

MASS INTENTIONS			
Saturday	-	September 24	- 6:30 AM
+Jesus Martinez --- Req. by Ricarda Martinez			
Saturday	-	September 24	- 5:00 PM
Rafael & Maria Palomino, 50th Wedding Anniversary			
Sunday	-	September 25	- 7:30 AM
Darin Day			
Sunday	-	September 25	- 9:00 AM
Kathy Norcia & Vivian Chacon			
Sunday	-	September 25	- 10:30 AM
Dan & Laura Lesinki, Wedding Anniversary			
Sunday	-	September 25	- 12:30 PM
Jojo & Lita Bravo			
Sunday	-	September 25	- 5:00 PM
Missa Pro Populo			
Monday	-	September 26	- 6:30 AM
Living & Deceased Members of Evangeline Remo Family			
Monday	-	September 26	- 8:00 AM
+Rolando Lampa Sr., Anniversary of his Death -- Req. by Vilma Lampa			
Monday	-	September 26	- 7:00 PM
Betty Mead & Family			
Tuesday	-	September 27	- 6:30 AM
Gary Sharr -- Req. by his family			
Tuesday	-	September 27	- 8:00 AM
In Thanksgiving -- Req. by Susie Summers			
Phile & Aurora Ledesma, 68th Wedding Anniversary			
Tuesday	-	September 27	- 7:00 PM
+Raquel Soto -- Req. by Family			
Wednesday	-	September 28	- 6:30 AM
+Maria Flores -- Req. by Martha			
Wednesday	-	September 28	- 8:00 AM
+Conrad Uytengco -- Req. by the Esser Family			
Wednesday	-	September 28	- 7:00 PM
Holy Souls in Purgatory -- Req. by Maria Jilly			
Thursday	-	September 29	- 6:30 AM
Betsy & Stephen Pirrone, Wedding Anniversary			
Thursday	-	September 29	- 8:00 AM
+Kevin O'Shea -- Req. by Sharon O'Connor			
Thursday	-	September 29	- 7:00 PM
Holy Souls in Purgatory -- Req. by Maria Jilly			
Friday	-	September 30	- 6:30 AM
+Daniel M. McLeod -- Req. by his Son, Dan McLeod			
Friday	-	September 30	- 8:00 AM
+June Masanque			
Friday	-	September 30	- 7:00 PM
Holy Souls in Purgatory -- Req. by Maria Jilly			
Saturday	-	October 1	- 6:30 AM
+Daniel M. McLeod -- Req. by his Son, Dan McLeod			
Saturday	-	October 1	- 5:00 PM
John & Veronica Galvan			

INTENTIONS FOR THE SICK

Vanessa Vargas, Mother Lily, Eugene Hackbarth, Ron, Steve, Michael Espalin, Robert Tim Kline, Sue Strough, Joe, Evelyn & Ramona Aranda, Doreen Botelho, Luis Tiong, Laura Ann Lima, Sr. Kathleen Lamia, Mary, Daniel, John-Paul & Ron Moore Sr., Jude Zechariah Aquino, Bill Domer, Mary Elizabeth Quan, Bob and Carolyn Salle, Carol Kelly, Joe & Anna Palfreyman, Michael P. Sweeney, Liliana Luna, Esther Farmer, Chris Herrera, Benito Aguirre, Xiamora Largaespada, Leslie Timmons, Jim McCann, Sylvia Todd, Michelle Clum, Amelia Mallada, Tonia Tamayo, Noreen McLaurin, Gay Yuhas, Darlene Nolte, Carla Hannemann, Felisa Sarmiento, Betty Mead, Christiana Martinz, Mercedes, John Lynn Petersen, Allen Bennett, Alike Anwya, Gilbert Rodriguez, Timothy Munoz, Darin Day, Tina Chidley, Zachary Castillo, Consuelo Dominguez, Peter Moglio, Daniel Montana, Jennifer S., Sandra, Robles & Babies, Fortunato Moran, Emma Martinez, Nellie Hernandez, Mary J. Garcia, Paul Punzo, Steve Carlin, Donnie Gilbert, Steve George, Guillermo Fitzmaurice, Richard Smith, Manuel Batista, Julia Nowles, Maria Porretta, Joe & Stacie Helms, Allen & Jan Bennett, Alva Adams, Claudia Barnes, Esperanza Orozco, Michael Butterworth, Stephanie Cooley, Terese Rearick, Anne Ryan, Connie Stevens, Grace Diaz, Baby Sebastian Velasco, Risha Parayno, Veronica Urczwk, Estrella Katigbak, John & Veronica Galvan, Heidi Guillen, Amanda Nunez, Tobias Raphael Clum, Zechariah Clemmons, Jozef Magyar

