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WEEKDAY MASSES

I express my sincere gratitude to all who took the time to provide input regarding the schedule for our weekday Masses.

Your feedback demonstrates an equal interest for morning Mass at 7:00 am and for a Mass later in the morning.

Beginning June 15th, our weekday morning Mass schedule will be:

- 7:00 AM ~ Tuesday and Wednesday
- 8:30 AM ~ Monday and Friday

Please join me in praying that this schedule provides an opportunity for all those who wish to attend weekday Mass.

Sincerely,
Fr. Jarlath Dolan
PASTOR

Archbishop Gomez: Pope Francis 'looking forward' to September visit to U.S.

The archbishop of Los Angeles met with the Holy Father during a private audience in early May.

by Gretchen R. Crowe

Los Angeles Archbishop José H. Gomez recently visited Indiana and had a brief talk on Pope Francis, the state of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles and Hispanic ministry. The archbishop presented the keynote on Dorothy Day for a conference being held at the University of St. Francis in Fort Wayne.

During his talk, Archbishop Gomez, who returned from Rome in May, shared insights from speaking with Pope Francis and of concelebrating Mass with him at the Pontifical North American College (NAC) during a conference on Blessed Junipero Serra.

During their 35-40-minute conversation—which the archbishop said was conducted in Spanish—Pope Francis expressed how he is looking forward to his visit to the United States, Archbishop Gomez said.

In return, “I wanted to let him know that we pray for him, we love him, we support him and that people in the United States are very happy with his ministry,” the archbishop said.

The archbishop added that even though he’s never traveled to the United States, Pope Francis is very plugged into what’s happening in the country in terms of the Church, politics and the culture.

“It’s wonderful for him to come to the United States knowing that people love him and are ready to welcome him,” Archbishop Gomez said. “I think his going to the (NAC) was a

beautiful introduction to what the Church in the United States is all about.”

“He knows that there are some challenges,” the archbishop said. “(The pope is) concerned about his speech at the U.S. Congress, which makes sense, anybody would be. But he is looking forward to coming to the United States.”

The archbishop had been in Rome for a conference on Blessed Junipero Serra, a Spanish Franciscan missionary who evangelized much of the West Coast and who will be canonized in September when Pope Francis visits the United States.

“(The pope) wanted to give us an example of what missionary work is all about,” Archbishop Gomez said, “so he decided to canonize Junipero Serra.”

While in Rome, he concelebrated Mass with Pope Francis and said he was struck by the Holy Father’s “piety and concentration” during the liturgy. “He comes to Mass and he really changes” from an outgoing Church pastor, to a quiet, contemplative priest, the archbishop said.

Archbishop Gomez also spoke about Los Angeles as “a little piece of the global Church,” where 70 percent of its 5 million Catholics are Hispanic.

“Latinos are becoming a more and more important part of the Catholic Church,” he said. “We need to engage them.”

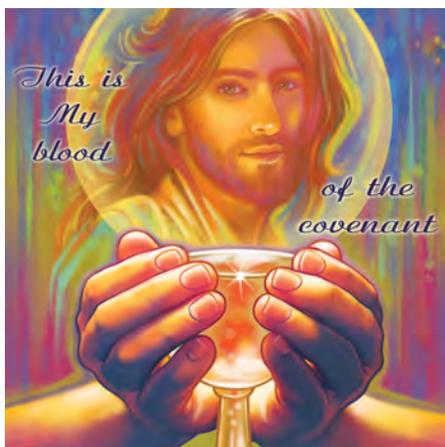


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Project Response Summer Collection is under way for the June 20th distribution—please collect a bag on your way out of Mass. All donations of food, clothing and supplies can be dropped off in the breeze way (outside the Parish Office) between now and June 19. This is the last of our 4 annual collections.

