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SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m.,
12 noon, 2 p.m. (Spanish), 5:30 p.m.
and 7 p.m. (Spanish)
Monday - Friday: 6:15 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday: 7 p.m. (Spanish)
Saturday: 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.
(Sunday Vigil)
Holy Days of Obligation: as announced

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30 to 4:45 p.m.
First Friday of each month: 9:30 a.m.
to 10:30 a.m.
Fridays during Lent: 9 a.m.

MINISTRY CENTER HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Saturday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of each month beginning at 9 a.m.
and concluding at 8 a.m. on Saturday with
Benediction.

BAPTISMS

Please call the Parish Office for information
and to schedule Baptism Preparation.
Programs are available in English or in Spanish.

MARRIAGES

Please call the Parish Office for information.
Six months advance notice is required.
Marriage Preparation is available in English or
in Spanish.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK, COMMUNION FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Kindly call the Parish Office to make
arrangements.

FUNERALS

At the time of death, kindly call the Parish
Office for assistance in making arrangements.

*St. Norbert Parish is a dynamic community of disciples of Jesus Christ striving
to continue His ministries of prayer, love and service.*

Stewardship

Reflecting on God's Word

Second Sunday of Lent

Two of today's readings take us up a mountain. Mountains are sacred places in the scriptures. Moses meets the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob on Mt. Sinai. Elijah has an experience of this same life-giving God on Mt. Horeb. Today Abraham goes up Mt. Moriah in obedience to God's command to "take your son Isaac, your only one, whom you love" (Genesis 22:2) and offer him there as a holocaust.

It is hard to get past this reading today and focus only on the story of the Transfiguration. This story of God testing Abraham to see if Abraham will obey is a story of great anguish. "See" is an important word here: Moriah means "the place of seeing." Abraham responds to Isaac's question about a victim, saying God will provide, a word rooted in the Latin word for seeing. God will see to it that there is a victim, just as God will see that Abraham is obedient in all things.

Seeing also takes place on Mt. Tabor. Peter, James, and John see Jesus in glory, his clothes dazzlingly white; they see him speaking with Moses and Elijah, representing the law and the prophets; and they see a cloud overshadowing them, and hear a voice calling for their obedience: "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him" (Mark 9:7).

With them, we are invited to see Jesus as the beloved Son whom the Father "did not spare . . . but handed over for us all," as Paul reminds us (Romans 8:32). The mystery of the Cross and Resurrection is an invitation to see God's love for all God's beloved children and trust in it.

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Pastoral Services Appeal 2015

The theme for this year's PSA campaign is *Living Our Faith!* Thank you to all who have already answered the call and made their pledge. We are counting on each family to support the campaign so that we can pay off the diocesan loan on our wonderful Family & Youth Center. NO pledge is too small—please help us meet our goal with your pledges and prayers. Every family counts! Thank you for your annual support, which means so much to our youth, our school and the hundreds who are served because of our Center.

Respect Life Support Needed for the Most Vulnerable: the Unborn and the Sick and Suffering

Ash Wednesday began the *40 Days for Life Campaign*. Your prayers and witness are needed to help expectant mothers to choose life for their baby. Please join other Christians in witnessing at Planned Parenthood 700 S. Tustin in Orange any time between 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. from now until Palm Sunday. Visit www.40DaysforLife.com

The California Senate introduced SB128 with many sponsors to allow doctors to assist in killing patients who are believed to be terminally ill. This bill is in disagreement with our Catholic teaching and does not provide any real safeguards against major abuse. Contact your state senator and assembly representative to oppose this bill. E-mail bvitchus@aol.com for more details. There is also a digital system where you can auto generate e-mails to representatives at <http://noassistedsuicideca.org/getinvolved/contact-legislature>

March Christian Service Food Collection

This month we're collecting individual serving cups of applesauce. Kindly leave your donations in the Ministry Center any time during the month. Thank you for your continued assistance in helping us feed those who are hungry.

Friends, Alumni and Families Gather to Support Catholic Education!

