



AUGUST 20, 2017

Saturday, August 19, 2017 5:00 PM Joe Coito (D) By Stanley Coito Family	Saturday, August 26, 2017 5:00 pm Johnny J. Cardoza (D) By Joe/Margaret Parreira
Sunday, August 20, 2017 8:00 AM Eugene Correia, Sr. (D) By Dr./Mrs. Reuben Freitas	Sunday, August 27, 2017 8:00 AM Mary Laverne Cardoza (D) By Family
9:30 AM Anthony David Santellano (D) By Family	9:30 AM Silvina Garcia (D) By DeSilva Family
PRO POPOLO	PRO POPOLO
11:00 AM Guadalupe y Julia Rivera (D) Por Eugenio Rodriguez y Familia	11:00 AM Jose Pinto Salazar (D) Por Stephanie Pinto y Familia
7:30 AM WEEKDAY MASSES	7:30 AM WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday, August 21, 2017 Happy Birthday Lucy Areias! By Maria Fatima Areias	Monday, August 27, 2017 Antonio & Concecaõ Martins (D) By Lucy Areias
Tuesday, August 22, 2017 Happy Birthday Valorie Warehime! By Family	Tuesday, August 29 2017 Ida G. Rodrigues (D) By Richard/Jeanne Bargamian
No Mass Wednesday, August 23, 2017	No Mass Wednesday, August 30, 2017
Thursday, August 24, 2017 Ernest & Rosie Lencioni (D) By Elaine Lencioni	Thursday, August 31, 2017 Art Rodriguez (D) By Correia Family
Friday, August 25, 2017 Susana Lopez (D) By Lucy Silverio	Friday, September 1, 2017 Johnny J. Cardoza (D) By Anne/Steve Gaspar



20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish."

This woman was an outsider. She was a Canaanite, not an Israelite, and as such she would have been considered ritually unclean. But she approached Jesus nonetheless and asked for his help. And Jesus used this opportunity to teach his disciples an important lesson.

In the verses directly before today's passage, Jesus had told Peter that what defiles a person comes from the heart, not from ignoring external purity practices. Then, Jesus traveled with his disciples from Galilee to the region of Tyre and Sidon where they were much more likely to encounter someone considered to be unclean.

At first it appeared that Jesus wasn't going to acknowledge the woman who begged for help. His comment, *"It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs,"* was a common comparison between Jews (the children) and Canaanites (the dogs). But, in fact, Jesus said this only to go right ahead and break this social code! He showed by his actions that it did not matter whether someone was Jewish or not, what mattered was the faith in a person's heart. And this woman proved to Jesus and the doubting disciples that she had great faith. How many others would have even approached Jesus to ask for his help? How many others would have persevered when he appeared unresponsive? By pausing in his response, and first mentioning the standard reply, Jesus gave this woman the opportunity to demonstrate her great faith. And then, he answered her request and praised her extraordinary faith. What a lesson for his prejudiced disciples! And what a lesson for us, both to persevere in faith, and never to judge others on mere appearances.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 20, 2017

Sunday:	Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28
Monday:	Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-37, 39-40, 43ab, 44/Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday:	Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-14/Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday:	Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-7/Mt 20:1-16
Thursday:	Rv 21:9b-14/Ps 145:10-13, 17-18/Jn 1:45-51
Friday:	Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-10/Mt 22:34-40
Saturday:	Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-5/Mt 23:1-12
Next Sunday:	Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-3, 6, 8/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20

