



El que no
carga su cruz
y me sigue,
no puede ser
mi discipulo.
-Lucas 14:27-

Whoever does not
carry his own
cross and come
after me cannot
be my disciple.
-Luke 14:27-

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Saturday: 9:00 – 12:00 pm

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MON - FRI / LUN - VIE: 08:30 AM - 12:00 PM

01:00 PM - 05:00 PM

SATURDAY / SABADO:

09:00 AM - 12:00 PM

SUNDAY / DOMINGO:

CLOSED

Mass Schedule (English)

Daily Mass: Monday-Friday 7:00 AM

Sunday Vigil: Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday: 11:00 AM

Horario de Misas (Español)

Misa Diaria: Lunes-Viernes 8:30 AM, 7:00 PM

Vigilia del Domingo: Sábado 6:00 PM

Domingo: 8:30 AM & 1:00 PM

Bilingual Mass / Misa Bilingüe

Saturday: 8:30 AM

Confessions / Confesiones 09/13/2025

Saturday – Sábado 11:00 AM–12:30 PM

Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

Baptisms / Bautizos

Second Saturday of each month.

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WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY



Monday, September 8th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Pedro Corces

† Joaquin A. Sabater

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Pedro Corces

† Alicia Miranda

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda (Misa Comunitaria)

Tuesday, September 9th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

Bruce Martinez

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Pedro Corces

Pablo Velez

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda (Misa Comunitaria)

Wednesday, September 10th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Msgr. Tomas Marín

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Adita & Jose Rubiera

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Pedro Corces (Misa Comunitaria)

Thursday, September 11th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

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08:30 A.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Ramona Romero

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles (Misa Comunitaria)

Friday, September 12th

07:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Rev. Sergio Cabrera

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Dulce Maria & Maria de los Angeles Guaty

07:00 P.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles (Misa Comunitaria)

Saturday, September 13th

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles (Bilingual Mass)

† Jose Joaquin Diego Pontigo

04:00 P.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Dceased Members of the Ortiz & Fuentes Family

06:00 P.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Mary Caridad Martinez

Sunday, September 14th The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

08:30 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

† Aida Gutierrez

11:00 A.M.: Fr. Miguel Sepúlveda

For our Parish

† 50th Anniversary Orlando & Maritza Brito

01:00 P.M.: Fr. Pierre Listo Charles

† Elia Machin



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MINISTRY MINISTERIO	DAY DÍA	TIME HORA	ROOM SALÓN
MEN'S EMMAUS	Mondays	7:30 pm	Karreton
GRUPO DE ORACIÓN	Martes	7:30 pm	Karreton
WOMEN'S EMMAUS	Wednesdays	7:30 pm	Karreton
LEGION OF MARY ENGLISH	Wednesdays	7:30 pm	3
CABALLEROS DE COLÓN	Miércoles (2º del mes)	8:00 pm	Chapel
ROSARY MAKERS	Thursdays	4:00 pm	3
OCIA ADULT / ADULTO	Saturdays	9:00 am	School
CATECHESIS FOR CHILDREN	Saturdays	9:00 am	School
LEGION OF MARY CHILDREN	Saturdays	4:00 pm	3

SUNDAY COLLECTION COLECTA DEL DOMINGO

SATURDAY / SABADO: AUGUST 30TH, 2025

4:00 PM	\$ 1,149.00
6:00 PM	\$ 685.825

SUNDAY / DOMINGO: AUGUST 31ST, 2025

8:30 AM	\$ 1,157.00
11:00 AM	\$ 2,030.00
1:00 PM	\$ 2,338.00
Mail & Drop-Off	\$ 1,252.00
On-line Giving	\$ 3,064.03

Total: \$11,675.00

SATURDAY / SABADO: AUGUST 23RD, 2025

4:00 PM	\$ 950.00
6:00 PM	\$ 604.10

SUNDAY / DOMINGO: AUGUST 24TH, 2025

8:30 AM	\$ 1,353.00
11:00 AM	\$ 3,072.00
1:00 PM	\$ 2,814.00
Mail & Drop-Off	\$ 1,700.00
On-line Giving	\$ 4,636.14
Candles	\$ 561.10

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Bless the adults with wisdom and patience
as they guide and nurture.

Bless our community with unity, compassion,
and a deep hunger for truth.

May Your Holy Spirit dwell richly among us,
opening hearts and minds to Your presence.

May each lesson be a seed planted in fertile soil,
bearing fruit in lives of grace and service.

May our time together be filled with laughter, learning, and love.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Teacher and Savior.
Amen.

