



From the cloud came a voice:  
“This is my beloved Son.  
Listen to him.” ~Mark 9.7



## ST. NORBERT Catholic Church

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### SCHEDULE OF MASSES

**Sunday:** 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m.,  
12 noon, 2 p.m. (Spanish), 5:30 p.m.  
and 7 p.m. (Spanish)  
**Monday - Friday:** 6:15 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.  
**Wednesday:** 7 p.m. (Spanish)  
**Saturday:** 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.  
(Sunday Vigil)  
**Holy Days of Obligation:** as announced

### CONFESSIONS

**Saturday:** 3:30 p.m.  
**First Friday** of each month: 7:15 a.m.  
**Fridays of Lent:** 7 a.m.

### MINISTRY CENTER HOURS

**Monday - Friday:** 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
**Saturday:** 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
**Sunday:** 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**Monday—Friday:** after the 6:15 a.m. Mass  
with Benediction before the 8:30 a.m. Mass  
First Friday of each month beginning at 9 a.m.  
and concluding at 8 a.m. on Saturday

### BAPTISMS

Please call the Parish Office for information  
and to schedule Baptism Preparation.  
Programs are available in English or in Spanish.

### MARRIAGES

Please call the Parish Office for information.  
Six months advance notice is required.  
Marriage Preparation is available in English or  
in Spanish.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK, COMMUNION FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Kindly call the Parish Office to make  
arrangements.

### FUNERALS

At the time of death, kindly call the Parish  
Office for assistance in making arrangements.

*St. Norbert Parish is a dynamic community of disciples of Jesus Christ striving  
to continue His ministries of prayer, love and service.*

## Stewardship



### Reflecting on God's Word

Two of today's readings take us up a mountain. Mountains are sacred places in the scriptures. Moses meets the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob on Mt. Sinai. Elijah has an experience of this same life-giving God on Mt. Horeb. Today Abraham goes up Mt. Moriah in obedience to God's command to "take your son Isaac, your only one, whom you love" (Genesis 22:2) and offer him there as a holocaust.

It is hard to get past this reading today and focus only on the story of the Transfiguration. This story of God testing Abraham to see if Abraham will obey is a story of great anguish. "See" is an important word here: Moriah means "the place of seeing." Abraham responds to Isaac's question about a victim, saying God will provide, a word rooted in the Latin word for seeing. God will see to it that there is a victim, just as God will see that Abraham is obedient in all things.

Seeing also takes place on Mt. Tabor. Peter, James, and John see Jesus in glory, his clothes dazzlingly white; they see him speaking with Moses and Elijah, representing the law and the prophets; and they see a cloud overshadowing them, and hear a voice calling for their obedience: "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him" (Mark 9:7).

With them, we are invited to see Jesus as the beloved Son whom the Father "did not spare . . . but handed over for us all," as Paul reminds us (Romans 8:32). The mystery of the Cross and Resurrection is an invitation to see God's love for all God's beloved children and trust in it.

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### Pastoral Services Appeal

Our parish goal for the 2018 Pastoral Services Appeal is for at least 600 families to pledge \$156,000 to support Faith Formation, Outreach Ministries, Clergy Formation and Support, and parish and diocesan advancement. Gifts made over that amount will go toward solar panels and improved security measures for our own parish.

The PSA provides a convenient way for all of us, no matter what our time limitations, to take an active role in the mission of the church. As a guide to a proportionate gift, please consider pledging a percent of your income, or the pay for one or two hours work each month for ten months. You can submit your PSA Pledge Envelope during Masses this weekend or next, or return them to the parish office. You may also pledge online by going to our parish website: [www.stnorbertchurch.org](http://www.stnorbertchurch.org), and clicking on the **Pastoral Services Appeal** button.

### Stations of the Cross

#### Friday Evenings during Lent at 7 p.m. in the church

All are welcome to join in this traditional Lenten devotion of prayer and reflection following Jesus on his way to Calvary. The 14 Stations represent events from Jesus' passion and death. At each station we use our senses and our imagination to reflect prayerfully upon Jesus' suffering, death, and resurrection. The Stations will be led by a different priest or parish group each week.



### Confessions during Lent

In addition to weekly Reconciliation on Saturday afternoons at 3:30 p.m., priests will be available for Confessions every Friday during Lent at 7 a.m. (between the daily Masses).

There will also be a bilingual Lenten Parish Penance Service on **Tuesday, March 20**, at 7 p.m. with multiple priests available for individual confessions.



