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First Holy Communion 2021  
Welcome children to the table of the Lord!

See page 2

## ***Congratulations to our children on receiving their first Holy Communion!***

Layla Alarcon, Bayley Beau Alexander, Karla Natalia Arroyo, Sophia Arzabal, Matthew Ayala, Dylan Ballesteros, Sebastian Barragan, Anna Barry, Charles Blagg, Liam Breschini, Isla Brown, Walker Brown, Bailey Burks, Emma Camacho, Alexis Campos, Nathaniel Carague, Bobby Castro, Nina Cloud, Kale Cruz, Marcelo Cruz Lelonek, Alisa Curiel, Charlotte Davies, Sarai Dimaano, Nathaniel Estoloso, Emily Estrada, Ethan Forbes, Elena Isabel Ford, Emma Sofia Ford, Nicolas Freeberg, Khloe Galvan, Amber Garcia, Andrew Garcia, Carly Gonzalez, Charlotte Higdon, Victoria Huizar, Ernan David Jauregui, Sofia Jauregui, Emily Jimenez, Mario Andres Jimenez, Nayeli Jimenez, Parker Jones, Thomas Kelley, Jeremiah Leon, Aiden Lopez, Ethan Lopez, Colin Love, Christian Lozano, Stephanie Luna, Matson Maduro, Tomas Malagon, Luis Martinez, Alexandra Mattern, Molly Mays, Casey McCutchan, Avery McDonough, James McKoy, Scott Meierhoff III, Benjamin Melendez, Isabella Melendez, Dillon Arthur Mendoza, Yuri Amir Mendoza, Malia Jana Bettina Mendoza, Aidan Messi, Charles Mooney, Catalina Morell, Anne Naumann, Aric Nocon, Abigail Nolte, Avery Ores, Lauren Payor, Noah Isaiah Pena, Savannah Justine Perez, Emma Ramey, Sofia Ramey, Jose F. Ramos, Jeanna Reyes, Jesus Reyes, Guillermo Rincon, Kimberly Rivera, Anthony Rosas, Ezekiel Ruiz, Jonas Salonga, Hana Samac, Camila Sanchez, Nicholas Saqui, Quinten Slider, Noah Steiner, Ryan Steiner, Kiriya Tapia, Sophia Vaiz, Cecilia Vasiloff, Milania Vasquez, Robert Waggoner, Luke Walker, Guideon Wilde, Elissa Wu, Kaitlyn Wu and Matthew Wu.

***Faith Formation for Children and Teens begins June 1!  
Visit [www.padreserra.org/registration](http://www.padreserra.org/registration)***



# Boy Scout Troop 257 BBQ Drive Thru Dinner Fundraiser

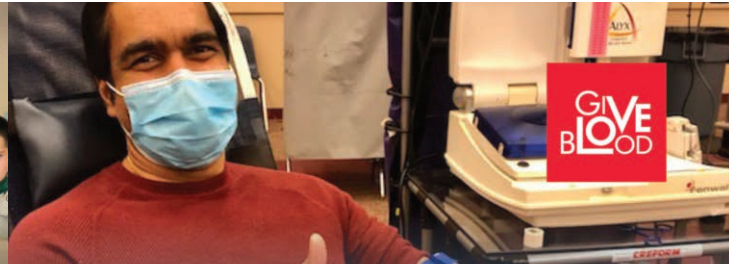


Pick up Saturday, June 5, 5:30 - 7:30 pm  
at St. Mary Magdalen Church (25 Las Posas Rd)

Sponsored and supported by the Knights of  
Columbus to help Boy Scouts attend summer  
camp and other activities.

Menu includes: tri-tip, chicken, chili, potato salad,  
and garlic bread. Pre-order \$15/person,  
Onsite \$20/person.

Tickets: Antonio Cuyugan (805) 377-2053  
[www.padreserra.org/news/scouts](http://www.padreserra.org/news/scouts)



# Blood Drive

Sunday, June 13  
9:00 am - 1:30 pm  
Serra Center

You can save a life! Only healthy people are  
encouraged to come give blood. Donors must be  
feeling well and free of respiratory illness  
symptoms, including fever, to be eligible to donate.

