

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 7, 2018

He Embraced Them and Blessed Them

Today Jesus stresses how children embody the reign of God. They are trusting and loving and have hearts that are open to love. They are joyful when they are made aware of God's love for them, and are eager to return that love. This is the model Jesus holds out to us if we want to welcome the reign of God. We need to have open, loving hearts. We must drop our defenses, however we came by them, and welcome Christ's love for us with joy. This is impossible for us on our own. Only the grace of God will enable us to do this, but that grace is freely and generously given. We have only to accept it. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.



Saints and Special Observances

Monday: Columbus Day
Tuesday: St. Denis and Companions;
St. John Leonardi
Thursday: St. John XXIII

Remember the sick: Alice Blankenship, John Pollock, Karen Gallagher, Irene Hammond, Brad Goforth, Julie Victorino, Victoria Martinez, Harvey Smith, Mikayla Martinez, Carol Bader, John Chisler, Ramon De Alba, Jerry Reynolds, Eric Klemstein, Jean Chinnici, George Keenan, Gale Keenan, Clara Pauly, Matt Van Scyoc.

AUTUMN PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sun., Oct. 21; 9:30-11:30 am



Prepared and served in the hall by our Men's Club members.

Tickets may be purchased at the door.

This is a fundraiser for the Don Arbogast Memorial Scholarship fund for our graduating seniors.

Women's Club Canceled

The October Women's Club meeting has been **canceled**. See you in November!



In Memory

Our long-time parishioner Tommye Brennan passed away last week. No funeral services have been planned yet. Please keep Tommye and her family in your prayers.

Parish Offerings

Plate Collection (Sept. 29/30): \$2,582.00
Charitable Giving: \$1,014.00

Thank You for Your Support!



Masses For The Week

(Oct. 6-12)

Sat., 5:00 pm- +Ann Rodriguez-Erdman
Int. Harvey & Jennifer Smith
Sun., 9:00 am- Int. Faye McFarland
Int. Vito Tullo
Int. John & Susan Pollock
Sun., 6:00 pm- People of the Parish
Mon., 9:00 am- Communion Service
Tues., 9:00 am- Communion Service
Wed., 9:00 am- Sick of the Parish
Thur., 9:00 am- +Nancy Green
Fri., 9:00 am- +Tommye Brennan

Attention All Men!

The Men's Club will meet in the month of October on Tues., the 16th. Join us in the hall at 6:00 pm for a great meal and fellowship. Be sure to use the sign-up sheet near the church entrance if you plan on attending. Bring a friend!

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Respect Life Collection

This annual collection helps in running the Diocese of Monterey Respect Life department. The department promotes increased awareness of the God-given dignity of each person from conception until of the moment of natural death, focusing on the issues of abortion, euthanasia and capital punishment. Please give generously next weekend when this second collection is taken up.

Food Pantry Needs



- * Dried Spaghetti
- * Marinara Sauce
- * Canned Fruit (pop-top lids)

Please bring these by the parish office.

Rosary & Daily Mass

Would you like to start your day in a spiritual and peaceful manner? The Rosary is recited daily in our church Monday-Friday at 8:30 am, followed by a Mass or Communion Service at 9:00 am. Please join us when you can.



Saint of the Week

St. John XXIII; Oct. 11th Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli was born in Lombardy into a large, hardworking and loving family of faith. Elected pope in 1958 at age 76, John XXIII served as head of the Roman Catholic Church for only four-and-a-half years. He was declared Blessed in 2000 by John Paul II. John XXIII was a visionary pope who was responsible for calling Vatican II into being. His last encyclical, *Pacem in Terris*, challenges us to take up the work of "establishing universal peace in truth, justice, charity and liberty." (*Living With Christ, Oct. 2018*)

Central Coast Walk for Life

This annual event, sponsored by our Diocese, will take place on Sat., Oct. 20th. The walk will begin at Mission SLO plaza at 11:30 am. For more information go to www.walk4lifecc.org