

**ST. ANASTASIA CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

JULY 21, 2019

Mary sat beside  
the Lord at his feet  
listening to him speak.

LUKE 10:39

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**MASSES:**

**WEEKDAYS: Mon-Fri: 6:30 AM, 8:00 AM**  
**Saturdays: 8:00 AM**

**WEEKENDS: Saturday (Vigil): 5:00 PM**  
**Sunday: 7:30, 9, 10:30 AM, 12 & 7:30 PM**

**HOLY DAYS:**

**HOLY DAY VIGIL MASS: 6:00 PM**  
**HOLY DAY: 6:30 AM, 8:00 AM, & 6:00 PM**

**RECONCILIATION:**

**Wednesday: 6:15 to 6:45 PM**  
**(During the Divine Mercy Devotion)**  
**Saturday: 3:30 - 4:45 PM**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:**

**Every first Saturday of the month**  
**from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM and all**  
**Wednesdays from 6:00 pm to 7:00 PM**

**CHURCH HOURS:**

**OPEN: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and**  
**Friday: 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM**  
**Wednesday: 6:00 AM to 7:00 PM**  
**Saturday: 7:30 AM – Closed after 5:00 PM**  
**Mass.**  
**Sundays: 7:00 AM – Closed after 7:30 PM**  
**Mass**

**DEVOTIONS:**

**MIRACULOUS MEDAL Monday, following the**  
**8:00 AM Mass**

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET Wednesday**  
**6:00 PM**

**ROSARY: Recitation of the Rosary takes place**  
**after every 6:30 and 8:00 AM Mass during the**  
**week, and after the 8:00 am Mass on Saturday.**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Fridays, During**  
**Lent, at 6:00 PM**

This Week: Saturday, July 20th / Sunday, July 21st, 2019  
 16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
 REFLECTIONS ON TODAY'S READINGS:

**FOCUS:** Striking balance in our spiritual journey is a great challenge. The attributes of both Martha and Mary are to be admired and imitated. By sitting at the feet of Jesus, we learn to accept the challenge to be of service to others. Christ remains the one to imitate in our daily interactions with others.

**LITURGY OF THE WORD:** In the first reading, Abraham gladly welcomes three strangers into his home. Saint Paul reminds us that it is always Jesus Christ we proclaim. In the Gospel, Martha and Mary welcome Jesus into their home in different ways.

**LORD HEAR OUR PRAYER ~ For those who are ill, and those in need of our prayers...**

Patricia Hendon  
 Linda Smith  
 Dina Giron  
 Baby Chrislante and  
 Mom Yolande  
 Stuart & Maxine Liebman  
 Mark Yngson  
 Geanne Clark  
 Raul Moran  
 Magally Rollice  
 Kristin Wygal  
 Thomas Brasil  
 Baby Braxton Bjorn Roe  
 Julio Arritola  
 Javier Antunes  
 Robin Hebert  
 Hector Salas  
 Cathey Brunett  
 Victoria Gomez  
 Bob Duron  
 Diane Sortino  
 Angie Alvarado  
 Anastasia White  
 Katherine King  
 Ramon Villafan  
 Vera Romo  
 Maria Castano  
 Gisela Herrera  
 Ana Sofia Prieto  
 Ernesto Hernandez  
 Eduardo Hernandez  
 Ines Hernandez  
 Barbara Degrafenread  
 Daisy Otaño  
 Isabel Otaño  
 Alberto Gonzalez, Jr.  
 Nicole Tredinnick  
 Avery Oppenheimer  
 Richard & Maggie Harris  
 August Wygal  
 Richard Moran  
 Michelle King

