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Infant Baptism

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.



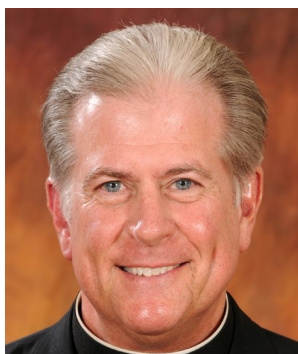
Places Where You Can Belong

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| MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION | Elizabeth Robins, 947-7377 |
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Gospel Reflections 19th Sunday August 7th 2022

Surprise return!

How would you feel if you knew that Our Lord was coming for your life right now? Nervous? Anxious? Surprised?

Is there anything you would do different? This Gospel is not meant to cause fear but rather to instill greater confidence and peace. Recognizing you will not live forever helps you to value the days you are alive now and value your

family and friends even more.

Jesus tells the story of a master and servant, and the master's sudden return home, a clear reminder that your life may come to a sudden end you may not expect.

This is a timely Gospel! I am sure all the innocent victims in Uvalde, Texas, or other tragic mass shootings did not expect any of these events when they started their day.

We are grateful for those students who made it out alive, and our prayers continue for those who did not, along with prayers for their family and friends.

From Satan's temptation of Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden, we know we still live in a world where there are deeply sinful and selfish people who put their needs over others. However, their selfishness must never tempt you to change the path of Christ you have chosen, which must always be a path of love.

Each day you have important family routines, household chores, job expectations, and friendships to maintain. If you are especially organized you might make priority lists each day for the tasks you want done and in the right order.

Recent tragic events and today's Gospel invite you add several key ideas to your list every day.

You always want to keep your relationship with God *current and on a daily basis*. Talk with Him every day and especially *throughout the day*. You should always take care of your relationships with your loved ones too. *Never let a day go by where you do not express your love to them*.

Finally, you should never let any sinful and selfish people, like mass shooters, change your commitment to love always. Those people have chosen their sinful and selfish path. You must daily choose your path of love no matter what others may do.

If your path is about love every day, then you will greatly enjoy your life now, and greet the coming of Our Lord at the end of your time with confidence, peace, and joy. No surprises there!



God bless!

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ST. BRUNO NEWS

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church?

The **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** is a journey that welcomes and prepares new members into our Church. RCIA is intended to serve the un-baptized or baptized individuals that have never received any Christian instruction.

RCIA will start on Tuesday, September 20th at 7 PM. If you or someone you know is interested in this journey of faith, or just have questions, please call Deacon Gabe & Maria Saavedra at 562-947-5637 x122.

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life". John 3:16



Bible Study—Philippians

Do you know that the Designer and Creator of humanity has given us an owner's manual for our lives? It is Holy Scripture—the Holy Bible. Reading and studying Scripture enables you to live the extraordinary and joyful life that God has planned for you. Join us starting Thursday, August 18, from 7:00 - 8:30 PM, in the Parish Center for a six-part Bible Study - Philippians: New Life in Christ. For information and to register contact Blaise Mikkelson at mikkelsonb@yahoo.com. Cost is \$10 for the study guide.

Praying with Scripture

If you would like to deepen your relationship with God through prayer with scripture, please come join us weekly for a 6-week series with the Explosive Gospel on Thursday evenings, beginning September 29th and ending November 3rd, from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. We will be meeting in St. Lucy's Room at the Parish Center. There is no cost, but registration is appreciated. Contact Monica Radel to register: 562-631-6708 or email mmrads6@yahoo.com.



Archdiocesan Eucharistic Congress

Join Archbishop José H. Gomez to hear the Gospel of Jesus Christ, pray and worship (English and Spanish)

Mass - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - Music Presentations by Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Fr. Agustino Torres, CFR, Chris Stefanick & more

Saturday, August 13

9:00 AM – 5:30 PM

Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels

555 W Temple St

Los Angeles, CA 90012

For more information and to register go to

lacatholics.org/eucharist

*Boxed lunches will be available for purchase when registering.



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Monday, August 15

This year, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary falls on a Monday and is **not** observed as a holy day of obligation.

"Four For Our Faith" Weekly Giving Initiative

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| Sunday Collection 7/31 | \$12,461 |
| Weekly Online Giving | <u>6,548</u> |
| Total Contributions | \$19,009 |

Thank you for your generosity!

ST. BRUNO EVENTS

Catholic Men's Fellowship

Discussion Meeting: Wednesday, August 17th from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM in the Parish Center.

Speaker Meeting: Our next meeting will be Saturday, September 3rd, after the 8:00 AM Mass until 10:30 AM.

For further information, call Dave Zofrea at 562-221-2544. All men are welcome.



Together in Mission 2022



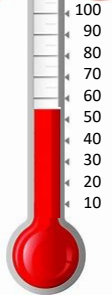
As One We Believe

Parish Goal: \$92,461

Amount Pledged: \$51,139

Amount Paid: \$45,170

\$92,461



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!