### Forty Days for Life

In the spirit of Lent this year's **40 Days for Life Campaign** will take place through **Palm Sunday, March 25**, outside the Planned Parenthood facility in the city of Orange at 700 S. Tustin Street. Please join our Diocese in this nationwide pro-life effort in prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.

### Attention: All Catechists and Volunteers

The congress will be held from **Friday, March 16, through Sunday, March 18**. The theme this year is **Rise Up!** Please sign up early so you can get your first choices. You will have a terrific time—it's lively, fun, with a great number of workshops, and wonderful liturgical celebrations. Please visit the website: [www.RECongress.org](http://www.RECongress.org) to register online.

### Weekly Parish Offering

Thank you for your continuing support of St. Norbert Parish. For the fiscal year July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018, our parish budget calls for \$26,470 to be donated weekly at the Sunday collection in order for the Parish to break even. Weekly collections that are less than \$26,470 require the use of our reserve account to pay our expenses. **The combined collections for Ash Wednesday and Sunday, February 18, totaled \$29,204.78.** These collections are not only for operating expenses each week, but also for any ongoing repair work, upgrades, etc. to our parish facility. Your regular donations are needed for the good of St. Norbert Parish and the spread of the Gospel.



## Blood Drive Sign Ups

**February 24 & 25**

St. Norbert Knights of Columbus will host a Red Cross blood drive on **Sunday, March 4**, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Ministry Center. Blood bank levels are critically low at this time due to recent disasters.

You can sign up and pick your appointment time after each Mass this weekend, **February 24 and 25**. You may also sign up at [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org); go to the BLUE **Find a Blood Drive** window on the upper right hand corner of the page, enter **StNorbert**, and click on the arrow. On the next page, click on **+ More Details**, then select an appointment time.

For more information or assistance, please contact Bill Everest at [bill.everest70@gmail.com](mailto:bill.everest70@gmail.com) or (714) 633-9154.

*The need is constant ~ The gratification is instant  
Give blood ~ Save lives*



## Volunteers Needed for Easter Mailing

We will have an Easter Card Assembly Party on **Wednesday, February 28**, immediately following the 8:30 a.m. Mass. All are welcome to come and help "stuff" the Easter mailing. Coffee and donuts will be provided.

## Lenten Devotion to Our Lady of Sorrows

Mary in a unique way, willingly suffered alongside her Divine Son as He gave His life to save the world. She felt the bitterness of his passion as only a mother can. This devotion is especially remembered during the month of September (The Feast of our Lady of Sorrows is September 15.), and during the season of Lent. It was revealed to St.



Bridget of Sweden during the 14th Century that devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary's Sorrows would bring great signal graces.

What a wonderful way to add to your Lenten piety by meditating on the Devotions of our Lady of Sorrows. It only takes a few minutes and the reward attached to this devotion by our Lady is priceless.

If interested please visit the web site below. It takes you directly to her Devotions and reflections.

<http://www.themostholysary.com/appendix1.htm>

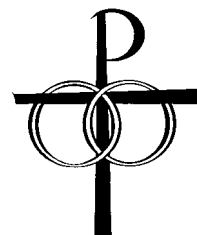
## Senior Luncheon

It's time to mark your calendars for the next Parish Nurse Program Senior Luncheon. Parishioners 60 years and older are invited to join us on **Thursday, March 1, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.** in the Family & Youth Center. Kenneth K. Tram, M.D., Internal Medicine specialist at UC Irvine Medical Center, will lead an informative presentation: **Hypertension, High Cholesterol and Older Adults**. A delicious catered lunch will be provided to all in attendance, along with blood pressure screening and door prizes. There is no cost for this event. **Please R.S.V.P. by THIS Sunday, February 25, to Ann Bilash, RN at (714) 637-4360, x128. We will be unable to accept R.S.V.P.s after this date.**



## Church Decorations during Lent

The season of Lent is a time of penance, reflection, and fasting in preparation for Christ's Resurrection on Easter Sunday. It is also a time of visual fasting. The church and sanctuary are intentionally stark, simple and spare. We respectfully ask that you do not leave plants or flowers in the church during this Lenten season. Thank you!



