



# St. Peter Claver Parish

Corner of Cochran & Stow Streets



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## PARISH SCHEDULE

### MASSSES:

Saturday: 5pm Vigil; 7pm (Español)

Sunday: 8am; 10am; 12noon & 5pm

Holy Day of Obligation: 5pm Eve before;

Day-7:30am; 12noon & 7pm

Weekdays: 7:30am (Monday - Friday)

**DEVOTIONS:** Perpetual Help Novena, Wednes-

days, 7pm, Mass on first Wednesdays, 7pm;

Adoration every Friday, 7pm

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:** Saturdays,

3 - 4:30pm (or by appointment); Eve of Holy Day

& Thursday before first Friday, 4 - 4:45pm

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Sundays, 1:30 pm;

4th Sunday - Spanish Baptism

**BAPTISM INSTRUCTION:**

Second Monday of each month, 7pm

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** 6 months prior notification needed

## Parish Mission Statement

*We, the parish of Saint Peter Claver, are a Catholic faith community within the Archdiocese of Los Angeles and the Universal Church. Firm in the hope of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and inspired by the example of our patron, we proclaim the kingdom of God to embrace everyone in love without discrimination of any kind. We are devoted to worship, to witness, and joyful service in the Spirit.*

## PARISH INFORMATION

**Parish Office Address:** 5649 Pittman St.

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# Parish Information

## **Safeguard the Children Committee:**

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## **Women's Adult Bible Study:**

Sherry Kimmet, 581-2742

## **Becoming Catholic (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):**

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## **Parish Vocation Animator:**

Michael Johnson, 526-6499

## **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Coley Maddigan, Coordinator, 526-6499  
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**Lector Coordinator:** Jim Small, (805) 390-7260

**Altar Servers:** Brian Kane, 583-0466

## **Eucharistic Ministry of Hosp. & Home:**

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## **Bereavement Ministry:**

Dcn. Melecio Zamora, 526-6499

## **Annulment Assistance:**

Wally & Linda Cravens, 526-6499

**Knights of Columbus:** Rick Lepore, (805) 218-5703

## **Society of St. Vincent de Paul:**

For assistance: (805) 404-3178

**Music Director:** Jim Leslie, (818) 324-2109

**Parish Library:** Sue Marron, (805) 770-0922

## **Couples for Christ:**

Chito & Beth Coronel, 285-7453

## **Filipino Catholic Comm. Group:**

Vangie Carlos, (805) 813-3995

## **Hispanic Catholic Community Group:**

Dcn. Melecio Zamora, (818) 262-1090

**Las Guadalupanas:** Pilar Osorio, (310) 597-9548

## **Worldwide Marriage Encounter:**

J.C. and Chelsea Baxter, (805) 522-4294

**BINGO:** Thursday, 6:30pm BINGO hotline: 526-2781

## ***O Lord of hosts, you who test the just, who probe the mind and the heart...***

Truth is never a secret to be kept, as the prophets understood clearly. They shouted truth defiantly into the faces of rulers who preferred the lovely and convenient lie. As St. Jerome would confirm eight centuries after the time of Jeremiah: "Truth does not love corners nor does she seek out whisperers." Truth is meant to see the radiant light of day. We might compare the bold witness of truth to the contents of our hearts: full of stories selectively told and confessions half-made. While we seek to preserve the good opinion of others by furtively hiding our darkness, Scripture repeatedly testifies that God knows our minds and hearts. I'm not suggesting any of us stand in the street and shout our failings in public. But there are avenues of full disclosure that are appropriate: to God most of all, and to God's witness in the sacrament of reconciliation. But the revelation of truth is also needed to those most immediately affected by our lack of candor. Concealing truth is like tossing a prophet in a cistern. Sooner or later, he'll get out.

