

# St. Genevieve Catholic Church

I G L E S I A C A T Ó L I C A D E S A N T A G E N O V E V A



**INSPIRATION BUILDING**  
THE CAMPAIGN FOR SAINT GENEVIEVE

### Parish Center and Ministry Offices

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Parish Center Hours | *Horario de Oficina*  
Mondays - Fridays 9:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday & Sundays 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

### Church Hours | *Horario de Iglesia*

Mondays - Fridays 6:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

\*Church is closed during school hours / *La iglesia esta cerrada durante el horario escolar.\**

Saturday 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Sundays 5:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

### Pastoral Team

Father Alden J. Sison, Pastor

Father Jonas Redulla, Associate Pastor

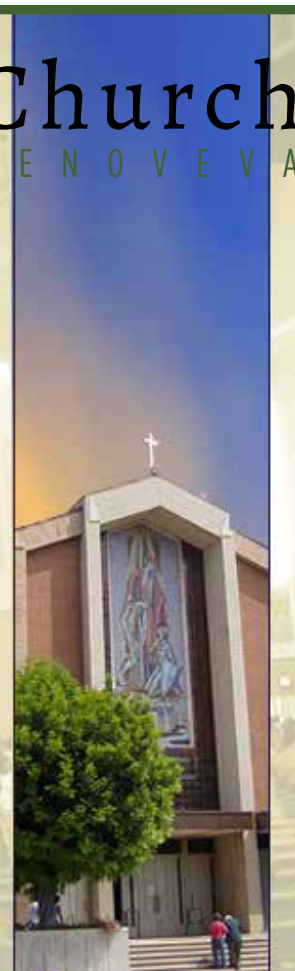
*frjonas@stgenparish.org*

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*frandrew@stgenparish.org*

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### Masses / Misas

Vigil (Saturday): 5:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Sunday: 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.,  
11:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.  
2:00 p.m. *en Español*

\* Tagalog Mass: 11:30 a.m.

Every Fourth Sunday of the Month

Monday - Friday: 6:30 a.m. & 8:00 a.m.

Saturdays: 8:00 a.m.

### Confessions / Confesiones

Saturdays / *Sábados* - 3:30 p.m.

### Devotions / Devociones

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion with  
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament:  
Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.; with Mass on the  
First Wednesday of the month.

*Rosario a la Virgen de Guadalupe cada tercer do-  
mingo del mes al terminar la Misa de 2:00 p.m.*

### Sacraments / Sacramentos

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*Thank you the Legion of Mary who donated \$1,210.00 to the bells project*

# The Sacraments | *Los Sacramentos*

Baptism / *Bautismo*

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month. Please call the Parish Center three months prior to your propose baptism.



*Cada tercer sabado del mes. Favor de comunicarse al Centro Parroquial tres meses antes de la fecha propuesta para el bautismo.*

Confessions / *Confesiones*

Every Saturday at 3:30 p.m. until all heard. *Todos los sábados a las 3:30 p.m. hasta que todos sean escuchados.*



Holy Eucharist / *Santa Eucaristía*

For the Mass Schedule, please see the front of this bulletin. For First Communion please contact the Religious Education Office. Registrations are open from May to August.

*El horario de Misas se encuentra en la portada del boletín. Para la Primera Comunión favor de llamar a la Oficina de Educación Religiosa. Se aceptan inscripciones de mayo a agosto.*



Confirmation / *Confirmación*

Please contact the Religious Education Office. Registrations are open from May to August.



*Favor de comunicarse a la Oficina de Educación Religiosa. Se aceptan inscripciones de mayo a agosto.*

Matrimony / *Matrimonio*

Please call the Parish Center six months prior to your proposed date.



*Favor de llamar al Centro Parroquial seis meses antes de la fecha propuesta.*

Anointing of the Sick / *Unción de los Enfermos*

Please call the Parish Center at anytime.



*Por favor llame el Centro Parroquial cuando sea necesario.*

Priesthood / *Sacerdocio*

Is God calling you to be a priest or religious life? Please contact the parish priests.

