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Monday - Friday

8:30am-12:00pm

1:00pm-7:30pm

Saturday

8:30am-12:00pm

1:00pm-4:30pm

Sunday

9:00am-2:00pm

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JANUARY 5, 2020

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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MASS SCHEDULE
HORARIO DE MISAS

Weekdays: 8:00am

Vigil Mass: Saturday, 5:00pm

Sunday in English:

8:00 am and 9:30 am

Domingo en Español:

11:00 am y 12:30pm

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA AND MASS

Wednesday, 7:00pm (English)

HORA SANTA

Adoración al Santísimo

Jueves, 6:00pm (Español)

ROSARY/ROSARIO

Wednesday, 6:30pm (English)

Martes, 6:00pm (Español)

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

Viernes, 7:00pm (Español)

ESCUELA DE LA FE

Martes, 7:00pm (Español)

DIVINE MERCY MASS
MISA DIVINA MISERICORDIA

Every first Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm & every second Sunday of the month at 3:00pm

Cada Primer Martes y Segundo Domingo del mes. (Inglés)

CONFESIONS/CONFESIONES

Thursdays/Jueves: 6:30pm — 7:00pm

Saturdays/Sábados: 3:30pm — 4:30pm

BAPTISMS/BAUTISMOS

Saturdays & Sundays

Call church office for Information.

Sábados y Domingos

Llamar a la oficina para información.

WEDDINGS/BODAS QUINCEAÑERAS

Please call the church office six months in advance.

Favor de llamar la oficina seis meses antes.

They opened their treasures and offered Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh — Matthew 2:11b

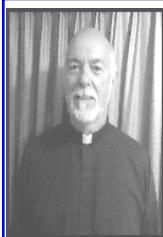


EPIPHANY ~ Epiphany comes from the Greek word *epiphaneia* which signifies a manifestation or appearance of a god or of divine intervention or the appearance of kings. The magi went out to find out about this new god or king and began a difficult journey. This gospel manifestation reveals the appearance of Jesus the Christ; it also highlights a comparison between the characters of the magi and Herod. The magi were pilgrims – seekers. They were searching out a truth they had discovered in the stars. They went on this pilgrimage and when they entered the home of the Holy Family, they found their gift, their reward, their soul's longing. They offered their gifts, quietly slipped away, went home by a new route, and through it all discovered a new way within their hearts and souls. These events brought them new life and new understandings. Herod, on the other hand, was a man of power. Through his power, and his armies, and his money, and his political position he had established a home (his kingdom) and did everything to protect and preserve it. He didn't want to share it. He didn't want it usurped. He didn't want to risk losing any of it and therefore, his only option was to stomp out, eradicate, get rid of, destroy the child Jesus. There could be no other king, no other threat to his life. What a difference between the two: 1) seekers of truth; 2) a liar promising to 'go and do him homage' but really intending to kill him; 1) offering gifts of homage and recognition; 2) using any means to protect MY kingdom and MY wealth and MY power. The gospel presents a manifestation and in the light of its truth reveals the hearts of very different kinds of people: the magi and Herod. What does the star, the light, reveal to us? Do we discover any new truths about us, about God, about others? Do we bring our gifts and in the giving discover that we have been far more gifted?

Rev. Perry Leiker, Pastor

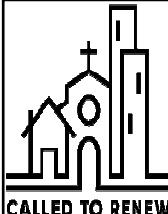
Quote of the Week:

"There are people who go clad in tunics and have nothing to do with furs, who nevertheless are lacking in humility. Surely humility in furs is better than pride in tunics." — St. Bernard of Clairvaux.



ENGLISH PARISH RETREAT WITH FATHER PERRY JANUARY 25, 2020

9:00am - 4:30pm — FREE
Where: PASTORAL CENTER
Lunch Included
REGISTRATION FORMS IN THE RECTORY



CALLED TO RENEW/LLAMADOS A RENOVAR

Goal/Meta:	\$455,000
Pledged/Prometido	\$293,675
#Gifts/Regalos:	77
% of Goal/Meta	65

Thank You! — Gracias!

