



October 6, 2013

**Saturday, October 5, 2013 6:00 PM**  
**Ezequiel Balderas (D)**  
 By Hurtado Family

**Saturday, October 12, 2013 NO 6:00 PM MASS**  
**7:00 PM**  
**Our Lady of Fatima**

**Sunday, October 6, 2013 8:00 AM**  
**Gabriela Manzano (D)**  
 By Louie/Estela Manzano/Family

**Sunday, October 13, 2013 8:00 AM**  
**Steve Erickson (D)**  
 By Debbie Erickson

**10:00 AM**  
**Happy Anniversary!**  
**Joe & Marie Meneses (L)**  
 By Family

**SPANISH MASS**  
**10:00 AM**  
**Salvador Leoror Maravilla (D)**  
 By Salvador Maravilla

**PRO POPOLO**

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**11:30 AM**  
**Hugo Trejo (D)**  
 Por Ana Trejo

**11:30 AM**  
**Our Lady of Fatima**

**Monday, October 7, 2013 7:30 AM**  
**Sofia Dearmit Garcia (D)**  
 By Jose/Maria Jacinto

**NO WEEKDAY MASSES THIS WEEK**

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**PRIESTS' RETREAT**

**FATHER JERRY ON**  
**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE**

**FATHER JERRY'S BIBLE CLASS TUESDAY NIGHT WILL BE CANCELLED FOR THE NEXT THREE WEEKS.**

**DIOCESAN CONGRESS & YOUTH DAY** Make your plans to be part of the historic 25th Diocesan Congress on October 19th at the Visalia Convention Center. On October 20th marks the 5th Annual Diocesan Youth Day. As a Diocesan family, let us gather to celebrate our faith.

**FABIO ZINI IN CONCERT** St. Anthony of Padua in Reedley is presenting an encore concert of Fabio Zini to celebrate the two year mark of their new church Sunday, October 27, 2013 at 7:30 pm in the church. Tickets are \$50. Call Trish Johnson 638-1116.

**SEMINARIAN GOLF TOURNAMENT** The Serra Club, Bishop Ochoa, and the Seminarians invite you to join them October 28, 2013 at Fort Washington Golf and Country Club for a round of golf. Proceeds fund seminarian needs. The Format, 4 player scramble, costs \$150. For more info, please call Bob Merkle at 240-9644.

**A NIGHT UNDER THE STARS** Saturday, November 2, 2013 Dinner & Auction sponsored by Our Lady of Victory School Parent Club. Dinner at 6:30 pm Holland Park West, 3855 N. Bryan, Fresno \$50 per person.

**FOUR SKILLS WORKSHOP** Improve your communication skills. Join this one day workshop on November 9, 2013 from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm at St. Paul Newman Center, 1572 E. Barstow Avenue, Fresno. Register 488-7474 by October 1st at a cost of \$10 per person

**RETROUVAILLE** This program is for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated or angry in their marriage. It has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. To register for the January Bakersfield program, please call 661-747-2212 or Fresno@RetroCA.com

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD** Upcoming retreat in the Fresno area. November 8-10, 2013. Contact Jennifer Butcher 877-629-6626.

our servitude...



27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Quarterly earnings reports for many publicly traded companies have either just been released or will be in the next week or so. Since every company reports them on its own schedule after the end of the quarter, it is a rolling release that investors will examine in the days to come. How well a company does will affect its share price on the stock exchange, and the compensation that is eventually determined by the board of directors for a company's leaders. Company policies or union contracts often determine how the rest of the workforce down the line get to share in any benefits of a positive earnings report.

The words of Jesus in the Gospel may seem a bit harsh this week. He tells his apostles that they could describe themselves as unprofitable servants who have only done what they were obliged to do. It does not seem to be a very flattering picture of what it means to be a Christian. In Jesus' day a servant performed such menial tasks that it is hard for us to even imagine them today. We hear Jesus describing the master as telling the servant to prepare something for him to eat. Such actions required much more than popping something in a microwave. Meal preparation involved hard work like grinding grain, catching fish, plucking chickens, or gathering produce. It even meant hauling jars of water from the communal well. And the next day it was the same all over again.