*¿Siente el llamado de Dios a ser sacerdote o a la vida religiosa? Por favor hable con uno de los sacerdotes.*

Or Visit: [www.lavocations.org](http://www.lavocations.org)



## Our Parish Center Staff

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## Our Parish Schools

- Mr. Dan Horn, President/Principal
- St. Genevieve Elementary School**  
818.892.3802 | [www.spartansonline.org](http://www.spartansonline.org)
- St. Genevieve High School**  
818.894.6417 | [www.valiantspirit.com](http://www.valiantspirit.com)

## Our Parish Commitees

- Pastoral Council: Mrs. Jennifer Jimenez
- Latino Ministry Advisory Council: Dn. Paulino Juarez-Ramirez
- Safeguard the Children: Mrs. Patty Gomez

# Stewardship of Treasure

*Thank you for your generosity*

### WEEKLY OFFERING

January 26-27, 2019

Mass Time	Collection
5:00 p.m.	\$2,459.00
7:00 p.m.	\$1,023.00
6:30 a.m.	\$1,043.00
8:00 a.m.	\$2,312.51
9:30 a.m.	\$3,002.00
11:30 a.m.	\$2,690.00
2:00 p.m.	\$1,706.00
5:30 p.m.	\$1,283.00
Mail-In	\$135.00

**Total** \$15,653.51

When writing a check, we kindly ask you to please **NOT** combine Sunday contributions and Inspiration Building Campaign contributions. Please write different checks as there are different bank accounts.

Thank you for your understanding!

## Inspiration Building Campaign

- Parish Goal: \$4 Million
- Pledges to Date: \$3,503,129
- Pledge/Gift Count: 1091 Families

To make your **Inspiration Building** payments online please visit: [osvonlinegiving.com/2949](http://osvonlinegiving.com/2949)

Completed pledge forms can be dropped in the collection basket, taken to the Parish Office or turned in to the campaign table after Mass on the first weekend of every month.

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## Fourth Sunday Ordinary Time

*Today's Readings: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17; 1Cor 12:31 -- 13:13 [13:4-13]; Lk 4:21-30*

Today's readings show us what it is like to be a prophet. As Jeremiah recounts his call, God warns him that he will need strength and perseverance to withstand the hostility he will face from "Judah's kings and princes" and "its priests and people" (Jeremiah 1:18b). God also assures him that they "will not prevail over you, for I am with you" (1:19). The psalm reflects both of these struggles as well as deliverance from them ("salvation").

This is exactly what Jesus experiences in today's Gospel. After he claims that his own mission is the same as what Isaiah proclaimed, at first the people marvel at his "gracious words" (Luke 4:22). Soon, however, they become suspicious, skeptical, and hostile, even threatening to kill him. But just as God promised to deliver Jeremiah, so Jesus "passed through the midst of them and went away" (4:30).

### HEARING JESUS AS PROPHET

After Jesus reads from the book of Isaiah of an ancient prophet's mission, he says, "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing" (Luke 4:21). Jesus is making a quite remarkable claim, that he sees himself as a prophet like the great prophets in Jewish history, and that his mission like the one described by that ancient prophet in Isaiah chapter 61. Luke makes it very clear that this happened in "Nazareth, where he had grown up" (4:14), and where his fellow Nazarenes were quite startled at his words.

### THE DIFFICULTY OF BEING--AND HEARING--A PROPHET

Claiming to be a prophet means claiming to be called by God; it is an awesome responsibility to say, "The word of the LORD came to me" (Jeremiah 1:4) or "The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me" (Isaiah 61:1),

the saying that Jesus adopted. Nor is it easy for others to hear someone make this claim. Prophets look very ordinary, they don't have physical evidence of a divine call, so it is tempting to respond with, "Who are they, to talk like that?"

