

PARISH BULLETIN

Our Lady of the Rosary Church

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JULY 18, 2010 – 16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Right Thing

Luke 10:38-42

Like pale green coins the cucumber slices fell aside as Martha's knife furiously cut to the breadboard in steady whacks. The faster she cut, the angrier she became. There were still the tomatoes and no-one was watching the meat.

A peal of laughter came from the other room where Mary was sitting with Jesus. They were enjoying a glass of wine together. Martha suddenly remembered the bread and the pile of unwashed dishes from this morning.

The second round of laughter was all Martha could take. She stabbed her knife into a cucumber and stormed out into the living room.

Jesus was still laughing when he looked up at Martha's sudden entry. The laugh melted on his face as Martha fought back her tears: "Lord, don't you care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her to come and help me!"

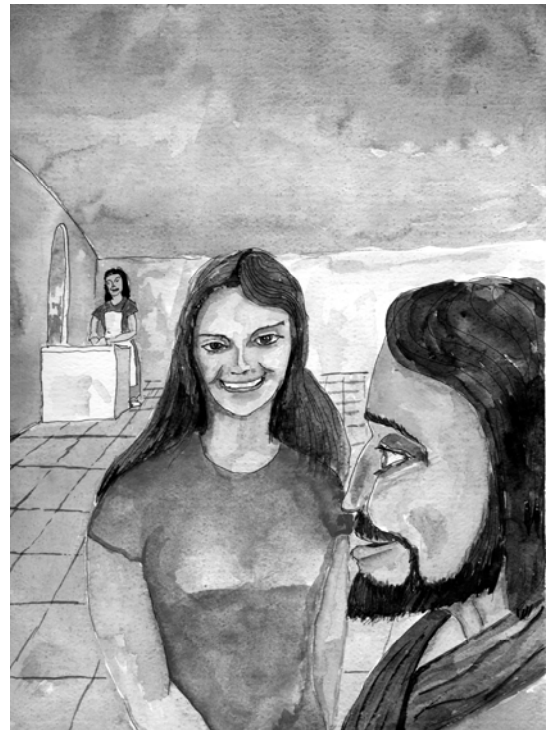
Jesus glanced at Mary who was wide-eyed from Martha's outburst. He waited a moment before replying.

"Martha," he said softly, rising and going to her side. He gently put his arm around her. "Martha, you are worried and troubled over so many things." Her wet eyes looked up at Jesus. "Just one thing is really needed."

Martha wasn't yet ready for Jesus' teaching. She was still shaking with emotion. She knew that Mary wanted to be a disciple of Jesus. She also knew that Mary was fearless and wasn't afraid to step beyond the traditional boundaries assigned to women.

Jesus continued, "Mary has chosen the right thing and it will not be taken away from her."

Mary felt a flush of happiness course over her at these encouraging words from Jesus. She looked at him with thanks in her eyes. Then, without a word, she excused herself and went into the kitchen to help Martha with the preparations for the meal. Jesus went outside and rejoined the disciples who were eagerly awaiting the invitation to dinner.





Martha's sister Mary is a model for all of us. Her example reminds us to take time to "smell the roses" and be with our Lord. If Jesus is living in our hearts, riding with us 24-hours a day, do we take time to say hello? We need to get out of the kitchen of "busy activity" and go sit at the feet of our "guest" and listen to him with all of our hearts.

-- Deacon Dick Folger

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. English; 6:15 p.m. Cantonese

Sunday: 6:45 a.m. Spanish; 8:15 a.m. English; 9:45 a.m. Spanish; 11:30 a.m. English

Daily Mass (Bilingual):

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 8:15 a.m.;

Saturday 9:00 a.m. (Communion Service on Mondays)

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Every Saturday, 3:30 p.m.

Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage

Call the Parish Office six months in advance, (510) 471-2609.

PARISH OFFICE

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Open Tue.- Fri., 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.; Tue.- Fri., 6:00-9:00 p.m.; Sat., 10:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m.

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OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY SCHOOL

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INFORMATION FOR THE COMING WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS

For July 19, 2010 to July 25, 2010

- Mon. 8:15 a.m. – Communion Service)
- Tue. 8:15 a.m. – For Us, The Parishioners
- Wed. 8:15 a.m. - Dorothy Matty (Dec.)
- Thur. 8:15 a.m. – Joel Bayquen (Birthday)
- Fri. 8:15 a.m. – Gianni Miraglia (Dec.); Ana (Dec.) & Armengol Aguilar (Dec.)
- Sat. 9:00 a.m. – Mario Van Der Henst (Dec.)
- 5:00 p.m. – Edward J. Matty (Dec.)
- Sun. 6:45 a.m. – Sergio Padilla (Dec.)
- 8:15 a.m. – Betty Heffernan (Dec.)
- 9:45 a.m. – Ernesto Valle (Dec.)
- 11:30 a.m. - Margarito (Dec.) & Eusevia Valdes (Dec.)

