

St. Louise de Marillac Church

Serving God's people in Covina, Glendora, San Dimas and surrounding communities.

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love." Ephesians 4:30—5:2

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Mass Schedule

Monday –Friday

6:20 am & 8:00 am

Saturday

8:00 am & 5:30 pm Vigil

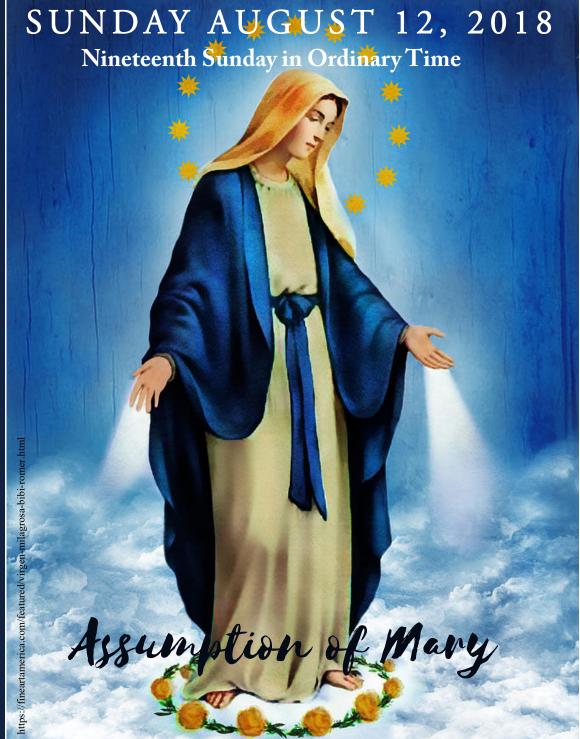
Sunday

6:30 am, 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 12:30 pm, & 5:00 pm

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St. Louise de Marillac is a Roman Catholic community called together as family to worship, to minister, and to evangelize. As true disciples of Jesus Christ, we are called to renew His love and spirit by sharing our time, talent and treasure.

St. Louise de Marillac Mission Statement



The Lord speaks to us in a variety of ways, at work, through others and at every moment.

Pope Francis, Gaudete et Exsultate



Rejoice and Be Glad

Gaudete et Exsultate (Rejoice and Be Glad), published in May of this year, is an apostolic exhortation, a papal document that ranks below an encyclical but above everyday homilies and speeches. It is the third one issued by Pope Francis after Evangelii Gaudium (Joy of the Gospel) and Amoris Laetitia (Joy of Love). He has also published two encyclicals, Lumen Fidei (Light of Faith) and Laudato Si (Praised Be: On Care for Our Common Home.)

Pope Francis is easy to read. This is just as true in his latest writing as it was in his earlier works. In "Rejoice and Be Glad," Pope Francis is calling us to Holiness. This document is supposed to be practical. It is not a "treatise on holiness..., [filled with] definitions and discussion ... of sanctification. Rather, it is a meditation on how to respond to Christ's invitation to be saints."



Introduction, Besides those saints and martyrs whose lives were "an exemplary imitation of Christ," Pope Francis also praises "the middle class of holiness": the everyday sanctity of "those parents who raise their children with immense love, in those men and women who work hard to support their families, in the sick, in elderly religious who never lose their smile,"

Chapter 1, The Call to Holiness, "The Holy Spirit bestows holiness in abundance among God's holy and faithful people," the Pope writes, which begins from baptism. Here he summons the universal call to holiness, citing Lumen Gentium: "all the faithful, whatever their condition or state, are called by the Lord – each in his or her own way – to that perfect holiness by which

the Father himself is perfect." Pope Francis emphasizes the phrase "each in his or her own way," for the diversity of forms of holiness means that Christians must discern how the Lord is calling each of them to holiness.

