



# PARISH BULLETIN

## Our Lady of the Rosary Church

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*AUGUST 2, 2009 – 18<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME*

### ***The Bread of Life***

*John 6: 24-35*

The boats from Tiberias were crowded with passengers which they were carrying back to Capernaum. Behind them was the beach where the boatmen had noticed the crowds, clamoring for a ride to the other side of the lake. Their fares exceeded what the boatmen could have made from fishing for the day, and it was an easy run because the sea was remarkably calm after the sudden storm which had raged the waters during the night.

The boat was full of talk about Jesus and the miracle of the loaves. The young boy standing by the fat helmsman boasted, "I am the one that brought the five barley loaves and the two fish."

The helmsman steered off course for a moment as he looked down at the lad. "And that was enough to feed all of these people and those still on the shore?" he laughed.

The others in the boat began to compare Jesus with Moses who had given the people bread from heaven. One man exclaimed: "Surely Jesus is a new Moses who has the power to challenge not only the kings of Israel but the power of Rome itself." Everyone agreed that Jesus was a new king, a new leader for the people.

When they reached Capernaum they were astounded to learn that Jesus was already there. He had not left with his disciples on the only boat the night before. Yet, here he was.

It was then that Jesus told the crowds that they were wrongly seeking him for earthly food. He told them he was the living bread. "I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never be hungry; he who believes in me will never thirst."

The young boy who had brought the loaves and fishes the day before went straight to Jesus and stood by his side. He looked up with admiration at the tall teacher beside him. Jesus recognized the boy and smiled down, placing his hand on the boy's shoulder. Jesus hugged him to his side and repeated what he had just said: "I am the bread of life. He who comes to me shall not hunger; and he who believes in me shall never thirst."



*Today's Gospel challenges us to examine the depth of our faith. Do we come to Mass every Sunday just for our satisfaction...a "free meal" at Communion. Or are we there because of the strength of our faith. We believe.*

*Who are we in this crowd of Sunday followers. Are we those seeking only for today, or are we the ones who know the truth of Jesus' words: "...believe in the One God sent."*

*-- Deacon Dick Folger*

### **Our Lady of the Rosary Church**

**Fr. José M. León, Pastor**

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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**

Phone: (510) 471-2609 Fax: 471-4601 E-mail: admin@olrchurch.org

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

#### **OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD, RCIA)**

703 "C" Street, Union City, CA 94587-2195

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Open Tues. - Fri., 1:30 - 5:00 p.m. and Sat., 8:00 a.m. - Noon

#### **OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY SCHOOL**

678 "B" Street, Union City, CA 94587-2141

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## **INFORMATION FOR THE COMING WEEK**

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

##### **For August 3, 2009 to August 9, 2009**

Mon. 8:15 a.m. – Communion Service

Tue. 8:15 a.m. – Tony Traka (Health)

Wed. 8:15 a.m. – La Virgen Maria de Las Nieves (Thanksgiving)

Thur. 8:15 a.m. – Lillian Clark (Deceased)

Fri. 8:15 a.m. – For Us, The Parishioners

Sat. 9:00 a.m. – For the Youth of our City

5:00 p.m. – Toni (Deceased) & Genny (Deceased) Baranouskas;

Anna Moynihan (Deceased)

Sun. 6:45 a.m. – Lupita Tijero (Birthday)

8:15 a.m. – Armando (Birthday) & Jose Luis Ornelas (Birthday)

9:45 a.m. – Leopoldo Padilla, Jr. (Birthday)

11:30 a.m. - Roberto Rivera (Deceased)

#### **WEEKDAY READINGS**

**For August 3, 2009 to August 8, 2009**

Mon Numbers 11:4b-15 / Matthew 14:13-21  
 Tues. Numbers 12:1-13 / Matthew 14:22-36  
 Wed. Numbers 13:1-2,25-14:1,26-29a,34-35 / Matthew 15:21-28  
 Thu. Daniel 7:9-10,13-14 / 2 Peter 1:16-19 / Mark 9:2-10  
 Fri. Deuteronomy 4:32-40 / Matthew 16:24-28  
 Sat. Deuteronomy 6:4-13 / Matthew 17:14-20

**SUNDAY READINGS**

**August 9, 2009 – 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: 1 Kings 19:4-8 / 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Ephesians 4:30-5:2 / Gospel: John 6:41-51

