

## July Intentions of our Holy Father

### **The Integrity of Justice**

That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

### **Voice Your Opposition to the Attack on the Seal of Confession.**

You are invited to attend the California Assembly Public Safety Committee on Tuesday, July 9, 2019; 9:00 AM at the California State Capitol, Room 126. This meeting is open to all. Voice your **opposition to Senate Bill 360.**

The “seal of Confession” is one of the most sacrosanct of Catholic beliefs and penitents rely on this unbreakable guarantee to freely confess and seek reconciliation with God. A priest who breaks the seal is automatically excommunicated (Canon 1388).

Yet now, the California Assembly Public Safety Committee is debating *SB 360*, a bill proposing to eliminate the penitential communication exemption for priests and employees of the Catholic Church when it comes to child sexual abuse.

SB 360 would undermine that, create confusion, deter counseling and discourage spiritual counseling without gaining any protection for children.

For more information about SB 3670 and to take action, visit [www.scd.org/keeptheseal](http://www.scd.org/keeptheseal).



### **FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL**

***Tuesday, July 16th***

***Our Blessed Mother gave the brown scapular to Saint Simon Stock as “an external sign of the filial***

***relationship established between the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother and Queen of Mount Carmel, and the faithful who entrust themselves totally to her protection, who have recourse to her maternal intercession, and who are mindful of the primacy of the spiritual life and the need for prayer.”***

***A Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel beings on Sunday, July 7th.***

***Novena Prayers are available in the back of church.***

*Summer is a time to delve into Scripture!  
Grab a glass of lemonade and your Bible!*

## **ST. MICHAEL'S CORNER**



**Sunday Mass** 9 a.m. English/11 a.m. Spanish  
**Wednesday Mass** As Announced In Bulletin  
**Holydays** As Announced In Bulletin  
**Religious Education** Spanish: Sundays After Mass  
**Spanish Choir** Wednesday 6:00PM

St. Michael is having a Bible study every Friday  
From 9:00AM to 10:00AM

We will be discussing the coming Sunday's readings.

### **SCHEDULED-WEEK OF JULY 7, 2019**

MON YLI 5:30 PM—Church Basement

TUE St. Vincent de Paul 6:30 PM—Church Basement

**MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY ROSARY AT 8:10 AM**  
**MASS 8:30 AM IN CHAPEL**



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS.  
WE MEET **THIS TUESDAY AT 6:30PM**

### **Altar Service Schedule Week of July 13th & 14th, 2019**

| <b><u>Saturday</u></b> | <b><u>Sunday</u></b> | <b><u>Sunday</u></b>  | <b><u>Sunday</u></b> |
|------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| <b><u>5:30PM</u></b>   | <b><u>9:00AM</u></b> | <b><u>11:00AM</u></b> | <b><u>5:30PM</u></b> |
| P. Rodolfo             | D. D'Acquisto        | J. Warren             | E. Farber            |
| R. Rodolfo             | G. D'Acquisto        | J. Damalerio          | I. Briones           |
| K/D Casas              | M. Caranci           |                       |                      |

### **5th Annual Sacramento Classic Basketball Game!**

Diocesan Priests vs. Seminarians: Tuesday, July 9th at Christian Brothers High School in Sacramento. Please join us in an evening of fellowship to meet our seminarians and support vocations! Cheer for our priests and/or seminarians! Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Cost of tickets: Students (K-College) \$5/Adults. \$15/Group of Six (Adults) \$60.

Priests, Deacons and Sisters are welcome to join us at no cost. For more information or to buy tickets, please contact the Office of Vocations at (916) 733-0258 or by email at [msmith@scd.org](mailto:msmith@scd.org). You can also purchase tickets online at [www.scd.org/basketball](http://www.scd.org/basketball).

**Power of prayer!** Some people have a mass said for a deceased loved one. Did you know that you may have one said for a special intention? Want to acknowledge someone's birthday, retirement, friendship, or a special thank-you? Call the rectory to schedule. Want to join others who regularly pray for those in need? No cost, Pray from your home. Call Carol at 224-1281

Today's Gospel begins immediately after the final verse in last Sunday's Gospel. After strong language about the difficulties of discipleship, Jesus immediately appoints 72 people to go ahead of him to every town and place he plans to visit, proclaiming that the Kingdom of God is at hand. He sends them in pairs. In the Law of Moses two witnesses were needed for a testimony to be credible. It was probably also a safer way to travel.

