

Semana en La Santa Cruz † This Week at Holy Cross		
Sat. 14	5:00 PM	†Maria Acosta
Sun. 15	8:30 AM	For members of our community
	10:00 AM	†Jesus Barrientos Bullon
	11:30AM	†Rick Bustamante
	1:00 PM	†Fr. Chuck LaVerde, c.s.
	6:00 PM	Esther Rocha <sup>Cumpleaños</sup>
Mon. 16	7:30 AM	English Mass: Karen Depe <sup>Recovery</sup> †Consuelo & †Tang Suy Sia
Tues. 17	7:30 AM	English Mass: Salvador Fernández <sup>Salud</sup>
Wed. 18	7:30 AM	English Mass: Lucy Vega <sup>Salud</sup>
	6:30 PM	English Mass: Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Thurs. 19	7:30 AM	English Mass: Paul & Celia <sup>Wedding Anniversary</sup>
	5:30	St. Joseph's Mass/Misa Di San Giuseppe
Fri. 20	7:30 AM	English Mass: †Ed Vargas
	6:30 PM	Misa en Español: †Guadalupe Rocha
Sat. 21	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls

**Update on Holy Cross building:** Architects and engineers toured the structure of the church and recommended that the structure of the church should be demolished and that the foundations need more studies. Inventory of the contents can be done anytime. The stain glass windows are going to be boxed, refurbished for future use. TOPA Architecture and Holy Cross Parish have presented schematic designs of Holy Cross Church building to the Planning Department of San Jose their enhance review. A community meeting is scheduled for Thursday March 26 at 7:00pm; you are invited to participate. Pictures are available at our church web site: [www.holycrosssj.com](http://www.holycrosssj.com) and Facebook: Holy Cross Memories.

**Actualización del proyecto de nuestra Iglesia:** Los arquitectos e ingenieros han examinado la estructura del templo y han recomendado la demolición de las paredes. Los cimientos necesitan más estudios. Se va iniciar el inventario de lo contenido dentro de la iglesia. Los vitrales serán quitados, restaurados y usados en el futuro. Nuestra compañía de arquitectura TOPA ha presentado planes esquemáticos de un nuevo templo al departamento de Planificación de la ciudad San José para su revisión. El Jueves 26 de Marzo a las 7:00pm tendremos una junta comunitaria a la cual usted está invitado. Hay fotos en la Website de la iglesia: [www.holycrosssj.com](http://www.holycrosssj.com) y del Facebook: Holy Cross Memories.

If you wish to participate in the Living Stations of the Cross play, we will have our rehearsal on Tuesday at 7:00 PM in the Scalabrini hall.

Si usted desea participar en el **Viacrucis Viviente**, estamos teniendo nuestros ensayos los martes a las 7:00PM en el salón Scalabrini.

Se volete partecipare nelle stazioni di vita della Croce gioco, avremo la nostra prova il Martedì alle 7:00 nella sala Scalabrini.

### A.D.A. ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL 2015 (GOAL \$42,694.00) Called To Do God's Work, Together In Christ

The 2015 Annual Diocesan Appeal continues to succeed in our parish. To date **78 Families** have responded with a very generous amount contributed **\$21,797.00** towards our goal of **\$42,694.00**. If you are not yet part of these donors, we want your participation and need your support. Please pray and answer the call to do your part to support our Catholic Church and the mission of God, here in the Diocese of San Jose.

### LLAMADO DIOCESANO ANUAL (ADA) 2015 (META \$42,694.00) Llamados a Hacer el Trabajo de Dios, Juntos en Cristo

La apelación Diocesana Anual 2015 continúa con éxito en nuestra parroquia. Hasta el momento **78 familias** han respondido con una muy generosa cantidad de **\$21,797** hacia nuestro objetivo de **\$42,694**. Si usted todavía no forman parte de estos donantes, queremos su participación y su apoyo. Por favor, oren y respondan a la llamada para hacer parte y apoyar nuestra Iglesia Católica, y a la misión de Dios, aquí en la Diócesis de San José.