Chapter 3, Light of the Master, centers on the example of Jesus, particularly in an interpretation of the Beatitudes and Matthew 25. For while there "can be any number of theories about what constitutes holiness, with various explanations and distinctions... nothing is more enlightening than turning to Jesus' words and seeing his way of teaching the truth." Pope Francis writes that "Jesus explained with great simplicity what it means to be holy when he gave us the Beatitudes (Mt 5:3-12; Lk 6:20-23)," such that "The Beatitudes are like a Christian's identity card," The Beatitudes become our guide to doing what Francis urges us toward, namely imitating Jesus.

<u>In Chapter 4, Signs of Holiness in Today's World</u>, the Pope tells us, the Christian should be patient and meek; joyful; bold and passionate; communal; and constantly prayerful. Pope Francis casts this chapter in terms of following and becoming more like Jesus, a life-long effort which leads us to and is sustained by the Eucharist.

<u>Chapter 5, Spiritual Combat, Vigilance, and Discernment</u>, Francis tells us that the Christian life is a constant battle. We need strength and courage to withstand the temptations of the devil and to proclaim the Gospel. This battle is sweet, for it allows us to rejoice each time the Lord triumphs in our lives.

Go online and read the entire Exhortation. I promise you, you won't be disappointed.

Father Robert Fulton

En Pobet Fallow

STRENGTHENED BY THE BREAD OF LIFE

Today we resume the "Bread of Life" discourse from John's Gospel that began two weeks ago. He makes reference to the Jews' ancestors who ate manna in the desert. These days we would think primarily of Israel wandering in the desert, but faithful Jews would also have known the story of Elijah that we hear today. Strengthened by food and drink in the desert, the angel of the Lord sends him on his forty-day and forty-night journey (the biblical number for a preparation time). Like the food given to Elijah in the desert, Jesus tells his listeners that he is bread for the life of the world. It is very important that we not stop listening to Jesus after his promise of eternal life—a marvelous promise, but this "reward" is not the only reason we feast on the Bread of Life. We also come to the table to be made strong for the journey of mission, that the whole world might have life in the fullness of Christ. We are compelled, if we have eaten of the bread of life, to go forth in service to all.

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THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY

The Assumption is the oldest feast day of Our Lady, but how did it come to be first celebrated? Its origin had been lost in the days when the city of Jerusalem had been leveled in the year 135 by Emperor Hadrian (76-138) and was rebuilt as *Aelia Capitolina* in honor of Jupiter.

For the next 200 years, every memory of Jesus was obliterated from the city, and the sites made holy by His life, death and Resurrection became pagan temples. Jerusalem was restored as a sacred city at the time of the Roman Emperor Constantine (c285-337). The building of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in 336 came first, then the sacred sites began to be restored and memories of the life of Our Lord began to be celebrated by the people of Jerusalem. On the hill of Mount Zion, was the "Place of Dormition," the spot of Mary's "falling asleep," where she died

The "Memory of Mary" was celebrated, at first, only in Palestine, but then it was extended to all of the churches of the East. In the seventh century, the day was celebrated as "Falling Asleep" ("Dormitio") of the Mother of God, in Rome. Soon the name was changed to the "Assumption of Mary," since there was more to the feast than her dying. It was also proclaimed that she has been taken up, body and soul, into heaven.

The prayer for the feast reads" "All-powerful and ever-living God: You raised the sinless Virgin Mary, mother of your Son, body and soul, to the glory of heaven. May we see heaven as our final goal and come to share her glory."

It is celebrated on the 15th day of August each year and is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Stevens, Father Clifford, "The Assumption of Mary: A Belief Since Apostolic Times," www.ewtn.com.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Careful readers of the "Treasures" will have noticed that the two columns about the oldest monastic communities in the United States refer to the colonial states. The Louisiana Purchase gained a great treasure for our nation, the Ursuline monastery of New Orleans. Among the greatest pioneers of that city were nuns who came from France on a perilous voyage in 1727, pestered by pirates and tossed by fearsome storms. These were genteel, well-educated Ursulines, yet their first task was to roll up their sleeves and open a hospital to care for the pestilence-ridden colony. Next, they opened a school for girls and launched a plan to educate the women being shipped over from France to marry settlers. In this way, they had enormous influence in molding patterns of family and domestic life.

