

St. Felicitas Catholic Church

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JULY 26, 2026

LIKE A NET
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THE SEA.

— MATTHEW 13:47 —

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Schedule :

Chương Trình Thánh Lễ / Horario para Misas

Sunday / Chúa Nhật / Domingo

7:30 am - 9:00 am - 10:30 am (English)

12:30 pm (Spanish) 4:30 pm (Vietnamese)

Saturday / Thứ Bảy / Sábado

7:00 am - 4:00 pm (Vigil)

Daily / Ngày thường / Diariamente

(Monday to Friday) 7:00 am & 8:15 am

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed everyday from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm in the Chapel at the St. Joseph's Center (the Parish Office). We encourage all our parishioners to visit the Chapel and spend time with our Blessed Lord.

Sacraments / Các Bí Tích / Sacramentos

Reconciliation / Giải Tội / Reconciliación

Monday to Friday - 7:30 am to 8:00 am

Saturday, 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

Marriage / Hôn Phối / Matrimonio

Arrangements to be made 6 months prior to the wedding.

Baptism : If you are planning to have your child baptized, parents must be registered members of the parish for at least six months. For more information call the parish office at (510) 351-5244.

We have Baptisms in English on the 4th Sunday of the month at 2:00 pm and Baptism classes for parents and godparents will be on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm - St. Mary's Center.

Parish Office Hours/Giờ làm việc VPGX / Horario de Oficinas

Monday / Thứ Hai / Lunes to 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Friday / Thứ Sáu / Viernes

Parish Staff /Nhân viên của Giáo xứ / Personal de la Parroquia

Rev. Peter D. Ngo, *Pastor* 510 351-5244

Fr. Ramon Urbina, *Parochial Vicar* 510 619-3104

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Parish School

Shannon Bellison, *Principal* 510 357-2530

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Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)

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Youth Ministry

Geri Lara, *Youth Services* 510 907 7741

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St. Vincent de Paul-Call Center 510-638-7600



July 26, 2026 - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday's Readings: *1 Kings 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130; Romans 8:28-30; Matthew 13:44-52 or 13:44-46*

Gospel Reflection : *Around the time that the gold rushes ended in the nineteenth-century West, a curious phenomenon arose in New England known as money diggers. These were men who roamed the countryside with shovels, divining rods, and superstitious hope, convinced that treasure lay buried beneath their feet. Surely there must be gold under our feet. But there was not. The craze of these wild goose chases caused many to lose farms, families, and sanity.*

In this week's Gospel, Jesus inaugurates a new era of spiritual money digging. He announces, "The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field." He invites us to become treasure seekers who search in the right place. What is of greatest value is not money beneath our feet, but the infinite treasure hidden deep in the humanity of Jesus himself, God's own blessed life. The glory of heaven lies veiled in his ordinary life, his teaching, his suffering, his Church.

This teaching about the Kingdom changes things. Now we see the Church's doctrinal and moral teachings are not arbitrary rules. They are a treasure map. Follow them, and we will uncover divine happiness. Ignore them, and we will wander aimlessly, spade in hand, digging in empty fields, discouraged.

Where have we wasted energy seeking treasure in the wrong places? How have we given up on seeking the treasure of truly finding God's love for us? If so, let us repent of both. Then let us dust off our shovels and get back to digging deep into the field of Christ Jesus and his Church. After all, He never ceases seeking his treasure in us.

