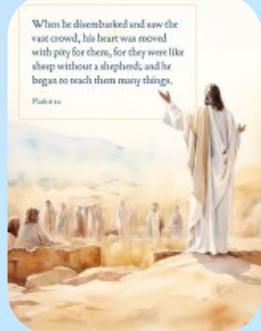


**July 21,  
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### **MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:30 p.m.

**Sunday:** 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Spanish), 12:30 pm

**Weekdays:** 12:15 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

**O.L.P.H. Novena:** 7:00 p.m. (Shrine) Filipino Sponsored

### **CONFessions**

**Mon - Sat:** 11:45 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday:** 10:30 a.m. (Spanish)

### **RECTORY OFFICE**

**Monday - Saturday:** 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

**Sunday** 9 a.m. - 12 noon.

### **GIFT SHOP SCHEDULE**

**Monday - Sunday:** 10 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**APPOINTMENTS:** You are asked to arrange an appointment in advance by telephone with the Priest you wish to see.

**SICK CALLS:** Emergencies & Hospital Visitation: Please contact the Rectory office.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** The Sacrament of Baptism is administered monthly. Arrangements are made in advance at the Rectory. Sponsors must provide proof of eligibility by a letter from their respective pastors, and must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion, and Confirmation. Parents attend a Pre-Jordan meeting prior to Baptism, which is arranged at a mutually convenient time.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least six months before the date of the wedding. Pre-Cana instructions are required. Couples rather than parents or wedding coordinators should contact the church. If either party was previously married, an annulment must be granted prior to the selection of a future wedding date.

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### SATURDAY, JULY 20

5:30 PM Taffy Walmsley 40th Anniversary as Secular Franciscan - rb: SJN Fraternity

### SUNDAY, JULY 21

9:30 AM Parish Family and † Eleanor & Walter Piotrowski - rb: Family

11:00 AM † Hector M. Olmo - rb: Luz Cartagena

12:30 PM † Agnes Giampietro - rb: Mary Giampietro

### MONDAY, JULY 22

12:15 PM Francie Farnoly - rb: The Grace Family

5:30 PM † Dominic and Maria Nguyen - rb: Le Nguyen

### TUESDAY, JULY 23

12:15 PM Eneida Davila and Family – Madeleine G. Johnson

5:30 PM † Paul Kurtis Pietrini - rb: Phil Terrigno

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

12:15 PM OLPH MASS LEAGUE

5:30 PM † Tai Chi Nguyen – rb: Family & Friends

### THURSDAY, JULY 25

12:15 PM † Elsie Hernandez - rb: The Malave Family

5:30 PM Pedro J. Graulau, Jr. B-day - rb: Eneida, Rosy, and Dejah B. Davila

### FRIDAY, JULY 26

12:15 PM Neumann Guild

5:30 PM † Paula Catala and Clemente Davila – rb: Rosy and Dejah B. Davila

### SATURDAY, JULY 27

12:15 PM OLPH MASS LEAGE

## REMEMBER THE SICK OF THE PARISH

In your prayers, please keep in mind our sick, homebound, and those in healthcare facilities including: Fr. Gerard Brinkmann CSsR, Charlene Williams, Sandra Rivera, James Kernan, Michael Czekej, Jennifer Woods, Andrew Boyle, John Paul Gordon, Jr., Rose M. Noordzy, Charles Lovett, Mary Zajac, Aelya Farrell, Elsie Cintron, Leonor Alfonso, William Santos, Mia Cassoli, Gail Warren, Emery Rivera, Matthew Lee, Robert Federico, Shawn Wojciechowicz, Andrew Little, Margaret McGonigle, Miguel Olmeda, Clara Torres, Ada Olivo, Michael Gruninger, John Fairey, Carmen Rodriguez, Aretha Romero, Crecensia Ayala, Luis Soler, Jr and Wayne Shaak. Please call the rectory office to add a name.



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

Today, the Third Sunday in July we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Redeemer, the Titular Feast of the Redemptorist Congregation.

Christ is the source of our salvation, which is revealed through the mystery of the Redemption. Today this mystery is celebrated, not primarily in its historical development- as in the Paschal Triduum- but in its inner meaning and universality, that is, as having its source in the love of the Father who gives the Son and the love of the Son who gives himself to us.

Pope John Paul II writes in *Redemptoris Hominis*, #8 “The Redeemer of the World!”. In Him has been revealed, in a new and more marvelous manner, the fundamental truth concerning creation, to which the Book of Genesis gives witness when it repeats several times: ‘God saw it was good.’ The goodness has its source in Wisdom and in Love. In Jesus Christ, the visible world which God created for humanity- the world that, when sin entered, ‘was subjected to futility’ (Roman 8:20)- recovers again its original link with the divine source of Wisdom and Love. Indeed, ‘God so loved the world that he gave his only Son’ (John 3:16). As this link has been broken in the man Adam, so in Christ, it has been forged.

