



SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

<p>Saturday, September 10, 2016 5:00 PM Lanell Esparza (D) By Randy Esparza</p>	<p>Saturday, September 17, 2016 5:00 PM Joe Hood (D) By Correia Family</p>
<p>Sunday, September 11, 2016 8:00 AM Johnnie T. Martin (D) By Carmie Martin</p>	<p>Sunday, September 18, 2016 8:00 AM Mary C. Silveira (D) By Our Lady of Fatima Comm.</p>
<p>9:30 AM Tony L. Quintero (D) By Family</p>	<p>9:30 AM Jack Ventura (D) By Manuel /Joanne Caetano</p>
<p>PRO POPOLO</p>	<p>PRO POPOLO</p>
<p>11:00 AM Jose Flores (D) Por Mayra Flores y Familia</p>	<p>11:00 AM Hna. Maria Elena Cerna y familia (L)</p>
<p>WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM</p>	<p>WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM</p>
<p>Monday, September 12, 2016 Ernie/Rosie Lencioni (D) By Elaine Lencioni</p>	<p>Monday, September 19, 2016 Joe Machado Coelho (D) By Salome/Mauricio Rosa</p>
<p>Tuesday, September 13, 2016 Jack Ventura (D) By John Steele Family</p>	<p>Tuesday, September 20, 2016 Joe Coelho (D) By Paul/Eliza Leal</p>
<p>Wednesday, September 14, 2016 No Mass</p>	<p>Wednesday, September 21, 2016 No Mass</p>
<p>Thursday, September 15, 2016 Frank Rete (D) By Lucy Silverio</p>	<p>Thursday, September 22, 2016 Frank & Germina Santos (D) By Dolores Negrete</p>
<p>Friday, September 16, 2016 Janice Ventura (L) By John Steele Family</p>	<p>Friday, September 23, 2016 Clara Azevedo (D) By Mary C. Silveria</p>

In Our Thoughts & Prayers
 We pray for our parishioners who are sick and home-bound in convalescent homes, in hospitals. Please pray that God gives them strength, courage, and patience.

Oremos por todo aquellas que estan enfermos, en asilos y hospitales. Oremos para que Dios les de fuerza, confianza y paciencia.

Second Collection/Segunda Colecta
 Religious Education/Educacion Religiosa

Last week's collection/ Colecta de la semana pasada: \$2,555.00
 Building Fund/Fondo de Edificio \$726.50

Next week's collection/Proxima semana colecta:
 Maintenance & Repair/Mantenimiento y Reparaciones

Thank you for your continued generosity.
Mil gracias que Dios bendiga por su generosidad.



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“The Pharisees and scribes began to complain, saying, ‘This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.’” Jesus knew these self-righteous religious leaders were complaining. And he knew they needed to learn a lesson. So, in addition to giving a lived example of welcoming the company of “tax collectors and sinners,” Jesus also directly taught the skeptics about the importance of welcoming those who have been lost. Today’s Gospel gives a powerhouse lineup of three parables that all teach a similar message: rejoice over the lost sheep, rejoice over the lost coin, and rejoice over the return of the lost son.

The theme can be summarized in the simple directive: rejoice don’t reject. When someone who isn’t part of the “fold” appears in church, this is cause for rejoicing! It should not be cause for gossip, sideways glances, or nervous whispers about what to do or say. Rather a genuine smile and word of welcome would be in order at the very least, and a heartfelt invitation to join the community would be totally appropriate.

