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Pastor Father Tom Verber O.S.A.

Associate Pastor Father Fernando Lopez O.S.A. and Deacon Phil Nelson

THIRD SUNDAY OF *Easter*

MAY 5, 2019

Jesus said to Simon Peter,
“Simon, son of John,
do you love me
more than these?”

John 21:15



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LITURGIES

Saturday
8:00AM Daily Mass

Vigils
5:00PM English & 7:30PM Spanish

Sunday
7:30AM & 9:30AM English
11:30AM Spanish

Weekdays
M-F 9:00AM Parish

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays
3:30-4:30PM or
by appointment 646-4338 X105

ROSARIES
Wednesday 6:15PM ~ Spanish
Friday 9:30AM ~ Cenacles of Life
Sunday 7:00AM

ADORER CHAPEL HOURS
Thursday morning through
Saturday mornings

PRAYER LINE

805-276-3799 or
deaconphil@stacojai.org

WEDDINGS

Call for appointment with the Pastor

BAPTISMS

(Call for appointment)
Spanish-Father Fernando
English-Deacon Phil

FUNERALS

Please call 646-4338 X101

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13;
Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

Jesus appears to seven of his disciples, among them Peter who proclaims his unending love for the Lord. Jesus commissions him to feed the sheep. Later, in face of persecution, Peter and the apostles proclaim the name of Jesus, the Lamb who was slain and who rescues us for death.

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30;
Jn 6:22-29

With faith in the one sent by the Father, Stephen, blameless in life, performed signs for all to see.

Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a,
17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Stephen entrusts his spirit to the just one, the bread of life come down from heaven.

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jan 6:35-40
Resolute in their belief in the Risen One, the disciples joyfully proclaim Jesus the Messiah.

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20;
Jn 6:44-51

With joyful praise, Philip proclaims the good news to the Ethiopian: belief in Jesus brings eternal life.

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59
Paul is called by Jesus to proclaim the good news to all peoples. Jesus invites all to his Eucharistic banquet.

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69
Peter, calling upon the name of the Lord, speaks words of life and raises up Tabitha from death.

Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5;
Rv 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30

Know that Jesus is the Lord, the Lamb on the throne who will shepherd his flock and give them eternal life. In his name, Paul and Barnabas proclaim the word of God to Jew and Gentile alike.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter; Cinco de Mayo;
Ramadan (Islamic observance) begins

Friday: St. Damien de Veuster

**“Worthy is the Lamb that was slain
to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor
and glory and blessing.”**

— Revelation 5:12

LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA

Domingo: Hch 5:27-32, 40b-41; Sal 30 (29):2, 4-6, 11-13;
Ap 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

Lunes: Hch 6:8-15; Sal 119 (118):23-24, 26-27,
29-30; Jn 6:22-29

Martes: Hch 7:51 — 8:1a; Sal 31 (30):3cd-4, 6, 7b,
8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Miércoles: Hch 8:1b-8; Sal 66 (65):1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Jueves: Hch 8:26-40; Sal 66 (65):8-9, 16-17, 20;
Jn 6:44-51

Viernes: Hch 9:1-20; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Sábado: Hch 9:31-42; Sal 116 (115):12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Domingo: Hch 13:14, 43-52; Sal 100 (99):1-2, 3, 5;
Apo 7:9, 14b-17; Jn 10:27-30

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Tercer Domingo de Pascua; Cinco de Mayo;
Comienza Ramadán (el mes musulmán
de ayuno)

Viernes: San Damián de Veuster

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Muchas primeras comuniones se celebran en el Tiempo de Pascua. Además de recibir el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Jesús por primera vez en su vida los comulgantes reciben un libro de oraciones, un rosario y un escapulario. Como recuerdo del evento, muchos comulgantes regalan a sus amigos y parientes alguna estampita religiosa.