Christ, the redeemer of the world, is the one who has penetrated in a unique, unrepeatable way into the mystery of the human being and entered the human ‘heart’. The Second Vatican Council teaches:

The truth is that only in the mystery of the Incarnate Word does the mystery of man take on light. For Adam, the first man, was a type of him who was to come (Rom 5:14), Christ the Lord. Christ the new Adam, in the very revelation of the mystery of the Father and of His love, fully reveals man to himself and brings to light his most high calling.

And it continues: “HE who is the ‘image of the invisible God’ (Col 1:15), is himself the perfect human being who has restored in the children

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of Adam the likeness to God which has been disfigured ever since the first sin. Human nature, by the very fact that it was assumed, not absorbed, in him, has been raised in us also to a dignity beyond compare. For, by his incarnation, he the Son of God, in a certain way united himself with each human being. He worked with human hands, he thought with a human mind. He acted with a human will, and with a human heart, he loved. Born of the Virgin Mary, he has truly been made one of us, like to us in all things except sin." (GS 22) He is, the Redeemer of humankind!

-The Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer  
Sacramental and Lectionary Supplement

Blessings,

Fr. Mike



Are you or someone you know interested in growing a relationship with God, learn more about the Catholic Faith, and be Baptized or complete the sacraments of initiation?

Please contact Sr. Carmen Torres, SHCJ who will be able to review the process with you and answer any questions you may have.

**Sr. Carmen can be reached at 215-625-9755.**

### **WEEKEND COLLECTION - 7/14/2024**

The collections of this weekend will be in the bulletin for July 28, 2024.



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#### **SANCTUARY CANDLES**

This week, the candles in the sanctuaries will burn for the following intentions:

**Blessed Sacrament Altar (Lower Church)**  
Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

**OLPH Shrine (Upper Church)**  
Little Family - rb: Nora Little

**St. John Neumann Altar**  
Nguyen Family - rb: Le Nguyen

**Blessed Sacrament Altar (Upper Church)**  
Available  
**Redemptorist Chapel**  
Available



#### **SANCTUARY CANDLES**

Consider lighting a candle for your intentions or in memory of a loved one.

The candles are located at the Blessed Sacrament Altar, the Perpetual Help Shrine, the St. John Neumann Altar, the Upper Church's Main Altar, and the Priest Chapel.

If you are interested, please contact the rectory office for details.

**Donation: \$20 for 2 weeks; \$10 for one week**

## LA MISA DE HOY

11:00 AM † Hector M. Olmo – rb: Luz Cartagena

## CONFESIONES EN ESPAÑOL

10:30 AM

## DONACIONES DE UNITED WAY

Si usted contribuye a United Way a través de su trabajo, favor considere designar a la Escuela San Pedro, **United Way #52989**, para que su donación ayude a nuestra escuela.

## EL LIBRO DE MISAS ANUNCIADAS PARA 2024 YA ESTÁ CERRADO.

GRACIAS POR CONFIAR EN SAN PEDRO EL APÓSTOL Y SANTUARIO NACIONAL DE SAN JUAN NEUMANN CON SUS INTENCIOS.

## VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Esta semana, las velas de los santuarios se encenderán por las siguientes intenciones:

*Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Abajo)*

Familia Nguyen - sp: Le Nguyen

*Santuario de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro (Iglesia de Arriba)*

Familia Little - sp: Nora Little

*Altar de San Juan Neumann*

Familia Nguyen - sp: Le Nguyen

*Altar del Santísimo Sacramento (Iglesia de Arriba)*

Disponible

*Capilla de los Redentoristas*

Disponible

## VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Considere encender una vela por sus intenciones, o en memoria de un ser querido. Estas velas se encuentran en el Altar del Santísimo Sacramento, el Santuario de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro, el Altar de San Juan Neumann, el Altar Principal de la Iglesia de Arriba, y la Capilla de los Sacerdotes. Si usted está interesado, comuníquese con la oficina de la rectoría para más detalles.

**Donación: \$20.00 por 2 semanas; \$10 por una semana.**



## DEL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

Queridos Feligreses,

Hoy, tercer domingo de julio, celebramos la Solemnidad del Santísimo Redentor, Fiesta Titular de la Congregación Redentorista.

Cristo es la fuente de nuestra salvación, que se revela a través del misterio de la Redención. Hoy este misterio se celebra, no principalmente en su desarrollo histórico -como en el Triduo Pascual- sino en su significado interior y universalidad, es decir, que tiene su fuente en el amor del Padre que da al Hijo y en el amor del Hijo, quien se entrega a nosotros.

El Papa Juan Pablo II escribe en *Redemptoris Hominis*, #8 “¡El Redentor del mundo!”. En Él se ha revelado, de manera nueva y más maravillosa, la verdad fundamental sobre la creación, de la que da testimonio el Libro del Génesis cuando repite varias veces: “Dios vio que era bueno”. enamorado. En Jesucristo, el mundo visible que Dios creó para la humanidad –el mundo que, cuando entró el pecado, “fue sometido a vanidad” (Romanos 8,20)- recupera de nuevo su vínculo original con la fuente divina de la Sabiduría y del Amor. De hecho, “tanto amó Dios al mundo que dio a su único Hijo” (Juan 3:16). Así como este vínculo se ha roto en el hombre Adán, así en Cristo se ha forjado.

