

From the Pastor

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

“They that hope in the Lord will renew their strength, they will soar as with eagles’ wings; they will run and not grow weary, walk and not grow faint.” (Isaiah 40:31)

Last Sunday’s Holy Communion distribution was very moving for me. I saw individuals crying as they received the Lord. For over two months, they have been starving for the Eucharistic Jesus. It was a great comfort for all of us. It went very well. Thank you for your help and cooperation.



This Pentecost Sunday, we are so joyful and grateful to reopen our parish Church and be able to celebrate the Holy Mass with our congregation. Our goal is towards full restoration of the parish life. But we will do it with PRUDENCE. We hope to balance our spiritual needs vs our physical well being.

As we move forward, we ask you dear parishioners to keep in mind the following:

There is gradual progress of everything and may at times be imperfect. I ask you to be understanding and patient with your Priests, Parish Staff and Volunteers and even among yourselves.

The general dispensation for Sunday Mass obligation continues indefinitely.

Parishioners who are over the age of 65, vulnerable (with secondary health issues) or caring for someone at home with these circumstances, should stay home. Also, those who are ill in anyway, must refrain from coming on parish property.

Due to social distancing requirements, attendance will be limited. We will only accommodate 1/3 seating capacity of our church and our parish hall as well.

Most importantly, even with all precautionary measures taking place, **it is very important for individuals and families to take personal responsibility** by adhering to social distancing guidelines and by following CDC protocols for hand washing and hand sanitizer use, as well as wearing masks or face coverings while in public. The risk is always there. You must do your part.

We have observed that all efforts made locally and around the nation to help flatten the curve of this pandemic have been working. If we take religiously the need to continue hand washing, maintain physical distancing, staying home when not feeling well and implementing other precautions, we hope to avoid a possible rebound of COVID-19. The last thing we want to have is a resurgence of the pandemic that would cause more illness and require a reversal of our gradual progress.

So, my dear parishioners, I humbly ask from each of you, please let us act as one. Let us show our love for one another by showing respect and care. If we are one OMOS family, then, we will help and support one another. Let us open our hearts for the Holy Spirit to come and dwell. He brings the fire of love to each one in order to defeat greed, selfishness and indifference.

Let me end with the words of St. Paul, “May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.” *Rom. 15:13*

Serving you in the Lord,

Fr. Arnold Aurillo
Pastor

A Message from Fr. Tom

Brothers and Sisters of OMOS:

You're coming back for Mass! It will be truly wonderful to see you return to church this coming weekend. We have missed seeing your faces: your smiles, your solemn focus as the word of God is proclaimed, your expressions of prayerful peace as you meditate after receiving Communion. We have dearly missed praying with you in person and hearing you sing and speak the Mass responses which show us your faith and love for Jesus! We have been grateful for your presence via Facebook livestream each Sunday, but of course, it just hasn't been the same – for any of us!

It was wonderful to see so many of you for Holy Communion in the parking lot last Sunday after you prayed along with a video Mass. But even that is no substitute for “being there” live with the faith community. As we finally welcome you back to Mass, although there are new guidelines we have to follow for the time being, it will be hard to contain our excitement! Please pray that I don't lose my voice after just one or two Masses this Sunday, especially since Fr. Arnold and I will have four apiece. We have a lot to celebrate this weekend!

And how fitting that this Sunday we celebrate the birthday of the Catholic Church - with the outpouring of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost! This Sunday we will hear of the Pentecost event itself in the first reading: from the book of Acts, chapter 2. Pentecost is actually a fulfillment of the promises which Jesus made to the disciples. He assured them and reassured them (in John, chapters 14-16) that He would send the Holy Spirit, the Spirit of Truth, to remain with his followers. Our Gospel reading is from John chapter 20, the immediate post-Resurrection event when Jesus encounters the disciples in the Upper Room and breathes the Spirit upon them. It is this Spirit of Christ who enabled the early disciples (and us!) to work great miracles and to testify to the Truth.

So, my friends, let's allow the Holy Spirit free reign in our minds and hearts. We are finally coming back to Mass! We embrace this great gift, and with it the greatest gift of all, the Holy Eucharist, with profound gratitude and joy. Let's share this gratitude and joy with everyone we encounter, and so let the Holy Spirit enter into the hearts of those who don't yet know Jesus! Amen!

Yours in Jesus through Mary,
Fr. Tom



Christian Education / Formation

Scripture Reflection

Holy Spirit Prayer



Veni, Sancte Spiritus

Come, Holy Spirit, come!
 And from your celestial home
 Shed a ray of light divine!
 Come, Father of the poor!
 Come, source of all our store!
 Come, within our bosoms shine.
 You, of comforters the best;
 You, the soul's most welcome guest;
 Sweet refreshment here below;
 In our labor, rest most sweet;
 Grateful coolness in the heat;
 Solace in the midst of woe.
 O most blessed Light divine,
 Shine within these hearts of yours,
 And our inmost being fill!
 Where you are not, we have naught,
 Nothing good in deed or thought,
 Nothing free from taint of ill.
 Heal our wounds, our strength renew;
 On our dryness pour your dew;
 Wash the strains of guilt away;
 Bend the stubborn heart and will;
 Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
 Guide the steps that go astray.
 On the faithful, who adore
 And confess you, evermore
 In your sevenfold gift descend;
 Give them virtue's sure reward;
 Give them your salvation, Lord;
 Give them joys that never end. Amen.
 Alleluia.