We are checking donors' temperatures upon  
check-in and masks are required to be worn by all  
donors. We are using CDC guidelines for social  
distances at our donor centers and blood drives.

To schedule an appointment  
call (805) 543-4290 or visit  
[www.padreserra.org/news/blood-drive](http://www.padreserra.org/news/blood-drive)



# Summer Bible Study

Every Tuesday morning  
June 15 through August 31  
8:45 - 9:45 am  
San Fernando room

We will get together to read, study and reflect  
on the upcoming Sunday's readings.  
Bring your Bible.

Contact: Sherry Reynolds  
at [sherryr2256@gmail.com](mailto:sherryr2256@gmail.com)  
[www.padreserra.org/news/bible-study](http://www.padreserra.org/news/bible-study)



# Between Sundays

A pastoral series integrating faith into  
everyday living with Teresa Runyon

Tuesdays, June 15 - July 20  
7:00 pm, via Zoom\*

A six-part series. Attend one, two, or more of  
these sessions:

- June 15 - Living a sabbath life
- June 22 - Living a prayerful life
- June 29 - Living through suffering
- July 6 - Living and loving when people are difficult
- July 13 - Living in a secular world
- July 20 - Living a meaningful life

Please RSVP at  
[www.padreserra.org/between-sundays](http://www.padreserra.org/between-sundays)

\*Maybe moved to in-person.





# TRINITY SUNDAY

## GATHERING

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord, God Almighty!



1. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,  
 3. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide thee,  
 4. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!



Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 Cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 Though the eye made blind by sin thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy Name in earth and sky and sea.



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 Cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 On - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.  
 God ev - er - last - ing through e - ter - ni - ty.  
 Per - fect in pow'r, in love, and pu - ri - ty.  
 God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

## GLORIA

## Glory to God (Mass of St. Ann)

Ed Bolduc



Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry!  
 Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good  
 will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you, we glo-ri-fy  
 you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry,  
 Lord God, heav-en-ly King, O God, al - might-y  
 Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On-ly Be - got - ten Son,  
 Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a -  
 way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us; you take a -  
 way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer; you are seat-ed at the right  
 hand of the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on us. For  
 you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,  
 you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly  
 Spir-it, in the glo-ry of God the Fa - ther. Glo-ry!  
 Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the  
 high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. A - men.

**Reading 1**

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

**Reading 2**

Romans 8:14-17

**Gospel Reading**

Matthew 28:16-20

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Psalm 33: Blessed the People

Dominic MacAller



Bles - sed the peo - ple, bles - sed the peo - ple, the



peo - ple the Lord has cho - sen to be His own.



Bles - sed the peo - ple, Bles - sed the peo - ple, the



peo - ple the Lord has cho - sen to be His own.

1. Upright is the word of the Lord, and trustworthy all his works.  
The Lord loves justice and right; the Lord loves justice and right,  
of the kindness of the Lord, the earth is full.
2. By the word of the Lord, the heavens were made;  
by the breath of his mouth all their host.  
For he spoke, and it was made; he spoke and it was made,  
he commanded and it stood forth.
3. O see, the eyes of the Lord are upon all those who fear him,  
upon those who hope for his kindness, who hope for his kindness,  
to deliver them from death and preserve them from famine.
4. Our soul waits for the Lord, the Lord, our help and our shield.  
May your kindness, O Lord, be upon us who have put our hope in you.

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**GLORY TO**  
**THE FATHER,**  
**THE SON,**  
**AND THE HOLY SPIRIT;**  
**THE GOD** who **IS,**  
 who **WAS,**  
 who **IS TO COME**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, "Mass of a Joyful Heart"

Steve Angrisano &amp; Tom Tomaszek



Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -



lu - ia. lu - ia.

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### The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
 Creator of heaven and earth,  
 and in Jesus Christ,  
 his only Son, our Lord,  
*who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
 born of the Virgin Mary,*  
 suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
 was crucified, died and was buried;  
 he descended into hell;  
 on the third day he rose again  
 from the dead;  
 he ascended into heaven,  
 and is seated at the right hand of God  
 the Father almighty;  
 from there he will come to judge the  
 living and the dead.  
 I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
 the holy catholic Church,  
 the communion of saints,  
 the forgiveness of sins,  
 the resurrection of the body,  
 and life everlasting.  
 Amen.