At Christmastime in 1814, the threat of a British assault on the city was growing. On the terrifying night of January 7, 1815, the women of New Orleans gathered in the monastery chapel to pray that the city be spared from destruction in battle. The mother superior made a vow to have a Mass of Thanksgiving on that date every year should the Americans win. That night, Our Lady of Prompt Succor, to whom the nuns had great devotion, became the protector and patron of this great city. The convent in the French Quarter is the oldest standing building in the Mississippi valley, and the only surviving building of the French colonial period. The nuns relocated in 1824, but their old monastery is preserved as a museum and archives for the Archdiocese of New Orleans. The school the nuns began, Ursuline Academy, is the oldest continuously operating Catholic school, and school for women, in the United States.

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FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION MASSES

Tuesday, August 14th 7:00 PM Vigil Mass

Wednesday, August 15th

6:20 AM

8:00 AM

7:00 PM

Wednesday, August 15th we commemorate the Assumption, which proclaims that the Blessed Virgin Mary was taken directly to heaven after her life on earth ended. Mary's unions with God in Christ was unique from the beginning.

The Assumption goes beyond the mere material, however, it reminds us that we are destined for spiritual glory because we will one day be fully united with God through Christ.

The Feast of the Assumption is a Holy Day of Obligation.

WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT

We invite you to spend time with Our Lord at a silent retreat at Sacred Heart Retreat House in Alhambra. The retreat starts at 5:00 pm on Friday, September 28th and ends at 12:30 pm on Sunday, September 30th.

Our retreat master this year is Reverend Joseph Aytona. The theme of his conference will focus on "In You, all find their home." Psalms 87:7.

For more information please call Fran Mercica at (909) 592-4223. Invite family and friends to share this personal quiet time with Our Lord. There are a limited number of rooms available so please respond soon.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EVENT

Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a talk on the Fight Against Prostitution titled "The Home of Love," with guest speaker Sr. Isabel from Mary Queen of Heaven Missionaries. This event is FREE and is open to the whole family, on **Thursday, August 16th**. Rosary begins at 7:00 pm, dinner is at 7:30 pm and the talk begins at 8:00 pm.

Mary Queen of Heaven Missionaries is a religious community established in the Archdiocese of Cebu, Philippines by His Eminence Ricardo J. Cardinal Vidal, Archbishop of Cebu. The

Heart of the Good Shepherd, shared by Mary, moves us to seek the stray and fallen away in the person of the victims of prostitution and in the power that the Holy Spirit gives, bring them back to the bosom of the Father. We search for them in bars and casas and along street in red light districts,



offering them a decent way of living in our "Home of Love," a rehabilitation and livelihood training center for them and their children. Those who are willing to embrace God's grace of renewed life with Him, are sheltered in the Home of Love with all the basic provisions donated. Services are given free of charge including: shelter, food, counseling, spiritual formation, education, skills training, child care and re-integration programs.

This event is held at:

Frank C. Meyers Hall, 2024 E. Route 66, Glendora 91740.

<u>Reservations are required</u>. Please contact David Mouri at (702) 858-5795 or email: Christtrueking@yahoo.com

IN MEMORIAM

Gerhard Fehrmann Sheryl Pawlacyk

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

A "Beginning Experience" weekend will be held at the Holy Spirit Retreat Center (Encino) for those who've experienced the loss of a spouse through death or divorce/separation, **September 14th through the 16th, 2018.** This program helps a person move from the darkness of grief into the light of a new beginning with renewed hope.

For information and registration, call Peg at BEGINNING (818) 767-1007 or Maria Rojas (Spanish) at (310) EXPERIENCE® 365-0186. Email: beginningexp.losangeles@gmail.com or visit our website at: www.beginningexperience.org.

