

THE MESSENGER

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Holy Sacrifice of The Mass Saturday 5:30 pm Sunday 8:00 am & 10:30 am

> <u>Daily Mass</u> 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

<u>Confession</u>

Sat. 4:00 to 5:00 pm or by appointment

<u>Baptism</u> 4th Sunday of the Month Contact Fr. Timothy

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<u>The Mission of Queen of Angels Church is to:</u> 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.

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If you're worried about an unplanned pregnancy, you may be experiencing a personal crisis full of concerns about your future. Pregnancy Care Clinic can assist you. www.unplannedparenthood.org, 619.442.4357



STEWARDSHIP OF TIME & TALENT

October 20, 2019

Envelopes Used	87
Envelope Collections	\$ 5,186.00
Plate Collections	\$ 899.50
TOTAL	\$ 6,085.50



Monthly Tecate & ECPCC Collection

Esp Please leave your donations after all the Masses next weekend, November 2-3, in the "TECATE TREASURE CHEST" directly behind the church, near the back door of the multi-purpose room. Drive your car around to the back and it will be just a few steps away. You will be able to access the chest any day of the week. Please remember to close the lid when you are finished, and PLEASE only leave maternity and baby clothing for the ECPCC. As always, thank you for your support!

GOSPEL READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS OCTOBER 26-NOVEMBER 3, 2019

		DATE		TIME	INTENTION	
		Saturday,	Oct 26	5:30 pm	Jim Krembs	
		Sunday,	Oct 27	8:00 am	†Pattie Marinesi	
Sunday:	Lk 18:9-14	Sunday,	Oct 27	10:30 am	For the People	
Monday:	Lk 6:12-16	Monday,	Oct 28	8:00 am	C. Charlene Avvampato	
Tuesday:	Lk 13:18-21	Tuesday,	Oct 29	7:30 am	Rosary	
Wednesday:	Lk 13:22-30	Wednesday,	Oct 30	8:00 am	-	
Thursday:	Lk 13:31-35	Thursday,	Oct 31	8:00 am		
Friday:	<i>Mt</i> 5:1-12 <i>A</i>	Friday,	Nov 1	8:00 am		
Saturday:	Jn 6:37-40	Friday,	Nov 1	7:00 pm		
Next Sunday:	Lk 19:1-10	Saturday,	Nov 2	9:00 am		
		Saturday,	Nov 2	5:30 pm	All Souls' Novena	
		Sunday,	Nov 3	8:00 am	For the People	
		Sunday,	Nov 3	10:30 am	All Souls' Novena	



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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

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THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIMES

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PARABLE	PHARISEE	PRAY
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All Saints' Day Friday, November 1, is All Saints' Day and <u>IS</u> a Holy Day of Obligation. Queen of Angels will celebrate Mass at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM.

BIBLE Bible Study It's not too late to join our latest Bible Study class, *Wisdom* on Tuesday, October 29, at 9:00 AM in the parish hall. The class is free, study guides can be purchased. For additional information contact Katrina at katrina@queenofangels.org or 619.445.2145.



<u>All Souls' Novena</u> If you wish to include your deceased loved ones in the All Souls' Day Novena, there are envelopes at the entrance to the church. Please write the names of your loved ones on the

envelope and drop it in the collection basket or bring it to the office. Deadline to return your envelope is October 28. The novena will start on Saturday, November 2.



Commemoration of All Souls' Month Saturday, **November 2**, is All Souls' Day. We will continue to observe this day by displaying our deceased loved ones' photos in the church for remembrance during the month of November. However because of space

constraints, we can only display those photos of deceased loved ones that have passed away in 2019. If you have a photo of someone you wish to have displayed in the church, **please make a copy no larger than 4" x 4"** and bring it to the parish office **no later than Monday, October 28**. For further information, please contact the parish office at 619.445.2145.



Fall Back Daylight Saving ends next weekend. Don't forget to set your watches and clocks back one hour, November 2-3.



<u>**Craft Fair**</u> The Catholic Women's Club at Our Lady of Grace Church is hosting their 16th Annual Craft Fair on Saturday, **November 2** from 10:00

AM-4:00 PM, and Sunday, **November 3** from 8:00 AM-2:00 PM. Over 60 crafters will be offering a variety of hand-made items. CWC members will also have home-baked items for sale, and the parish youth group is selling food for both breakfast and lunch. For more information, call Kathy at (619) 980-6841.



