



7:30 A.M. SABATINA **10:00 A.M. FIRST COMMUNION MASS** 3:00 P.M. CONFESSIONS 4:00 P.M. MASS (ENGL)

PARA TODAS LAS MADRECITAS VIVAS Y DIFUNTAS FOR ALL OUR MOTHERS LIVING & DECEASED 6:00 P.M.MAY OFFERING (ROSARY) 7:00 P.M. MASS (SPAN) PARA TODAS LAS MADRECITAS VIVAS Y DIFUNTAS FOR ALL OUR MOTHERS LIVING & DECEASED

SUNDAY/ DOMINGO, 13 DE MAYO <u>7:30 A.M.</u> MASS (SPAN) PARA TODAS LAS MADRECITAS VIVAS Y DIFUNTAS FOR ALL OUR MOTHERS LIVING & DECEASED

<u>9:00 A.M.</u> MASS (ENGL) PARA TODAS LAS MADRECITAS VIVAS Y DIFUNTAS FOR ALL OUR MOTHERS LIVING & DECEASED 10:30 A.M. MASS (ENGL)

FOR THE PEOPLE/POR EL PUEBLO **<u>12:30 A.M.</u>** MASS (TEX-MEX) PARA TODAS LAS MADRECITAS VIVAS Y DIFUNTAS FOR ALL OUR MOTHERS LIVING & DECEASED 4:00 P.M. MAY OFFERING (ROSARY)

5:30 P.M. MASS (TEX-MEX) PARA TODAS LAS MADRECITAS VIVAS Y DI FOR ALL OUR MOTHERS LIVING & DECEAS

MONDAY /LUNES, 14 DE MAYO ST. MATTHIAS 6:55 A.M. LITURGIA DE LA PALABRA Y COMUNION LITURGY OF THE WORD W/ COMMUNION 6:00 PMMAY OFFERING (ROSARY)

TUESDAY, MARTES, 15 DE MAYO ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER <u>6:55 A.M.</u>LITURGIA DE LA PALABRA Y COMUNION/ LITURGY OF THE WORD W/ COMMUNION 6:00 P.M.MAY OFFERING (ROS RY

WEDNESDAY / MIERCOLES, 16 DE MAYO <u>6:55 A.M.</u> MASS †Guadalupe O. Garza (Anniv)<mark>- M/M Encarna</mark>cion Lopez †Ma. Rosa Moreno & Maria <mark>Rodr</mark>iguez– J<mark>ose G. Moreno, Sr.</mark> A/G Virgen de Guadalupe– Linda Villarreal 6:00 P.M.MAY OFFERING (ROSARY)



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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 6 DE MAYO DEL 2012



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de los Pobres



THURSDAY / JUEVES, 17 DE MAYO ASCENSION OF THE LORD 6:00 P.M. CONFESSIONS 6:00 P.M.MAY OFFERING (ROSARY) 7:00 P.M. MASS †Simon Garcia– A. Ryan †Canuto & Librada Salinas– Fam. Cantu [†]Fr. Elov Fuente– Fam. Cantu †Bill Smith– Kim Stah & Steve Shafer †Raul Aguilar, Sr. (2nd Anniv)- Maria M. Aguilar A/G Virgen de Guadalupe- Fam. De Leon

FRIDAY / VIERNES, 18 DE MAYO

ST. JOHN I 6:55 A.M. MASS †Refugio Contreras-OLG †Emma Arriaga– OLG †Rafael Atilano- OLG †Angela Lopez-OLG 6:00 PM.MAY OFFERING (ROSARY) 7:00 P.M. FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS

<u>SATURDAY / SÁBADO, 1 DE MAYO</u> **ST. NEREUS** ST. ACHILLEUS ST. PANCRAS <u>7:30 a.M.</u> SABATINA **MAM FIRST COMMUNION MASS** DING OF GILBERTO CARDENAS **IE HERRERA** 3:00 P.M. CONCESSIONS 4:00 P.M. MASS (ENGL) an (1st Anniv)- Fam. Bazan **Guadlaupe B** azar- Ofelia & David Torres María T. Flores (5th Anniv)- Flores Fam. Hermila G. Vela- Ramiro Flores & Fam. †Josefina Flores– Ramiro Flores & fam. †Lupita Longoria– Fina Arce & Fam. †Juan Sanchez- Fina Arce & Fam. †Jesus Garza– Wife & Fam. Erin Bruender– John & Betty Bruender Gloria Kemson– Family For prosperity for Harry & Peggy Gorman or the Health of Mary King– Ed & Judy Bailey 00 P.M.MAY OFFERING (ROSARY) 00 P.M. MASS (SPAN) iborio Mendoza– Fam. †Esther Bazan (1st Anniv)- Amando Bazan & Daughters a Pena (B-day)- Peña & Chapa Fam. ntonia Cardenas– Fam. Flores licolas & Sinforosa Silva– Ruiz Fam. Antonio & San Juana Garibay– Carmen Rodriguez Elva Yzaguirre Martinez– Fam. †Ruben Vasquez (Anniv)- Esposa e Hijos †Jose Martin Ochoa– Fam. †Leticia Aimee– Fam. Fonseca Jesus Hernandez, Sr.– Hernandez Fam. ne Hernandez Reyna– Hernandez Fam.

