

<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u>			
Saturday	-	May 16	-
+Manuel R. Rocha & +Guilhermina Rocha Req. by Almerinda Rocha			
Saturday	-	May 16	-
Sean & Maggie Talbott, Wedding Anniversary Req. by Kathy Norcia			
Sunday	-	May 17	-
+Lloyd & +Liz Phillips --- Req. by Stephen & Betsy Pirrone			
Sunday	-	May 17	-
Living & Deceased Veterans			
Sunday	-	May 17	-
+Bienvenido Fama			
Sunday	-	May 17	-
Aaron & Marian			
Sunday	-	May 17	-
Missa Pro Populo			
Monday	-	May 18	-
+Frank Roxas --- Req. by Chita			
Monday	-	May 18	-
Lara, Amara & Zara Riparip			
Tuesday	-	May 19	-
Fr. Louis Marx			
Tuesday	-	May 19	-
Fr. Louis Marx, Ordination Anniversary Req. by Art & Terri Foltz +Patricia Dalisay --- Req. by her Daughter			
Wednesday	-	May 20	-
+Edda Mella Navarro --- Req. by Chita			
Wednesday	-	May 20	-
+James Martin Butler --- Req. by his Family			
Thursday	-	May 21	-
The Quiroz Family			
Thursday	-	May 21	-
Bob Meyer & Logan Meyer, for Guidance			
Thursday	-	May 21	-
Adrianna Cordova			
Friday	-	May 22	-
+Pendi Tedjasmita			
Friday	-	May 22	-
+Joseph Norcia --- Req. by Kathy Norcia			
Saturday	-	May 23	-
+Cecilia & +Paulus Gani			
Saturday	-	May 23	-
Mary Sliwa --- Req. by her Husband, Paul			

INTENTIONS FOR THE SICK

Vanessa Vargas, Mother Lily, Susie Hudson, Peter & Barbara Halpin, Eugene Hackbarth, Michael, Garrett, Ron & Steve Espalin, Robert McElhenney, Tim Kline, Noah Portka, Sue Strough, Robert, Marysia & Tyler Johnson, Hahn Family, Walter Sr. & Helen McGee, Joe, Evelyn & Ramona Aranda, Doreen Botelho, Luis Tiong, Laura Ann Lima, Therese Aaker, Amelia Gonzales, Jim & Pat McCann, Sr. Kathleen Lamia, Mary, Daniel & Ron Moore Sr., Fabian Victor, Hannemann Family, James Jhun, Marie Poulin, Paula Gerber, Hilma Anderson, Betty Mead, Ed Kristy, Denise Ybarra, Jude Zechariah Aquino, Dominguez Family, Ken Onoda, Gail Hudson, Bill Domer, Marie & Edward Goff, Mary Elizabeth Quan, Donna Loeffler, Gilbert P. Espinoza, Frank Aguirre, Benjamin Nicasio, Marcellene & Fred Hewitt, Violeta Mendoza, Geri Lee, Daniel Hernandez, Paul Hagenburger, Bob and Carolyn Salle, Frances Davis, Maria Aguilar, Denise Sheets, Veronica Urczyk, Patricia Higgins, Elizabeth Curiel, Gloria MacCall, Sandy Jones, Almerinda Rocha, Jose Bulalacao, Josefina Zavalza, Carol Kelly, Christopher Gonzales, Sean Dunn, Joe & Anna Palfreyman, Carol Nguyen, Esperanza Hill, Isidra Olmos, Estrella Ordone Devera, Veronica Galvan, Hazel Munoz, Peter Moglia, Michael P. Sweeney, Mary Benevidez, Paul Acala

INTENTIONS FOR THE DECEASED

John Leach, Gracie Gampe, Joseph Mosco, Mario Medina, Jose Orozco Cortez, Carmen Sanchez, Ingrid Jones, Gabriel, Connie, Fred, Tony, Al & Christine Aguirre, Joseph Gilwood, David O.& Dona Powell, Travis Ryan Thomas Pettit, Hilaria Bulalacao, Linda Sue McPheeters, Joe Zuniga, Luz Hale, Gilbert Rodriguez, Ethna Shears, Robert Gomez, John Donat, Don D'Orino, Chuck Murray, Irene Martinez, Victor Renteria

Corpus Christi

“St. Francis Xavier, St. Francis Regis and others spent whole hours during the day and, frequently, a great part of the night at the foot of the [Blessed Sacrament of the] altar; it was in these long interviews with Jesus Christ that they advanced the good works they had in hand, converted sinners, and obtained success in all their undertakings for the glory of God and their own sanctification.”
Bl. J.B. Marcellin Champagnat

CHOOSE LIFE – Pregnancy Hot Line (909) 398-4838

When the time comes when parents are able to select the genetic traits of their offspring, “I would not oppose selecting for intelligence. We could assume that people of higher intelligence would have good consequences for society.” This statement from Peter Singer, philosopher, author and professor of bioethics at Princeton University, let columnist Jeff Jacoby to question the good consequences produced by Mr. Singer’s intelligence through his advocacy of a 28-day period during which newborns could be killed and his conclusion that breeding children for spare parts is “not something really wrong in itself.” (Jess Jacoby, Boston Globe, 3/4/09)

THE CRISTERO WAR - A FREE PRESENTATION - MAY 23RD

Ruben Quezada, author of the official companion book to the movie *For Greater Glory*, will be giving a free presentation about the Cristero War on Saturday, May 23rd starting at 6:00 PM at St. Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church (9112 Oleander Ave., Fontana).