## Banns of Marriage

**March 3:** Charlie Mai & Dina Bartoloni

**March 10:** Osvaldo Martínez & Analín Marrón

**March 17:** Armando Osorio & Crystal Zaragoza

**March 17:** Michael Land & Margaret Schacht

**March 23:** James McQuade & Claudia Segre

**March 24:** Thomas Ohta & Gillian Williams

**March 24:** Ebodio Ponce & Benita Laureano



## Baptisms

**Welcome! ¡Bienvenidos!**  
to our Church Family

Joaquín Lázaro

Jesús Itzaé Palma Serrato

Rubén López Torralba

Noé Sánchez

Valentina Patricia López Torralba

Yovanny Sánchez

Emiliano Javier Vázquez

**Baptized in February at St. Norbert Church**



## Youth & Teen Ministries

### Children's Faith Formation

#### Parent Enrichment Evening

The next CFF Parent Faith Enrichment Evening will be on **Monday February 26**, at 6:30 p.m. in the Ministry Center Library, facilitated by Charlene Dumitru. All parents with children in the Pre-K and Kindergarten classes and the parents of children in the 4 p.m. Monday classes are welcome and encouraged to attend at 6:30 p.m.

### St. Norbert Catholic School

#### Pray for Our Competitors

St. Norbert Catholic School will be competing in next week's diocese-wide academic decathlon and we're asking for prayers for our students and their coaches. Our 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders have been working tirelessly to prepare for the honor to represent our wonderful school.



#### Fish Fry in Family & Youth Center

Enjoy FISH, mac 'n' cheese or pizza at our annual Fish Fry on **Fridays, March 2, 9, 16 and 23** before the Living Stations of the Cross in the church. Meals are now served in the Family & Youth Center Gym

from 5 to 8 p.m. and hosted by St. Norbert Catholic School's junior high students. Cost is \$8; tickets are available at the door. Beer, wine and freshly baked treats are also available. Take-out is offered or grab your food to go at the drive-through station.

#### Still Time to Register for Fall

Looking for a quality education for your 3- or 4-year-olds in a nurturing environment? Enroll your tot at St. Norbert Catholic School! Applications are due by **Wednesday, February 28**. Limited spots are also available in grades 1 through 8. For more information or to schedule a tour of the school, please contact Sharon Pearson at (714) 637-6822 or [spearson@saintnorbertschool.org](mailto:spearson@saintnorbertschool.org)



### Youth Faith Formation

#### First Friday Adoration

Youth Ministry Holy hour will be this **Friday, March 2**, from 5 to 6 p.m. in the church. **Please note earlier start time.**

#### Junior High Catechist Needed!

Youth Ministry is seeking a teacher(s) for our Junior High students—7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Classes are every Monday from 4 to 5 p.m. If you feel called to be involved in Youth Ministry, please contact Jackie Cole at [jcole@stnorbertchurch.org](mailto:jcole@stnorbertchurch.org)



#### Confirmation 1

The next class for Year 1 is on **Sunday, March 4**, from 4 to 5:15 p.m. in the FYC Gym.

Future class for Year 1 will be on **Tuesday, March 13**, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at your Host Homes.

#### Confirmation 2

Next class for Year 2 is on **Tuesday, March 13**, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at your Host Homes

**\*\* Remember, Bishop Letters are due on Friday, March 9, 2018.** Please contact Jackie Cole for any questions.

#### Junior High Ministry

Junior High class **Monday, February 26**, from 4 to 5 p.m.

Future classes on Mondays, March 5, 12 and 19, from 4 to 5 p.m. No class on **Monday, March 26**.

#### Vision Leadership

Vision Formation on **Wednesday, February 28**, from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

C2 Retreat planning is in full swing! Contact Jackie for more details at [jcole@stnorbertchurch.org](mailto:jcole@stnorbertchurch.org)

#### Service Project Opportunities

Christian Service Food preparation and distribution: **Saturdays**, from 8 to 11 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Please contact Cristal Flores in the Youth Ministry office to sign up for a shift.

#### Young Adult Ministry

Stay connected! St. Norbert has a Young Adult Ministry for 18 to 30 year-olds. Young Adult Ministry meets the second and fourth Friday of the month from 7 to 9:30 p.m. in the Youth Ministry Room. All are welcome! Follow us on Facebook at St. Norbert Young Adult Ministry.

#### Wish List

C2 Retreat Scholarships needed! We are in need of your financial support. If you are interested in donating a retreat scholarship to a family in need, please bring it by Youth Ministry! Our C2 Retreat costs families \$195.00, but any amount would benefit a family in need! Thank you for your support!



## More Parish Life

### Pre-order your Cannoli Next Weekend!

Don't go away empty-handed! Our cannoli always sell out early so we are taking pre-sale orders.



The Italian Catholic Federation will be on the Ramada to take your order after all Masses on **March 3/4 and March 10/11**. The price is \$3.00 apiece, two for \$5.00, or six for \$15.00. Cannoli can be picked up on **Sunday, March 18**, at the St. Joseph Day celebration.