Jesus admits it will be difficult, that he is sending them out like lambs among wolves. Yet they are to bring nothing with them, not even a money bag or sandals. They are to greet no one on the way so as not to be distracted from their mission. When they enter a house, their message is simply "peace." The response they will receive may be positive or negative. Either way, they are to know that the Kingdom of God is at hand. They are not to demand special treatment but eat and drink whatever is given them. They are to stay in one house and are not to look around for one that provides better accommodations. They are to heal the sick as a sign that the Kingdom of God is at hand for them. Like Jesus' miracles, healing is a sign of the coming of the kingdom. If the town will not receive them, they are to shake the dust from their feet and move on. Even in the case of such rejection they should know that the Kingdom of God is at hand.

When they return from their journeys, they are rejoicing because their mission has been successful. Demons were under their power because of Jesus' name. Jesus may have sent them out as lambs among wolves, but at the conclusion of this passage he assures them that they have been given power over the enemy and nothing will harm them, not even serpents and scorpions.

A key theme of today's Gospel and last Sunday's Gospel is discipleship—its challenges, its difficulties, and its rewards. Sharing in the mission of Jesus is difficult, but everyone is called to do it, not just some professionals trained for ministry. Even for us today, the harvest is plentiful. We should pray to the master of the harvest to send out workers for his harvest.



**MASS SCHEDULE WITH MASS INTENTIONS**

**Week of July 7, 2019**

- Sun.....7/7.....9:00 am..... Terri Misslin, Sp. Int.
- Sun.....7/7.....9:00 am.....Missa ProPopulo.....St. Michael
- Sun.....7/7.....11:00 am.....Novelli Family, Sp. Int.
- Sun.....7/7.....11:00 am.....All Souls.....St. Michael
- Sun.....7/7.....5:30 pm.....Michelle Ciba, Sp. Int.
- Mon.....7/8.....7:00 am.....All Souls.....Mercy Hospital Chapel
- Mon.....7/8.....8:30 am.....Michelle Ciba, Sp. Int.
- Mon.....7/8.....12:15 pm.....All Souls
- Tue.....7/9.....7:00 am.....All Souls.....Mercy Hospital Chapel
- Tue.....7/9.....8:30 am.....Karen Chan +
- Wed.....7/10.....7:30 am.....Edilma Ospina +.....St. Michael
- Wed.....7/10.....8:30 am.....All Souls
- Thu.....7/11.....7:00 am.....All Souls.....Mercy Hospital Chapel
- Thu.....7/11.....8:30 am.....Claudia Girimonte +
- Thu.....7/11.....12:15 pm.....All Souls
- Fri.....7/12.....8:30 am.....Michelle Ciba, Sp. Int.
- Sat.....7/13.....8:30 am.....All Souls
- Sat.....7/13.....5:30 pm.....Melvin & Bennett +

**RETRouvaille MARRIAGE RECOVERY**

July 12-14, 2019

Is your marriage in trouble—miserable-dead? Would you like it to come alive? Retrouvaille can give you the communication skills you need to relate to one other in a more respectful and emotionally mature way. The next weekend is in Sacramento, July 12-14. For more information call (800) 470-2230, email 6013@retrouvaille.org or visit <http://www.helpourmarriage.com>.



**BLESSING OF THE GRAPES!**  
**New Clairvaux Vineyard,**  
**Vina, CA**  
**Saturday, July 13th**

Watch monks conduct a 1400 year old ceremony over a picturesque vineyard.

The Monk Market will feature numerous vendors offering local produce and fare will begin at 9am with the Blessing of the Grapes ceremony at 10:30 am taking place at the **Abbey's St. James Vineyard**. The public can enjoy tours of the church, vineyard and winery at the property. Mobile catering and wine testing will be available for purchase. Get a wristband and glass for \$5.00!