†Amparo Diaz (5th Anniv)- Familia

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WE THANK GOD FOR THE LIFE, LOVE & ENCOURAGEMENT HE GIVES US THROUGHOUT OUR LIVES, THROUGH OUR MOTHER'S HEARTS! DAMOS GRÁCIAS A DIOS POR LA VIDA, EL AMER, Y LA FUERZA QUE ÉL NOS DA POR EL CORAZON **DE NUESTRA MADRE.**

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Holy Mother Church ø On this Mother's Day, we may wish to reflect on how God has given us the Church as a mother



La Iglesia, Madre Santa Hoy, día de las madres, puede que debamos reflexionare acerca de 👂 ómo Dios nos ha dado a la Iglesia como una madre

It is the instinct of a mother to give birth to her child, to nourish him or her, and to instruct and protect the offspring.

We find the birth of our spiritual life in the womb of the Church. We are brought to new live in the waters of baptism. We are nourished by the Church especially in the sacrament of the Eucharist.

We are instructed by the Church in the wisdom it has accumulated over twenty centuries. The wisdom it has derived from the word of God, and it is passed on faithfully from on generation to another.

The Church wishes to keep her children safe. We are warned to avoid every form of immorality or false teaching. The lead-Ø sers of the Church are not afraid to speak out in order to keep the children of the Church safe.

In comparing the Church to a mother, we cannot forget that the Church is in fact not a building by a community: the brothers and sisters of Christ. "Who are my mother, brothers, and sisters?" Jesus asked, "Everyone who hears the word of God and acts according to its teaching."

Ø Today, on this Mother's Day, we show our appreciation for Ø our earthly mothers. They have brought us into live and continue to love us. We also remember the community of Jesus, Ø which is so happy to have us as part of its membership. We Ø remember with gratitude the gifts God has given us through the Ø Church. And we renew our loyalty to this family, which drew Ø us ever closer to Christ.

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Ø Es el instinto de una madre al dar a luz a su hijo o hija. El alimen- 💋 Ø tario o alimentaría, el instruirle y protegerle.

Encontramos el nacimiento de nuestra vida espiritual en el vientre de la Iglesia. Se nos de una nueva vida en las aguas del baustimo. Recibimos alimento de la Iglesia, especialmente en el sacramento de la Eucaristía.

Ø Recibimos instrucción de la Iglesia de la sabiduría que ella ha acu- 🙎 mulado a través de mas de veinte siglos. Esta instrucción viene de la Ø Palabra de Dios y es trasmitida fielmente de una generación a la 💋 Ø próxima.

Ø La Iglesia desea que sus hijos estén senos y salvos. Se nos advierte 💋 que evitemos toda inmoralidad o enseñaza falsa.Los líderes de la 👩 Ø Iglesia no tienen miedo de expresar sus pensamientos para mantener 👩 Ø a los hijos de la Iglesia sanos y salvos. Ø

Cuando se compara a la Iglesia con una madre, no podemos olviø dar que la Iglesia es, de hecho, una comunidad, no un edificio: los Ø hermanos y hermanas de Cristo. "¿Quién es mi madre, y quienes mis hermanos y hermanas?" Jesús pregunto, "Todo aquel que escucha la Palabra de Dios y la pone por obra."

Hoy, día de las madres, demostramos el amor y agradecimiento 💋 👩 que sentimos por nuestras madres humanas. Ellas nos han dado la 👩 vida y siempre nos aman. También recordamos la comunidad de 👩 Jesús, que esta tan contenta de tenemos entre sus miembros. También recordamos con agradecimiento los dones que Dios nos ha dado a través de la Iglesia. Y renovamos nuestra lealtad a esta familia que ø siempre nos une más a Cristo.