Las lecturas de la semana del 20 de agosto de 2017

Domingo:	Is 56, 1. 6-7/Sal 67, 2-3. 5-6. 8/Rom 11, 13-15. 29-32/Mt 15, 21-28
Lunes:	Jue 2, 11-19/Sal 106, 34-37. 39-40. 43. 44/Mt 19, 16-22
Martes:	Jue 6, 11-24/Sal 85, 9. 11-14/Mt 19, 23-30
Miércoles:	Jue 9, 6-15/Sal 21, 2-7/Mt 20, 1-16
Jueves:	Ap 21, 9-14/Sal 145, 10-13. 17-18/Jn 1, 45-51
Viernes:	Rut 1, 1. 3-6. 14-16. 22/Sal 146, 5-10/Mt 22, 34-40
Sábado:	Rut 2, 1-3. 8-11; 4, 13-17/Sal 128, 1-5/Mt 23, 1-12
Domingo siguiente:	Is 22, 19-23/Sal 138, 1-3. 6. 8/Rom 11, 33-36/Mt 16, 13-20



We pray for our parishioners who are sick and home-bound in convalescent homes, in hospitals. Please pray that God gives them strength, courage, and patience. Oremos por todo aquellas que estan enfermos, en asilos y hospitales. Oremos para que Dios les de fuerza, confianza y paciencia.

Second Collection/Segunda Colecta
Cathedral Maintenance/Mantenimiento de catedral

Last week's collection/Colecta de la semana pasada: \$3,261.00
Religious Education/Educacion Religiosa \$891.50

Next week's collection/Proxima semana colecta:
Maintenance & Repair/Mantenimiento y Reparacion

Thank you for your continued generosity.
Mil gracias que Dios bendiga por su generosidad.

FAMILY STEAK DINNER

Knights of Columbus Father Tobin Council 9153 are planning a Family Steak Dinner for Sunday, August 27, 2017 at CPDES Hall. Dinner will be served from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. Bingo at 5:30 pm. All of this for \$10.00. Be sure to purchase your tickets after any of the weekend masses.

YOUTH NIGHT

All youth 14-19 years old are invited to St. Jude Youth Night. Come and join us on Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30 pm. Spend this summer in a positive environment. Contact Joseph for more info (559) 353-1179.

NEW COMMUNICATION TOOL

Attention: St. Jude Parishioners, our youth program has a new communication tool, Flocknote! It's easy to use because we're already using these methods of communication, text/e-mail. Text **Easton** to **84576** to stay up to date with Youth Group, CCD, and Confirmation See DRE Joseph for more info. or (559) 353-1179..

CATECHIST NEEDED

The CCD program is still in need of a 5th/6th grade instructor. Please contact DRE Joseph ASAP, (559) 353-1179. This can be a part-time role and there will be others to help during the year.



20° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

De acuerdo al diccionario la palabra *persistir* significa: "Mantenerse firme en algo, especialmente en una idea o en una actitud". En nuestra experiencia todos tenemos dificultad para mantenernos firmes en nuestros propósitos, especialmente en lo que toca a la persistencia en la oración, los buenos hábitos y cambios en cualquier disciplina espiritual. En el Evangelio de hoy la mujer cananea nos recuerda que el mantenerse firme en su petición de que su hija sanara de los tormentos que la aquejaban y el buen trabajo, y la disciplina espiritual pueden llegar a ser oración. Nada ni nadie detuvo a la mujer, ni vergüenza le dio el persistir con sus gritos al Señor. *"¿Señor, hijo de David, ten compasión de mí! Mi hija está terriblemente atormentada por un demonio"* (Mt 15, 22).

¿Cuántas veces en la vida hemos hecho lo que esta mujer hizo? ¿Cuál ha sido la respuesta de Dios para los tormentos que nos acosan? Las respuestas deben ser motivos de firmeza y petición en nuestra oración. La siguiente postura de la mujer aparte de pedir en alta voz fue el arrojarse de rodillas al Señor. Su gran fe fue lo que motivó al Señor Jesús a tener compasión sobre su situación. Postrémonos ante el Señor en la hora santa, en el sagrario y en nuestras devociones en casa. No tengamos vergüenza de ser católicos, no temamos el velar por los derechos de los demás. Todos estamos invitados a alabar y adorar al Señor, para que podamos escuchar palabras de consuelo en la oración como la mujer: *"Mujer, ¡qué grande es tu fe! Que se cumpla lo que deseas"* (Mt 15, 28). ¡Que así sea!

