



BISHOP MYRON COTTA’S REFLECTION FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2019

THE HOLY ROSARY: A Way to Foster the NEW EVANGELIZATION

On Pentecost Sunday of this year, I announced that we, as a diocese, were embarking on the mission of the New Evangelization. I provided to all, the diocesan prayer to launch this endeavor. Please continue to offer this prayer as we begin to better evangelize our families and parishes. Pray it daily as we turn to the Holy Spirit for guidance to be the evangelizers of our day and age.

Along with this prayer, as we approach the season of fall, this month of September is a perfect time to prepare for the Month of the Rosary-October. I ask all clergy, along with their faith formation teams, catechists, RCIA directors, youth/teen leaders, Confirmation coordinators and principals to stress the importance of praying the Rosary. Also to be included in this effort are those involved in ministry to hospitals, convalescent/homebound visits and detention ministry. All of us are encouraged to remind those we serve of the importance to pray the Rosary daily. We are to be reminded that this was a request that came directly from Heaven and delivered to us by our Blessed Mother. She asks that we pray the Rosary, faithfully, as the Church.

As we promote the New Evangelization by presenting opportunities for us to encounter Jesus in our lives, one excellent means of accomplishing this is the Rosary. It has the capacity to draw individuals into a relationship with Jesus by means of reflecting on the Mysteries of the Holy Rosary. As a person meditates on the Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous Mysteries, one is led to ponder the gospel scenes of the life of Jesus and the history of salvation. As we come to a greater knowledge of Christ, Our Lady will lead us into a more profound and personal relationship with her Son by means of these Mysteries. As we deepen our relationship with Jesus, we become more like him. As we take on “the mind of Christ,” it is then, that we are empowered to participate in the mission of the Church- evangelization!

This month is the opportune time for us to introduce, remind and stress the importance of the Rosary in the spiritual life of every Catholic. Prayed properly, it is a powerful prayer that can have a great impact on our lives and on our troubled world. Because the Rosary is gospel-based, it has the capacity to “evangelize” us and to bring us many grace filled opportunities for ongoing conversion.

In order to assist us in promoting the importance to be evangelized, I invite you to consider ordering the following pamphlets. They will assist in catechizing our children, youth, parents, families and all of us in regard to the power that the Rosary has to evangelize.

Here are the pamphlets that can assist in this endeavor:

- “How to Pray the Rosary”
- “Joining in the Mystery: The Rosary for Teens”
- “The Rosary for Children”

To order:
Our Sunday Visitor
www.osv.com/pamphlets
(800)348-2440

Let us do our part in cooperating with Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary, Our Mother - the “Star of the New Evangelization.”

In the Peace of Christ,
Bishop Cotta



PARISH GROUPS AND ACTIVITIES

Pastoral Care Givers Prayer Meeting—Monday at 9:00am in the All Saints' Parish Hall

Parish Pantry—1st, 2nd, 4th, & 5th Tuesdays, 10am to 11:45am.

ATCAA Food Bank—3rd Tuesday 10:00—Noon. Both are located in Cottage #3 at All Saints’ Church.

All Saints' Ladies Guild - Meets every other month on the 3rd Tuesday at 9:30am in the Parish Hall.

Pastoral Council - every 3rd Wednesday 6pm monthly

Choir Practice—Tuesdays at 5:00pm at All Saints.

Order of Franciscan Seculars / Blessed Giles of Assisi

First Saturdays at 10:30am at All Saints' Church.

St. Joseph's Guild general monthly meeting—First

Sunday after Mass at St. Joseph's Church.

St. Joseph’s Coffee Sundays—Third Sunday of the month.

Turning Point Fellowship of AA meets Tues., 7:00pm in Cottage #4.

Keep it Simple Group of NA meets Wed., 6:30pm in Cottage #4.

CHILDREN’S CATECHISM SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Religious Education Class registrations for the 2019-2020 Program year, Kindergarten through Confirmation are being taken. Come and join us this year. Classes begin September 22nd for Kindergarten through sixth grade Sunday mornings in the Parish Hall starting at 9:30am to 10:45am. Youth Group and Confirmation begin on October 5th at the same times. For more information to register please call Noli Farwell (209) 586-3161 or e-mail her at

nfarwell@sbcglobal.net.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS Curious? If you are Catholic and have never received your First Communion or Confirmation, we can help you prepare for the reception of those sac-

raments. If you are not Catholic and are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, we can answer your questions and guide you on your journey. The RCIA team is ready to serve you. Begins Tuesday, September 17th. Contact Gloria Hofer at 408-802-1232.

YEAR ROUND SUNDAY SCRIPTURE PREPARATION Meets Mondays 11am St. Joseph & Tuesdays 4pm All Saints. For more information, please contact John Dunlap at 928-3477.

STUDY GROUP contact: Dan Garcia 209-840-2644

NEWMAN BOOK CIRCLE meets monthly. Contact Preston or Suzanne Patterson at 965-4260 for meeting times.



