

May 14th 2017 - Fifth Sunday of Easter(A)

HOLY FAMILY Catholic Church

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I am
the Way, the Truth,
and the Life.
No one comes to the
Father except
through me.

Jesus Christ

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses

Saturday Anticipatory Masses

5:00pm (Eng)

7:00pm (Eng; except-1st & 3rd Bilingual English/Filipino)

Sunday AM

6:30am (Eng.) 8:00am (Span.) 9:45am (Eng.)

11:30am (Eng.) 1:00pm (Port.) 2:30 pm

(1st & 3rd Sunday Chinese) 4:00pm (Eng.)

5:30pm (English) 7:00pm (Eng.)

Weekday, Holy Days & Holidays

8:00am and 6:30pm

Saturday Mass: 8:00am

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY 8:30am to 7:30pm

Closed for Lunch 12:30pm to 1:30pm

SATURDAY: 8:30am to 3:00pm

SUNDAY: 9:00am to 1:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Fridays: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Saturdays: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Sundays: 9:00am - 9:45am and 10:45am - 11:30am

Thursday before First Friday: 3:30pm - 4:30pm

First Friday: 7:15am - 7:45am

Other than the regular Confession Schedule,
kindly contact the Parish office by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Saturday 12:00 noon

2nd Saturday of the Month (English)

3rd Saturday of the Month (Spanish)

4th Saturday of the Month (English)

Registration at least 2 months before Baptism

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Registration at least 6 months before the Wedding

A Bucket of Chicken

A few weeks ago our Peruvian cook prepared us a Tinolang Manok for lunch. It is a Filipino soup-based dish with chicken, wedges of green papaya in broth flavored with ginger, onion and fish sauce. Then before dinner time I brought a grilled barbecue chicken from a family who had their house blessed. Then I realized a parishioner brought us another dish of chicken as well. Our kitchen is full of chicken.

I remember then a story about chicken...

One fine evening a man walked into a fast-food chicken place and bought a nine-piece bucket of chicken. He took his chicken to the park for a romantic picnic under the moonlight with his woman.

Upon reaching into the bucket, however, he received a surprise. Instead of a chicken he discovered what was apparently the restaurant's night deposit - nine thousand dollars. The young man brought the bucket back to the store and asked for his chicken in exchange for the money. The manager, in awe of the young man's honesty, asked for his name and told him he wanted to call the newspaper and the local news station to do a story on him. He would become a local hero, an example of honesty and morality that would inspire others!

The hungry man shrugged it off. "My date's waiting. I just want my chicken."

The manager's renewed amazement over the young man's humility almost overwhelmed him. He begged to be allowed to tell the story on the news. At this the honest man became angry with the manager and demanded his chicken.

"I don't get it," the manager responded. "You are an honest man in a dishonest world! This is a perfect opportunity to show the world that there are honest people still willing to take a stand for what is right. Please, give me your name and also the woman's name. Is that your wife?"

"That's the problem," said the young man. "My wife is at home. The woman in my car is my girlfriend. Now let me have my chicken so I can get out of here."

It's easy to look good to people who don't know you. Many of us do a good deed here and there, go to church, say the right words, and everyone thinks we're something that we're not. But God sees your heart (1 Samuel 16:7). It really doesn't matter how much you do or what other people think of you. What matters is what's on the inside.

- Fr. Joachim Ablanida, MMHC

Parish Directory

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Prayer Meetings

Bible Study

Wednesday, 7:15PM (Parish Hall)

Cenacle of The Blessed Virgin Mary

Every Tuesday, 7:30 PM (Church)

Divine Mercy Cenacle

on the 3rd Friday at 7:30 pm
(St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Rm)

Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursday, 7:30 PM (St. Joseph Ctr)

Legion of Mary

Monday's, 9:30 AM (St. Elizabeth Room)
& 7:15PM (St. Elizabeth Seton)
Legion of Mary (Chinese) Saturday's 10:00 am

Portuguese Cursillo

1st & 3rd Friday, 7:00 PM (St. Joseph Ctr)

