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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.



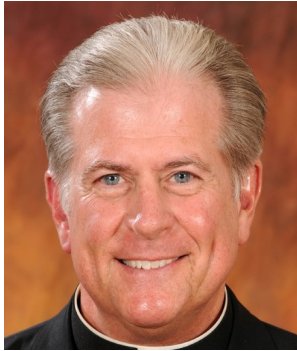
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Gospel Reflections 11th Sunday June 16th 2024

The smallest of seeds becomes...

This Gospel is good news, especially if you need wisdom and strength to face some challenge.

When this Gospel was written, the number of Christians in the whole world was just a few thousand. *It was very small.* There were no parishes, Catholic schools or universities, or any programs at all. There was just the Mass. A lot has happened since then, which is this Gospel's theme.

Jesus knew that the small church in Jerusalem would be like a mustard seed, the smallest of all seeds, that also grows into the largest of all plants. That happened. Within a few generations, most of the Roman Empire joined the Church!

Jesus knew that His mission of salvation would plant itself in people everywhere and blossom into the worldwide Church that Catholicism is today, with over *1.4 billion people ...and still growing.*

He adds the beautiful image of *all kinds of birds of the air find nesting in its branches* meaning that all kinds of people *flying by* or searching for meaning would recognize this is the place where they could land and find a peaceful home. What a perfect image of a parish as Jesus intends it to be!

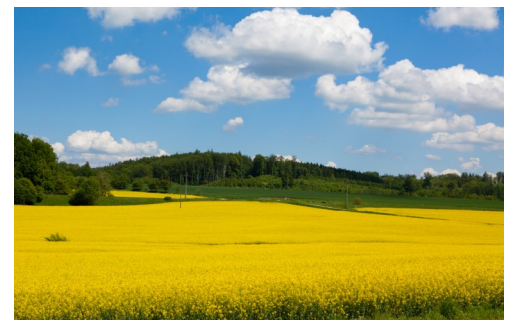
The person of Jesus reaches every culture and person around the world. No one can impact us more deeply than Our Lord, who is from God the Father who created us all.

The mission of every parish today is to be that place where you meet the Lord, no matter what your situation, and find a meaningful and peaceful home in His arms.

When the doors open for Mass, all kinds of people come in ...long time devout Catholics, people who know little of our faith, people returning after a long absence, and even skeptics.

I wrote a two-page card in the pews called, *What Happens at Mass.* You are welcome to read it, or even take it home for future reference. We can easily replace them. I hope it can help all kinds of people be on the same page about the Mass. That is what grew the Church, just as Our Lord intended.

Today is Father's Day. We remember the example of Joseph, who provided a peaceful home for Mary and Jesus. The Church that Jesus founded is our home where we find the wisdom and strength to face every challenge.



God bless!

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ST. BRUNO NEWS

WAYS TO GIVE

I hope you will join me in making this important resource for our St. Bruno families happen!

In our Catholic faith, money is the power to make something good happen. That means helping St. Bruno parishioners meet Our Lord in every sacrament, parish event, or new building project, so your gifts are always and only for that purpose. Here are ways you can help build your new Hall for All. Our Archdiocesan professionals are also ready to help with assistance in Estate Planning and Real Estate gifts for St. Bruno. Our Non-Profit Tax Number is 95-1957493. Your gifts can also be made over a five year period.

DIRECT CASH GIFTS:

You may make your five year pledge by check, credit card, or authorize your bank to make direct deposits to our St. Bruno Church Hall for All. Checks can be dropped at the office, or in the Building Fund envelopes in the Sunday collection.

STOCKS, BONDS, IRA, & ANNUITY GIFTS:

You may also direct these special gifts to St. Bruno Church Hall For All. Your financial advisor can also direct your IRA and various Annuity gifts to support this important project for our parish and school families.

REAL ESTATE PROPERTIES:

These are gifts of a home or other properties that you would like to donate. Our Archdiocesan Office will assist you with these gifts for our St. Bruno Church Hall for All. Contact Michael Davitt at mtdavitt@la-archdiocese.org to establish your gift.

ESTATE PLANNING:

These are gifts donated according to your wishes about how your estate will be dispersed, such as in a Charitable Remainder Trust. Our Archdiocesan Office will assist you with these gifts for our St. Bruno Church Hall for All. Contact Karen Dunphy at kdunphy@la-archdiocese.org for your gift.

Your donations, by law, can only be used for the purpose for which you give them. They are sacred gifts for the mission of St. Bruno Church and School. For a fuller understanding of how parish and Archdiocesan finances work, please see my article at stbrunochurch.org, and click on Fr. Dave's Articles.

Please always feel free to contact me with any questions.

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 310-749-6184 cell

Monthly Food Drive

This 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!



Town Hall Q & A

Fr. Dave will be present after every Sunday noon Mass in the Church for a general Town Hall Q & A session on any question you might have on any topic.

Have you remembered the HALL in your Will or Trust?



To set up your gift, please contact Karen Dunphy at 213-637-7510 or Kdunphy@la-archdiocese.org

"Four For Our Faith" Weekly Giving Initiative

Sunday Collection 6/9	\$13,587
Weekly Online Giving	<u>7,033</u>
Total Contributions	\$20,620

Thank you for your generosity!

For a Balanced Budget (includes Modest Growth) for FY 2023/2024 = Need \$20,500/week.

ST. BRUNO EVENTS

Catholic Men's Fellowship

Speaker Meeting: Our next meeting will be Saturday, **July 6th.** after the 8:00 AM Mass until 10:30 AM. All men are welcome.