Donations of home-baked goods for the St. Joseph Table may be delivered to the Ministry Center on **Saturday, March 17**, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. All proceeds from the St. Joseph Table will be donated to support the charitable work of Christian Service Ministry.

### Parish Calendar

February 25, 2018 ~ March 3, 2018

#### Sunday, February 25

##### Blood Drive Sign-Ups

- 9:00 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 10:30 a.m. R.C.I.A.
- 3:00 p.m. Domingo Familiar
- 3:15 p.m. Grupo de la Divina Misericordia
- 3:30 p.m. Foro de Inmigración

#### Monday, February 26

- 9:00 a.m. Divine Mercy Prayer Group
- 9:15 a.m. Monday Morning Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. Parent Enrichment Evening

#### Tuesday, February 27

- 7:00 p.m. R.I.C.A.
- 6:30 p.m. Movimiento Fit
- 7:30 p.m. Praying with Scripture

#### Wednesday, February 28

- 6:30 p.m. Vision Leadership Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Hoops
- 7:00 p.m. Misión Cuaresmal

#### Thursday, March 1

- 10:00 a.m. Senior Fitness
- 11:30 p.m. Parish Nurse Luncheon for Seniors
- 12:00 p.m. Serra Club
- 7:00 p.m. Grupo de Oración
- 7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A.

#### Friday, March 2

- 7:00 a.m. Confessions
- 5:00 p.m. Fish Fry
- 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross
- 7:00 p.m. Jóvenes para Cristo
- 7:00 p.m. Estudio Bíblico para Niños
- 7:00 p.m. Adolescentes

#### Saturday, March 3

- 10:00 a.m. Bautizos
- 10:00 a.m. Inglés como Segundo Idioma (ESL)
- 10:00 a.m. Preparación para la Ciudadanía
- 12:00 p.m. Christian Service Food Distribution
- 3:00 p.m. Salsa Dance Lesson
- 3:30 p.m. Confessions



### Faith, Family, Fitness

Please join Faith Family Fitness (FFF) with the following activities:

#### Movimiento Fit (Latin Dance Exercise):

Tuesdays, February 27, March 13 and 20, April 3 and 10, and May 15, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Ministry Center Hall.

**Senior Fitness:** Thursdays, through May 17 from 9 to 10 a.m. in the Ministry Center Hall. This is a low impact class designed for active seniors, all levels welcome. No session March 29 (Holy Week).

**Salsa Dance Lessons:** Saturdays, March 24 and April 14, from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Ministry Center Hall. This is a dance class for adults (18 and over), all levels welcome.

**Hiking:** Saturday, March 10

**Location:** Whiting Ranch Red Rock Canyon, 26701 Portola Parkway, Foothill Ranch

This is a moderate hike. Please bring water and sunscreen. Meet in the parking lot. All ages are welcome but minors must be accompanied by a parent/guardian. For questions, please call Donna Garza at (714) 615-0537.

**Wednesday Night Hoops (Adult Basketball):** Wednesdays through May 16 at the St. Norbert Family & Youth Center from 7 to 9 p.m. No sessions on February 14 (Ash Wednesday) and March 28 (Holy Week).

All participants must sign a liability form. Please visit the FFF page on the church website: <https://stnorbertchurch.org/faith-family-fitness>

Please bring liability forms the date of the event for expediency. Any questions, please e-mail [snccfitfam@gmail.com](mailto:snccfitfam@gmail.com)

## Ministerio Hispano



### Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

Dos de las lecturas de hoy nos llevan a una montaña. En las Escrituras las montañas son lugares sagrados. Moisés se encuentra con el Dios de Abrahán, Isaac y Jacob en el monte Sinaí. Elías tiene una experiencia de este mismo Dios dador de vida en el monte Horeb. Hoy Abrahán sube a al monte de Moria obedeciendo el mandato de Dios, que le dice: “toma a tu hijo único, a tu querido Isaac” (Génesis 22:2) y ofrécelo en sacrificio.

Es difícil ignorar esta lectura de hoy y enfocarnos sólo en el relato de la Transfiguración. Esta historia de Dios probando a Abrahán para ver si éste obedecería es una historia de gran angustia. “Ver” es una palabra importante aquí, ya que Moria significa “el lugar donde se ve”. Cuando Isaac le pregunta a Abrahán acerca de la víctima, éste le responde que Dios proveerá, una palabra cuya raíz latina es ver. Dios le hará ver la víctima a Abrahán, igualmente que Dios verá que Abrahán permanece obediente a todo.