A couple of years ago Project Response also supported a local group who visited an orphanage in Tijuana called CATHOLIC CRIB HOUSE. This is run by 8 nuns, who take care of children from newborn to age 10, after which the children are moved to an orphanage for older children. Crib House has sent us a list with the children's names and ages—last time they had 13 babies between newborn to age 2, they had 28 girls and 41 boys between 3 and 10. This year, the group is going to Tijuana on Saturday June 20th, and they are asking us for children's supplies (diapers, food, clothes, etc.), as well as shampoo, soap, lotion, laundry detergent, toothpaste, brooms, mops, and buckets. Luxury items would be twin-size bed sheets, shoes, backpacks and First Communion clothes.

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Third Age June Meeting

The Third Age will be holding its final meeting before the summer hiatus on Friday, June 12th at 12 noon. The meeting will be held at the home of Ans DeRoos and will include a BBQ luncheon. The food service will include hot dogs and hamburgers, salad, dessert, and drinks. All are welcome but an RSVP is important to ensure that we have the right amount of food to feed everyone who attends. Please RSVP to Ans at 805-492-6242 as early as possible to allow us to purchase the food in a timely manner. Our monthly meetings will not resume until September so plan to come to the June luncheon to see all your friends before the summer break.

REFLECTING ON GOD'S WORD

Going to movies these days can be an immersion in blood. I go to movies fairly regularly and friends in the parish will ask me my reactions now and again. Often over the years, I have found myself responding, "It's well made, but . . . it's pretty bloody." Or "I'm not sure if you want to see all this bloodshed."

It might be surprising to listen to the three readings that all have to do not just with shedding blood, but sprinkling it on people, as Moses did out in the desert, and presenting Jesus as the great high priest who goes into the sanctuary bearing his own blood, which will "cleanse our consciences from dead works" (Hebrews 9:14) so we can worship the living God.

And then there is the more familiar reading of Mark's account of the Last Supper, when Jesus tells his disciples to drink his blood. Perhaps we have gotten used to hearing these words since they are spoken at every Mass. But if you stop and think about it they are rather shocking.

In the biblical world blood is sacred, blood is life. From the beginning animals were offered in sacrifice. But with the offering of the body and blood of Christ, a new relationship has been entered into with our God. Through Jesus' gift of his body and blood, salvation was won for us and is present to us when we gather in his name to praise the Father.

—James A. Wallace, C.Ss.R.

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK

In what specific way this week can I translate my belief in Christ's real presence in the Eucharist into my practical service of Christ really present in someone who needs my love?

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ezekiel 17:22–24

2 Corinthians 5:6–10

Mark 4:26–34

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon	Jun 8	7:00 AM	Karen M. Maloney† Margaret Nadler†
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Fri	Jun 12	7:00 AM	Scigliano Family†
Sat	Jun 13	5:00 PM	Anthony Polemeni† Scott Parker† Ron Mencarelli†
Sun	Jun 7	7:30 AM	Rose Calabro†
		9:00 AM	Brendan Grainger†
		11:00 AM	Anna & Massimo Giannulli†

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

It has been said that the Church breathes with two lungs, East and West. Some of our family treasures are in the East, and it is interesting to consider how liturgical families developed around differing customs. Centuries before Christ, after the young girl was given to her husband by her father, the spouses were crowned. Christians retained that custom, keeping the wedding in the home, and sometimes inviting a visiting priest or bishop to put the crowns on their heads. By the fourth century, the crowns were seen not as royal crowns, but as the crowns of victory worn by martyrs. The crowns have nothing to do with being "king and queen for a day," but rather speak of the sacrifice of love poured out fully. There are no vows exchanged at all, but the crowning is followed by a joyful dance by the priest and couple around the Gospel book. Unlike Roman law, which saw the wedding rites as optional, Eastern practice did not recognize a marriage that had not been blessed.

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The Joy of the Gospel

excerpts from the apostolic exhortation Evangelii Gaudium

Unity prevails over conflict

226. Conflict cannot be ignored or concealed. It has to be faced. But if we remain trapped in conflict, we lose our perspective, our horizons shrink and reality itself begins to fall apart. In the midst of conflict, we lose our sense of the profound unity of reality.

