



# Saint Bernard

A Roman Catholic Community

September 11, 2022

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Saturday Mass • Misas de Sábado

8:00 a.m. • English

5:00 p.m. • English Sunday Vigil

7:00 p.m. • Español Misa Dominical

## Sunday Mass • Misas de Domingo

7:30 a.m. • English

9:00 a.m. • English

11:00 a.m. • English

1:30 p.m. • Español

## Weekday Mass • Misas entre Semana

8:00 a.m. - English

6:15 p.m. • Bilingual

## Office Hours • Horario de oficina

Monday - Friday • Lunes a Viernes

9:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.

Closed 12 - 1pm & on Weekends

Cerrado 12 - 1pm y el fin de semana

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# PARISH FESTIVAL

Next weekend!  
**SEPTEMBER  
16, 17, 18**

**Friday: 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm**  
**Saturday: 12:00 pm - 10:00 pm**  
**Sunday: 8:00 am - 8:00 pm**

**Delicious Food • Bingo Raffle • Music • Games and much more!**

## Raffle

We have raffle tickets available for \$2.00 each! Buy and drop off sold tickets at our Parish Office by Thursday, September 15 or at our Raffle table during the Festival.

**First Prize: \$3,000 • Second Prize: \$1,500**  
**Third Prize: 2 Disneyland tickets with food gift card worth \$60**

## Did you know?

In a choking emergency, it is important to respond quickly and effectively. Experts suggest reviewing maneuvers regularly so that you are equipped to respond to such an emergency. For children over the age of one, if a child is coughing, encourage him to keep coughing — this could be the quickest way to clear the airway. If a child is having trouble coughing, talking, or breathing, provide immediate help. You can attempt the Heimlich maneuver to dislodge the object and clear the airway. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article, “How to Respond to Choking” at [la-catholics.org/did-you-know/](http://la-catholics.org/did-you-know/).

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday 9/10/22

**8:00am**

Janice and Daniel Dunlop-Wed. Ann.  
For the souls of the Sisters of the Blessed Korean Martyrs

For the souls of the Parents of the Sisters of the Blessed Korean Martyrs

Eric Galang Marcelo- †

**5:00pm**

Janet Calderon- †

**7:00pm**

St. Bernard Volunteers-Sp. Int.

### Sunday 9/11/22

**7:30am**

Fr. Ubald Rugirangoga- †

Michael Lacsamana- †

Eric Galang Marcelo- †

**9:00am**

St. Bernard Parishioners-Sp. Int.

**11:00 am**

St. Bernard Priest-Sp. Int.

**1:30 pm**

Domingo Leal Diaz- †

Cristian Sanchez and Lilia Romero-Sp. Int.

Antonio Arambula-Birthday

Jose Angel Velazquez Salcideo- †

### Monday 9/12/22

**8:00am**

Sr. Antonietta Zapata- †

Eric Galang Marcelo- †

**6:15pm**

Gabriela Diaz- †

### Tuesday 9/13/22

**8:00am**

Mila Marcial- Birthday

**6:15pm**

Mike Michalowski- †

Eric Galang Marcelo- †

### Wednesday 9/14/2022

**8:00am**

St. Bernard Catechist and Teachers-Sp. Int.

**6:15pm**

Fr. Thomas F. Feltz- †

Eric Galang Marcelo- †

### Thursday 9/15/2022

**8:00am**

Il Man Jin- †

**6:15pm**

Cecilia and Cresencio Hernandez-Birthday

Eric Galang Marcelo- †

### Friday 9/16/22

**8:00am**

St. Bernard Volunteers-Sp. Int.

**6:15pm**

Ed Murcko- †

Edita Ladesma- † (Birthday)

Jose Z. Capistrano-Birthday

Eric Galang Marcelo- †

### Saturday 9/17/22

**8:00am**

Jinkee Gotingco-Birthday

**5:00pm**

Janet Calderon- †

**7:00pm**

St. Bernard Children- Sp. Int.

## Dear Parishioners...

Does it make sense to say that God “repents”? Our way of thinking of God as omnipotent, omniscient, omnipresent and, particularly, immutable leads us to reject such an idea. However, the Scripture uses these expressions: God “is moved”, “compassionate”, “repents”,... he is a Father who is moved, repents of his threats because he loves his creatures...

Also, a notion of God as an agent of good is common to us. Never as an agent of evil. Beyond any theology, the Christian’s experience of the divinity is Jesus of Nazareth, who in his earthly life “spent doing good and freeing those oppressed by evil.”

Regarding Jesus Christ, Paul says that “Jesus came into the world to save sinners”; and, from there, he expresses his personal vital experience of the divinity, namely, that “God had mercy on me”. Paul does not speak from an abstract conception, but from what he lives (he, like us, had no experience of the historical Jesus, but his experience of Jesus coincides with what the evangelical testimonies reveal.) He knew that Jesus suffered evil in his flesh, manifested and carried out in and for the human being, good unconditionally, overcoming evil beyond human possibilities. So, what allows us to reconcile the experience of the human and the notion of the divine, with meaning and in the concreteness of life, is mercy - hypostasis of the divine. Mercy is an expression of the best in us humans and that became Jesus when was incarnated and became one of us accordingly to the gospels. And with him and from him, also us. For this reason, I encourage you, dear parishioner and reader, to continue being a sign that Christ Lives being yourself merciful and moving you with him to help those who suffer the most.