J.M.J.
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
May 17th, 2015

Did he really lose his way?

If we examine the events of our lives and our hearts, we often see the finger of the Almighty directing the events of our lives; often times, in very surprising events.

Father Benoit was one of the pioneer Priests of the mid-West. Bishop Bonte of Fort Wayne once sent him to the foot of Lake Michigan to minister to the few scattered Catholics in the neighborhood of what is now the huge city of Chicago.

Father Benoit started out on horseback. Much of his journey lay through forests and across prairies, and the Missionary lost his way. Since it was late in the evening and he really needed daylight to correct his way, and also both he and his horse were exhausted, he breathed a sigh of relief when he stumbled across a lonely dwelling. He asked the owner if he could have lodging for the night.

"Stranger, I have only a poor hut and no bed to even offer you."
"Only let me have shelter for my horse. I will lie down on the floor or hayloft--as you direct; any place at all, just to rest."
"Since you are so easily satisfied, you are welcome. Put up your horse. But know, I cannot entertain you, however, my wife is seriously ill. I do think she is dying."

When Father Benoit put up his horse in the barn, he returned to the house and entered in. He was surprised to see some Catholic pictures. He hurried to the sick woman and asked if she were a Catholic.

"I am," replied the poor woman.
"Would you not wish to see a Priest before you died?" asked Father Benoit.
"Oh, sir, I have prayed for that to the Blessed Mother for seventeen years, now."
"I am Father Benoit, may I assist you?"

--*Perpetual Help*, Liguori, Missouri

SPRING COMBINED COLLECTION - TODAY!

This special second collection will support Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Communications Campaign, Peter’s Pence and the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. We invite you to help make a real difference in the lives of those around the world and even those next door. Thank you and God Bless!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ALTAR BOY APPRECIATION

The Knights of Columbus will be having the Second Annual Altar Boy Appreciation Day on June 21st from 10:30 AM to 2:00 PM in the Parish Hall.

CORPUS CHRISTI MEETING – May 24th

Attention all Lead representatives of San Secondo d’Asti Church Ministries, our **LAST planning meeting** is scheduled for May 24th at 1:30 PM in the Parish Office. Please start making preparations.

ADDITIONAL UPCOMING LATIN HIGH MASS SCHEDULE

May 23rd the 6:30 AM Mass will be a High Mass.
Pentecost - Sunday, May 24th: 10:30 AM High Mass
May 30th the 6:30 AM Mass will be a High Mass.
The Most Holy Trinity - Sunday, May 31st: 10:30 AM High Mass

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED – MAY 25th

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, May 25th in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

ADULT RCIA CLASSES – June 14th
Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith or converting? Are you an adult who still needs to receive Baptism, First Holy Communion or Confirmation? Would you like to brush up on what our Holy Church teaches and why? If so, then RCIA is for you! Classes will be held on Sundays at 9:00 AM in the Parish Hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST MOVED!

Due to our Corpus Christi celebration falling on the first Sunday of June the Knights of Columbus Monthly Breakfast has been moved to June 14th. Hope to see you there!

CORPUS CHRISTI – June 7th

Flyers and business cards for our Corpus Christi event will be in the back of the church. Take a few and help us to spread the word! Come and join us as we celebrate this great Solemnity of Corpus Christi, (the Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ). On Sunday, June 7th, our celebration of Corpus Christi will begin with a Procession at 12:30PM, Holy Mass at 2:00PM, followed by an International buffet.

Corpus Christi Novena

In preparation for this great Feast Day, we will be having a **Nine-day Novena** with Benediction at **7:00PM**, here at San Secondo d’Asti on **May 29th through June 6th**.

Modesty
“It is our bodies, regenerated at Holy Baptism, which become temples of the living God, living tabernacles of the Most Holy Eucharist. The dignity of your Christian body demands adequate clothing. ‘Now you are the body of Christ, and members of member.’ (1 Cor 12:27) ‘I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercy of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, pleasing unto God, your reasonable service.’ (Rom 12:1). --*Our Lady of Fatima Stressed...Modesty in Dress* by The Fatima Center

REVIEW YOUR FAITH

Are all the ordinary deeds done every day to relieve the corporal or spiritual needs of others true works of mercy?
All the ordinary deeds done every day to relieve the corporal or spiritual needs of others are true works of mercy, if done in the name of Christ.

Doing them in the name of Christ means doing them for the love of Christ, It is really loving Him in the members of His Mystical Body. He Himself has said of all these actions done to help others, "As long as you did it for one of these, the least of My brethren, you did it for Me" (Matt. 25, 40).

Readings: Cycle B, Weekday Readings: Year 1
5/18/15 Acts 19:1 - 8, Jn 16:29 - 33 (297) - *St. John 1*
5/19/15 Acts 20:17 - 27, Jn: 1 - 11a (298)
5/20/15 Acts 20:28- 38, Jn 17:11b - 19 (299) - *St. Bernardine of Siena*
5/21/15 Acts 22:30, 23: 6 - 11, Jn 17: 20 -26 (300) - *St. Christopher Magallanes*
5/22/15 Acts 25: 13b - 21, Jn 21: 15 - 19 (301)

St. Christopher Magallanes is a martyr and saint who was killed without trial on the way to say Mass during the Cristero War. The last words heard spoken by Magallanes were from his cell, when he shouted, "I am innocent and I die innocent. I forgive with all my heart those responsible for my death, and I ask God that the shedding of my blood serve the peace of our divided Mexico." Pope John Paul II beatified the Cristero martyrs in 1992 and canonized them in 2000.