— Father John Muir

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Saturday, August 15th

August 15th, is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This year it is not a Holy Day of Obligation as it falls on Saturday. Masses on Saturday are as follows :

Masses in English : 7:00 am and 9:00 am

Readings for the week of July 26, 2026

Mon: Jeremiah 13:1-11; Deuteronomy 32:18-19, 20, 21; Matthew 13:31-35
Tues: Jeremiah 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13; Matthew 13:36-43
Wed: Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17, 18; John 11:19-27 or Luke 10:38-42
Thurs: Jeremiah 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab; Matthew 13:47-53
Fri: Jeremiah 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Matthew 13:54-58
Sat: Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Matthew 14:1-12

2nd Collection this weekend - Mission Appeal - Conventual Franciscan Friars - St. Joseph of Cupertino Province

"Strive to follow the humility and poverty of our Lord Jesus Christ" - St. Francis of Assisi

*This weekend, the Conventual Franciscans will be making a Mission Appeal in support of the **Franciscan Vietnam Mission**. The second collection will benefit this mission, which serves people affected by leprosy and those living in poverty throughout Vietnam. This year we welcome **Fr. Tammylee Ngo, OFM Conv., and Fr. Angel Garcia, OFM Conv.**, to our parish. Fr. Ngo and Fr. Gracia will preach at all the Masses informing us about the missionary works of the Friars.*

*The apostolic life of the friars in **Vietnam** focuses principally on the corporal works of mercy. In the Red River Delta area in the north, the friars minister both to the rural poor of Thai Binh Province and especially to elderly leprosy patients in Văn Môn Village. In the south, the friars have created the Bread of Saint Anthony program which assists poor families- often headed by single mothers - with basic necessities: food, clothing and school supplies for the children.*

The Friars need our help and support to help our brothers and sisters in Vietnam. Funds collected here at St. Felicitas will be utilized for the above purposes. Please donate generously to help our brothers and sisters in Vietnam.

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Offering for July 19, 2026

Sunday Collection : \$ 9476.00

Building Fund : \$ 4761.00

Second Collection this Sunday : Mission Co-op. Collection

Second Collection next Sunday : Maintenance
Thank you for your continued generosity!

Special 2nd Collection for Earthquake Victims of Venezuela - August 8th & 9th

In response to the devastating earthquakes, the Diocese is having a special second collection to support the Venezuela earthquake victims. The collection will be taken the weekend of August 8/9th. Your generous donations will provide immediate necessities such as emergency shelter, food, and clean water. Please donate generously!

Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick
Saturday, August 1, 2026 at 10:00 am



Come join us for Mass and receive the Anointing of the Sick

The Church encourages everyone and anyone to join us and experience God's healing touch as we pray for needs of body, mind, and spirit, explicitly asking for God's healing grace for spiritual, emotional, relational, and physical needs. We invite you to bring your burdens, ask for forgiveness and receive peace and strength from our Good Lord. He never fails.

There will be a reception after the Mass in the vestibule. Please join us.

Our Lady of Fatima Devotion:

Our next devotion to the Blessed Mother will be on Thursday, August 13th at 7:00 pm. Procession will start at 7:00 pm followed by Holy Mass and the Rosary. The Vietnamese Assoc. will lead the devotion. Please join us.

PARISH MINISTRIES & SCHEDULES

Adult Confirmation

Classes every Saturday, at 9:00 a.m. at the St. Mary's Center. For more information contact Maria Lara-Puleo at (510) 877-2888 or email her at maripazlara2211@gmail.com

Faith Formation

English: Director of Religious Education - Sandi Walton

For information call (510) 962-4199

Spanish : Marvin Ramos - President (510) 919-4314

Lesly Perez - Span. Assoc. Coordinator
(510) 907-2028

Maria Castillo - CCD (510) 380-8040

Vietnamese: Mr. Hoang Hung

Classes: Sunday 1:00pm, Vietnamese Language
3:00pm, Catechism

OCIA-the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Meetings held in person at the St. Joseph's Center every Tuesday at 6:30 pm - Contact Deacon Timothy Myers

Youth Ministry

Youth Confirmation - Contact Geri Lara

Classes in person on the following days :

1st year Sunday at 9:00 am :

2nd year Sunday at 11:30 am

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Every Wednesday morning after 7 am Mass

Rosary Devotion - Daily after the 7:00 am morning Mass

Catholic Daughters

Catholic Daughters invite you to meet on the 3rd Monday of each month in St. Mary's Center at 6:30 pm. Contact Lorine Bakowsky at (510) 461-7317 or email cdacourtmqw@gmail.com for more information.