The difference is that prophets have learned to see the world as God sees it, and their vocation is to summon people to bring God's justice and God's mercy to that world. This is a difficult, even dangerous task. After all, prophets have to speak truth to power, to the "kings and princes . . . its priests and people" who resist changing their ways. Jeremiah's call is typical: God warns him of dangers to come, even as he promises him deliverance: "They will fight against you but not prevail over you / for I am with you to deliver you" (Jeremiah 1:19). Jesus faces these same difficulties, as his fellow Nazarenes--who initially admired his "gracious words" (Luke 4:22)--become skeptical, suspicious, and then openly hostile. Jesus understands these reactions: "Doubtless you will say to me . . ." (4:23), and, just as God promised Jeremiah, Jesus is "delivered"--he passes through the crowd before they attempt literally to throw him out. As we are called to act as prophets in our world today, it is a comfort to know that God will likewise deliver us.

## From the Parish Center

### *Healing Mass*

Bilingual Healing Mass celebrated by Father Andrew on Friday,

February 8th at 7:00 p.m.

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### *Marriage Convalidations*

All couples who have been married civilly for at least 3 years and would like to have their marriage blessed by the Catholic Church are invited to attend an information meeting on Friday, February 15 at 8:00 p.m. in Meeting Room A of the Parish Office. The marriage date will be in May 2019. For more information please contact Father Jonas.

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### *Life, Justice, and Peace Annual Meeting*

Join us for our annual Life, Justice, and Peace Leadership Training!

The San Fernando Region training will take place on Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019 here in Madonna Hall from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Special Guest: Bishop Joseph Brennan.

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### *Archdiocesan Fingerprinting*

March 7, 2019 in Meeting Room A

Please call the Parish Center to schedule an appointment

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### *No Parking in Fire Lines*

Please remember that there is absolutely no parking in any of the fire lanes. Due to the increasing number of incidents we will begin towing vehicles at the owner's expense.

## Did you Know?

### *Protect your child's financial future*

As parents, we want to keep our children safe from any harm. That includes harm from identity theft, which can lead to compromised credit scores and financial ruin, before your child even gets his/her first job! Take steps to minimize the risk of identity theft by setting up credit freezes on your child's social security number, or getting an IRS identity protection PIN that will prevent fraudulent use of your child's identity. To learn more from the VIRTUS® article "Minors and Identity Theft," visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>

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## In your charity, please pray for our sick parishioners

Josefina Alcalá, Dominga Alvarado, Angel Angeles, Angelina Arreola, Adela Ayala, Ma. Concepcion Ayala, Melissa Ayer, Constante Batugo, Mario Batugo, Arielle Jules Bautista, Dean Joseph Bellio, Bessie Beltran, Felixberto Bisco, Catalina Bolankos, Beatriz Bolante, Bernarda Bonilla, Pureza Bueno, Richard Callahan, Adelaida Capote, Miguel Capote, Jonah Carpio, Blanquita Carrillo, Maria Guadalupe & Ramon Cervantes, Juan Cervantes Godinez, Rene Charles, Jelen Chiong, Vincent Colarossi, Teresa Cosiengfiao, Kay Crain, Carlos Cruz, Sergio Cruz, Susie Cruz, Carol Cueto, James Daley, Agnes De Jesus, Celia De La O, Federico De La Rosa, Marinell De Luna, Glenn Dela Rosa, Keith Develbiss, Susan Dodson, Myrna Ann Dreibus, Vicente Duntugan, Ricardo Duran, Mildred Ege, Alisa Espinoza, Rafael Estrella, Sr. Una Feeny, S.S.S., Estrella Gabagat, Cecilia Gamboa, Linda Gando, Joanne Garcia, Gloria Genie, Juanita Gomez, Evelia Guerrero, Felipa Gurrola. Shirley Guy, Sr., Amparo Hernandez, Leticia Q. Hernandez, Patrick Hernandez, Dimas Herrera, Thomas Francis Holleran CSJ, Rosa Ichihara, Anselma Ilagan, Jake Ilagan, Wilfredo Ilagan, Tim Howard, Concepcion & Rodolfo Jimenez, Mary Jozwick, Danielle Keegan, Cristina Lao, Philip Lazalde, Benhur Lazaro, Andrew Lea, Georgina Ledon, Victor Lim, Rivi Litvin, Carmen Lopez, Rosette Magadia, Teodora Manalang, Alejandro Marrufo, Lupe Marrufo Jr., Martha Marrufo Cervantes, Virginia Marrufo, Blanca Martin, Ralph Martin, Lydia Martinez, Timothy Meichtry, Cesar Magpayo, Barbie Meepos, Frank Mendoza, Teresa Mendoza Cervantes, Nancy Meyers, Eric Miller, Guadalupe Molina, Sr., Olga Munoz, Herminio & Elinor Narag, Eunice Navarrez, Lorella Nelson, Lupita Nevarez, Erin O'Neal, Mike Oroszi, Guadalupe Paez, Fermena Paguirigan, Tony Parton, Ydria Putrino, Nelson Regner, Pete Regner, Catherine Ritumban, Salvador Rivas, Edita Rivera, Ofelia Rivera, Joanne Roberts, Leopoldo Rosales, Laring Sumagaysay, Laarni Samaniego, Emma San Antonio, Charito San Juan, Esther Garcia Sanchez, Maria Luisa Sanchez, Maria Sandoval, Antonio Santos Sr., Dregzil Santos, Rufina Santos, Patricia Silva, Candy Smith, Leslie Smith, Angela Solares, Art Soriano, Florita Soriano, Sonia Soriano, Barbara Sorensen, Freddie Sotto, Ligaya Talise, Ema Torres, Kristina Ultra, Harvey Valdivieso, Eduardo Villa, Evelyn Vitali, Daisy Valdez, Eileen Wallace, Ed Weaver, Reynazdo Zalana.