También en el monte Tabor Pedro, Santiago y Juan ven a Jesús glorificado y sus ropas con una blancura deslumbrante; lo ven hablando con Moisés y Elías, quienes representan la ley y los profetas; también ven una nube que los cubre y escuchan una voz que los llama a obedecer: “Éste es mi Hijo amado; escúchenlo” (Marcos 9:7).

Junto a ellos nosotros somos invitados a ver a Jesús como el Hijo amado del Padre “que no perdonó a su propio Hijo, antes bien lo entregó a la muerte por nosotros”, como nos recuerda san Pablo (Romanos 8:32). El misterio de la cruz y la resurrección es una invitación para ver el amor de Dios por todos sus hijos e hijas y confiar en ese amor.

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### Campaña para los Servicios Pastorales

Nuestra meta parroquial para la Campaña para los Servicios Pastorales 2018 es que por lo menos 600 familias hagan su promesa para lograr la cantidad de \$156,000 para apoyar los ministerios de Formación en la Fe y Alcance a la Comunidad, la formación y apoyo del clero, y avance parroquial y diocesano. Los donativos que sobrepasen esa cantidad serán destinados a la instalación de paneles solares y a mejorar las medidas de seguridad de nuestra parroquia.

La PSA proporciona una manera conveniente para todos nosotros, sin importar nuestras limitaciones de tiempo, de tomar un papel activo en la misión de la Iglesia. Como guía para un donativo proporcional, por favor piense en un porcentaje de su ingreso, o el pago de una o dos horas de trabajo cada mes durante diez meses. Puede dejar su sobre de promesa a la PSA durante las misas este o el próximo fin de semana. También puede hacer su promesa en línea yendo al sitio de nuestra parroquia en Internet: [www.stnorbertchurch.org](http://www.stnorbertchurch.org), y hacer clic en el botón de Pastoral Services Appeal.

### Confesiones Durante la Cuaresma

Además de la reconciliación semanal los sábados a las 3:30 p.m., los sacerdotes estarán disponibles para confesiones todos los viernes durante la Cuaresma a las 7 a.m. (entre las Misas diarias). También habrá un Servicio Penitencial Parroquial de Cuaresma el **martes 20 de marzo** a las 7 p.m., con sacerdotes disponibles para confesiones individuales.

### Foro de Inmigración

**Domingo 25 de febrero, de 3:30 a 5:30 p.m.**

En colaboración con varias organizaciones del Condado de Orange, le invitamos a asistir a un foro de inmigración donde usted recibirá información y guía sobre sus derechos dentro de este país. El foro se llevará a cabo en la parroquia de San Norberto. En este tiempo inseguridad es importante estar preparados con información necesaria para proteger a su familia y comunidad. En cada foro habrá un abogado de inmigración, con amplia experiencia, que dará una presentación sobre sus derechos, oportunidades de legalización, y cómo evitar ser víctima de fraude migratorio. Después de esta presentación, tendremos organizaciones comunitarias, que ofrecen servicios a personas de bajos recursos. Por favor ayude a compartir la información de estos foros con su familia y comunidad.

El cupo para estos foros es limitado. Para garantizar su entrada por favor inscribese con Cenía Martínez a: [cenia@usilg.net](mailto:cenia@usilg.net) o (714) 494-4545, o en nuestra página en Eventbrite: [www.usilg.eventbrite.com](http://www.usilg.eventbrite.com)

### Preparación Matrimonial

Hacemos una cordial invitación a los novios que desean casarse por la Iglesia y también a aquellas parejas que tengan más de dos años viviendo juntos, o que sólo estén casados por el civil, a que bendigan su unión. El Grupo de Preparación Matrimonial les invita a tomar las próximas pláticas pre-matrimoniales el **16, 17 y 18 de marzo**. Para más información comuníquense con Fausta y Dionicio Medina al (951) 496-2350 o (951) 496-2356.

### Ofrenda Semanal Parroquial

Gracias por su apoyo continuo a la Parroquia de San Norberto. Para el año fiscal del 1 de julio, 2017 al 30 de julio, 2018, nuestro presupuesto pide que \$26,470 sean donados semanalmente en la colecta dominical para cubrir los gastos de nuestra Parroquia. Las colectas semanales de menos de \$26,470 requieren el uso de nuestra cuenta de reserva para pagar nuestros gastos. **El total de las colectas del miércoles de ceniza y domingo 18 de febrero, fue \$29,204.78.** Estas colectas no son sólo para cubrir nuestros gastos operativos cada semana, sino que también son utilizadas para reparaciones, mantenimiento, etc. para las instalaciones de nuestra parroquia. Sus donaciones constantes son necesarias para el bienestar de la Parroquia de San Norberto y para promover el Evangelio.