### INTERCESSION RESPONSE

O God, Hear Us

Bob Hurd

\*Refrain

O God, hear us; hear our prayer.

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### PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND GIFTS

Baptized in Water

1. Bap - tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Cleansed by the  
 2. Bap - tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Dead in the  
 3. Bap - tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Marked with the

blood of Christ our King: Heirs of sal - va - tion, Trust - ing his  
 tomb with Christ our King: One with his ris - ing, Freed and for -  
 sign of Christ our King: Born of one Fa - ther, We are his

prom - ise, Faith - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.  
 giv - en, Thank - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.  
 chil - dren, Joy - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.

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### EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS

"Mass of Glory"

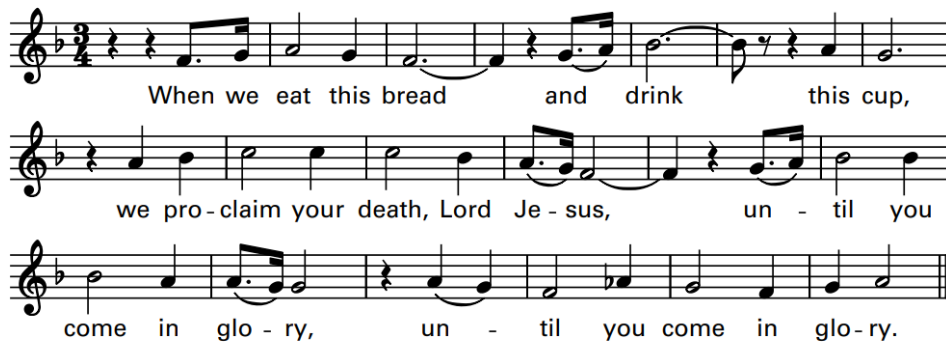
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Holy

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of  
 hosts. Heav - en and earth are full of your  
 glo - ry. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na  
 in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes  
 in the name of the Lord. Ho -

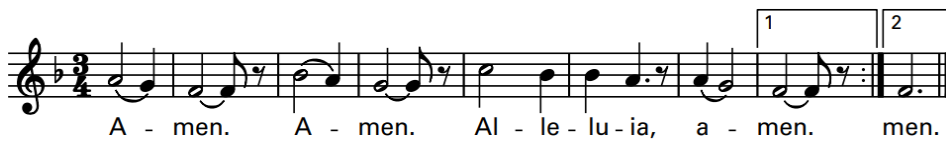


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**Memorial Acclamation**


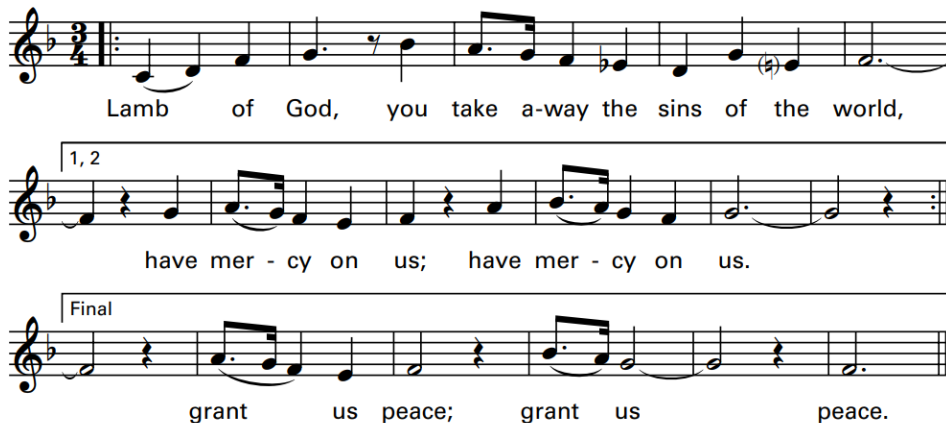
When we eat this bread and drink this cup,  
we pro-claim your death, Lord Je - sus, un - til you  
come in glo - ry, un - til you come in glo-ry.