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## Mass Intentions

### 4th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2/2	5:00 p.m.	Lincoln Balingit Canilao(+) Oscar Pineda (+) Eduardo dela Santa Orlina Sr.(+)	2/7	6:30 a.m.	Jose Ric Docil(+)
	7:00 p.m.	Lincoln Balingit Canilao(+) Julian Ruidera(+) Cirialco Alcazar (+) Feliciano Guinto Reyes (+)	2/8	6:30 a.m.	Chito Razo(+) Lincoln Canilao(+) Ronaldo Samonte(+) Esteban Martir Pava(+) William Bumanlag(+) Scott Smith(+)
2/3	6:30 a.m.	Roger & Gretchen Reeder(+) Bernardo Argayoso(+) Jasmin Laquindanum(+)	2/9	8:00 a.m.	Antonio C. Velasquez(+) Mrs. Nora Manuel(intention) Mila Cruz(intention)
	8:00 a.m.	Richard Joseph Torres(+) Nestor Docdocil Demetillo(+) Beatriz Bucsit Malapit(+)			
	9:30 a.m.	People of the Parish			
	11:30 a.m.	Diosdada Paican(+) Arlene Romero(+) Leonida Paican(+)			
	2:00 p.m.	Augustine Kovit Kriengkrai(+)			
	5:30 p.m.	Julian Ruidera(+) Raul & Maria Aclan(intention) Teresita Lotho(+)			
2/4	6:30 a.m.	Nicasio Martin(+) Leticia De Leon (+)			
	8:00 a.m.	Julian Ruidera(+) Bayani Lopez(intention) Salvacion Maglaque(+)			
2/5	6:30 a.m.	Pedro Godinez(+) Julian Ruidera(+)			
	8:00 a.m.	Romeo Mitra(+) Carlos Catalan(+) Dale Sanchez(+)			
2/6	6:30 a.m.	Sick of the Parish			
	8:00 a.m.	Natividad Fabiosa(+) Teodora Mandreza(+) Alberto De La Rosa(+)			

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20-24; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26b-28, 30-32; Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mk 6:1-6
Thursday:	Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-4, 9-11; Mk 6:7-13
Friday:	Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-6; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday:	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lk 5:1-11

### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes:	Heb 11:32-40; Sal 31 (30):20-24; Mc 5:1-20
Martes:	Heb 12:1-4; Sal 22 (21):26b-28, 30-32; Mc 5:21-43
Miércoles:	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Sal 103 (102):1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mc 6:1-6
Jueves:	Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Sal 48 (47):2-4, 9-11; Mc 6:7-13
Viernes:	Heb 13:1-8; Sal 27 (26):1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mc 6:14-29
Sábado:	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Mc 6:30-34
Domingo:	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Sal 138 (137):1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lc 5:1-11