Baby Sam Tello  
 Peter Cathcart  
 Jan Semik  
 Roland Adams  
 Severina Dizon  
 Yolanda Wygal  
 Vincent Morigione  
 Vicki Mitsakos  
 Valerie Adamcyk  
 Ursula Bloor  
 Sylvia Yates  
 Steven Wygal  
 Stephane Lempire  
 Seth Brunett  
 Rosado Family  
 Robbie Cole  
 Peggy Tyrrell  
 Paul Stasiak  
 Nuria Lavilla Brau  
 Natalie Nunez  
 Nancy Collins  
 Michlene "Mimi" Hébert  
 Michelle Anaya  
 Melvin Peluchette  
 Mary Ann Kwinn  
 Mark Burnett  
 Marie Briody  
 Manuel Villalobos  
 Lysa Dennehy  
 Lupe Vega  
 Lori Caldwell  
 Lizbeth Taylor  
 Lada Zubrinic  
 Justin Udtana  
 Julie Schiavone  
 Julie Martinez  
 Joyce Lynn Donnellan  
 Josephine Sullivan  
 Joseph Perea  
 Jose A. Anaya  
 Jorden Aponte  
 John Allen

Joel Rivera  
 Joanna Musacchio  
 Jim Tyrrell  
 Jessica Leoni  
 Janet Erike  
 James Dugan  
 India Wygal  
 Ian Maxwell  
 Hector Beltran  
 Hannah & Carl Borgentun  
 Grace Avilez  
 Ging Savares  
 Germaine Wensley  
 Fr. Lancy Pereira  
 Elizabeth Hauser  
 Elaine Fischel  
 Donald "Sunny" Sunderlin  
 Dina Yordy  
 Diana Guerra  
 Deshi Chopra  
 Debbie Atwell  
 Deanna Marie Messier  
 Daniel Cathcart  
 Daisy Lezcano  
 Cynthia McCarthy  
 Cleofas Prieto  
 Christine Houchin & family  
 Charles Keglevich  
 Charles Guerra  
 Carolyn Lispcomb  
 Brandi Hines  
 Beverly Galip Marinelli  
 Bertrina De Rouen  
 Belkis Guerra  
 Beatrice Vasek  
 Barbara Clark  
 Baby Grace Rose Awwad  
 Baby girl Ramsay Sketon  
 Baby Colton Smith  
 Baby Anuli Davis  
 Annette Andelin  
 Amy Harms



**YOUR  
 ATTENTION  
 PLEASE:**

New names to be prayed for, will be added to the top of our first column.

As these names are added, the names at the bottom of the third column will be cycled off.

Call the Parish Office at 310-670-2243 to request a name to be replaced.

Thank you for your cooperation.



**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:**

Birthday ★ Support ♦ Anniversary ♥ Memorial †

**SUNDAY, JULY 21ST, 2019  
 16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**SUN. 07/21**

7:30 AM MARY E. MALLEN ★  
 9:00 AM ANN BISETTI †  
 10:30 AM JUDY SULAITIS †  
 12:00 NN OUGRETHEN BROOKS †  
 7:30 PM ST. ANASTASIA PARISHIONERS

**MON. 07/22**

6:30 AM ROSANNE MAUCH †  
 8:00 AM TERESA JACKSON †

**TUE. 07/23**

6:30 AM ROBERT SCHWARZ †  
 8:00 AM LEON HERNANDEZ †

**WED. 07/24**

6:30 AM SHELTON TIMOTHY LORICK ♦  
 8:00 AM JOEL CASTRO †

**THURS. 07/25**

6:30 AM LINDA SMITH ♦  
 8:00 AM THOMAS BRANDS ♦

**FRI. 07/26**

6:30 AM PATRICIA HENDON ♦  
 8:00 AM PAUL MALLEN ♦

**SAT. 07/27**

8:00 AM SPECIAL INTENTIONS  
 5:00 PM THE NGO FAMILY ♦



**THE NATIONAL NEEDS COMBINED COLLECTION**  
 takes place **THIS week, JULY 20/21st, 2019**  
*Sharing the Good News... Your Generosity*



- ◆ Makes it possible for us to continue strengthening Catholic faith, values and **education through the Catholic Communication Campaign's television, radio, and print messages.**
- ◆ Helps support some of the poorest dioceses in the country that depend on annual collections. Through vital evangelization programs, the Black and Indian Home Mission provides aid to some of the neediest African-American and Native American communities.