## Ministerio Hispano

### Domingo Familiar

Acompáñanos este **domingo 25 de febrero**, a nuestro Domingo Familiar después de la Misa de las 2 p.m. Ven a disfrutar de deliciosa comida típica junto con tu familia. Te esperamos.



### Viacrucis

#### Viernes 9 de marzo a las 7 p.m.

Cada año, el ministerio de Jóvenes Para Cristo, hace el viacrucis en vivo en el estacionamiento y canchas de básquetbol. Este año hemos cambiado el viacrucis, se llevará a cabo dentro de la Iglesia, cada ministerio estará a cargo de leer una estación guiada por el diacono Juan Espinoza, con música después de cada estación. Les invitamos que participen con su familia para que orando todos unidos, logremos la paz que todos anhelamos, les esperamos dentro de la iglesia. Para más información pueden comunicarse a las oficinas del Centro de Ministerios (714) 637-4360 x105 o 106.

### Padres de los Niños de Primera Comunión

Padres de familia, favor de llamar a Araceli al (714) 637-4360 x105 para hacer su cita y tener la entrevista para los papás y niño que hará su Primera Comunión. Todas las familias necesitan venir a su entrevista antes de la celebración del sacramento, también pueden pasar a la oficina el sábado, ya que ahí tenemos el calendario para anotarse. Muchas gracias por el esfuerzo común.

### Misión Cuaresmal

#### Miércoles 28 de febrero, y 7 y 14 de marzo, a las 7 p.m.

En estos momentos en que nos sentimos angustiados, tristes o desesperados, necesitamos encontrar un espacio que nos brinde paz y esperanza.



Invitamos a cada uno de ustedes y sus familias a participar en la Misión Cuaresmal parroquial, en donde descubriremos cómo cada uno de nosotros es importante en esta jornada de vida, y ¿cómo saberlo? El padre Eduardo Samaniego del Instituto Loyola para la Espiritualidad, vendrá y nos ayudará a descubrirlo.

Seguidamente les invitamos a pasar al Centro de Ministerios para compartir pan y algo caliente o frío, dependiendo del clima. ¡Contamos con su presencia porque ustedes son importantes! Para más información pueden comunicarse al Centro de Ministerios al (714) 637-4360 x105 o 106 con Carmen o Araceli.

### R.I.C.A.

Invitación a personas mayores de 18 años, que hayan celebrado el Sacramento de Primera Comunión pero les falta el Sacramento de Confirmación y estén pensando en celebrar este sacramento. Les invitamos a que se inscriban en las clases con la Sra. Gilma Tenorio al (714) 597-1318, o en las oficinas del Centro de Ministerios con Carmen Estrada, al (714) al 637-4360 x 106.



### Donación de Sangre

El **24 y 25 de febrero**, los Caballeros de Colón de San Norberto, llevarán a cabo una campaña de inscripción para donar sangre a la Cruz Roja. El día de donación de sangre será el **domingo 4 de marzo**, de 8 a.m. a 2 p.m. en el Centro de Ministerios. En este momento los niveles de los bancos de sangre están alarmantemente bajos debido a los desastres recientes.

Puede inscribirse y elegir su cita o anotarse después de cada Misa el **24 y el 25 de febrero**. También puede inscribirse en [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org), vaya a la ventana AZUL en la esquina superior derecha de la página que dice **Find a Blood Drive**, ingrese **StNorbert** y haga clic en la flecha. En la página siguiente, haga clic en **+ More Details**, luego seleccione una hora para la cita. Para obtener más información o ayuda, comuníquese con Bill Everest en: [bill.everest70@gmail.com](mailto:bill.everest70@gmail.com) o (714) 633-9154.

*La necesidad es constante ~ La gratificación es instantánea  
Done sangre ~ Salve vidas*



### Taza de Arroz

#### ¿Qué significa Taza de Arroz?

Taza de Arroz de CRS es el programa de Cuaresma de fe en acción de Catholic Relief Services. Esta organización católica ayuda en todos los países a las personas más necesitadas tanto con comida, como

educación para niños y adultos.