*We welcome our newly registered parishioners:*  
Mr. and Mrs. Adam Sová

# Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

*Lecturas de hoy: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Sal 71 (70):1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17; 1Cor 12:31 -- 13:13 [13:4-13]; Lc 4:21-30*

## ESCUCHAR A JESÚS COMO PROFETA

Después de que Jesús lee el libro de Isaías de una antigua misión del profeta, él dice: "Hoy mismo se ha cumplido este pasaje de la Escritura que ustedes acaban de oír" (Lucas 4, 21). Así, Jesús hace una afirmación perfectamente destacable, que él mismo se ve como un profeta como los grandes profetas de la historia judía, y que su misión como la descrita por ese antiguo profeta en Isaías 61. Lucas pone un énfasis muy claro que esto pasó en "Nazaret, donde se había criado" (4, 14), y donde sus seguidores nazarenos estaban bastante sorprendidos por sus palabras.

## LA DIFICULTAD DE ESCUCHAR Y SER UN PROFETA

Atribuirse ser un profeta significa haber sido llamado por Dios; es una responsabilidad impresionante decir: "el Señor me dirigió estas palabras" (Jeremías 1, 4) o "El Espíritu del Señor está sobre mí (Isaías 61, 1), la frase que Jesús adoptó. No es fácil para otras personas escuchar a alguien que haga esta afirmación. Los profetas parecían personas comunes, no tienen un signo físico de una llamada divina, así que es muy tentador responderles con la frase "¿quiénes son para

que hablen así?" La diferencia es que los profetas han aprendido a ver al mundo como Dios lo ve, y su vocación es llamar a las personas para llevar la justicia y misericordia de Dios al mundo. Esto es una difícil, e incluso tarea peligrosa. Después de todo, los profetas tienen que hablar la verdad ante el poder, a los "reyes y jefes . . . sus sacerdotes o gente del campo" que se resisten a cambiar sus hábitos. La llamada de Jeremías es típica: Dios le advierte de los peligros que vienen, aun cuando Dios le promete la salvación: "Te harán la guerra, pero no podrán contigo, / porque yo estoy a tu lado para salvarte". Jesús enfrenta estas mismas dificultades, como sus seguidores nazarenos --quien inicialmente admiraban "la sabiduría de sus palabras" (Lucas 4, 22)-- ahora se hacen incrédulos, desconfiados y luego abiertamente hostiles. Jesús entiende estas reacciones: "Seguramente me dirán . . ." (Lucas 4, 23), y así como Dios le prometió a Jeremías, Jesús es salvado, --él pasa por en medio de la multitud antes de que literalmente lo despeñen. A medida que somos llamados a comportarnos como profetas en nuestro mundo hoy en día, es un alivio saber que Dios del mismo modo nos salvará.

## Del Centro Parroquial

### Misa de Sanación

Misa de Sanación bilingüe celebrada por el Padre Andrew el viernes, 8 de febrero a las 7:00 p.m.

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### Convalidaciones Matrimoniales

Todas las parejas que han estado casadas civilmente por al menos 3 años y desean que su matrimonio sea bendecido por la Iglesia Católica están invitadas a asistir a una reunión informativa (en Inglés) el viernes, 15 de febrero a las 8:00 p.m. en la Sala de Reuniones A de la Oficina Parroquial. La fecha de matrimonio será en mayo de 2019. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con el Padre Jonas. Para información en Español, comuníquese con el Diacono Paulino.

