

<i>Semana en La Santa Cruz † This Week at Holy Cross</i>		
Sat. 10	5:00 PM	Fernandez Family
Sun. 11	8:00 AM	†Bernardo E. Dato
	9:30 AM	La Sociedad Guadalupana, (Para los miembros y sus familias)
	11:30AM	For the members of our community
	1:00 PM	All Souls
	6:00 PM	†Ramón Arriaga Delgado
Mon. 12	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
Tues. 13	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
Wed. 14	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
	6:00 PM	Novena Mass: All Souls
Thurs.15	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
Fri. 16	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
	6:30 PM	Misa en Español: Las Animas
Sat. 17	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls

Save the Date!! Wednesday, November 4, 2015

Italian Catholic Federation Branch 4

Annual Polenta & Sausage Dinner with all the trimmings 100% of profits go to Holy Cross Parish.

Social 6:00 PM and Dinner 6:30PM



Only \$15 for adults \$7 for kids...

There will be a Toy/Gift Card collection for the Oakland Children's Hospital Christmas Party. Please participate in bringing a new unwrapped toy with you to this dinner if you are able.

More Information to follow

For tickets call Ann Fitzgerald (408) 266-2549 or Anna Gonzalez (408) 887-0699.

SECOND COLLECTION

World Mission Sunday

Next weekend October 18th we will have a second collection at all the Masses for World Mission Sunday. Please be generous as always and God bless you.



SEGUNDA COLECTA

Mundial de las Misiones

Próxima semana 18 de Octubre, tendremos una segunda colecta por ser el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones.

Por favor sean generosos como siempre. Dios los bendiga.

Lectores/Lectors/Lettori & Communion Ministers

Sunday/Domingo/Domenica, October 18, 2015

5:00 PM (C) Zeny and Rose (1L) Pat (2L) Baby (M) Lyle

8:00 AM (C) Raquel (1L) Emmy (2L) Julie (M) Reuben

9:30 AM (C) Gloria Flores (1L) Ignacio Morales (2L) Teresa Jmz. (M) Sergio Renteria (M) Hermelinda Silva

11:30 AM (C) Sonia (1L) Mike (2L) Katherine (M) Don

1:00 PM (C) Armando Bottelli (1,2L) Marisa Corrado (M) Francesco D'Anna

6:00 PM (C) Juan (1L) Ayari(2L) Jose Orozco (M) Lupita y Salvador Hernandez

A message from PADRE

Dear friends:

Let me bring you up to date with the church construction project. All architectural and engineering plans have been presented to the city building office. We are now waiting for the reply from the various departments with their plans checks, variations, and/or approval. Letters have been mailed out to several construction companies to see how many would be interested to undertake such a project. By the first week of January 2016 the bids will be opened. Construction should start by April 2016. As you may see the process is time consuming and meticulous. The diocesan office of financial services is assisting us in every step of the development, so as not to miss out on any details. May the Lord God assist us in building HIS House and in making the faith community of Holy Cross Church a suitable and dignified place of worship.

Fr. Livio

Queridos amigos:

Déjenme ponerlos al día con el proyecto de la construcción de la iglesia. Todos los planes de arquitectura e ingeniería se han presentado a la oficina de construcción de la ciudad. Ahora estamos en la espera de la respuesta de los distintos departamentos con sus sugerencias de variaciones y/o su aprobación. Se han enviado cartas por correo a varias empresas constructoras para ver cuántos estarían interesados en llevar a cabo este proyecto. En la primera semana de enero 2016 se abrirán sus propuestas de costos. La construcción deberá de comenzar en abril de 2016. Como pueden apreciar el proceso es lento y meticuloso. La oficina diocesana de servicios financieros nos está ayudando en cada paso del programa, a fin de no incurrir en algún problema. Que el Señor Dios nos ayude en la construcción de su casa y en la de la comunidad de fe de la Iglesia de Santa Cruz para que ésta tenga un lugar adecuado y digno de culto.

Padre Livio

Cari amici:

Vi metto al corrente con il progetto di costruzione della chiesa. Tutti i piani di architettura e ingegneria sono stati presentati all'ufficio di costruzione della città. Siamo ora in attesa della risposta da parte dei diversi uffici con le loro proposte di varianti e/o relativi permessi. Abbiamo spedito una lettera a varie imprese di costruzione per vedere quanti sono interessati ad assumersi la costruzione di tale progetto. Entro la prima settimana di gennaio 2016 saranno aperte le proposte di prezzi. La costruzione dovrebbe iniziare per aprile 2016. Tutto questo richiede tempo ed pazienza. L'ufficio diocesano dei servizi finanziari ci sta aiutando in ogni fase dello sviluppo, in modo da non perderci in nessun dettaglio burocratico. Il Signore Dio ci assista a costruire la sua casa e a rendere la chiesa della comunità della Santa Croce un luogo degno di culto e memore del passato.