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*Bendice a los niños con asombro y alegría
al descubrir tu Palabra.*

*Bendice a los adultos con sabiduría y
paciencia al guiar y nutrir.*

*Bendice a nuestra comunidad con unidad, compasión
y un profundo anhelo por la verdad.*

*Que tu Espíritu Santo more abundantemente entre nosotros,
abriendo corazones y mentes a tu presencia.*

*Que cada lección sea una semilla plantada en tierra fértil,
que dé fruto en vidas de gracia y servicio.*

*Que nuestro tiempo juntos esté lleno de risas,
aprendizaje y amor.*

*Te lo pedimos por Jesucristo, nuestro Maestro y Salvador.
Amén.*



Gospel Reflection

Luke 14:25-33

In chapter 14 of Luke's Gospel, Jesus is speaking to people gathered at the table about the difficulties of following him. This group of people is suspicious about Jesus, looking to catch him doing something wrong. Jesus speaks to them in parables, emphasizing that although there is a right way to be a disciple and enter into the kingdom of his Father, it is a difficult path to follow. Many, even some of the guests at the table, reject the invitation. So Jesus turns to the crowds and speaks to them of discipleship. Jesus explains that, when it comes to making a choice for the Kingdom of God, nothing can get in the way. When Jesus describes "hating" one's father and mother, he is not talking about feelings. Rather, he is emphasizing very strongly that choosing to be a disciple means that everything else—family, money, your own life—must come second. In Matthew's version of this story (Matthew 10:37), Jesus refers not to "hating" father or mother, but to loving them more than Jesus. Jesus makes it very clear that being a disciple is not easy. It means to bear one's own cross. These difficult sayings of Jesus are followed by two brief parables (a person constructing a tower and a king marching into battle) that make an obvious point—don't start what you cannot finish. Discipleship is difficult and is something we can commit to only if we are prepared to put the Kingdom of God before everything else.

Taken from *Sunday Connection*, Loyola Press

Reflexión del Evangelio

Lucas 14.25-33

En el capítulo 14 del Evangelio de Lucas, Jesús habla a las personas reunidas a la mesa sobre las dificultades de seguirlo. Este grupo de personas sospecha de Jesús y busca atraparlo haciendo algo malo. Jesús les habla en parábolas, enfatizando que si bien hay una manera correcta de ser discípulo y entrar en el reino de su Padre, es un camino difícil de seguir. Muchos, incluso algunos de los invitados a la mesa, rechazan la invitación. Entonces Jesús se vuelve hacia las multitudes y les habla del discipulado. Jesús explica que, cuando se trata de tomar una decisión por el Reino de Dios, nada puede interponerse. Cuando Jesús describe "odiar" al padre y a la madre, no está hablando de sentimientos. Más bien, está enfatizando muy fuertemente que elegir ser un discípulo significa que todo lo demás (familia, dinero, su propia vida) debe quedar en segundo lugar. En la versión de Mateo de esta historia (Mateo 10:37), Jesús no se refiere a "odiar" al padre o a la madre, sino a amarlos más que a Jesús. Jesús deja muy claro que ser discípulo no es fácil. Significa cargar con la propia cruz. Estas difíciles palabras de Jesús van seguidas de dos breves parábolas (una persona que construye una torre y un rey que marcha a la batalla) que plantean una idea clara: no empieces lo que no puedas terminar. El discipulado es difícil y solo podemos comprometernos con él si estamos dispuestos a poner el Reino de Dios por encima de todo.

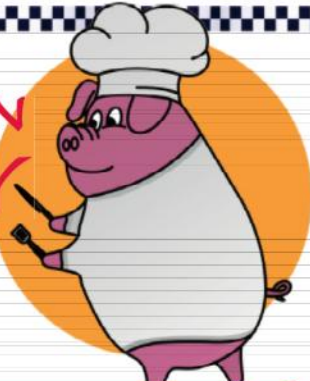
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John 10:10



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Al reflexionar hoy sobre lo que significa ser verdaderos discípulos, consideremos también cómo podemos utilizar nuestros recursos ahora y en el futuro para promover la misión de Cristo. Un legado de parte de su patrimonio o de una cantidad determinada de 1,000, 5,000 o 10,000 dólares garantizará que las obras de la parroquia continúen después de su muerte.

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“Cualquiera de ustedes que no renuncie a todas sus posesiones, no puede ser Mi discípulo.” LUCAS 14:33

Todos nuestros recursos nos fueron confiados no solo para nuestro uso sino también para que pudiéramos ayudar a los demás. Una vez que renunciamos a la idea de poseer o tener derecho a algo, es mucho más fácil compartir los muchos dones que Dios nos ha dado. Entonces seremos realmente Sus Discípulos.



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In the Letter to Philemon, St. Paul challenges the early Christian community to see each other no longer as possessions or roles, but as brothers and sisters in the Lord. Planned giving is a concrete expression of this same spirit seeing our resources not as ends in themselves, but as tools to build up the Body of Christ.

As we reflect today on what it means to be true disciples, may we also consider how we might use our resources now and in the future to further the mission of Christ. A bequest of part of your estate or for a stated amount of \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, will ensure that the works of the parish will continue after your death.

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“Every one of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.” LUKE 14:33

All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use, but also so that we in Stewardship can help others. Once we renounce the idea that we possess or are entitled to anything, it is much easier to share the many gifts that God has given us. Then we truly are His Disciples.



The Cost of Discipleship

Lk 14:25-33

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