### *Mass in Recognition of All Immigrants*

Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels  
Archbishop José H. Gomez, Presiding  
**Sunday, September 18, 2022**

3:00pm Pre-Procession · 3:30pm Mass

Every parish and religious ministries are invited to attend the Mass. Speak with your pastor for more information on how to have your parish represented in the pre-procession. For more information, contact the Office of Immigration Affairs at (213) 637-7484 or [immigration@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:immigration@la-archdiocese.org)

## Estimada Tia Tota:

¿Tiene sentido decir que Dios “se arrepiente”? Nuestro modo de pensar de Dios como omnipotente, omnisciente, omnipresente y, particularmente, inmutable nos induce a rechazar tal idea. Sin embargo, la Escritura utiliza estas expresiones: Dios “, se conmueve”, “se compacece”, se arrepiente”,... es un Padre que se conmueve, se arrepiente de sus amenazas porque ama a sus criaturas...

También, nos es común una noción de Dios como agente de bien. Nunca como agente del mal. Más allá de cualquier teología, la experiencia del cristiano acerca de la divinidad es Jesús de Nazaret, quien en su vida terrena “paso haciendo al bien y liberando a los oprimidos por el mal”.

Pablo con respecto a Jesucristo dice que “Jesús vino al mundo para salvar a los pecadores”; y, desde ahí, expresa su personal experiencia vital de la divinidad, a saber, el que “Dios tuvo compasión de mí”. Pablo no habla desde una concepción abstracta, sino desde lo que vive (él, como nosotros, no tuvo experiencia del Jesús histórico, pero su experiencia de Jesús coincide con lo que revelan los testimonios evangélicos). Supo que Jesús sufrió en su carne el mal, manifestó y realizó en y para el ser humano el bien incondicionalmente, superando el mal más allá de las posibilidades humanas. En definitiva, lo que permite conciliar la experiencia de lo humano y la noción de lo divino, con sentido y en lo concreto de la vida, es la misericordia – hipóstasis de lo divino en tanto que es expresión de lo mejor humano y que encarnó el Jesús de los evangelios. Y con él y desde él, también nosotros. Por eso, te animo tía a seguir signo de que Cristo Vive siendo misericordiosa y conmoviéndote con los que más sufren.

### *Misa en Reconocimiento de todos los Inmigrantes*

Catedral Nuestra Señora de los Angeles  
Arzobispo José H. Gomez, Celebrante  
**Domingo 18 de septiembre de 2022**

3:00pm Pre-Procesión · 3:30pm Misa

Todas las parroquias y ministerios religiosos están invitados a asistir a misa. Para más información, comuníquese con la Oficina de Asuntos de Inmigración al (213) 637-7484 o [immigration@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:immigration@la-archdiocese.org)

## A Historic Moment

### We are all Called to Renew

The Called to Renew campaign gives us the opportunity to renew not only our spirit, but the ways in which we live out our faith in our parishes. The campaign will allow us to:

- Renovate facilities to ensure they are safe spaces for families to learn, grow, and worship
- Reaffirm our support for priestly vocations
- Reinvigorate our ministries to serve those who are sick, dying, and imprisoned, as well as their families
- Reimagine faith formation so people of all ages can grow in their Catholic faith

### Our Parish Needs

50% of all funds raised up to goal, will remain with our parish to address the following needs:

- Renovate the church bathrooms
- Replace the plumbing
- Paint the exterior of the church
- Renovate the interior of the church
- Update the landscaping

In the coming weeks, our Ambassadors will be calling families to explain the campaign and answer your questions. We hope you will welcome their invitation to meet with open hearts. Thank you!



## Un Momento Histórico

### Estamos Llamados a Renovar

La campaña Llamados a Renovar nos da la oportunidad para renovar no sólo nuestro espíritu, sino la manera en la que vivimos nuestra fe en nuestras parroquias. La campaña nos permitirá:

- Transformar estructuras físicas, garantizando que sean espacios seguros para que las familias aprendan, crezcan y dan culto a Dios
- Reafirmar nuestro apoyo a las vocaciones y a la formación sacerdotal
- Revitalizar nuestros ministerios para atender a los enfermos, moribundos y encarcelados, así como también a sus familias
- Renovar la formación de la fe para que personas de todas edades puedan crecer en su fe católica

### Necesidades de nuestra parroquia

El 50% de todos los fondos recaudados permanecerán con nuestra parroquia para ayudar con las siguientes necesidades:

- Renovar los baños de la iglesia
- Reemplazar la plomería
- Pintar el exterior de la iglesia
- Renovar la interior de la iglesia
- Cuidar el jardín

En las próximas semanas, nuestros embajadores llamarán a nuestros feligreses para explicar la campaña en más detalle y responder a sus preguntas. Esperamos que reciben esta invitación con corazones abiertos para reunirnos. ¡Gracias!

**Our Goal**  
Nuestra Meta **\$530,000**

**Amount Raised**  
Total Prometido  
**\$26,600**

**Number of Gifts**  
Regalos Prometidos  
**5**

**Percent of Goal Raised**  
Porcentaje de nuestra meta prometida  
**5%**

## Sunday Donations

Sunday, September 3, 2022

Envelopes \$7,511.00

Plate \$1,816.00

Parochial Improvements \$636.00

A/C \$505.00

Mailed \$1,215.00

Online Giving \$2,760.00

Coffee Hour \$120.50

Pantry \$100.00

Assumption \$125.00

Thank you for your continued generosity! Gracias por su generosidad.