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### Reunión Anual de Vida, Justicia y Paz

¡Únase a nosotros para nuestro entrenamiento anual de liderazgo de Vida, Justicia y Paz! La capacitación en la Región de San Fernando se llevará a cabo el martes, 19 de febrero de 2019 aquí en Madonna Hall de 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Invitado especial: Obispo Joseph Brennan

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### Juego de Baloncesto entre Sacerdotes y Seminaristas

Únase a la Oficina de Vocaciones para una maravillosa noche de baloncesto en apoyo de nuestros sacerdotes y seminaristas, ya que se desafían en un juego amistoso y competitivo. ¡Nuestro sacerdote asociado, Padre Andrew, será parte del equipo de sacerdotes! El juego se llevará a cabo el viernes, 15 de febrero a las 7:00 p.m. en la Escuela Chaminade: 19800 Devonshire St. Chatsworth, CA 91311. Las entradas son limitadas y se pueden comprar en <http://archla.org/basketball>. Las ganancias se destinarán a nuestros continuos esfuerzos vocacionales en apoyo del programa *High Calling*, que "ofrece formación integral en filosofía, teología y discernimiento" a medida que los hombres se preparan para ingresar a la formación del seminario. Puede encontrar más información sobre *High Calling* en <https://avila-institute.org/high-calling/>. *\*Corresponsabilidad de Corresponsabilidad*

### Huellas - Arquidiócesis de Los Angeles

7 de marzo de 2019 en el Salon de Reuniones A

Por favor llame al Centro Parroquial para programar una cita.

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## ¿Sabía Usted?

### Proteja el futuro financiero de su hijo

Los padres de familia queremos mantener a nuestros hijos a salvo de cualquier daño. Esto incluye daños causados por el robo de identidad de sus hijos, ya que puede ocasionar cambios negativos en los puntajes de crédito y hasta la ruina financiera, incluso antes de que su hijo o hija tenga su primer empleo o trabajo. Tome medidas para minimizar el riesgo de robo de identidad estableciendo un congelamiento del crédito en el número de seguro social de su hijo/a, u obteniendo un PIN de protección de identidad del IRS que evitará el uso fraudulento de la identidad de su hijo/a. Para obtener más información sobre el artículo de VIRTUS® "Minors and Identity Theft (Menores y robo de identidad), visite <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>

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**Fin de Semana de Compromiso  
Febrero 9 y 10**

COMO CATÓLICOS, NUESTRA HISTORIA ES  
**ESPERANZA**

**Una gran necesidad requiere de  
Una gran respuesta**

Muchas parroquias y escuelas en nuestra Arquidiócesis desean hacer cosas increíbles en sus ministerios, pero simplemente no pueden cubrir los gastos y no les queda otra opción más que usar las donaciones dominicales para mantener encendidas las luces, realizar reparaciones críticas y pagar seguros requeridos para una organización.

A algunas de las parroquias y escuelas más pobres les preocupa que tengan que cerrar sus puertas, una decisión que afectaría a miles en áreas donde el don de la esperanza es más necesaria.

Pero ustedes han hecho escuchar su voz y durante 26 años han dicho que la historia no a terminado. Ustedes han donado fielmente en nombre de la esperanza, junto con miles de católicos en nuestra Arquidiócesis. Han dicho que cada comunidad merece una parroquia y escuela próspera y decenas de miles de familias y niños se han beneficiado a través de la educación, formación, oportunidades comunitarias, y otros ministerios.

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**TOGETHER IN  
MISSION**  
LOS ANGELES

Nuestra misión es sostener escuelas y parroquias en gran necesidad para que puedan servir con gran amor. En el año 2019 ayudaremos

**65  
PARROQUIAS**  
**63  
ESCUELAS**

- Programas y Ministerios
- Programas de Educación
- Necesidades de Emergencia
- Servicio a los Pobres
- Apoyo Operacional

**MILES DE VIDAS IMPACTADAS**

**UNA MISIÓN, JUNTOS**

Unidos en Misión es una oportunidad para que las personas de la arquidiócesis se unan, como una sola voz. Miles de hombres y mujeres, como usted hacen un compromiso sustentable mensualmente porque creen en la esperanza que viene de las aulas, de los púlpitos, en las calles y a través de los sacramentos.

¿Te unirás a ellos una vez más? ¿Seguirás escribiendo la historia de la esperanza? Y si nunca lo ha hecho, ¿hará una promesa de solo \$25 por mes?

