

QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE MESSENGER

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Holy Sacrifice of The Mass

Saturday

5:30 pm

Sunday

8:00 am & 10:30 am

Daily Mass

8:00 am: M, W, Th, F

Holy Days

Please see The Messenger



Mary, Queen of Angels, Pray for Us!

First Saturday to Honor the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Mass 9:00 am

First Friday to Adore the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Exposition/Adoration

10:30 am-11:15 am

(Benediction follows)

Confessions

10:35 am-11:15 am

Mass 11:30 am

Confession

Sat. 4:00 to 5:00 pm

or by appointment

Baptism

4th Sunday of the Month

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The Mission of Queen of Angels Church is to:

Grow in our relationship with God through Jesus Christ.

Strengthen our faith by living and teaching the Gospel.

Serve God's People in our parish, our community, and our world.

Church is Handicapped Accessible

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STEWARDSHIP OF TIME & TALENT

May 12, 2019

Envelopes Used	112
Envelope Collections	\$ 6,803.00
Plate Collections	\$ 626.25
TOTAL	\$ 7,429.25

*The 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal "Responding to GOD'S Grace"
Queen of Angels assessment for 2019 is \$32,000.*

ACA includes support for the following ministries: Catholic Schools and Tuition Assistance, Formation in the Faith, Prison Ministry, Young Adult Ministry, Seminarian Support, Retired Priests and Catholic Charities.

Through your gift, we impact thousands of lives in our local Church community. Thank you for your support as we participate in living the Church's mission to be a witness of compassion and mercy to those in need.

GOAL: \$ 32,000.00 PLEDGED: \$ 27,501.00 BALANCE: \$ 4,499.00

GOSPEL READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS MAY 18-26, 2019

		<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>INTENTION</u>
		Saturday, May 18	5:30 pm	Mother's Day Novena
		Sunday, May 19	8:00 am	For the People
Sunday:	<i>Jn 13:31-33, 34-35</i>	Sunday, May 19	10:30 am	Mother's Day Novena
Monday:	<i>Jn 14:21-26</i>	Monday, May 20	8:00 am	Mother's Day Novena
Tuesday:	<i>Jn 14:27-31</i>	Tuesday, May 21	7:30 am	<i>Rosary</i>
Wednesday:	<i>Jn 15:1-8</i>	Wednesday, May 22	8:00 am	†Richard Deutsch
Thursday:	<i>Jn 15:9-11</i>	Thursday, May 23	8:00 am	†Ida Mae Lvolanek
Friday:	<i>Jn 15:12-17</i>	Friday, May 24	8:00 am	†Harold Bispham
Saturday:	<i>Jn 15:18-21</i>	Saturday, May 25	5:30 pm	†Edith Ayala
Next Sunday:	<i>Jn 14:23-29</i>	Sunday, May 26	8:00 am	For the People
		Sunday, May 26	10:30 am	†Joseph Ruskin Crosby



Continue to Keep in Your Prayers and Hearts those on our Healing and Deployed Military Lists.

Amen, I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, It shall be granted to them by my heavenly father. Matthew 18:19



A E X N L R M T W E F L P P H
G N I T S A F A E C Y R U E X
R H C R U H C L N S A Y I N G
E U N I T N O C T Y O M I T M
P T H B T R P R E A C H E D A
T E T U D Y A R E T U R N E D
L A I L Y H P M A P Y R E V E
O Y A A A N P V S R E D L E S
M M F T H C O I T N A N K I S
O U D I S C I P L E S E T L A
D I N O L G N I T R O H X E P
G N I N E H T G N E R T S B R
N O B S P D E T T I M M O C L
I C P I S I D I A V V O U V F
K I S P O K E N L R U E L P P
A N P E G Y C E I R A O S L C

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ANTIOCH	APPOINTED	BELIEVED
CAME	CHURCH	CITY
COMMITTED	CONTINUE	DISCIPLES
ELDERS	ENTER	EVERY
EXHORTING	FAITH	FASTING
GOSPEL	ICONIUM	KINGDOM
LORD	LYSTRA	MADE
MANY	PAMPHYLIA	PASSED
PERGA	PISIDIA	PRAYER
PREACHED	RETURNED	SAYING
SOULS	SPOKEN	STRENGTHENING
THEN	TRIBULATIONS	WENT

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Queen of Angels Ladies Auxiliary Hello Ladies! Please consider attending our next auxiliary meeting on **May 22**, at 6:00 pm in the parish hall. Joining us is a great way to help others, promote fellowship and meet 'gals' from our parish.



Jr./Sr. High Religious Education This Wednesday, **May 22** will be the last class for the students. Enjoy your summer and see you next year!

Vacation Bible School We only need three more volunteers for Vacation Bible School. The positions still needed are Games Leader, Preschool Leader and Song Leader. As soon as these positions are filled we can open up our registration. To volunteer go to Queenofangels.org and click on the "roar" button. *"You make a living by what you get. You make a life by what you give."* ~Winston Churchill



A Blessed First Eucharist
Congratulations to Lila Shelton and Madeleine Yelvington who received our Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament on May 12, 2019.