CARING THROUGH CANCER

Holy Name of Mary Church is offering an evening in prayer and fellowship, sharing the journey through cancer with those who care. Join Fr. Bill Moore, SS.CC. in this sacred time and sacred space and to listen and share journeys of caring through cancer as one faith-filled community. Join us on **Monday, August 20th, at 7:00 pm** at Holy Name of Mary Church, 724 E. Bonita Avenue, San Dimas, 91773 in the Sacred Hearts Hall.

ROAD TO RECOVERY PROGRAM

Every day thousands of cancer patients need a ride to treatment, but some may not have a way to get there. The American Cancer Society, Road to Recover program provides transportation to and from treatment for people with cancer who do not have a ride or are unable to drive themselves.

Depending on each individual needs and what is available in your area, the American Cancer Society will:

- Coordinate a ride with a volunteer driver.
- Coordinate a ride with a local organization that has partnered with us to provide transportation such as Lyft.
- Refer you to a local resource you can contact for help.

Patients must be traveling to a cancer-related medical appointment. Other eligibility requirements may apply. For example, a caregiver may need to accompany a patient who cannot walk without help, or is under age 18. Contact us to find out what is available in your area, and what the specific requirements are.

VOLUNTEER DRIVER NEEDED

St. Louise de Marillac is looking for several volunteer drivers who would be available to drive our visiting priest, Fr. James Yakubu, to his sick calls and ministry. The driver would need to be available from the hours of 8:00 am to 8:00 pm on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday on an "on call" basis, and carry a valid California driver license. Please call the Parish Office at (626) 915-7873 if you could assist Fr. James Yakubu during his two months he will be at St. Louise.

CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Catholic Men's Fellowship of St. Louise de Marillac (CMF) is a lay apostolate that reaches out to all men. Our next meeting is on **Thursday, August 16th at 6:30 pm** in the Multi Purpose Room, east end of the parish.

We will welcome Gil Alderete who will talk on "Becoming an intentional disciple for Christ and His Church."

The Catholic faith is at the center of all our activities. We reach out across all denominations, working to build up the Body of Christ. For more information contact the Faith Formation Office at (626) 332-5822 or Gil Alderete at CMF@stlouisedm.org.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word is held **weekly** at the 9:30 am Mass. Children's Liturgy of the Word gives the children in grades 1 through 5 a chance to experience the readings, Gospel and a reflection in words they can understand.

The children are called before the readings. They will depart from Mass and walk to the St. Louise de Marillac Conference Room to hear the readings, the Gospel, a reflection and to profess their faith.

Children will return to their families for the Presentation of the Gifts. When the children return, they will stay with their families for the remainder of the Mass. For more information, please contact the Office of Faith Formation (626) 332-5822.

SAFETY & SECURITY 101: INCREASE YOUR AWARENESS

Ensuring parishioners' safety and security while attending Mass is a high priority. Given recent national shooting incidents—including at places of worship—the St. Louise Pastoral Council has developed a free, informational workshop designed to enhance your awareness of safety and security procedures.

The workshop is designed to educate parishioners, school families, and the visiting public about security measures when visiting the Church, specifically related to "Active Shooter" training and evacuation procedures. The workshop will consist of viewing a Department of Homeland Security (DHS) training video on active shooter scenarios and answering parishioners' questions—including, what to do, how to respond, and where to go.

Please SAVE-THE-DATE: The workshop will take place after each Mass on two Sundays in September. **September 9th and on September 23rd, 2018.** This workshop is free and will be very informative. More information will be provided in future bulletins.

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

We are all so busy, but developing the faith of our young people is so important. The Faith Formation Office wants to help you get your children registered for the new year.

Faith Formation is having special Sunday registration days on **August 12th and August 19th from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm in the Msgr. Pierce Hall.** Come by and see us after Mass to register your students. Classes are registering children for the following programs: Pre-School, Elementary, Middle School Ministry, and Confirmation.

There are classes for students preparing for the sacraments of Reconciliation, and First Communion as well as classes for students who will continue to learn about their faith. Please be sure to bring original baptism and first communion certificates. Registration forms are available on-line or in the hall. We look forward to serving the children of our parish as they continue to grow in their faith.