Happy Mother's Day, Mom! ¡Feliz dia de las madres, Mamá!

This is the SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER TIME, but of course the big, really big, deal is that we're celebrating Mother's Day! We celebrate all our masses this week-end in honor of our sweet mommas! We hug, kiss, and give flowers and gifts to those we are blessed to have here with us and we hug and kiss those who are already in Heaven as we remember and thank God for them at our celebration of the Sacred Mysteries of God's love in Christ, who took flesh beneath the heart of His Mother, Mary. Next Sunday, we'll celebrate the feast of the Ascension of the Lord. Thursday is the 40th day of Easter Time, but we'll all be together on Sat & Sunday.

This Sunday is Mother's Day and will be our last Sunday in the Church for a while! It'll be a beautiful day and then some inconvenience and stress as we adjust to using the Parish hall for Mass for probably around 9-10 months. It will be a little(?) disturbing and distressing, but we'll handle it well as our Parish has ever since the days of La Lomita. A guiding principle, since we first began to talk with each other about this project, has always been to repair and expand, but not to "modernize" or remodel. What you see when you drive up and when you come in will be pretty much the same, just roomier. Same brick, same floor tile, same windows (with some new ones) same façade, same sanctuary, (same old priests!).

Our dream of saving all we needed looked good until about six months ago. It looks more like we have 2/3-3/4 of what we'll need already saved. That means by the end of the project we'd need to borrow money to finish. The Bishop's finance council has pre-approved us for a loan if and when that time comes. We have two million saved: How much more will it take? Well, maybe almost another million. That'll give us plenty to worry about and work on! iQue cosas! Now, Mr. Noser, our contractor will be able to get the ball rolling. Yeah, it's turning my hair white, too, and Fr. Jim and Fr. Philion have lost theirs already! It's gonna be a great adventure! We'll all rise to the challenge! At the end of the 5:30 P.M. Mother's Day Mass we'll make a symbolic move in. A procession to the Hall carrying some of our "Sacred Stuff" and then be moving for the next few days. The Masses next weekend will be in the hall. Imagine that! We'll do it the "cowboy way;" smile and say it doesn't hurt, even though it does! If you have some interesting ideas about how we can adjust, adapt, enjoy the move and new situation of celebrating our Masses in the Parish Hall, let us know. We can get pretty creative.

Sacred Chalice, the Heart of a Mother, embracing Almighty God! If the waters should cease to flow, if the nations should fall apart and still there was beating a Mother's heart; that alone would be proof of the power of God's Love! ¡Cáliz sagrado el corazón de una madre, abrazando a Dios Altísimo! Si las aguas de correr, si los naciones se separan, y todavía late el corazón de una madre: eso solo será prueba del amor de Dios.

FELIZ DIA DE LAS MADRES A TODAS NUESTRAS QUERIDAS MADRES, ABUELAS, Y BISABUELAS!! Por medio de ellas, Dios no has dado vida y amor y nos has sostenido en la vida y cultivado en el amor. El amor maternal es una de las manifestaciones e instrumentos más profundos y poderosos del amor de Dios, vivo y activo en nuestras vidas. Honramos a todas nuestras madres con amor tierno, con oraciones sinceras y con generosidad cariñosa. Celebramos la santa misa en acción de gracias por las muchas bendiciones conocidas y todavía no conocidas que Dios nos ha dado por medio de nuestras madres. Los abrazamos y besamos físicamente a las que están aquí celebrando con nosotros, y espiritualmente a las que están en el cielo apoyándonos todavía con amor y oraciones.

"HIS MOTHER KEPT ALL THESE THINGS IN HER HEART AND JESUS GREW IN WISDOM AND IN STATURE, AND IN FAVOR WITH GOD AND MAN." (LK 2:51-52) EVERY MOTHER KNOWS THE SAME JOYS AND THE SAME ANGUISH AND HAS THE SAME HOPES THAT HER CHILDREN WILL "GROW AND INCREASE IN WISDOM AND IN STATURE..."

May is the month of Mary. You're welcome to come by and pray the rosary and offer flowers every day at 6:00 P.M. and Sundays at 4:00 P.M.

MAY IS FULL OF THINGS DEAR TO A MOTHER'S HEART!

We celebrated our FOUTH & FIFTH First Communion Massess last Friday night & Saturday morning with a lot of love and faith and hope for God's beautiful sons and daughters who received Christ in Holy Communion of the first time. What a beautiful mystery! Congratulations to all our First Communion classes, teachers, parents, padrinos, abuelos, and to our whole parish! It's a real healthy sign of Christ's love, alive and active in our families and so in our parish and so in us! Two more to go & they'll be celebrated next weekend in the Parish Hall!