**Spanish Prayer Group
(Grupo de Evangelicacion)**

Todo primer Viernes del mes, de 7:15pm-9:00pm
1st Friday of each month from 7:15pm-9:00pm
"La Hora Santa" dentro de la Iglesia
"The Holy Hour" inside the Church
2nd & 4th Viernes/Friday, 7:00PM (St. Joseph Ctr)
Sabado/Saturday's at 7:00PM (St. Seton's Rm)
Estudios Biblicos/Bible Study

Movimiento Familiar Cristiano (MFC)

Reuniones de familias del I, II, y III nivel (en las casas) Para informes de reuniones llamar al: (562) 481 - 8546

Devotions

Chaplet of the Divine Mercy

Daily ~ 8:30AM & 6:15PM

Eucharistic Adoration (Exposition Room)

Mon. Tues. Thurs & Fri - 9:00 am - 6:00 pm (Adoration Chapel)
Wednesday - 9:00 am - 2:00 pm (Adoration Chapel)
2:00 pm - 6:15 pm (Church)
First Friday - 7:00 pm (Church)
No Adoration on Saturdays, Sundays and All National Holidays

The Miraculous Saturday Devotion

1st Saturday of each month devotion after the 8:00 am Mass
Rosary with 15 minutes Meditation.

Liturgy of the Hour

Monday - Saturday 7:40AM (Church)

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesdays, 8:45AM (Church) after the Divine Mercy
Chaplet and also after the 6:30pm mass

Rosary

Monday - Saturday, 7:15 am (Church)

Rosary for Life Every Tues after the 8am mass & Divine Mercy

Sunday, May 14 ~ Mother's Day~

5:30am – 6:30am **De Colores Choir** ST. ANTHONY DE PADUA
9:45am – 10:45am **PS Class ~ Closing Day ~**

Monday, May 15

9:30am – 10:30am **Legion of Mary Praesidium / AM** ST. SETON RM
7:00pm – 9:00pm **De Colores Choir** ST. ANTHONY DE PADUA CHOIR RM
7:00pm – 9:00pm **RCIA Mystagogy Class** ST. JOSEPH CTR.
7:00pm – 8:00pm **Sac Prep Class ~ Closing Day ~**
7:00pm – 9:00pm **Legion of Mary Praesidium / PM** ST. SETON RM

Tuesday, May 16

10:00am – 12:00pm **Spanish Intercessory Group** ST. SETON RM
7:00pm – 9:00pm **Fil-Am-Cc Mtg.** ST. VINCENT DE PAUL RM.
7:00pm – 9:00pm **Knights of Columbus Mtg.** JOHN PAUL RM.

Wednesday, May 17

10:00am **Chinese Group Evangelization Project** ST. SETON RM.
2:00pm – 6:00pm **No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** CHURCH
7:30pm – 9:00pm **Youth Choir** ST. ANTHONY DE PADUA
6:30pm **Mass - JH CHURCH~ Closing Day ~**
~7:15pm – 8:00pm **Class JH ~**
7:15pm – 9:00pm **Bible Study** PARISH HALL

Thursday, May 18

7:00pm – 10:00pm **Charismatic Prayer Group** ST. JOSEPH CTR.
7:00pm – 9:00pm **Portuguese Cursillo** OLF CLASSROOMS
7:00pm – 9:00pm **Society of St. Vincent de Paul.** ST. SETON RM.

Friday, May 19

2:00pm – 4:00pm **Library – Open Hours** ST. SETON RM.
7:15pm – 9:00pm **FHC Practice – Sat 1 & 2 Rooms 2, 3 K & ME Room 3** CHURCH
7:30pm – 9:30pm **Chinese Bible Study** GOOD SHEPHERD RM.
7:30pm – 9:00pm **Cenacle of the Divine Mercy** ST. SETON RM.

Saturday, May 20

10:00am **FHC Mass – Sat. 1 & 2 Rooms 2, 3, K & ME Room 3** CHURCH
7:00pm – 9:00pm **Grupo de Evangelización** ST. SETON RM.

Weekly Collections

In order to maintain our services, meet our expenses, and restore savings, the parish needs an average of \$22,000.00 in its weekly collection.