Mark your calendars for the *Taste of St. Norbert*—our annual auction fundraiser that features an extensive silent auction, exciting live auction and opportunity drawings. The event will be held on the school campus and in the Family & Youth Center Gym on **Saturday, May 2**. Dinner and beverages will be provided by a host of vendors, all of whom are part of the St. Norbert family! We'll enjoy tastings from **Wise Guys Pizzeria, Jay's Catering, Colleary's Bistro & Bakery** and **Valiant Brewing**.



You can help support our parish school by attending this event, donating an auction item, purchasing a Sponsorship or by underwriting certain expenses.

We can't wait to celebrate at the Taste of St. Norbert! If you have questions, please contact Patty Bornhop at (714) 637-6822 x204.

Weekly Parish Offering

Thank you for your continuing support of St. Norbert Parish. For the fiscal year July 1, 2014, to June 30, 2015, our parish budget calls for \$27,900 to be donated weekly at the Sunday collection. **The collection for Sunday, February 22, was \$30,427.55.** These collections are not only for operating expenses each week, but also for any ongoing repair work, upgrades, etc. to our parish facility. Your regular donations are needed for the good of St. Norbert Parish and the spread of the Gospel.



Parish Life



Stations of the Cross Friday Evenings during Lent at 7:30 p.m.

All are welcome to join in this traditional Lenten practice of prayer and reflection following Jesus on his way to Calvary.

Church Decorations during Lent



The season of Lent is a time of penance, reflection, and fasting in preparation for Christ's Resurrection on Easter Sunday. It is also a time of visual fasting. The church and sanctuary are intentionally stark, simple and spare. We respectfully ask that you do not leave plants or flowers in the church during this Lenten season. Thank you!

The Art of Listening

If you want God to listen to you when you pray, shouldn't you listen to God when God speaks to you?

—Anonymous

Marriages

Congratulations! ¡Felicidades!
Geovany Jimenez & Leticia Alvarado
Married on February 14, 2015

Baptisms

Welcome! ¡Bienvenidos!
to our Church Family

Arley Carmona

Carlos Daniel Tenangueno

Anabella Victoria

Baptized in February at St. Norbert Church



Save the Date Blood Drive

Sunday, March 22

St. Norbert Knights of Columbus Council 15733 will host a Red Cross/St. Joseph Hospital Blood Drive on **Sunday, March 22**, from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Ministry Center.

To sign up, go to redcrossblood.org, go to the BLUE **Give Blood, Find a Blood Drive** window on the upper right corner of the page, enter **StNorbert**, and click on the arrow. On the next page, click on **+ More details**, then select an appointment time. You can also sign up after Masses on **March 14 and 15**. For more information or assistance, please contact Bill Everest at bill.everest70@gmail.com or (714) 633-9154.

*The need is constant ~ The gratification is instant
Give blood ~ Save lives*

Learn About St. Norbert Catholic School

Are you interested in learning more about our parish school? Each Thursday through the end of the school year, our principal Mr. Joe Ciccoianni will be available from 3:15 to 4:15 p.m. to show you around the school campus and answer questions about enrolling your child(ren). We hope to see many new faces and look forward to meeting our future SNCS families! For more information about our school, visit www.saintnorbertschool.org or call us at (714) 637-6822. **Please note:** We will not be open for visits on **March 19, April 2 or May 28**.



Fish Fry

Join us on Fridays during Lent from 5 to 7 p.m.
in the Ministry Center Hall for
great food, wonderful company and FISH!

\$7 for

Fish, Cheese Pizza, Fish Tacos or Quesadillas
Dinners include French fries & coleslaw.
Clam Chowder and Desserts available for additional charge.

Take out available, too!

Hosted by St. Norbert Catholic School Junior High students.



Youth & Teen Ministries

School of Religious Education

First Reconciliation & First Eucharist

For those children who just received the Sacrament of God's Forgiving Love through Reconciliation, you have been given Jesus' gift of peace through forgiveness. What a special blessing during this Lenten season. As you continue on your journey toward receiving the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist in April, I invite the St. Norbert Community to pray for these children. Banners will soon be hung in the vestibule with the paper chalices symbolizing the children's preparation. You will be asked to take one of the photo chalices and pray for that child as they continue to prepare for their First Eucharist.

Parents, please mark your calendars for the next event on this journey. The combined SRE and SCNS First Communion Retreat will take place on **Sunday, March 22**, in the Family & Youth Center. The retreat will begin with the 9 a.m. Mass and conclude at 1:30 p.m. At least one parent for each child must attend.