DID YOU FORGET OR OVERLOOK IT? (or just "blow it off?"!) PLEASE TAKE AN ENVELOPE & PITCH IN WHAT YOU CAN!

THIS month (May) we conclude the BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL. He (& we) was hoping and praying for 100% participation. No big goal, JUST THE HOPE THAT EVERYBODY WOULD PITCH IN SOMETHING. HAVE YOU? WELL, YOU GOT THIS MONTH TO DO IT! THE RESPONSE SO FAR IS PRETTY WIMPY! The Bishop's dream that we'd all make some sacrifice (a few bucks even!) is a healthy one, a dream and prayer for a healthy, robust Church. I thought our Parish would be one of the top contributors, but so far, WE'RE NOT! The Church needs and counts on your generosity!! We know it ain't easy in these days of soaring gas prices & economic recession. Remember the parable of the poor widow. Her "little bit" was magnificent in God's eyes. That's really how it is! That's what Bishop Daniel is talking about when he says, "I'd rather have 500,000 poor people each give us two bucks than have one rich man give us a million!" (Not that we'd turn down a million!) So, let's ALL pitch in SOMETHING! Thanks to the Bishop's Appeal we can get the credit we may need to complete our BIG project!!

<u>WHAT ABOUT OUR GRADUATION MASS</u>? Well right now it looks like the best deal will be the 3rd of June at 9:00 A.M. By then we'll probably be in the Parish Hall. It'll be a beautiful day in the neighborhood. If you're not in one of our Senior Youth Groups or you are a University graduating Senior and want to come to the Mass, we'd be proud to have you. If you can call the office and give us your name and where you're graduating from, we'll get it on the program. We are all sure proud of all of our graduates!

Last Week's Collection: \$14,268.08

We will tenderly and lovingly remember all our sick friends and parishioners at all our masses. Also, please remember in your prayers, <u>†Gabriela Rivera, †Emma Ariaga,</u> <u>†Rafael Atilano, †Angela Lopez, †Refugio Contreras, and †Harold Rennpage (a Winter-Texan), †Oralia R. Cardoza (Funeral Monday, May 14th, 10 A.M.) & †Dario <u>Gonzalez (Funeral Tuesday, May 15th, 10 A.M.)</u> who died last week, and their families in their great sorrow. Que brille para ellos la luz perpetua. **Our noble and great hearted "maestro" del Mariachi Guadalupano, Joe Rodriguez, is in rehab right now recuperating from a stroke. His great spirit (God's spirit in him) is indomitable. We're looking forward to welcoming him back home soon and we're sure missing him while he's gone! Keeponkeepinon, Joe!</u>

Mother's Day Novena Prayer

Lord Jesus, send your gracious blessings on Mothers everywhere. Bless the Mothers of newborn babies. Give them joy and excitement in nurturing new life. May they always mirror Your love in the care and guidance they will give. Bless the Mothers of young children. Give them understanding and guidance to instill true values in their children. May they teach by their wisdom and courage to lead their children to adulthood and mature Christian faith. Enlighten them to know when to be gentle and when to be firm. Bless all Mothers Lord, help them as their children grow older and need them less, to find joy, and peace and rest. Give them good health. Give them the joy of seeing their families prosper. And bless them with the grace of watching their families grow closer to God by living the message of Your Gospel. We ask this Lord, in Your name. Amen.

A wonderful song for our MOTHER'S DAY mass is Randy Travis', "Angels." Check it out:

Me and some of the boys were sitting around the other night Started talking about politics, religion, love and life And what a shame it was about 9/11 And what about hell and what about heaven And is there or isn't there angels on earth And then one guy said Well you can take that for what it's worth If it's something I can see or something I can touch Well I might believe in all that stuff So I just had to say to him Are you telling me that you've never seen an angel? Never felt the presence of one standing by? No robe of white No halo in site Well you missed the most obvious thing Man, are you blind? Son you outta know who loved you first, that's right And who always came running everytime you cried out And how many more things have you forgotten about And who tried their best to teach you wrong from right And how many nights did she leave on the light

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And then I said who went through the pain And smiled through the tears on the day of your birth? She counted your fingers and toes and thank god you were whole While she waited and prayed that you came in

And who'd be there for you right up to the end

Think about it tonight

Aww Man, are you blind? Just look in your mothers eyes

That's right

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+MAMA SNIPES & GUESS WHO???.... (circa 1947)