Legion of Mary : Meets every Wednesday at 5:00 pm in the St. Mary's Center. Contact the Parish Office at (510) 351-5244 for more information

Knights of Columbus - invites Catholic men to join. If interested please contact Carl Webb at (510) 813-5957 or email Carlwebb3@gmail.com

BSA and Cubs: Come join the Cubs & Scouts-Ages 5 to 17. We meet every Tuesday at 7:00 pm in the Social Hall. If interested please contact Carl Webb at (510) 813-5957 or email Carlwebb3@gmail.com

Feast of Sts. Joachim and Anne - July 26th Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sts. Joachim and Anne are recognized as the parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the grandparents of Jesus Christ. They are venerated as saints, and their joint feast day is celebrated on July 26.



Their Background: Joachim was a shepherd from Nazareth and a descendant of the royal house of David, while Anne - also spelled Hannah) was from Bethlehem.

The Miraculous Conception: Like several couples in the Old Testament, Joachim and Anne suffered for many years with infertility. After intense prayer, fasting, and a promise to God to dedicate their child to temple service, an angel announced to both of them that Anne would conceive.

Legacy: They welcomed their daughter Mary and, in fulfillment of their vow, brought her to the Temple of Jerusalem at the age of three to be raised.

This is the "feast of grandparents." because they are the grandparents of Jesus, they are officially recognized as the patron saints of grandparents. It reminds grandparents of their responsibility to establish a tone for generations to come. They must make the traditions live and offer them as a promise to little children. But the feast has a message for the younger generation as well. It reminds the young that older people's greater perspective, depth of experience, and appreciation of life's profound rhythms are all part of a wisdom not to be taken lightly or ignored.

Happy Grandparents Day!

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Scan the QR code to view our admissions page on our website for more information!

CALL TO SCHEDULE
A VISIT TODAY!

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Faith Formation Registration 2026-2027

Registration has begun for the 2026-2027 school year for Faith Formation classes.



Classes are for children in grades 1st through 8th who do not attend Catholic school.

Time: Sunday from 9:15am-10:15am

Please contact Sandi 510-962-4199 to make arrangements to complete the necessary forms to enroll your child(ren). Registration forms must be processed and on file before your child(ren) can attend class. Faith Formation is a lifelong journey and does not end when a child receives the Sacrament of Eucharist.

Youth Confirmation : 2026 - 2027

The St. Felicitas Youth Ministry is inviting all incoming high school students ages 13-17 years old to join our 2 year Confirmation program starting in September. Classes meet 2-3 Sundays per month. Class times are

9:00 am - 11:30 am for 1st year
10:30 am - 1:00 pm for 2nd year students

Please pick up a registration packet after all Sunday English masses starting August 15 until September 12, 2026. Registration forms will also be made available at the parish office during normal business hours starting in August.

Youth Confirmation program will begin September 13, 2026. There will be a mandatory parent & candidate orientation on Sunday, September 13th at the school gym.

3:00 - 4:30 pm for 1st year
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm for 2nd year

For more information, contact Geri @ 510-907 7741.



*Considering becoming Catholic ?
Interested in what Catholics believe?
Then consider OCIA (the Order of
Christian Initiation of Adults)*

OCIA is the process for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation - Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. It is designed to fully incorporate a person into the Church.

At St. Felicitas, a new OCIA session will begin on Monday, August 10th at 6:30 pm at the St. Joseph's Center. If you are interested, please call the parish office at (510) 351-5244 for more information.