Catechists Needed

Catechists are always needed for the SRE English Faith Formation classes. During your Lenten journey, I ask you to ponder saying "yes" to the call. Consider sharing your Faith story with our children for classes beginning in the fall. Can you give one hour of your time one day a week for approximately six months? You do not need to be a professional teacher. Training will be offered over the summer. You simply need to love Jesus and help the children on their faith formation journey. Together in Jesus we can make a difference! Please call Robin Mayes at (714) 998-1070 for more information.

St. Norbert Catholic School

Supporting Catholic Education

Our parish school is in great need of increasing our Tuition Assistance Fund for the 2015-16



school year. Can you help us support families who desire a Catholic education for their child(ren) but who are facing challenges in financial resources? **Donations of any amount** to this fund can be made as a memorial gift in a loved one's name, anonymously, or in your name, and paperwork will be completed for your tax purposes. To join us in bolstering this fund, please contact Patty Bornhop in the school office at (714) 637-6822 x204, or pbornhop@saintnorbertschool.org St. Norbert Catholic School is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Your gifts to our school are tax deductible.

Youth Ministry & Confirmation

Serving Junior High through College-Age Young Adults

Stations of the Cross

Teen/Sponsor/Family Event

Friday, March 6 at 7:30 p.m.

Thru the eyes of our Blessed Mother Mary.

Time Change!! Please note (*and tell your sponsors!*) that the time has been changed from 7 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.



First Friday Adoration Holy Hour

For Confirmation needs, teens are able to come to a private holy hour of **Friday, March 6**, from 6 to 7 p.m. in the church. It will be a private holy hour (no guided meditations) in preparation for the

Stations of the Cross. Please sign in in the Youth Ministry log book.

Vision Leadership Team

Wednesday, March 4, from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room. It's retreat month – lots to prep, plan and pray on! All Juniors and Seniors are welcome!

Junior High Ministry

Monday, March 2: Formation #12 from 4 to 5:15 p.m. in the YM Room.

Service Opportunities

All teen volunteers must sign-up in advance with Helen via e-mail at hbaehner@stnorbertchurch.org

- **Christian Service Food Distribution: Saturdays**
Shifts are available from **8 to 11 a.m. OR 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.** Join us to help our Christian Service Ministry serve our community. Please e-mail Helen to sign up for March Christian Service Opportunities.

New Hope Crisis Counseling Center Telephone Hotline & Online Counseling

A faith-based response—24 Hours a day/ 7 Days a Week

Trained crisis workers provide peer counseling to people who are struggling to cope with day-to-day life.

(714) New Hope (Hotline) / www.newhopenow.org (Online)

Our services are free and open to all.



R.C.I.A.

During the next three weeks our Catechumens will begin their preparation for the Scrutiny Rites which precedes their Baptism at the Easter Vigil. The Scrutinies are exorcisms in which the Church prays that those elected for Baptism will be freed of any darkness or evil, and that they be filled with light and blessing.

Anyone interested in beginning the process of becoming Catholic, or with questions about Catholic belief, is invited to come any Thursday at 7:30 p.m. to our Inquiry sessions. Any unbaptized adult wishing to prepare for baptism in the Catholic Church by Easter 2016 must begin the process during Lent of this year. Those who have previously been baptized in other Christian Churches, or Catholics who were baptized as infants but did not receive any other sacraments are also welcome to join RCIA to prepare for the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. Inquiry is an open-ended small group discussion format designed to respond to questions or to begin a person's faith journey toward Catholic sacraments. Topics are determined by the interests expressed in the group.

Lenten Book Study

During Lent, we will be reading and discussing the book *Jesus: A Pilgrimage* by Jesuit priest James Martin. In his book, Fr. Martin reflects on the life of Jesus through the eyes of a pilgrim to the Holy Land, blending Scripture and personal experiences to gain a deeper understanding of Scripture, the places where Jesus lived and preached, and the story of Jesus' life. This is a delightful book to read and will give us much to think about during the days of Lent. The group will be led by Charlene Dumitru, and will meet on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Ministry Center Library from **February 25 through April 1**. Copies of the book may be purchased through Amazon.com, or at your favorite local bookstore. Please read Chapters 5-9 (pages 96-156) prior to the next meeting on **March 4**.