May 6th - 7th, 2017

\$9,299

Building Fund Collection May 6th - 7th, 2017

\$14,893

~Thank you for sharing what God has given you with our Parish. ~

Reminder

There will be no Adoration in the church on Wednesday, May 17th, 2017.

Thank you!

The Ministry of Hospitality/Usher Workshop

Special Guest Speaker: Sr. Gretchen Hailer, RSHM

When: Saturday, May 20

Time: 9:30am-12pm

Where: St Joseph Center

All Ministers of Hospitality/Ushers are expected to attend. Mass Coordinators are also invited. Anyone interested in being part of this most important ministry is welcome.

Altar Server Schedule**It's Your Turn!!!**

If there is a star next to your name you are the Lead Altar Server for that Mass. Please be sure to call a substitute if you are not able to serve. We thank all of you for the continued commitment to your ministry. God bless!

Saturday, May 20

5:00pm S Francisco*, A & G Andal, S Laurel

7:00pm J & J Nacua, A & M Elomina

Sunday, May 21

6:30am A Montanez

8:00am G & G Perez

9:45am N Sutandar*, M Sutandar, T Nguyen, E Bernaldez

11:30am C Caballes*, A, A & C Caballes

1:00pm M Barcelos, C Avila

4:00pm J Closa*, J & A Medrano, J Urriza

5:30pm S Sany*, V Orellana, A Calma

7:00pm V Ufondu*, V Ufondu, J & J Uy, B & C De La Pena

Mass Intentions

(Parish Priest: Fr. JC=John Cordero, Fr. JA = Fr. Joachim, Fr. JS=Fr. Joshua, Fr. RS=Fr. Raja Selvam, Fr.LP=Fr.Luis Proenca, Fr.CM=Fr.Craig MacMahon, Fr. JG=Fr.Jesse Galaz, Fr. TA-Fr. Thomas Asia)

Monday, May 15

8:00am/ Fr. CM †Araceli Sangria

6:30pm/ Fr. JG †Carlos Yujuico

Tuesday, May 16

8:00am/ Fr. CM †Avelino de la Paz

6:30pm/ Fr. JG †Pedro & Remedios San Miguel

Wednesday, May 17

8:00am/ Guest Nicanor Lonzame (Special Intention)

6:30pm/ Fr. JG †Jose & Cirila Aquino

Thursday, May 18

8:00am/ Fr. CM Jel Bauzon (Birthday)

6:30pm/ Fr. TA †Eduardo Remulla

Friday, May 19

8:00am/ Fr. CM †All Souls in the Purgatory

6:30pm/ Fr. JG Wilma Jaojoco (Thanksgiving)

Saturday, May 20

8:00am/ Guest Erik Ceja (Thanksgiving)

5:00pm/ Fr. JS †Alcinda Cota

7:00pm / Fr. JC †Rev. Mathias Ho

Sunday, May 21

6:30am/ Fr. JS †Del Matias

8:00am/ Fr. JS Petra de Avila (Special Intention)

9:45am/ Fr. JA Holy Family Parishioners

11:30am/ Fr.JA †Rafael Sr. & Jovita Oriol

1:00pm/ Fr. LP †Manuel & Francisca Duarte

4:00 pm/ Fr. JA †Norberto Buendia

5:30pm/ Fr. RB †Ben-Shing Zha

7:00 pm/ Fr. RB †Rodolfo Concepcion

The Priest Schedule is Subject to Change



We are called to the difficult work of discipleship, to be both hearers and doers of the Word. In and through our Baptism, we were given new life in Christ and became members of the Body of Christ- the Church. As such, each of us is called to holiness, and to use our unique gifts and talents to further the work and mission of the Church. We are also called to use these gifts to help build up God's kingdom on earth, and lead lives which give glory to God.



It is a mandate of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles that all Parish Staff and Volunteers are Virtus trained and fingerprinted. We have scheduled Virtus classes here at Holy Family on the following dates.