4th Annual International Dinner **June 1, 2019**

Due to very generous support from you, our incredible Parishioners, your Knights of Columbus has been able to give \$16,000 these past three years to our college/technical bound school students. We raise these funds through donations, at our wonderful International Dinner event.

Please join the Knights of Columbus, once again on **Saturday, June 1st, from 5-9 PM** in the parish hall for foods from around the world. We have had foods from Italy, Ireland, Poland, Greece, Guam, Switzerland, Mexico, Germany and more.

This will be a fun-filled evening of fellowship, food, and drinks. Plus, more importantly, we will be helping the youth of our parish.

Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$8 for kids (kids under 6 are FREE).
Tickets will be on sale after every Mass.



DON'T MISS THIS FANTASTIC EVENT
to share fabulous food with our faith community!



PASTOR'S PAGE

"I give you a New Commandment: LOVE ONE ANOTHER."

The Gospel The Church places before us this Sunday of the presentation of a new commandment takes place at the Last Supper. Our Lord says: "*I give you a new commandment: love one another.*" And so a couple of questions necessarily arise: How is this commandment "new"? . . . and . . . Why present this "new" commandment so late in His public ministry, viz. at the *Last Supper*? Why not direct His disciples to love one another immediately, from the beginning when He calls them?

What's New? The Old Testament called for love of one another, certainly there's nothing new about that. We see this in Creation, that Adam has a love for Eve, whom he says is not like the animals, but "*This one, at last, is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh*" [Gen 2:23]. In the Old Law we hear again and again the love one must have for the alien, the orphan, and the widow [Ex 22:22]. In fact, Our Lord had already said that the essence of The Law was '*to love one another as you would have them love you*' [Mt 7:12]. So what is so "new" when Our Lord says "*I give you a new commandment: love one another.*"

Whenever a new operational capacity is seen in a creature - as an effect - there must be a previous imparting of the power for this capacity - as a cause. So you can't see a new effect if there is no new proportionate cause. For example, if Peter Parker is going to climb walls and sling webs, he must have this power given to him by something 'powerful' enough to impart this ability; otherwise he would not be Spiderman. Hence, the cause: the radioactive spider's bite (*don't try this at home!*). Simply, if Our Lord is asking us to love in a new way, *He will have to give us the power to do so!*

Thus, the love that Our Lord is asking of us is actually *a new kind of love* that He simultaneously imparts, transfers, if you will, to His disciples. Jesus makes it clear that this is *a totally new kind of love* (not merely greater in degree) when He says, "*As I have loved you, so you also should love one another*", this is a *qualitative* statement. Our Lord is telling us not merely 'that' we should love, but further and more precisely, in 'what' the power of this love consists "*As I have loved*"; that this new love must consist above all in the Love of (and for) God, a self-sacrificial love precisely indicated in the Greek New Testament as "*agape*". It is a reciprocal love that God first loves us with [I Jn 4:19], which in turn enables us, empowers us, to love our neighbor with. Hence, St. John the beloved defines *this Love* in his letter saying, "*In this is love: not that we have loved God, but that He has Loved us* . . . [I Jn 4:10]. Simply, that His Love started the process of love.

So this answers our first question of WHAT is new about this love. It is the Love of God, not of man. It is not a merely *quantitatively greater degree* of love; rather it is a *qualitatively different kind* of Love. Man's love is interested, God's Love disinterested; man's love is conditional, God's Love is unconditional; man's love seeks the good, God's Love creates the good; man's love is selfish, God's Love is self-less. The human person, due to our fall to original sin, simply does not have the power in himself to love his enemies, to love the unlovable. Man must receive the power to Love from God WHO IS LOVE.

This also answers our second question of WHY Our Lord introduces this "new" commandment so late in His public ministry, viz. at the Last Supper. Our Lord waits to the end of His public ministry to give this new commandment of love for the reason that *the fruit of the Redemption* – grace – was to be won for us shortly upon the cross. For, THE GRACE OF CHRIST IS THE NEW POWER NECESSARY FOR US TO LOVE AS GOD LOVES. It is only through the Redemptive Fruit of the Grace of Christ that we can fulfill that great commandment to Love – *supernaturally* – to the point of emptying out our life for God and neighbor. Our Lord goes on to say that, it is by the superhuman power of this sacrificial love, which God enables us with [Lk 24:49; Jn 1:12], that all shall know that we are His disciples [Jn 13:35]. We know and experience God's Love through Christ's sacrificial death [I Jn 3:16]. Perhaps this is the reason why Jesus waited until Judas had left, because Judas was offered that same love of God, but refused it. Judas failed to be Christ's disciple, not merely because of a lack of faith, but above all for a lack of love (charity), for Judas loved money [Jn 12:6] more than Truth.