Wondering Why

The reading from Genesis about Abraham and Isaac is troubling. Here is a man who had prayed and waited most of his life for a child. Now, this son, who is deeply loved by his father, is taken up a mountain to a secluded place where the father intends to bind him with ropes and ritually kill the boy by slitting his throat. Fortunately for Isaac, an angel appears at the last moment and tells Abraham not to harm the child. In our society, we put people in prison for that kind of behavior, but Abraham is honored by three major world religions, Judaism, Christianity and Islam, as our Father in Faith. Why would anyone hold such a person up as a role model of faith?

Some say the story is about obedience. Abraham, they claim, was willing to do whatever God asked him, regardless of what it might

be, including sacrificing his beloved son. That element does exist in the story, but much more is going on than a story about obedience.

Abraham was the first historical person we know of to have a direct experience with God and to enter into a Covenant with him. Abraham had no background to understand just Who this God is. He came from a culture that worshipped many gods, mostly nature deities, gods of rivers, of lightening, of rain, of the sun or stars. He was never a monotheistic believer, but rather what scholars refer to as henotheistic. That means that Abraham believed that there were many gods, but one particular God had contacted him, and that was the God to whom he pledged his fidelity and worship. The Jewish people would not become truly monotheistic until after the Babylonian exile, in the 6th century B.C., twelve hundred years after Abraham. It is around that time that we begin to see in scripture, particularly Isaiah, the revelation that "I am God, there is no other."

Abraham did not know much about the God who had called him. He did know something about the other pagan deities of Mesopotamia, and most of the cults to those gods practiced human sacrifice, especially the sacrifice of the first male child who was believed to belong to God. Abraham also knew about Covenants, solemn promises between people or tribes. Covenants were often sealed with some type of blood sacrifice. Blood was considered sacred, the source of life. So, it was not unreasonable for Abraham to believe that to seal a Covenant with God, he needed to offer the life of the first-born child of his wife Sarah.

But, God does not desire human sacrifice. God sends his messenger, the angel, to stop Abraham's hand before he can harm Isaac. Instead a ram is provided for the sacrifice. This story is an instruction to these early Hebrew people that human sacrifice is not an appropriate way to honor the God who had chosen them to be his people. It was meant to end that practice (which did not entirely end until centuries later) and instead substitute an animal blood sacrifice in order to "redeem" or buy back the first-born son who belonged to God.

For Christians, this story holds even another dimension. It is a type, or prefiguration, for the sacrifice that Jesus will make on the cross to redeem all of us. Notice the symbolic similarities. Isaac is the Beloved Son, he walks of his own free will up the mountain of sacrifice carrying the wood for the sacrifice on his shoulders, he does not say a word in protest or questioning, but simply does what his father asks of him.

Eighteen hundred years later, Jesus will also walk up a hill in silence, carrying the wood of the cross upon his shoulders, in order to give his own life to redeem us from sin that brings death. But neither the story of Isaac, nor the story of Jesus ends with the death of the sacrificial victim, but rather in a greater experience and celebration of life, for Isaac, for Jesus, and for every one of us.

Ministerio Hispano

Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma

Dos de las lecturas de hoy nos llevan a una montaña. En las Escrituras las montañas son lugares sagrados. Moisés se encuentra con el Dios de Abrahán, Isaac y Jacob en el monte Sinaí. Elías tiene una experiencia de este mismo Dios dador de vida en el monte Horeb. Hoy Abrahán sube al monte de Moria obedeciendo el mandato de Dios, que le dice: “toma a tu hijo único, a tu querido Isaac” (Génesis 22:2) y ofrécemelo en sacrificio.

Es difícil ignorar esta lectura de hoy y enfocarnos sólo en el relato de la Transfiguración. Esta historia de Dios probando a Abrahán para ver si éste obedecería es una historia de gran angustia. “Ver” es una palabra importante aquí, ya que Moria significa “el lugar donde se ve”. Cuando Isaac le pregunta a Abrahán acerca de la víctima, éste le responde que Dios proveerá, una palabra cuya raíz latina es ver. Dios le hará ver la víctima a Abrahán, igualmente que Dios verá que Abrahán permanece obediente a todo.

