

PARISH BULLETIN

Our Lady of the Rosary Church

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AUGUST 8, 2010 – 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Wherever Your Treasure Lies . . .

Luke 12: 32-48

A twig popped somewhere in the orange embers of the campfire. For a moment the yellow flames licked up as if trying to escape from the molten sea of coals. Jesus turned his skewered fish to cook the other side. All of the disciples were already wolfing down their meal, finishing off all of the bread except for one last piece which they had left for Jesus.

While his fish cooked, Jesus stood up to speak. A few stars were already lighting up in the pale sky as the last moments of day descended over the little group camped at the water's edge. Still chewing, Peter's beard danced in the lavender light as he looked up to hear what Jesus would say.

"Do not live in fear, little flock," Jesus said, knowing that his words would be hard for them to follow after the tribulations began. Peter chewed faster and smiled at the other men, as if to boast of his own personal bravery.

"It has pleased the Father to give you the kingdom," Jesus declared, urging them to realize how blessed they were with God's infinite spiritual riches. But Jesus knew how difficult it was going to be for them to separate their worldly riches from those promised from the Father.

Jesus stooped to check his fish. It needed to cook more. He continued, "Sell what you have and give to the poor." At this they all looked up, hoping he didn't really mean it. But he did.

"Get purses for yourselves that do not wear out," Jesus went on, "...a never-failing treasure with the Lord which no thief comes near nor any moth destroys."

James was listening intently. He swallowed his last bite of bread and asked Jesus. "But,



Lord we need money here. How can we not have treasure here. What good is treasure in some other place?"

Jesus pointed at the sky to emphasize his teaching: "Wherever your treasure lies, there your heart will be."



This Sunday Jesus invites us to think about the depth of our own faith. He tells us not to worry—the Father will give us everything. He says "sell what you have" and give yourselves to him. He says we have to choose between the treasures of the world and the spiritual treasures of God. It should be a simple choice, but most of us seem to want both treasures. We're left with the hard question, "Where is your treasure, where is your true heart?"

-- 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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INFORMATION FOR THE COMING WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS

For August 9, 2010 to August 15, 2010

Mon. 8:15 a.m. – Communion Service

Tue. 8:15 a.m. – Miss Margaret Williams (Health)

Wed. 8:15 a.m. - Jose Luis Peinado (Health)

Thur. 8:15 a.m. – For us, the Parishioners

Fri. 8:15 a.m. – Juana Ontiveros (Dec.)

Sat. 9:00 a.m. – Asuncion Aguila (Dec.)

5:00 p.m. – Maria Salome Pitta (Dec.); Donna Maria Pitta (Dec.)

Sun. 6:45 a.m. – Salvador Duarte (Dec.)

8:15 a.m. – Betty Heffernan (Dec.)

9:45 a.m. – Esther Ortega (Dec.)
11:30 a.m. - Rafael Gutierrez (Dec.)

WEEKDAY READINGS

For August 9, 2010 to August 14, 2010

Mon Ezekiel 1:2-5,24-28c / Matthew 17:22-27
Tues. 2 Corinthians 9:6-10 / John 12:24-26
Wed. Ezekiel 9:1-7; 10:18-22 / Matthew 18:15-20
Thu. Ezekiel 12:1-12 / Matthew 18:21-19:1
Fri. Ezekiel 16:1-15,60,63 / Matthew 19:3-12
Sat. Ezekiel 18:1-10,13b,30-32 / Matthew 19:13-15

SUNDAY READINGS

August 15, 2010 – The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

1st Reading: Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a,10ab / 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-27 / Gospel: Luke 1:39-56

COLLECTIONS

For August 1, 2010

First Collection (Including EFT)	\$7,928.42
Our budgeted goal for the First Collection	9,566.00
Second Collection: Church Interior Renovation.....	2,044.00
Children's Envelopes	5.00

Thank you very much! We appreciate your support.

THIS WEEKEND'S SPONSORSHIPS

HOSTS: By the Borghi Family, in loving memory of Frank Borghi III

WINE: By the Borghi Family, in loving memory of Frank Borghi III

CANDLES: By the Borghi Family, in loving memory of Frank Borghi III

FLOWERS: By the wedding party of Galinda and Camarillo

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

NEW ARTICLES

THE CARGO CONTAINER IS HERE!

WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING FLEA MARKET ITEMS FOR THE FESTIVAL!

... AND WE HAVE SOME HELP!

The cargo container is here, so bring them on . . . your flea market donations.

Ernie Rivera has graciously offered his assistance in accepting your donations and loading the container. He will be here on Sundays at the following times to assist you:

- After the 6:45 a.m. Mass

- Between the end of the 8:15 a.m. and before the 9:45 a.m. Mass
- After the 11:30 a.m. Mass

At other times (like during the week) you can also get Ernie to accept your donations by calling him at 510.449.3014.