## **Through one man sin entered the world, and through sin, death.**

Don't blame Adam. Don't dump on Eve. If you want to know the "one man" (or woman) through whom sin enters the world, it's you. Okay, to be fair, it's me. To be honest? It's each of us. We are the portals of sin and death in this world. We're the ones making the choices, and we—alone and in groups—are capable of making some really horrendous ones, as history bears witness. St. Paul has interesting things to say about the nature of sin. He implies ignorance of wrongdoing is a mitigating factor: those who don't know the laws of God aren't held responsible for breaking them. However, Paul hastens to say, we live in a world where these laws are now fully expressed. Is there anyone on the planet who hasn't heard that killing is a moral evil? That lying, stealing, cheating, and infidelity are wrong? Is anyone unclear about the idolatry thing? God alone is to be adored. If we devote ourselves to any other person or goal, the end will be bitter. Sin has no purchase in this world except for us. And grace has no portal but Jesus Christ.

## ***"What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light."***

*Consider the thick darkness surrounding the generation of Jesus. It was an era of empire and oppression, political ambition and treachery, masters and slaves, haves and have-nots. It was a time of schemers and takers and polished deceivers who worked hard to keep the truth from surfacing. You could say it was a generation in which truth was as darkly obscured as it is right now. In such an age of obscurity, Jesus taught in an irrelevant corner of civilization. He wasn't born in Rome, wasn't a citizen of the great empire, and belonged to a despised race. His religion was viewed with distaste and suspicion by the government. In the realm of power, Jesus was an outsider and a nobody. Yet he chose to proclaim the truth in the heart of history's darkness, trusting that His followers would bring the message into the light in ages to come. We are the ones Jesus is counting on to speak truth into the light. In our words, decisions, and actions, we put this radiant light on a lamp stand for all to see.*

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## Pastor's Corner

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Dear Parishioners,

Let me thank all of you for your kindness and thoughtfulness as you offered me your wishes on my birthday last June 19, and my Ordination Anniversary last June 21. I am very grateful to God for giving me my life and for the vocation that He called me to. It has been 37 years for me serving Him and His people as a priest with joy in my heart. I have grown in age and wisdom and in grace always knowing that God is the reason for all that I have done and will continue to do.

I had the opportunity to go for my annual retreat this past week with my brother priests at St. John's Seminary. Our retreat master, Fr. William T. Kelly, STD, a priest of the Archdiocese of Boston directed us to take the many things that make up a priest's daily life - the many interactions with our people, the sacraments, prayer, the liturgy, and reflect on how these shape us in imitation of Jesus. I come home with renewed vigor and enthusiasm to serve our Lord and you my people of St. Peter Claver parish.

In my article from last week's bulletin, I pointed out that in preparing ourselves for Saturday evening or Sunday Mass we need to dress up appropriately for it. The point, if I may expound on it, is that, the Mass is a very special gathering that we come for as a church. The Mass itself is unique because there is nothing like it, because it is the only time and occasion when we encounter the real presence of God; soul, body and divinity uniting us with Him and with one another. Because it is a holy encounter and very sacred event we have to dress up for the Lord who we meet. We always wear something proper and neat if we are meeting with our doctor or meeting for a job interview or if we are invited at a wedding reception or attending a birthday party. The celebration of the Mass is in fact greater in value and importance than any of those important events that ordinary people put together. Parents do remind their children to dress up properly when they attend an invitation for party or reception. So, as your spiritual father, I am reminding you to be mindful of dressing up properly for Sunday Masses even during summer time. Our appearance should reflect the degree of respect that we give to the host who invites us. At the Sunday Mass, God truly is the Host.

As we gather for Mass we also strive to work for peace and unity. The Lord does not want us to pray by ourselves in private or for ourselves alone. We do not say "My Father, who art in heaven," nor "Give me this day my daily bread." It is not for himself alone that each person asks to be forgiven, not to be led into temptation or to be delivered from evil. Rather, we pray in public as a community, and not for one individual but for all. For the people of God are all one.