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**Amen**


A - men. A - men. Al - le - lu - ia, a - men. men.

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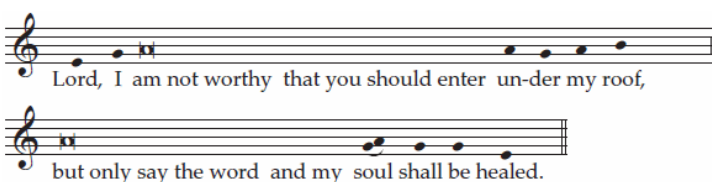
**Lamb of God**


Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world,  
have mer - cy on us; have mer - cy on us.  
grant us peace; grant us peace.

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**Invitation to Communion**

Priest: *Behold the Lamb of God,  
behold Him who takes away the sins of the world.  
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.*

ALL: 

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter un-der my roof,  
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

**Act of  
Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, I believe that  
You are present in the  
Blessed Sacrament.  
I love you above all things,  
and I desire you with  
all my heart.  
Since I cannot receive You  
now sacramentally,  
I ask You to come  
into my heart spiritually.  
I embrace You as if  
You were already in my heart,  
and unite myself  
to You completely.  
Please do not ever let me  
be far from You.  
Amen.

*Suggested by Pope Francis*







**COMMUNION SONGS**

**The Breastplate of St. Patrick**

Sarah Hart & Bob Halligan Jr.

Verses

1. I bind my-self to the pow - er of heav - en.  
 2. I bind my-self to the guid - ance of an - gels.

1. I bind my-self to the light of the sun, the  
 2. I bind my-self to the love of the Lamb, for

1. bright - ness of the moon, the deep - ness of the sea;  
 2. he a - lone is peace and he a - lone is light.

1. I bind my-self to the pow - er of Christ.  
 2. I bind my-self to the guid - ance of Christ.

Refrain

Christ with me and be-fore me; Christ be-hind me and with-in me;

Christ to the right of me and to the left of me; Christ a - bove me

and be-neath me: I bind my-self to the vir - tue of Christ.

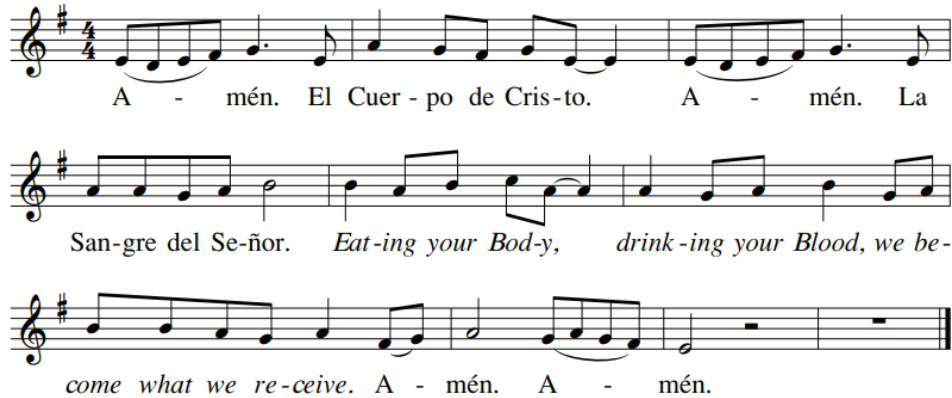
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**COMMUNION SONGS****Amén. El Cuerpo de Cristo**