También en el monte Tabor Pedro, Santiago y Juan ven a Jesús glorificado y sus ropas con una blancura deslumbrante; lo ven hablando con Moisés y Elías, quienes representan la ley y los profetas; también ven una nube que los llama a obedecer: “Éste es mi Hijo amado; escúchenlo” (Marcos 9:7).

Junto a ellos nosotros somos invitados a ver a Jesús como el Hijo amado del Padre “que no perdonó a su propio Hijo, antes bien lo entregó a la muerte por nosotros”, como nos recuerda san Pablo (Romanos 8:32). El misterio de la cruz y la resurrección es una invitación para ver el amor de Dios por todos sus hijos e hijas y confiar en ese amor.

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Campaña para los Servicios Pastorales 2015

El lema de este año para la campaña es *¡Viviendo Nuestra Fe!* Gracias a todos los que han respondido al llamado y han hecho su promesa. Estamos contando con que cada familia apoye la campaña para que podamos pagar el préstamo

diocesano de nuestro maravilloso Centro Familiar y Juvenil. NINGUNA promesa es demasiado pequeña—por favor ayúdenos a lograr la meta participando con sus promesas y oraciones. ¡Toda familia cuenta! Gracias por su apoyo anual, el cual significa mucho para nuestros jóvenes, nuestra escuela y los cientos a los que servimos gracias a nuestro centro.

Transformación de la Catedral de Cristo

Una historia de fe y transformación

Únase y conozca acerca de los futuros planes de la transformación del campus de la Catedral de Cristo, y como este centro de fe beneficiará profundamente la jornada de fe de los católicos de la Diócesis de Orange.

Viernes a domingo, 13 al 15 de marzo

Exhibición en el Congreso de Educación Religiosa

Anaheim Convention Center

800 W. Katella Avenue, Anaheim

Jueves 19 de marzo, de 6 p.m. a 8:30 p.m.

La Iglesia de San Angela Merici

575 S. Walnut Avenue, Brea

Exhibición en la parroquia, 19 a 24 de marzo

Para más información puede llamar al (714) 282-3045 o envíe un correo electrónico a media@rcbo.org o ir a la página del Internet www.christcathedralcalifornia.org

Servicio Ecuménico de Oración

La Diócesis de Orange les invita al servicio de oración que se llevará a cabo en solidaridad con los cristianos perseguidos en diferentes partes del mundo, el **martes 3 de marzo**, de 7:30 p.m. a 8:30 p.m. en el Arboretum de la Catedral de Cristo. Para más información puede llamar y preguntar por Greg Kelley, miembro de la Comisión Ecuménica (940) 645-4540, contamos con su presencia.

Conozca más Acerca de la Escuela Católica de San Norberto

¿Está interesado en conocer más acerca de nuestra escuela parroquial? Cada jueves, hasta finalizar el año escolar, nuestro director, el señor Joe Ciccoianni, estará disponible de 3:15 a 4:15 p.m., para mostrarle los alrededores de la escuela y contestar preguntas sobre cómo inscribir a su/sus hijo/os. ¡Esperamos ver muchos rostros nuevos y poder satisfacer las necesidades de nuestras futuras familias de la Escuela Católica de San Norberto! Para más información puede visitar la página de Internet www.saintnorbertschool.org Favor de tomar nota que nuestras oficinas no estarán abiertas las siguientes fechas: **19 de marzo, 2 de abril y 28 de mayo.**

Ofrenda Semanal Parroquial

Agradecemos su apoyo continuo a San Norberto para el año fiscal de julio 1, 2014 a junio 30, 2015. Sus donaciones dominicales aportan al presupuesto que nuestra parroquia necesita para cubrir los gastos de cada semana, el cual es de \$27,900. **La colecta del domingo pasado 22 de febrero, fue \$30,427.55.** Se necesita de su donación semanal para el bienestar de nuestra parroquia y para la promoción del Evangelio.



