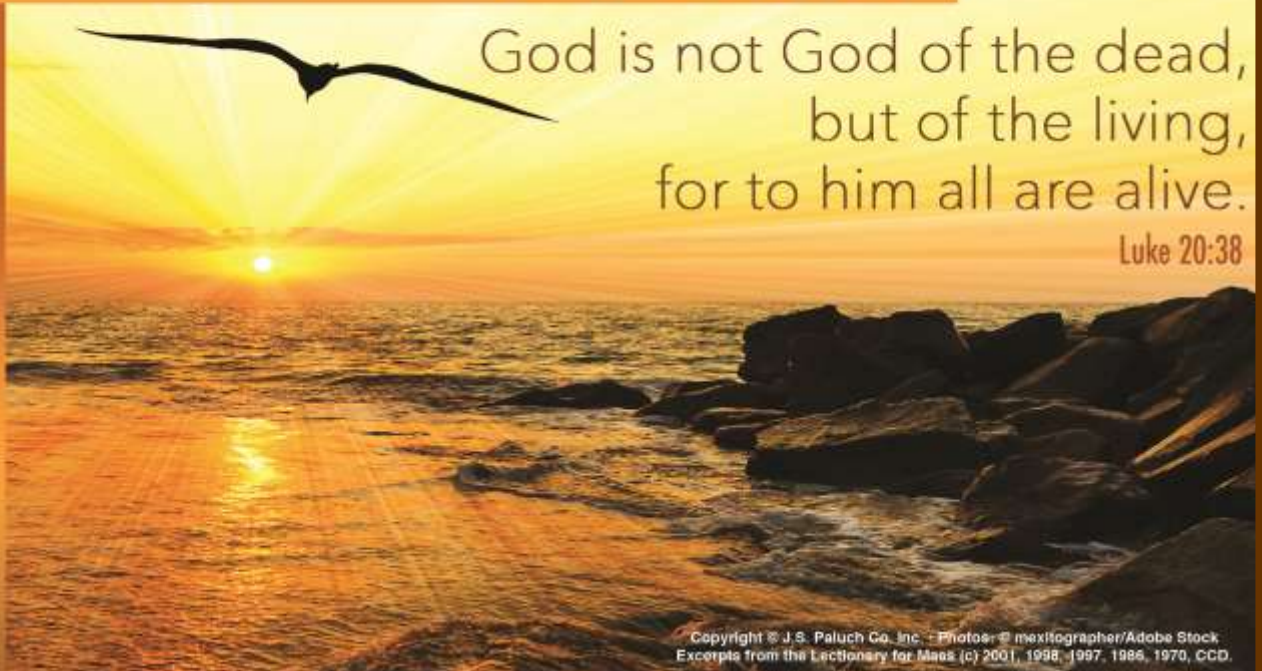


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Thirty-Second **SUNDAY**
IN ORDINARY TIME

November 10, 2019



God is not God of the dead,
but of the living,
for to him all are alive.

Luke 20:38

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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 Satur-
day.

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

THIS WEEK: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH/ SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH, 2019

32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
REFLECTIONS ON TODAY'S READINGS:

FOCUS: The God we worship is the God of the living. In putting Jesus on the spot, the Sadducees were unexpectedly rewarded with a firm declaration of the truth of the Resurrection. By proclaiming God to be the God of the living, Jesus strengthens the resolve of all who place their trust in him and who hope in a share in the eternal life of God.

LITURGY OF THE WORD: Our first reading from Maccabees recalls the bravery of seven brothers and their mother who preferred death to denying their hope in the God of Israel. Saint Paul reminds the Thessalonians of God's fidelity and encourages them to find hope and strength in the Lord. In the Gospel, the Sadducees attempt to put Jesus on the spot on the topic of resurrection.

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

Jeannette Carroll
Gisela Herrera
Jolanta Zylak
Nikodem Zylak
Patrick Wellman
Loren Record
Catherine Macaulay Mallen
Patricia Farina
James Reuter
Cecile Rutkowski
Victor D.
Antonia Alvarado
Theo Hayez
Lupe Vega
Matthew Cook
Diane Sortino
Linda Smith
Dina Giron
Baby Chrislante and
Mom Yolande
Stuart & Maxine Liebman
Mark Yngson
Raul Moran
Magally Rollice
Kristin Wygal
Thomas Brasil
Baby Braxton Bjorn Roe
Julio Arritola
Javier Antunes
Robin Hebert
Cathy Brunett
Victoria Gomez
Bob Duron
Angie Alvarado
Anastasia White
Katherine King
Ramon Villafan
Vera Romo
Maria Castano
Ernesto Hernandez
Eduardo Hernandez
Ines Hernandez
Barbara Degrafenread
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 Morgione
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
Lori Caldwell
Lizbeth Taylor
Lada Zubrinic
Justin Udtana
Julie Schiavone
Julie Martinez
Joyce Lynn Donnellan
Josephine Sullivan