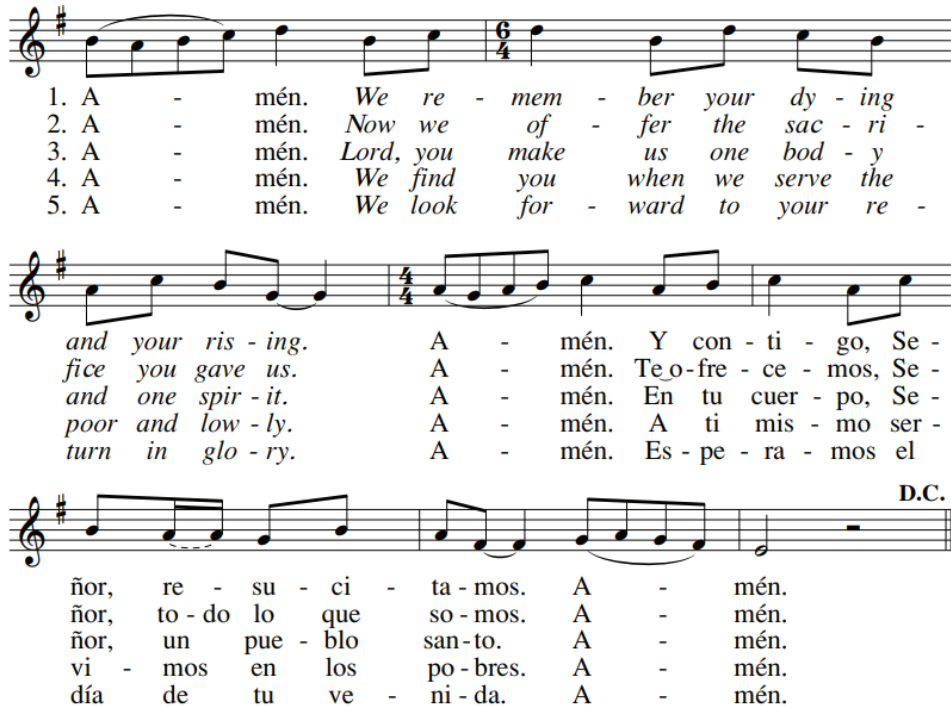
John Schiavone

Refrain



A - mén. El Cuer - po de Cris-to, A - mén. La  
San-gre del Se-ñor. *Eat-ing your Bod-y, drink-ing your Blood, we be-*  
*come what we re-ceive. A - mén. A - mén.*

Verses



1. A - mén. We re - mem - ber your dy - ing  
2. A - mén. Now we of - fer the sac - ri -  
3. A - mén. Lord, you make us one bod - y  
4. A - mén. We find you when we serve the  
5. A - mén. We look for - ward to your re -  
*and your ris - ing. A - mén. Y con - ti - go, Se -*  
*fice you gave us. A - mén. Te o - fre - ce - mos, Se -*  
*and one spir - it. A - mén. En tu cuer - po, Se -*  
*poor and low - ly. A - mén. A ti mis - mo ser -*  
*turn in glo - ry. A - mén. Es - pe - ra - mos el*  
*ñor, re - su - ci - ta - mos. A - mén.*  
*ñor, to - do lo que so - mos. A - mén.*  
*ñor, un pue - blo san - to. A - mén.*  
*vi - mos en los po - bres. A - mén.*  
*día de tu ve - ni - da. A - mén.*

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**SENDING FORTH**

**All You Works of God**

Marty Haugen

Refrain

All you works of God, ev-'ry moun-tain, star and tree, bless the One  
 who shapes your beau - ty, who has caused you all to  
 be one great song of love and grace, ev - er an - cient, ev - er  
 new. Raise your voic - es, all you works of God!

Verses

1. Sun and moon:		Stars of heav - en:
2. Winds of God:		Cold and win - ter:
3. Night and day:		Light and dark - ness:
4. All the earth:	Bless your Mak - er!	Hills and moun-tains:
5. Wells and springs:		Seas and riv - ers:
6. Fly - ing birds:		Beasts and cat - tle:
7. All who live:		Men and wom - en:

Chant your praise!

Show - ers	and	dew:
Snow - storms	and	ice:
Light - nings	and	clouds:
Green things	that	grow:
Whales	in	the deep:
Chil - dren	at	play:
Ser - vants	of	God:

Raise up your joy - ful song. D.C.

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## Discipleship

Dear Faith Family,

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations.”

It is something we have heard so many times. I don't know about you, but when the things I've heard a million times start to make sense, it is quite liberating.

This is Christ's call to us. As Christian people, we can't really call ourselves Christians unless we heed this great commission. This was spoken by Christ, not just for the 11 disciples going to the mountain, but rather, this is the instruction for all of those who choose to follow Christ.