- ◆ Enables us to insure the highest standards of quality Catholic education through the Catholic University of America's **exceptional programs of scholarship, research, and service.**
- ◆ Strengthens the Church at home, and helps to provide basic pastoral resources and services to needy ethnic communities in scattered and isolated areas through the Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

Thank you very much for your kindness and generosity.  
 Envelopes are in the pews.

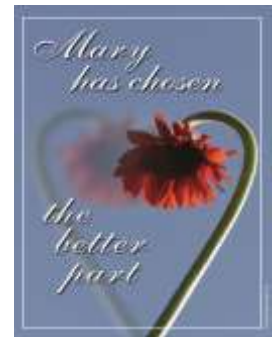
**Together in Mission Annual Appeal 2019**

(Report as of Tuesday, July 9, 2019)

Parish Goal:	\$93,100	
Amount Pledged:	\$80,153	86.1%
Amount Paid:	\$69,670	74.7%

Difference (Under) goal vs. Amount Paid:  
 (\$23,430) -25.2%

We are very thankful for all those of you who have contributed to this worthy cause. Please make sure that you fulfill your promise. And for those of you who have not yet given, there is still time. May God reward your generosity abundantly.



**CONFESSIONS:**

**Wednesday: 6:15 to 6:45 PM**  
**Saturday: 3:30 to 4:45 PM**



**TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION:**

(For those who are sick, hospitalized, or home bound).  
 Please call the parish office. 310.670.2243

**FAMILY VISITATION MINISTRY:**

The Family Visitation Ministry offers spiritual support to those in need. Please call Sr. Teresita at 310-216-2001, or the Church Office at 310-670-2243.

**CHURCH HOURS:**

- ◆ The Church is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 6 AM—6 PM (closing time).
- ◆ On Wednesdays, Divine Mercy is from 6-7 pm. There is Confession from 6:15-6:45 pm. (During Devotion). Church will be closed at 7 pm. (Only on this day.)
- ◆ The Church will be closed on Saturdays after the 5:00 PM Mass.
- ◆ The Church will be closed on Sundays after the 7:30 PM evening Mass.

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:**

**The Parish Office** is open Monday through Friday; from 8:30 am to 4 pm. Phone hours are: 9 am to 3 pm—310-670-2243. Email: parish@st-anastasia.org.

**CELEBRATING OUR FAITH**

~ **Next Week** ~

**Saturday, July 27th &  
 Sunday, July 28th, 2019**



**Masses:**

**Sat: 5:00 PM**  
**Sun: 7:30 AM**  
**Sun: 9:00 AM**  
**Sun: 10:30 AM**  
**Sun: 12:00 PM**  
**Sun: 7:30 PM**

**Celebrants:**

**Fr. Semik**  
**Fr. Semik**  
**Fr. King**  
**Fr. Uche**  
**Msgr. Cox**  
**Fr. Semik**



***We encourage all to read and reflect on the Biblical passages that will be proclaimed at Masses next week***

First Reading -- Abraham bargains with God to spare the city (Genesis 18:20-32).  
 Psalm -- Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me (Psalm 138).  
 Second Reading -- You were buried with Christ in baptism, in which you were also raised with Christ (Colossians 2:12-14).  
 Gospel -- Everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds (Luke 11:1-13).



