



SEPTEMBER 25, 2016

<p>Saturday, September 24, 2016 5:00 PM John & Maria Labanderia (D) By Carmie Martin</p>	<p>Saturday, October 1, 2016 5:00 PM Happy Birthday Barbara Correia (L) By Correia Family</p>
<p>Sunday, September 25, 2016 8:00 AM Jack Ventura (D) By John Steele Family</p>	<p>Sunday, October 2, 2016 8:00 AM Nicolas Lucero (D) By Lucero Family</p>
<p>9:30 AM Anthony D. Santellano (D) By Lilo/Ida Santellano</p>	<p>9:30 AM Jack Ventura (D) By St. Jude Altar Guild</p>
<p>PRO POPOLO</p>	<p>PRO POPOLO</p>
<p>11:00 AM Jesus P. Aguilar (D) Por St. Jude Altar Guild</p>	<p>11:00 AM Rev. Msgr. John Coelho-Harguindeguy (L) By St. Jude Parish</p>
<p>WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM</p>	<p>WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM</p>
<p>Monday, September 26, 2016 Mary C. Silveira (D) By Our Lady of Fatima Comm.</p>	<p>Monday, October 3, 2016 (Priests' Retreat October 3-6, 2016)</p>
<p>Tuesday, September 27, 2016 Victor Sisneroz (D) By Lucy Silverio</p>	<p>No Mass Monday, October 3, 2016</p>
<p>Wednesday, September 28, 2016 No Mass</p>	<p>Tuesday, October 4, 2016</p>
<p>Thursday, September 29, 2016 Jack Ventura (D) By Fred/Maxine Machado</p>	<p>Wednesday, October 5, 2016 Thursday, October 6, 2016</p>
<p>Friday, September 30, 2016 Joe Machado Coelho (D) By Manuel/Ilda Garcia</p>	<p>Friday, October 7, 2016 Happy Birthday Liz Erickson By Debbie Erickson</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
Bishop's Appeal/Campana Anual del Obispo

Last week's collection/ Colecta de la semana pasada: \$3,189.50
 Maintenance & Repair/Mantenimiento y Reparaciones \$857.50

Next week's collection/Proxima semana colecta:
 Building Fund/Fondo de Edificio

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



26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad.” Today’s Gospel reading is Jesus’ parable about a “rich man,” whose name we do not know, and a “poor man,” named Lazarus. The story shows both men after death, the rich man in torment, and Lazarus enjoying the comfort that he was deprived of during his earthly life.

It’s important to understand that this teaching does not imply that having wealth leads to eternal punishment. Rather, we look at how the rich man USED his wealth and see there the cause of the problem. As Jesus says, this man “dressed in purple garments and fine linen and dined sumptuously each day.” Clearly, he had abundant wealth and focused it all upon serving himself. To further the accusation against him, all the while “lying at his door was a poor man ... who would gladly have eaten his fill of the scraps that fell from the rich man’s table.” But the rich man paid Lazarus no heed, and THIS is why he now suffers. Because he would not deign to “suffer” at all during his life by sharing his linen clothing or feeding his poor neighbor covered with sores.

This selfishness became the rich man’s SELF-condemnation. He put himself in torment because he blatantly disobeyed God’s law to love his neighbor. This challenging parable urges us to examine our own behavior and ask how WE use our wealth--whatever size our bank account may be. Are we willing to assist our neighbors in need? Or do we walk by the poor, excusing our own comfort? Let us heed Christ’s warning today that such earthly comforts are, in the long run, short-lived.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 25, 2016

Sunday:	Am 6:1a, 4-7/Ps 146:7-10/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31
Monday:	Jb 1:6-22/Ps 17:1-3, 6-7/Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday:	Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23/Ps 88:2-8/Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday:	Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/Ps 88:10-15/Lk 9:57-62
Thursday:	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Ps 138:1-5/Jn 1:47-51
Friday:	Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14/Lk 10:13-16
Saturday:	Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130/Lk 10:17-24
Next Sunday:	Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14/Lk 17:5-10



LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA DEL 25 DE SEPTIEMBRE DE 2016

Domingo:	Am 6, 1. 4-7/Sal 146, 7-10/1 Tim 6, 11-16/Lc 16, 19-31
Lunes:	Job 1, 6-22/Sal 17, 1-3. 6-7/Lc 9, 46-50
Martes:	Job 3, 1-3. 11-17. 20-23/Sal 88, 2-8/Lc 9, 51-56
Miércoles:	Job 9, 1-12. 14-16/Sal 88, 10-15/Lc 9, 57-62
Jueves:	Dn 7, 9-10. 13-14 o Ap 12, 7-12/Sal 138, 1-5/Jn 1, 47-51
Viernes:	Job 38, 1. 12-21; 40, 3-5/Sal 139, 1-3. 7-10. 13-14/Lc 10, 13-16
Sábado:	Job 42, 1-3. 5-6. 12-17/Sal 119, 66. 71. 75. 91. 125. 130/Lc 10, 17-24
Domingo siguiente:	Hab 1, 2-3; 2, 2-4/Sal 95, 1-2. 6-9/2 Tim 1, 6-8. 13-14/Lc 17, 5-10

BISHOP'S APPEAL

Today's second collection is for the Bishop's Annual Appeal. Our parish has not yet met our target of \$5,227 for the 2015-2016 campaign. Please help us reach our goal.

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.

SPIRITUAL CARE VOLUNTEERS

The five session volunteer training for Spiritual Care Volunteers will start on September 29, 2016 at St. Agnes Hospital. Phone 450-3854 for more info or to register.