Cristo, el Redentor del mundo, es quien ha penetrado de manera única e irrepetible en el misterio del ser humano y ha entrado en el “corazón” humano. El Concilio Vaticano II enseña:

La verdad es que sólo en el misterio del Verbo Encarnado se ilumina el misterio del hombre. Porque Adán, el primer hombre, era figura del que había de venir (Rom 5,14), Cristo el Señor. Cristo nuevo Adán, en la revelación misma del misterio del Padre y de su amor, revela plenamente al hombre a sí mismo y pone a la luz su altísima vocación.

Y continúa: “Él, que es la 'imagen del Dios invisible' (Col 1,15), es él mismo el ser humano perfecto que ha restaurado en los hijos de Adán la semejanza de Dios, desfigurada desde el primer pecado. . La naturaleza humana, por el hecho mismo de que fue asumida, no absorbida, en él, ha sido elevada también en nosotros a una dignidad incomparable. Porque él, por su encarnación,

## ~ Noticias de la Parroquia ~

Hijo de Dios, se unió en cierto modo a cada ser humano. Trabajó con manos humanas, pensó con mente humana. Actuó con voluntad humana y con corazón humano amó. Nacido de la Virgen María, verdaderamente se ha hecho uno de nosotros, semejante a nosotros en todo excepto en el pecado". (GS 22) ¡El es el Redentor de la humanidad!

-La Congregación del Santísimo Redentor Suplemento Sacramentario y Leccionario

Bendiciones,

Padre Mike



¿Está usted o alguien que conoce interesado en desarrollar una relación con Dios, aprender más sobre la fe católica y ser bautizado o completar los sacramentos de iniciación?

Comuníquese con la Hna. Carmen Torres, SHCI, quien podrá revisar el proceso con usted y responder cualquier pregunta que pueda tener.

Hna. Carmen puede ser contactada en

215-625-9755

### EL ROSARIO

Les invitamos a unirse a nosotros todos los días a las 11:55AM en el Santuario a rezar el Rosario por la paz. Venga y únase a nosotros con el arma espiritual.



### RECORDEMOS A LOS ENFERMOS DE LA PARROQUIA

En sus oraciones, por favor, tenga en cuenta a nuestros enfermos, confinados en casa, y aquellos en los centros de salud, incluyendo: Fr. Gerard Brinkmann CSsR, Charlene Williams, Michael Gruninger, Jim Kernan, Marcelino Casiano, Jennifer Woods, Andrew Boyle, Liam Bocarro, Mary Farrell, Elsie Cintron, John Paul Gordon, Jr., Rose M. Noordzy, Michael Czekej, Sandra Rivera, Ada Olivo, Clara Torres, Emery Rivera, Jane Kernan, Miguel Olmeda, Margaret McGonigle, Andrew Little, Charlene Williams, John Fairey, Carmen Rodriguez, Aretha Romero, Crecencia Ayala, Luis Soler Jr. Y Wayne Shaak. Favor de llamar a la rectoría para incluir un nombre en la lista.

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### COLECTA DEL FIN DE SEMANA DE 7/14/2024

*La información de la colecta del último fin de semana estará en el próximo boletín.*

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NOTE: NEW LINK



All live streaming will resume for 9:30am and 11:00 am masses beginning May, 2024 and can be found on our website (no longer facebook) <https://spaphilly.org/live>

We encourage you to attend services in person to take part in the great gift of the Mass and the Real Presence of Jesus to us in the Holy Eucharist.



### Matrícula Abierta

Año Escolar 2024-2025



SPAS está inscribiendo nuevos estudiantes en todos los grados. Asistencia para la matrícula está disponible, pero el espacio es limitado. ¡Contáctenos hoy para más información!



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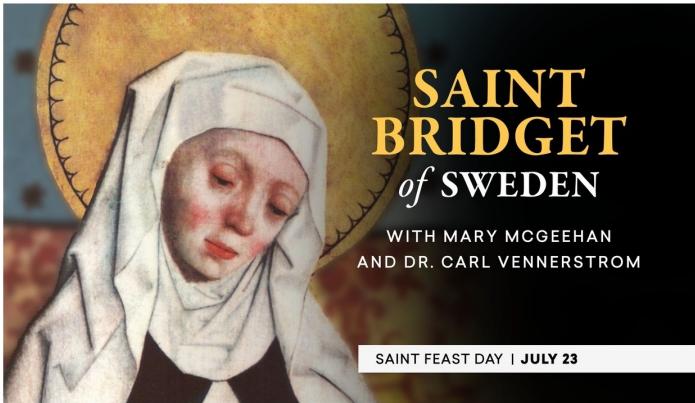
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**MONDAY - SATURDAY**  
**LUNES - SABADO**  
**LOWER CHURCH**  
**IGLESIA INFERIOR**  
 12:15 pm | 5:30 pm

**SUNDAY**  
**DOMINGO**  
**UPPER CHURCH**  
**IGLESIA SUPERIOR**  
 9:30 am | 11:00 am (Spanish/Español) | 12:30 pm



Beginning Monday, June 17, 2024  
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