Sounds scary, right? What if we don't have scripture memorized properly? What if we haven't opened a catechism in a decade? What if we have trouble wanting to go to Mass? These may sound like prerequisites to go spread the Word, but they aren't. This Gospel passage never mentions that you have to be perfect to let others know who God is. We must remember that no one becomes perfect, except through grace, which is given to us, not earned. The Apostles weren't perfect; you don't have to be either.

So how do we make disciples of all nations? I think the first and most important step is to stick to what/who you know. Father Patrick always shows his wisdom when he mentions that all nations may just mean Camarillo for some of us.

Whether it's a misquote or not, we frequently quote St. Francis of Assisi's "Preach the Gospel at all times, use words if necessary." While it is indeed true that we must set an example of HOW to live like a Christian with our actions, I would also argue that now might be the necessary time to use words as well. At this point, people also need to hear that God loves them.

During this tough year, I think plenty of people will admit it has taken a strain on their mental health, myself included. Actions can help others see who God is during this challenging time, but I can assure you that words help people see clearly that God loves them. Verbal affirmation is the perfect complement to beautiful actions.

So don't fret when you hear that we are called to make disciples of all nations. We will fail; we are indeed human. But if we continue reading this Sunday's gospel, we recognize that Christ also says "... behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." I don't think there is a more important message to share as we are seeking discipleship. There is no credentials needed; there is no prerequisite of perfection; this is not an exclusive club. Rather, God is with us, always and forever. We just need to help others to know that.

God Bless,



Brett Becker  
Youth and Young Adult Minister



## Children

*12 months to Grade 8.*

**Faith Formation Registrations for the 21/22 program year will begin June 1, 2021.**

### We are Looking for Catechists to Join The Faith Formation Ministry

If you are fully vaccinated and love sharing your faith with children, we need YOU! Please contact [tere@padreserra.org](mailto:tere@padreserra.org) for more information.

### Little Church ~ May 30

Age 3 through Kindergarten. Ms. Soraya is putting together a video for Little Church families. Children will have so much fun learning through Bible stories and songs. Spaces still available to join Little Church. To receive videos, please contact [soraya@padreserra.org](mailto:soraya@padreserra.org)

### Spark!

Grades 1 to 5. Another wonderful Faith Formation year has concluded. We look forward to gathering in person next fall.

### Three:Sixteen

Middle School Ministry. Thank you for a great Faith Formation year; we survived Zoom! 🤪 We hope to have some in-person summer activities. For more information, please contact [youth@padreserra.org](mailto:youth@padreserra.org)

### Online Mass Activities

To be done at certain times during Mass, watch carefully! (see page 15)

### Proclamation of the Gospel

[Watch a children's video here.](#)

### Living Faith

Please share with us how you are living out your faith at home with your kids. Send your pics to [photo@padreserra.org](mailto:photo@padreserra.org)

## High School

*Everyone 14 to 18 is welcome! [youth@padreserra.org](mailto:youth@padreserra.org)*

### Confirmation Y2 ~ June 6

Confirmation sessions are now in-person gatherings. We will gather once again on June 6, at 2:00 pm, in the backyard (behind Serra Center). Safety guidelines strictly enforced, mask and social distancing required. For more information please contact [youth@padreserra.org](mailto:youth@padreserra.org)

### 4:12

Join Brett and Peer Leaders for fun and fellowship most Wednesday nights, in the Serra Center's backyard. Teens make connections, share insights and concerns, and grow in faith. Masks and social distancing required. Ask [brett@padreserra.org](mailto:brett@padreserra.org) or follow us on [Instagram](#) to keep updated.

## Adults

### Gospel Hangout Every Week

A weekly one-hour get-together to read and discuss the previous Sunday's gospel. We share our thoughts and experiences as inspired by scripture, but equally important, we share friendship and laughter. Grab your favorite beverage and join us Tuesday 11:30 am - 12:30 pm or Wednesday 7:00 - 8:00 pm.

