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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 28, 2019

You were buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead.

-- Colossians 2:12



Daily Mass

Week of July 29th – August 3rd

Monday: 8:00 Edward Richards+
 Tuesday: 8:00 Walter P. Crinnion+
 Wednesday: 8:00 Maria & Wellington Loh+
 Thursday: 8:00 Charles & Bernadene Elsenius+
 Friday: 8:00 Angiolina Prencis+
 Saturday: 8:00 Special Intentions



Please remember the sick in our Parish, especially Jim Faison, Rita Jackson, Julia, Judith Beattie, Helen Roberts, Michael Echaniz, Tina Chaix, Samantha Winterer, Michael Kluziski, Sebastian Romeo, Louise Ahern, Owen Burns, Bernice De Vries, Paul Cummings, Patricia Dombink, Laura Pierce, Marvin Johnson, Cora Rose, Tom Reid, Alexis Walker, Michael Bozman and Dori McGee-Lundy.

Weekly Collections

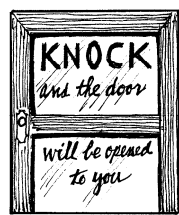
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Summer Hours!

The Parish Office will be closed on Fridays during Summer through August 31st. We will be open from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Mondays -- Thursdays. Have a great summer!



Today's Readings

First Reading -- Abraham bargains with God to spare the city (Genesis 18:20-32).

Psalm -- Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me (Psalm 138).

Second Reading -- You were buried with Christ in baptism, in which you were also raised with Christ (Colossians 2:12-14).

Gospel -- Everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds (Luke 11:1-13).

My Dear Friends,

As I began my retreat last Friday, my heart was filled with such gratitude for each of you. You helped me move into retirement with such beautiful remembrances filled with immense joy. The last few weeks as principal of our School I was able to see and visit with so many people from over my years. I felt so blessed to listen to stories of growth and happiness, which is all I could hope for my children.

I was able to see faces of those who I had walked the journey of life with and prayed beside in these hallowed halls. It is amazing how you can still see the little faces of people in their grown-up beings.

I can't thank you enough for celebrating with me through the events planned by both the School and Parish. Every event had a piece of my heart woven through it. I received many lovely notes of gratitude and love. It was overwhelming and touching. Thank you for those notes and your generous donations to the funds. The scholarship fund is up and running. I hope we can make the million to help those who wish for a Catholic Education. Your generosity to my Happy Trails fund was very gracious. You humbled me! I am taking suggestions of where to go and what to see. All suggestions are appreciated.

I did what I did as principal of our beloved Parish School out of love for you and I reaped the benefits of much love in return. I hope you will keep me close as I transition into the life of a quiet parishioner and sit beside you again with a new direction. I know that you will keep me in prayer as you have for thirty years. Please know that I will continue to keep you in prayer also.

See you at Mass!

With much love, Katie



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Something to Know About!

Sunday sermons can now be seen via video on our website: www.corpuschristipiedmont.org. You can also check out the Mass schedule, current Bulletins and other important information around the Parish.

AUGUST

Father's Day Spiritual Bouquets!

Spiritual Bouquets were offered in memory of the following: A. G. Soletti, C. Prather, Hugo Da Silva, Milland Ling, Gerry Cruz, Wellington Loh, Ted D'Almeida, Lloyd George Perry, Basil Alves Perry, Frederick Raymond Bowes, Uncle Frank Deramo, Anthony Gonzalez, Peter T. Lomezo, Jack Mulgrew, Ray Wilson Van Deusen, Charles Elsenius, Dev Arnold, Edward Cullinane, Edward Kambick, Roy Archibald, Arndt Grabiak, Robert Nicola Danforth, John Jurczak, V. Serrao, George R. Meyer, Wielie Smith, George R. Lombard, Robert Gaspich, Fred Gordon, John Bluth, Kenneth Jones, Sr., Ambrose Novitske, Eric Giegler, John Reynolds, Poon Tak, Tarlochan Dhillon, John MacDonald, Robert MacDonald, Robert Pelusi, Gerald Auzenne, Edgar J. Reed, Charles McGrath, Michael J. McBride, Thomas Leo Floyes, Johnl T. Larkin, Bill Murphy, Fred Wight, Jack Tedder and ancestors, Al Duffy, Ray Rinehart, Joe Mojer, John O'Shea, John Martinez, Jack Kralj, Joseph Heinemann, Edward Heinemann, Zack Martin, Carmine Deramo, Decimo George, Giuseppe, Deramo, Peter D'Angelo, Joe George, Benny Albence, James A. Blakey, Jr., Frantisek Zizka, James A. Blakey, Sr., William Winkopp, William F. McGrath, Fred Carboni, Carl Alamao, Jerome Kerr, Stephen Kalmon, Dennis Kalmon, Frank Kalmon, LeRoy Hueston, Manuel Lim, Teodorico Pineda, Alejandro Alvarez, George Van Craeynest, Cle-tus Abell, Roger Van Craeynest, Thomas Bowe, Earl Holmes, Balfour Farrelly, Gerald Hart, Andrew Price, Steve Barber, John Bowe, Victor Van Craeynest, Mel Medlin, Frank Abell, Bill Munton, Michael Twomey, Wayne Bauers, Harry J. Czarnowski, Charles C. Mechem, Mark A. Curran, William Curran, Ed Powell, Lygmunt Tomezykowski, Jan Osmanczyt, Adam Uiam, Juan Serrano, Manuel Gonzalez, David Hill, Mike Johnston, Robert M. Hill, Leon Pate, Robert Lafferty, Daniel Lafferty, Anthony Zdeb, Anthony Zdeb, Jr., William Lafferty, Donald Kessler, Donald Mockel, James Anthony, John Boothman, Jose B. Pedroza, Thomas Yim, Robert Pruter, Leo Kessler, Abuelo Marcus and Abuelo Davila.