We are fortunate to live in the era that we do. While our daily work may not always seem as exciting as it could be, we are spared much of the drudgery of the past. For us, being a servant is an entirely different dimension. We don't go down to the lake or river in hopes of catching some food for the master. Instead, our servitude is that of being attentive to our neighbor. Our earnings report will shine if we do that!



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 6, 2013

Sunday: Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14/Lk 17:5-10  
 Monday: Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Lk 10:25-37  
 Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10/Lk 10:38-42  
 Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11/Lk 11:1-4  
 Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b/Lk 11:5-13  
 Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Lk 11:15-26  
 Saturday: Jl 4:12-21/Lk 11:27-28  
 Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 5:14-17/2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19

Second Collection: Building Fund

Last week's plate collection: \$2,021.00

Next week: Religious Education

Thank you for your generosity and may God bless you.



Let us pray for all who are listed in our Book of Remembrance and all souls. Pray for the sanctification of our priests.

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH DEDICATED TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY.



MASS CHANGE: NEXT SUNDAY 10:00 AM MASS WILL BE IN SPANISH, 11:30 AM, OUR LADY OF FATIMA MASS.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Our committee invites the community and their families to our annual festivities. A nightly rosary at 7 pm starts October 6th-11th. Mass at 7 pm on Saturday, October 12th, followed by a candlelight procession to the CPDES Hall. 11:30 am Mass on Sunday, October 13th to honor our Blessed Mother. Procession follows to the hall for free Tri-tip lunch. Portuguese folklore, live auction and bazaar. We look forward to seeing you there.

FCA LUNCHEONS

St. Jude Catholic Church will serve WUHS lunches on October 10, 17, 24, 31 & Nov. 7, 2013. Cupcakes or cookies will be needed for those days. Can we count on your donations? (Thank you!) Lunches are prepared at 11:00 am to be served at 1:00 pm at Immanuel Lutheran Social Hall. Any questions, call Joyce Butterfield 696-4493.



27º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

El lamento del profeta Habacuc, denunciando la violencia y la injusticia debatiendo estrepitosamente la discordia en sus tiempos, parecía no tener principio ni fin. Algo parecido pasa con todo el ir y venir de los debates para el control de armas. Mientras esto pasa la violencia y la muerte de inocentes parece no tener fin. Debates públicos marchan por las calles promoviendo el alto a portar armas y con la mirada puesta en la visión de un mundo donde reine la paz. Si observamos, el profeta quería la intervención de Dios para que pusiera fin a las dificultades de su tiempo. Es por eso que Dios le dice a Habacuc lo siguiente: "Escribe la visión que te he manifestado, ponla clara en tablillas para que se pueda leer de corrido...El malvado sucumbirá sin remedio; el justo, en cambio, vivirá por su fe". Es decir, donde todos la puedan ver y entender. El Reino de Dios se vive con fe y paciencia.

Es por esta razón que podemos decir que la fe es el tema principal del Evangelio de este domingo. Los apóstoles se lo pidieron al Señor: "Auméntanos la fe". La fe pura y sencilla es la que puede ser aumentada, y hasta mover montañas. Es la confianza incondicional de Dios para hacer cosas maravillosas en las personas. Pero a la vez, esta fe no puede ser manipulada por nuestros caprichos al estilo de los fariseos y ricos en los tiempos del Señor.

CCD CLASS SCHEDULE

Grades 1-6 Sunday 9:10-10:30 am  
 Grades 7-10 Wednesday 6:00-7:00 pm  
 1st yr. Confirmation Sunday 11:15-12:15 pm  
 Confirmation 1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday 11:15-1:00 pm

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Classes are held on Wednesdays from 6:30-7:30. If you would like to register, please come to the next class. Any questions, please call Joyce Jacoby 264-5574.

ST. JUDE ALTAR GUILD

The St. Jude Altar Guild meeting is Monday, October 7th, 2013 at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

"OCTOBER FEST" FALL LUNCHEON

Saturday, October 26th, 2013 in the Parish Hall. Social 11:30 Lunch at 12 noon. Donation \$10. Contact Diane Barra 903-6064 or any guild member.