[www.padreserra.org/news/gospel-hangout](http://www.padreserra.org/news/gospel-hangout)

### Toastmasters ~ June 7, 14, 21, 28

Want to learn to become a confident communicator, speak in public and develop leadership skills? Come check out our virtual Toastmasters anytime. 7:00 - 8:15 pm. Contact: [Virginia Norris](#) or (805) 443-5186

### Conversational Spanish ~ June 1, 8

We gather to share faith, fun, and Spanish. Come learn and practice Spanish vocabulary, grammar, and conversation to help you gain confidence and feel more comfortable in everyday situations. All levels welcome. 9:30 - 10:30 am, courtyard. Summer break is June 15 - August 24. Patricia Quezada (805) 827-5903, [patty.g.q14@gmail.com](mailto:patty.g.q14@gmail.com)

### Meditative Movement ~ June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Women and men, any age can join instructor Sheila Montgomery for meditative movement using Tai Chi. 2:00 - 3:00 pm, church courtyard. \$5/class. COVID requirements for participation: masks covering nose and mouth, sanitize hands, 6 feet distance, no socializing before or after.

### Healing from Divorce ~ June 1, 15

We offer a welcoming environment for people dealing with divorce, whether in the earliest stages of grief, the initial stages of coping with severe changes, or through the worst of it and now looking to move forward, grow, and serve. 7:00 - 8:30 pm, online. Contact Cynthia [cjonescampbell@yahoo.com](mailto:cjonescampbell@yahoo.com)

### Senior Exercise ~ June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Our weekly adaptive exercise class returns on Wednesdays from 8:45 - 9:30 am, Serra Center patio. COVID requirements for participation: masks covering nose and mouth, sanitize hands, 6 feet distance, no socializing before or after. Marg (805) 405-9901

### Our Lady of Perpetual Help ~ June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Join us online for prayer and devotion to our Mother Mary. Wednesdays 6:30 - 7:30 pm. Contact: Madel [omphnovenapsp@gmail.com](mailto:omphnovenapsp@gmail.com)

### Knitting Ministry ~ June 3, 10, 17, 24

A fellowship and service ministry where all skill levels of knitting and crocheting are welcome. Thursdays 9:30 - 11:30 am courtyard. COVID requirements for participation: masks covering nose and mouth, sanitize hands, 6 feet distance, no socializing before or after. Contact: Donna [healthysneaker7@gmail.com](mailto:healthysneaker7@gmail.com)

## Adults

### Bereavement Support Group ~ June 3, 10, 17, 24

We offer support to those who have lost a loved one. 10:00 am, courtyard. Contact Betty Bright-Martinez (805) 407-3000, [bbright41@verizon.net](mailto:bbright41@verizon.net)

### Yoga with Sheila ~ June 3, 10, 17, 24

Using the Hatha Yin style of yoga, we focus on breathing techniques, pressure points, neck, shoulders, lower back, and hips, primarily using mat work and balance. All ages and gender are welcome. Bring one thick mat or two regular mats. Thursdays, 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Serra Center shaded grass area. \$10/class. A portion of the donation comes back to the parish. Contact Sheila [sheilam274@yahoo.com](mailto:sheilam274@yahoo.com)

### Writers Group ~ June 4, 11, 18, 25

We gather. We pray. We write. If you enjoy writing, you are welcome any Friday to share your work and listen to others' inspiring writing. Fridays 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, courtyard. COVID requirements for participation: masks covering nose and mouth, sanitize hands, 6 feet distance, no socializing before or after. Contact: Linda Lowe [calmest1@verizon.net](mailto:calmest1@verizon.net)

### Life Centers Mobile Unit ~ Prayers Needed

Life Centers of Ventura County is in the process of licensing a mobile unit to be operational by midsummer. This will allow them to reach more women and bring compassionate assistance to those most in need. They can then be present weekly outside local abortion clinics and campuses to offer women an immediate opportunity to know their options and get all the facts in their decision-making process. Life Centers is seeking volunteers to envelop the Mobile Unit with prayers from home. If you're interested in becoming a Prayer Warrior for Life, contact Teresa [teresa@padreserra.org](mailto:teresa@padreserra.org)

## Giving

"To change the world we must be good to those who cannot repay us." - Pope Francis

## Faith Sharing Question

*Reflection questions for every gathering around any table*

### Matthew 28:16-20 ~ Go!

In this final passage of Matthew's Gospel, promising to be with them always, Jesus sends out his apostles to make other disciples through baptism and teaching. What does your discipleship look like? Who helped you get there along the way? Who can you talk to this week about your relationship with Jesus? Remember, "To know Jesus is to love Jesus," and when we share our love of Jesus with others, they come to know and love Jesus as well."