God is then the teacher of harmony, peace and unity, and desires each of us to pray for all men, even as He bore all men in Himself alone. He also teaches us that our prayer must be persuasive and efficacious. The apostles' simple and spiritual prayer of peace merited the presence of the Lord. So too, after the ascension we find the apostles and the disciples praying together in this way. Scripture relates: They all joined together in continuous prayer, with the women including Mary, the mother of Jesus, and His brothers. They all joined together in continuous prayer. The urgency and the unity of their prayer declares that God, who fashions a bond of unity among those who live in His home, will admit into His divine home for all eternity only those who pray in unity.

My dear brothers and sisters, the Lord's Prayer contains many great mysteries of our faith. In these few words there is great spiritual strength, for this summary of divine teaching contains all of our prayers and petitions. And so, the Lord commands us: Pray then like this: Our Father, who art in heaven. We who received Jesus, we who believe in His name, He gave us the power to become children of God. Let us profess our belief that we are daughters and sons of God by giving thanks. Let us call upon God who is Our Father in heaven.

Peace,  
Fr. Riz



*Offer this day to the Lord*  
**Parish Activities This Week**

**Monday, June 26th**

- 7:00 pm MSYM Session (YC)
- 7:00 pm Misioneros de Cristo Praise and Worship (PC)
- 7:30 pm Adult Bible Study (CLR)

**Tuesday, June 27th**

- 5:00 pm Webelos 1 and Lion Den Meetings (PC)
- 6:30 pm Misioneros Bible Study (PC)
- 7:00 pm Bereavement Support Group (CLR)
- 7:00 pm Claver Coffeehouse (PC)
- 7:00 pm Hispanic Comm. Prayer Group (PC)
- 7:00 pm Adult Music Ministry (C)

**Wednesday, June 28th**

- 7:00 pm Perpetual Help Novena and Divine Mercy Chaplet (C)
- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts (H)

**Thursday, June 29th**

- 6:00 pm Children's Choir (C)
- 6:30 pm BINGO
- 7:00 pm Noon Choir (C)
- 7:30 pm Adult Bible Study (CLR)

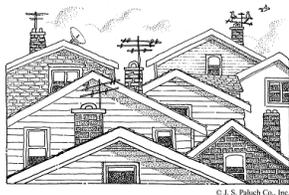
**Friday, June 30th**

- 6:30 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet (C)
- 6:30 pm Couples for Christ (PC)
- 7:00 pm Holy Hour (C)
- 7:00 pm Hispanic Community Choir (PC)

**Saturday, July 1st**

- 8:00 am Catholic Mothers in Prayer (YC)
- 3:00 pm Confessions (C)
- 4:15 pm Choir Practice (C)
- 6:00 pm Vocations Ministry (P)
- 6:15 pm Confessions (Español) (C)
- 8:00 pm Vocations Ministry (P)
- 8:00 pm Couples for Christ (P)

What you hear  
 whispered, proclaim  
 on the rooftops



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*Thank  
 You!*

**Thank you for your donations on  
 Sunday, June 18<sup>th</sup>: \$12,416.50.**

**On This Sunday We Celebrate...**

- JUNE MISSIONS OF MERCY, 8:00am
- Ministry Fair - Service Outreach and School - after all Masses
- Faith Formation Scholarship Fund Bake Sale after 8:00am, 10:00am and 12(noon) Masses
- Parish Lending Library after 8:00am, 10:00am and 12(noon) Masses
- Coffee and Donut Hospitality after 8:00am and 10:00am Masses
- Baptisms, 1:30pm
- Youth Choir, 4:00pm

**Mass Intentions for the Week**



**Saturday, June 24th**

- 5:00 pm Helen Monesi (RIP)
- Rufo and Juana Ramos (RIP)

**Sunday, June 25th**

- 10:00 am Catherine Suzich (RIP)
- Lubie Bross (RIP)
- 12(noon) Jose Licop, Sr. (RIP)
- Margarita Licop (RIP)
- 5:00 pm Ron Finnerty (RIP)
- Georgia Altmayer (INT)

**Monday, June 26th**

- 7:30am Linda Hovanec (RIP)
- Jerome Borro (RIP)
- Allen Family (RIP)