<u>Marriage Enrichment</u> Worldwide Marriage Encounter celebrates the love you have for your spouse and helps you to build, expand, and deepen that relationship. Sign up for the upcoming November 15-17th weekend

in Rancho Bernardo. Food and lodging are provided. There is a \$75 fee and a voluntary donation requested at the end of the weekend. For many couples "Their Weekend" is one of the most significant experiences of their marriages. For more information or to sign up, visit wwme-sandiego.org.

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business and desire to reach fellow parishioners with your message, please call 951.683.0608 or visit the C&M website at www.cmpublications.com for more information.



First Saturday to Honor the Immaculate Heart of Mary



9:00am—Mass

Gov. Nuisance Newsom has signed AB-24, the deadly bill that will require the distribution of the abortion pill on State University campuses.

We need to help others be informed on this issue. The 2020 Democratic Party nominees for President ALL support killing babies through ALL nine months of pregnancy!

In California, our tax monies are going to support the killing of innocent boys and girls. Gov. Newson just gave another **10 million more** dollars to Planned Parenthood **in addition to the 100 million** he gave to PP in May! We cannot be complicit in evil by supporting candidates that enact abortion legislation.

"...The Word of The LORD came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you..." Jer 1:4-5

Interested in learning more about OLP?

We invite prospective students and parents from all grades to join us for

Open House Sunday, November 3 from 1:00-4:00 PM At OLP campus

OLP is an all-girls, secondary school founded in 1882 by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet. Join us for a fun afternoon of campus tours and presentations. Come hear from our Head of School, and have the opportunity to meet and speak directly to our administration, faculty, counselors, student club leadership, athletic coaches, and more on the benefits of an OLP education!

Formal Presentations will take place at 1:30 pm and 2:30 pm. There will be campus tours available throughout the day, along with a club expo and various performances by our students. We will also have a \$1,000 scholarship raffle at 3:00 pm! Come meet our administration, faculty, counselors, coaches and students.

We look forward to showing all that OLP has to offer. Pre-registering is highly encouraged. Register online at www.aolp.org.



PASTOR'S PAGE

"The LORD is a God of justice, Who knows no favorites."

Sirach 35:1

We all have some prejudices and preconceived notions about people. We tend to measure everyone we meet with the scales of our understanding of things. St. Thomas A. said that each person judges as he is such (or so disposed), meaning that the glutton never thinks someone eats too much, the drunkard that no one drinks too much, etc. We must, however, come to judge things upon facts, not emotions or personal prejudices. When Our Lord told us not to judge, this meant of course that we should not judge *rashly*, that is, without the full knowledge of the facts [Jn 7:22]. In the gospel, Our Lord presents His disciples with a new way of looking at people, that is, *from God's perspective*. He uses two opposite extremes in the spectrum of people's imaginations in His day to show us that we should try to look to the interior, rather than to the exterior. To not judge a book by its cover.

<u>The Pharisees</u> In order to understand the Gospel we should know something about the two extremes presented. We know what a tax collector is, what a priest is, a scribe, but what about the Pharisee? After the exile in Babylonia (587 B.C.), Israel's kingship form of government had become a thing of the past; in its place the Jews created a community which was half State, half Church. Later, in the third century B.C. the newly introduced Greek lifestyle (Hellenism) of Al-exander The Great (356–323 B.C.) threatened Judaism with destruction. We find this recorded in Sacred Scripture in the Book of Maccabees. The more zealous among the Jews drew apart calling themselves *Chasidim* or "pious ones", i.e., they dedicated themselves to the realization of the ideas inculcated by Ezra the Prophet, holy priest, and doctor of the law. In the violent conditions incidental to the Maccabean wars these "pious men", sometimes called the Jewish Puritans, became a distinct class: they became the Pharisees.

Pharisee means "the separated", they were those men who separated themselves from the pagans, and from the heathenizing forces and tendencies, which constantly invaded the lands of Judaism (I Mach. 1:11; II Mach. 4:14ff; cf. Josephus Antiq., XII, v, 1). During these persecutions by the Greeks, the Pharisees became the most rigid defenders of the Jewish religion and traditions. In this cause many suffered martyrdom (I Mach. 1:41ff), and so devoted were they to the prescriptions of the Law that on one occasion when attacked by the Syrians on the Sabbath they refused to defend themselves (I Mach., 2:42; ibid. 5:3ff.). They considered it an abomination to even eat at the same table with the pagans or have any social relations with them whatsoever!