### From the pastor

Dear Parishioners,

We are now past the halfway point of Lent. The Entrance Song of this Fourth Sunday invites us to “rejoice and be glad”; today we are allowed to wear our “rose” liturgical vestments. In the gospel of Jesus reminds the Israelites of the serpent in the desert that healed the persons that were sick by only looking at it; Jesus in the cross provides the same healing for us Christians. This is the proper time to approach the sacrament of reconciliation-confession; you may celebrate here at the regular times, you may join our penitential service in ten days or you may check the days and the hours in our neighboring churches. We are the middle of our Annual Catholic Appeal; we thank you for your donation. If you have not declared your gift, you are invited to do so during the next few weeks. Wishing you a pleasant beginning of Spring. Fr. Firmo Mantovani,cs, Pastor.

Estimados Amigos Parroquianos, El Canto de Entrada de este Cuarto Domingo de cuaresma nos invita a “alegrarnos y a ser felices”, ya a mitad de nuestros ejercicios cuaresmales podremos usar nuestras vestimentas litúrgicas color “rosa” para indicar nuestra alegría. En el evangelio de hoy Jesucristo recuerda la serpiente que en el desierto curó las enfermedades de los Israelitas con solo mirarla. La cruz para los cristianos es la esperanza de salvación y la salvación. Este es el tiempo propio para celebrar el sacramento de la reconciliación-confesión; aquí en nuestro templo tenemos los horarios regulares y dentro de una semana un servicio penitencial; ustedes pueden también informarse de los horarios de las Iglesias vecinas. Como en todas las parroquias de nuestra diócesis estamos solicitando ofertas para el Llamado Anual Diocesano; les pedimos que participen. Deseándoles un buen comienzo de Primavera, P. Firmo Mantovani, cs, Párroco.

### Lectores/Lectors/Lettori & Communion Ministers

Sunday/Domingo/Domenica, March 22, 2015

5:00 PM (C) Michael and Joe (1L) Pat (2L) Celia (M) Lyle

8:30 AM (C) Raquel (1L) Celia (2L) Rose (M) Julie

10:00 AM (C) Catalina Renteria (1L) Veronica Orosco

(2L) Jesus Cortez (M) Hemelinda (M) Maria Luisa

11:30 AM (C) Martha (1L) Mike (2L) Joshua (M) Don

1:00 PM (C) Maria Della Penna (1,2L) Catherina Ventimiglia

(M) Francesco D'Anna

6:00 PM (C) Juan (1L) Panchita (2L) Ayari Abigail (M) Susana

In our catechesis on the family, we now reflect on the role of grandparents. The Gospel offers us the image of Simeon and Anna as two older persons who hope in the Lord's promises and then, when perhaps least expected, see them at last fulfilled. Simeon and Anna are models of a spirituality for the elderly. They point to the centrality of prayer; indeed, the prayer of grandparents is a great grace for families and for the Church. In prayer, they thank the Lord for his blessings, otherwise so often unacknowledged; intercede for the hopes and needs of the young; and lift up to God the memory and sacrifices of past generations. The purifying power of faith and prayer also helps us to find the wisest way to teach the young that the true meaning of life is found in self-sacrificing love and concern for others. Young people listen to their grandparents! I still treasure the words my grandmother wrote to me on the day of my ordination. In a society which overlooks and even discards the elderly, may the Church acknowledge their contribution and gifts, and help them to foster a fruitful dialogue between the generations!

Nella catechesi di oggi [proseguiamo la riflessione sui nonni](#), considerando il valore e l'importanza del loro ruolo nella famiglia. Lo faccio immedesimandomi in queste persone, perché anch'io appartengo a questa fascia di età. Quando sono stato [nelle Filippine](#), il popolo filippino mi salutava dicendo: “Lolo Kiko” – cioè nonno Francesco - “Lolo Kiko”, dicevano! Una prima cosa è importante sottolineare: è vero che la società tende a scartarci, ma di certo non il Signore. Il Signore non ci scarta mai. Lui ci chiama a seguirlo in ogni età della vita, e anche *l'anzianità contiene una grazia e una missione*, una vera *vocazione* del Signore. L'anzianità è una vocazione. Non è ancora il momento di “tirare i remi in barca”. Questo periodo della vita è diverso dai precedenti, non c'è dubbio; dobbiamo anche un po' “inventarcelo”, perché le nostre società non sono pronte, spiritualmente e moralmente, a dare ad esso, a questo momento della vita, il suo pieno valore. Una volta, in effetti, non era così normale avere tempo a disposizione; oggi lo è molto di più. E anche la spiritualità cristiana è stata colta un po' di sorpresa, e si tratta di delineare una spiritualità delle persone anziane. Ma grazie a Dio non mancano le testimonianze di santi e sante anziani!