***Saint Anastasia was born in 281 A.D. and became a perfect symbol of peace, humanity, and solidarity. Her Feast Day is December 25th. She is a symbol of dialogue and collaboration. In her spirit, and in the spirit of love, we welcome all to the Catholic Community of St. Anastasia Catholic Church.***

## Pray the Memorare

Let's pray for the safety of all unborn children. How many Memorares will it take to end abortion in America? Fifty million? Fifty billion? I don't know, so let's get started! Please join us in praying Memorares for the end of abortion. This is a most powerful prayer, and **"this kind can only be cast out by prayer and fasting."** (Mt 17:20) Let's keep track of our prayers, so we will encourage each other to pray more. You can pray the Memorare yourself, or with friends, family, or with your class at school. We'll even pray on the air. And once you've accumulated 100 Memorares, please enter that number onto our "Memorare Meter." Could you pray nine each day? May God bless you and may Our Lady of Guadalupe, Protectress of the Unborn, hear our prayers.



Fr. Rocky - Rev. Francis J. Hoffman, JCD, Executive Director. Please visit: <https://relevantradio.com/pray-the-memorare/>

The Memorare - Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To thee do I come, before thee do I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

## Courtesy ANNOUNCEMENTS

### LMU GRAD STUDENT SEEKS HOUSING:

44yo, single female, full-time (9 units) LMU Theology grad student with a PT position as a Graduate Assistant in the Theological Studies department beginning August 22.  
"Move-in between 08/16 and 08/21 would be ideal, but I am very willing to make adjustments to accommodate any potential landlord. If possible, I'd like to have kitchen privileges, as I can prepare food for myself and most certainly, can assist someone with meal preparation. My total budget is \$650 a month, including utilities, if at all possible. My phone number is (909) 443-0378 and my campus email is [mbaraj9@lion.lmu.edu](mailto:mbaraj9@lion.lmu.edu).  
Please pass on my information to anyone you think could assist me.

The 48th Annual SCRC Catholic Renewal Convention will take place over Labor Day Weekend, August 30-September 1, 2019 at the Anaheim Convention Center & Arena.

**This year's theme is: "Jesus, Hope of the World"**

For brochure/information, contact: [spirit@scrc.org](mailto:spirit@scrc.org) (818)771-1361 - Online Info & Registration: SCRC.ORG SCRC (Southern California Renewal Communities) is an officially commissioned ministry of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles.

**July 25, 2019**, Mass & Healing Service, Fr. George Reynolds; Topic: Spiritual Warfare at 6:30 pm, Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 5011 White Oak Ave, Encino, 91316. Claudia (818) 342-6626

## REMINDER ! St. Anastasia offers:

- **MONDAY:** Miraculous Novena, following the 8 am Mass.
- **TUESDAY-SATURDAY:** Recitation of the Rosary after all Masses, 6:30 and 8 am.
- **1st SATURDAY:** Eucharistic Adoration from 8:30 to 9:30 am.
- **WEDNESDAY EVENING:** 6 pm, Divine Mercy Chaplet and Eucharistic Adoration. **Confession 6:15 - 6:45 pm.**
- **1st WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH:** Men's Morning Hour Group; attends 6:30 am Mass - reflection and discussion follows in Parish Office Conference room.
- **1st THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH:** MOMS - Meets from 10 – 11:30 am. Just come and join.
- **3rd SUNDAY OF THE MONTH:** The St. Joseph Center collection takes place after all Masses. This collection benefits the poorest and needy of the Westside area. Your contributions of cash/non-perishable food are really appreciated.
- **COMPANIONS ON THE JOURNEY:** Come and share your joys and sorrows with Fr. Leszek, the third Thursday of each month from 10 to 11:30 am. Meet in Parish Office Conference Room.
- **Every last Sunday of the month, after all Masses:** the monthly Wedding Anniversary Blessing takes place for couples married during that particular month. All are welcome!
- **CONFESSIONS:** Wednesdays, from 6:15 to 6:45 pm, and Saturdays, from 3:30 to 4:45 pm.