At the time of Jesus the Romans had taken control of Judea and had ruled for over 90 years (since the Roman Pompey 63 B.C. entered Jerusalem). The Pharisees influence over the people became great and far-reaching, and in the course of time they, instead of the priests, became the sources of authority. In fact, at the time of <u>Our Lord</u> such was their power and prestige that they sat and taught in the "*chair of Moses*" [Mt 23:2], as Jesus Himself states. This prestige naturally engendered arrogance and conceit, and led to a perversion in many respects of the conservative ideals of which they had been such staunch supporters.

<u>The Tax Collectors</u> were seen as diametrically opposed to the Pharisees. Tax Collectors were in collusion with the pagan Romans and hence were viewed as traitors, someone who actually helped the pagans to lord-it-over God's People. We can thus imagine what people thought when Jesus fraternized with the tax collectors. In fact, Jesus even chose a tax collector, St. Matthew, as an Apostle! No wonder the Apostles never got along, Matthew a tax collector on one end of the spectrum and Simon a rebel zealot party member on the other.

What we see in the Gospel [Lk 18:9-14] then is the polarity of these two opposite extremes: on the one hand, the Pharisee who was appointed by Jewish society as the high and exalted one; and on the other hand, the tax collector who was held as the 'scum of the earth' to the Jew. What Our Lord shows us is that sometimes those held as high and exalted by society are really the rejects in God's eyes. While those who are seen as nothing to society are in fact the justified 'friends of God' destined for eternal glory. As it is said in another part of the Gospel [Mt 19:30, 20:16] "...the last will be first, and the first will be last."

This should be a lesson for us all. When the world ends – and it will end, and all the glory of it – all people will be gathered for The General Judgment of every person ever conceived. This is depicted in the famous mural of the Sistine Chapel. As the Catholic Catechism teaches us:

"Jesus announced the judgment of The Last Day in His preaching. Then will the conduct of each one and the secrets of hearts be brought to light. Then will the culpable unbelief that counted the offer of God's grace as nothing be condemned. Our attitude about our neighbor will disclose acceptance or refusal of grace and divine love. On the last day Jesus will say: "Truly I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to Me." CCC 678

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When Christ Our Lord walked this earth what was "politically correct" in His day turned out to be "divinely incorrect". God's judgment is not man's judgment [I Sam 16:7]. What society judges to be good for us is not always so. *The societal norm is not the moral norm!* We should therefore resolve not to be judged by the pressure of society, especially our current society, which Pope Saint John Paul II called "*the culture of death*".

Yes, ours is "the culture of death". As it continues to turn away from true justice, equality, morality, and all decency, and even our natural vocation as human beings to be more than mere animals (to not kill our own in the womb), our secular society leads astray many people who no longer have God as their guide. Our Lord made it clear that we must live in the world "but not be of the world" [Jn 15:19, 17:6, 15]. The Pharisees of today are those who claim to have a moral superiority. They have separated themselves from the traditional morality of Christian Faith, which they now term 'intolerant'. Because of this, they think themselves better, and more enlightened than the Neanderthals not in step with today's society life. They claim to have "tolerance" for all cultures and peoples, yet they immediately label those who disagree with them as 'intolerant', 'racist', 'homophobes', 'genderphobes', 'Islamophobes', 'against choice', 'gun-toting bible fundamentalists', 'religious fanatics', or just simply as '*The Deplorables*'. The Pharisees of today are those politically correct people who have a complete disdain for anything of traditional morality, especially of the Christian influence. They control the multimedia, the schools and colleges, the politics, most everything.

So today, we have to realize that the faithful Christian is as the tax collector in the Gospel. For the tide has turned, and that now white is new black; right the new wrong; morality the new immorality; etc. and our whole society has been turned upside-down and no one knows where it will end. 'Can I be as Christ and accept what is rejected by societies wisdom?' Can I be seen as the tax collector, appearing as St. Paul did, to be a *"fool for Christ"* [I Cor 4:10]. And if we can, then we may not be accepted by our socity, but we will go home justified in the eyes of God.

Autumn Blessings,

Father Tim



Dennis Prager Film, "**NO SAFE SPACES**" opens: 11/01/2019 at Parkway Plaza Stadium 18 + IMAX 405 Parkway Plaza, El Cajon, California 92020 https://nosafespaces.com/

Thanks to all of our parishioners who supported the Knights of Columbus 2nd Annual Cornhole Tournament. This year we had 31 teams and 16 sponsors. The weather was PERFECT and the beer was cold! The big winners were Boyd Hatfield & Bill Thorpe (Jerry Price's son-in-laws', 2nd Place was Garrett McKillip & Bill Johnson, and 3rd was Mike David and Lakaila Aquningoc-David. The 50/50 winner was Jason Hoffman.

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