Mass Intentions
Ý Lễ trong tuần
Intensions' para las
Misas

Week of
July 25,
2026

Sat.	07/25	4:00 pm	Anton Hua Thanh Vy †
Sun.	07/26	7:30 am	Federico T. Villanueva †
		9:00 am	Parishioners
		10:30am	Angel Castro †
		12:30pm	Gregorio Calvillo & Ana Maria Gonzalez †
Mon.	07/27	7:00 am	Fr. Tran Thuc Dinh †
		8:15 am	Helen Patrinos †
Tue.	07/28	7:00 am	Fr. Tran Thuc Dinh †
		8:15 am	Anton Hua Thanh Vy †
Wed.	07/29	7:00 am	Alberta Sanchez †
		8:15 am	Dec. members-Rodricks family†
Thur.	07/30	7:00 am	Fr. Tran Thuc Dinh †
		8:15 am	Cecile Inzerilla †
Fri.	07/31	7:00 am	Fr. Tran Thuc Dinh †
		8:15am	Anton Hua Thanh Vy †
Sat.	08/01	7:00 am	Arturo Sanchez (L)
		4:00 pm	Jose Trinidad †
Sun.	08/02	7:30 am	Jesse Telmo †
		9:00 am	James Freitas †
		10:30am	Parishioners
		12:30pm	Spencer & Sandra Perez †

L-Living †-Deceased A-Anniversary B-Birthday T-Thanksgiving H-Healing

Please pray for our sick relatives and friends

Denise Abero	Ruben Reygoza	Erlinda Reyes
Jennifer L. Aguilar	Bill Siem	Robert Lopez
Barbara O'Connor	Jeff Ahlberg	Tillie Gumataotao
Sal & Marlene Costilla	Erika Vargas	Mariah Vicedo
David Boles	Cathlyne Vargas	Josue Zazueta
Tony Silveira	Mia Loto	Elizabeth Lujan
Geoffrey Salvatierra	John Lara Salvatierra	Joanna David
Luningning Hobbs	Gilbert Castillo	Billy Schmalfeldt
Virgie Mercado	Grace I. Robinson	Hans Niehall
Reynald Corldani	Tony Ysguerra	Eusebio H. Patron, Sr.
Martin Indalecio	Evangelina Herrero	Brandon Robinson
Julie Chin	Ana Estaniel	Fernando Silva
Donald Solomon	Patricia Coffey	Nardo Macapagal
Leonie Solomon	Giana Sorbello	Jennifer Perez
Grace Pehl	Magali Lazcano	Roberto P. Garcia
Ruben Aguayo	Tiana Lara	Karen Muskopf
Brian Keith Robinson	Lucille Oliver	Frank Murca
Jeff Ibrahim	Bob Carella	Ronald Beeman
Dan Bautista	Jim White	
Raymond Bautista	Sheila Bickerton	
Jezza Mae Salvatierra	Adelaida Gutierrez	

Bishop's Ministries Appeal

Our Goal this year is \$34,300. So far we have reached 57% - 43% yet to be achieved. I'm sure we can do it!

*Loving and merciful God, we are your family, brothers and sisters entrusted with the mission of your Church in the Diocese of Oakland. Thank you for the precious gift of Your Most Holy Eucharist. Thank you for transforming us by it, and for filling us with your Divine Love so we can help bring Your Presence to our families, friends, neighborhoods, and the world. May our Blessed Mother, Queen of the World and patroness of our Diocese, lead us to You and walk with us in our challenges and struggles. May our work, through the **Bishop's Ministries Appeal**, bring You joy and bring Your gentle mercy and care to all we serve. Amen*



Pray for those who serve in the armed forces

*Shianne Solomon - Sgt. Army
Jamie Placheno - Sgt. Military
Cassandra Maier - Airforce
Guyon Ducker - Marines
Manuel Gonzalez- Cmdr. U.S. Navy
Brian T. Lara - M.Sgt. Air Force
Troy Meno (Air Force)
Brittany Manglona (Air Force)
Ryland Toves - Navy
Julian Chan - Marines
Kaden Milner - Navy
Marquis Loto - Navy
Capt. Matt Peñaranda-Army
Enzo Barcelona - Army
MA Glory C.L. Newell - Navy
1stSgt. Ron E. Hesson - Army
Christopher Pangilinan - Military*

If you know anyone who is serving please call the office

Please pray for the deceased and their loved ones



*Joseph Miller - 07/04/2026
Peter Long Nguyen-07/09/2026
Jean Hulsman - 07/11/2026*