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

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



Adult Confirmation for Busy People

If you are an adult (18+) who has not been Confirmed or if you know someone who wishes Confirmation, check out our website stbrunochurch.org. Act now! Online registration opens July 1st for bi-monthly Monday evening classes, September 2024 through March 2025. With St. Bruno Confirmation Mass in April, newly confirmed adults are eligible for Godparent and meet expectations for marriage in the Catholic Church. Questions, call 562-947-5637 or email deaconmike@stbrunochurch.org.

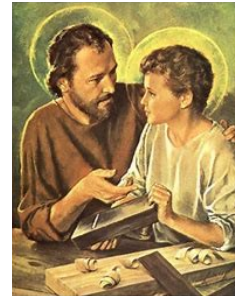
St. Vincent de Paul

Bundle Sunday - July 7th

The St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Sunday truck will be here on July 7th in the parish parking lot from 8 AM to 2 PM. We need your support! Remember to bring any useable items that will help the needy. For large items including furniture, appliances, and vehicles, please call 323-224-6280 or 800-974-3571 for home pickups.



Happy Father's Day



Heavenly Father, you entrusted your Son Jesus, the child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, an earthly father.

Bless all fathers as they care for their families.

Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience;

support them in the work they have to do, protecting those who look to them,

as we look to You for love and salvation, through Jesus Christ our rock and defender,

in union with the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. St. Joseph, Pray for all our Fathers. Amen.

You are still able to enroll your fathers in the Father's Day Novena

Eagle's Wings



Eagle's Wings is a support group for those experiencing a life-changing illness. Our meetings give us the opportunity to connect with others and share what we've lost, gained, and encountered through illness or a chronic condition. Some of our 24 topics include *Coping with Symptoms*, *Where is God*, and *Finding Inspiration*. Our conversations take place in a friendly and confidential atmosphere.

Sickness and suffering doesn't have to be meaningless, how we respond to suffering can make all the difference. Mary walked with Jesus during his suffering. Eagle's Wings is here to walk with you. We meet every Thursday from 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM in the Parish Center.

For more information, please contact Monica Radel at 562-631-6708

**JOIN US AT
CAMP DO GOOD.**

Give Blood.

WELCOME



St. Bruno Catholic Church Blood Drive

Bloodmobile in the parking lot on Sunday, June 23,

8:00 AM to 2:00 PM



RedCrossBlood.org and enter

sponsor code "STBRUNO" OR call 1-800-RED-CROSS



Bulletin Sponsors

July - December 2024

New sponsorship opportunities for the next advertisement cycle begin in July. Support your parish community and the publishing of the bulletin while helping your business altogether. If you are interested, for more details and further information please contact Acro Printing at 562-945-9638.



A place we love to serve our members, and have been since 1957!

Have you heard about Your Parish Credit Union?

Parishioners are eligible to join United Catholics Federal Credit Union.

Call United Catholics FCU at (626)974-4447 to obtain your current quotes or You may apply on-line at

www.unitedcatholicscfu.org

KEEPING OUR PROMISE
TO PROTECT
Child and Youth Protection



Safeguard the Children

DID YOU KNOW?

What most abuse cases have in common

Child sexual abuse happens under varied circumstances, and to victims of all ages. But many cases have two things in common: vulnerability and opportunity. Vulnerability can come in the form of physical weakness in comparison to an abuser, or a power imbalance in a relationship. Abusers often target vulnerable victims through grooming, making them accustomed to increasingly inappropriate behaviors. From there, abusers will take available opportunities — sleepovers, babysitting, chaotic events like parties or festivals — to make their move. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article “Learning from True Stories of Victims/Survivors” at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

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For these we pray:

Jennifer Ackley, Hector Alatorre, Juan Angulo, Mrs. Grace Bertucci, Connie Brewer, Donna Broady, Dennis Calderone, Rita Casacchia, Christopher Castillo, Becky Cleary, Ciera Dean, Clarissa Estrada, Marie G., Silvia Gonzalez, Joe Heredia, Bob Lindgren, Gary Maleski, Anna Mestaz, Mario Mestaz, Mark Mestaz, Veronica Mestaz, Thomas O’Donnel, Peggy Oxford Rivera & family, Nicole Pearce, Raquel Peralga & family, Christina Peterson, Molly Piñeda, John Portela, Dean Ramsay, Rudy Ruiz, Dennis Sanchez, Brett Sanders, De Anne Soto, Ryan Wallace Family, Chuck Zywocienski, and un-born babies.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY • June 17, 2024

6:30 am — Father’s Day Novena
Ismael Mabasa, R.I.P.

TUESDAY • June 18, 2024

8:00 am — Father’s Day Novena
Conching Yu, R.I.P.

WEDNESDAY • June 19, 2024

6:30 am — Father’s Day Novena
Quina Villarreal, R.I.P.

THURSDAY • June 20, 2024

8:00 am — Father’s Day Novena
Myrna Ledesma, R.I.P.

FRIDAY • June 21, 2024

6:30 am — Father’s Day Novena
Intention of Felipe Mendez

SATURDAY • June 22, 2024

8:00 am — Father’s Day Novena
Liz Letz, R.I.P.
5:30 pm — Pedro Lopez, R.I.P.

SUNDAY • June 23, 2024

7:30 am — Father’s Day Novena
9:00 am — Alicia Castro, R.I.P.
10:30 am — Stephen Moraga, R.I.P.
12:00 pm — Frank Liosi, R.I.P.
5:30 pm — Mass for the people of St. Bruno Parish