**Tuesday, June 27th**

- 7:30 am Leonida Quiambao (RIP)
- Alfredo Tovar (INT)
- Marietta Agustin (INT)

**Wednesday, June 28th**

- 7:30 am Helen Kondzielski (INT)
- Thanksgiving (INT)
- Judy Strack (INT)

**Thursday, June 29th**

- 7:30 am Raymond Christl (RIP)
- Rocio Sosa (RIP)
- Kathy Hill (RIP)

**Friday, June 30th**

- 7:30 am Chereyne Barini (RIP)
- Robert Lugo (RIP)
- Dave Tellez (INT)

## Office of Faith Formation - "Building Households of Faith"

[SPCFAITHFORMATION.ORG](http://SPCFAITHFORMATION.ORG)

The Office of Faith Formation is open Monday - Thursday, 1-5pm and 6-8pm.

**Gospel Matthew 10:26-33** - Older children are beginning to move beyond simple childhood fears to experience "grown-up" concerns and worries. We can help them through this time of transition by highlighting God's care for each person.

*Thank you to the many hearts and hands that made Missions of Mercy possible especially Sherry Clements, Caity Carlson, Gary Carlson, Lois Langel, Trisha Manglallan, Brian Clements, Angelica Cornejo, Teresa Donnelly, Andrew Gafvert, Michelle Kane, Lorraine Kubernach-Pokrzywnicki, Dan Langlois, Francisco Leon, Cyril Monesi, Jon Teague, Geri Pavia, Irene Ruiz, Fr. Riz and Fr. Adrian, the Knights of Columbus, Bingo, Couples for Christ, the Spanish Community, and especially to the 250 parishioners who volunteered to work throughout the city of Simi Valley to serve those who serve others. THANK YOU!*

### Middle School Youth Ministry

- † Which grade is superior? We will find out at our Battle of the Grades night on Monday, June 26th at 7pm in the Youth Center! Come for a fun night of teamwork and competition!
- † Our Mini Golf night will be Monday, July 10<sup>th</sup>! Please see your email for fees for the night as well as a permission form. Parent drivers are needed for this night a well!

### High School Youth Ministry and Confirmation

(805) 526-7975 • [youthministry@saintpeterclaver.org](mailto:youthministry@saintpeterclaver.org) • [spcym.org](http://spcym.org)

The Youth Ministry Office is located at the Youth Center and is open Monday - Thursday from 1 - 8pm.

#### Come Jam with Jesus at the Youth Center on July 16<sup>th</sup>!

High School youth, whether you play an instrument, like to sing, or just enjoy music, don't miss our Jam with Jesus Night on Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 pm in the Youth Center. We'll fire up the barbecue, our voices, and instruments and have a great time. Information about our expanding music ministry will also be shared. See you on the 16<sup>th</sup>!

#### Youth Confirmation

High School youth who have been baptized and received First Communion in the Catholic Church can begin the two year preparation process for the Sacrament of Confirmation this fall. We are currently finalizing details for the upcoming year. Stay tuned and check out [www.spcym.org/confirmation.html](http://www.spcym.org/confirmation.html) for more information.

### RCIA - ADULTS (Seeking to Become Fully Catholic)

Thinking about becoming fully Catholic? Never been baptized? Baptized in a different faith? Baptized Catholic but never confirmed and/or received first communion? Then the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) is just for you! Come to **CLAVER COFFEEHOUSE**, our twice-monthly gathering for inquirers (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays), and bring your questions. Call the Faith Formation Office at (805) 526-0680 for more information.