**Hacer una Donación**

Haga su donación en línea o pague una promesa existente a través de su computadora o teléfono celular:

[archla.org/give](http://archla.org/give)

También puede hacer una llamada telefónica llamando al **213-637-7672** (de lunes a viernes de 8 am a 5 pm)



## Why St. Genevieve Schools?

Catholic Schools Week kicked off with family masses! It was beautiful to see the church filled with students, their families, and parishioners. Not only was it an opportunity for students to participate in the liturgy but for parents to share why St. Genevieve is important to them. Here are a few reasons why our school is special. 1. The magnificent performing arts program! We hold one or two musicals per year with a cast and crew from the elementary and high school. Students also have multiple opportunities to play an instrument in Jazz Band, Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, Orchestra, and more. 2. It is a friendly and welcoming community. Students and teachers alike help and support one another. 3. There are lively and engaging activities in and out of school. Some include Evening Schools to discuss character education topics, participating in the "Heal The Bay" beach clean-up, celebrating Homecoming Week, running the 50 yard dash at the Turkey Trot, performing in the Christmas Program, and more. If you and your family have not toured our campus, make sure to do so!



## Flourishing, Favorable, and Friendly Fourth Graders



After a well-rested winter break, Fourth Graders jumped right back in to class learning about punctuation and capitalization, writing essays, computing mixed numbers, understanding how individuals and businesses make economic decisions, and more! In Science, they recently conducted an experiment with electricity. The objective was to compare and contrast parallel and series circuits. "What I like to do in fourth grade are the different activities and especially science experiments. We are very intelligent and don't like to waste time in classes, said Rianne Artificio and Kaylei Nacur. Both their teachers do their best to make class exciting and productive. Mr. Contreras describes, "The students are fantabulous, because they are both fantastic and fabulous!"

## Let's Go Valiants, Let's Go!

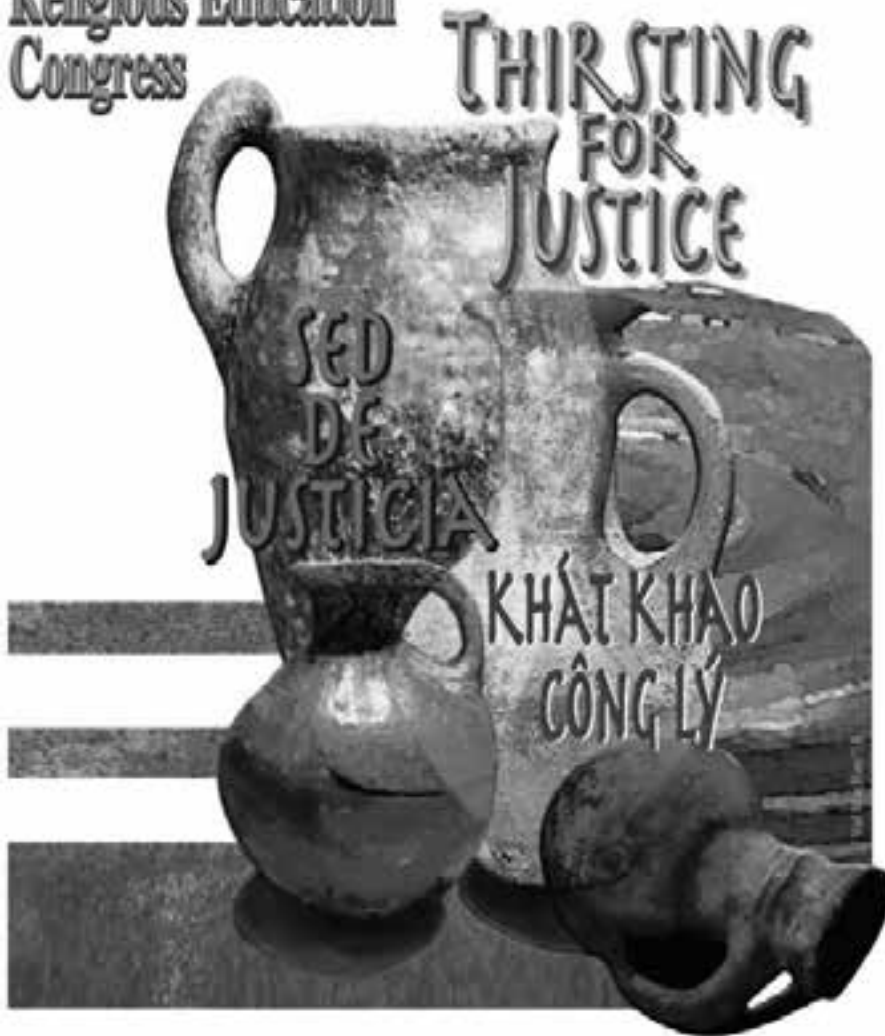
As 2019 starts, so does the new basketball season at St. Genevieve Elementary School. The older students in 7-8th grade play in the 'W' team while those in the 'B' are in grades 4-6. Seventh grade team member, Isabelle Quiroga, who has also played for 3 years says, "I think the team is