This Campaign will continue for 5 years, until 2024, the year we celebrate 100 years.

Esta Campaña continuará por 5 años, hasta el 2024, el año que celebramos 100 años.



DIVINE MERCY MASS AND NOVENA: TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, AT 7:00PM

SUNDAY COLLECTION/COLECTA DOMINICAL

12/08/19 — Offertory Envelopes/Ofrenda en Sobres:	\$2,091
Loose Collection/Colecta en Efectivo:	\$3,627
Total:	\$5,718
12/15/19 — Offertory Envelopes/Ofrenda en Sobres:	\$2,100
Loose Collection/Colecta en Efectivo:	\$3,208
Total:	\$5,308

Thank You for your generosity!
Gracias por su generosidad!

ANNointing of the Sick

This sacrament is a powerfully healing sacrament meant to be given to the sick during their illness. It is **NOT** necessary to wait for the last hours for it is no longer referred to or thought of as "last rites". This sacrament shares the sacramental gift of Jesus Christ for the purpose of strengthening, encouraging, and healing a person deep within their spirit. Even if one should die this sacrament usually prepares them and gifts them with healing peace. Some suggestions to be shared with all your family members:

- Call a priest at the beginning of a serious illness or hospital stay
- Educate the family to understand that this sacrament is for healing
- Invite family members to participate in the celebration of this sacrament
- Do not wait for the last moments when a priest might not be available
- In the last moments, surround the dying with the presence, love and prayer of family



+ PARISH FINANCES +

Last year, our "I ♥ St. Bernie" Collection brought an additional \$18,702.00 to the Parish General Fund. Without this assistance we would **NOT** have been able to meet all of our responsibilities. So, looking forward, remember that this collection will again take place on the 2nd Sunday of the 2nd month of each quarter: February, May, August, and November. The first one will be our \$10 collection and that will take place on February 9th. Add all four collections, together it equals \$180. or 50¢ per day. Thank you for your love in participating in this special collection. **Happy New Year 2020!**



EPIFANIA ~ Epifanía proviene de la palabra Griega epiphaneia que significa manifestación o aparición de un dios o de la intervención divina o la aparición de reyes. Los magos salieron a averiguar acerca de este nuevo Dios o Rey y comenzaron un viaje difícil. Esta manifestación del Evangelio revela la aparición de Jesús, el Cristo; También destaca una comparación entre los personajes de los Magos y Herodes. Los Magos eran peregrinos; buscadores. Estaban en busca de una verdad que habían descubierto en las estrellas. Comenzaron esta peregrinación y cuando entraron a la casa de la Sagrada Familia, encontraron su regalo, su recompensa, su anhelo de alma. Ofrecieron sus dones, y se alejaron silenciosamente, regresaron a casa por una nueva ruta, y a través de ella descubrieron un nuevo camino dentro de sus corazones y de sus almas. Estos eventos les trajeron nueva vida y nuevos entendimientos. Herodes, por otra parte, era un hombre de poder. A través de su poder, y de sus ejércitos, su dinero, y su posición política, había establecido un hogar (su reino) y lo había hecho todo para protegerlo y preservarlo. No quería compartirlo. No lo quería usurpado. No quería arriesgarse a perder nada y por lo tanto, su única opción era pisar fuerte, erradicar, deshacerse de; destruir al Niño Jesús. No podía haber otro rey, ninguna otra amenaza a su vida. Qué diferencia entre los dos: 1) buscadores de la verdad; 2) un mentiroso que promete "ir a rendirle homenaje" pero que realmente intenta matarlo; 1) ofrecer regalos en homenaje y reconocimiento; 2) usar cualquier medio para proteger MI reino y MI riqueza y MI poder. El Evangelio presenta una manifestación y a la luz de su verdad revela los corazones de personas muy diferentes: los Magos y Herodes. ¿Qué nos revela la estrella, la luz? ¿Descubrimos nuevas verdades sobre nosotros, acerca de Dios, acerca de los demás? ¿Traemos nuestros regalos y al dar descubrimos que hemos sido mucho más dotados?

