

And he answered,
 "You shall **LOVE** the Lord your God
 with all your heart,
 and with all your soul,
 and with all your strength,
 and with all your mind;
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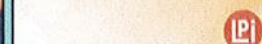
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Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE



We can learn a great deal from Mister Rogers. Remember him? He was the gentle soul who found his way into living rooms worldwide starting as far back as 1968. Mister Rogers' Neighborhood was a beloved program that celebrated and exalted people, especially children. He taught us that we are neighbors and that everyone has a place. Everyone matters. He had a vision, born of his relationship with God that highlighted every human life's innocence, beauty, and uniqueness. To that end, he called us to be responsible for each other, saying nothing different than what Jesus said. Viewers quickly learned that life is not just about me. "We live in a world in which we need to share responsibility. It's easy to say, 'It's not my child, not my community, not my world, not my problem.' Then there are those who see the need and respond. I consider those people my heroes (Fred Rogers)." It is so easy to look the other way. After all, I'm not the one who needs to leave home out of fear and try to find somewhere safe. I am not the one who is hungry and without shelter or food. I am not the one who has a child being bullied or ridiculed because of the way they dress or act. I am not the one being threatened with violence or unable to find meaningful work. The distress and agony of our neighbors are our distress and agony. We cannot walk by it with an attitude of indifference, especially if we call ourselves believers. When we no longer care, we have suffocated our souls. This is a great sin. God's law "is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out." We all have a need for love and acceptance. That's why Mister Rogers' television show was so popular. It spoke to something deeper, something sacred about humanity. God didn't give us his law in a book. He wrote it on our hearts. We know what we need to do. It's a matter of choice. Love is sacred. When we love another human being, especially without regard for ourselves, it is a holy moment. These moments are often missed due to our self-serving agendas and rules. ©LPi

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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

What Jesus Doesn't Say

"If Jesus wanted us to (fill in the blank), he would have said so."

We hear this argument applied to every controversial topic under the sun — and even some not-so-controversial topics, too. Whenever someone is trying to make a case for a decision they have already made, they call in Jesus' scriptural silence on the matter as their expert, unimpeachable witness.

And sure, there's much Jesus doesn't talk about in the Gospels. But by this logic, we would have to assume that Jesus doesn't care, for instance, if we drive well over the speed limit (he doesn't discuss cars and highways in the Bible) or what we do online (he never mentions the Internet or websites at all!), when we know that certainly is just not the case.

Like the scholar of the Jewish law who challenges Jesus to define who exactly his "neighbor" is, we can argue semantics all we want. But if we rest in prayer and look deep into our hearts, we know what path we need to take, and it's usually not the easy one.

I find that I do this plenty in ways that are far more subtle. I lament that the situation facing me is not sufficiently "black and white." I become frustrated by the shades of moral grey and toss up my hands, claiming I don't know what the right answer is, insisting that I can't be blamed for the ramifications of whatever decision I make.


What I need to be doing in these situations is asking God for His guidance, even if it makes me nervous. I need to be like the scholar. He was brave enough to ask, even though I think he knew he wouldn't particularly like the answer. Let's strive for that same courage.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

The Year of Grace

July 2022

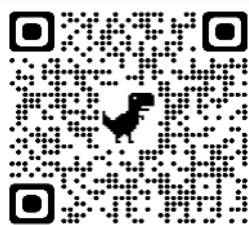
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| ABBREVIATIONS: K of C - Knights of Columbus GOLF - Generations of Living Faith MMLG - Mother Mary's Ladies Guild Ordinary Time Knights of Columbus Breakfast after 8:00am Mass St. Vincent De Paul Sunday | 4 * CLOSED * Offices closed for the Independence Day Holiday | 5 K of C Meeting 7:00pm 6:30pm Join the Youth Group | 6 Grupo de Matrimonios 7:30pm-9:00pm | 7 Adoration 5:30am - 5:00pm MMLG Meeting Keelien Hall 5:00pm | 8 BINGO Night Dinner 6:00pm Bingo 7:00pm | 9 Men's Fellowship 7:30am in person Reconciliation 4:00pm |
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Do you know that 17 pro-abortion bills have been introduced in California? Visit www.cacatholic.org/ insights to learn about these bills and sign up to receive action alerts. For more information, contact Maria L. Valencia at mvalencia@sdccatholic.org.