## June 25, 2017 - Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Sing to the LORD, praise the LORD,  
for he has rescued the life of the poor. ~ Jeremiah 20:13*

### **PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION** **BE A WITNESS OF CHARITY**

Next week, we will take up a collection for Peter's Pence, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds from this worldwide collection benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

### **FEAR NOT**

*How do people find hope in the face of suffering and death? That is the question addressed by today's scriptures. We hear of the suffering of Jeremiah and the psalmist. We hear of the death that "reigned from Adam to Moses" (Romans 5:14). We hear of the fears of the Twelve as Jesus sends them out into the world to preach and heal.*

*Through all this tribulation one message rings out loud and clear - "Do not be afraid!" The God who saved Jeremiah and the psalmist and Jesus is fully present to save us through the gracious gift of Jesus Christ. We have nothing and no one to fear.*

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#### **Please pray for the health of...**

Beverly Hughes; Douglas Hanson; Jo McKinley; Marilyn Como; Shirley Carter; Chris Bordeleau; David Placeres; Bob Hasley; Bruce Casserly; Donna Emmons; Elizabeth Alexander; Enel Aquino; Georgia Altmayer; Judy Strack; Barbara Maceranka; Janet Greer; Maribel Felix; Joseph Rosenbloom; Alejandro Turla; Natali Wilde; Ronald Bensky; Phyllis Sherin; David Gesell; Armando Perez; Carmelita Tumbucon; Carol Acker; Rene Espinoza; Gliceria Evangelista; David Lehr; Bridget and Irwin Wakcher; Roy Bustamante; Frank Cesario; Dana Freund; Jim Womack; Justin Warn; Sherri Egan; Beverly Grimes; Linda Lynch; Bradley Sharp; Erick M., Jacob A., and Cecilia Frances; Diane Hazlewood; Marie Fardig; Bud Upper; Carla Maria Molina; Dave Morley; Kenny Bond; Gary Savas; Arlen Handberg; (child) Hazel Hammersley; Mary Jane Wickman; LaVonne Emerson; James Yncera; Charles Leo; Sheana Green; Deann Glynn; Dan Lang; Joe Ortega; Dan Boland; Catherine Capaldi; Gregg Cassity; Virginia Dalcoe; Vera Barker; Bruce Vandelinder; Susan Womack; Helene Parlms-Jackson; Maria Lozano; Carolyn Currie; Chelsea White; Mary Smart; Mimi McGilvray; Rick Schuler; Elaine Swieca; Bill Waters; Marge Porterfield; Aaron Byron; Bob Bower; Jacqueline Sylvestre; Kittie Fidermutz; Martina Peters; Dillon Tunney; Barbara Pogorzelski; Sherry Estrella; Chase Dobson; Loretta Payne; Barbara Knight; Suzanne Shafer.

**LIVE THE LITURGY** - Jesus tells us today, "Fear no one." All of us have fears. Some of us may fear the future, change, rejection, being out of control, ridiculed, losing a cherished relationship, failure, and even sickness and death. We have no control over much that we fear. Anxiety and worry become a futile waste of time and serve only to impact the quality of life. Faith, which brings a trust in God's promise that He is with us, allows us to face whatever comes with courage and acceptance. While very difficult to do, this is exactly what we are asked to do.

#### **Please pray for the souls of...**

Tammy Yusem-Iker, Felicitas Cuison Magno, 6/18/17; Dolores Joan Miller, 6/16/17; Ray Marcouiller, 6/15/17; Irv Langworthy, 6/15/17; Eleanor Herbert, 6/13/17; Feliciano Remigio, 6/11/17; Ludivina Seraspe, 5/11/17; Antonia Vilchez, 6/25/15; Karlo Gambarini, 7/1/12; Erika Pongracz-Bartha, 6/29/11; Maria Cruz, 6/28/10; Myrna Roman, 6/29/08; George Price, 6/28/07; Audrey Hodgins, 6/25/06; Eva Matter, 6/26/05; Eleanor Taylor, 7/1/04; Mary Gonzalez, 6/30/03; Carl Frova, 6/30/03; Frances Miner, 6/28/03; Elaine Pizzola, 6/28/03; Guadalupe Gutierrez, 7/1/03; Richard Camou, 7/1/02; Cora Clover, 6/30/01; Wendy Pearson, 6/25/98; Sean Boehmer, 6/27/91; Robert Kilgore, 6/27/90; Autumn Caldwell, 6/29/89; Otto Jirousek, 6/26/88; Grace Peglay, 6/29/86; Joan Ginley, 6/25/86; Porfirio Hernandez, 6/26/85; Maria Jativa, 6/25/83.

