

MASS INTENCIONS *Semana en La Santa Cruz*

Sat. 13	5:00 PM	For the parish community
Sun. 14	8:00 AM	Alexandra Demare (1st Birthday in Thanksgiving) †Peter Baet
	9:30 AM	†Martina y †Sistos Medina
	11:30 AM	†Cesar, †Thomas & †Floserpida Valeroso †Salvatore Lupo
	1:00 PM	†Antonio e †Carolina Fasano †Elvira Macri
	6:00 PM	†Ramon Arriaga Delgado, †Familias Arriaga y †Delgado
Mon. 15	7:30 AM	English Mass: †Angela Stella
Tues. 16	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
Wed. 17	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
	6:30 PM	English Mass: All Souls
Thurs. 18	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
Fri. 19	7:30 AM	English Mass: All Souls
	6:30 PM	Misa en español: †Zhen Abel Acevedo y †Ed Vargas
Sat. 20	7:30 AM	English Mass: †Bernardo E. Dato

Thank you for your generosity.

THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY

The dogma of the **Assumption of the Virgin Mary** was proclaimed with “Munificentissimus Deus” Apostolic Constitution, in 1950. It is, however, a mystery of the life of Mary of which there were already traces in the Church Fathers and the popular belief of the faithful.

This belief of our faith does not concern only the Mother of Christ, but also involves us in our “make up” as men and women. By the will of God we are 'souls and a bodies, and destined for eternal life in our entirety of spirit and matter.

This Feast is celebrated on August 15 and this year it is not a day of obligation.



LA ASUNCION DE MARIA

El dogma de la **Asunción de la Virgen María** fue proclamada con la Constitución Apostólica “Munificentissimus Deus”, en 1950. Es, sin embargo, un misterio de la vida de María del que se habla desde el tiempo de los Padres de la Iglesia y la religiosidad popular de los fieles.

Esta verdad de fe no se refiere solamente a la Madre de Cristo, sino que también nos involucra en nuestra "integridad" de ser hombre o mujer. Por la voluntad de Dios somos un alma y un cuerpo, destinados a vivir eternamente en la unión de espíritu y materia.

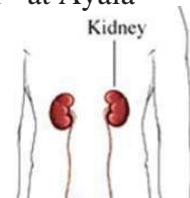
Esta fiesta se celebra el 15 de agosto, pero en este año no obliga la Misa.



FREE KIDNEY CHECK

Saturday, August 27 from 1:00 to 5:00pm - at Ayala Stadium. Call (415) 543-3303 or www.kidney.org/KEEPhealthy

CHEQUEO DE RIÑONES GRATIS

Sábado, 27 agosto de 1:00 a 5:00pm en el Estadio Ayala (1123 Coleman Ave. San Jose).



It's your choice: “How will you spend eternity, **Smoking**  or **Non-smoking** ?”

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION!!

You are cordially invited to Fr. Livio's birthday celebration on Friday, August 19th at 7:00p.m. at Holy Cross Scalabrini Hall. This event will be Potluck, so please bring a dish to share. **Come and celebrate his birthday!!**



FIESTA DE CUMPLEAÑOS!!

Están cordialmente invitados a la celebración de cumpleaños del P. Livio, el día viernes 19 de Agosto a las 7:00p.m. en el salón Scalabrini de nuestra Iglesia de la Santa Cruz. La cena es de “traje”. Por favor traer un plato de comida para compartir. **Vengan a celebrar su cumpleaños!!**

Question: My Jehovah Witness brother refuses to come to my church wedding. I don't want to create a scene, but should I invite him to the reception?

Although emotions always run high in wedding preparations, a wedding invitation is really just that: an invitation to your wedding. You are asking a person who is important to you to accompany you on an occasion that is important to you. Perhaps you are saddened that he does not share your religious faith. Perhaps that disagreement has left you feeling insulted. But he is your brother, and it is a very special day in your life. If you want him to celebrate with you, then invite him. That part is in your hands. The response is in your brother's hands. He may not be comfortable joining you at the church, but may be more than happy to toast you at your reception afterwards. Give him — and yourself — the opportunity to rise to the occasion. Years from now, when you leaf back through the pages of your wedding album, you will probably be delighted to see his smiling face in your photos and to remember that he was there.

