

# St. Gerard Majella

Roman Catholic Church / Iglesia Católica Romana  
A Pro-Life Parish / Parroquia en Favor de la Vida

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## PARISH STAFF

### Pastor

Father Martin Slaughter

### Priest in Residence

Father Gerardo Padilla.

### Business Manager

Frances Gomez

### Parish Secretary

Olga Limon

### Parish Music Director

Allan Sims

### Food Bank

(310) 390-5034

### Catechism Center

(310) 391-9637

### Parish Office Hours

Monday thru Friday

9:00am - 12:30pm

3:00pm - 6:30pm

### Pregnant?

**Considering an Abortion?**

There are other alternatives.

Call the women at

**WESTSIDE PREGNANCY CLINIC**

(310) 268-8400 for 24 HOUR HELP

[www.wpclinic.org](http://www.wpclinic.org)

### Embarazada?

**Considerando un Aborto?**

Hay otras alternativas.

Llame a las mujeres del:

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**Shrine of St. Gerard Majella**  
**Patron of Mothers**  
**Difficult Pregnancies**  
**and Childless Couples**

**Adoration of**  
**The Blessed Sacrament**

**Adoración al**  
**Santísimo Sacramento**

1st. Friday / 1º Viernes

9:00am – 6:30pm

9:00pm – 7:00am

1st. Saturday / 1º Sábado

7:00pm – 7:00am

**Need Help? Unplanned Pregnancy?**

**Necesita ayuda?**

**Embarazo no-planeado?**

LAPS – Los Angeles Pregnancy Services

**1-800-395-4357 24hr. Hotline**

**213-382-5433**

**Se habla Español**

## Holy Mass

### Saturday

5:30pm Sunday Vigil English

### Sunday

7:30am

English

9:00am

English

10:30am

Español

12:00pm

English

1:30pm

Español

### Monday – Saturday

8:00am (English)

### Holy Days

Will be announced in the bulletin.

Será anunciado en el boletín.

### Confessions

Saturdays 3:00pm - 4:00pm

### Our Lady of Perpetual Help

**Novena** Wed. after the 8:00a.m.

Mass

### Baptisms / Bautismos

Call the Parish Office

Llamar a la Oficina

### Español 10:00am

Segundo Sábado

### English 10:00am

Third Saturday

### Marriage-Matrimonio

### Quinceañeras

Call the Parish Office .

Llame a la Oficina.

### SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN

### COMMITTEE

Gabriela Padilla (310-390-5034)

*December 28, 2014*



**NEW YEAR'S EVE**

New Years Eve - Wednesday,  
**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
10:00p.m.- 12 Midnight

**New Years Day**

Thursday, January 1  
9:30 a.m. English  
11:00 a.m. Spanish

**VIGILIA DE AÑO NUEVO**

Vigilia - Miercoles,  
**Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento**  
10:00p.m.hasta las 12:00. Media Noche

**Día de Año Nuevo**

Jueves, 1 de Enero  
9:30 a.m. Ingles  
11:00 a.m. Español



Christ was born for each one of us, making Love a tangible reality.  
God of peace, bring your peace to our violent world: peace in the hearts of  
all men and women and peace among the nations of the Earth.

Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

*The failure of the people to speak small truths  
leads to the victory of the big lie.*

**The second collection** is for the Retirement Fund for Religious.

Thank you for your generosity.



**La segunda colecta** es para los fondos de la Jubilación de Religiosos.

Gracias por su generosidad



*Merry Christmas!*  
*Feliz Navidad!*

### **PETITIONS TO ST. GERARD MAJELLA**



**Brian & Catherine**: Massachusetts, That we may conceive and give birth to our first child. May that child be healthy and filled with God's grace.

**Anon** NY: I'm praying to have a healthy normal baby, we've been trying for 2 years now .. Please bless us St.Gerard with a baby .

**Dan and Val**: Berlin. Please pray that Dan and Val may be able to conceive a child. Thank you.

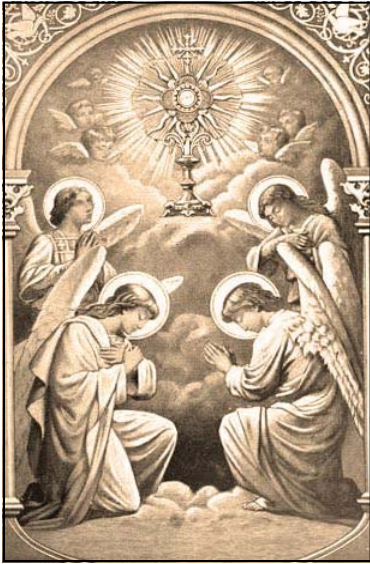
**Michelle**: Florida, For my unborn baby's heartbeat to return to normal and to go full term. My faith is strong and already received signal graces from St. Gerard that he is interceding! Need a miracle

**Silvia** : Pido la intersección de ustedes para que mi parto sea natural y que mi bebe se ponga en posición correcta. Que mi bebe este bien y sana. Gracias

**Linda and John** : Ireland: Conceive their first child.

**Anon**: Please pray for myself and my husband. I had a miscarriage yesterday June 27. And now I feel so sad. God knows best. We will try again with the grace of God. Please St Gerard, intercede for us so that we may conceive a healthy child to full term. Though this was my fourth child, it felt as if it was my first. I was so happy that I bought many things for my baby. I feel very empty and sad that I can't stop crying. Please help me accept this miscarriage, because I have never had this experience and help me be a good catholic mother to my children. Thank you I need your prayers.

