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For helpful information and guidance regarding Infant Baptism, please go to our website www.stbrunochurch.org. We are pleased to assist your family with this first and important Sacrament. If you have questions after reviewing the website, please email Baptism@stbrunochurch.org.



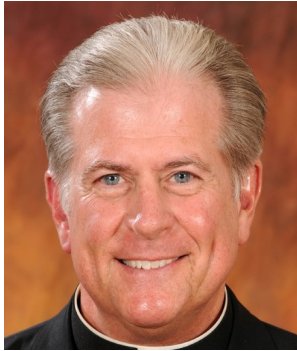
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Gospel Reflections for 4th Sunday of Easter May 8th 2022

We are not sheep!

Jesus mentions sheep in today's Gospel ...*but not for you!*

Everyone then knew sheep were timid and easily frightened. They followed their shepherd closely because they felt helpless and could not defend themselves against wolves. They needed a good shepherd! Well, Jesus is that Good Shepherd who bravely leads His sheep to good food and water, despite nearby wolves. Jesus is our Good Shepherd who is both *courageous* facing danger and *compassionate* to those in need. He will not be frightened away or intimidated from loving for His flock. I like that image better!

When Jesus said to His disciples, "*Follow me,*" He did not mean for you to follow Him as timid sheep might follow a strong shepherd. He actually meant for you to follow Him ...***as the Shepherd!*** Jesus does not call you *to be timid sheep* ...He calls you *to be brave shepherds!* It is the virtues of the Good Shepherd that you imitate, not the sheep!

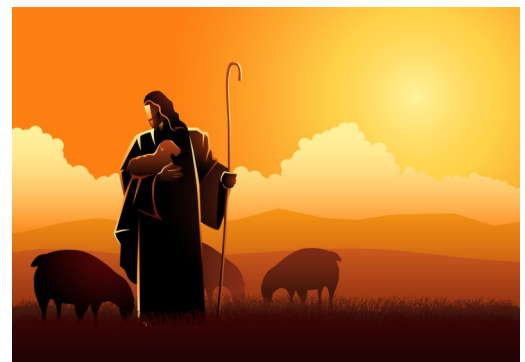
You are often in a position of influence over others in some way, whether it's your family, friends, neighbors, social media contacts, or fellow employees. Think how they will feel if they sense you always have their best interests at heart, and will *courageously* defend them from bad things and *compassionately* tend to their needs, and *lead* them to good things. They will *want* to follow you! Think how wonderful you will feel when people tell you how grateful they are for your leadership.

This Sunday we celebrate Mother's Day and ask God's blessings on our mothers, living or not, who have been a wise shepherd in our life in important ways.

I remember many years ago I had a falling out with my own twin brother. Our mother never took sides in our argument, but would end every conversation with the simple phrase, "*Have you talked with your brother.*" That simple phrase led to a reconciliation that we are both grateful for. Our mother exercised family leadership in a wonderful way.

I hope you have a wise, courageous, and compassionate shepherd in your life helping you stay connected to Our Lord. I also hope that you might also be that wise shepherd helping others on the same path. This Gospel was written to inspire you to be that person.

Following Jesus means *being a shepherd, not sheep*. Let us fulfill our calling to be *good shepherds!*



God bless!

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ST. BRUNO PRESENTS

SPRING FEST

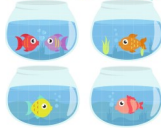
WHITTIER'S LARGEST FAMILY GATHERING

MAY 20, 21, 22, 2022

FREE ADMISSION

Great Food, Drinks, Games, & Rides for the entire family

For more information, please call the Parish Center ext. 114

Spring Fest Tickets will go on sale Monday, May 9th

Pre-sale ride tickets - 10 tickets for \$25 on sale until they sell out or Friday, May 20th at 3 PM. Food & game tickets for all booths \$20 (20, \$1 tickets) sold in the parish center and are available all weekend on the Spring Fest grounds.

Car Raffle (School fundraiser) \$100 ticket price - Tickets may be purchased at the Parish Center (cash or check only) from 8:00 AM to 7:30 PM, Monday - Friday. Also can be purchased on the patio after weekend Masses.



Tickets will be distributed after all the Masses this weekend and will also be available in the Parish Center!

Grand Prize \$10,000 • 2nd Place \$1,000 • 3rd Place \$500



Contribute to our Annual Parish Fundraiser by supporting your Parish. The tickets are \$2.00 each and available in books of 25. For every \$350 in raffle tickets sold you may designate one individual to receive a wristband for unlimited rides for the weekend. You must turn in all \$350 in cash/check along with the raffle tickets to the parish center, with the individual who is to receive the wristband clearly stated on the envelope. The deadline for this incentive is Monday, May 16th at 5:00 PM.

St. Vincent de Paul Society The Country Kitchen - We are asking for your help by donating baked goods to the Country Kitchen Booth (cakes, cupcakes, cookies, pies, brownies, cheesecakes). Please bring your baked goods to the parish center Thursday evening, May 19th or anytime Friday - Sunday after 10:00 AM to the Hall. Thank you for your support.



The Cake Walk - We need cakes, they can be store bought or home made. Please bring all cakes to the Parish Center starting the evening of Thursday, May 17. We will accept cakes every day of the Spring Fest. Thank you!

If you would like to participate or need additional information, please contact Cor Meijerink 562-686-3549, Oran Medina 562-407-4419, Rudy Kurianski 562-965-5548 or Rodger Romero 562-505-6041.

ST. BRUNO EVENTS

Catholic Men's Fellowship

Discussion Meeting: Wednesday, May 18th, from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM in the Parish Center.

Speaker Meeting: Our next meeting will be Saturday, June 4th, after the 8:00 AM Mass until 10:30 AM.