St. Felicitas Parish -Spanish-Speaking Community

Domingo: 1 Re 3, 5. 7-12/Sal 118, 57. 72. 76-77. 127-128. 129-130/Rom 8, 28-30/Mt 13, 44-52 o 13, 44-46

XVII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario -Mateo 13:44-52

La Exhortación Apostólica *Evangelii Gaudium* (*La alegría del Evangelio*), del Santo Padre Francisco, nos habla de la alegría que llena el corazón del cristiano al escuchar la Palabra de Dios y ponerla en práctica. “*La alegría del Evangelio llena el corazón y la vida entera de los que se encuentran con Jesús. Quienes se dejan salvar por Él son liberados del pecado, de la tristeza, del vacío interior y del aislamiento. Con Jesucristo siempre nace y renace la alegría*” (*Evangelii Gaudium*, n. 1). Sin embargo, por el otro lado de la moneda, es decir, desde la lógica del mundo, se nos dice que la alegría es algo material, y es tener muchas cosas para alcanzar la felicidad. Pero todo eso es vano y pasajero; la verdadera alegría se encuentra en otro lugar y hay que poner empeño para buscarla.

El Evangelio de hoy nos habla de un tesoro escondido en un campo, de perlas finas y de una red lanzada al mar. Dejar todo lo que se tiene para obtener lo encontrado y luchar por conservarlo es un reto difícil. Esto se obtiene solo cuando se le encuentra sentido a lo encontrado y se reconoce que vale más que todo lo que ya se posee. ¡Qué felices somos cuando descubrimos algo que realmente vale la pena, que da sentido y dirección a nuestra vida! Entonces nos decimos: “Esto sí vale la pena”. Jesús no se cansa de invitarnos a la búsqueda de su Reino: a encontrar el tesoro de su gracia en nuestro corazón, a valorar la perla preciosa de sus sacramentos y a lanzar la red de la paz y la alegría en nuestro entorno familiar y comunitario. ¡Señor, que tu Reino sea nuestra esperanza! ©LPi

Santa Felicitas

Formación en la Fe hispana
Inscripciones para la catequesis
Primera Comunión y Confirmación

Se entregarán las aplicaciones Julio 12, Julio 19 y Julio 26, después de misa de 12:30 pm. Se estarán recibiendo las aplicaciones Agosto 2, 9 y 16 después de misa de 12:30 pm en el Salón Santa María.
El catecismo es los viernes de 7:00 p.m a 8:20p.m.

REQUISITOS

PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

- Copia del Certificado de Bautismo



Confirmación

- Copia de certificado de bautismo
- Copia de certificado de primera Comunión
- Tener cumplidos 14 años



Devoción a nuestra Señora de Fatima Mayo a Octubre 2026



La procesion comenzara a las 7:00pm seguida de la Santa Misa y el Rosario.

Horario de misas: Todas a las 7:00 p.m

13 de Agosto -Jueves

11 de Septiembre -Lunes

13 de Octubre -Martes

Llamamiento Misionero 25 y 26 de Julio del 2026 Frailes Franciscanos Conventuales

Nuestra colecta anual para la Mision sera este fin de semana. Este año damos la bienvenida al Fraile Angel Garcia de los frailes Franciscanos conventuales (ST. Joseph Cupertino Province), predicara en todas las misas informandonos sobre las obras misioneras de los frailes Franciscanos. Esta visita forma parte del programa nacional en la que anualmente un representante de uno de los grupos misioneros visita las parroquias de la diócesis, para invitar a nuestra parroquia a participar en obras caritativas de la Iglesia Universal. Por favor, done generosamente.

Misa de Sanacion con Uncion de los enfermos Sabado 1 de Agosto a las 10:00 a.m



La Iglesia anima a cualquier persona enferma, anciana con personas con discapacidad física o que se este preparando para una cirugía o anticipandose a ella, o a persona que se este recuperando de una adicción.. A venir a misa de Unción de enfermos. La misa no solo es para enfermos sino para todos nosotros, para que tambien recibamos la Sanación y fisicade nuestro Dios.