Las estampitas llevan imágenes de Jesucristo, la Virgen, los ángeles o los santos y son muy populares entre los latinos. Las ponemos en nuestros autos, en libros como la Biblia o libros de oración. Las tenemos en altarcitos domésticos o metidos en los marcos de las fotos de nuestros seres queridos.

Muchos critican esta práctica recordando que en Éxodo 20:3-5, Dios prohibió el uso de ídolos. Esto la Iglesia católica nunca lo ha negado, pero recuerda que Dios también pidió imágenes de ángeles para el arca de la alianza (Éxodo 25:17). En Números 21:8 mandó hacer una imagen milagrosa de una serpiente. Ninguna de esas imágenes es considerada un ídolo porque son imágenes al servicio de Dios y recuerdo de su presencia igual que las estampitas e imágenes religiosas.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

ESTA SEMANA EN NUESTRA PARROQUIA

Sun: 5-05 STAC Festival
 Mon: 5-06 9:00AM Daily Mass/Rosary
 10:00AM Woman bible study
 Tue: 5-07 9:00AM Daily Mass/Rosary
 7-8:30PM English class
 7:00pm RCIA
 Spanish class
 Wed: 5-08 9:00AM Daily Mass/Rosary
 3:30PM Religious Ed class
 6:00PM Religious Ed Spanish
 6:00PM-8:00PM High School Youth Group
 Thurs: 5-09 9:00AM Adoration
 Daily Mass /Rosary
 Fri: 5-10 9:00 AM Adoration
 Daily Mass /Rosary
 Sat: 5-11 9:00AM Daily Mass/Rosary
 Adoration
 3:30-4:30PM Reconciliation
 Sun: 5-12 7:00AM Rosary
 10:30 AM RCIA

Dom: 5-05 STAC Festival
 Lun: 5-06 9:00AM Misa diaria/Rosario
 10:00AM Estudio bíblico de la mujer
 Martes 5-07 9:00AM Misa diaria/Rosario
 7-8:30PM Clase de inglés
 7:00PM RCIA
 Spanish class
 Miér: 5-08 9:00AM Misa diaria/Rosario
 3:30PM religioso Ed classes
 6:00PM Religioso ed spanish
 6:00PM-8:00PM grupo de jóvenes
 de la escuela secundaria
 Jue: 5-09 9:00AM Adoración
 Misa Diaria/Rosario
 Viernes: 5-10 9:00AM Adoración
 Misa Diaria/Rosario
 Sáb: 5-11 9:00AM Adoración
 Misa Diaria/Rosario
 3:00-4:30PM Reconciliación
 Dom: 5-12 7:00AM Rosario
 10:30AM RCIA

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	May 05	9:30AM	All the priest who served St Thomas	By Parish Family
Monday	May 06	9:00AM	Marie Coscarelli †	By: Charles Coscarelli
Tuesday	May 07	9:00AM	Mary Betlach †	By: Don Betlach
Wednesday	May 08	9:00AM	Josephine Nocero †	By: Charles Coscarelli
Thursday	May 09	9:00AM	Esther Schultz †	By: The Chegwiddden Family
Friday	May 10	9:00AM	Fr. Charles Francis Devine †	By: Devine Family
Saturday	May 11	8:00AM	Mary Ellen Bovee †	
		5:00PM	Bob Nelson †	By: The Nelson



Open Pantry
 3rd Saturday of each month
 9:00 Am

Donation of canned goods and monies
 Always needed



Open Pantry
 3er sábado de cada mes
 9:00 AM

Donación de mercancía enlatada y dinero
 Siempre es necesario

Parish information on up coming events

Información parroquial sobre los próximos eventos

SAINT RITA NOVENA

The Bereavement Ministry of St. Thomas Aquinas invites everyone to join them in the solemn novena that is offered each May to St Rita.

**The novena begins on
May 13th.**

**Novena prayers and the litany
of St Rita will be offered after
morning mass for nine
consecutive days.**

On the morning of May 22, blessed red roses will be distributed. The custom of blessing and distributing roses commemorates the blooming of a rose in the garden of the saint's home in the cold of winter.