 **SYNOD ONLINE SURVEY SIGN UP ON FLOCKNOTE**

You're invited to contribute to the worldwide Synod! Pope Francis has called a synod on synodality, a two-year process where the People of God (that means you!) are being invited to reflect on what it means to journey forward together as a Church. You're being asked to participate because you are a valuable member of our Church. In this intentional process of mutual listening, Pope Francis wants us to rediscover the joy of being the People of God who journey together, listening to everyone. For those who were unable to join us in person, we wanted to let you know there will be an online questionnaire sent out in the coming Fall 2022 so that your voice is still included in this synodal process! In order to include as many voices as possible, please follow the steps you see here to sign up for our Flocknote messages if you are not already signed up. **Text SPXJ to 84576 or Scan the QR code or visit stpiusxjamul.flocknote.com**



| WEEKLY STEWARSHIP | |
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| July 3, 2022 | |
| Envelope Giving | \$2,644.00 |
| Plate Giving | \$825.47 |
| Online Giving | \$1,191.51 |
| Total | \$4,660.98 |
| Weekly funds needed for church operations | \$5,000.00 |
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OFFICE FOR EVANGELIZATION & CATECHETICAL MINISTRY

SPECIAL NEEDS CONFERENCE



Thursday, July 21, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Location: Pastoral Center

Friday, July 22, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Sacred Heart, Brawley

EN ESPAÑOL: Sábado, 23 de julio, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Centro Pastoral

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WHY DO WE DO THAT? Lectio Divina

Question: What is Lectio Divina, and how is it associated with the Benedictine Monastic tradition, whose founder, St. Benedict, we honor on July 11?

Answer: Benedict desired his monks to live in community, praying the Liturgy of the Hours together, contemplating sacred texts, and doing manual labor. The monks developed a technique to facilitate a spiritual and devotional reading of the Bible known as Lectio Divina, the holy reading of a text. This method encourages the reader to hear the biblical text with an open heart and focus on whatever God wants to highlight and then apply it to daily life. There are variations on Lectio Divina, but essentially, the technique consists of a three-step process of reflection. When the reflection is done with a group, the responses are shared by all the participants. Once the text is selected, it is read meditatively, and the following are then explored: a word or phrase that attracts you; how and where the content of this reading touches your life today; what you believe that God wants you to do during this coming week (month, year, lifetime). Thanks to Benedict, the Christian community has been gifted with this special way of entering into the biblical text. This week, use the Lectio Divina process on one of the readings for the coming Sunday and make a note of the life connections you are making. How is this reflection on the biblical text drawing you closer to God and others? ©LPi

LIVE THE LITURGY

It's important to keep our eyes open. Otherwise, we can easily dismiss things that truly require our attention. Whether it is someone needing care, a wrong that must be rectified, an injustice that must be addressed, or someone in need of a helping hand, the lens through which we view life (and even the rules by which we live) can prevent us from stopping and acting. Whether it's an obsession with being on time, a compulsion to complete tasks according to a schedule, or a rigidity with not breaking a law or fear of taking a risk, we miss daily opportunities to show mercy. We often fail in our duty to be a good neighbor, especially when it involves brothers and sisters remote from us whom we have never met. The pain of the world is our pain. God's law of love, mercy, and compassion is not something remote. It's already within us and very near. All we have to do is open our eyes and carry it out. ©LPi

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: Toward the end of their 40-years of desert wanderings, Moses assured the Israelites that God's commandments and statutes are within each of us as long as we repent. How do you sustain a disposition of repentance?

Second Reading: In his letter to the Colossians, Paul inserts a very early Christological hymn that speaks to Jesus' divinity and his role as the mediator of creation and the source of reconciliation. How do you imagine the Colossians reacting to this astonishing teaching on Jesus?

Gospel: In the parable of the good Samaritan, Jesus taught the scribe the importance of showing mercy toward one's neighbor as central to following God's law. How well do you practice the virtue of mercy? ©LPi



JOB OPPORTUNITY

St Pius X Catholic Church in Jamul is looking for a **Director of Religious Education**.

If you or anyone you know can: Design, Develop, Direct and evaluate the parish catechetical program including Religious Education for public school children and sacramental preparation, have thorough knowledge and familiarity with the organizational structure and practices of the Roman Catholic Church. Please call the parish office 619.669.0085 to apply.