La Asuncion de la Santisima Virgen Maria

Las misas seran

El 15 de Agosto, a las 7:00 a.m y 9:00 a.m. (Ingles).

Segunda Colecta especial para las victimas del terremoto de Venezuela 8 y 9 de Agosto

En respuesta a los devastadores terremotos, La Diócesis esta realizando una segunda colecta especial, para apoyar a las viictimtas del terremoto de Venezuela. Su donacion generosa les ayudara a proporcionarles sus necesidades inmediatas, como refugio de emergencia, alimentos, agua potable.

Esta considerando en convertirse al catolicismo? Interesado en lo que creen los catolicos?

Entonces concidere OCIA (La orden de iniciacion Cristiana de Adutos)

OCIA es el proceso para que las personas se conviertan al catolicismo y reciban los sacramentos de iniciacion. (Bautismo, Confirmacion y Eucaristía) si esta interesado llame al la oficina al (510) 351-5244

St. Felicitas Parish Vietnamese Community

MÙA THUỜNG NIÊN

Chúa Nhật: Thánh Lễ lúc **4:30 chiều**

Thứ Sáu: Châu Thánh Thể lúc **7:30 tối** và
Thánh Lễ lúc **8:00 tối**

Văn phòng Giáo xứ mở cửa từ thứ 2 đến thứ 6 (9 giờ sáng đến 4 giờ chiều). Cùng với thời gian này, sẽ có Châu Thánh Thể trong Nhà Nguyễn Thánh Giuse.

Thông Báo

- Trường St. Felicitas hiện đang nhận đơn nhập học cho chương trình “pre-school” và chương trình từ 4 tuổi đến lớp 7. Nếu phụ huynh có nhu cầu, xin liên hệ theo số: 510-357-2530 hoặc truy cập vào trang: <https://stfelicitas-school.org/>.

- Giáo xứ đã bắt đầu chương trình Tôn Vinh Đức Mẹ Fatima, bao gồm rước kiệu, lần hạt Mân côi, và Thánh lễ. Xin kính mời quý ông bà và anh chị em tham dự.

Chương trình này sẽ được tổ chức theo thời khóa biểu sau:

+ Thứ Năm, ngày 13 tháng 8 (7h tối)

+ Thứ Hai, ngày 11 tháng 9 (7h tối)

+ Thứ Ba, ngày 13 tháng 10 (7h tối)

- Chương trình Giáo lý (2026-2027) dành cho các em từ lớp 1 đến lớp 8 (hiện không theo học tại các trường Công Giáo) đã bắt đầu nhận đơn đăng ký. Xin mời quý phụ huynh ghi danh hoặc liên hệ Sandi: 510-347-1282.

- Thứ Bảy ngày 1 tháng 8, Giáo xứ có Thánh Lễ Xức Dầu Bệnh

Nhân vào lúc 10h sáng.

- Vào các Chúa Nhật, ngày 25 và 26 tháng 7 năm 2026, các tu sĩ Dòng Phanxicô Viện Tu sẽ thực hiện chương trình quyên góp để hỗ trợ Mục Vụ Truyền Giáo Phanxicô Việt Nam. Sẽ có đợt quyên góp lần thứ hai nhằm giúp đỡ các bệnh nhân phong cùi và những người nghèo tại Việt Nam.

Nếu quý vị muốn hỗ trợ sứ vụ truyền giáo này bằng chi phiếu (check), xin vui lòng ghi chi phiếu và gởi đến văn phòng Giáo xứ của quý vị.

Xin chân thành cảm ơn sự quảng đại và những lời cầu nguyện của quý vị. Để biết thêm thông tin, xin vui lòng truy cập franciscanfriars.org/vietnam.