¿Porqué es importante que nosotros ayudemos? Como hijos e hijas de Dios todos somos hermanos, al dar mucho o poquito de lo que tenemos cumplimos con las Bienaventuranzas y obras de misericordia, y al mismo tiempo estamos ayudando a construir el Reino de Dios para que siga creciendo. Recordemos que cuando nosotros damos Dios nos lo retribuye en bendiciones para nuestra familia, en este tiempo de Cuaresma como una sola familia parroquial practiquemos todos "la oración, el ayuno, y la donación". Les invitamos a que participen llevándose una cajita a su casa, y la coloquen en el centro de su mesa, para que antes de tomar sus alimentos oren por los menos afortunados. Enseñemos a nuestros niños a ser generosos, ¿cómo podemos hacerlo?

- Utilizando su Taza de Arroz de CRS y el Calendario de Cuaresma todos los días para guiar su oración, ayuno y donación.
- Las Historias de esperanza y reflexiones diarias para inspirar su jornada de Cuaresma—y guiar su donación cuaresmal.
- Preparen comidas sencillas sin carne los viernes durante la Cuaresma para comer en solidaridad con nuestros hermanos y hermanas de todo el mundo.

Para aprender más sobre Taza de Arroz de CRS, por favor visiten [www.crsricebowl.org/es/](http://www.crsricebowl.org/es/)

## Community Life & Groups



### Consider Cursillo

Looking for the joy in your Catholic faith journey? Consider Cursillo! Join us for a weekend of exploring your faith with a like-minded Catholic community.

The next Men's Weekend will be **April 19 - 22**, and the Women's Weekend will be **May 3 - 6**. We also have a reunion of all men and women's weekend the following **Saturday, May 12**. The three-day weekends begin on Thursday evenings and end on Sunday evenings. After that, your new Cursillo friendships will last forever. If you can't make that weekend, consider **July 12 - 15/July 26 - 29 OR October 4 - 7/October 18 - 21**.

For more information, please feel free to contact Grant or Kathy Stephens at (714) 397-7501. May God continue to bless you and your family. *De Colores!*

### Thank You from Concern America

On November 26, 2017, hand-crafted textiles, baskets, ceramics and wood products from Concern America were displayed. As a community of the faithful, you were generous in purchasing handcrafts valued at \$1,642.00. We are very grateful to Father Bruce Patterson for his hospitality and support, and to everyone who purchased handcrafts. Through your generosity you have helped to spread hope for a better future to hundreds of economically disadvantaged people in many developing countries throughout the world. Thank you!

For information about Concern America's many programs or if you would like to see a selection of Concern America crafts, you are invited to visit our web site at [concernamerica.org](http://concernamerica.org) To place an order for something you saw at the sale, please call our office at (800) CON-CERN (800-266-2376).



### Marian Pilgrimage to France, Spain & Portugal with Fr. John Duy Nguyen September 8 to 21, 2018

Join Fr. John on a Marian Pilgrimage to France, Spain and Portugal this fall. The journey will include visits to shrines of the Miraculous Medal in Rue De Bac, St. Vincent De Paul, St. Therese of

Lisieux, Nevers, Paray-Le-Monial and the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Lourdes, Our Lady of Pillar, Zaragoza, Spain and Our Lady of Fatima, Santarem, Lisbon, Portugal. The full itinerary and booking form can be found on our parish website:

[www.stnorbertchurch.org](http://www.stnorbertchurch.org) Click on the "Marian Pilgrimage" link at the bottom of the right column on the home page.

The price is \$3,800.00 per person for air (round-trip from Los Angeles) and land, based on double occupancy. For more information please contact Fr. John Nguyen at [frjdnuygen@stnorbertchurch.org](mailto:frjdnuygen@stnorbertchurch.org) or (714) 637-4360, or Lulu Alo at QTS Tours and Travel, [qtstoursntravel@gmail.com](mailto:qtstoursntravel@gmail.com) or (714) 791-2700..

### Pray for the sick...

Barry Bridean	Sebastian Lefranc
Wanda Burke	Fernando León
Irma Camponovo	Esabel Makil
Jennifer Carroll	John Malmquist
Eddie Derham	Andrea Marmitt
Mercedes Frommholz	Tim McMenamin
Ernest Aguilar González	Jim Meng
Baby Emma Hager	Lorenzo Reyes
David Holland	Sr. Rosemary Sullivan
Kathy Hyland	David Torres
Bob Koob	Parker Winkelman

### ... and for those who have died.

Baby Jude Del Rio

### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday, February 24, 2018

5:00 p.m. + Mary Ann Sontag

#### Sunday, February 25, 2018

7:30 a.m. + Bill Wilkinson  
 9:00 a.m. + Namei Visitation  
 10:30 a.m. Huyen Nguyen  
 12:00 p.m. St. Norbert Parishioners  
 2:00 p.m. + Ana María Mendoza  
 5:30 p.m. + Frank Henry Cook, Jr.  
 7:00 p.m. + George Del Castillo