227. When conflict arises, some people simply look at it and go their way as if nothing happened; they wash their hands of it and get on with their lives. Others embrace it in such a way that they become its prisoners; they lose their bearings, project onto institutions their own confusion and dissatisfaction and thus make unity impossible. But there is also a third way, and it is the best way to deal with conflict. It is the willingness to face conflict head on, to resolve it and to make it a link in the chain of a new process. “Blessed are the peacemakers!” (Mt 5:9).

228. In this way it becomes possible to build communion amid disagreement, but this can only be achieved by those great persons who are willing to go beyond the surface of the conflict and to see others in their deepest dignity. This requires acknowledging a principle indispensable to the building of friendship in society: namely, that unity is greater than conflict. Solidarity, in its deepest and most challenging sense, thus becomes a way of making history in a life setting where conflicts, tensions and oppositions can achieve a diversified and life-giving unity. This is not to opt for a kind of syncretism, or for the absorption of one into the other, but rather for a resolution which takes place on a higher plane and preserves what is valid and useful on both sides.

229. This principle, drawn from the Gospel, reminds us that Christ has made all things one in himself: heaven and earth, God and man, time and eternity, flesh and spirit, person and society. The sign of this unity and reconciliation of all things in him is peace. Christ “is our peace” (Eph 2:14). The Gospel message always begins with a greeting of peace, and peace at all times crowns and confirms the relations between the disciples. Peace is possible because the Lord has overcome the world and its constant conflict “by making peace through the blood of his cross” (Col 1:20). But if we look more closely at these biblical texts, we find that the locus of this reconciliation of differences is within ourselves, in our own lives, ever threatened as they are by fragmentation and breakdown.[183] If hearts are shattered in thousands of pieces, it is not easy to create authentic peace in society.

230. The message of peace is not about a negotiated settlement but rather the conviction that the unity brought by the Spirit can harmonize every diversity. It overcomes every conflict by creating a new and promising synthesis. Diversity is a beautiful thing when it can constantly enter into a process of reconciliation and seal a sort of cultural covenant resulting in a “reconciled diversity”. As the bishops of the Congo have put it: “Our ethnic diversity is our wealth... It is only in unity, through conversion of hearts and reconciliation, that we will be able to help our country to develop on all levels”.

YOU CAN HELP CHILDREN KNOW THEY ARE UNDERSTOOD

As parents, educators and volunteers, we want children to know that we are not only authority figures in their lives, but also people they can trust. To foster authentic trust with children, it is important that they know that you understand them. One of the simplest ways to do this is by repeating back what children are telling you.

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Combating Hopelessness

The search for solutions on the streets of East L.A.

By COLLEEN DUNNE

As a campus minister, I traveled with college students on immersion trips. One of our favorite destinations was East Los Angeles. The two-day drive through six states was a good time to prepare for the experience of diversity, education and community we encountered in homes and on the streets of the Boyle Heights neighborhood.

Geographic and economic factors helped create the complex mix of social issues in East L.A., including a long history of violence revolving around gangs and drugs. This community was especially known for a rash of gang violence in the mid-1980s that gave rise to Homeboy Industries, an attempt to save the lives of young men there. Life in East L.A. was defined by a large number of undocumented workers in need of food and shelter, and a population of at-risk youth on a fault line between opportunity and life on the streets as gang members.

For college students from small towns and rural areas, an immersion trip there was an eye-opening encounter with the risks marginalized populations face in many urban areas.

One focus of the trip was our visit to the Skid Row neighborhood of larger Los Angeles. This part of the city encompasses 54 city blocks that hold the largest population of identifiable homeless people in the United States. The thousands of people living on the streets are affected by mental illness, depression and drug addiction. People come here because they are unable to find the help they need or any other place to call home. Efforts to provide shelter and services cannot keep pace with the growing need.

The reality of the life these marginalized people experience on Skid Row is different from life in any other setting; the streets here are full of people in dire need of resources and

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healthcare and, even more, love from others. They are preyed upon by drug dealers and criminals eager to exploit their vulnerabilities. As we toured the area, our guide, a Los Angeles city police officer, told us about the history of the place and the challenge to reverse the trend of people coming to Skid Row because they cannot find help in their own neighborhoods and communities.