**TRUNK OR TREAT** Sunday, October 27th from 5 to 7 pm. Call Diane if you have questions.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPAGHETTI & DINNER

Sunday, November 10, 2013 from 2 to 6 pm at CPDES Hall. Donation \$10 Take Outs available. Tickets: Ben Martinez 233-3125, Louis Mendoza 907-6101, Paul Pitchford 647-3169.

La fe y las obras van juntas. Muchas veces es más fácil culpar a Dios de lo que acontece en el mundo que tomar nuestras responsabilidades y construir un mundo mejor para todos. ¿Estamos buscando la intervención de Dios para poner fin a la violencia?



LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA DEL 6 DE OCTUBRE DE 2013

Domingo: Hab 1, 2-3; 2, 2-4/2 Tim 1, 6-8, 13-14/Lc 17, 5-10  
 Lunes: Jon 1, 1—2, 1. 11/Lc 10, 25-37  
 Martes: Jon 3, 1-10/Lc 10, 38-42  
 Miércoles: Jon 4, 1-11/Lc 11, 1-4  
 Jueves: Mal 3, 13-20/Lc 11, 5-13  
 Viernes: Jl 1, 13-15; 2, 1-2/Lc 11, 15-26  
 Sábado: Jl 4, 12-21/Lc 11, 27-28  
 Domingo siguiente: 2 Re 5, 14-17/2 Tim 2, 8-13/Lc 17, 11-19

SANTO TORIBIO CERRADO LA SEMANA 7-11 DE OCTUBRE

Segunda Colecta: Edificio de Fondo  
 La colecta la semana pasada: \$2,021.00  
 Virgen de Guadalupe: \$119.00  
 Proxima Semana: Educacion Religiosa  
 Mil gracias y que Dios les bendiga por su generosidad.

CPBC BREAKFAST MEETING

October 11, 2013 at Pardini's at 7:15 am. Speaker, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, powerful and passionate evangelist and preacher. Reservations, call 434-2722. Cost \$15 members, \$20 non-members.

BLOOD DRIVE

The Blood Bank will be in Easton on Sunday, October 13th from 9 am until noon on the corner of Elm and Lincoln Avenues. All donors receive a T-shirt. No appointment necessary.

THANK YOU, JESUS

All Catholic men in the Fresno Diocese are invited to attend this special one day "Men's Conference" featuring outstanding speakers with messages of inspiration and hope. October 12, 2013, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. \$25 at the door, \$20 online: <https://catholicmen.org/thank-you-jesus>

FLOWER DONATION

The flowers this weekend, October 5th & 6th are in the memory of the birthday of Frank Martinez by his family.

*The spirit of God makes us strong, loving and wise. How will you use these gifts to serve the gospel? Consider being a sister, brother, priest or deacon.*

CAMBIO DE LA MISA DEL DOMINGO, 13 DE OCTUBRE

La misa en español sera a las 10 am. La Misa de 11:30 es para Señora de Fatima. Todos son invitados a la festa en el salon de CPDES. Tiene lunche gratis despues de la misa.

25º CONGRESO DIOCESANO Y DIA JUVENIL

Haga sus planes para ser parte de este historico este 19 de octubre en el Centro de Convenciones de Visalia. El tema de este ano esta tornado en parte del primer Dia de Ministerio Diocesano en 1989: Llamados y Dotados: Fortalecidos en la Fe. El 20 de Octubre marca nuestro 5 Dia Juvenil Anul Diocesano, donde esperamos miles de jovenes para reunirse y alabar a Dios y compartir su fe!

¿TENSION EN SU MATRIMONIO?

Retrouvaille es un programa para parejas casadas que se sienten aburridos, desilusionados, frustrados, o enojados en su matrimonio. Este programa ha ayudado a miles de parejas experimentando dificultades en sus matrimonios. Para informacion, llame 935-1424 o 367-6575. El siguiente fin de semana en español in Fresno Octubre 4-6, 2013.

*Si hoy escuchan la voz de Dios no endurezcan sus corazones. Escucha la voz de Dios. ¿Estas siendo llamado/a al sacerdocio o vida religiosa? Salmo 95*