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September 14, 2025



THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Jesus said to Nicodemus:
"No one has gone up to
heaven except the one who
has come down from heaven,
the Son of Man." For God
did not send his Son into the
world to condemn the world,
but that the world might be
saved through him.
- Jn 3:13, 17

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass

Monday - Friday: 8:15am

Español: Tuesday 7:00pm

Confession

Saturday: 4:00pm-4:50pm

Sunday: 11:15am-11:45am

Or by appointment

Weekend Mass

Saturday: 8:15am

Vigil - 5:00pm

Sunday:

8:00am

10:00am

12:00pm- Español

5:00pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

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to 7:00pm

Concluding with
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Please stop by the parish to register a date for baptism. Baptism classes are required to be taken by the parents and godparents which will be held in the school conference room each month.

First Sunday at 10:00 am- 12:00pm (English)

Second Sunday at 10:00 am - 12:00pm (Spanish)

Community Baptisms are celebrated each month.

Third Sunday at 1:30 pm (English)

Fourth Sunday at 1:30 pm (Spanish)

Private Baptisms are held on Saturdays.



Nuestras clases de Preparación Bautismal para padres y padrinos será de 10:00am a 12:00pm. El primer domingo del mes la clase será en inglés; el segundo domingo del mes la clase será en español. Registros en la oficina.



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Please contact the Parish Office regarding arrangements at least 9 months in advance of the planned date.

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WEEKLY PRAYER THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

First Reading:

"We have sinned in complaining against the LORD and you. Pray the LORD to take the serpents from us." (Nm 21:7)

Psalm:

Do not forget the works of the Lord! (Ps 78)

Second Reading:

He humbled himself, becoming obedient to death, even death on a cross. (Phil 2:8)

Gospel:

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. (Jn 3:16)

THE POPE'S SEPTEMBER INTENTION

For our relationship with all of creation

Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 14, 2025

Sunday: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17

Monday: Our Lady of Sorrows

1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Tuesday: Sts. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

1 Tm 3:1-13/Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6/Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop & Doctor of the Church; St. Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 7:31-35

Thursday:

1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10/Lk 7:36-50

Friday: St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr

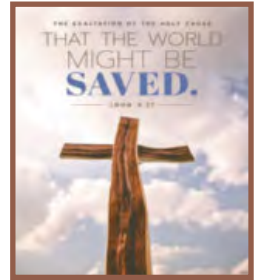
1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Priest, and Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs

1 Tm 6:13-16/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 8:4-15

Next Sunday: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday

Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8 (see 1a, 7b)/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13



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On this feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, let us renew our commitment to stewardship with hearts ready to serve and hands eager to give, following Christ's example of love and surrender.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son." JOHN 3:16

Jesus came to earth so that we may reconcile our relationship with God. Following Jesus' example, we can be blessed with a joy-filled life on earth and eternal life in Heaven. This core message is the basis for the Stewardship of our Catholic faith. How do you live this out in your daily life?

En esta fiesta de la Exaltación de la Santa Cruz, renovemos nuestro compromiso con la corresponsabilidad con corazones dispuestos a servir y manos deseosas de dar, siguiendo el ejemplo de amor y entrega de Dios.

"Porque de tal manera amó Dios al mundo, que dio a su Hijo unigénito." JUAN 3:16

Jesús vino a la tierra para que pudiéramos reconciliarnuestra relación con Dios. Siguiendo el ejemplo de Jesús, podemos ser bendecidos con una vida llena de alegría en la tierra y con la vida eterna en el Cielo. Este mensaje central es la base de nuestra fe católica. ¿Cómo vivimos esto en nuestra vida diaria?

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15- OUR LADY OF SORROWS

8:15 am Jelinek Family
Cathleen Charles
Carmel Calvo

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

8:15 am Marie Latortue +
Laurent Pierre Jr.
7:00 pm No Mass due to Convocation

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

8:15 am Darly Francois

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

8:15 am Valerie Ponte +
Isabelle Edmond
Reiter Family

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

8:15 am St. Rose of Lima Parishioners

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

8:15 am Priests at St. Rose of Lima
5:00 pm Evelyn & Charles Mennes
Jose Rodriguez - Baldrich +
Altieri Family +

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

8:00 am Regina Hanson
William & Lisandra Lantigua
10:00 am Rolando Boada Sr. +
12:00 pm Olga Toro +
Victor Valencia +
Nicolas Delgado +
5:00 pm Luis Sosa Ung +
Alfonso Ung Chong +
Mario Hung Gonzalez +

Would you like to pray for a loved one who has died? Would you like a special way to thank God for his blessings? Is there a living person for whom you would like to pray? You can do all this by having them remembered at a daily or Sunday Mass. Mass intentions may be scheduled at the parish office. Mass donation is \$10 per Mass.

