

July Mass Intentions

Nathan Perreira—07/01
Fr Chacko Muthoottil—07/08
Paul Kaina Sr—07/15
Abel & Irene Gouveia—7/22
Nathan Perreira—07/29

Come pray the Rosary.
 Saturdays before Mass at 4:30pm
 Sunday at 8:00am

JOIN US EVERY FRIDAY
 AT 3:00 PM FOR
 DIVINE MERCY PRAYER

"Jesus, I trust in you"



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, you give us your flesh and blood for the life of the world, and you desire that all people come to the Supper of the Sacrifice of the Lamb. Renew in your Church the truth, beauty, and goodness contained in the Most Blessed Eucharist. Jesus living in the Eucharist, come and live in me. Jesus healing in the Eucharist, come and heal me. Jesus sacrificing yourself in the Eucharist, come and suffer in me. Jesus rising in the Eucharist, come and rise to new life in me. Jesus loving in the Eucharist, come and love in me. Lord Jesus Christ, through the paschal mystery of your death and resurrection made present in every Holy Mass, pour out your healing love on your Church and on our world. Grant that as we lift you up during this time of Eucharistic Revival, your Holy Spirit may draw all people to join us at this Banquet of Life. You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mother of the Eucharist, Pray for us.

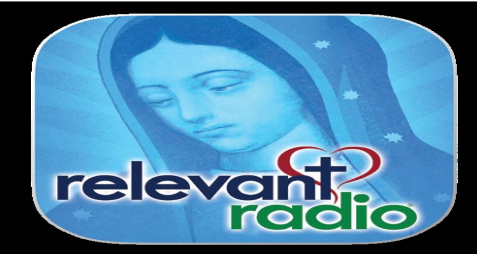
- James Gonzalez-Wesley
- Rosemary Robbins
- Debbie Faborito
- Joan Opitz
- Rachel Cravalho
- Mark Potter
- Robert Robello
- Melissa Prince
- Stanley Lee
- Fr. Chacko Muthoottil
- Winona Martinez
- Clarita Pimentel
- Helen Estrella
- Stephen Groff
- Jeremy Konohia



PRO LIFE CORNER

"Beautiful is God, the Word with God... He is beautiful in Heaven, beautiful on earth; beautiful in the womb, beautiful in His parents' arms, beautiful in His miracles, beautiful in His sufferings; beautiful in inviting to life, beautiful in not worrying about death, beautiful in giving up His life and beautiful in taking it up again; He is beautiful on the Cross, beautiful in the tomb, beautiful in heaven. Listen to the song with understanding, and let not the weakness of the flesh distract your eyes from the splendor of His beauty." St. Augustine of Hippo

Do you or someone you know is suffering after abortion, confidential non-judgmental help is available. Call Project Rachel's national toll-free number: 888-456-HOPE (4673) www.hopeafterabortion.com



Stewardship of Time
 Needed in various Ministries:

Thrift Store—Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday
Collection Counters - Sunday 1 hour after mass
Liturgical Tech—Saturday or Sunday Mass (1 Hour)
Church Cleaners—Weekly



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~MASS SCHEDULE~
 ~ST. RITA~
 Saturday: 5:00 p.m. ~ Vigil
 Sunday: 8:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:
 7:00 a.m. ~ Tuesday ~ Friday
 ~ST. GABRIEL~
 1st & 3rd Sundays: 11:00 a.m.

~RECONCILIATION~
 ST. RITA~ Saturday: 3:30 ~ 4:00 p.m.
 ST. GABRIEL~ Before Sunday Mass

~ANOINTING OF THE SICK~
 Please contact the Office

~BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS~
 Please contact the Office

~MINISTRIES~
 MINISTRY OF SONG: CHOIR
 Wayne Freitas & Rita Bauldry
 Tuesday ~ 6:00 p.m.

PROCLAIMERS OF THE WORD
 EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
 COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND
 COMMUNION TO HOSPITAL

Our Parish COMMUNITY

July 2, 2023
 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)
 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a / Romans 6:3-4, 8-11 / Matthew 10:37-42



"And whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink... will surely not lose his reward."
 MATTHEW 10:42

The Statue of Hospitality

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Twelve score and seven years ago "our fathers brought forth, upon this continent, a new nation, conceived in liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal," as Abraham Lincoln once reminded us. This week we as a nation once again mark that new beginning, we who have inherited its blessings as a gift generously bestowed upon us by those who have gone before us, a gift not deserved but nevertheless ours, a gift we do not own, yet pass on to generations to come, a gift we eagerly share.

Hospitality is something to extend to those who come to our doors; it is also something we can extend to those who come to our shores. It seems worthwhile then, especially this week and amid so many disagreements over immigration, to revisit the words inscribed at the base of the Statue of Liberty written by the poet Emma Lazarus and inscribed in our psyche as a nation. It serves as a vision of who we are, perhaps as much as does our Constitution.

Give me your tired, your poor,
 Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free,
 The wretched refuse of your teeming shore.
 Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost to me;
 I lift my lamp beside the golden door!