We walked past cardboard boxes with people in them, we saw drug deals taking place in front of us, and we visited soup kitchens with long lines of people waiting for a meal.

What the student groups witnessed would have been overwhelming without also the chance to meet the many creative and committed people and communities in East L.A. and on Skid Row who are working to address the problems.

Dolores Mission, a small Jesuit parish that sits on a street corner in that part of town, has empowered parishioners to build an incredible outreach to the community. Each night, the church building turns into a shelter for migrant men. During the day, the parish school across the street welcomes the children of the neighborhood. Grandmothers stand on the corners after school to ensure the safety of kids walking home, and people from the neighborhood gather regularly in the church to talk about issues that face the neighborhood. Volunteers go out among the hopelessness and dangers on Skid Row or serve in the missions to offer support

and resources for those suffering from addictions and mental health problems.

Gandhi once said, "You can judge a society by how they treat their weakest members." Every community faces the debate over how to respond to the needs of the marginalized. I have lived in communities where people opposed veterans' housing and homeless shelters for fear of falling property values or possible risks to public safety. Some communities reportedly choose not to provide services because they don't want to encourage transient populations to come there.

I now live in a city that just built a shelter to serve a growing homeless population. Though not everyone in the community is happy about the project, this shelter is a sign of hope for a very poor neighborhood. The beautiful new building is a visible commitment that the larger community is ready to help instead of denying that real people need such help.

Gandhi's words apply to our communities and the parishes to which we belong. They also allude to the strength of our faith. Catholic Social Teaching emphasizes the principle of subsidiarity, meaning that the first place to look for solutions to problems is at the local level.

The most effective solutions come from those closest to the circumstances that create them. Programs that do not just fix problems but empower the marginalized to address their own issues have the best long-term results and help preserve the dignity of those in need.

Churches play a major role in providing volunteers and resources, and also in creating a sense of community between everyone involved.

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LAMP SoCal

In its first year, LAMP So Cal (LITURGICAL ARTS MINISTRY PROJECT) is a residential summer camp for high school teens, taking place June 29 – July 3, 2015 at Mt. St. Mary's University in Los Angeles. The camp is designed to form and mentor young people with an interest in liturgical ministry in their parish or school.

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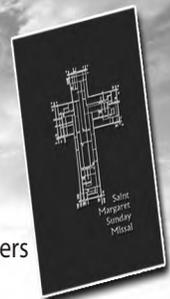
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Faith Formation

YOUTH 2 THE MAX - HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

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do these two things intertwine with each other in our lives? 9TH-12TH graders come to O'Reilly Hall Wednesday, June 10 to learn how they do as much as intellect and emotions. We'll be there from 7-8:30 PM seeing how profound God's creation that is us is!



Elementary Faith Formation

*Vacation Bible Camp at St. Max is the week of **August 3-7, 2015!***

Don't miss out experiencing "Everest" and having fun growing in faith this summer! Register your children today after Mass at the Faith Formation Fair. "Everest" Vacation Bible Camp will fill up quickly—don't miss this opportunity to register!



Service Project Opportunities ~ High School Youth Volunteering at "For The Troops" Saturday, June 13, 9 AM-Noon

Sign up to help sort and pack care packages that will be sent out to men and women in our military through *For The Troops* in Simi Valley. E-mail Laura Diaz at LDIAZ@STMAXCHURCH.ORG to sign up ASAP.

Max Pax ~ Junior High Youth Ministry

7th & 8th Graders we do not have Max Pax this week. We will see you on June 10th for our "Summer's Almost Here!" night!

St. Maximilian Kolbe Faith Formation

WORD OF THE YEAR: PRAY

"...rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing steadfastly in prayer..." ROMANS 12:11

All of the prayers throughout the Mass lead us to the truth of this Scripture quote, especially the Body and Blood of Jesus in the Eucharist. Keep coming to Mass and praying!

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