

# Weekend of January 24, 2021

## Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Thank you so much for your continued support.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

PARTICIPATE IN

MASS

by livestreaming with Fr. Herman

***Please note weekday Mass time change***

Weekdays, Tues-Friday at 8:00 AM,

Sunday Mass is livestreamed @ 8:00 AM

Just go on Facebook under Herman Manuel

### **New Mass Schedule due to the Covid-19 guidelines**

***Tuesday-Friday 8:00 AM Barona @ the Church***

***Sunday 8:00AM - Barona @ the Shrine***

***Sunday 10:30 AM - Viejas @ the Church***

***Sunday 12:00 PM noon – Sycuan, outside of the Church***

### **ZOOM CLASS with**

**Sunday, February 14 (Valentine's Day) – Marriage Anniversary Celebration for Barona, Viejas and Sycuan**

*All married couples are welcome to our Marriage Anniversary Mass for a blessing and renewal of marriage vows. Please bring wedding rings.*

Time: 10:00 AM Mass

Where: Barona Shrine

*All are welcome to attend the Mass. Boxed lunch will be provided.*

### **Brother Ed Nolan**

*If you would like to join these Zoom classes, please send Brother Ed your email address at [bktparish@aol.com](mailto:bktparish@aol.com) and download the Zoom app on your device.*

### **GOSPEL OF MARK**

This new Mass schedule will stay in effect until the Covid-19 crisis is over. Thanks for your patience.

#### **Barona:**

**Mass:** Tuesday through Friday. Rosary at 7:45 AM, Mass at 8:00 AM. @ Shrine

**Sunday:** Sunday 8:00 AM. @ Shrine

**Confessions:** By appointment only

**Adoration:** 1st Fri. of the month (8:00 AM).

#### **Viejas:**

**Sunday:** Sunday, 10:30 AM. @ Church

**Confessions:** By appointment only.

#### **Sycuan:**

**Sunday:** Sunday Mass 12:00 noon @ the Church

**Confessions:** By appointment only



Sue Kierig, Martha Boone, A. J. Samot, Angelo Samot, Donna Berardi, Daniel Vicaldo, Kash Osuna-Sutton, Anthony and Diana Pico, Dolly Albano, Ray Mayor, Mike Montes, Bobbie Turner, Helen Cadiente, Mae Guerrero, Susanna Gotell, Agnes Ruiz, Deacon Bill Clarke, Rosario Ravasco, Minerva Mayor, Michele Nikas Beaman, Richard Nikas, Purita Amparo, Wendy Reyes, Alicia Castro, Debbie Gonzalez, Barbara Reeves, Nancy Rourke, Anthony Harut Haurutyunian, Bobby Curo, Abraham Pascual, Eugene "Gino" Vicaldo, Skylar Rosas, Richard Padua, Irmina Gines, Gimo Manuel, Joyce Martinez, Crispin Echiverri, Elvira Hapin, Sara Amador, Lisa Black, Caroline Mendoza and family, Jay Rodriguez

*Please check prayer list and add names as desired.*

## ATTENTION!

You are now able to donate online to St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish on our website, [bktparish.com](http://bktparish.com). You are able to donate by debit, credit card or PayPal. You can also continue to send your tithes and offerings to:

St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish  
1054 Barona Road, Lakeside, CA 92040

*When: Thursdays, beginning January 7, 14,  
21, 28, and February 4, 2021*

*Time: 4:00 PM*

*The reign of God is now. Be willing to drop  
what you are doing to follow Jesus' call.  
Believe that God will give you what you need.*

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## THE LAITY as FISHERS OF MEN

A reflection on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

A despondent man complained to his mother, saying:  
“I’ve stopped going to church for two reasons: I don’t  
like the people, and the people don’t like me.”

The mother gazed at him compassionately and said:  
“My son, you should go back to church; I’ll also give  
you two reasons why: You’re already 59 years old,  
and you are the parish priest!”

When the Lord started His ministry, He called a core  
group: Peter and Andrew, James and John, and others  
to become henceforth “fishers of men” (Mk 1:17).

And like that despondent parish priest in the story,  
these chosen followers were to continue Christ’s  
mission after He had ascended to heaven regardless of  
whether the people like them or not.

FOR LAITY TOO. Unfortunately, many have the  
wrong notion that the call of Christ to be “fishers of  
men” is addressed only to the apostles and their  
successors: Bishops and priests. That’s not true. Gone  
are the days when the laity simply say “Amen” or  
obey, pray, and PAY.

The Decree on the Laity of Vatican II states:  
“Incorporated into Christ’s Mystical Body through

baptism and strengthened by the power of the Holy  
Spirit through confirmation; the laity are assigned to  
the apostolate by the Lord himself”

Today we know of more and more numerous lay  
Catholics who sacrifice time, treasure, and talent for  
the church. Think of the lay ministers, lectors,  
collectors, choir members, and yes, the various parish  
organizations like the Knights of Columbus, Cursillo  
Movement, Legion of Mary, Catholic Women’s  
League, who render their services *gratis et amore*.  
Consider, too, the numerous lay Catholic renewal  
movements such as Marriage Encounter, Couples for  
Christ, PREX.

The most basic and effective form of being a “fisher”  
is through the TESTIMONY of Christian living. If  
people recognize a special “something,” like genuine  
charity and joyful service, they might eventually be  
attracted to the Christian faith.

The British TV journalist Malcolm Muggeridge was a  
celebrity who did not care much about God and  
religion. He did something he swore he would never  
do – become a Catholic. What led to his conversion?  
He had an assignment to write about the late Mother  
Teresa of Calcutta. Travelling to India, Muggeridge  
thought the trip was just the usual work, but the  
amazing thing was in the course of his talks and days  
of observation of the kindly nun, he experienced a  
change of heart. Muggeridge said: “Words cannot  
express how much I owe her. She showed me  
Christianity in action... She showed me how one  
loving person can start a tidal wave of love that can  
spread to the entire world.”

ASK YOURSELF: Would lukewarm and non-  
Catholics be edified by your way of life so that they,  
too, would want to become (better) Catholics? As a  
baptized Christian, you share in the apostolate of  
Christ as “fisher of men.”



**CHOOSE  
THIS DAY  
WHOM YOU  
WILL SERVE.**

**JOSHUA 24:15**