DIAMOND JUBILEE

THE SHRINE OF ST. THERESE

October 1, 2016 Feast of St. Therese of Lisieux. 4:00 pm Mass Most Reverend Armando X. Ochoa, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Fresno, Celebrant. Hor d'oeuvres, Dinner, & Auction. Contact: sttheresediamondjubilée@gmail.com or www.shrineofsttherese.org



26º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

En este domingo como en el pasado el lenguaje de Amós suena claro y directo para las personas que disfrutaban de las comodidades de sus bienes materiales, sin pensar, mucho menos compartir, con los oprimidos. Recordemos que en tiempos del profeta Amós se vivían tiempos prósperos pero las riquezas las controlaban unos pocos. Por lo tanto la pobreza abundaba. A pesar de las circunstancias la voz del profeta anuncia esperanza --Dios actuará en favor de los oprimidos, los injustos recibirán las consecuencias de sus actos: “¡Ay de ustedes, los que se sienten seguros en Sión y los que ponen su confianza en el monte sagrado de Samaria!” (Am 6, 1). Este texto está basado en la destrucción de Samaria en el año 722 a.c. y a la deportación que se llevó a cabo.

Por consecuencia la parábola de hoy nos habla directamente a tomar una actitud de conversión. El poseer riquezas no es malo sino lo malo es el apego a ellas. Solo existen dos caminos, el que lleva a la vida y el que lleva a la perdición. Jesús lo explica mejor cuando hace mención de las bienaventuranzas. “Dichosos ustedes los pobres, porque de ustedes es el Reino de Dios” (Lc 6, 20). Y en el mismo pasaje nos dice. “Pero, ¡ay de ustedes, los ricos, porque ya tienen ahora su consuelo!” (Lc 6, 24). El Evangelio nos indica en todo momento el modo de vivir practicando la justicia, haciéndolo seremos misericordiosos. ¡Eso es lo que Dios espera de nosotros día a día! ¿A quién represento en mi vida, a Lázaro o al rico?

Da el buen combate de la fe, conquista la vida eterna a la que has sido llamado. Reza por aquellas personas que estan llamadas a correr en la carrera como sacerdotes, hermanas y hermanos religiosos.



CCD

All classes begin this Sunday, September 25, 2016. **NO registrations will be taken on class days.** Classes for Grades 1-6 start at 9:10 am. Junior and High School Classes start at 10:30 am. Parents, please remember to attend the Parent's Meeting. If you need to register your child, please call office for an appointment.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

If you are interested in helping out in any way with our CCD program, please call Lisa at 288-7056 or the office 485-3870. Maybe you could be a Catechist, a substitute, or a helper! We would appreciate your help and know the students would be pleased.

A PRAYER FOR FAMILIES

All-Loving God, we thank you for all of your good gifts, especially the gift of family. For parents and grandparents who nurture our faith and lift us up For brothers and sisters who laugh and listen and celebrate with us in joyful times, we thank you God. For the gift of eternal life and the promise that we will one day join all of the beloved who have gone before us, we thank you God.

CLASES DE DOCTRINA

Todas clases comenza domingo, 25 de septiembre. Grados 1-6 clases 9:10 a 10:30 am. Grados 7-12 10:30 a 1:00 pm. No registraciones el dia de clases. Si necesita registrar su niño, por favor llame la oficina para una cita.

CAMPAÑA ANUAL DEL OBISPO

Hoy la segunda colecta es para la Campaña Anual del Obispo 2015-2016. Que Dios bendiga su generosidad.

CONGRESO DIOCESANO Y DIA JUVENIL

Esperamos que consideres acompañarnos para un tiempo de aprendizaje, discusión, crecimiento espiritual, y risa, culminando con la Misa el 15 - 16 de Octubre 2016 en Visalia. Las inscripciones serán aceptadas hasta el 6 de octubre serán \$40.00. Las inscripciones por los juveniles \$20 hasta 23 de septiembre. www.dioceseoffresno.org/congress

40 DÍAS POR LA VIDA

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

SURGENCIAS PARA NIÑOS SEGUROS

Padres y tutores les pedimos que por favor no perdán de vista a sus niños cuando están en la iglesia. No permitan que los niños vayan solos al baño o al auto. Los niños necesitan la supervisión de sus padres o de otro adulto siempre cuando asisten a un evento en la iglesia.

¿TENSION EN SU MATRIMONIO?

Retrouvaille es un programa para parejas casadas que se sienten aburridos, enojados, desilusionado en su matrimonio. Para información, llame 935-1424 o 367-6575.



BLOOD DRIVE

The Central California Blood Center will be in Easton on October 9th from 9am until noon on the west corner of Lincoln and Elm. No appointment necessary.

DIOCESAN CONGRESS

Come celebrate the Diocesan Congress and Diocesan Youth Day at the Visalia Convention Center. The theme this year is “The Face of Mercy”, October 15-16, 2016. Registration until October 7th Adult \$40. Youth registration by September 23rd \$20. Telephone 488-7474 or www.dioceseoffresno.org/congress

SPECIAL MASSES

Most Reverend Armando X. Ochoa, D.D. invites you to join in the following Masses at St. John's, Fresno: **WHITE MASS** Medical Field Friday, October 14, 2016 @ 12:10 pm **RED MASS** Justice & Legal Field, Friday, October 21, 2016 @ 12:10 pm

Who do you identify with--the rich man or Lazarus? Choose to notice others and to reach out to those in need. Support those who serve the poor. Luke 16:19-31