REGISTRATION IN THE HALL AFTER MASS

The Formation Registration will be available in the Msgr. Pierce Hall after Mass from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm on Sunday August 12th and Sunday, August 19th.

PARKING LOT TRAFFIC

St. Louise de Marillac School begins, Monday, August 20, 2018. Please be mindful of the increase in traffic in the parking lot and the school children on their way to class. Happy back to school and welcome to all the new families to St. Louise de Marillac School!

RCIA

The RCIA (Rite of Catholic Initiation of Adults) program is the process through which adults are initiated into the Catholic faith. It is for adults who want to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, and/or Confirmation. Let us walk with you in your journey to experience the fullness of your faith.

RCIA meets every **Wednesday from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm** in the St. Louise de Marillac Conference Room.

Registration for Faith Formation Programs

We are currently registering for our Faith Formation programs.

<u>Pre-School Ministry</u>, (3 to 5 year olds Sunday mornings from 9:30 am to 10:45am)

Elementary Ministry, (1st to 5th grade Sundays from 9:15am to 10:45 am, Tuesday 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm, Thursday 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm)

Middle School Ministry, grades 6th through 8th, Mondays from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

Confirmation either Sunday from 6:15 pm to 7:45 pm and every other Tuesday from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm.

Please register in our Faith Formation Office Monday through Thursday, from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm and on Friday, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.

Please bring the original Baptism and Eucharistic Certificates.

We look forward to seeing you!



Coat of Arms Logo

The apostolic disposition of the Missionary Society of St. Paul hinges on the appeal that our Patron, St. Paul, makes for the world to be reconciled in Christ (2 Cor. 5:25).

Our missionary apostolate is borne of the zealous endeavor to bring Christ's salvific message to people all over the world, through ministry that is undertaken in accordance with the Gospel, and in docility to the Holy Spirit. **Under the Church's** hierarchy, we both as individuals and as a Society, strive for a universal love for all men and women of all races and creeds, especially the poor, through faithful living of the evangelical counsels.



Welcome Fr. James Yakubu, MSP

St. Louise de Marillac Church welcomes Reverend Fr. James Yakubu, MSP. Fr. Yakubu will be at St. Louise throughout the months of August and September. He is part of the same order of priests as Fr. Martin Yina and Fr. Paul Asoh, the Missionary Society of St. Paul of Nigeria (MSP).

"The Missionary Society of St. Paul of Nigeria (MSP) is a Society of Apostolic Life founded in Nigeria in 1977. It was in response to the call of Pope Paul VI in Uganda in 1969 that the time has come for the churches of Africa share in the missionary work of the universal Church. The Society now has 260 priests working in ten African countries of Botswana, Cameroon, Chad, Gambia, Liberia, Malawi, Nigeria, Kenya, South Africa and South Sudan. The priests of MSP are also working in Great Britain, Grenada, Ireland, Sweden, Germany, Italy, Bahamas, Canada and the United States of America. The order of MSP, strives to bring Christ to people of every nation wherever the Church needs them the most. They are involved in primary evangelization and revitalization of weak churches through the parish structure, and they also engage in hospital and school chaplaincies, social justice, education and care of the poor."



Father James Yakubu, MSP, is the oldest of four children. He has three younger sisters, all who are married. So when Father Yakubu mentioned to his parents that he wanted to join the seminary



and become a priest and not a medical doctor as previous planned, it did not make sense and was hard for them at first. Through the grace of God they gradually accepted the decision. Father Yakubu was the first member in his family to be baptized. The family attended Mass at church weekly, but were not themselves baptized in the faith.

It takes nine years to become a priest in Nigeria. After Father Yakubu was ordained a priest, fourteen years ago, he worked in Nigeria for a year. He then was sent to Rome, Italy at Georgian

university where he did Bachelor and License Program learning about Clinical Psychology for four and half years. He returned to Nigeria to work with Fr. Martin Yina at the House of Formation. As a Formator in the seminary, Fr. Yakubu provides Spiritual Direction and teaches Psychology and Clinical Psychology.