Padre Perry Leiker, Párroco

Cita de la Semana:

"Hay gente que va vestida con túnicas y no tiene nada que ver con las pieles, sin embargo carecen de humildad. Seguramente la humildad en las pieles va mejor que el orgullo en las túnicas." — San Bernardo de Claraval.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

First Reading — Isaiah speaks of the Servant whom the LORD upholds; he shall bring forth justice to the nations (Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7). **Psalm** — *The Lord will bless his people with peace (Psalm 29).*

Second Reading — Jesus was anointed by God with the Holy Spirit; he went out healing and doing good (Acts 10:34-38). **Gospel** — A voice comes from heaven proclaiming Jesus as the beloved Son, with whom God is well pleased (Matthew 3:13-17). — *Liturgical Color: White*

AMONESTACIONES/WEDDING BANNS

Sergio Silva & Monica Sanchez
Benjamin Montfort & Ivy Domantay

Mass Intentions

01/06: 8:00am — †Jose de Jesus Urbina
02/07: 8:00am — Mary Trujillo

7:00pm — Divine Mercy Mass

01/08: 9:00am — †Ador Baluyut

7:00pm — †Ruel Kalaw

01/09: 8:00am — Basilisa Rodriguez — Happy Birthday!

01/10: 8:00am — Alejandro Domantay — Happy Birthday!

01/11: 8:00am — Martina Ritchi

5:00pm — Melvin Maxwell, Jr. — Happy Birthday!

Intenciones

de la Misa

01/12: 8:00am — †Manuela Gamayo & †Mercedes Gamboa

9:30pm — †Nicolas Patino

11:00am — †Yvonne Huertas

12:30pm — Basilisa Rodriguez — Feliz Cumpleaños!

3:00pm — Divine Mercy Mass

11:00am

12:30pm

3:00pm

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LECTURAS PARA EL PRÓXIMO DOMINGO

Primera lectura — He aquí mi siervo a quien he dado mi espíritu. Él les enseñará mi justicia a las naciones (Isaías 42:1-4, 6-7). **Salmo** — El Señor bendecirá a su pueblo con paz (Salmo 29 28]). **Segunda lectura** — Dios ha proclamado la paz por Jesucristo, el Señor de todos. Dios ha ungido a Jesús por el Espíritu Santo y el poder (Hechos 10:34-38). **†Evangelio** — Cuando Jesús fue bautizado por Juan, el Espíritu Santo descendió sobre él (Mateo 3:13-17). — **Color Litúrgico: Blanco**

CONCIERTO DE EPIFANÍA

11 DE ENERO 6:30PM



Cerraremos la temporada de Navidad en la Fiesta de la Epifanía con cantos. Los músicos participantes incluirán a todos nuestros Coros Parroquiales, Solistas y una presentación especial del Padre Perry Leiker, quienes presentarán un popurrí de canciones Navideñas. La entrada es gratis. Se servirán refrigerios ligeros en la plaza después del concierto.

ST BERNARD EPIPHANY CONCERT

January 11th - 6:30PM — CHURCH

On the Feast of the Epiphany let us close the Christmas Season in song. Participating musicians will include all of our Parish Choirs, solo musicians and a special performance by Father Perry Leiker who will present a medley of Christmas songs. Free admission. Light snacks will be served in the Plaza after the Concert.



Sabía Usted? — ¿Qué es el tráfico sexual de niños?

El tráfico sexual de niños ocurre cuando un menor está involucrado en un acto sexual comercial, en el cual se intercambia sexo por dinero, comida, albergue o cualquier otra cosa de valor. Los perpetradores de tráfico sexual por lo regular escogen niños, creyendo que su edad les permite ser manipulados y controlados más fácilmente. Este crimen está ocurriendo en todo tipo de comunidades alrededor de Estados Unidos, y los traficantes están obteniendo alarmantes ganancias mientras que las víctimas son objeto de abuso y de violencia. Una de las cosas más importantes que usted puede hacer para proteger a su hijo/hija es crear un ambiente en el que él o ella se sienta cómodo/a viéndolo a usted como un adulto confiable con quien puede platicar. Para obtener más información, por favor visite www.missingkids.com/theissues/trafficking.