BLOOD DRIVE

Be sure to stop by and donate blood today, Sunday, August 20! The mobile unit will be in Easton in the WUHS Elm Avenue parking lot from 9 am until noon. Give a blood donation and receive a coupon for the Fresno Fair entrance, buy one, get one free.

CP&BC

The regular monthly breakfast meeting will be September 8, 2017 at Pardini's at 7:15 am. The speaker is Nancy Hollingsworth, CEO at St. Agnes Medical Center. Info or reservations, call 434-2722, <https://www.cpbcfresno.org>

STRESS MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

"Five Ways to Manage Family Stress" will be held at OLV Parish in Hayes Hall, Wednesday, August 30, 2017 from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm. The presenter is Rufina Sandoval, MSW, LCSW. Registration fee \$10 Contact Edith Maldonado at (559) 488-7474 ext. 103.

A Canaanite woman implored Jesus to reach out to help her daughter. Jesus was stretched beyond what he thought was his mission. Will you let yourself go beyond what is "safe"?
Matthew 15:21-28

OUR LADY OF ASSUMPTION CHURCH NEWS

Attention: Caruthers Parishioners

Please direct all your calls to the St. Jude office 485-3870. **Spanish Mass** will be celebrated every Sunday at 1:00 pm at Our Lady of Assumption Church in Caruthers. **CCD classes** will begin September 10, 2017. You may register your child in Caruthers August 26, 27, September 2, 3 from 9:00-12:00 pm.

LA ASUNCION DE LA SANTISMA VIRGEN MARIA

Atencion: Parroquianos de Caruthers

Por favor dirija todas llamadas a la oficina de San Judas en Easton al 485-3870. **Misa de Español** sera celebrada cada domingo a la 1:00 de la tarde en iglesia en Caruthers. **Doctrina para niños** comenzaran el 10 de septiembre. Las fechas de registro en Caruthers seran 26 y 27 de agosto y 2 y 3 de septiembre a las 9:00-12:00 pm.

Intencion para la Misa:

Jose Ruiz (D) por Familia Ruiz

Segunda colecta: Mantenimiento de catedral

Colecta de la semana pasada: \$462.00
Segunda Colecta: \$156.00

Mil gracias que Dios bendiga.

CENA DE BISTEC

Los Caballeros de Colon invita a todos para la cena de bistec. Bingo a las 5:30 pm, tambien. Sera el dia de 27 de agosto, 2017 en el salon portugues, CPDES, de 4:00 pm a 6:00 pm. Costo \$10.00. Compre los boletos despues de todas las misas o llame Louis (559) 907-6101.

CATEQUISTAS NECESARIOS

El programa de CCD todavía necesita un instructor de 5to/6to grado. Por favor, póngase en contacto con DRE Joseph lo mas pronto posible, (559) 353-1179. Esto puede ser un papel a tiempo parcial y habrá otros para ayudar durante el año.

TALLER DE MANEJO DEL ESTRÉS EN INGLES

"Cinco Maneras de Manejar el Estrés Familiar" este taller se llevará a cabo en la Parroquia de Nuestra Señora de la Victoria en el salón Hayes con Rufina Sandoval, MSW, LCSW. Sera el miércoles, 30 de agosto, 2017 de las 6:30 pm a las 8:00 pm, cuota de registraci6n \$10. Comuníquese con Edith Maldonado (559) 488-7474 ext 103. ¡Esperamos verlo en el taller!



VINEDO DE RAQUEL

Si alguien desea el retorno a la misericordia, amor y perdon de Jesus que parece ser perdido como consecuencia de un aborto, el Vinedo de Raquel le puede ayudar. Informacion; llame 1-888-686-8537.

Mi casa sera llamada Casa de Oraci6n para todo el mundo. Como Iglesia, recemos para que haya mas vocaciones a la vida sacerdotal y religiosa.
Isaias 56:6-7