WEEKDAY READINGS

For July 19, 2010 to July 24, 2010

Mon Micah 6:1-4,6-8 / Matthew 12:38-42

Tues. Micah 7:14-15,18-20 / Matthew 12:46-50
 Wed. Jeremiah 1:1,4-10 / Matthew 13:1-9
 Thu. Jeremiah 2:1-3,7-8,12-13 / John 20:1-2,11-18
 Fri. Jeremiah 3:14-17 / Matthew 13:18-23
 Sat. Jeremiah 7:1-11 / Matthew 13:24-30

SUNDAY READINGS

July 25, 2010 – 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Genesis 18:20-32 / 2nd Reading: Colossians 2:12-14 / Gospel: Luke 11:1-13

COLLECTIONS

For July 11, 2010

First Collection (Including EFT)	\$8,546.42
Our budgeted goal for the First Collection	9,566.00
Second Collection: <i>PLEASE SEE ANNOUNCEMENT BELOW</i>	
Children's Envelopes	1.00

Thank you very much! We appreciate your support.

THIS WEEKEND'S SPONSORSHIPS

HOSTS: By Shawn Kelly, for the Kelly Family.

CANDLES: By the Cruz Family in memory of Silvestre Cruz and Josefa Cruz

To set up a sponsorship, see the form at the bottom of the next page of this Bulletin. Thank you for your support.

TODAY

***Let it Snow Cone,
 Let it Snow Cone,
 Let it Snow Cone!***

\$1.50 EACH

**IN FRONT OF CHURCH AFTER MASS
 PROCEEDS TO SUPPORT THE SPANISH YOUTH PROGRAM**

*(A cool, fat-free confection, except for
 liver and chicken flavors, which are not fat free).*

NEW ARTICLES

**CHANGE IN SECOND COLLECTIONS
 NEXT WEEKEND – ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

Hopefully you are aware of the fact that we had our Mission Appeal earlier than usual this year. Last weekend the priest visiting our parish and celebrating Mass made the Mission Appeal, and we asked you to give to the missions in last weekend's second collection. We also asked you to hold your St. Vincent de Paul donation until next week.

As a result, the second collection next weekend, July 18, will be for St. Vincent de Paul and not for the Mission Appeal. Sorry for the confusion, but the envelopes were printed before we were aware of this change.

THOUGHTFULNESS THAT WE FORGOT TO MENTION. Last month Our Lady's Guild presented Fr. José a check in the amount of \$2,500.00 to help the parish cover some of its expenses. These funds were obtained through the many "fun" fundraisers that the Guild holds throughout the year, such as its semi-annual Salad Bar Luncheon and Bingo. In behalf of the parish Fr. Jose thanks the Guild for its hard work and support.

"The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few." This also holds true with the Guild, which enjoys a large membership but many of the members are either very busy or are getting a little bit older. New members are welcome to keep the Guild the vibrant and active group that it has been for many years. If you are interested in joining, or want more information, please call Joan Linson at 510.471.0191. Everyone is welcome (except men, of course).

A NOTE ABOUT THE COLLECTION TOTALS. It always gets confusing when we switch second collections around like we have last week. As a result we will wait a couple of weeks to report the financial outcome of the Mission Appeal to you. Why? We have a feeling that a significant amount of money will be turned in for the Missions on the date of the original collection, July 25.

KEEP THESE PARISHIONERS IN YOUR PRAYERS. Long-time parishioners Al and Pat Gowin had a large fire in their Hayward home in the morning of June 29. Pat was in the house when the fire started and was rescued by a neighbor. She was in Hayward Kaiser CCU for smoke inhalation until July 2, when she was moved to Kaiser's Post Acute Care Center in San Leandro to recover. If all has gone according to plan, Pat should have left KPPACC this week and her and her husband will take residence in a Fremont retirement community. It will take about a year to rebuild their home.

FREE WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE. Spectrum Community Services will be at Our Lady of the Rosary **next Sunday** after all of the Masses to sign up low-income families, disabled persons and senior citizens for its Free Weatherization Program.

This program can assist in the following areas: attic insulation, attic ventilation, door weather stripping, outlet gasket installation, faucet aerator installation, water heater blanket, low flow shower heads, caulking, refrigerator (older than 18 yrs), microwave, stove, minor home repairs, and assistance with PG&E bills. If you think you might qualify, be sure to bring a copy of your current PG&E bill and verification of your income with you next weekend. Sample income limits are \$2,482.61 per month for a single person, \$4,010.37 for a family of 3, and \$6,302.01 for a family of six.

ARTICLES FROM PREVIOUS WEEKS

STARTING THIS WEDNESDAY – MORE STAINED GLASS WINDOWS TO BE INSTALLED

We are pleased to announce that the next group of Stained Glass Windows which have been donated by our parishioners are going to be installed this coming week. This is part of Phase III of our project. These windows are located primarily at each side of the main entrance to the church and include the following:

The Immaculate Conception, Our Lady of Lourdes, Our Lady of China, Our Lady of Fatima, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, San Martin Caballero, The Book of Gospels, St. Vincent de Paul and St. Jude

So to sum up, we are installing half of Phase III. There are still 11 windows in Phase III to be purchased. Phase IV, the final phase, will be windows in the Chapel, but this will not be done until Phase III closes out and once Church Renovation Funds accumulate to the point where a complete structural remodel of the Chapel can be undertaken.