"I love meeting people to help them clarify their perspectives," commented Fr. Yakubu. "This fulfills me as a priest and clinical psychologist." Father loves the journey with people, the human

journey and the inner connectedness between their faith and the human struggle." Over 1,000 young men apply to become a priest in Nigeria each year, but through the process of retreats, interviews, the seminary is able to admit between 20 to 25 candidates at the end of the process.

Father Yakubu's first time in the United States was in 2011 when he went to the Regional House of the Society of St. Paul in Texas. He has since traveled to many states talking about their missionary work and working through the Mission Co-op,



preaching about the works of the Missionaries of St. Paul. His favorite place was Branson, Missouri. "They have so many attractions," said Fr. Yakubu, "they have The Lake Queen Riverboat, Branson Jet boats. Branson's Promised Land Zoo and a Titanic Museum." This is Father's first time in California. Wait until he sees all the attractions California has!

1. Mission statement for the Missionary Society of St. Paul of Nigeria, www.mspfathers.org.

ACCW

The East San Gabriel District of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women will have its next district meeting on **Thursday, September 13, 2018** at St. Joseph Parish, 550 North Glendora Avenue, La Puente.

The day begins at 9:30 am and concludes at 1:30 pm. The event includes a Mass a talk with guest speaker Isaac Cuevas, Associate Director of Immigration Affairs, Los Angeles Archdiocese who will speak on "Immigration and the Church: Where do we stand and how do we help?" The day ends with a luncheon.

By Friday, September 7th send a check for \$12.00 made payable to Angie Velazquez, 15744 Hayland Street, La Puente, 91744. Questions please call Angie at (626) 968-4350.

All Catholic Women are automatically members of ACCW.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DINE OUT

Our next Dine Out on Monday, August 20th and Tuesday, August 21st will be at Max's Mexican Cuisine from 11:00 am to closing. Flyers are a the church tables and in our parish office. Max's Mexican Cuisine will donate 20% on all sit down and take out orders. The donation will apply to all food and beverages. The proceeds will go to the Knights of Columbus. The Knights will in turn divide the proceeds 50% to the Knights of Columbus and 50% divided equally between St. Louise de Marillac and St. Dorothy churches.

KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS CAR SHOW

The Knights of Columbus Annual Charity Car Show will be held on **Saturday**, **August 25th, 2018**, from **10:00** am to **2:00** pm at St. Louise de Marillac. This event is open to all cars, show cars, project cars, daily drives, junk cars, cars for sale. Entry Forms are available in the Parish Office.

CORRECTION

Last bulletin some dates for the Guadalupana Ministry events were incorrect. The actual dates are:

Casino Day Trip—

Saturday, September 29th

Virgin of Guadalupe Feast Celebration— Wednesday, December 12th

Sorry for the inconvenience.

MILITARY PHOTOS

The Vestibule in the Church has our new video boards. If you have a loved one that is currently serving in the armed forces and would like his or her image displayed on the Military Honoree Board, please submit an image with the person's name, rank and years of service to: socialmedia@stlouisedm.org

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Content for the August 26th bulletin is due **Friday**, **August 17th.** Please send submissions to: bulletin@stlouisedm.org or deliver to the Parish Office.

STEWARDSHIP

Thank you for your generous stewardship. St. Louise appreciates your support of our many programs and ministries.

Offertory for Sunday, August 5, 2018			
	2018	2017	Variance
Envelopes	\$ 23,186	\$ 20,864	\$ 2,322
Plate	\$ 2,937	\$ 2,933	\$ 4
TOTAL	\$ 26,123	\$ 23,797	\$ 2,326

TOGETHER IN MISSION



Thank you to everyone who has made a pledge or a donation to this years' appeal. If you have not had the opportunity to do so, you can pledge online or on your mobile phone at archla.org/give. Please be sure to "credit your parish" St. Louise de Marillac to receive credit for your donation.