INTENTIONS FOR THE DECEASED

Espiridion Pulmano, Daniel McLeod Sr., Rafael Godinez, Sr., Fr. Richard Hoynes, Joseph Zacharko, Louise Taylor, Walter McGee, Burt Gardes, Travis Ryan Thomas Pettit, Gabriel, Connie, Fred, Tony, Al & Christine Aguirre, Joseph Gilwood, David O. & Dona Powell, Virginia Otero, Domingo Abagat, Samantha Guandique, Charles Lustig, Laura Estrada, Yolanda Carrillo, Peter Urczwk, Edgar Katigbak, Oletha Dunn, Christopherson Cortes, Ponder Phillips, John Francis Vandegrift (Dutch),

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

A report in a prestigious medical journal (*American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology*) confirms what previous studies have shown: abortion is associated with an increase risk of premature birth in subsequent pregnancies. Although the link is well-established, women are not normally informed of the risk when they are counseled at abortion centers. (*Live News*).

PRO LIFE's Prayers for the Unborn - October 1st

The San Secondo Pro Life Ministry prays the **first Saturday of every month** at both the Montclair (5050 Palo Verde Ave.) and Pomona (1550 N. Garey Ave.) abortion clinics from 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM. A Pro Life prayer leader will always be present at both locations. Come, pray with us and let us be a witness!

San Secondo d'Asti Food Pantry Thanksgiving Food Drive – Every Sunday from Oct. 2nd till Nov. 13th!

The San Secondo d'Asti Food Pantry will be collecting food donations for our Thanksgiving Baskets Sunday, October 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th and November 6th and 13th after the morning Masses. We are asking for donations of canned yams, canned pumpkin, canned milk, cranberry sauce, gravy, instant mash potatoes, etc. Donations of frozen turkeys would be greatly appreciated! And we always appreciate grocery store gift cards and monetary donations. *We will also be accepting donations in the Parish Office up till Nov. 17th.* God bless you for your continued support for this ministry!

J.M.J.
TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
September 25th, 2016

Thoughtful Poverty

Some weeks back I heard that there was a family who had not eaten for some days—a Hindu family, to be exact—so concerned, I was moved to do what I could and I took some rice that I had available and took it to the family.

I had hardly given it to the mother when she quickly divided the rice into another container, dividing it into two equal portions, and then, asked me to wait and quickly excused herself saying she would quickly return from a visit to her next door neighbor, who happened to be a Moslem family, I later learned.

When she had returned as promised, I remarked to her, “You now have very little for your family, now that you have given half of what I gave you away and you have ten mouths to feed on such a little amount that is left.”

She shrugged her shoulders and simply said: “They haven’t eaten either.”

She then thanked me again for the food and excused herself to go and feed her family.

This is greatness.

--Mother Teresa

BICYCLE BLESSING - Oct. 13th

On Thursday, October 13th in honor of Madonna del Ghisallo, the patron saint of cyclists, we will be dedicating the 8:00 AM Holy Mass to the blessing and protection of all cyclists followed by a blessing of bicycles outside of the church in the parking lot. The Mass and blessing will be celebrated by Fr. Francis our own avid cyclist. We invite all those who are interested in having their bicycles blessed to join us!

