<u>JUNE 29 & 30, 2024</u> <u>13[™] SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u>



By: The Word Among Us

They were utterly astounded. (Mark 5: 42)

Of course, they were astounded! The disciples and the parents of the young girl had just seen Jesus raise her from the dead. Now, she was walking around as if she had never been ill. And just a few minutes earlier, a woman suffering from a hemorrhage for twelve long years had been instantly cured juts by touching Jesus' cloak (Mark 5: 27-29). Both were amazing displays of power, and both demonstrated that Jesus was no ordinary rabbi.

We don't know if the young girl's father or the afflicted woman really understood that Jesus was the Messiah, when they reached out to him. But they must have sensed that he came from God, given what they had already heard about him. Clearly, they believed in his power enough to approach him for healing. Perhaps they didn't know how their encounter with him would end, but they put their hope in him and stepped out in faith.

We do know that Jesus is the Son of God, and yet sometimes we can find ourselves doubting his power. Can he really heal me? Can he really forgive my most shameful sins? Will he one day raise me to new life? And yet the kinds of stories like the ones in today's Gospel reading didn't just happen in the past. Jesus still acts powerfully in our own time and place. Conversions, healings, answers to prayer—these continue to abound.

So, believe in Jesus' power, as Jairus and his woman did. Step out in faith and ask for what you need. Keep asking even if you don't see immediate results. Even if it seems as if you're not getting what you're asking for, don't give up hope! Believe in Jesus, Lord of heaven and earth, has the power—and the desire—to heal you and give you new life. This is why he came to earth, and he will do it, in his own perfect time and way!

"Jesus, I am reaching out to touch you cloak today. Heal me and pour your life into me!"

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

Upon entering the church, you will notice the new dossal curtain underneath the canopy in the sanctuary. This is a wonderful gift to the church, and I am grateful to the Portuguese members of our community who so generously made this possible! The quality and beauty of the curtain is a dramatic change from the worn canvas that hung there for many years. The new cloth is a beautiful velvet of fine quality, imported from Belgium and lovingly sewn by one of our parishioners. A project of this size was no easy task, and I want to acknowledge the skill and patience of the seamstress. While the material is new, the design is a restoration of the original plan for the altar and canopy, as you can see in the photograph located in the vestibule. Returning to the original design puts the canopy and the crucifix back in their original architectural context, and the color and weight of the new material draw the eye in a graceful way to the altar and tabernacle. While we are addressing practical needs in the church (such as the repair of the heating system), it is also important that we put energy and resources towards maintaining and creating things of beauty. The cleanliness and beauty of the church, most especially the sanctuary, reflects our love and respect for the Lord, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and our faith in the Real Presence. I have loved, O Lord, the beauty of thy house; and the place where thy glory dwelleth (Ps 25:8).

God bless you for your ongoing support and generosity,

Fr. Pacheco





69TH ANNUAL PARISH BBQ Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church Corner of Harold & Maple Sts. Fort Bragg, CA

Sunday, Aug. 4th, 2024!

11AM – 6PM

Delicious BBQ Chicken (1/2 chicken!), Green Salad, Mexican Beans, Rice, Garlic Bread, Dessert, Punch & Coffee!

> Full Order - \$30 1/2 Order \$25

Wine Wheel, Beer, Wine & Margaritas Games for All Ages - Silent Auction

GREAT FAMILY FUN!!!



MAGNIFICAT Mark Your Calendars: It's Time for Magnificat Days!

Magnificat Days summer youth camp will be July 25-27 for children and youth ages 6-18. We will need volunteers to help with morning sign in's, activities, and meal prep. Can you help? Call Kathleen Kasperson: 707.513.5672. Registration and more information available soon.



FRIDAY, JULY 5TH IS FIRST FRIDAY AND WE WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU THAT WE HAVE 2 MASSES: AT 11AM, WE START WITH EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FOLLOWED BY ENGLISH MASS. AT 5:30PM EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FOLLOWED BY SPANISH MASS.

JULY 6TH IS THE FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH AND WE HAVE A SPECIAL MASS FOR OUR BLESSED VIRGIN MARY AT 9AM.

<u>~UPDATE YOUR RECORDS ~</u>

Have you changed your address? Phone number? Email address? If so, please contact the parish office and let us know your changes so that we can update your parishioner record. Email changes to <u>olgcinfb@gmail.com</u> or call at 707-964-0229 ext. 1.