**We have a SECOND COLLECTION today for the Catholic Relief Services.**

HOY tenemos una SEGUNDA COLECTA para los Servicios Católicos de los más desprotegidos.

**Yard Sale on Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup> & Pulguita el 21 de marzo.**

Contact: Velia Rico 408-421-3070.

**\$30.00 nor esnacio. a más tardar el jueves 19 de marzo para cupo.**

**Food Sale on Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>. & venta de comida el próximo Domingo, 22 de marzo**

Join us supporting our Parish!!

¡¡Los invitamos a apoyar nuestra Parroquia!!

**LITURGIA DEL JUEVES Y VIERNES SANTO:** el próximo miércoles 18 a las 7:15 de la noche vamos a tener nuestro ensayo del TRIDUO aquí en el Salón de la Iglesia.

Thursday, March 19<sup>th</sup> we will be celebrating our traditional “**ST. JOSEPH’S TABLE**”. We welcome you in our Scalabrini Hall for our Mass 5:30pm followed by the blessing of the table and traditional Italian food.

**TAVOLA DI SAN GIUSEPPE:** *Giovedì 19 di Marzo celebreremo la nostra tradizionale:Tavola di San Giuseppe. Tutti sono invitati alla nostra Sala Scalabrini per la nostra Messa alle 5:30 PM, seguita dalla benedizione della tavola e la cucina tradizionale italiana.*

Gracias por su generosidad: BENDICIONES.

We thank everyone for your generosity, now and throughout the year. God bless you!

### PRAY FOR THE SICK – OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

Carmie Ales, Cheri & Tim Alexander, Almer Armi Anchustegui, Fe Arcebal, John Arevalo, Jr., Inez Aguilar Louie Arnold, Alejandro & Becky Avelar, Scarlet Rose Bell, Peggy Beltramo, Frank Bua, Contansa, Silvia y Susana Orozco Cabrera, Raymond Cadena, Edith A. Calderón, Antoinette Cancilla, Petra Castillo, Dolores Cea, Jae Jeon Choi, Yvonne Ciraulo, Lester Colma, Bryson Corini, Norma Cruz, Rita De Andrade, Adolph De Mattei, Alberto & Socorro Del Alto, Alfonso, Rogelia Domínguez, Mario Estrada, Ann Fitzgerald, Raul, Saul Flores, Alice García, Catalina García, Cecilia García, David García, Elvia Grajales, Marta Gómez, Elizabeth Guillen, Francin Gutierrez, Rowena Callos Hayes, John Hernandez, Christine Herrera, Romelia Ibarra, Jesús Javier, Tammy John, Angela, Terry Jones, Peggy Kelly, Yvonne Kuzinich, Lynde Larson, Hydi, Joe, Lisa and Steve Lazrovich, Maria Elena Leal, Ángel Lemus, Theresa Linsmeier, David López, Maria Macialek, Jeff, Joseph and Jerome Magsuci, Makena Malonso, David Mendoza, Daniel Montes, Cheri Bua Margo, James Nanvaes, Ed Narcisso, Maria Teresa Nasol, Jeffrey, Violeta, Jorge Ochoa, Mike Olivas, Juan and Randi Orduna, Maria Della Pena, Aarón Pérez, Camerina Perez, Rosemary Petrovich, Blas Ramos, Eli Roses, Cliff Rhea, Ninfa Rodríguez, Benedetto Rossallo, Kay Scamporrino, Anthony Seguritan, Angie Sewell, Pat Somorai, Pearl Sunseri, June Stanley, Gaurav Thakur, Mary and John Valdez, José V. Villa, Catherine Ventimiglia, Frances Wells, Leslie Wren,