Goal for 2018: \$143,076 Paid: \$131,477.23

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please pray for those listed below who are sick:

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Cecille Ellorin Theresa Montero

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR...

Darlene Bertelsen Jenny Briones William Burger Matt Byers **Rosie Chavez** Mary Peterson Clark Lana Coelho Lilia Corte Jason Cresswell Margarita Delgado Charles Joseph Dinisi **Dolores Ericson** Joe Escalera Sr. Joe Escalera Jr. Aileen Fallis Pat Fallis Rick Faqua Gloria Gallegos Irene Gatica Jim Gesselman Frank Giella Gonzalo Robles Gil Glen Golden Henry Gomez Rosa Gomez Carmen Gonzalez David Gonzalez Pedro Gutierrez Katrina Hannah Suzanne Hanson Jeannie Hetterscheidt Mary Howard Graciela Israel Martha Israel Don Johnsick Lucille Jolicoeur Mary Klante

Anthony Kochis Nancy LaMascus Al Lammens Susanne Mabida Christopher Magdaleno Bertha Marquez Damacio Marquez Gloria Marquez Jose Martinez Carolyn Matone Fr. Bill Moore, ss. cc. Julie Moore Kathleen Motter Tracie Neria Frank Nevarila Saundra Nila Victor Nuñez Jess Panlilio Joaquin Perez Anna Rodriguez Susan Schmaltz Jennifer Sennett Pat Serio Julia Sermeno Ryan Soldridge Rita Spanier Fred Tardif **Robert Tessier** Arsenio Valencia Iva Vasili Maria Vazquez Jo Ann Volk Al Wurst Don Yee Melinda Zamora

KEEP US UPDATED

Parishioners are asked to please contact the Parish Center to have a loved one placed on the sick list. For a name to remain on the sick list, please contact the Parish Office by the 15th of every month. The names of the sick are published weekly in our bulletin. Thank you for your assistance in helping us maintain the list, and ensure those in need of prayer will receive them.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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Wednesdays 7:30 PM to 8:45 PM Saturdays 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Monday, August 13, 2018

6:20 AM Daily Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM Daily Mass	CHURCH
9:30 AM Monday Morning Prayer Group	SLDMCR

Tuesday, August 14, 2018

6:20 AM Daily Mass	CHURCH	
8:00 AM Daily Mass	CHURCH	
6:30 PM Legion of Mary Meeting	PCBR	
7:00 PM Assumption of Mary Vigil Mass	CHURCH	
7:30 PM Women's Bible Study	8th Grade	
7:30 PM Baptism Class	SLDMCR	
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Wednesday, August 15, 2018

6:20 AM	Daily Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM	Daily Mass	CHURCH
6:45 PM	OLPH Novena	CHURCH
7:00 PM	RCIA	SLDMCR
7:00 PM	Assumption of Mary Mass	CHURCH

Thursday, August 16, 2018

6:20 AM	Daily Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM	Daily Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM	Archdiocesan CIP Training	MPHALL
6:00 PM	Con-validation Rehearsal	CHURCH
6:30 PM	Catholic Men's Fellowship	MPR

Friday, August 17, 2018

6:20 AM	Daily Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM	Daily Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM	Archdiocesan CIP Training	MPHALL
7:00 PM	Toastmasters Meeting	MPR
7:00 PM	BINGO	MPHALL
Saturday, August 18, 2018		

8:00 AM Morning Mass	CHURCH
8:30 AM Catholic Committee on Scouting Meeting	SLDCR
10:00 AM Group Raptisms	CHLIDCH

10:00 Aivi Group Baptisms	CHUNCH
2:00 PM Con-validation (Guerrero)	CHURCH
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM Confessions	CHURCH
5:30 PM Evening Mass	CHURCH

Sunday, August 19, 2018

6:30 AM Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM Mass	CHURCH
8:00 AM Catholic Committee on Scouting	SLMCR
9:30 AM Mass	CHURCH
11:00 AM Mass	CHURCH
12:30 PM Mass	CHURCH
5:00 PM Mass	CHURCH

SLDMCR—St. Louise de Marillac Conference Room

PCBR—Parish Center Board Room

MPHALL—Msgr. Pierce Hall MPB—Multi-Purpose Building

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Elijah looked and there at his head was a hearth cake and a jug of water (1 Kings 19:4-8).