Too often we become complacent about our Christian company. We get used to seeing the same people every Sunday and forget about the “lost” men and women who are outside the bounds of our comfort zone. Jesus gives us the image of an active shepherd who goes “after the lost one until he finds it,” and a diligent widow who will “sweep the house, searching carefully” until she finds her coin. He tells us of a father who “ran to his son, embraced and kissed him,” in spite of the separation they had faced. We too are called to take initiative in seeking out those who are lost, and to rejoice heartily when they finally do come back home.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

Sunday:	Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19/1 Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10
Monday:	1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-10, 17/Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday:	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1-5/Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday:	Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1-2, 34-38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17
Thursday:	1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 28/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Friday:	1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 17:1, 6-8, 15/Lk 8:1-3
Saturday:	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Ps 56:10-14/Lk 8:4-15
Next Sunday:	Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-8/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13



LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA DEL 11 DE SEPTIEMBRE DE 2016

Domingo:	Ex 32, 7-11. 13-14/Sal 51, 3-4. 12-13. 17. 19/1 Tim 1, 12-17/Lc 15, 1-32 o 15, 1-10
Lunes:	1 Cor 11, 17-26. 33/Sal 40, 7-10. 17/Lc 7, 1-10
Martes:	1 Cor 12, 12-14. 27-31/Sal 100, 1-5/Lc 7, 11-17
Miércoles:	Nm 21, 4-9/Sal 78, 1-2. 34-38/Flp 2, 6-11/Jn 3, 13-17
Jueves:	1 Cor 15, 1-11/Sal 118, 1-2. 16-17. 28/Jn 19, 25-27 o Lc 2, 33-35
Viernes:	1 Cor 15, 12-20/Sal 17, 1. 6-8. 15/Lc 8, 1-3
Sábado:	1 Cor 15, 35-37. 42-49/Sal 56, 10-14/Lc 8, 4-15
Domingo siguiente:	Am 8, 4-7/Sal 113, 1-2. 4-8/1 Tim 2, 1-8/Lc 16, 1-13 o 16, 10-13

ST. JUDE ALTAR GUILD

The St. Jude Altar Guild will be meeting on Monday, September 12, 2016 at 6:00 pm. Anyone interested is encouraged to attend.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION DAY

This month the date for food distribution is changed because of the holiday. Food will be distributed starting at 1:00 pm on Monday, September 12, 2016. This will be in Easton in front of the Presbyterian Church. Please bring a cart or something to help carry the food items. Volunteers, please come to help at 12:30 pm.

KC THANKS YOU

The Family Steak Dinner sponsored by the Knights of Columbus held on August 28th was a huge success. It was because of you. We want to thank each of you who came to enjoy this evening of good food and fellowship.

ST. ELIA 106TH CELEBRATION

September 18, 2016 Mass at 12:00 noon in St. Alphonsus Church. Procession to follow with dinner at 3:30 pm in Valdez Hall at the Convention Center. Dinner Tickets:\$35, Child under 12, \$15. Call Judy 243-9143, Mike 285-3320, or Sally 650-1154.



24º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Las lecturas del Evangelio de este domingo están enfocadas en la ternura y misericordia de Dios hacia su pueblo que tropieza cayendo en la infidelidad. En la primera lectura llama la atención la capacidad de diálogo e intercesión de Moisés hacia Dios abogando por el pueblo de Israel que había caído en el pecado de idolatría. A Dios no le gusta el mal, y aparentemente está enojado, pero siempre acaba manifestando su misericordia. San Pablo, por su parte, nos da ejemplo evidente de la fuerza que la gracia de Dios nos da y se ha manifestada en su Hijo Jesucristo.

El Papa Francisco en la Bula de la Misericordia (No. 1), nos recuerda que “Jesucristo es el rostro de la misericordia del Padre. El misterio de la fe cristiana parece encontrar su síntesis en esta palabra. Ella se ha vuelto viva, visible y ha alcanzado su culmen en Jesús de Nazaret”. ¿Ves el rostro de Dios en los que te rodean? ¿Crees que este rostro se encuentra en tu familia, tus compañeros de trabajo, tu comunidad? ¿De qué forma respondemos en las diferentes circunstancias de la vida? Jesús, hoy, nos narra tres parábolas y en ellas busca que descubramos ese rostro tan hermoso de su Padre del cielo. Las tres parábolas tienen un mismo fin y un mismo mensaje. La alegría de recobrar lo perdido (la oveja, la moneda y al hijo pródigo). Con un solo fin, mostrar la misericordia infinita y salvadora de Dios hacia nosotros, ovejas perdidas ¡Alegrémonos que Dios nos busca! El Buen Pastor anda tras nosotros, escuchemos su voz.