**COLLECTIONS**

**July 26, 2009**

First Collection (Including EFT) .....	\$6,337.00
Our budgeted goal for the First Collection .....	9,566.00
Second Collection: Summer Utilities/Air Conditioning .....	2,104.00
Children's Envelopes .....	30.00

*Thank you very much! We appreciate your support.*

**THIS WEEKEND'S SPONSORSHIPS**

**HOSTS:** By Norma Martinez, in memory of her aunt Ana Maria Pagan

**WINE:** By Raymond and Gloria Lovato, in memory of Raymond A. Lovato, Jr.

**CANDLES:** By Maria Lourdes Alvares, in memory of her husband Salvador Duarte

**FLOWERS:** By the Borghi Family, in memory of Frank Borghi III

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

**SUMMER LECTURE SERIES:  
 THE LAST SESSION IS  
 "AMPHIBIOUS"**

**NEW ARTICLES**

**TOADY AFTER THE 8:15 MASS –  
 SEE FOR YOURSELF:  
 ARMENAK DOES NOT HAVE  
 A FROG IN HIS THROAT**

**Armenak is blessed** with a strong voice and an engaging style in his presentations. **Your last chance to experience it this year is TODAY AFTER THE 8:15 MASS in the Parish Hall.** The

donation for this session is \$7.00. The topic of the presentation will be *The Incarnation*. At the conclusion of this session one may pose questions about this and any of the previous sessions.

**EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT THIS FRIDAY.** As this Friday, August 7 is a First Friday, we will have the Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. It will be held in the Chapel from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. There is a sign-up sheet in the chapel with one hour time slots. Please sign up in advance so that we can be assured that someone will be present with the Blessed Sacrament.

**COFFEE AND DONUT FELLOWSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 9.** Be sure to stick around after Mass and chat with your fellow parishioners and fella parishionettes.

Remember to thank with your words and patronage **Roberto's Donuts**, located at 404 W. Harder Road (where Harder and Santa Clara meet) in Hayward. They have donated dozens and dozens of donuts to us over the years for this event.

**FUNDRAISING GIFT CARDS AND CERTIFICATES, AND RELIGIOUS ARTICLES WILL BE SOLD AFTER MASS NEXT WEEKEND.**

**CCD STAFF TO WORK ON THEIR TANS.** As mentioned during the summer, our **CCD staff will be in front of the Church every Sunday registering students for grades 1-6 during the entire month of August.** Both past and former students in the program must register before classes begin in September. Students who are entering grades 7 or above, or those who are interested in receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation will need to register with the Youth Ministry program. Read upcoming editions of the Bulletin to learn when Youth Ministry and Confirmation sign-ups and informational meetings will take place.

**CHURCH VOLUNTEER CLEANING MEETING MOVED.** The second orientation meeting for volunteer church cleaners, originally scheduled for Thursday, July 30, had to be rescheduled. It is now set for **TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE CHURCH.** If you did not attend the first meeting last Sunday, or if you are interested in volunteering in this ministry, please be sure to attend this meeting.

**SORRY FOR THE MISTAKE.** For last week's sponsorship of candles, we spelled the last name "Lovato" incorrectly. Last week's candle sponsorship should have read "By the Lovato family, in memory of Raymond A. Lovato, Jr."

**HELP STUDENTS GET THE SCHOOL SUPPLIES THEY NEED.** To help students that need school supplies and backpacks but cannot afford them, the English Youth Group is having a drive to collect these items. *Please see the flyer that appears in the center of this Bulletin.*

## **ARTICLES FROM PREVIOUS WEEKS**

**IT'S TIME!** We will start accepting **FLEA MARKET** items **THIS WEEK.** The drop-off procedure for flea market items will be different this year in the interest of ensuring that donations are properly secured at the time of drop-off.

**Starting Wednesday, August 5, flea market items may be dropped off on the following days and at the following times:**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays of the month, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. (August 8, August 22, September 12, September 26)
- Every Sunday, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

- Every Wednesday, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

When you want to drop off items, drive up to the tan cargo container next to the Parish Office. This year the container will have an attendant who will accept your donations. The purpose of this is that the attendant can make sure that your items are locked up in the container for security, and so that a donation receipt can be issued at the time your donation is made. ***Please make your donations only during the above days and times.***

These are our guidelines of the donations we can accept:

**We can use:** Household items such as kitchen pots and utensils; furniture; knick knacks; tools; appliances.

**Please do not bring:** Clothing and shoes; paints and cleaning products; furniture or appliances in need of repair. In addition, this year we are not accepting electronics such as televisions, computers and monitors. This is due to the fact that, given the recent changes in technology (the advent of LCD and DTV), many of these items are not valuable as flea market items when they are older. We are also not accepting monitors as we would have to feed them and keep their cages clean between now and the Festival.