P. Livio

LEARNING TO TRUST GOD WHEN YOU REALIZE THAT YOU ARE NOT IN CONTROL

PRAYER

God, you look with tenderness on the birds of the air and the lilies of the field. You tend hatchlings nestled in their mother's down and cause rain to quench the parched roots of wildflowers. Before you formed me in my mother's womb, you knew me. You watch over me. You are always closer than my next breath. My life is precious to you. Give me trust in your providence and comfort in your loving plan for my life. When I am afraid, nurture hope in me. When I am angry, grant me peace. When I am overwhelmed, be my shelter. You order all things to draw me to yourself who is my refuge, my joy, and my salvation forever.

READING (*Jeremiah 29:11-14a*)

For I know well the plans I have in mind for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for woe, so as to give you a future full of hope. When you call me, when you go to pray to me, I will listen to you. When you look for me, you will find me. Yes, when you seek me with all your heart, you will find me with you, says the Lord.

THOUGHTS ON THE READING

NEWSFLASH: You are not in control. This is one of the most terrifying realizations we face on our life's journey. For those of us who hope in a loving God, it is a realization that calls us to trust in God's goodness even (read: especially) when we find ourselves in distress. When we're facing a diagnosis of serious illness, our lack of control over even the most basic aspects of our lives can become painfully obvious. The reading from Jeremiah has the prophet sharing God's words of hope to a community that is enduring upheaval and unrest. These words are for us, too. God is asking us to trust. To trust that God loves us infinitely and wants what is best for us. To trust that even in pain and uncertainty God is drawing us closer. To trust that when we seek God, we will find that God is already with us. To trust that even when we feel lost and alone we are being shepherded with love by the One who made us, died for us, and dwells within us.

REFLECTING ON THE READING

Read the passage from Jeremiah again, remembering that these words are addressed to you. Using the guided imagery from the beginning of the retreat, imagine that God's love surrounds and fills you with warm light. Allow yourself to sit quietly with this imagery for as long as you like, breathing deeply.

PRAYER FOR THE COMMUNITY

Loving God, you ask us to trust in you when the future seems unclear. You alone see all things. You have carved a path for each of us ... a path that leads us to your very heart. We give you thanks for your loving care of our lives. Give us the grace to walk our paths with childlike trust in your goodness. Reassure all of your children facing serious illness or injury that you go behind them, within them, and before them. We offer you their loved ones who walk with them. Bless them with courage, bring them to the fullness of hope, and grant them peace. We offer you those who have committed their lives to caring for the sick and elderly ... doctors, nurses, and other healthcare professionals. Bless their hands so they may be instruments of your healing and bless their hearts so they can perceive the sanctity of every life in their care. We offer you those whose illness hastens their death and their journey home to you. Bless them and welcome them into your heavenly kingdom where illness, suffering, and even death are no more. You are the Divine Physician. Lord, have mercy on us. Amen.

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MONTH OF THE ROSARY

The month of October is dedicated to Our Lady of the Rosary. Join us every morning at 7:00am and Wednesday's 6:00pm for the Rosary.

EL MES DEL ROSARIO

El mes de octubre está dedicado a Nuestra Señora del Rosario. Únete cada mañana a las 7:00am y los viernes a las 6:00pm para el Rosario.



We thank you for your generosity.

God bless you!

Gracias por su generosidad:

BENDICIONES.

Grazie per la vostra generosità.

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, Franco Ballelunga, Scarlet Rose Bell, Peggy Beltramo, Frank Bua, Contansa, Silvia y Susana Orozco Cabrera, 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, Mario Estrada, Ann Fitzgerald, Raul, Saul Flores, Alice García, Catalina Garcia, Cecilia Garcia, 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, Jurema Mantovani, Tony Martino, David Mendoza, Daniel Montes, Cheri Bua Margo, James Nanvaes, Ed Narcisso, Maria Teresa Nasol, Jeffrey, Violeta, Jorge Ochoa, Mike Olivas, Randi Orduña, Maria Della Pena, Aarón Pérez, 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, Johnny Valarbe, José V. Villa, Catherine Ventimiglia, Frances Wells, Leslie Wren,