*MINISTRY EQUIPS US TO DEEPEN OUR LOVE FOR GOD AND SHARE OUR FAITH..*

### **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN SOME CASINO FUN?**

*We're headed to Fantasy Springs Casino on Friday, the 13<sup>th</sup> of September. We'll leave St. Anastasia's at 9 AM and return about 7 PM.*

*The cost is \$35 per person, and you will receive \$30 in free slot play, plus a \$5 food coupon and a raffle on the bus. Water on the bus and the driver's tip are included. Please call Laurette at 310-670-2488 for reservations. The deadline is September 1, but don't delay, as this trip will likely fill soon.*

### Did You Know?

#### **Drug use prevention starts at home**

You know it's important to keep your children, especially teenagers, away from drugs, but besides lecturing, how can you impress this importance on your children? Setting an example at home is a great start — watch how you communicate subtle messages about your own **substance use, such as a glass of wine after a "hard day"** or overdoing it on prescription medication. Additionally, talk to your children about drug-related rules in real contexts, like parties. Give them realistic scripts for saying no if friends offer them drugs, so they have real options when the time comes. For more prevention ideas, **get a copy of the VIRTUS® article "Ten Prevention Practices You May Not Have Considered"** at <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.

### **A MINDSET OF SERVICE**

There's a lot of traveling, delivering, and visiting going on in our readings today. In Genesis Abraham cares for the needs of three mysterious travelers. The psalm responds, celebrating the kind of righteousness that Abraham practices. Then, in his letter to the Colossians, Saint Paul describes his own ministry as almost like a delivery service: he, **God's steward, brings the word of God to their community.** Finally, Luke's Gospel shares the well-known story of Mary and Martha, and the different ways they welcome Jesus into their home. Amid all this coming and going, we are invited to pay attention to the ways we tend to the needs of others. Each of us can ask, **How am I present to God and others in my life?**

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HOSPITALITY - Christians should offer their brethren simple and unpretentious hospitality. --St. Basil

FORGIVENESS - To forgive is to set a prisoner free and to discover that the prisoner is me. --Anonymous

### **Fact of Life: The Truth Shall Set the Babies Free?**

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 8, 2019 (LifeSiteNews) – Pro-life lawmakers in Ohio have introduced legislation requiring that **fetal development information be taught in public schools,** with the expectation that more scientific information about prenatal humanity will increase understanding and respect for human life.

House Bill 90, the Humanity of the Unborn Child bill, declares that the "state board of education, in collaboration with the department of health, shall develop an instructional program regarding the humanity of the unborn child," for the purpose of "achieving an abortion-free society."



### ***Faith for Kids***

*Thoroughly wash me from my guilt  
and on my sin cleanse me.  
- Psalm 51:4*



God knows us better than anyone. He knows that we are basically good. Most of the time we are kind and loving and helpful. Eventually, though, we choose to do something hurtful or selfish. We put ourselves above others. We sin. When that happens, **God doesn't want us to give up. He wants us to pick ourselves up and try again.** If we were sorry for our sins, God can wash them away. He can clean our selfish, sinful hearts and make them new again.

*Loving God, I am sorry for my sins.  
Make me clean again.*

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**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

RCIA-Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults and SRE (Sunday School)  
Jonette Mauch: 310.670.2243  
Confirmation:  
Michael Gasparro: 310.670.2243  
Infant Baptism:  
Fred & Esmeralda: 310.679.9119

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Sacrament for the Sick is celebrated upon request of the family. Call the Parish Office 310-670-2243.

**BAPTISM:** Parents and Godparents are required to participate in preparation program. Call the Parish Office 310-670-2243.

**MARRIAGE:** Engaged couples must contact the Office no later than 6 months before their proposed wedding date. Call the Parish Office 310-670-2243.

**R.C.I.A.:** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) - *Becoming Catholics* - Call the Parish Office 310-670-2243.