## Other Notes

### Memorial Day ~ May 31

On this Memorial Day, we ask the Lord to grant eternal rest to those who gave their lives for our great nation. The parish office will be closed in observation of Memorial Day. Enjoy your long weekend!

## Prayer Life

### Pray for Our Sick

Brenda, Don, Autumn Amantia, John Barra, Shirley Brown, Michele Burger, Garion Campbell, Katie Ceurvorst, Thomas Collins, Claudia Cortez, Wyatt Davis, Walter DuPont, Roy Farmer, Sharon Garcia, Mary Giles, Barbara Humphrey, John Jomeruck, Arlene Leonard, Stephen Maulhardt, Dennis Perrin, Sue Powers, Renee Ramonette, Maureen Rider, Marty Saine, Mary Shepp, Jackson Soyster, Racquel Taylor, Mary Welasek, Kylie Wilson and Shirley Witlin. (*Names are refreshed monthly.*)

### Remember Our Dead

*Prayers for family and friends of those who have died recently:*  
Frank Moffa, RIP  
*May he enjoy peace in his life with Christ Jesus.*

### Prayer Opportunities

Daily Readings: [bible.usccb.org](http://bible.usccb.org)

Parish Book of Intentions: [www.padreserra.org/intentions](http://www.padreserra.org/intentions)

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or visit [www.padreserra.org/prayer-requests](http://www.padreserra.org/prayer-requests)

Stations of the Cross: [www.padreserra.org/stations](http://www.padreserra.org/stations)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: [www.padreserra.org/news/olph](http://www.padreserra.org/news/olph)

Blessed Sacrament Chapel: [www.padreserra.org/prayer](http://www.padreserra.org/prayer)

## Becoming Catholic

### The Sacraments

The seven sacraments are essential to the Catholic way of life. They are blessed encounters with the risen Jesus. Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist are called the Sacraments of Initiation because they incorporate us into His saving death and resurrection. Baptism and Confirmation are not repeatable because they give us an "indelible mark" as members of the Body of Christ. Eucharist, the high point of our initiation, can be received daily, but at least on Sundays. The Eucharist nourishes and strengthens us to live as disciples of Jesus. It is also a sign of unity with Jesus and with each other. If you are an adult who would like to investigate receiving the Sacraments of Initiation, please contact Catherine Shaddock at 805-482-6417 x331 or [catherine@padreserra.org](mailto:catherine@padreserra.org)

## Safeguard the Children

### Fostering Caring in Children

Raising kind children is hard work, but critical to their success as strong Catholic adults. Parents can model caring and kindness in the home, doing charity work, volunteering, helping friends and family. Get your children involved with your efforts and encourage them to make their own acts of kindness. Recognize and praise kindness when you see it, but without rewarding it as "extra special" behavior. Making kindness a part of your everyday family life will help your children build habits that grow over time. [Read "Fostering Caring in Children" article here.](#)



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Matthew 28: 16-20

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I	T	R	T	Z	M	E	M	T	E	M	K	M	B	U	O	G	M
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A	A	J	T	C	I	U	T	N	N	B	I	T	I	O	Y	I	D
V	G	C	F	H	H	P	B	I	T	J	E	N	H	R	F	R	E
E	E	E	Z	L	E	I	P	T	O	A	R	R	G	I	T	I	D
N	L	F	N	K	H	R	N	E	E	N	I	M	K	T	N	T	V
X	H	A	O	D	Q	S	N	G	D	D	S	N	V	Y	Y	G	Y
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Find the following words in the puzzle.  
Words are hidden → ↓ and ↘ .

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ALWAYS  
AUTHORITY  
BAPTIZING  
COMMANDED  
DISCIPLES  
DOUBTED  
EARTH

ELEVEN  
END  
EVERYTHING  
FATHER  
HEAVEN  
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