**Judy y Francisco**: San Gerardo te pido ayudes a nuestros amigos alcanzar Su anhelo de concebir un hijo! Que Dios ponga Su Mano sobre ellos y asi sea. Según tu voluntad! Amen



## Eucharistic Adoration

In order to convert America and save the World what we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer (Blessed Mother Teresa)

Every First Friday and First Saturday there is Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the church:

**On 1st Friday from 8:30a.m. to 6:30p.m. and  
9:00p.m. to 7:30 a.m.**

**On 1st Saturday from 7:00p.m. to 7:00a.m. Spanish**

During these times, there is recitation of the Rosary, time for silent reflection, and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, concluding with Benediction. Please come and spend time with Jesus. This is a special time of abundant blessings .

## Adoración al Santísimo

Cada Viernes Primero 8:30a.m.—6:30p.m.

Cada Sábado primero 7:00p.m.—7:30a.m.



*El amor también se enferma*



*¡Protégelo!*

*Si quieres mejorar la comunicación con tu pareja, pregúntanos por el **FDS** (fin de semana) de Encuentro Matrimonial, vale la pena intentarlo. Llamanos... tenemos la respuesta*



Anselmo y Gavy Rojas (310) 306-6252  
Nazario y Jaqueline Ramírez (310) 202-8921  
Juan e Irene Pérez (310) 672-8238  
Daniel y Luisa Delgadillo (424) 206-3673



ENCUENTRO MATRIMONIAL MUNDIAL  
*Nuestra Señora de Los Angeles*

**HOLY INNOCENTS DAY SERVICE**

Mass and Rosary-centered service at the Shrine to the Unborn

**TODAY, December 28th.**

Holy Cross Cemetery - 5835 West Slauson Ave.

Mass at 2:00 PM at the Risen Christ Chapel

Celebrant Bishop Joseph Sartoris

followed by Rosary and procession to the Shrine, led by the Knights of Columbus.

Please bring your family and friends.

For further details call Tom Ullman, (310) 670-0605.

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**1.17.15**  
**TO CELEBRATE**  
**WIFE**  
**DOWNTOWN**  
**VA**

**[archla.org/jan17](http://archla.org/jan17)**



## Banns of marriage / Amonestaciones

*Richard Caceres  
and  
Jovelyn Pernia*



*Celebrate the feast of Christmas every day, even every moment in the interior temple of your spirit, remaining like a baby in the bosom of the heavenly Father, where you will be reborn each moment in the Divine Word, Jesus Christ. -- St. Paul of the Cross*

### **¿SABÍA USTED? La Arquidiócesis implementa políticas estrictas para la seguridad de los niños**

La Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles ha implementado políticas y procedimientos rigurosos para garantizar que nuestras parroquias y escuelas ofrezcan un ambiente seguro para todos los niños y jóvenes. Estos incluyen: Cero tolerancia; Pautas para adultos que son empleados o voluntarios en programas con menores; Pautas sobre los “límites de contacto” de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles para jóvenes de “junior high” y “high school” que son empleados o voluntarios con niños o jóvenes; y Procedimientos para el cumplimiento de la Ley de Megan. Para ver éstas y otras políticas visite [www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting](http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting).

### **DID YOU KNOW? Archdiocese implements strict policies for children’s safety**

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles has implemented rigorous policies and procedures to provide a safe environment in our parishes and parish schools for all children and young people. These include: Zero Tolerance; Guidelines for adults working or volunteering with minors; Archdiocese of Los Angeles boundary guidelines for junior high and high school youth working or volunteering with children or youth; and Megan’s Law compliance procedures. To view these and other policies visit: <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/>

#### **DAILY MASS INTENTIONS**

#### **INTENCIONES DE MISA DIARIA**

##### **Saturday, Dec. 27th**

5:30p.m. Uncle Vito +

##### **Sunday, Dec. 28th**

7:30a.m. Maria Reynoso (B-day)

9:00a.m. Teresa Valdivia +

10:30a.m. Los Fieles de San Gerardo

12:00p.m. Irene Fulgenzi (Health)

1:30p.m. Susy Solano +

##### **Monday, Dec. 29th**

8:00a.m. Olga Limon (B-day)

##### **Tuesday, Dec. 30th**

8:00a.m. Amary Kaicen Aquino ( 5th B-day)

##### **Wednesday, Dec. 31st**

8:00a.m. Apolinario and Ambrosio Albino +

##### **Thursday, Jan. 1st**

9:30a.m.

11:00a.m.

##### **Friday, Jan. 2nd**

8:00a.m.

##### **Saturday, Jan. 3rd**

8:00a.m. Julio Enrique Navas (B-day)

## St. Gerard Majella Parish Registration Form

New members of the parish are invited to use this form to register. Registered members may use it to advise us of a change of address, phone number or to request offertory envelopes. Either drop the form below in the collection basket or bring to the parish office.

Mr./Mrs.  
First Name Ms. \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City & Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Children \_\_\_\_\_

### Boleta de Inscripción de la Parroquia de San Gerardo de Majella

Nuevos miembros de la parroquia son invitados a utilizar esta forma para registrarse. Los miembros registrados lo pueden utilizar para informarnos de un cambio de domicilio, el número de teléfono o para solicitar sobres de ofrenda. Deposite esta forma en la canasta de ofrendas o entréguelo a la oficina parroquial.

Sr.  
Primer Nombre Sra. \_\_\_\_\_ Apellido \_\_\_\_\_

Nombre Del Cónyuge \_\_\_\_\_ Teléfono \_\_\_\_\_

Dirección \_\_\_\_\_

Ciudad Y Código Postal \_\_\_\_\_

Hijos(as) \_\_\_\_\_