If you are interested in the Phase III windows that are still available, please contact our Parish Office for a brochure.

WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR FAITH? DO YOU WANT TO RECEIVE SACRAMENTS LATER IN LIFE like Baptism, First Eucharist, or Confirmation? If so, consider taking part in our RCIA Program. This program is for people 18 years and older. We meet in the First Floor Conference Room of the Parish Office on Sundays after the 8:15 a.m. Mass. If you are interested in participating in this program, or know someone who is, stop by when we meet or call Fr. José at 510.471.2609

FAITH. IT IS ONE OF MANY REASONS TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY SCHOOL. Our Lady of the Rosary School gives our students a firm foundation in the "Three R's." It is a fourth "R," religion, which binds it all together and makes our students whole. We integrate our faith into the curriculum so that it becomes a way of life. At OLR School, religious education is not a weekly occurrence, but something that our students experience daily. There are openings in the school for most grades at the present time. If you would like to see what Our Lady of the Rosary School could do for your child, give us a call at (510) 471-3765 or stop by. We would like to share our story with you.

ARTICLES FROM OUTSIDE THE PARISH

VACCINE CLINIC TO BE HELD SOON. Tiburcio Vasquez Health Centre is holding a drop-in vaccination clinic for students from Kindergarten – 12th grade in time for back-to-school. It will take place on Mondays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on Fridays from 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. from July 23 to August 27 at the Logan Health Center at 1800 "H" Street. Parents or guardians must be present, and should bring their child's yellow IZ card. There will also be dental screenings on Friday August 20 and Friday August 27 from 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. Services are provided free or at a reduced rate for the uninsured. For more information please call 510.471.2520 ext. 60174.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL GUEST CHEF EVENT, a fundraiser for the SVDP Kitchen of Champions Culinary Program, will be held at the St. Vincent de Paul Free Dining Room, 675 23rd St. in Oakland on Wednesday, July 21. The guest chef will be The Grand Tavern's Executive Chef Kay Eskind with the 2010 Kitchen of Champions students. Tickets are \$72.00 per person, \$125.00 for two, or \$475 for a table of 8. For more information call 510.636.4261.

PRAYERS

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS those in our parish and families who are ill or homebound: Tony Baligaya, Elvamae Borghi, Lindy C., Jacob Cady, Maria Camarillo, Grace Caminada, Daniel Canales, Rose Canales, Grace Carr, Anita Castillo, Grace Continelli, Cindy Davis, Chealsy Davis, Courtney Davis, Maria DeAraujo, Jennie DeCosta, Irene Drouin, Joseph Dunbar, Juanita

Estrellas, Ed Fiala, James Finnigan, Sobeida Gallegos, Pat Gowin, Ronnie Graves, Emilio Gudino, Keith Gunter, Ethel Guerrero, Jesús Gutierrez, Anne Guzman, Eduardo Hernandez, Henry Hernandez, Margaret K., Mark Kamakea, Francisco Lozano, Carmen Martinez, Lupita Martinez, Philip Molina, Frances Morales, Joe Morales, Richard Nelson, Ma. Elena Ochoa, Luis Ruben Peinado, Mario Perales, Anita Perkins, Alexandria Ramos, Monica Raygoza, Benjamin Renteria, Marcella Roderigues, Lydia Rodriguez, Fernando Puyol, Joe Romero, Angel Salindong, Macca Savage, Lori Silva, Myron Tejada, Vivianlee Tonry, Fernando Trujillo, Ana Valdez, Bienvenida Villafuerte, Mary Ybarra. (Ren. 7/11)

Our Lady of the Rosary: SPONSORSHIP OF HOSTS, WINE, CANDLES AND FLOWERS

I want to sponsor the following on the first available weekend – or – on this weekend *

Hosts (\$25.00/week); Wine (\$35.00/week); Candles (\$35.00/week); Flowers (\$125.00/week)

Today's Date _____

Name _____ Envelope/Acct. # _____

Address _____ Phone _____

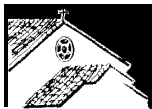
I would like my gift recognized as follows:

(Examples: "The Hosts are sponsored by the Guerrero Family."

"The wine is sponsored by Mary Smith in memory of her mother, Gladys Jones.")

* No date guarantees can be made. If a desired week is already taken, the closest weekend will be given.

Please place this in the collection (include this form and donation in an envelope) or bring it to the Parish Office



***This Week
At O.L.R.***

Tuesday, July 20

Bible Study, English, Eddie Dobrec Room, 10:00 a.m.

Rosary Night, Spanish, 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 21

Rosary Night, Spanish, 6:00 p.m.

School Board Meeting, Office Room 107, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 22

Rosary Night, Spanish, 6:00 p.m.

Friday, July 23

Dinner for those in need, Eddie Dobrec Room, 6:00 p.m.

Spanish Choir Practice, Church, 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 24

Rosary Night, Spanish, 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 25

Second Collection for St. Vincent de Paul

**Fundraising gift cards and religious articles sold after Mass
Information and sign-ups on free weatherization services from Spectrum Community
Services, in front of the Church after Mass**