- Giáo xứ sẽ tổ chức lớp Giáo lý Dự tòng, bắt đầu vào ngày 10 tháng 8, lúc 6h30 tối. Vậy những ai có nhu cầu, xin liên hệ văn phòng Giáo xứ theo số: 510-351-5244.

- Giáo xứ sẽ tổ chức lớp Giáo lý Thêm Sức cho các em từ 13-17 tuổi vào tháng 9. Đơn sẽ có sẵn tại văn phòng Giáo xứ, hoặc sau các Thánh Lễ Chúa Nhật, bắt đầu từ ngày 15/8 đến ngày 12/9.

Mọi chi tiết xin liên hệ Geri Lara: 510 326 5693.

- Vào các Thánh Lễ Chúa Nhật (8-9/8) tiền giờ lần 2 sẽ được dành cho các nạn nhân của trận động đất ở Venezuela.

- Vào thứ Bảy ngày 15 tháng 8, lễ Đức Mẹ Hồn Xác Lên Trời,

Giáo xứ có Thánh Lễ vào các giờ sau: 7h và 9h sáng.

CÁC BÀI ĐỌC TRONG TUẦN

Thứ 2, 27/7: Gr 13:1-11; Mt 13:31-35

Thứ 3, 28/7: Gr 14:17-22; Mt 13:36-43

Thứ 4, 29/7: 1 Ga 4:7-16; Ga 11:19-27

Thứ 5, 30/7: Gr 18:1-16; Mt 13:47-53

Thứ 6, 31/7: Gr 26:1-9; Mt 13:54-58

Thứ 7, 1/8: Gr 26:11-16,24; Mt 14:1-12

Chúa Nhật 2/8: Is 55:1-3; Rm 8:35,37-39; Mt 14:13-21

CHÚA NHẬT XVII – MÙA THUỜNG NIÊN

Mt 13:44-52

NƯỚC TRỜI LÀ CÓ THẬT

Suy niệm: Trong đám tang của những người ngoài Ki-tô giáo thường thấy có những bức liễn đề chữ “Vãng Sanh Cực Lạc”, ý nói cái chết là đi qua khỏi cuộc sống này về chốn hoàn toàn vui sướng hạnh phúc đời sau. Thế nhưng niềm tin ấy, đúng hơn, niềm ước mong đó, căn bản là mơ hồ, không xác định cõi cực lạc ấy như thế nào. Thế nên người ta vẫn sợ hãi cái chết và cố sức níu kéo để ở lại cõi trần này. Chúa Giê-su cho biết Nước Trời, chốn hạnh phúc mà con người hằng mơ ước đó, là điều có thật nhưng còn ẩn giấu, như viên ngọc quý, như “kho báu chôn giấu trong ruộng”. Nước Trời là có thật rất quý giá, nhưng phải nỗ lực tìm kiếm mới gặp được, hơn nữa, phải sẵn sàng hy sinh, đánh đổi mọi sự mình có mới có thể đạt tới được.

Mời Ban: Nước Trời quý giá nhưng như viên ngọc quý ẩn khuất trong viên đá sù sì xấu xí, hay như kho tàng vô giá được chôn giấu trong đám ruộng tầm thường. Nước Trời đó thực ra không ở đâu xa, ngay trong gia đình với vợ chồng, con cái, nơi bạn làm việc học hành hằng ngày. Đó chính là kho báu bạn phải nỗ lực tìm kiếm và trân trọng giữ gìn.

Sống Lời Chúa: “Bán đi tất cả để mua viên ngọc Nước Trời” đó là bạn từ bỏ những ham muốn ích kỷ, lợi ích cá nhân, những ý riêng của bạn để hết lòng phục vụ anh chị em mình.

Cầu nguyện: *Lạy Chúa Giê-su, Chúa đến để nói cho chúng con biết về Nước Trời, Nước Trời là có thật, có sự thưởng phạt đời sau. Xin giúp con nỗ lực sống thánh thiện để được thuộc về Nước Trời. Amen.*

Our Lady of Fatima Devotion - Monday, July 13th, 2026
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