KofC, Council 12938, to Sponsor Youth Soccer Challenge

Attention: All boys and girls ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge. The competition will be held on October 2nd from 8:00 AM until 12:00 PM, in front of the Parish Hall. The competition is designed to demonstrate the most basic soccer skills--the penalty kick. Each player will be allowed 15 shots at the goal from the penalty line (12 yards from the goal). The highest score in each age group wins and moves on to the District Championships. Awards for the highest scoring boy and girl in each age group will be made at 12:15 PM. Applications will be available at the time of the event.

EUCCHARISTIC MONTHLY ADORATION - October 6th

San Secondo d'Asti will have their Monthly Eucharistic Adoration on October 6th. Adoration hours are from 9:00 AM on Thursday until 6:00 AM on Friday and open to the entire parish.

COMMUNION OF REPARATION - October 7th - 8th

First Friday - First Saturday Devotion in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary with its basic elements of Rosary, Eucharist, Confession & Holy Hours of Adoration. Oct. 7th: 7:00 PM Holy Mass-Latin (Sacred Heart of Jesus), Exposition, 9:00 PM Nine Offices of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Oct. 8th: 12:30 AM Holy Scripture Rosary (20 Decades), 3:00 AM Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, 3:15 AM Saturday Office of Reading (Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary), 5:45 AM Benediction & Reposition, 6:30 AM Latin Mass (Immaculate Heart of Mary). Live out the devotions of Fatima and the Sacred Heart revelations!

SAN SECONDO ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION - Oct. 2nd
Please join us as we celebrate the 90th Anniversary of our Parish! The Knights of Columbus will be hosting the celebration on Sunday, October 2nd inside the Parish Hall starting after the 7:30 AM Mass through the 12:30 PM Mass. Food and drinks will be provided free of charge. All are welcome to join!

2016 Diocese Development Fund – Goal: \$52,800
If we do not meet our goal our Parish will have to pay the difference!
Donated: \$30,794.76 Number of Donors: 157
Amount Still Needed: \$22,005.24

Thank you to all of the families who have contributed to this year's DDF! We will be having a second collection for our 2016 DDF next Saturday and Sunday, October 1st - 2nd. God bless you for your continued support of our Parish!

PLANNING FOR THE FALL FESTIVAL HAS BEGUN!

For more information or if you are interested in volunteering or having a booth at the fair please contact Janet Henry at janetmariehenry@gmail.com. Thank you for your support, generosity and participation!

ROSARY & ALTAR SOCIETY

The Rosary and Altar Society are in need of three new women members. Must be over 18 years old and a practicing parishioner of San Secondo d'Asti.

ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASS

We will be offering two Adult Confirmation Classes. The first class will be held on Thursdays starting October 6th at 6:30 PM and the second class will be held on Saturdays starting October 8th at 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Registration will be taken at the first class. Please bring your Baptism & 1st Communion Certificates.

MARY'S MERCY TABLE - October 15th

Volunteers from San Secondo meet at Mary's Mercy Table every third Saturday of the month from 8:30 AM to 1:00 PM. (641 Roberts Ave. in San Bernardino.)

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE ANNUAL SILENT RETREAT FOR WOMEN - March 17th- 19th

The Annual Silent Retreat for Women will be on March 17th - 19th at the Sacred Hart Retreat House of the Carmelite Sister in Los Angeles. The Retreat Master will be Fr. Phillip De Vous.

Modesty
“Many woman...give into the tyranny of fashion, be it even immodest, in such a way as to appear not even to suspect that it is unbecoming. They have lost the very concept of danger; they have lost the instinct of modesty.” – Pope Pius XII

Readings: Cycle C, Weekday Readings: Year 2
9/26/16 Jb 1:6-22, Lk 9:46-50 (455) - *Sts. Cosmas & Damian*
9/27/16 Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23, Lk 9:51-56 (456) - *St. Vincent de Paul*
9/28/16 Jb 9:1-12, 14-16, Lk 9:57-62 (457) - *Sts. Wenceslaus & Laurence Ruiz & Companions*
9/29/16 Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a, Jn 1:47-51 (647) - *Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael*
9/30/16 Jb 38:1, 12-21, 40:3-5, Lk 10:13-16 (459) - *St. Jerome*