The feast day of St Rita is May 22.



SANTA RITA NOVENA

El Ministerio de Santo Tomás de duelo Aquino invita a todos a unirse a ellos en el solemne novena que se ofrece cada mes de mayo a Santa Rita .

**La novena comienza el
13 de mayo .**

**oraciones de la novena y la
letanía de Santa Rita se
ofrecerán después de la misa de
la mañana durante nueve días
consecutivos .**

En la mañana del 22 de mayo , serán distribuidos rosas rojas bendecido. La costumbre de bendición y distribución de rosas conmemora el florecimiento de una rosa en el jardín de la casa del santo en el frío del invierno .

La fiesta de San Rita es 22 de mayo.

ATTENTION STAC OJAI families
Would you love to share your home and our special community with a foreign exchange student?

Greenheart Exchange has Christian high school students from all over the world requesting to study in California. Nordhoff High School welcomes these students.

Please contact fellow parishioner Carrie Misco Cell (310) 403-1716 or Carriecali@mac.com with any questions



ATENCIÓN las familias STAC OJAI
¿Le encantaría compartir su hogar y nuestra comunidad especial con un extranjero estudiante de intercambio?

GreenHeart Exchange tiene estudiantes de secundaria cristiana de todo el mundo que solicitan estudiar en California. Nordhoff High School da la bienvenida a estos estudiantes.

Por favor contacte a su compañera de feligrés Carrie Misco Cell (310) 403-1716 o Carriecali@mac.com con cualquier pregunta

MOTHER'S DAY
(Next weekend)

In appreciation of all the wonderful Moms of our Parish, there will be FREE DONUTS after the Sunday Masses!!!!

Grab a donut, a cup of coffee and share some time with our Moms!



DÍA DE LA MADRE
(Next weekend)

¡En agradecimiento a todas las maravillosas madres de nuestra parroquia, habrá DONANTES GRATIS después de las misas dominicales!

¡Toma una rosquilla, una taza de café y comparte algo de tiempo con nuestras madres!

ST THOMAS AQUINAS FESTIVAL INFO

PARISH SPRING FESTIVAL ~ MAY 4TH & 5TH



Rummage sale

Country store



Games

Music

Hot dogs

Burgers

Veggie sandwiches

Mariachi



Salads

Tri tip Sandwiches



Breakfast burritos

Bake goods

Silent Auction

BBQ

Plants

FUN, FOOD, FRIENDS

(Booths open at 11 am)

A GIANT THANK YOU TO ALL OUR FESTIVAL SPONSORS

WE COULD NOT HAVE DONE IT WITHOUT YOU!

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

DID YOU KNOW

Since 2002, the Archdiocese of Los Angeles has trained about 330,000 adults to proactively protect children and young people from child sexual abuse and reporting misconduct. In addition, over 165,000 children and young people receive safe environment training annually. In 2018, the Office of Safeguard the Children launched its new "Empowering God's Children & Young People" Program, which empowers children and young people by giving them the knowledge and tools to keep themselves safe and teaches them to tell a parent, guardian or safe adult if anyone makes them feel uncomfortable, scared or confuse. For more information, click here.

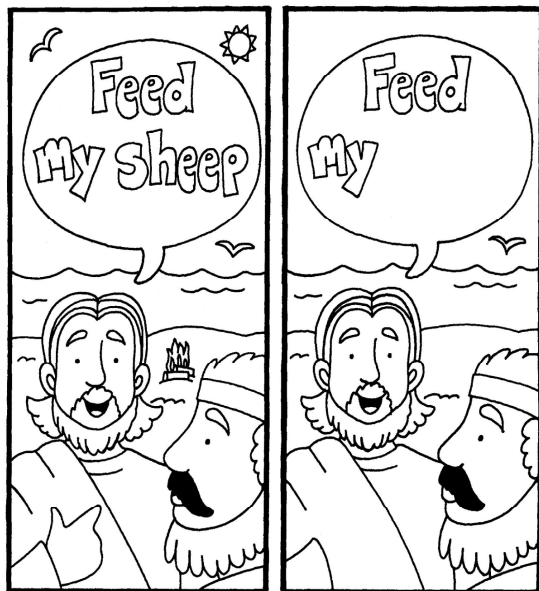
INFORMACIÓN IMPORTANTE

¿SABÍA USTED?