Joseph Perea
Jose A. Anaya
Jordan Aponte
John Allen
Joel Rivera
Joanna Musacchio
Jim Tyrrell
Jessica Leoni
Janet Erike
James Dugan
India Wygal
Ian Maxwell
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
Daisy Lezcano
Cynthia McCarthy
Cleofas Prieto
Christine Houchin & family
Charles Keglevich
Charles Guerra
Carolyn Lispcomb
Brandi Hines
Beverly Galip Marinelli
Belkis Guerra
Beatrice Vasek
Barbara Clark
Baby Grace Rose Awwad
Baby girl Ramsay
Skefon
Baby Colton Smith
Annette Andelin
Amy Harms



YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE:

Our parish community prays for each other and this is our ever-changing prayer list.

It is a way for all of us to support those who are ill or in need of our prayers. New names are added to the beginning of the list, as they are received.

Would you like for our parish community to pray for you or a loved one who is ill or in need?

Call the Parish Office at 310-670-2243 to request names to be added or returned to the list. Thank you for your cooperation.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:

Birthday ★ Support ♦ Anniversary ♥ Memorial †

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 2019
32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN. 11/10
7:30 AM ALL SOULS NOVENA
9:30 AM MSGR. GABRIEL GONZALES (FR. GABE) †
10:30 AM FLOR MADRID ★
12:00 NN CARMELA ATKINS †
7:30 PM ST. ANASTASIA PARISHIONERS ♦

MON. 11/11
6:30 AM ALL SOULS NOVENA
8:00 AM PETER WENNER †

TUE. 11/12
6:30 AM MAUELA NODA †
8:00 AM ALL SOULS NOVENA

WED. 11/13
6:30 AM
8:00 AM

VINNIE MITSAKOS ★
ALL SOULS NOVENA



THURS. 11/14
6:30 AM
8:00 AM

ALL SOULS NOVENA
ANTHONY MONTEAGUDO ★ †

FRI. 11/15
6:30 AM
8:00 AM

ALL SOULS NOVENA
JACK & LUCY THOMPSON † †

SAT. 11/16
8:00 AM
5:00 PM

LIDIA CHAVEZ †
ALL SOULS NOVENA





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.

ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING & REFLECTION

The Season of Advent is soon upon us. Advent is the season of **waiting for Jesus' coming**. During this season we focus on being ready to receive Christ. *We need people, individuals and families to volunteer to participate in this liturgical activity.* Your presence and participation in this activity would be a great blessing.

The sign-up poster is in the Vestibule this weekend.



The St. Anastasia Children's Choir has begun its 2019/2020 season. All children, grades 1 - 4 are welcome to join! Rehearsals are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3pm to 4pm and the choir sings twice a month at the 9am Sunday Mass. We will also sing on Christmas Eve and Easter Sunday. To join, please request and submit a registration form to the Director of Music Ministry, Chris Roque. For any further questions, please email croque@St-Anastasia.org.

Courtesy Announcements

- ◆ **Nov 21, 6:30 p.m. Mass & Healing Service, The Anointing Breaks The Yoke.** Fr. Anthony Thekkanath VC., at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 5011 White Oak Ave, Encino, 91316. Claudia (818) 342-6626.
- ◆ **Torrance Craftsmen's Guild - 50th annual Arts & Crafts Fall Faire.** Nov. 16 & 17, 2019. From 10 am to 4 pm. Torrance Cultural Arts Center. Madrona & Torrance Blvd.



Msgr. Gonzales Scholarship Fund

In honor of Monsignor Gabriel Gonzales, in the month of November, a special collection benefiting the Msgr. Gonzales Scholarship Fund has been designated to help those in need attending St. Anastasia School.

THOSE ENVELOPES ARE PLACED BY THE CHURCH DOORS

A special giving account has been established in the Online Giving Portal to accept credit or debit cards. The web address is:

<http://www.st-anastasia.org/giving/monsignor-gabe-scholarship-fund/>

Contact the **Parish Office at 310-670-2243.**

You can also make a check payable to **St. Anastasia Church** and note **Msgr. Gabe Memorial fund** in the memo.

Mail to: *St. Anastasia Parish,
7390 W. Manchester Ave.,
LA, California 90045.*

Thank you so much for your generosity and continued support.

The Parish Office will be CLOSED on Monday, November 11th to honor Veteran's Day! Masses will be as usual: 6:30 am and 8 am.