a great way to develop teamwork and athletic skills at the same time. We have to pass to each other and adapt to each others strengths and weaknesses. We help each other out but also challenge each other to work harder!" Another athlete, Hector Ortiz says, "This year's team is a great one. I believe we will make it all the way to the championship!"

Last weekend St. Genevieve hosted a middle school basketball tournament against neighboring schools. Both the boys and girls teams indeed played with passion and came home with 1st and 2nd place! Congratulations to the student athletes for playing with sportsmanship and to Ms. Yao, the assistant athletic director and middle school teacher, for organizing the event!



# Los Angeles Religious Education Congress



RECongress is the largest annual gathering of its kind in the world. The four-day event is held at the Anaheim (Calif.) Convention Center and is sponsored by the Los Angeles Office of Religious Education. Begun in 1968 as an "institute" for religious education (CCD) teachers, RECongress has grown to include people of all vocations and different faiths.

Youth Day (March 21, 2019) – RECongress opens on Thursday with a day-long event for high school youth. This is an opportunity for students – not only from the Los Angeles Archdiocese but throughout California and the western states – to come together and share in Liturgy, workshops, entertainment and to experience the energy of a Youth Day Rally.

Adult Congress days (March 22-24) – The remaining three-day weekend is open to adults and young adults and offers more than 200 speakers presenting over 300 workshops, in addition to lunchtime entertainment, evening concerts, 16 Liturgies in a variety of characters, the Exhibit Hall and much more.

Free Exhibits (open to Registrants only) – One of the perks of RECongress is the Exhibit Hall – held Friday through Sunday – showcasing over 200 companies ranging from religious art to music, and from publishing houses to educational institutions, in addition to our own represented Archdiocesan ministries.

To register please visit: [www.recongress.org](http://www.recongress.org)

## CONGRESO DE EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA DE LOS ANGELES

RECongress es la reunión anual más grande de su tipo en el mundo. El evento de cuatro días se lleva a cabo en el Centro de Convenciones de Anaheim (California) y es patrocinado por la Oficina de Educación Religiosa de Los Angeles. Inicio en 1968 como "Instituto" para profesores de educación religiosa (CCD), RECongress ha crecido hasta incluir a personas de todas las vocaciones y religiones diferentes.

Día de la Juventud (21 de marzo, 2019) - El Congreso abre el jueves con un evento de un día para los jóvenes de preparatoria. Esta es una oportunidad para los estudiantes - no sólo de la Arquidiócesis de Los Angeles, sino de toda California y los estados del oeste - de reunirse y compartir la liturgia, conferencias, entretenimiento y experimentar la energía de un Rally Juvenil.

Días del Congreso (22-24 de marzo, 2019) - Los siguientes tres días son para adultos y adultos jóvenes, ofrece más de 200 conferencistas que presentan más de 300 conferencias, además de entretenimiento y conciertos por la noche, 16 Liturgias, Sala de Exposiciones y mucho más.

Exposiciones gratuitas (abierta sólo a los participantes) - Una de las ventajas del Congreso es la Sala de Exposiciones - de viernes a domingo - que presenta más de 200 empresas que van desde el arte religioso, la música editoriales e instituciones educativas, además de nuestros propios ministerios de la Arquidiócesis.

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**Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup>**

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GAME STARTS @ 7 PM

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