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

Second Reading — Be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love (Ephesians 4:30 — 5:2). **Gospel** — Jesus said, "I am the living bread; whoever eats this bread will live forever" (John 6:41-51).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14;

Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Ez 2:8 — 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103,

111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7,

9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab;

Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62:

Mt 18:21 - 19:1

Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63;

Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15

Sunday: Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7;

Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

DID YOU KNOW?

Watch for signs of anxiety in your child

Everyone has had an anxious moment or two in their lives, but many people — even kids — struggle with daily anxiety. Anxiety can be a contributing factor in depression, and even if it's not that severe, it can make day-to-day activities tough. Kids who suffer from anxiety may exhibit physical symptoms like asthma and stomach aches, or could have trouble eating, sleeping, or going to the bathroom. If your child is showing signs of anxiety, it's important to ask why, and then to help your child address the cause and manage the associated feelings. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS© article, "The Age of Anxiety in Children: Implications for Providing Safe Catholic Schools, Part II," visit

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For more information on other ways to keep kids safe, contact Linda Filkins, the Parish Safeguard Committee Chairperson at (626) 214-7846 or the Archdiocesan Safeguard the Children Office at (213) 637-7227. For particular help, call the Victims Assistance Office at (213) 637-7650.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 12th

6:30 am: Henry Lim (RIP); Edgar Lim (RIP) 8:00 am: Ray Fulton (RIP); Latasha Washington (SI)

9:30 am: Ramon and Carmon Astete (RIP) 11:00 am: St. Louise Parish Families (SI)

12:30 pm: Jovan Mario Campos (RIP); Fr. Robert Fulton (SI)
5:00 pm: People in Nicaragua (SI) Those Who Have Passed (RIP)

Monday, August 13th

6:20 am: Elaine W. Corboy (RIP); Sheryl Pawlacyk (RIP) 8:00 am: Metrie Family (SI); Elaine Corboy (RIP)

Tuesday, August 14th

6:20 am: Maria Carmen Burusco (RIP)

8:00 am: David Miranowski (SI); Alberto Gonzalez (RIP)

Wednesday, August 15th

6:20 am: People in Nicaragua (SI); Those Who Have Passed (RIP)

8:00 am: Kim Dean (RIP); Earl Howard (RIP)

Thursday, August 16th

6:20 am: Henry (Sonny) Davis (RIP)

8:00 am: Joshua Rivera (SI); Ferdinand Deriada (RIP)

Friday, August 17th

6:20 am: St. Louise Parish Families (SI)

8:00 am: Clara Schualler (RIP); Ferdinand Deriada (RIP)

Saturday, August 18th

8:00 am: Jacqueline T. Moscarito (RIP) 5:30 pm: Julie Bordi (RIP): Dottie Temby (RIP)





St. Louise de Marillac School 6th Annual Golf Tournament



SILENT AUCTION

RAFFLE

LIVE AUCTION

South Hills Country Club 2655 S. Citrus Street West Covina, 91791 GOLF CONTESTS

DINNER

GOLF BALL DROP

Sponsorship and Registration forms are available in the Parish Office. To donate items you can deliver them directly to the Parish Office or contact Dolores Thomas at (626) 393-7384 or email at: SLSGolf@stlouisedm.org

EVEN IF YOU ARE NOT A GOLFER, JOIN US FOR THE DINNER & SILENT AUCTION!

Proceeds from this event will be used to renovate the restrooms in our Multi-Purpose Building as well as to install screens and projectors in the 5th through 8th grade classrooms