June 10 Certification- 8:45am Protecting God's Children**August 19 Certification 8:45am Protecting God's Children****September 11 Certification 8:45am Protecting God's Children****September 19 Recertification 5:45pm Keeping the Promise Alive****October 21 Recertification 8:45am Keeping the Promise Alive****October 24 Certification 8:45am Protecting God's Children****November 17 Rectification 5:45pm Keeping the Promise Alive**

If you have already attended the 3 hour Certification class "Protecting God's Children", and it has been 4 years, you must attend the re certification class, "Keeping the Promise Alive". If you have never attended a Virtus class and /or it has been more than 4 years you must attend the 3 hour class. Online registration only for any of these classes at the following links:

To register for Protecting God's Children (3 hour class) use this link

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080f4eaaad2ba4fa7-protecting>

To register for Keeping the Promise Alive (1.5 hour class) use this link

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080f4eaaad2ba4fa7-keeping>

Wedding Banns

Third Announcement
Emmanuel Narvaez &
Alexandra Hernandez

We Pray for the Sick

Yolanda Alocoran, Moises Basa, Jim Beeghly, Avelina Caburnay, Gilbert Carrillo, Maria Chun, Enrique de Avila, Jose & Josefina Delfin, Frances Duarte, Alan Ebreo, Brent Ebreo, Romeo Exconde, Nestor Hermosillo, John Jun, Dee Krijikian, Angela Lee, Candice Lee, Eun Hwa Lee, Jose & Aurea Lim, Josefina Limtao, Gunter Liu, Danilo Llamas, Purita Loveria, Stephanie Martin, Michael Morales, Michael & Richard O'Donnell, Vickie Paulos, Angelita Ramos, Richard Reyes Sr., John Ryan, , Marie Samson, , Simon Semaan, Catherine Unanka, Ramiro Sr. & Alex Vidaña, Sofronio Zaraspe.

Baptisms



Let us rejoice!

The Following were welcomed into the Catholic Community on **May 6th 2017**

- Miles Joseph Balediata**
- Adam Larkin Manzano**
- Aiden Mark Meza**
- Ezekiel Ivan Meza**
- Leo Paulo Pavon, Jr.**
- Margeaux Santos**
- Allen Jack Soule**
- Talon Stone Wimberly**

Rest in Peace

We pray for and remember those who have died.

- Leocadio Cofinco**
- Denise Collins**
- Paul Anthony Jaurequi**
- Maria A. Muñoz**
- Jose Ochoa**
- Cynthia Vega**
- Sofronio Zaraspe**



"Whoever believes in Me, even though that person dies, shall LIVE."

Parish Registration is now available online. Visit register.hfartesia.org to register as a new parishioner or update your existing information.

The Joy of Giving Thanks



Every Thursday
April 20 to June 22, 2017
7:30 - 9:30 pm

St. Joseph's Center
Holy Family Catholic Church, Artesia
18708 Clarkdale Ave., Artesia CA 90701
Telephone (562) 865-2185

A psalm of thanksgiving. Shout joyfully to the Lord, all your lands; serve the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful song. Know that the Lord is God, he made us, we belong to him, we are his people, the flock he shepherds. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name, good indeed is the Lord, His mercy endures forever, his faithfulness lasts through every generation.

<i>The Joy of Giving Thanks</i>				Speaker
May	05/18/17	Thu	IV. Thanksgiving: A Reservoir for God's Blessings	Fr. Aaron Riomasos
Jun	06/08/17	Thu	V. Thanksgiving: Unlocked Mercy for Sinners	Sis Debbie Roberts
Jun	06/15/17	Thu	VI. A Thankful Attitude Opens the Heart of Jesus	Sis Jay Oliver
Jun	06/22/17	Thu	VII. The Power of Gratitude	Fr. John Cordero, MMHC (Pastor)

Sponsored By:
Holy Family Charismatic Prayer Community

DINNER, DANCE & AUCTION

WE'RE HAVING A
Totally Awesome
80's Party

Join us for our Back to the 80's Dinner, Dance & Auction Party at our Lady of Fatima Catholic School. Admission for OLF parents is FREE and will receive three (3) service hours for attendance. Family and friends can purchase tickets for only \$10.00.

Onsite Daycare will be available for a fee

May 20, 2017 @ 6:00 pm
COME DRESSED IN YOUR 80'S BEST!



