



St. Pancratius

CHURCH

APRIL 7, 2024 | SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Pastor: Fr. Andrew Chung
Associate Pastor: Msgr. John Woolway
Transitional Deacon: Deacon Miguel A, Cabrera
Deacon Couples: Romeo and Priscilla (Baby) Ligot,
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Rectory

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Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm
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Sunday 8:30am - 12:00pm

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Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 6:30am
Saturday: 8am, 4:30pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am (*Español*) & 11am

Confessions Saturday: 3:30-4:30pm
Adoration Monday-Friday 5:00pm-7:15pm
Rosary Monday-Friday 6:15pm



We give thanks to God and congratulate the
25 adults who were fully initiated into the
Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil.

*Damos gracias a Dios y felicitamos a los 25 adultos
que fueron iniciados plenamente en la Iglesia Católica
en la Vigilia Pascual*



Stewardship of Treasure

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sunday Collection	Church	School	Family Ministries
March 3	\$9,751.44	\$119.00	\$638.00
March 10	\$11,949.60	\$130.00	\$65.00
March 17	\$10,414.70	\$577.00	\$70.00
March 24	\$14,042.29	\$585.00	\$180.00
March 31	\$17,493.09	\$150.00	\$60.00
Faith Direct March 4	\$ 11,344.00	\$395.00	\$215.00
Faith Direct March 15	\$6,955.00	\$154.00	\$98.00
Total Offertory	\$81,950.12	\$2,110.00	\$1,326.00
March Goals	\$63,352.00	\$1,856.00	\$1,139.00

Thank you for your generosity

We also thank all those who contributed to this week's flower fund! Anyone interested in contributing to the flowers, please contact Susan Martin.



Called to Renew Campaign Update

(as of 4/2/24):

Parish Goal: \$670,000.00
Total Pledged: \$1,802,410.00
Total Paid: \$491,822.69

DID YOU KNOW?

2024-2025 Working Together to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse Brochure

The Office of Safeguard the Children of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles annually publishes the Working Together to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse Brochure, which provides an up-to-date listing of safe environment policies, programs, resources, contact numbers and other important information about how the Archdiocese of Los Angeles is working to prevent child sexual abuse. Copies of the brochures are available in the parish vestibule or online at <https://lacatholics.org/departments-ministries/safeguard-the-children/>.

¿SABÍA USTED?

Folleto 2024-2025 "Trabajando juntos para prevenir el abuso sexual infantil"
 La Oficina de Protección de los Niños de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles publica anualmente el folleto *Trabajando juntos para prevenir el abuso sexual infantil*, que proporciona una lista actualizada de políticas, programas, recursos, números de contacto y otra información importante sobre un entorno seguro en el que la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles está trabajando para prevenir el abuso sexual infantil. Copias de los folletos están disponibles en el vestíbulo parroquial o en línea en <https://lacatholics.org/departments-ministries/safeguard-the-children/>.

In the Gospel today, Jesus stands in the midst of us and says: "Peace be with you!"

During Mass we turn to each other and say "Peace be with you!" As you put your gift into the St. Vincent de Paul box you say "Peace be with you!" to those who are poor and hungry.



Dear St. Pancratius Family,

On Divine Mercy Sunday, Christians commemorate the boundless love and mercy of God, as revealed through Jesus Christ in the Paschal Mystery. This special day, instituted by Saint Pope John Paul II, falls on the Octave of Easter, emphasizing the profound connection between Easter's message of redemption and the inexhaustible mercy of God. At the heart of Divine Mercy is the belief that God's love knows no bounds and His mercy is offered freely to all who seek it. It is a reminder that no matter how far we may have strayed or how deeply we may have fallen, God's mercy is always available to lift us up and restore us to grace.

Reflecting on Divine Mercy Sunday prompts us to contemplate the depth of God's love for us and our response to that love. It challenges us to extend mercy and forgiveness to others just as we have received it ourselves. In a world often marked by division, conflict, and suffering, the message of Divine Mercy offers hope and healing, inviting us to be agents of reconciliation and instruments of God's peace.

Moreover, Divine Mercy Sunday invites us to trust in God's providence and surrender ourselves completely to His will. It encourages us to turn to God with childlike faith, confident in His unfailing love and mercy. In doing so, we find solace in the midst of life's trials and challenges, knowing that God is always with us, guiding us along the path of righteousness.

As we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, let us open our hearts to receive the abundant mercy of God and be transformed by the power of His love. Let us be inspired to share that love and mercy with others, becoming beacons of hope and compassion in a world in need of God's healing touch. May we always remember the words of Jesus, "Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful" (Luke 6:36) and strive to live them out each day.

In Christ,

Shengda Zhu

Querida familia de San Pancracio:

En el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, los cristianos conmemoran el amor y la misericordia ilimitados de Dios, revelados a través de Jesucristo en el Misterio Pascual. Este día especial, instituido por el Papa San Juan Pablo II, cae en la Octava de Pascua, enfatizando la profunda conexión entre el mensaje de redención de la Pascua y la inagotable misericordia de Dios. En el corazón de la Divina Misericordia está la creencia de que el amor de Dios no conoce límites y su misericordia se ofrece gratuitamente a todos los que la buscan. Es un recordatorio de que no importa cuán lejos nos hayamos desviado o cuán profundamente hayamos caído, la misericordia de Dios siempre está disponible para levantarnos y restaurarnos a la gracia.