LIVE THE LITURGY

God did not send his son into the world to condemn it. The cross is not a symbol of judgment — the cross is what mercy looks like when it is lived out. How will we bring the cross into our lives this week? How will we live the mercy which has saved us?
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VIVIR LA LITURGIA

Dios no envió a su hijo al mundo para condenarlo. La cruz no es un símbolo de juicio, la cruz es el aspecto de la misericordia cuando se vive. ¿Cómo llevaremos la cruz a nuestras vidas esta semana? ¿Cómo viviremos la misericordia que nos ha salvado?
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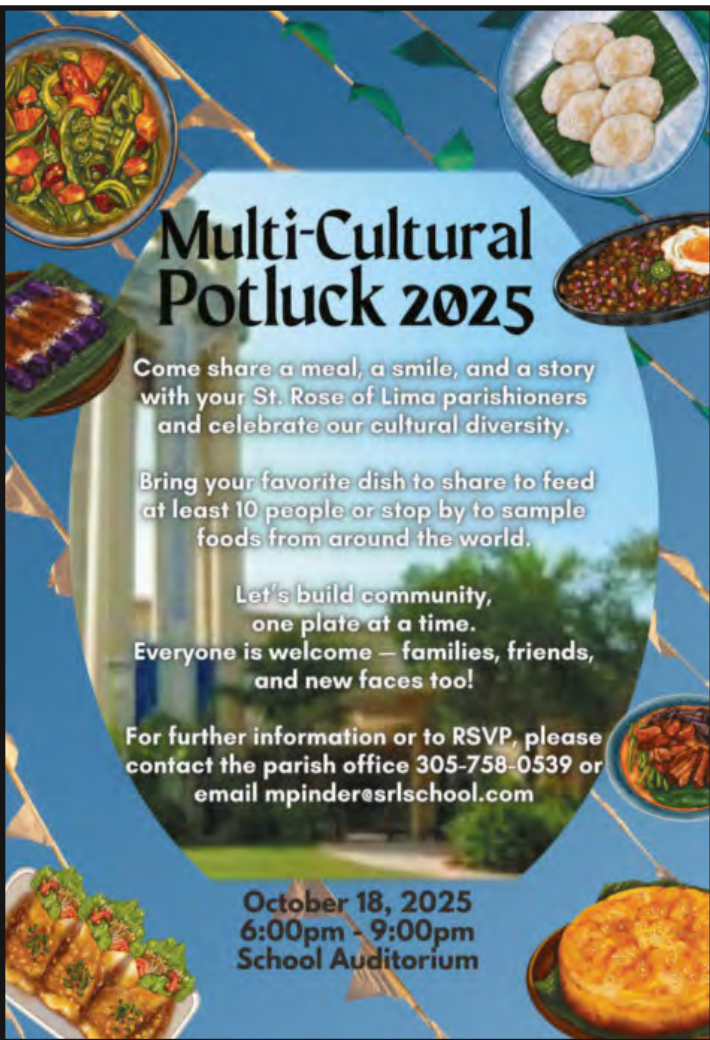


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Bring your favorite dish to share to feed at least 10 people or stop by to sample foods from around the world.

Let's build community, one plate at a time.
Everyone is welcome – families, friends, and new faces too!

For further information or to RSVP, please contact the parish office 305-758-0539 or email mpinderesrslschool.com

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6:00pm - 9:00pm
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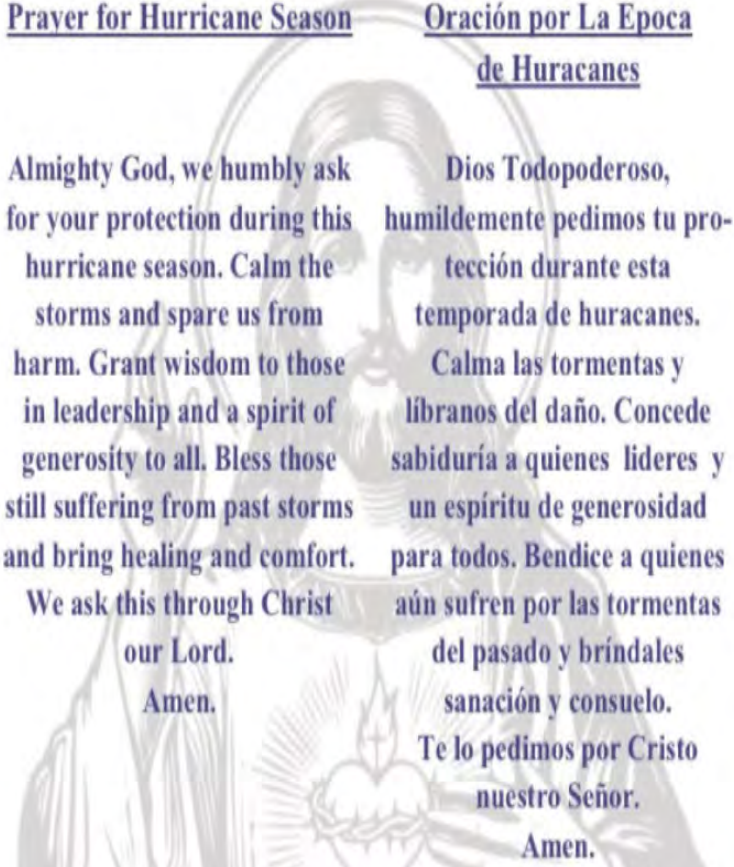
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<u>Prayer for Hurricane Season</u> Almighty God, we humbly ask for your protection during this hurricane season. Calm the storms and spare us from harm. Grant wisdom to those in leadership and a spirit of generosity to all. Bless those still suffering from past storms and bring healing and comfort. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.	<u>Oración por La Epoca de Huracanes</u> Dios Todopoderoso, humildemente pedimos tu protección durante esta temporada de huracanes. Calma las tormentas y libranos del daño. Concede sabiduría a quienes lideres y un espíritu de generosidad para todos. Bendice a quienes aún sufren por las tormentas del pasado y bríndales sanación y consuelo. Te lo pedimos por Cristo nuestro Señor. Amen.
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(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC – BENEATH THE SURFACE
By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Mini reflection:

When the unfaithful of the Israelites were bitten by the serpents, they were healed by looking upon the instrument of their suffering: the serpent itself, mounted on Moses' staff. To heal us, God invites us to look upon the cross.

The Cross is Not Negotiable

"Holiness isn't for wimps," Mother Angelica famously said. "And the cross isn't negotiable, sweetheart — it's a requirement." I love Mother Angelica, and I love this quote. Following God is *tough*, and to do it you have to make a decision to *be tough*, to endure tough things — and ultimately, to love the toughness of it all, because within that struggle God meets us with mercy and salvation. But in light of today's readings, I think Mother Angelica would forgive me for tweaking her words a tiny bit. Holiness *is* for wimps, *because* the cross isn't negotiable. When the unfaithful among the Israelites were bitten by the serpents, they were healed by looking upon the instrument of their suffering: the serpent itself, mounted on Moses' staff. With a literary flourish that puts Homer and Shakespeare to shame, God inverts that primitive symbol. To heal us, he invites us to look upon the cross — the sacrifice which achieved our redemption. Jesus came here to die on that cross for us. For the wimps. Because we couldn't do it ourselves, even if we tried. We couldn't right all of our wrongs, not if we had a million years to do it. We would keep screwing it up. We would keep failing. We're wimps; that's what we do. But the cross — the cross is a magnificent invitation to something more. Divinity Himself, assuming the cloak of flesh and the weight of sin, so that when we look at the cross, we might recognize ourselves. So that we might see what we have been, what we are, what we could be. And none of it is negotiable.

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(PRACTICANDO) CATÓLICA: RECONOCE A DIOS EN TUS MOMENTOS ORDINARIOS
Por Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Mini Reflexión:

Cuando los infieles de los israelitas fueron mordidos por las serpientes, fueron sanados mirando el instrumento de su sufrimiento: la serpiente misma, montada en la vara de Moisés. Para sanarnos, Dios nos invita a mirar la cruz.

La Cruz No Es Negociable

"La santidad no es para cobardes", dijo la Madre Angélica. "Y la cruz no es negociable, cariño, es un requisito". Amo a la Madre Angélica, y me encanta esta cita. Seguir a Dios es *difícil*, y para hacerlo tienes que tomar la decisión de *ser fuerte*, de soportar las cosas difíciles y, en última instancia, de amar la dureza de todo, porque dentro de esa lucha Dios nos encuentra con misericordia y salvación. Pero a la luz de las lecturas de hoy, creo que la Madre Angélica me perdonaría por modificar un poco sus palabras. La santidad *si es* para los débiles, *porque* la cruz no es negociable. Cuando los infieles entre los israelitas fueron mordidos por las serpientes, fueron sanados al contemplar el instrumento de su sufrimiento: la serpiente misma, montada en la vara de Moisés. Con una floritura literaria que avergüenza a Homero y a Shakespeare, Dios invierte ese símbolo primitivo. Para curarnos, nos invita a mirar la cruz, el sacrificio que logró nuestra redención. Jesús vino aquí para morir en esa cruz por nosotros. Por los débiles. Porque no podríamos hacerlo nosotros mismos, aunque lo intentáramos. No podríamos corregir todos nuestros errores, ni aun si tuviéramos un millón de años para hacerlo. Seguiríamos metiendo la pata. Seguiríamos fracasando. Somos unos cobardes; Eso es lo que hacemos. Pero la cruz, la cruz, es una magnífica invitación a algo más. La Divinidad misma, asumiendo el manto de la carne y el peso del pecado, para que cuando miremos la cruz nos reconozcamos. Para que podamos ver lo que hemos sido, lo que somos, lo que podríamos ser. Y nada de eso es negociable.

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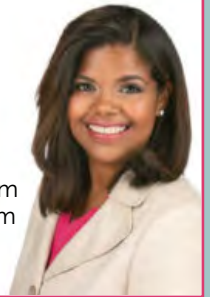
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