THIRD ORDER—BLESSED GILES OF ASSISI SECULAR FRANCISCAN FRATERNITY

Cordially invites you to a most joyous celebration of the Renewal of Commitment of Margie Hoskin 50th Anniversary of Fraternal Life on Sunday, September 15, 2019 - 11:00 am Mass at All Saints Church. A reception will follow after in the Parish Hall. All are welcome!

AN AUTUMN MESSAGE ABOUT CHILD PROTECTION

Autumn means back to school for children. Amidst the hustle and bustle of this season, let us all keep sight of the importance of keeping our children and young people safe from danger. The Diocese of Stockton mandates that all people who work with children and youth in our parishes and schools must be fingerprinted, background checked, and trained.



The Parish of All Saints and St. Joseph

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

All Saints Catholic Church in Twain Harte and Saint Joseph Mission Church in Tuolumne, responds to the Universal Call to Holiness in celebration of the Eucharist and is committed to a community of fellowship with the help of the Holy Spirit offering gifts, time, and talent to the people of God.

THE HOLY FATHER’S INTENTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2019

That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world’s seas and oceans.

Please pray for the Sick in our Parish and their family members.

Mitch Woods	Dan Franco	Katrina Dunlap Garcia
Dorothy Handel	Joe Freitas	Linda Postma
Lee Combs	Landon Walker	Andy Grazioli
Sally Scott	Chris Karels	Frank Scully
Hilda Gomes	Mark Pyburn	Bob & Barbara Volpi
Fr. Giles Gilbert, OFM CONV.		Fr. John Fitzgerald
Ralph Webster		

To add or remove a name from the list, please contact Diane Prill at 586-5461 and leave a message with your contact number and name of person to be put on the prayer list.

Pray for the repose of the souls of the following:

Recently Deceased:

Pray for in Memoriam: Fr. George Lacey, Msgr. Thomas Hayes, Fr. Eshai Joseph, Fr. E. Donohoe, Dcn. Eddie Zoma, Don & Trudy Brenon, Bishop Steven E. Blaire

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL the ARCHANGEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who wander the earth seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Daily Mass Intentions Week of September 8th– September 14th

SUNDAY:
MONDAY:
TUESDAY:
WEDNESDAY:
THURSDAY:
FRIDAY:
SATURDAY:

Fr. John Fitzgerald



LADIES GUILD MEETING & RETREAT SEPTEMBER 17th at 9:30 am

Attention: Ladies Guild Members and all Ladies interested! Next Ladies Guild Meeting will be on Tuesday, September 17th. Meeting starts at 9:30 a.m. in the All Saints Church Hall. Retreat by Fr. Jeff Wilson and Potluck Salad Luncheon for all. Details contact Diane Prill.

“Make a Joyful Noise! Parish Festival Saturday, September 21, 2019—TICKETS NOW ON SALE! Dinner and Raffle Tickets on sale before and after weekend Masses—Dinner tickets—\$12.00 pre-sale, \$15.00 at the door. Children under 12 and under eat free.

~REGULAR SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES~

Saturday	4:30pm	Vigil	All Saints
Sunday	9:00am		St. Joseph's
Sunday	11:00am		All Saints

~WEEK DAY MASSES~

Monday – Thursday	8:30am	All Saints
Friday	8:30am	St Joseph's
First Friday	8:30am	St. Joseph’s
First Saturday	8:30am	All Saints

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:15pm at All Saints
Sunday: 8:45am at St Joseph
1st Saturdays following 8:30am Mass at All Saints

Office Hours: Monday -- Friday ~ 9:30am to 4:00pm
Phone 586-3161, Fax—586-3161



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND BENEDICTION
Every Friday at 5:00pm All Saints Church

To arrange a visit for shut-in members of our community, please contact the Parish office.

Marriages & Baptisms by appointment
6 months notice for marriage.

Contact the Diocesan Respect Life Office at 1-800-396-8777 and Foothill Pregnancy Center at 536-9262 for support before and after childbirth.

Project Rachel –1-800-396-8777 offers grief counseling and retreats for the loss of unborn children

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat—Danville, CA
October 25-27, 2019

For details contact: Gloria Maldonado:
afterthechoice@oakdioadmin.org or 510-485-2574

TRANSPORTATION assistance: Call Dial-a-Ride (209) 532-0404 24-hour advance notice required. FREE for VETS and ages 60 & above. Also, Rent-a-Ride (650)-787-7022, contact: Jill or Donna.

PARISH OFFERTORY Weekend of Sept. 1st	2019 Offertory	CATHOLIC UNIV. OF AMERICA	2018 Offertory
All Saints	\$3,663	\$296	\$3,466
St. Joseph	\$497	\$81	\$359

NO 2nd Collection for next week.

SECOND COLLECTION FOR MISSION CO-OP APPEAL IS ON SEPT. 21st WEEKEND—Benefiting Archdiocese of Ozamis in the Philippines, This years mission speaker is Fr. Marvin Osmena from the Diocese of Ozamis, Philippines. Please help us welcome Fr. Osmena and consider making a donation to our Mission Co-op Appeal. Note: Second Collection for CATHOLIC CHARITIES will be rescheduled for the following weekend 9/29.