## Couples for Christ - Family Retreat

Couples for Christ invites all Spanish speaking families to a family retreat at the St. Peter Claver East Hall. It takes place Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup> from 8am to 5pm. The retreat is free and includes breakfast and lunch.

## HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE PLANNING MEETING



The Holiday Boutique Committee will be having its first planning meeting on Monday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm in the Parish Office. We will be discussing details for this year's Holiday Boutique which is scheduled for November 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>. Anyone interested in being on the committee is welcome! If you have any questions, please call Lisa Kane at (805) 583-0466.

## SAVE THE DATE - RETREAT AT SACRED HEART

Ladies, would you like to plan spending a weekend with Our Lord on the lovely grounds of the Sacred Heart Retreat Center in Alhambra? Enjoy the loving hospitality of the Carmelite nuns on the weekend of September 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>, 2017. The retreat master will be Fr. Dave Heney. The theme is "Streams of Grace and Mercy." For information on room rates or reservations, call Mary at (805) 526-8006, Bea at (805) 523-2433 or Lilia at (805) 217-9090.

## Everyday Stewardship

When I was a teenager, after a homecoming dance one year I took my date for a walk on the Potomac in downtown Alexandria. The moon was out and I was struck by how the light shimmered on the water. I remember focusing to try to see all the details of the dancing rays on the ripples. My date didn't see it and didn't really get it. She thought it was no big deal. It was a great date and a fun night, but for that one moment we saw the world from two completely different vantage points.

Two of the greatest gifts from God to each of us are life and time. Without taking care, we can easily miss the grandeur and beauty of both. Being mindful as an everyday steward means pausing to see the detail in all that exists around us. God's creation is not something created with a broad brush, but instead with the intricacies of a master painter.

God created all things with purpose and a complexity only the divine could fully comprehend. Every single hair on our head has been counted! But when we take a moment to reflect on the beauty that is created by that complexity, we allow ourselves to revel in God's generosity. There is so much to give thanks for in this life. But you and I can't give thanks to God unless we really stop to take notice. When was the last time you stared in awe at the moon?

~Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## SAVE THE DATE!



The Filipino Catholic Community Group will again host one of their famous turnaround trips to Pechanga Resort and Casino on Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>! The round-trip ticket is \$20 per person; you must be 21 years of age to go. You'll have a great time! There are a limited amount of seats available. For more information, or to make reservations, please contact Beth Lok at (818) 319-5553 or Vangie Carlos at (805) 813-3995. Please look for more details in a future bulletin!

## The St. Rose of Lima ICF Bocce Picnic is Here!!

Today, Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> ❖ 3-7pm

Stop by Lemon Park pavilion Sunday for a fabulous afternoon. Hot dogs, sausage sandwiches and other goodies will be served and there will be exciting games of Bocce everyone to enjoy!!!!!! Come out to play Bocce or just to eat and have some fun....

**Enjoy Food, Fun, and Bocce!!**

A small fee will be charged at the door for food.

Call Rita at (805) 579-8970 or Chris at (805) 583-0806 with any questions.



# Missions of Mercy



**IT'S TIME TO CELEBRATE!!!**

**On Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at 5 PM**

The day has arrived!!! **EVERYONE**, please join your friends and neighbors in celebrating the **GENEROUS SPIRIT** of **ST. PETER CLAVER** to the Simi Valley community.

At Sunday night 5PM Mass, we celebrate and give thanks for one another.



Dinner will be provided by the Filipino Catholic Community Group as a gift to us **after Mass** in the **West Hall**.

Please bring family and friends to a joyful evening.



## Colecta Peter's Pence - Sea un testigo de la Caridad

Nuestra colecta especial en la próxima semana será para Peter's Pence, la cual le proporciona al papa Francisco los fondos necesarios para llevar a cabo sus obras de caridad alrededor del mundo. Lo recaudado beneficia a nuestros hermanos y hermanas que viven al margen de la sociedad, incluyendo a las víctimas de la guerra, la opresión y los desastres. Por favor, sean generosos.