Pentecost Sunday, May 31, 2020

Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23

Happy birthday! Are you confused? I don't blame you. We don't often think of Pentecost as the birthday of the Christian Church. But it was during the Jewish feast of Weeks that the Holy Spirit descended on the Apostles. This was the time that their voices went beyond describing the experiences they had with Jesus during His ministry. Their Spirit-filled words revealed the meaning of what God did through the Pascal mystery.

Are we ready to receive the Spirit and proclaim the Gospel in word and deed? I know I am. This drought of public Masses and Eucharist has lit a new fire in me. How about you?



**The office will be CLOSED
 to the public
 until at least June 15th**

**We will be available by phone at
 (520)747-1321 or email at
 omos@omosparish.org**

**You are welcome to drop off any correspondence
 in the parish office mailbox**

We apologize for the inconvenience

Confessions Available by Appointment

If you wish to receive the sacrament of Confession, Fr. Arnold and Fr. Tom will be available by appointment. Please call 747-1321 to make an appointment.

Liturgy & Worship

Liturgy At A Glance!

Lyn Bulski at 305-3612 or Lbulski@omosparish.org

Priest Confession Schedule

By Appointment: Call 747-1321

Pray For Those Who Seek Healing:

Bridget, Rosie,
Sean Patrick



Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14;
Ps 87:1-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2-4, 10, 14,
16;
Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2;
Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14;
Mk 12:28-34

Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17; Ps 119:157, 160, 161,
165,
166, 168; 1-6; Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17,
22;
Mk 12:38-44

Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52-55;
2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

Eucharistic Adoration

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the Cenacle Chapel from 7am-7pm Tuesday through Sunday.

Only seats for 10 people are available. Please sign-up ahead of time in the book near the chapel.



"Jesus has made Himself the Bread of Life to give us life. Night and day, He is there. If you really want to grow in love, come back to the Eucharist, come back to that Adoration."

~ Mother Teresa

WHEN MASS RESUMES:

Per Bishop Weisenburger:

Those over the age of 65 or any vulnerable adult are still excused from their Sunday obligation.

Children are still not expected to participate so we will not be having altar servers or children's choirs.

All liturgical ministers must wear masks. Cantors and lectors will remove theirs for singing and proclaiming.

Assembly members are **STRONGLY** encouraged to wear masks.

Church doors will be propped open and hand sanitizers are available at all entrances.

24 hour disinfectant will be applied before Mass on Saturday and Sunday mornings.

All missals and songbooks have been removed from the pews.

The collection baskets will not be passed but there will be one stationary basket in which parishioners can put their envelopes as they enter the church.

The gifts of bread and wine will already be on the altar and not brought up in procession.

Pews will be marked for 6ft social distancing except in the cases of family seating.

We will follow our regular weekend Mass schedule:

5:30pm on Saturday. 7am, 9am, 10:45am, 12:30pm, 4pm and 6pm on Sunday

200 people may participate in any given Mass. Others will be invited to the parish hall for a concurrent Mass. The exception will be the physically handicapped or hearing impaired who will be allowed into the church.

Entry into the church will be from the main two doors only. The other doors will not be accessible. This is in order to keep track of how many people enter the church.

We will not be offering the Precious Blood.

Communicants should receive the Host in their hands.

EMEs should not make contact when distributing the Host but respectfully and gently "drop" the Host into the communicants hand.

The Sign of Peace should be offered without contact and there should not be hand-holding for the Our Father.

Live streaming of Masses will continue our on OMOS Facebook page at 9:00 am and 4:00 pm

Ministerios Hispánicos

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

- Lunes: Gn 3:9-15, 20 o Hch 1:12-14;
Sal 87 (86):1-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34
- Martes: 2 Pe 3:12-15a, 17-18; Sal 90 (89):2-4, 10,
14, 16; Mc 12:13-17
- Miércoles: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Sal 123 (122):1b-2;
Mc 12:18-27
- Jueves: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Sal 25 (24):4-5ab, 8-10, 14;
Mc 12:28-34
- Viernes: 2 Tm 3:10-17; Sal 119 (118):157, 160, 161,
165, 166, 168; 1-6; Mc 12:35-37
- Sábado: 2 Tm 4:1-8; Sal 71 (70):8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17,
22; Mc 12:38-44
- Domingo: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52-55;
2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

En espera de Pentecostés; ¿donde la promesa del padre se cumple!