To sum up then . . . mankind, because of the original sin of Adam and Eve, lost the ability to genuinely love (sacrifice) because they severed their relationship with the very source of LOVE (God). Jesus Christ (The 'Word made Flesh' and 'Splendor of The Father') restored our union to that genuine Love of God, for He Himself is God (LOVE).

Therefore, we know WHAT this new commandment of love is: to Love as Christ (God) has Loved us. Furthermore, we understand WHY this supernatural manner of Love is introduced to us at the Last Supper. Because after that Last Supper Jesus offered up His life for us to gain the grace and truth to Love as He Loves us. This restoration of LOVE was brought about through the sacrifice of the cross [I Peter 1:19]. Thus, in order for us to have a genuine love, we must be united to Christ's Grace through the cross (sacrifice). God certainly takes the initiative, but we *must* respond to God, Who is LOVE [I Jn 4:8].

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How do we concretely respond to God? By being responsible! By remaining close to God in the sacred humanity of Christ, *that is, in the divinely inspired material things that Christ Himself has established for this very means of union with sanctifying grace*: His Divine Revelation in both Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition; His Catholic Church, the Mystical Body of Christ; His Sacraments, especially Confession and Holy Eucharist. To do so is simply to follow God's Will for us, His commandments.

***As The Father Loves Me, so I also Love you. Remain in My Love.
You will remain in My Love if you keep My commandments. . . Jn 15:9.***



Easter Blessings,
Father Tim



May Crowning

May is Mary's month, signifying special Marian devotions held in the Catholic Church during the month of May honoring the Virgin Mary. "May Crowning" is a traditional Catholic ritual that occurs in the month of May and it recognizes Mary as queen of heaven and earth. On Sunday, May 5 students in Pre K– 5th grade Religious Ed classes participated in our own May Crowning.



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California Passes Obscene K-12 Sex Education Over Parent Protest

SACRAMENTO May 10, 2019 (LifeSiteNews) excerpt

Despite appeals from pro-family organizations, the California Department of Education approved on Wednesday controversial changes to the state's health and sex education framework.

The department ignored large protests mounted by concerned parents and taxpayers, unanimously approving guidelines for teaching courses to elementary school grades about sexual orientation, sex trafficking, and LGBTQ doctrine. The meeting in Sacramento, the state capital, focused on revisions to the state's sexually explicit Health Education Framework, which makes recommendations for the state's K-12 public school health curriculum for the next ten years.

The revisions have received support from the ACLU and Planned Parenthood.

According to the approved framework, children as young as five may be taught about transgenderism and gender identity. In middle school, teen students will be asked to talk about masturbation, while high school teens will have textbooks that offer advice on anal sex. While the framework does not mandate that specific topics be addressed, it does offer support to teachers to do address them. According to the AP, Samuel Garret-Pate of the homosexualist organization Equality California said, "Too often LGBTQ students in particular don't receive information during sex education that teaches them about healthy practices." He affirmed, "It's not the birds and the bees. It's not biological anymore. It's not sex ed. It's sexuality education."

One of the books that has galvanized parents in opposition is titled "S.E.X.: The All-You-Need-to-Know Sexuality Guide to Get You Through Your Teens and Twenties." Despite its depictions of sado-masochism, bondage, anal sex, and other buggery, Stephanie Gregson of the state Department of Education told the AP: "It's an award-winning book that speaks to all of the different types of relationships that our students are engaging in." That book and several other resources were dropped from the framework but are still not banned in the classroom....

"Parents did not sign up for this type of sexual indoctrination," said Jonathan Keller, president of the California Family Council, according to a statement on the group's website. "The state of California should not force moms and dads to choose between participating in public school and protecting their children's innocence. No student needs to be exposed to this graphic and explicit material. It's child abuse."

Several organizations have called the revisions and suggested materials "sexually explicit," "obscene," "offensive, reckless, and immoral." Students are allowed to opt out of lessons about sexual health, but they are obligated to attend classes on LGBTQ issues including gender identity and discrimination, as well as same-sex "marriage," and explain social issues such as the Supreme Court ruling on marriage. "Our priority is to make all children feel comfortable at school," said the Department of Education in a statement, adding, "Dispelling myths, breaking down stereotypes and linking students to resources can help prevent bullying, self-harm, feelings of hopelessness, and serious considerations of suicide."

Signed into law in 2016, the California Healthy Youth Act mandates that students in public middle and high schools must receive comprehensive sexual health and HIV prevention education. It also allows the teaching of these issues to elementary school students.

FULL STORY AT: lifesitenews.com/news/california-dept-of-education-passes-obscene-k12-sex-ed-over-parent-protest

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9:30 AM

Call to Worship

11:00 AM

Mass with Bishop McElroy
and Aux. Bishop Dolan

12:00 PM

Festival Noon-2 P.M.

JUNE

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2019

Cathedral Catholic High School
5555 Del Mar Heights Road
San Diego, CA 92130

- Ethnic Food Tastings
- Cultural Exhibits
- Folk dancers / Live Music



All Are Welcome!

FREE FAMILY EVENT

Wear traditional attire

Diocesan Pentecost Celebration

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