The Knights of Columbus and MMLG will lead the rosary for everyone who would like to participate every 5th Sunday of the month. Remember our Blessed Mother's promise to those who pray the Rosary - "I promise my special protection and greatest graces to all those who shall recite the Rosary". Pray the Rosary with the Knights and the Ladies Guild. This month it will be on **Sunday, July 31, 2022 at 8:00am.**



Sunday: Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [9]/ Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37
Monday: Is 1:10-17/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 10:34—11:1
Tuesday: Is 7:1-9/Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15/ Mt 11:25-27
Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21/Mt 11:28-30
Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16/Mt 12:1-8
Saturday: Mi 2:1-5/Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/Mt 12:14-21



*Pray for Priests and Vocations "Now we ask you to respect those who work hard among you. Hold them in the highest regard in love because of their work."
 (1 Thess. 5:12, 13, NIV)*

Monday: Rev. Jorge Moreno
 Tuesday: Rev. Patrick Mulcahy
 Wednesday: Rev. Jose Luis Muro
 Thursday: Rev. Patrick Murphy
 Friday: Rev. John Bosco Muzinguzi
 Saturday: Rev. Raymond Philip Napuli

MASS Intentions

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| July 10 | Sun | 8:30am | For the Parishioners |
| July 10 | Sun | 11:00am | +Nazhat Naemi |
| July 10 | Sun | 12:30pm | For the Parishioners |
| July 11 | Mon | | No Mass |
| July 12 | Tues | 7:30am | For the Parishioners |
| July 13 | Wed | 7:30am | For the Parishioners |
| July 14 | Thur | 7:30am | For the Parishioners |
| July 15 | Fri | 7:30am | For the Parishioners |
| July 16 | Sat | 5:00pm | For the Parishioners |



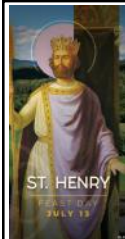
**ADORATION of
The Blessed Sacrament
THURSDAYS
8:30am - 5:00pm**



"But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight. He approached the victim, poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them. Then he lifted him up on his own animal, took him to an inn, and cared for him." — Lk 10:33-34

Observances for the week of July 10, 2022

Monday: St. Benedict, Abbot
 Wednesday: St. Henry
 Thursday: St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin
 Friday: St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
 Saturday: Our Lady of Mount Carmel



St. Henry | July 13

Saint Henry was born in 972 to Henry, Duke of Bavaria, Germany, and his wife Gisela of Burgundy. Saint Henry's early life was permeated with Christianity, among those who guided his education was Bishop Wolfgang of Ratisbon, who became a saint himself. In 995, Saint Henry succeeded his father as Duke of Bavaria, and in 1002, upon the death of his cousin, Otho III, he was elected emperor. In 1014, Saint Henry undertook the long journey from Germany to Rome to be crowned Holy Roman Emperor by Pope Benedict XIII. In 1022 Saint Henry assisted Pope Benedict VIII in holding the Council of Pavia, which promoted clerical celibacy and sought to end simony (the buying and selling of ecclesiastical goods and offices). During his reign, Saint Henry used his wealth and position for the Church. He confirmed Benedict's authority over Rome, was a patron of churches and monasteries, supported the Cluniac Reforms, restored episcopal sees, and founded the Diocese of Bamberg where he built a cathedral. Saint Henry was married to Cunigunde of Luxembourg, to whom he was incredibly devoted. Although disputed by some historians, some stories of the couple's marriage report they took vows of chastity because their union was childless. Saint Henry died in July of 1024 and was canonized in 1146 by Pope Eugene III. ©LPI



Let the journey begin

Registration for Faith Formation begins

**Sunday,
August 21, 2022**



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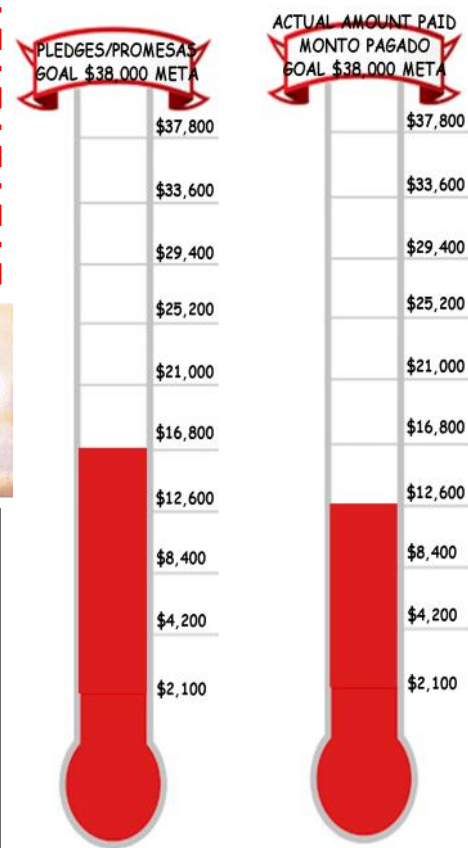
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St. Pius X Jamul Mass



Eucharistic Celebration

1st Friday: 7:00pm
 1st Saturday: 9:00am
 Saturday: 5:00pm
 Sunday: 8:30am
 Sunday: 11:00am
 Sunday: 12:30pm

Weekdays: 7:30am Tue- Fri (except 1st Fridays)

No morning mass on Mondays