MASS INTENTIONS

<u>JUNE 29 – JULY 5, 2024</u>		
Saturday (29)	5:00pm	Fred & Clara White †
		Thomas Galemba †
		Kathleen Swensen †
		Rose Fabela Power (healing)
	6:30pm	Roberto López †
	1	Emerita Ramírez †
		Rutilo Sandoval †
		Gabriel Yáñez †
		Alfonso y Maria Bran †
		Eleuterio y Manuel Gaona †
		Belén Mandujano †
		Beatriz Valencia †
		Marcelino Chanure †
		Pedro & Manuel Renetría (b-day)
Sunday (30)	8:00am	Marcelino Chanure †
	10:00am	Missa pro populo
Monday (01)	12:05pm	NO MASS
Tuesday (02)	5:30pm	María Barajas Gutiérrez (healing)
Wednesday (03)	12:05pm	Gwendolyn Ceci (healing)
Thursday (04)	12:05pm	Wendy Kough (healing)
Friday (05)	12:05pm	Antonio Salazar †
	6:00pm	Antonia Rentería †

WEEKLY COLLECTION

JUNE 22 & 23, 2024...\$2,002.00 ANNUAL MINISTRY APPEAL....\$982.00

THIS WEEKEND OUR SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE FOR SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL'S MINISTRY NEXT WEEKEND OUR SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE FOR LIABILITY INSURANCE

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT & CHRISTIAN GENEROSITY!!



WE WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU THAT: Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish now provides "ParishSOFT Giving," an online giving software! To get started, you can go to olgcinfb.org.

From this link you will be allowed to manage your own account online, set up gifts on a schedule that you choose or a one-time donation, and can be set up with a credit card, debit card, checking or savings account! If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office at 964-0229.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS

Cuca Soto, Yolanda Soto, Rosalío Martínez, Felix Santillán, Ron Sousa, Esperanza Barba, Bertha Valenzuela, Gina Pivirotto, Angie Gómez, Rose Cortez, Fidela Jara, Martha Sánchez, Gerardo Escobedo, Angie Freitas, Russel Bryant, Derrick Heater, Ann Gallagher, Brianna Lopez, Margaret Milliken, Nick Quin, Mary Servis, Matty Walker & Ofelia Ybarra.



IN THE VESTIBULE OF THE CHURCH, ON THE SOUTHERN WALL IS A BEAUTIFUL MEMORIAL TREE. ITS BRIGHT LEAVES REPRESENT PERMANENT MEMORIALS TO THE DEPARTED OF OUR PARISH. FOR THE SUM OF \$200.00, YOU CAN GIVE TO THE PARISH SECRETARY, THE CORRECT SPELLING AND DATES OF THE DEPARTED AND IN DUE TIME THE LEAF IS PRINTED AND ATTACHED TO THE TR AS A PERMANENT REMINDER OF A LOVED ONE WHO IS GONE. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE AT 707-964-0229. LET'S PRAY FOR ALL OUR FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Jovany Baez, Justin Mertle, María de la Luz Ramírez, Rebeca Sánchez, Marina González, José Araiza, Jr., Alondra Jara, Sonia Jara, Matt Mills & Jared Schroeder.



EVERY **THURSDAY @ 11:00AM**, WE HAVE THE EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FOLLOWED BY MASS AT **12:05PM**.



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

When a parishioner is homebound or hospitalized and would like Father Pacheco to pay them a visit to receive Holy Communion and/or Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Office at 707-964-0229 ext. 1 and after office hours, please call 707-813-4188.

News From SJSDR Catholic School

With God's many blessings which include being a part of this wonderful parish with all of your support, our school has successfully ended its 4th year of operations. Our work continues to support families of our parish and our community to give their children a truly Catholic education in which the students are able to grow in more than just academic strength. Some of our students were able to work ahead of grade-level, while others received invaluable, unlimited oneon-one support, in math and reading. Our students study Latin which is the language of science and of our Faith. This year, too, we added a music program and enjoyed many wonderful field trips to take our learning out into our community. And most importantly, our students are always complimented for their kindness, respect, honesty, and hard work when we go out into the community. We would love to have your family join our school family. We have been able to solve every one of the problems our families ran into in making this possible for their children.

Call today or stop by to find out how we can help you! Call or text Kathleen Kasperson 707-513-5672.