Spiritual Bouquets were offered in honor of the following: John Loh, Leo Loh, George Loh, Teddy Kearns, Ricardo Da Silva, Casey Klein, Oliver Ternate, Michael Loh, Santiago Muñoz, Jr., Santiago Muñoz, III, Philip Pirrotta, Art Price, Seamus Meagher, Phillip Formel, Paul Loh, Clyde Sigur, Alden J. Lombard, Jr., Eddie Compass, Francis Paul Woodland, Paul S. Woodland, Jack Reynolds, Alfred Poon, Leo Yin, Clement Yin, Chris Chou, Bernard Roizman, Collin Pugh, Kyle Miller, Nick Weiler, Art Lombard, Dan Corrigan, Mike O'Shea, Sean O'Shea, Kerry Richburg, Gabriel Kalmon, George Kalmon, David Kalmon, Jeffry Kalmon, Daniel Purushotham, Cary Chavez, Bernie Estibal, Emanuel Borg, Ben Estibal, Anand Sekaran, Warren Fabro, Clarence Niskanen, Paul Niskanen, Chris Cassidy, John V. Cassidy, Albert Terlep, P.J. Daugherty, J.J. Cassidy, E. Bottari, Hovel Ohanyan, Mike Abell, Phil Holmes, David Abell, Rodney Farrelly, Jon Hart, Dee Selby, Dan Selby, Michael Holmes, Brian Bauers, Tim Stalder, Nick Venuto, Timothy Gordon Jones, Kenneth Jones, Jr., Jerome Hill, Owen Hill, Dave Warren, Stan Bradbury, Tom Serviss, Richard Kozlowski, Michael Kessler, Dennis Edward Mockel, James Carter Anthony, Spencer Yim, Al Yim, Anthony Pruter, Doug Kessler and to all the fathers of our Parish, both living and deceased.

Seekers Invitation to the RCIA Program

Are you searching for a faith tradition that you can call home without having to check your intellect at the door? Have you ever had the slightest inkling to explore becoming Catholic? Are you already Catholic, but you have never received your First Communion or Confirmation? If so, the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) might be right for you.

The RCIA program is a process of exploring the Catholic faith while developing a deeper spiritual and faith life. There are plenty of opportunities to learn and experiment with different forms of prayer, and share spiritual questions, doubts, hopes and experiences. It is also a chance to learn about the broad themes and teachings of the Catholic Church, with plenty of time for questions and discussion. The next program will begin in September. If you are interested in learning more about this process, please contact Ann Naffziger at: ann@gospelliving.org or call (510) 521-8011.

The Mark of the Maker!

If things created are so full of loveliness, how resplendent must be the One who made them! The wisdom of the Worker is apparent in such handiwork.

-- St. Anthony of Padua

Potluck!

Hospitality's next Potluck is scheduled for Saturday, August 10th, after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. The main course will be provided. Everyone is invited to bring a side dish or dessert to share!

The Journey Continues!

If your Lenten study group left you wanting more, then Companions in Ignatian Service and Spirituality may be the answer. Ignatian Companions is a unique program, engaging women and men over the age of 50 who have a desire to serve the marginalized, while also deepening their spiritual development. As an endorsed work of the California Province of the Jesuits, it strives to balance the call to act for social justice with the desire to come closer to our living God. The program is based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola and operates from September to June.

To learn more, please contact Companions staff Marco Matute at: Marco@SaintAgnesSF.com or call (415) 487-8560, ext. 224. You can also contact Corpus Christi Parish members Iris Chavarria at (415) 756-6721 or Helen Merkle at (510) 465-5378.