(by Neela Kale in www.bustedhalo.com)



CASINO BUS TRIP

The Fil-Am of the parish organizes a

BUS TRIP to Redhawk Casino on Saturday, September 10. Ticket: \$35.00 per person. Proceeds will go toward special needs of the Holy Cross Parish. For reservations contact Zeny (408-483.1942), or Nida Biscarra (408-606.8262) or Merlyn Regucera (408-644.6191).

ITALIAN PICNIC: The picnic of the Scalabrini Association of the parish will be held this coming Saturday, August 20 from noon time on in the parish grounds. Tickets: \$ 15.00 for members and \$ 20.00 for all others.

PICNIC DELL'ASSOCIAZIONE SCALABRINI della parrocchia: questo prossimo Sabato, 20 agosto da mezzogiorno in avanti nella parrocchia (Menu: insalata mista, pollo, salsiccia, insalata di patate, anguria, pane, acqua, bibite, ecc.) Biglietti: \$ 15 per i soci e \$ 20 per non soci. Chiamare Oscar: 408 355-5940.

KERMESS RAFFLE: The raffle tickets are ready. Donation per ticket: \$ 2.00. Winnings: 1st prize: \$ 1,000.00; 2nd prize: \$ 500.00; three third prizes: \$ 100.00 each. Stop by the rectory on weekdays and take the tickets you wish to buy and others you can pass around with your friends. Draw on September 25. Winners need not to be present.

RIFA DE LA KERMESS: Ya están los boletos de la Rifa. Donativo: \$ 2.00 por boleto. Premios: 1er premio: \$ 1,000.00; segundo premio: \$ 500.00; tres terceros premios de \$ 100.00 cada uno. Pase a la oficina de la parroquia para sus boletos y otros para que sus amigos los vendan. Sorteo el 25 de septiembre. Los ganadores no necesitan estar presentes.

Pregunta: ¿Mi hermano, testigo de Jehová, se niega a venir a mi boda en la iglesia. No quiero crear una escena, pero debería invitarle a la recepción?

Aunque las emociones siempre son altas en los preparativos de la boda, una invitación de boda en realidad es sólo eso: una invitación a la boda. Tú estás pidiendo a una persona que es importante para ti que te acompañe en una ocasión tan importante en tu vida. Tal vez estás adolorida porque no comparte tu fe. Pero él es tu hermano, y es un día muy especial en tu vida. Si deseas que él celebre contigo, entonces invítalo. Esa parte está en tus manos. La respuesta luego está en tu hermano. Puede ser se sienta incomodo ir a la iglesia, pero puede ser más que feliz brindar en tu recepción después. Dale la oportunidad de estar contigo. Dentro de unos años, cuando estarás mirando las páginas del álbum de fotos de tu boda, será una gran alegría ver la cara sonriente de tu hermano y recordar que él estuvo allí.

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

The office of the CCD is open for registrations on Saturdays and Sundays from 9:00am to noon. You may also call during the scheduled hours for further information: (408) 294-1310. Classes begin on September 10/11.

PARISH PARTICIPATION

Our parish of Holy Cross will have a booth at the F.O.A.M. Silicon Valley (Festival of Art & Musique) on Saturday August 27, 2016 from 11am - 5pm at the Alum Rock Business District in San Jose. Any person who wishes to help out at the booth should contact Stanley at (408) 624-6089. For more information on this festival enter the site www.foamfestsv.com.



SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend, we are taking up a collection for the **Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa**. This collection is an opportunity to stand with the people of Africa and support pastoral projects that are so needed on this continent. Projects include support for migrants and communications efforts, building of new churches, and formation for priests and religious. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection.

SEGUNDA COLECTA

Este domingo se realiza la colecta del **Fondo de Solidaridad para la Iglesia en África**. Esta colecta es una oportunidad para respaldar a los pueblos de África y para apoyar proyectos pastorales tan necesarios en ese continente. Los proyectos incluyen el apoyo a los migrantes y a los esfuerzos en el campo de las comunicaciones, la construcción de nuevas iglesias y la formación de sacerdotes y religiosos. Por favor, en oración, piense en la manera de contribuir en esta colecta.