REMINDER ! St. Anastasia offers:

- **MONDAY:** Miraculous Novena, following the 8 am Mass.
- **TUESDAY-SATURDAY:** Recitation of the Rosary after all Masses, 6:30,8 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.
- **3rd THURSDAY OF THE MONTH:** 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.

St. Anastasia Men's Club — The Men's Club is a social group for the men in the St. Anastasia community to gather for some fun activities.

The next event is a **Turkey Dinner and Cornhole Tournament in November.**

Want to know more? Check out <https://one.bidpal.net/mensclub1920> for all of the details and online registration. **JOIN IN THE FUN!!**



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

An Invitation to Celebrate

All souls day - November 2nd, 2019

You are invited to bring a framed picture of your loved one that has died during the past year (October 2018 through October 2019). Your picture along with others will be displayed on a Remembrance Table in our Church during the month of November. You may bring your picture to the Church, and place it on the table provided at the side of the Church entrance throughout the month of November.

****PLEASE NO PICTURES LARGER THAN 8 x 10****

Celebrate the Christmas Season with the Social Club

On **Saturday, December 7**, we will be traveling to Citrus College to see their **fabulous production "Christmas Is"**. You will be transported to Storybook Land, as your favorite characters come to life to help Santa Claus demonstrate the true meaning of Christmas! Before the show, we will stop for lunch at the Hometown Buffet. **The \$79 price includes the bus, lunch, show, and gratuities.** We will be leaving **St Anastasia's Church at 10:30 AM and will return about 5:30 PM.** Call Laurette now at 310-670-2488 to reserve your space.

Learn First Aid Training to respond to sudden illness or injury. First Aid Training includes responses for seizure, stroke, allergic reaction, burns, bleeding and more. First Aid is \$35 per person, Thurs., Nov. 14th from 6:30pm-9:30pm, in the Parish Hall. Email GuidryFamily08@gmail.com or mnoji.rightcourses@att.net for signup info. Certifications available for an additional fee.

Did You Know?

Understanding the deception tactics of abusers

Sex abusers are out to deceive everyone around them. And for many people, **it's hard to acknowledge the reality that predators are among us, and, are often the last people we expect.** Many abusers utilize trusted positions in the community — coaches, teachers, organization leaders — to find and groom victims, and they count on the esteem of their positions to excuse them from any suspicion. Understanding the layers of deception utilized by an abuser helps us have a better handle on recognizing red flags and signs of potential abuse. For more information on "How Offenders Can Mislead," read the VIRTUS® article at <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.

Fact of Life

Did you know that more than 360 young women using the patch, contraceptive ring or Yaz/Yasmin pills have died in recent years due to heart attacks, strokes or pulmonary embolisms associated with these drugs and devices? The World Health Organization declared that the estrogen in contraceptives can cause cancer in humans. **See "Life Matters: Contraceptives and Women's Well-Being".** www.usccb.org/prolife.

The Holy Land Sisters are visiting St. Anastasia TODAY;

Saturday/Sunday, November 9/10th.

This week, we welcome representatives of the Christian Catholic families in the Holy Land and Jerusalem. As you know, with the war going on in that region, many families have lost their jobs and are now unable to support their families. So for a living they have started carving olive wood to sell to tourist who came to the Holy Land. However, in recent times, the amount of tourists heading to the Holy Land has declined. The difficult circumstances have made many families flee and start a new life somewhere else. The number of families have now decreased from 60% to 2%. This is why we have invited them to bring their olive wood from the Holy Land here in hope of supporting their families, providing necessities for their children. All the funds made here today will go directly to families. So please if you can, find it somewhere in your hearts to stop by their display and support their cause. Thank you and God Bless you!!

Please be ready to support them!

Notre Dame Academy Open House Saturday, November 16, 2019

All middle-school families are welcome.

10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m. or 1:00 p.m. start times

Reservations Required

(310) 839-5289 x213 or mwhite@ndala.com

Our Open House is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about Notre Dame Academy! This year, you can customize your Open House experience and select a convenient start time for your family! Learn more about Notre Dame Academy and explore the campus. Tour the school, meet Queen's Council members, see faculty members in action, watch a drama performance, and learn about our Regal Gryphon athletic teams. Students, faculty, and parents will be available to answer your questions.



Faith for Kids

I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing! - Luke 12:49
Have you ever been in a dark room



and someone suddenly turns on a bright light? Even though you know the light is good, it can feel like too much at first. You might want to shut your eyes or turn away. Jesus' love is like that. It's blazing and powerful beyond what we can imagine. But we live in a world darkened by sin. So Jesus' incredible love can seem like too much at first. Once we adjust, by turning away from sin, we start to really enjoy the power, goodness and warmth of our Lord's great love for us.

Jesus, set my heart on fire with love for you!

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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.

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