Ministerio Hispano

Pescado Frito

Acompáñenos los viernes de Cuaresma de 5 p.m. a 7 p.m. en el salón del Centro de Ministerios. ¡Tendremos buena comida, maravillosa compañía y PESCADO! Por sólo \$7.00 pueden escoger entre pescado frito, pizza de queso, tacos de pescado o quesadillas. Las cenas incluyen papas fritas y ensalada de col. Crema de almeja (clam chowder) y postres tienen un cargo extra. También pueden pedir su orden para llevar. Este evento es organizado por estudiantes del octavo grado de la escuela de San Norberto.



Misión Cuaresmal

¡Invitación del Padre Agustín a la comunidad!

Favor de anotar en su calendario las fechas en que tendremos nuestra misión cuaresmal

los miércoles 4, 11, y 18 de marzo

El Papa Juan Pablo II nos invitó a **No Tener Miedo de entrar a la Nube de lo Desconocido**, pues en medio

de esa nube de lo desconocido, Dios está allí para iluminarnos el camino a seguir. Les voy a compartir mi experiencia del cáncer que Dios me regaló y como después de unos meses ¡Él mismo me lo quitó! Este será un tiempo para compartir “su nube”, “su dolor”, “su sufrimiento”, “su enfermedad”. Tendremos tiempo para hacer preguntas y encontrar respuestas. Tiempo para “entrar a la nube de lo desconocido”. Los espero.

Estas reflexiones darán inicio con la celebración de la Santa Eucaristía a las 7 p.m. Todos están cordialmente invitados, especialmente las familias cuyos niños harán la Primera Comunión este año, y los padrinos que acompañarán a los niños el día de la celebración del sacramento. Contamos con su presencia, ¡ustedes son importante para nuestra comunidad!

El Ministerio de Respeto a la Vida necesita de su apoyo hacia los más vulnerables: los no nacidos, los enfermos y sufrientes

El Miércoles de Ceniza comenzó la **Campaña de 40 Días** por la Vida. Necesitamos sus oraciones y apoyo para ayudar a que las futuras madres elijan que su bebé nazca. Por favor únase a otros cristianos para apoyar la causa de la vida en Planned Parenthood 700 S. Tustin, en Orange, a cualquier hora entre las 6 a.m. y 6 p.m. desde ahora hasta el Domingo de Ramos. Visite www.40DaysforLife.com/OrangeCounty

El Senado de California introdujo la propuesta de ley SB128 con muchos patrocinadores para permitir que los médicos faciliten el suicidio asistido a pacientes que se piense sean enfermos terminales. Este proyecto de ley está en desacuerdo con nuestra enseñanza católica y no proporciona ninguna salvaguardia real contra el abuso de la misma. Póngase en contacto con su senador y asambleísta estatal para oponerse a este proyecto de ley. Puede enviar un correo electrónico a: bvitchus@aol.com para más detalles. También hay un sistema digital donde se pueden auto generar correos electrónicos a los representantes en <http://noassistedsuicideca.org/getinvolved/contact-legislature>

Bautizos

Se recuerda a todos los padres de familia que los siguientes bautizos serán el sábado **2 de mayo** a las 10 a.m. Pueden venir a la oficina para registrar a sus niños, y prepararse para las clases que serán el **17 y 24 de abril**, de 6:30 a 8:30 p.m. Necesitan traer el certificado de nacimiento de su bebé, para más información pueden comunicarse al (714) 637-4360 x105 o 106 con Shyntia o Carmen Estrada.



Parish Calendar

March 1, 2015 ~ March 7, 2015

Sunday, March 1

Fish Fry Ticket Sales

- 9:00 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 10:00 a.m. Mothers Group Stations of the Cross
- 3:00 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia

Monday, March 2

- 9:15 a.m. Monday Morning Bible Study
- 9:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Prayer Group
- 4:00 p.m. Junior High Ministry
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico para Grupo de Oración
- 7:30 p.m. Filipino Ministry Meeting

Tuesday, March 3

- 7:00 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class
- 7:00 p.m. Reunión Mensual de Ministros de Eucaristía
- 7:00 p.m. Práctica para el Viacrucis
- 7:00 p.m. RICA
- 7:30 p.m. Praying with Scripture

Wednesday, March 4

- 5:00 p.m. Vision Leadership Team
- 6:45 p.m. Men's Basketball
- 7:00 p.m. Misión Cuaresmal
- 7:30 p.m. AFF: Lenten Book Study