It is much better to make your donation when Ernie is around or the office is open to ensure that your donations are securely locked in the container. In addition, we want to make sure that donated items are not left in front of the container doors, as this means that the items must be moved twice.

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; linens and drapes; area rugs; framed art; automobile accessories (tires, wheels, floor mats).

Please do not bring:

Clothing and shoes; paints and cleaning products; furniture or appliances in need of repair. In addition, we do not accept 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.

Do you want to be a flea market lady or gentleman? We do not have a person to run the flea market this year. If you can help in this capacity, please call us at the office and let us know.

Thank you in advance for your support.

CYO SIGN UPS THIS MONTH. Sign-ups for CYO basketball and cheerleading for the upcoming fall season will be taken starting this week. These programs are open to young people attending grades 3-8 who reside within our parish boundaries. Sign-ups will be taken in the Parish Hall or the Dobrec Room during the following dates and times:

- Saturday, August 14, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon
- Wednesday, August 18, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
- Saturday, August 28, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon.

When signing up bring your child's birth certificate to verify age and a copy of a utility bill for the month of August (e.g. PG&E, AT&T, Comcast, etc.) to verify residency. Basketball registration fee is \$125.00 for the first child, plus participation in a fundraiser.

For more information, and information on the CYO program in general visit the CYO website at www.olrcyo.org

A "THANK YOU."

To the Our Lady of the Rosary Family:

Food for the Poor wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Fr. Lopez on his recent visit to your parish.

On behalf of our less fortunate brothers and sisters of Latin America and the Caribbean, we thank you for having shared in their lives. They, and you, are blessed by your generosity.

In Christ,

The Food for the Poor Family

CLARIFICATION OF TWO COLLECTIONS. You will recall that we switched the collections of July 11 and 25 to accommodate the visit of the priest doing the Mission Coop appeal. This, of course, caused some confusion. As a result we had not reported the totals of the two collections that were switched as we were waiting for both collections to pass and for things to even themselves out. As we are now confident that things are sorted out, we report the results of both collections here. The collection for St. Vincent de Paul was \$2,540.00, and the collection for the Mission Co-op Plan was \$2,178.00. Thank you very much for your support.

TRANSLATION TOTATION. Just to let you know, for the month of August Santos Alvarez is translating the Bulletin from English to Spanish. We used to rotate between Santos and Martha Estrella every other month, but when she fell and broke her bone we rotated year-by-year so she could recover. Now that Santos and Martha have both translated the Bulletin for an entire year, we are now returning to a month-to-month rotation. Thanks very much to these two hard working and talented people.

ARTICLES FROM PREVIOUS WEEKS

SPANISH YOUTH HOLDING A CAR WASH THIS SATURDAY. The Spanish Youth Group is having a car wash **This Saturday, August 14** from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. This event will raise funds to pay for expenses associated with the group's various plays and skits. The donation for a car wash will be \$5.00 (\$8.00 for vans, trucks and large dogs). The car wash will take place next to the Parish Office near the "B" Street gate. There will be music and snacks will be sold so you can have something to listen to and munch on while your car (truck or dog) is being washed. Even dirty cars are welcome. **See the additional page included in this edition of the Bulletin.**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NOW SELLING TICKETS for their Festival Drawing. Tickets are \$2.00 each, and the drawing will be held on the stage at the end of the Festival. The prizes will be the same as they were last year:

- First Prize: \$500.00 in Chevron gift cards
- Second Prize: \$500.00 in Chevron gift cards
- Third Prize: \$500.00 in Safeway gift cards.

So look in front of the church after Mass – chances are one of the Knights will be there to sell you tickets.

DURING THE ENTIRE MONTH OF AUGUST CCD REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH AFTER THE SUNDAY MASSES.

PERFORMANCE OF OLR BALLET FOLKLORICO GROUP ON AUGUST 28. On Saturday, August 28, the Ballet Folklórico of Our Lady of the Rosary will present its "Noche Mexicana" at

7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. It will begin at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00 for adults, \$7.00 for students, and children under 5 will be admitted free. Tickets will be sold outside of the Church on Sundays from now until the event at the table where the CCD registrations are being taken. For more information call 510.579.9877. **See the additional page included in this edition of the Bulletin.**

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 _____

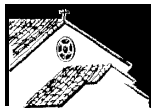
I would like my gift recognized as follows:

(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, August 10

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

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

Wednesday, August 11

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

Thursday, August 12

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

Friday, August 13

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 14

Guadalupe Society Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

Car Wash, sponsored by the Spanish Youth, 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

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

Sunday, August 15

Second Collection for Diocesan Obligations