Religious Education Office Hours
Mon - Thurs - 5:30pm to 8:30pm
Friday- Office closed
Saturday - 8:00am to 1:00pm
Sunday - 9:00am to 4:00pm
Office closed on holidays
(562) 860-5973

Last day of classes:

Sunday- May 14
Monday- May 15
Wednesday- May 17

First Holy Communion Practice

Thursday- May 18 at 7:15pm- Church
(Sat 1 & 2 rooms 2, 3, K & ME room 3)

First Holy Communion

Saturday- May 20 at 10am
(Sat 1 & 2 rooms 2, 3, K & ME room 3)

Registration Dates for School year 2017/2018

July 16 - 9:30am-1:30pm- John Paul II
July 23 - 9:30am-1:30pm- John Paul II
July 30 - 9:30am-1:30pm- John Paul II
August 6 - 9:30am-1:30pm- John Paul II
August 13 - 9:30am-1:30pm- John Paul II
August 20 - 9:30am-1:30pm- John Paul II

Registration Fees:

\$100-One student
\$125-Two students
\$150-Three or more students

A copy of the Baptismal Certificate is required for all new students

\$25 late fee per family will be charged for registrations received after August 21



CONFIRMATION CORNER

Confirmation 1

May 21- 2pm-Class
Community Night
4pm Mass

Confirmation 2

Shields are available for pick up in the Religious Ed office until June 8th during regular office hours.

Fechas de inscripción para el año escolar 2017/2018

16 de julio - 9:30 am -1:30 pm -Juan Pablo II
23 de julio - 9:30 am -1:30 pm -Juan Pablo II
30 de julio - 9:30 am -1:30 pm -Juan Pablo II
6 de agosto-9:30 am -1:30 pm -Juan Pablo II
13 de agosto-9:30 am -1:30 pm -Juan Pablo II
20 de agosto-9:30 am -1:30 pm -Juan Pablo II

Las cuotas de inscripción:
\$ 100-Un estudiante
\$ 125-Dos estudiantes
\$ 150-Tres o más estudiantes

** Se requiere una copia del Certificado de Bautismo para todos los estudiantes nuevos **

** Se cobrará una multa de \$ 25 por familia por inscripciones recibidas después del 21 de agosto **

Congratulations to the **105 young people** that received the sacrament of Confirmation on April 29, 2017! We are all so proud of you and we will continue to keep you in our prayers!

MOTHERHOOD

All mothers are working mothers. —Anonymous

LONGING

The hand will not reach out for what the heart does not long for. —German proverb

Safeguard the Children

DID YOU KNOW?

Lecturing teenagers may feel like the right path to take, especially if they are starting to develop bad habits or make poor choices, but lecturing is usually the least effective way to get your message across. Children tend to see lectures as condescending and abstract, and this detracts from the wisdom and advice you are trying to provide. Instead of lecturing, try to engage your child in calm, open conversation that addresses the issue while allowing you both to talk about what's going on. For more tips and a copy of the VIRTUS® article "Communication Tip No. 11: Why Lecturing Doesn't Work," email jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or call (213) 637-7227.

¿SABIA USTED?

Los padres de familia deben evitar sermonear y comenzar a platicar. Sermonear a los adolescentes puede sentirse como el mejor camino a seguir, especialmente si ellos comienzan a desarrollar malos hábitos o a hacer malas decisiones, pero sermonear es usualmente la forma menos efectiva para transmitir su mensaje. Los niños tienden a ver los sermones como altivos y abstractos, y esto le quita valor a la sabiduría y consejo que usted está tratando de dar. En lugar de sermonear, trate de involucrarse con su hijo/hija en una conversación calmada y abierta, en la que trate el asunto de una forma que les permita a ambos hablar sobre lo que está pasando. Para más consejos y una copia del artículo de VIRTUS® "Communication Tip No. 11: Why Lecturing Doesn't Work" (Consejo de Comunicación No. 11: ¿Por qué sermonear no funciona?) escriba un correo electrónico a bmelendez@la-archdiocese.org o llame al (213) 637-7508.