Eagles Wings

Support for those with a life-changing illness.

Each week starts a new topic that inspires conversation. You will have time to take a fresh look at how your illness affects you physically, emotionally, and spiritually in your everyday life. God's love and grace will offer you peace. We meet in a comfortable setting **every Thursday from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM in the Parish Center**. For more information, please contact Monica Radel at 562-631-6708.

Public Rosary Prayer

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

**Saturday, August 13th at 6:30 PM,
Everyone's Invited!**



St. Bruno Prayer Community

The St. Bruno Parish Prayer Community meets every Wednesday from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM in the St. Lucy room within our Parish Center. All are welcome to join us and help us pray for all our parish, community, national and worldly needs.

You can submit prayer intentions by calling the Prayer Community, MaryAnn DiPinto at 562-943-7645.



The Legion of Mary

The Blessed Mother is looking for men and women willing to work with her doing Evangelization, teaching CCD, Pilgrim Virgin visitation and visiting the sick to name a few.

Are you qualified?...yes! All you need is a desire to grow in your faith with willingness to sacrifice 2% of your time every week.

Please come and visit us in the St. Michael room. We meet every Tuesday 6:30 - 8:00 PM.

Please contact Martha Olivas at 562-413-4645.



**AMERICA NEEDS
FATIMA**

We Invite you to a Rosary Rally on **Saturday, August 13th 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!

Celebration of the 100 Years

The celebration of the 100 Years of the Redemptorist Ministry to Greater Whittier will take place at St. Mary of the Assumption on Saturday, August 13, 2022. Mass is at 5:00 PM and a buffet dinner will be held at 6:45 PM in Smith Hall.

Tickets are available. Call Secretary at 562-698-0107.

Many of us at St. Bruno attended St. Mary School.

“OTHER THAN QUAKERS” PART III

LAND DISPUTES AND THE LOS NIETOS ASSISTENCIA - *Our Lady of Perpetual Help*

Visit the exhibit created by Dr. Lorayne Horka. The original story of the first Redemptorist mission in the Greater Whittier area and its involvement in the land disputes arising from the creation of Rancho Los Nietos in 1784.

Opened in JULY

The Whittier Museum (562) 945-3871

Hours open:

Tuesday - Friday 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM & Saturday 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM, Closed Sunday and Monday



Safeguard the Children

DID YOU KNOW?

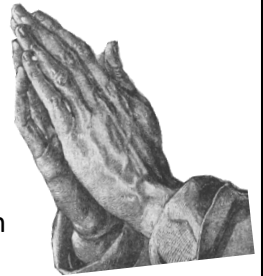
Ways children go missing

According to the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children, there are a few significant ways that children go missing. Nearly half of all families with autistic children have reported that their children wander and have gone missing. Other ways include abduction, either by a stranger or family members, and child sex trafficking. Parents need to be aware of warning signs and know how to take action. For information, request a copy of the VIRTUS® article, “Ways Children Go Missing,” at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

[Read the VIRTUS® article, “Ways Children Go Missing,” here.](#)

For these we pray:

Gustavo Aragon, Larry Arisone, Fr. Jim Bradley, Gloria Candelaria, Rita Casacchia, Becky Cleary, Ciera Dean, Silvia Delgadillo, Jose Estrada, Bob Fremgen, Joel Garcia, Rafaela Gonzalez & Maria, Caroline Granado, Don Horne, Mali Lucci, Georgette Maldonado, Gloria Marquez, Monica Marshall, Barbara Martellino, Pat Martin, Anna Mestaz, Mario Mestaz, Mark Mestaz, Edith Muñoz, Mary Pascoe, David Raphaelian, Robin Raphaelian, Barbara Recchia, Paul Saavedra, Martin Velasco, Mike Welsh, Jerry Wetzstein, Alina Wilker, Fred Winnen and un-born babies.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY • August 8, 2022

6:30 am — James Nolan, R.I.P.
Intention of Alexa Zwickel

TUESDAY • August 9, 2022

8:00 am — Harry Whalen, R.I.P.
Alice Prado, R.I.P.

WEDNESDAY • August 10, 2022

6:30 am — Helen Nolan, R.I.P.
Intention of Sister Mercy

THURSDAY • August 11, 2022

8:00 am — Timothy Jimenez, R.I.P.
Betty Collins, R.I.P.

FRIDAY • August 12, 2022

6:30 am — Intention of Anthony Meruelo
Intention of Jesus Fernandez

SATURDAY • August 13, 2022

8:00 am — Gen Morey, R.I.P.
John Kressin, R.I.P.
5:30 pm — Intention of Annette Braun

SUNDAY • August 14, 2022

7:30 am — Maureen Ruane, R.I.P.
9:00 am — Rogelio Miro-Muller, R.I.P.
10:30 am — Intention of Fr. Jim Bradley
12:00 pm — Mass for the people of St. Bruno Parish
5:30 pm — Victor Marrufo Sr., R.I.P.