**FUNERALS:** Call the Parish Office: 310-670-2243.

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

Ministers of the Eucharist  
**Linda Schmidt**..... 397-5691  
Nora Jayne Mallen-to the Home Bound  
.....**670-2243**  
Ministers of the Word  
**Carl Pentis**.....**649-4238**  
**Antoinette Luxford**.....**338-1140**  
Ministers of Hospitality (Ushers)  
Evelio Leon 895-8898  
Courtyard Hospitality  
**Sr. Teresita**..... **216-2001**  
Altar Care  
Rose De Leonardis 645-7175  
Liturgy Committee  
Richard Arias 641-4194  
Altar Server Committee:  
**Herb Masi** .....**641-2819**  
**Maura Reznik**.....**645-6845**  
**Steve Sichi**.....**670-8897**

**Pastoral Team**

Pastor: Fr. Leszek J. Semik  
Priest in Residence:  
Msgr. Gregory A. Cox  
Fr. Innocent Nzewuji  
Fr. Uche Onyekwelu  
Pastor Emeritus:  
Rev. Thomas F. King  
Parish Secretary/Bulletin Editor/  
Sacramental Recorder:  
Aleida Rodriguez  
Director of Religious Education:  
Jonette Mauch  
Director of Music Ministry:  
Chris Roque  
Confirmation Coordinator:  
Michael Gasparro  
Business Manager:  
Fred Balsz  
School Principal:  
Dr. Gavin Colvert  
School Office Manager:  
Louise Lance  
School Office Assistant:  
Linda Schmidt  
School Bookkeeper:  
Pauline Diaz  
Campus Safety:  
Ken Lance  
Maintenance:  
Erik Melchor  
Consultative School Board:  
Todd Dombrowski  
PTO-Parent Teacher Organization:  
**Jessica Wagner & Beth O'Rourke,**  
Presidents  
ADESTE (After School Program)  
Ofelia Jimenez



**PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

Parish Finance Council  
.....Herb Klein..... 670-2243  
Pastor Pastoral Council  
.....Christopher Kaczor 670-2243  
Site Committee  
.....Stefan Politz ..... 337-9534  
**Men's Club**  
.....Chris Turkmany..... 200-8021  
**Knights of Columbus**.....**821-2324**  
Arts and Education  
.....Andy Kozlowski ..... 670-3152

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**PARISH LIFE MINISTRIES**

Funeral Arrangements.....**670-2243**  
Young Adult Ministry  
Nancy Albin..... 927-8891  
Prayer Group  
Lori Mountain ..... 502-9105  
Rosary Ministry  
Rose De Leonardis ..... 645-7175  
**Ben Oakley**... ..... 670-2771  
Respect Life  
Teresa Syta ..... 670-0285  
Safe Guard the Children  
Lisa Scaltrito..... .....670-2243  
Ann Abraham .....670-2243  
St. Joseph Center.  
**Jayne Cram**..... 645-1140  
Homeless Weekend Program/  
**St. Robert's Center**  
Bob & Lori Caldwell..... 823-7417  
**St. Margaret's Center**  
Mary Agnes Erlandson..... 672-2208  
Catholic Charities  
**Cindy Begazo**.....**306-9390**  
Bundles for Babies and Diaper Drive  
Teresa Syta ..... 670-0285  
Nurses Ministry  
Linda S. Absher..... 645-6136  
Ministry for Married Couples  
Jon & Suzette Sornborger... 670-2243  
**Men's Spirituality**  
Joe Berberich ..... 745-7009  
Shad Meshad ..... 568-1065  
**Men's Morning Hour** .....**670-2243**  
MOMS Ministry  
**Kim Chavira**.....**949-370-1455**  
**Maria Reilly**.....**382-7971**  
Bible Study  
Carolyn Godlewski ..... 670-2243  
Social Ministry  
**Laurette Bibeau**.....**670-2488**  
Family Visitation Ministry  
**Sr. Teresita**.....**216-2001**

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING A PRIEST  
OR IN RELIGIOUS LIFE?  
Call the Office for Vocations  
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[www.la-archdiocese.org/org/vocations](http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/vocations)**

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