For further information, call Dave Zofrea at 562-221-2544.



Public Rosary Prayer

The Daughters of Mary (DOM) on the 13th of each Month at 6:30 PM will be saying a Public Rosary in front of the Statue of Our Lady in the Church courtyard.



**On the feast of Our Lady of Fatima, please join us on Friday, May 13th at 6:30 PM
Everyone's Invited!!**

Monthly Food Drive

Next Weekend

The St. Bruno's parish community will be collecting food for the food banks of our area. Please bring non-perishable food items to the containers at the Church doors or Rectory Garage. *Thank you for your generosity!*



AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA

There will be a Rosary Rally on Saturday, May 14th at 12 PM. It will be located in La Habra, on the northwest corner of Imperial Hwy. and Beach Blvd. by Tommy's Burgers. (plenty of parking) All are Welcome!

Bereavement Support Group

On Saturday, June 11, we will conduct a mini bereavement session for those who are struggling with the death of a loved one. If you need help going through your grief journey, we can help. Please call Cathy at 562-631-8844 with questions or to reserve a spot. Deadline is June 7, so enough copies will be available. If you can't make it on June 11th, St. Mary's will offer this support group Saturday, June 4th also 9 AM - 12 PM. Please RSVP by June 1 for St. Mary's.

Cardinal McIntyre Fund for Charity This weekend

Here's hope since 1951 for those in crisis situations throughout the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Your contribution goes directly towards emergency needs for children, adults, and families. You are their hope! Your gift provides a one-time emergency help for food, utilities, transportation, medical, housing or funeral expenses. Envelopes are located in the pews.

We walked TOGETHER IN HARMONY
(Psalm 55:14) in the house of God

VIRTUS CLASS (Spring Fest)

A "Protecting God's Children" class for adults (18 y/o and above), has been scheduled **Thursday May 12th at 6:30 PM** in the Parish Hall.

This 3-hour class will enable Spring Fest volunteers and others to be certified or recertified for four years. Attendance is limited to 50 individuals; to reserve a place please call the Parish Office 562-947-5637.

"Four For Our Faith" Weekly Giving Initiative

Sunday Collection	5/1	\$15,441
Weekly Online Giving		6,561
Total Contributions		\$22,002

Thank you for your generosity!

Together in Mission 2022

As One We Believe

Parish Goal: \$92,461

Amount Pledged: \$31,418

Amount Paid: \$24,635



Please continue to help us reach our 2022 goal. Consider completing your pledge if you have not already done so. How to make a gift? Visit togetherinmission.org/ give, call 213-637-7672, text believe to 213-397-0682 or scan QR code.



God Bless you for your generosity!

The National Men's March

YOU ARE NEEDED! – Participate in The National Men's March to End Abortion and Rally for Personhood – Saturday, June 11th (weekend before Father's Day), 12-3pm in Tallahassee, FL!

Stay tuned to the Friday edition of The Simple Truth on The Station of the Cross 1-2 PM (PT) to keep current on The Men's March and much more. You can listen live or via podcast on the [iCatholicRadio mobile app](#) or watch on [The Simple Truth FB Page](#) or the [Jim Havens YouTube Channel](#).

More information and updates at themensmarch.com or text MENS MARCH TO 22828

KEEPING OUR PROMISE
TO PROTECT
Child and Youth Protection



Safeguard the Children

DID YOU KNOW?

Know who to call in California

If you suspect a child is being abused, it is important to know who to call with your information. In California, the agency that handles child abuse tips is the Department of Social Services — Division of Children and Family Services. Anyone who suspects abuse can call this department, local law enforcement agencies, or the California hotline at 916-445-2771. For more information, please visit https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/Abuse_Reporting.cfm#CA.

For these we pray:

Margaret Baies, Catalina Barrios, Lisa Bea, Donald Best, Gloria Candelaria, Rita Casacchia, Becky Cleary, Anna Contreras, Silvia Delgadillo, Richard Diaz, Dick Floyd, Cindy & Isaac Fresquez, Joel Garcia, Mikaela Garcia, Rafaela Gonzalez & Maria, Peggy Gumato, Wendy Willoughby Hunyady, Enrique Marin, Marina Marin, Gloria Marquez, Barbara Martellino, Pat Martin, Raul Martinez, Virginia Orejana, Henry Ortega, Mary Pascoe, Nikki Pearce, Francis Pineda, Louie Perez, Adrian Ramirez, David Raphaelian, Robin Raphaelian, Hibert Razon, Barbara Recchia, Arthur Rodriguez & Family, George & Mary Reyes, Maureen Ruane, Michael Schiada II, Rose Marie Valdez, Martin Velasco, Ida Villa, Mike Welsh and un-born babies.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY • May 9, 2022

6:30 am — Mother's Day Novena
Intention of Jacinta Tran

TUESDAY • May 10, 2022

8:00 am — Mother's Day Novena
John Murray, R.I.P.

WEDNESDAY • May 11, 2022

6:30 am — Mother's Day Novena
Danny Guerrero , R.I.P.

THURSDAY • May 12, 2022

8:00 am — Mother's Day Novena
Mary T. Scheck, R.I.P.

FRIDAY • May 13, 2022

6:30 am — Mother's Day Novena
Intention of Gary Maleski

SATURDAY • May 14, 2022

8:00 am — Mother's Day Novena
John McCarthy, R.I.P.
5:30 pm — Intention of Anette Braun

SUNDAY • May 15, 2022

7:30 am — Barbara Lawrence, R.I.P.
9:00 am — Mother's Day Novena
10:30 am — Jackie Martin, R.I.P.
12:00 pm — Lorinda Garcia, R.I.P.
5:30 pm — Mass for the people of St. Bruno Parish