#### Monday, February 26, 2018

6:15 a.m. + Mely Sarzaba  
 8:30 a.m. + Phil Joyce

#### Tuesday, February 27, 2018

6:15 a.m. + Maria Olmos  
 8:30 a.m. + Elena Wartburg

#### Wednesday, February 28, 2018

6:15 a.m. + Albert Manns  
 8:30 a.m. + George Dennis  
 7:00 p.m. + Antonio Bonilla

#### Thursday, March 1, 2018

6:15 a.m. + Anthony De Luca  
 8:30 a.m. Klaus & Lotte Rindt

#### Friday, March 2, 2018

6:15 a.m. + Sergio Valderrama III  
 8:30 a.m. + José Ruiz

#### Saturday, March 3, 2018

8:30 a.m. + Francis Ohta







## Lenten Spirituality Series

The Lenten Spirituality Series at St. Cecilia's Catholic Church will be held from 7 to 8 p.m. on Monday evenings, starting **February 26**. The series will feature renowned teacher, speaker and author Rabbi Michael Mayersohn, who will share his gifted insight on Jewish and Christian teachings. Rabbi Michael will discuss the concept of sin, looking at its beginning in Jewish history and how it also influenced Christianity. Other dates for the Lenten Spirituality Series are **March 5, 12 and 19**. A free-will offering is suggested and welcomed.



## Church Journey of Hope Divorce Ministry

### New Ministry for Divorced & Separated Catholics

Have you experienced divorce or separation as a Catholic? Do you long for support and healing? You are not alone. St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church in Yorba Linda will be hosting a support **group, Journey of Hope**, for Catholics who have experienced divorce or separation. **Journey of Hope** is a 13-week series covering various topics in a peer-to-peer support setting. Whether you have been divorced for 30 years or are currently facing divorce or separation, **Journey of Hope** can help.



The group will be at 7:15 p.m. on Thursdays from **February 8 – through May 17**, in the St. Elizabeth Room.

There is a one-time fee of \$35 for books and materials.

Please contact Kristin Cyprien at (951) 712-2009 or [JourneyofHopesmdply.org](http://JourneyofHopesmdply.org) for more information.



## CHRIST CATHEDRAL DRAMA SERIES

[www.ccdramaseries.com](http://www.ccdramaseries.com)

**THE PASSION**  
*According to Saint Luke*

3/16-7:00 PM    3/17-7:00 PM    3/18-12:00 PM

## Presentation Sisters Retirement Benefit

**Saturday, March 10, 2018**

*Celebrating the Tercentenary of Nano Nagle, 1718-1784, who founded the Presentation Order on Christmas Eve, 1775*

This year's event is sponsored by St.

Bonaventure Parish and School at Meadowlark Golf Club, 16782 Graham Street in Huntington Beach. Doors will open at 6 p.m.

We sincerely invite you all to come again this year and enjoy our celebration, and if you never came before, come this time and you will find it very enjoyable with an "A" cast of entertainers, including the highly acclaimed **Bishop Kevin Vann, Bishop of the Diocese of Orange**, at the piano with a lively sing-a-long musical revue of familiar Irish tunes, appropriately including "Hail, Glorious St. Patrick." Following old-time tradition, cast members and actors are all from St. Bonaventure Parish. The home star power will be impressive and something not to miss.

As many of you know it is our twenty-seventh fund raiser for our retired and ill Sisters. You have been so faithful to us over all these years. We fervently ask God to reward your unbroken support. We know that love for the mission of Jesus of which we are all a part, is the moving force and with this we continue to soar over all obstacles.

To purchase your ticket for the dinner and show, please call: Cheri and Bill Crocker at (503) 569-4794 or e-mail: [cheribilliam@gmail.com](mailto:cheribilliam@gmail.com), or call Sister Angela at (909)261-2521, e-mail: [Usrsdev52727@aol.com](mailto:Usrsdev52727@aol.com) Come one, come all!



## Diocese of Orange

### Teacher Recruitment Fairs

The Diocese of Orange is hosting two Teacher Recruitment Fairs this year for those interested in teaching in one of our Catholic elementary or high schools. Interested parties are encouraged to attend.

- **Thursday April 12:** 7 to 8:30 p.m., St. Norbert Catholic Church Family & Youth Center
- **Saturday April 14:** 10 to 11:30 a.m., Our Lady Queen of Angels School, 750 Domingo Drive Newport Beach

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