

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 28, 2017

Dear Parishioners,

... far above every principality, authority, power, and dominion,
and every name that is named not only in this age but also in the one to come. (Ephesians 1:21)

Today as we celebrate Jesus' ascension to heaven, let's join his disciples in lifting our hearts and minds heavenward as we pray:

"Lord Jesus, we praise you on this feast of hope and triumph! We adore you, Lord, seated at the Father's right hand! You have taken your place of glory and authority—the place reserved for you, the eternal Son of God. You left it for a short time when you came to earth to redeem us, but now you are enthroned in the heavens. And we have been raised up with you!

"We praise you, Lord, for every principality, every power falls under your authority. No matter how strong or terrifying, everything in this created world must bow down to you. No matter what we face, nothing can remove us from your loving protection!

"We exult in you, Jesus, for you rule over history itself. Past, present, and future—nothing is outside your loving gaze and your powerful intervention. From your glorious throne, you hold all our lives in your hands.

"Jesus, you are worthy of praise! Every enemy has been placed beneath your feet. This means that nothing can overpower you—not Satan, not death, not suffering, not sin. You have defeated them all! You are above all things, and in you all things hold together.

"Jesus, now exalted to the Father's right hand, you are the head of the body, the Church! No matter what human imperfections exist in your Church, we can be confident that you will continue to purify us. You intercede for us every day, asking your Father to pour out immeasurable grace to help us overcome our sin and live in love. Jesus, we believe that your victory is ours, and we place our trust in your love!

"Jesus, today is a day to celebrate! We gaze on your glory and know that all things are in your hands!"

Deacon Mark Race, Administrator

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

"To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good." 1 CORINTHIANS 12:7

To receive the gift of the Holy Spirit you must open your heart and let Him in! Open your heart and be grateful for all the gifts God has given us. Regardless of your circumstance, God has given us all blessings. What we do with those gifts is our gift back to God. Generously sharing our gifts keeps us more "God-centered" and less "self-centered".

50th Wedding Anniversary



Today we remember and pray for the **Soul of Basil Raymond** (who has gone home to God) and **Renette Raymond** who celebrates their 50 year of love on May 28th.

From your family, friends and church family.

Memorial Day Mass

Will Be Celebrated at Holy Cross Cemetery
5835 W. Slauson Avenue, Culver City, CA 90230

MONDAY, MAY 29, 2017 AT 10:00 AM

Principal Celebrant: Cardinal Roger Mahony

ALL ARE INVITED!

Memorial Day Holiday

The school and church offices will be closed on Monday, May 29, 2017 in observance of Memorial Day.

Rosary Procession

You are invited to participate in the monthly Rosary Procession in Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary, on **Saturday, June 3, 2017** at 4:30 PM at Transfiguration. The Rosary is one of the most powerful prayers on earth. The 5:15 PM Mass will follow. On this day Confession will be at 4 PM.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Confirmation Students:

Joel Jaurequi, Iderio Campo, Fabricio Reyes,
Lanigi Cimilio, Kenya Mayers

First Holy Communion Students:

Brielle Hardy, Harmoni Brooks, Cylie Williams, Caelyn Williams,
Ashley Cos-sica, Kimora Palacio, Alyssa Ayarza-Harris,
Emily Chavez-Torrez, Evelyn Chavez-Torrez,
Aaliya Torres, Andrew Solano, Kai Morgan,
Fernando Ramos, Marquis Crockett, Andy Cuyuch,
Donavan Hudson, Rashaad Pilgrim, Diego Trujillo,
Andrew Segura, Dominic Johnson

Thank you to our Catechists:

Mrs. Rosalyn Chapman, Ms. Sabrina Markos,
Mrs. Lisa Ramirez, Ms. Martina Peters, Ms. Winter Ramirez,
Mr. David Thomas, and Mrs. Terrye Thomas.

Daily Scripture Readings

Sunday	Acts 1:1-11, Ps 47:2-9, Mt 28:16-20
Monday	Acts 19:1-8, Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday	Acts, 20:17-27, Jn17:1-11a
Wednesday	Zep 3:14-18a, Lk 1:39-56
Thursday	Acts 22:30; 23: 6-11, Jn 17:20-26
Friday	Acts 25:13b-21, Jn 21:15-19
Saturday	Acts 28:16-31, Jn 21:20-25
Sunday	Acts 2:1-11, Ps 104:1, 24-34, Jn 20:19-23

Mass Intentions

Saturday	May 27
5:15 PM	Soul of Basil Raymond & Intention of Renette Raymond
Sunday	May 28
8:00 AM	Intention of all Parishioners
10:00 AM	Soul of Eddie McNeal
12:15 PM	Soul of Albertha Leon
Monday	May 29
8:00 AM	Intention of Aeros Pierce
Tuesday	May 30
8:00 AM	Intention of Sabrina Markos
Saturday	June 3
5:15 PM	Soul of Robert Anthony Salle
Sunday	June 4
8:00 AM	Souls of Tom Franklin & Mary Ann Mayer
10:00 AM	Intention of all Parishioners
12:15 PM	Intention of Deacon Gregory Patterson

Weekly Offering

May 21, 2017

\$4,251.10 Tithes and Offering
380.00 Building Fund
41.00 "We Care"



Parishioner Recognition Luncheon

The Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary Council and Court 220 in collaboration with the Church of the Transfiguration is presenting their 1st ANNUAL Parishioner Recognition Luncheon. The event is Sunday, August 6, 2017, from 1PM to 4PM at the Regency West, 3339 W. 43rd Street in L.A. They will recognize parishioners who have served the Church of the Transfiguration through their selfless acts of Care, Concern, Love for God's people and His Church. Please **MARK YOUR CALENDAR...** Sunday, August 6, 2017 and join in helping us recognize these "Special Treasures" whom God has sent to Transfiguration Parish. This will be a fabulous Luncheon and Program you will not want to miss!

PRAY FOR THE SICK

LaVern Agnew, Brian Argusta, Joyce Barnett, Rose Ball, Percenia Beasley, Veronica Bearce, Fr. Emile Belletty, Sister Juliet Berber, Glenda Brown, Andrei Briggs, Vivian Burgess, Barbara Butler, Brownie Cain, Sister Cecilia Calva, Mary Captain, Alberto Casanova, Jeannie Chapron, Katherine Clark, Sister Ann Paul Clare, Agnes Cooper, Rita Cormire, Edward Cousin, Juanita Davis, Beverly Colvin-Dorsey, Jayden Dunn, Nigel Dunn, Betty Eason, Gwen Files, Ferdinand Foye, Betty Flowers, Teresa Franklin, Stacy Franklin, Judy Felton-Gardner, Mavis Gibbs, Refugio Godinez, Nancy Goosby, Barbara Harris, Jacqueline Holman, Mattie Hilburn, Janie Jackson, Aaron Jittu, Aaron Katz, Briana Katz, Irwin Lagarde, Jeanne LeBlanc, Barbara Lindsey, Connie Louie, Joe McZeal, Vydred Manor, Sister Marianna, Dorothy Okoye, Martina Peters, Aeros Pierce, Daisy Pratt, Wiley R. Pugh, Dorothy Pulliam, Andrea Raggette, Michelle Raines, Dottie Rodriguez, Doris Rogers, Dana Semien, Dudley Semien, Chris Simon, George Simon, Sr., Jeremiah Skyes, Darnell Stang, Michele Starks, Annie Starks, Alice Tenette, Leila Thomas, Stephanie Thompson, Emma Thornton, Iris Turner, Frank Vidrio, Cassandra Williams, Thomas Williams, Peggy Wright and Emmerson Young.