Desde el 2002, la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles ha capacitado cerca de 330,000 adultos para proteger proactivamente a los niños y jóvenes del abuso sexual infantil y para denunciar toda conducta indebida. Además, más de 165,000 niños y jóvenes reciben capacitación sobre un ambiente seguro cada año. En el 2018, la Oficina Protegiendo a los Niños lanzó su nuevo programa "Dar poder a los niños y jóvenes de Dios", el cual otorga poder a los niños y jóvenes por medio de los conocimientos y las herramientas para que se mantengan seguros, y les enseña cómo conversar sobre el tema con sus padres, cuidador o adulto confiable si alguien los hace sentir incómodos, asustados o confundidos. Para obtener más información, haga clic aquí.

God's Word for Children

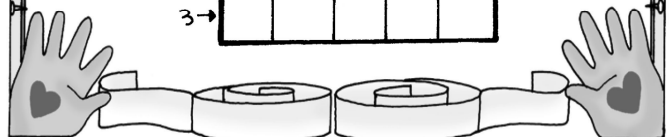
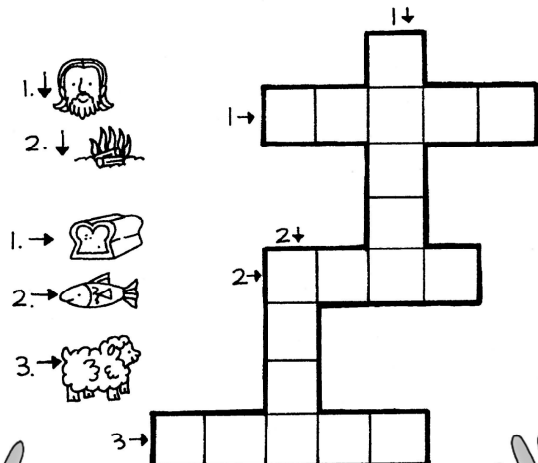
After his resurrection, Jesus appeared to his disciples and made them breakfast on the seashore. Then Jesus asked Peter if he loved him. Peter said he did. These pictures show what Jesus told Peter to do. Find and circle five things that are in the first picture but not the second.



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Third Sunday of Easter

When Jesus and his disciples had eaten together, Jesus told Peter to take care of his sheep. He meant that Peter and the other disciples were to tell everyone about him so that people would love him and follow him as the disciples themselves did. Use the picture clues from the Bible story (John 21:1-19) to fill in the crossword.



PARISH INFORMATION CONT.

INFORMACIÓN PARROQUIAL CONT.

GOING AWAY PARTY FOR FR. TOM

SAVE THE DATE ~SAVE THE DATE

**Sunday, May 19th,
4:00pm**

This will be a catered affair so it is very important you contact Kathleen in the Parish office at 805-649-4338 X101 or email: office@stacojai.org if you plan to attend.

To make a contribution toward our gift of thanksgiving to Father Tom.

Please call: Deacon Phil 805-276-3799
Mary Baker 805-889-8005



PLEASE SEE US AFTER MASS TO SIGN HIS CARD.

GUARDAR LA FECHA ~ GUARDAR LA FECHA

**Domingo, 19 de mayo,
4:00PM**

Esto será un asunto de catering por lo que es muy importante que contacte con Kathleen en la oficina parroquial al 805-649-4338 X101

o
email: office@stacojai.org
Si planea asistir .

Hacer una contribución a nuestro don de acción de gracias al Padre Tom.
Por favor llame a Deacon Phil 805-276-3799
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