Thursday, March 5

- 5:00 p.m. YM Stations of the Cross Rehearsal
- 6:00 p.m. RCIC
- 7:00 p.m. Práctica para el Viacrucis
- 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración
- 7:30 p.m. RCIA & Inquiry

Friday, March 6

First Friday / Adoration Day

- 9:00 a.m. Confessions
- 5:00 p.m. Fish Fry
- 7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 7

- 10:00 a.m. Primera Reconciliación
- 10:00 a.m. Inglés como Segundo Idioma (ESL)
- 10:00 a.m. Preparación para la Ciudadanía
- 11:30 a.m. Italian Catholic Federation Bishop's Banquet
- 12:00 p.m. Christian Service Food Distribution
- 3:30 p.m. Confessions

Community Life & Groups



St. Norbert Mothers Group

Come connect with other Catholic moms! We are a diverse group of women gathering together for mutual support, fellowship, service and love. We welcome you to join in our upcoming events and become a

part of this great group of moms.

Here's what we have planned for the next month:

Sunday, March 1: Hands-On Stations of the Cross, 10 a.m.

Friday—Sunday, March 6—8: Mom's Retreat

Thursday, March 26: Brunch in the Mother Teresa Room, 9:30 a.m.

Contact Barbara Brule at (714) 287-9780 or bbrule79@yahoo.com for more information.

Filipino Ministry Meeting

The Filipino Community of St. Norbert Church will hold their monthly general meeting on **Monday, March 3**, in the Mother Teresa Room at 7:30 p.m. Please come and meet our *kababayans*. Monthly meetings are every first Monday of the month. For more information, please call Irene at (714) 251-7638.

Creighton Model FertilityCare™ System Introductory Session

Free introductory session offered for women and couples to learn about the Creighton Model System. Women or couples wishing to enter the program are then scheduled for individual follow-ups to learn and use the system to achieve and avoid pregnancy. This system is also particularly helpful to couples having difficulty conceiving.

The session will take place on **Monday, March 9**, at 7 p.m. at St. Joseph Church, 717 N. Bradford Avenue in Placentia in the Office Meeting Rooms 3-4. There is no cost for this event. Please contact Sarah Rooney at sarah.fertilitycare@gmail.com to RSVP or with questions. See <http://www.VitaeFertilityCare.com> for more info or further sessions!

Presentation Sisters 24th Annual Retirement Benefit Luncheon & Variety Show

Saturday, March 21 ~ Doors open at 12 noon
Meadowlark Golf Club
16782 Graham Street in Huntington Beach
\$50.00 per person

Advance Reservations Required

For tickets contact Tom & Mary Cwiernty at (714) 894-6922 or Jo Ann La Chance at (714) 893-4439. For more information contact St. Norbert parishioners Lynda Maresca at (714) 856-7145 or Jan Emanuele at (714) 639-7723.



Pray for the sick...

Betty Bick
Jason Boserup
The Braiden Family
The Burke Family
Lillian Cordaway
Marie Donaldson
Edward Felix
Pat Hultin
Mark Losi

Susan McCloskey
Brenda Oswald
Mickie Pecoraro
Aurora Sánchez
The Serna Family
Sheila Utrup
Katie Whatley
A. Widner
Richard Williams

... and for those who have died.

Jerry Hagerty
Mary O'Hara

Tom Pfeifer
Henry Segerstrom

Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 28, 2015

5:00 p.m. + James Martin-Cucovatz

Sunday, March 1, 2015

7:30 a.m. + Agraphine Mack
9:00 a.m. The Barela Family
10:30 a.m. + Antonio Bonilla
12:00 p.m. St. Norbert Parishioners
2:00 p.m. Carlos Cedillos
5:30 p.m. + Llcuanan Family
7:00 p.m. + Flora Cisneros

Monday, March 2, 2015

6:15 a.m. + Edward Loritz
8:30 a.m. + Tony Julik

Tuesday, March 3, 2015

6:15 a.m. + Gene Pangindian
8:30 a.m. + Bob Russell

Wednesday, March 4, 2015

6:15 a.m. Ungab Family
8:30 a.m. + Fr. Tom Schroeder
7:00 p.m. Familia Bartolo Ortiz

Thursday, March 5, 2015

6:15 a.m. Alexander Joson
8:30 a.m. + Gina Puccio

Friday, March 6, 2015

6:15 a.m. Eusevio Meza
8:30 a.m. + Luis Vega

Saturday, March 7, 2015

8:30 a.m. + Geronimo Quadra





Our Parish & Beyond



Priesthood Discernment Evening

This evening is designed to familiarize interested men with the life, prayer and possible call to priesthood in the Diocese of Orange. There is no commitment on your part, other than an expression of interest to participate.