**The Festival can also use the following items:** Books for the book booth; new hand-crafted boutique items; glassware for the dime toss booth.

Thank you in advance for your support.

**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 Camila Magdaleno at (510) 471-7419.

## ***ARTICLES FROM OUTSIDE THE PARISH***

**TIBURCIO VASQUEZ SPONSORS NO-COST/LOW COST\* IMMUNIZATIONS IN TIME FOR BACK-TO-SCHOOL.** From July 29 to September 4, Tiburcio Vasquez Health Center is having a Summer Immunization Clinic at the Health Center at James Logan High School at 1800 "H" Street in Union City. The clinic will be open on Wednesdays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on Fridays from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Services are available to students in Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grades (a parent or guardian must accompany the student, and should bring the student's yellow state immunization record). On Wednesdays dental screenings are also given to students enrolling in Kindergarten. No appointment is necessary for all services. For more information please call 510.476.0400. (\*Vaccines are provided free or at a reduced rate for the uninsured).

**SPANISH SPIRITUAL GROUP FOR PEOPLE WITH OR AFFECTED BY HIV INFECTION.** Fr. Juan Franco will host a spiritual growth program in three sessions for persons who are HIV Positive or for others affected by HIV. Remaining sessions will take place on Saturday, August 22 at 6:30 p.m. and Saturday, September 5 at 12:00 Noon (a healing Mass). The series will take place at Casa Fremont, 4766 Serra Avenue in Fremont. For more information or to register please call Ron or Antonio at 510.593.1045 or e-mail at ron94538@yahoo.com.

## ***PRAYERS***

**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS** those in our parish and families who are ill or homebound: Sylvia Arias, Tony Baligaya, Lindy C., Paul Cabrera, Maria Camarillo, Grace Caminada, Daniel Canales, Rose Canales, Grace Carr, Anita Castillo, Grace Continelli, Cindy Davis, Chealsy Davis, Courtney

Davis, Jennie DeCosta, Irene Drouin, Joseph Dunbar, Martha Estrella, Juanita Estrellas, Mary Ferrario, Ed Fiala, James Finnigan, Frank Gallegos, Sobeida Gallegos, Ronnie Graves, Emilio Gudino, Keith Gunter, Ethel Guerrero, Jesús Gutierrez, Anne Guzman, Herm Henderson, Eduardo Hernandez, Henry Hernandez, Margaret K., Mark Kamakea, Erika Lepe, Francisco Lozano, Carmen Martinez, Lupita Martinez, Philip Molina, Frances Morales, Joe Morales, Richard Nelson, Mario Perales, Anita Perkins, Monica Raygoza, Benjamin Renteria, Al Roderigues, Jr., Marcella Roderigues, Lydia Rodriguez, Joe Romero, Angel Salindong, Macca Savage, Myron Tejada, Vivianlee Tonry. (Ren. 08/02)

**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 (\$77.00/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***

English Youth Group is Sponsoring

# Backpacks for Kids

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!!**

There are many kids in our community who need backpacks and school supplies and can't afford them. So....

For the next two weekends we will be collecting new backpacks, lunch boxes and school supplies. Just bring anything you can donate to Mass with you and we will see to it that they will go to good use! We will be collecting donations in front of the Church.



*Thank you very much!*

## Suggestions

- Backpacks
- Pens Blue or Black ink
- Lunch boxes
- Erasers
- Crayons
- Markers
- #2 Pencils
- Glue Sticks
- Rulers
- 8 1/2 x 11 Notebooks
- Calculators

**DONATIONS OF  
CASH ALSO  
ACCEPTED,**  
which we will use to  
purchase additional  
supplies



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

**Tuesday, July 4**

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

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

**Wednesday, July 5**

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

**Thursday, July 6**

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

**Friday, July 7**

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

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

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

**Saturday, August 8**

**Guadalupe Society Meeting**, 10:00 a.m.

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

**Sunday, August 9**

**Second Collection for Parish Maintenance**

**Coffee and Donut Fellowship after Mass**

**Fundraising gift cards and religious articles sold after Mass**

**English Choir Practice**, after the 11:30 a.m. Mass