El evangelista Lucas es muy claro en demostrar en su evangelio que todas las acciones y enseñanzas de Jesús desde el primer día hasta el día en que el fue llevado a los cielos fueron dirigidas por el Espíritu Santo, el mismo por el cual El fue concebido y ungido. Al final del Evangelio de Lucas, Jesús les dice a sus discípulos que el enviara a quien el Padre les prometió y que este los “revestiría de su poder desde lo alto” (*Lucas 24:44-53*).

El mismo Lucas nos muestra en el libro de los hechos de los apóstoles que la Iglesia es empoderada y dirigida por el poder del mismo Espíritu Santo, por el cual la iglesia fue concebida y por el mismo poder dado a los discípulos en su bautismo (*Acts 1:1-5*)

Es entonces una gran bendición y de gran esperanza que en este fin de semana en que la Iglesia universal celebra la solemnidad de Pentecostés estemos regresando a nuestras parroquia donde como cuerpo de Cristo recordaremos los orígenes y nacimiento de nuestra Iglesia y como esta se fortalece al todos reconocer que como los discípulos hemos sido bautizados con el mismo Espíritu que nos da el amor, fuerza y sabiduría para llevar su Evangelio y buscar la Santidad. ¡El mejor don que recibiremos es Cristo mismo que se hace presente en cuerpo, sangre, alma y divinidad en la Santa Eucaristía!!



Christian Life Commission

THE RICHNESS OF THE SPIRIT

Students, and most adults recalling their school days, are familiar with the phrase “compare and contrast” that shows up from time to time on tests. Today we hear two different accounts of the giving of the Holy Spirit to the church. Let’s contrast, then compare. Luke’s account from Acts is filled with arresting details: the mighty wind from heaven, the tongues of flame, the miracle of different languages. John’s account seems timid: fearful disciples, the wounded Christ, the expelling of breath from his risen body, not from the sky. Our literal, modern minds wonder which way it happened; our noisy culture probably makes us prefer the former. But if we compare the two, we find that the dazzling richness of the Spirit fills both accounts, for it is the very breath of the risen Christ, ascended to the sky in Luke, that appears to his disciples in John and sends his followers forth to carry on his mission of forgiving sin and proclaiming the mighty acts of God.

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Come Holy Spirit, Come!

Alleluia! Holy Mass is back!

Precautions continue as we ask you to discern what is prudent for you. It will be different and we are doing our best to minimize risk. Please wear a mask, practice exceptional hygiene and be prepared to social distance. If all goes well, we will be back to our teen center in no time.

Stay Healthy and Holy!

Adoration in the church Tue—Sun 7am—7pm

P R A Y	<p>High School Teens and 8th Graders</p> <p>GREAT NEWS!!!</p> <p><i>We are still meeting via zoom. If you haven't been on a call...join now!!!!</i></p>	P R A Y
P R A Y	<p>Sunday's at 1:30 pm</p> <p>Thursday's at 6:00 pm</p>	P R A Y
P R A Y	<p><i>If you want to join us, email me and I will send you the invite!</i></p> <p><i>Also, check your slack and email regularly...</i></p>	P R A Y
	<p>INCREASE YOUR PRAYER</p> <p>INCREASE YOUR JOY!</p>	

For information regarding Teens please contact : Kim Sisson, ksisson@omosparish.org, 602 677 3064

THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE:

SUNDAY, MAY 31

- 7:00 am - Gene Ackerley+
- 9:00 am - Agnes Boyer+
- 10:45 am - Isaac Zakari+
- 12:30 pm - Jeremy Roberts
- 4:00 pm - William Cocke+
- 6:00 pm - Betty George

MONDAY, JUNE 1

- 6:30 am - Poor Souls in Purgatory
- 8:30 am - Dina Bowen+

TUESDAY, JUNE 2

- 6:30 am - Kiyu Cecil+
- 8:30 am - Lou Strugalla+

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3

- 6:30 am - Estella V. Marquez+
- 8:30 am - Antonio C. Saucedo+
- 6:30 pm - Anointing Mass

THURSDAY, JUNE 4

- 6:30 am - Mariano Cases+
- 8:30 am - Frank Gioco+

FRIDAY, JUNE 5

- 6:30 am - Patricia Cecil
- 8:30 am - Lou Strugalla+

SATURDAY, JUNE 6

- 8:30 am - Lou Strugalla+
- 5:30 pm - Estella V. Marquez+

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

- 7:00 am - Carlos Lopez+ & Calderon Family+
- 9:00 am - Mary Helen Moreno+
- 10:45 am - Benjamina Maez+
- 12:30 pm - Carolina Diehl+
- 4:00 pm - Mariano Ainsa Medina+
- 6:00 pm - Louellen Farrell+

The priests will be celebrating a private daily Mass for the intentions of the day. Your loved ones will be remembered at each Mass.





May 24th, 2020

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