Fifth Sunday of Easter May 14, 2017

“I am the way and the truth and the life.
No one comes to the Father
except through me.”
— John 14:6



CASINO TURN-AROUND FUND RAISER



Please join us for a casino turn-around to Pechanga Casino and Resort sponsored by Fil-Am CC

- When: Saturday, June 3, 2017
- Pick-up Place: In front of Holy Family Church Artesia
- Pick-up Time: 10:00 AM (morning)
- Donation: \$25.00/person (casino will refund \$5.00)
- Requirement: Valid government issued photo id

*For more information call: Lita Vicente (562)402-4496
Remy Dulguime (562) 900-6745*

******Snacks will be provided during the trip******

how i met your mother

MONDAYS AT 7:30PM ST. JOHN PAUL II ROOM

PRESENTED BY HOLY FAMILY HFYA YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

JOIN US AS WE LEARN THE STORIES BEHIND MARY'S MESSAGE AND THE IMPACT OF HER APPEARANCES.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 105 CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES THAT WERE CONFIRMED ON APRIL 29, 2017



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|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Joshua Ablir | Justin Clemente | Jose Hernandez | Marco Orellana | Kiana Sanchez |
| Delyla Aguilar | Kristin Contreras | Briana Hojo | Luke Ormonde | DiAngelo Santos |
| Esmeralda Aispuro | Destiny Corletto | Emily Hurtado | Denise Oslas | Hailey Sousa |
| Dann Angelo Amoyen | Sofia Costa | Daryl Imperial | Nikolas Otero | Madison Sousa |
| Dann Christian Amoyen | Anthony Couto | Dominic Isata | Kassidy Ourique | Jenika Syfu |
| Dustine Ansiboy | Julia Couto | Stephen Johnston | Anthony Pacheco | Clara Torres |
| Sydney Arevalo | Izaiah Cruz | Tristen Jovellanos | Rianna Panaligan | Reychelle Torres |
| Rebecca Ayala | Joyce Delacruz | Cameron Joyce | Sidney Pasion | Jared Tran |
| Marc Barcelos | Joshlin Diaz | Reese Julian | Ma. Risa Pedrina | Sean Tulud |
| Joshua Barcelos | David D'Silva | Mulsha Laforteza | Esteban Perez | David Tupas |
| John Ryan Bautista | Jade Duong | Aidan Lavadia | Fatima Puente | Jose Miguel Valencerina |
| Jason Blom | Joshua Eballo | Meghan Legayada | Gabriel Quimpo | Jesse Valerio |
| Kimberly Bornilla | Danny Eguilos | Malya Lopez | Jhon Redondo | Jonathan Van Tassell |
| Laysha Caballero | Gabriel Fagundes | Joanna Macaraeg | Michael Reyes | Vince Vasquez |
| Peter Calagui | Bianca Feliciano | Marlena Mallari | Kayley Reyes | Nicholas Vasquez |
| Yvette Campos | Samantha Francisco | Allyson Manansala | Marc Anthony Reyes | Samuel Victoria |
| Gabriel Campos | Tricia Gabino | Aiden Maxirno | Erika Rizal | Ramil Villegas |
| Rosemarie Castaneda | Mitzie Galang | Iris Mejia | Jacen Rodrigo | |
| Michelle Castillo | Danny Galicia | Carina Meneses | Alyssa Ruste | |
| Christal Castillo | Patricia Gomez | Justin Miranda | Matthew Ryan | |
| Pablo Castro | Monica Gonzalez | Michael Mirasol | Carlo Saberón | |
| Carlsean Claricia | Alina Guevara | Keona Nguyen | Aleenah Samonte | |

You will receive
POWER
when the
HOLY SPIRIT
comes upon you,
AND YOU WILL BE MY
witnesses.
-ACTS 1:8

In relation to the Culture of Life, this weekend's readings reflect on our nature as a people, "a chosen race...a holy people." This truth is expressed by the Church in our day through Pope John Paul II's expression, "the People of Life" (Evangelium Vitae). In section 79 of that encyclical, the Pope invoked themes reminiscent of this weekend's readings and tied into the overall theme of the Easter season:

"We are the people of life because God, in his unconditional love, has given us the Gospel of life and by this same Gospel we have been transformed and saved. We have been ransomed by the "Author of life" (Acts 3:15) at the price of his precious blood (cf. 1 Cor 6:20; 7:23; 1 Pet 1:19). Through the waters of Baptism we have been made a part of him (cf. Rom 6:4-5; Col 2:12), as branches which draw nourishment and fruitfulness from the one tree (cf. Jn 15:5). Interiorly renewed by the grace of the Spirit, "who is the Lord and giver of life", we have become a people for life and we are called to act accordingly."