Para más información, visiten [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

## Darejas Para Cristo - Retiro Familiar

PAREJAS PARA CRISTO invita a todas familias a un Retiro Familiar. Sera en la sala de St. Peter Claver el sabado 15 de Julio de 8am a 5pm. Gratis y incluye desayuno y almuerzo.

## St. Peter Claver Bingo - "The Friendliest Bingo In Town!"

### Thursday Nights In the Parish Center

Doors open at 4:30pm - Games begin at 6:30pm - All games pay \$250

Major Credit Cards accepted - Phone: (805) 526-2781



## Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration at St. Rose of Lima

*In the St. Rose of Lima's Adoration Chapel, the exposition of Jesus is 24 hours a day, 130 continuous hours per week, from 9am Monday through 5pm Saturday. You can schedule your private time with Jesus or just drop by for a short visit. For more information, please call Tom Lafferty, Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Coordinator at 404-9420.*

## ¿SABÍA USTED?

**Prevención de la seguridad y el abuso durante el verano** - A medida que comience a hacer planes para actividades de verano, ya sea en su propio patio trasero, en el parque local, campamentos de verano u otros lugares para pasar la noche o fuera de la ciudad, mantenga la seguridad de los niños en mente. La mejor regla práctica para la seguridad del niño es tener la mayor información posible sobre el lugar, el programa y sus coordinadores, y reemplazar la confianza ciega por el conocimiento y la sana sospecha. Para solicitar una copia del artículo de VIRTUS® "Summer Safety Tips Can Help Prevent Sexual Abuse" (Consejos de seguridad para el verano pueden ayudar a prevenir el abuso sexual), envíe un correo electrónico a [bmelendez@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:bmelendez@la-archdiocese.org) o llame al (213) 637-7508.

## Did You Know?

**Summer safety and abuse prevention** - As you begin to make summer plans for activities - whether in your own backyard, the local park, summer camps or other overnight or out-of-town settings - keep child safety in mind. The best practice rules for child safety is to have as much information about the place, program and its coordinators as possible and replace blind trust with knowledge and healthy suspicion. To request a copy of the VIRTUS® article "Summer Safety Tips Can Help Prevent Sexual Abuse," email [jvienna@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:jvienna@la-archdiocese.org) or call (213) 637-7227.



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The Catholic Committee on Scouting of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles held their annual Adults Award Banquet on March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Fr. Riz Carranza and Maria Cumsille were awarded the St. George Emblem for their dedication to Catholic Scouting. The St. George emblem is awarded annually to members of the laity and clergy who have made significant and outstanding contributions to the spiritual development of Catholic Youth through Scouting. Also, Clyde Allen was awarded the Bronze Pelican in recognition of his influence in the spiritual formation of the Catholic Youth in the Scouting movement.

On Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017, the 91<sup>st</sup> Annual Religious Emblems Presentation Mass was held at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels. The following Scouts from St. Peter Claver Parish were honored:



### **AD ALTARE DEI AWARD**

Based on the seven sacraments, the Ad Altare Dei award program helps Catholic Boy Scouts to develop a fully Christian way of life in their faith communities.

Congratulations to Scouts

*Laura Elizabeth Allen*

*Joel Samuel Lester DeCamp*

*Kyler Francisco Demel*

*Ben Timothy Lee*

*Joseph Luevanos*

*Joseph Raymond Michael Rumble*

*Xander Paul Tamparong*

*Andrew James Trella*

*Jake Walter Trella*

### **POPE PIUS XII AWARD**

Pope Pius XII is Catholic Scouting's church-related ministries and vocation program. The program deals with different life choices (single, married, religious, ordained), occupations and ministries in the Church as calls from God. It includes youth led discussions on current issues facing the Church and society, which are normally included as part of a Pius XII retreat or day of recollection.

Congratulations to Scouts

*Stephen Alexander Cumsille Burt*

*Diego Rafael Herrera*

# **WELL DONE, SCOUTS!**