Did You Know? — What is child sex trafficking?

Child sex trafficking occurs when a minor is involved in a commercial sex act where sex is traded for money, food, shelter, drugs or anything else of value. Perpetrators of sex trafficking often target children believing their age makes them easier to manipulate and control. This crime is occurring in all types of communities throughout the U.S. and traffickers are making an alarming profit while victims endure abuse and violence. One of the most important things you can do to protect your child is to create an environment in which he or she feels comfortable talking with you as a trusted adult. For more information please visit www.missingkids.com/theissues/trafficking.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS/PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

01-05-20: Religious Classes Resume/Se reanudan las Clases de Religión
01-06-20: Bible Study Resume/Se reanudan el Estudio de Biblia
01-07-20: Divine Mercy mass/Misa de la Divina Misericordia: 7PM
01-09-29: Thursday, Baptism Class/Clase Bautismal: 6:45PM
01-11-20: Epiphany Concert in Church: 6:30PM 'FREE'
Concierto de Epifanía en la Iglesia: 6:30PM 'GRATIS'
01-12-20: Divine Mercy Mass/Misa de la Diivina Misericordia: 3PM
01-16-20: ADULT SACRAMENTS Class/ Clase Sacramental para Adultos: (2) 7PM
01-17-20: Healing Mass in Spanish/Misa de Sanación: 7:30PM
01-18-20: Santo Niño Mass/Misa del Santo Niño: 10:30AM

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT/AVISO ESPECIAL

CLASSES FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
RESUME TODAY, JANUARY 5TH, 2020

BIBLE STUDY RESUMES MONDAY, JAN. 6, 9:30AM

**CLASES DE EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA SE
REANUDAN HOY, 5 DE ENERO, 2020**

**ESTUDIO DE BIBLIA SE REANUDA MAÑANA, 6 DE
ENERO A LAS 9:30AM**

WINNERS/GANADORES!!

Congratulations to the Happy Winners of the Grupo Guadalupano Raffle that took place on December 12.

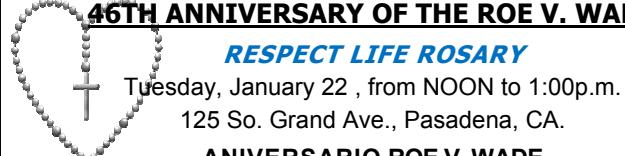
Felicitades a los Felices Ganadores de la Rifa del Grupo Guadalupano que se llevó a cabo el 12 de Diciembre:



1st PL. Sofía Parra — Statue/Estatua (bulto) #00868
2nd PL Carolina Vega — Picture/Cuadro #01221

46TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ROE V. WADE

RESPECT LIFE ROSARY



Tuesday, January 22 , from NOON to 1:00p.m.
125 So. Grand Ave., Pasadena, CA.

ANIVERSARIO ROE V. WADE

ROSARIO POR EL RESPETO A LA VIDA

Martes, 22 de Enero de las 12 a la 1:00p.m.

Information/Información: legisperitis@yahoo.com
Tim: jayod@Verizon.net — llame/Call: (626)422-3211

ATTENTION LECTORS/ATENCIÓN LECTORES

LECTOR BOOKS in English are available for \$10.
Please stop by the Church Office.



Los LIBROS PARA LECTORES están disponibles por \$10 cada uno. Favor de pasar a la Oficina de la Iglesia.

"250 CLUB" — The tickets for the "250 Club" are being sold outside the Church TODAY and at the Pastoral Center. Tickets are \$20 and you will have the chance to win \$250 all year long. The drawings take place from January through December 2020.

"CLUB 250" — Los boletos para el "Club 250" están a la venta **HOY** afuera de la Iglesia y en el Centro astoral. Con \$20 usted podrá ganar \$250 durante todo el año. La rifa comenzará en Enero y terminará en Diciembre del 2020. **INFORMACIÓN/INFORMATION:** (323)244-3359.