The woman at Shunem offered Elisha the prophet hospitality, and she was blessed. Jesus promised that those who offer the hospitality of a cup of cold water will be blessed. Surely then, any nation that welcomes others in hospitality will be blessed as well. ●

Reflect
 What role does hospitality play in your spirituality?



Fr. Ornelo Cherrez
Deacon Stan Franco
 Thank you for celebrating Mass with us.
 Please keep Fr. Chacko in your prayers.



SUNDAY, JULY 30TH
11AM GIGGLE HILL

FUN, FOOD
AND FELLOWSHIP

BRING A FAVORITE
DISH TO SHARE

Games & Activities



Dear Padre

July 2, 2023

How do we serve everyone in a culturally diverse parish?

In the past it was common to have parishes dedicated to different ethnic groups where such populations were concentrated. In 2010, the US bishops found that 33 percent of all US parishes were culturally diverse, and that's perhaps using a narrow understanding of diversity. Then in 2014, they published *Best Practices for Shared Parishes: So That They May All Be One*, in which they outline a nine-movement process for creating an inclusive parish. The term "shared parishes" describes parish communities in which two or more languages or cultural contexts are present in the ministerial life of a parish. The fact that there are nine movements is notable. It means that we slowly move toward inclusiveness; we don't simply present a Mass in Spanish and think the job is done.

This brings to mind a parishioner in a parish I served in the Mississippi Delta. This was indeed a "shared parish," with a large African-American population, a significant Spanish-speaking population, and an elderly population of white Americans who expected a more "traditional" Mass with familiar hymns. Rosemary was an Italian-American whose family had lived in the area since the beginning of the nineteenth century. She served as the parish's director of education. Rosemary made it her practice to attend every Mass to welcome people and make them feel at home. She was the perfect example of the first movement toward serving everyone in a shared parish: hospitality. ●

Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSsR / DearPadre.org

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Monday

July 3
 St. Thomas, Apostle
 Eph 2:19-22
 Jn 20:24-29

Tuesday

July 4
 Weekday
 Gn 19:15-29
 Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday

July 5
 Weekday
 Gn 21:5, 8-20a
 Mt 8:28-34

Thursday

July 6
 Weekday
 Gn 22:1b-19
 Mt 9:1-8

Friday

July 7
 Weekday
 Gn 23:1-4, 19;
 24:1-8, 62-67
 Mt 9:9-13

Saturday

July 8
 Weekday
 Gn 27:1-5, 15-29
 Mt 9:14-17

Sunday

July 9
 Fourteenth Sunday
 in Ordinary Time
 Zec 9:9-10
 Rom 8:9, 11-13
 Mt 11:25-30

St. Rita's Church Stewardship Corner

"For my yoke is easy, and my burden light." - MATTHEW 11:30

When we think of being good **Stewards**, we may think that God is asking too much of us when He calls us to generously share our time, talent and treasure. However, we must remember that we are not "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God have given us. All He is asking is that we give back a small portion, in gratitude, of what He has already given to us.



St. Rita	INCOME June 25, 2023	St. Gabriel
\$690.00	Collections	
\$225.00	On-line Giving	
\$367.45	Thrift Store	
\$779.00	Missionaries of Faith	
\$16.00	Candles	
\$2,077.45	TOTAL	\$



This week's second collection is for:
Repairs & Maintenance

Next week's second collection is for:
Shepherd's Care

St. Rita's Thrift Store

WE WILL BE CLOSED 7/02 THRU 7/08
AND WILL REOPEN ON SUNDAY 7/09.

PLEASE DO NOT DROP OFF ANY DONATIONS
WHEN STORE AND GATES ARE CLOSED.

Mahalo for your support!



A BIG MAHALO for your generous contributions toward the Missionaries of Faith Appeal. Your donations will help continue their great work in India and beyond.
God bless you all for your generosity!



Connie, Rosemary, and Theresa peeling mangos for pickling and drying. Proceeds will go toward the roof replacement of our buildings. Thank you Agnes Groff for hustling the mangoes and the ladies for always thinking of the needs of St. Rita Church..

Mahalo for your stewardship!

Deacon Stan Franco invites you to participate in the new Listening and Acting Committee. Jesus calls us to love one another which requires us to be a kokua (helper) when someone is needed. If you have a skill in legal, financial, construction, health, governmental matters, he asks you to join him in helping our brothers and sisters in need. He can be reached at 808-214-3575 or stanfranco9114@gmail.com.

Thank you for volunteering to help others.



MAHALO
Faith Formation Teachers
22-23 School Year

Gloria Barsinas
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Donna Hart

GOD BLESS YOU!



FAITH FORMATION
CLASSES WILL RESUME
IN AUGUST.
ENJOY YOUR SUMMER!



The Safety Awareness Ministry
will meet on Tuesday, July 11th
at 6:30pm in the parish hall.
All are welcome. If you have any
Questions please call Lot Kaluau
808-281-8996.

JOB OPENING FOR PART-TIME SECRETARY

Supports administrative operations of the parish. Apply on-line at:

<https://www.hrsymphony.com/hrs/careers/RCCH>