Moreover, the declaration of Jesus that he is "the Way, the Truth, and the Life," and his reference to the "works" that he and his people do, can be effectively summarized by saying that Jesus is the Way precisely because he is truth and life. The Son of God came into the world to destroy the works of the devil" (1 Jn. 3:8), and as John 8 reveals, those works are lies and murder. Jesus, the Way, overcomes those works precisely by being the Truth (undoing the devil's lies) and the Life (undoing the devil's works of death.) The Church's commitment to the defense of human life, and the work of the People of Life, takes its motivation and its shape from this truth.

- from priestsforlife.org/liturgy

En relación a la Cultura de la Vida, las lecturas de este fin de semana se reflejan en nuestra naturaleza como pueblo, "una raza elegida...un pueblo santo." Esta verdad es expresada por la Iglesia en nuestro tiempo a través de la frase de Juan Pablo II, "El Pueblo de la Vida" (Evangelium Vitae). En la sección 79 de esa encíclica, el Papa invoca temáticas que hacen alusión a las lecturas de este fin de semana y que están unidas a la temática general de la época Pascual:

"Somos el pueblo de la vida porque Dios, en su amor incondicional, nos ha dado el Evangelio de la vida y por este mismo Evangelio hemos sido transformados y salvados. Hemos sido rescatados por el "Autor de la vida" (Hechos 3:15) al costo de su preciosa sangre (cf. 1 Cor 6:20; 7:23; 1 Pedro 1:19). A través de las aguas del Bautismo nos hemos convertido en una parte de Él, (cf. Rom 6:4-5; Col 2:12), como ramas que toman los nutrientes y la fertilidad del árbol único (cf. Jn 15:5). Renovados interiormente por la gracia del Espíritu, "que es el Señor y dador de vida", nos hemos convertido en un pueblo para la vida y somos llamados a actuar en consecuencia." Además, la declaración de Jesús de que es "el Camino, la Verdad y la Vida," y su referencia a las "obras" que Él y su pueblo hacen, se pueden resumir de manera efectiva diciendo que Jesús es el Camino precisamente porque Él es la verdad y la vida. El Hijo de Dios vino al mundo para deshacer las obras del diablo" (1 Jn. 3:8), y como en Juan 8 se revela, esas obras son las mentiras y los asesinatos. Jesús, el Camino, supera esas obras precisamente por ser la Verdad (deshaciendo las mentiras del diablo) y la Vida (deshaciendo las obras de muerte del diablo.)

El compromiso de la Iglesia de defender la vida humana, y la obra del Pueblo de la Vida, toman su motivación y forma a partir de esta verdad.

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St. Irenaeus Health Ministry Presents

"Why Our Community Should Join the Fight Against Human Trafficking"

St. Irenaeus Roman Catholic Church

5201 Evergreen , Cypress

Monday, May 22nd 7:00-8:30 PM Parish Hall

Our speaker will be Susan Patterson, Director of Through God's Grace Ministry and author of the book "How You Can Fight Human Trafficking, Over 50 Ways to Join the Fight" which has been acclaimed by anti-Human Trafficking advocates nationwide to be one of the best resources out there because it is practical.

Contrary to popular belief, Human Trafficking is taking place within our own community, RIGHT WHERE WE LIVE! Yes, it's hard to believe but true. It's also true that 100% of children online will be approached by a predator. It's important for all adults (i.e. parents, grandparents/guardians, aunts, uncle, youth leaders, teachers, health care professionals, etc.), to attend this presentation so we can learn how to prevent our youth from becoming victims. We can empower ourselves with the knowledge needed to win this fight. You will leave the presentation knowing what action(s) you can take to be part of the solution. Is human trafficking (labor and sex) a huge problem that touches all of our lives? ABSOLUTELY! Can we win this fight? YES, if we each do our part and work together as a faith community.

NOTE: Event is for adults and teens 14 years and older.

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