Dios es el Padre con los brazos abiertos. ¿Quién predicara la buena noticia de reconciliación? Considera servir como sacerdote o diacono, hermano o hermana religiosa.



CCD REGISTRATION SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2016 9:00 - 1:00 PM

Stop by the church hall to register your child for CCD classes. All classes begin Sunday, September 25, 2016. Grades 1-6 will be from 9:10-10:30 am. Junior and High School Classes will be 10:30 - 1:00 pm. **In order to register for class, all the necessary documents are needed.** Both birth and baptism certificates are needed for 1st Communion; and birth, baptism, and 1st communion certificates for Confirmation. Fee \$35 for 1, \$60 for 2 or more.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

Our CCD needs some volunteers for this year’s program. Would you be interested in being a Catechist? Or maybe you might like to be a Substitute Catechist? Your help is needed in the fourth, seventh, eighth, ninth and/or tenth grade. We would greatly appreciate it. Please call Lisa at 288-7056 or the office 485-3870. God bless you for caring for our children.

OUR LADY OF VICTORY SCHOOL
 65th Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, September 11, 2016 at the 9:30 am Mass at 2838 N. West, Fresno.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Most Reverend Armando X. Ochoa, D.D. invites you to join in the following Masses at St. John's, Fresno

- BLUE MASS:** Police Officers, Firemen/Firewomen, Safety Friday, September 23, 2016 @ 12:10 pm
- WHITE MASS** Medical Field Friday, October 14, 2016 @ 12:10 pm
- RED MASS** Justice & Legal Field, Friday, October 21, 2016 @ 12:10 pm

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

40 Days for Life is an annual pro-life campaign. Please join us for an hour in prayer and fasting at a peaceful prayer vigil in front of Planned Parenthood's Fresno abortion facility at 650 N. Fulton Street. Sign up to participate at the 40 Days for Life Vigil from September 28th to November 6th from 7am - 7pm. More info needed, call Right to Life 559-229-2229.

We are called to proclaim God's abundant love for all people. How can you be an instrument of that love? Our world needs you!
Luke 15:1-32



CLASES DE DOCTRINA

Registracion: Domingo, 11 de septiembre a las 9:00 am -1:00 pm. Requisitos para registracion de sacramentos: Para primer comunion: certificado de nacimiento y bautismo. Para Confirmacion: certificados de nacimiento, bautismo, y primera comunion. Es necesario que ustedes traigan todos los documentos; si no tienen, no es posible registrar para las clases. Quota \$35 por un niño, \$60 por 2 o mas. Todas clases comenza Domingo, 25 de septiembre.

TALLER DE COMUNICACION FAMILIAR DIOCESANO 2016

La Diocesis de Fresno te invita al Taller de Comunicacion Familiar Diocesano 2016 el domingo, 11 de septiembre, 2016, de 9 am a 4 pm en la Parroquia de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe en Bakersfield.

COMIDA



Comida sera distribuido el lunes, 12 de septiembre. Venga el lunes a las 1:00-4:00 pm en la esquina de Elm, en frente de la Iglesia Presbyterian en el calle de Elm.

CONGRESO DIOCESANO Y DIA JUVENIL

Esperamos que consideres acompañarnos para un tiempo de aprendizaje, discusion, crecimiento espiritual, y risa, culminando con la Misa el 15 -16 de Octubre 2016 en Visalia. Las inscripciones seran aceptadas hasta el 6 de 7 de octubre seran \$40.00. www.dioceseoffresno.org

40 DÍAS POR LA VIDA

Es una campaña anual pro-vida. Por favor, únase a nosotros para una hora en oracion y ayuno en una vigilia de oración pacifica en frente de la clinica de aborto Planned Parenthood (650 N. Fulton Street en Fresno) del 28 de septiembre a 6 de noviembre desde 7:00 am de 7:00 pm. Mas información, llame 559-229-2229 o www.40daysfresno.org