

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DO NOT FEAR, IT IS ENOUGH THAT YOU BELIEVE

XII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The book of Wisdom tells us that we have been called to immortality, but the enemy came to interrupt the harmony. God is favor of life and loves all creatures, and does not want any to perish nor even to weaken in any way. St. Paul encourages us to be generous and to share our good with others and to avoid any divisions that cause injustice. The gospel today is much more than the history of the healing powers of Jesus, including raising people from the dead. It is the history of Jesus giving life and, more than that, doing precisely what he was not supposed to do, as for example, touching or letting himself be touched by the untouchables according to the law. Today a woman without a name, with no money and no hope and with twelve years of suffering illnesses, interrupts Jesus on his path of a house of a man with a name, with money and also with a daughter twelve years of age, who was herself sick. Jesus, apart from the deep sensibility towards a woman who touched him from amongst the large crowd, is not afraid to become impure, the simple faith of this woman as an example that teaches us how to come closer to Jesus, with utter trust when we seek health and peace.

ALTAR SERVERS: we invite all children who have made (or will be making) their First Communion to become altar server. Call Eduardo (323)629-1482

Mass July 6, 2018 @ 6PM Honoring LaJuana D. Drew-Perkins (7:30AM Mass choir Co Director Musician). Born June 17, 1963-RIP June 16, 2019.

MASS INTENTIONS

5:30PM +Ashley Orihuela

7:30AM Sergio Juarez, Blanca Ornelas, Bianca Ornelas, Velma Fatherlee, Eloise Holloway, Serena Thompson, Raymond Alcautara, Rafael Moyano-ill, Socorro Munoz-ill

11:00AM + LaJuana Drew

THE FEAST OF ST. LAWRENCE OF BRINDISI OUR PATRON SAINT IS ON JULY 21ST

Please plan on joining us to celebrate the feast day of St. Lawrence of Brindisi. We will begin with Novenario (Rosary for nine days) on July 12th at 6PM in the church. We will end the Novenario on July 21st with a mass at 5:30pm and a POT LUCK reception will follow. Save the date on your calendar!

¿DID YOU KNOW?

Go beyond just saying "no" to teach children about polite exceptions. Rules about politeness seem to be in contradiction to the rules we teach children about avoiding predators and responding to behaviors that them uncomfortable. It's important to expand on the idea of saying "no" when someone asks them to cross a boundary. Explain that there are situations where being rude is acceptable, if that's what it takes, and help them understand that being polite has its limits. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS article "Exceptions for Children on Society's Rules about being 'Polite'" visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.

SWAP MEET

Next Swap meet is July 7th. Call Teresa to reserve a Space. The space is 10X10 and cost \$20. If you don't want to sell come and support your neighbors. There are some great bargains!

Sadly it has been reported that purses are being stolen during Mass. Please keep your purse/wallet close to you and bring it with you when you are receiving communion.