

Los Viernes de 6:00pm a 8:00pm
en la Sala de
Conferencias de San James.



RETIRO NUEVA VIDA PARA ADULTOS

22, 23 y 24
de Noviembre
En el salón de St. James

Ven a tener un encuentro personal con Cristo Jesús, déjate amar y pon todo en sus manos que Él está contigo.

Horario

Viernes: 5:30pm - 9:00pm

Sábado: 4:00pm - 9:00pm

Domingo: 10:00am - 3:00pm

Habrá cuidado de niños sin costo
(sólo deben traer su lunch)

Entrada: \$10 por persona por los tres días para cubrir gastos de comida.



ROSARIOS A LA VIRGEN

Del 1 al 12 de Diciembre

En la Misión de San León Magno

Los invitamos a participar de los Rosarios a la Virgen de Guadalupe. Si alguna familia esta interesada en patrocinar un Rosario, favor de registrarse con Eva Ríos después de misa.

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

Events happening this week:

- Sun., Nov 17** **33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- Mon., Nov 18** **9:00am-5:00pm Adoration, St. Leo**
- Tue., Nov 19** **7:00pm Who am I to Judge?, Hall**
- Wed., Nov 20** **9:00am Who am I to Judge?, Hall
6:30pm Returning Catholics,
Social Room**
- Thur., Nov 21** **8:00am-8:00pm Adoration,
Prayer Chapel**
- Sat., Nov 23** **6:00pm Prayer Ministry, Church Nave**
- Sun., Nov 24** **Jesus Christ King of the
Universe**



NEIGHBORS STANDING TOGETHER IN GRATITUDE

11th Annual POINT Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

Come join us for an evening of Leaders and Musicians from many Faith traditions share prayers, reflections and music with messages on standing together as neighbors in our Oneness and Unity.

Wednesday, November 20th, 2019
7:00-8:30pm

Refreshments to follow the service

**San Rafael Catholic Church
17252 Bernardo Center Dr.
San Diego, CA 92128**

All proceeds, financial and canned food, will go to Interfaith Community Services in Escondido to help feed the homeless.

Make checks payable to "Poway Interfaith Team"
Donations are Tax Deductible.

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