The next "Priesthood Discernment" evening will be held on **Wednesday, March 4, at 6 p.m.** at the Diocese of Orange Pastoral Center, First Floor, Room 1D, Christ Cathedral Campus.

If you have any questions regarding the Priesthood Discernment evening, please contact our Director of Vocations, Fr. John Moneypenny at (714) 282-3036, or via e-mail at fr.jmoneypenny@rcbo.org

Magnificat Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, March 14

9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Embassy Suites Anaheim – South

11767 Harbor Boulevard in Garden Grove

Magnificat Prayer Breakfast presents Fr. Peter Prusakiewicz, CSMA, from Poland. This delightful priest served as the chaplain to the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy in Warsaw where St. Faustina began her religious life. He is considered an expert on Divine Mercy and the Holy Angels.

Registration by mail by March 7: \$28 per person

Registration at the door: \$33 per person

Mail to **Magnificat Ministry: P.O. Box 4381, Orange, CA 92863**

The meal includes a full plated breakfast as well as the speaker's program. Please visit www.magnificat-ministry.net for a flyer and registration information. Blue flyers are also available in the vestibule of the church. For registration information contact Dely Pili at (714) 670-7332 or songbirdnv@aol.com



Thomas House Walk-A-Thon

Please join us on **Saturday, March 28**, at 8 a.m. for the **Run 4 Homeless Children** at Mile Square Park in Fountain Valley. The proceeds from the 5K and 10K Walk-A-Thon and the 2K Fun Run will go toward

assisting homeless families with children at Thomas House Family Shelter. Prices start at \$28 and registration includes a dry-wick T-shirt, reusable grocery tote goody bag, finisher's medal and complimentary food after the race. We can't wait to see you at this fun, family-friendly event! For more information and to register, please visit www.run4homelesschildren.com

Becoming Christ Cathedral

A story of faith and transformation

Join us to learn about the future plans for the transformation of the Christ Cathedral campus and how this center of faith will profoundly benefit the journey of faith for Catholics across the Diocese of Orange.



Friday—Sunday, March 13—15

**Display at Religious Education Congress
Anaheim Convention Center**

800 West Katella Avenue, Anaheim

Thursday, March 19, 6 to 8:30 p.m.

St. Angela Merici, Brea

575 South Walnut Avenue, Brea

Display at parish March 19—March 24

For more information call (714) 282-3045, e-mail

media@rcbo.org, or go to www.christcathedralcalifornia.org

St. Francis Home Craft Fair

Sunday, March 8, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Tour the home, meet the Franciscan Sister caregivers, and shop the handiwork of local crafters. Call Cindy at (714) 747-8593 for more information.

The St. Francis Home has provided assisted living services to women for over 70 years. The Home provides basic assisted living services, medication management, daily Mass activities and more. St. Francis Home is located at 1718 W. 6th Street in Santa Ana (west of Bristol Street).

Red & Gold

As Rosary High School celebrates its 50th Anniversary, we would like to invite the community to attend one of our longest and most beloved traditions, Red & Gold! Red & Gold will take place **March 13 and 14**. The event will take place at the Anaheim Center for the Performing Arts at Servite (Friday, March 13, 2 and 8 p.m. and Saturday, March 14, 1 and 8 p.m.). Ticket sales open for the general public on Saturday, February 28.

To purchase Red & Gold tickets, please visit the Rosary website www.rosaryhs.org and click on the white box labeled **Red & Gold 2015**. You will then find a link to the **Admit One** ticket sales page.

As the production draws large audiences, we encourage you to purchase your tickets as soon as possible. We especially encourage alumnae and prospective families to attend one of our matinee performances – Friday, March 13, at 2 p.m. or Saturday, March 14, at 1 p.m. We sincerely hope you will be able to join us for this exciting event!

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