Reflexionar sobre el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia nos impulsa a contemplar la profundidad del amor de Dios por nosotros y nuestra respuesta a ese amor. Nos desafía a extender misericordia y perdón a los demás tal como lo hemos recibido nosotros mismos. En un mundo a menudo marcado por la división, el conflicto y el sufrimiento, el mensaje de la Divina Misericordia ofrece esperanza y sanación, invitándonos a ser agentes de reconciliación e instrumentos de la paz de Dios.

Además, el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia nos invita a confiar en la providencia de Dios y entregarnos completamente a su voluntad. Nos anima a volvernos a Dios con fe infantil, confiados en su amor y misericordia inagotables. Al hacerlo, encontramos consuelo en medio de las pruebas y desafíos de la vida, sabiendo que Dios está siempre con nosotros, guiándonos por el camino de la rectitud.

Mientras celebramos el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, abramos nuestros corazones para recibir la abundante misericordia de Dios y ser transformados por el poder de Su amor. Inspirémonos para compartir ese amor y misericordia con los demás, convirtiéndonos en faros de esperanza y compasión en un mundo que necesita el toque sanador de Dios. Que siempre recordemos las palabras de Jesús: "Sean misericordiosos, como nuestro Padre es misericordioso" (Lucas 6:36) y nos esforcemos por vivirlas cada día.

En Cristo,

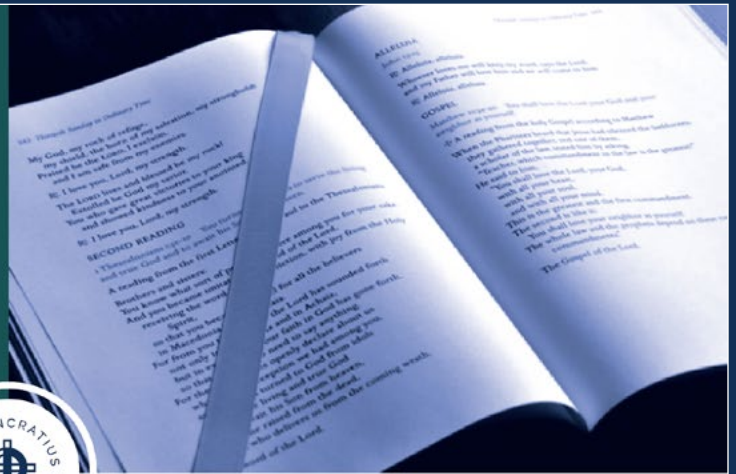
Shengda Zhu

St. Pancratius
70th
PARISH SCHOOL
Anniversary

SAVE THE DATE
SATURDAY, MAY 18
4:30 p.m. Mass
Reception to follow

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INFORMATION](#)

Training for All Current & New Lectors



English Training
Saturday, April 13th
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

All lectors must attend this training, must be fingerprinted, and up to date with their VIRTUS certification.

Entrenamiento en Español
Sábado, 13 de abril
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Todos los lectores deben asistir a este entrenamiento, debe tener huellas dactilares y estar al día con su certificación VIRTUS.

Training for All Current & New Members of Hospitality (Ushers Ministry)



English Training
Saturday, April 20th
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

All hospitality ministers must attend this training, must be fingerprinted, and up to date with their VIRTUS certification.

Entrenamiento en Español
Sábado, 20 de abril
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Todos los ministros de hospitalidad deben asistir a este entrenamiento, deben tener huellas dactilares y estar al día con su certificación VIRTUS.

Helping the Homeless

We will be providing food and clothing to our homeless brothers and sisters in Downtown LA on **Sunday, April 14.**

If you would like to join us, please meet behind the rectory garage at 1:30 pm.

If you have any questions, please contact George McCurdy 562-477-0485 or Mary McCurdy 562-477-7494

The Feed the Homeless Ministry at St. Pancratius is very grateful for all your support and kind donations each month.

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, WE ONLY NEED DONATIONS OF:

- Hygiene Supplies
- Blankets
- Socks
- Only Men's Jeans
- Towels

Serious Illness Group

There will be NO meeting in the month of April.



Divine Mercy Feast Day

Divine Mercy Sunday - April 7th

Chaplet and Adoration at 3:00 p.m.



ST. PANCRATIUS
PARISH SCHOOL



SUMMER
SCHOOL

and/or



TK-8th Grade

June 17th-August 2nd

For more information call

(562) 634- 6310

Summer Program Applications
due by May 1st

3601 St. Pancratius Place Lakewood, CA 90712

We are now accepting applications for the 2024 -2025 school year.

Please call the school office at (562) 634-6310 if you are interested in enrollment or a campus tour.

Small Class Sizes

Spanish, Music, PE

Christ Centered Curriculum

Financial Aid Available



Voted Lakewood's Best Elementary School!



April is National Abuse Prevention Month

Prayer for Healing Victims of Abuse

Holy Spirit, comforter of hearts,
heal your people's wounds
and transform brokenness into
wholeness.

Grant us the courage and wisdom,
humility and grace, to act with justice.
Breathe wisdom into our prayers and
labors.

Grant that all harmed by abuse may find
peace in justice.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

Abril es el Mes Nacional de Prevención del Abuso

Oración para la Sanación de las Víctimas de Abuso

Espíritu Santo, alentador de
corazones, sana las heridas de tus
hijas e hijos y transforma su
fragilidad en integridad.

Concédenos el valor y la sabiduría,
la humildad y la gracia para actuar
con justicia.

Infunde tu sabiduría en nuestras
oraciones y acciones.

Permite que todos los que han sido
lastimados por el abuso encuentren
la paz en la justicia.

Te lo pedimos por Cristo, nuestro
Señor.

Amén.