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Our SUNDAY Bulletin



Prayer of Saint Michael

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen



Oracion de San Miguel

San Miguel Arcángel, defiéndenos en la lucha. Sé nuestro amparo contra la perversidad y acechanzas del demonio. Que Dios manifieste sobre él su poder, es nuestra humilde súplica. Y tú, oh Príncipe de la Milicia Celestial, con el poder que Dios te ha conferido, arroja al infierno a Satanás, y a los demás espíritus malignos que vagan por el mundo para la perdición de las almas. Amén.



Mass Schedule

Weekday Masses are on pause while Father Marlon is away on vacation.

Las misas entre la semana están en pausa mientras el Padre Marlon está de vacaciones.

SATURDAY:

5:00 PM- BILINGUAL MASS

SUNDAY:

10:00 AM - ENGLISH MASS
1:00 PM - SPANISH MASS

Confessions:

30 minutes before 10 am Sunday Mass

Adoration Chapel Open Daily!

6am- 9pm!

Stop by for a few minutes or a full hour. Jesus is here waiting for you to come spend time with him!

¡La capilla de adoración está abierta !

6 am-9 pm

Visítanos unos minutos o una hora completa. ¡Jesús está aquí esperando que vengas a pasar tiem-

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Martes a Viernes 10 AM- 2PM

Reflections

Second Sunday of Advent Could Nachos Be Bad?

It seems the early Church had a different view of Advent than we do. Christmas was not even celebrated in the first two centuries after Christ. Easter was the original great feast of the Church. After the resurrection, Christians looked for Jesus to return in glory. They expected this return to happen soon, so we see references in Paul's letters to the "coming of the Lord Jesus" (1 Thess 3:13) or to the "day of Christ Jesus." (Phil 1:6) So in a sense, the rest of their lives were a long Advent, a time of waiting for the Lord.

In the second reading this week, we hear what Paul recommends for the people of Philippi as they wait for the Lord to return. He prays that their love will grow and mature, so that they will be able to "discern what is of value." (Phil 1:10) This may sound vague, but is very good advice, even for us today. As we grow to be better Christians, we learn to love what is important. Remember when you were young and loved junk food?

As you grew up, you learned to like healthier foods. That doesn't mean that some foods are bad, (how could nachos be bad?) just that there are better choices. So Paul encourages us to make better choices: friends we like, books we read, how we spend our free time, causes we donate to, and values we teach to our children. For example, it is good to teach our children to work hard and save money; it may be better to teach them to answer God's call and to be generous to the poor. A good way to relax might be reading a novel by our favorite author; a better way could be reading a good spiritual book.

With less than three weeks of Advent remaining, let us ask the Lord to help us "discern what is of value" in our lives. We also await His coming and we have the advantage of knowing that the Lord comes to us in Word and Sacrament. We don't have to wait for the end of time or even till Christmas, so why not try to be ready now?

-Anonymous

Segundo Domingo de Adviento ¿Pueden ser malos los nachos?

Parece que la Iglesia primitiva tenía una visión del Adviento diferente a la nuestra. La Navidad ni siquiera se celebraba en los primeros dos siglos después de Cristo. La Pascua era la gran fiesta original de la Iglesia. Después de la resurrección, los cristianos esperaban que Jesús volviera en su gloria. Esperaban que este regreso ocurriera pronto, por eso vemos referencias en las cartas de Pablo a la "venida de nuestro Señor Jesús" (1 Tes 3,13) o al "día de Cristo Jesús" (Fil 1,6). Así que, en cierto sentido, el resto de sus vidas fue un largo Adviento, un tiempo de esperar al Señor.

En la segunda lectura hoy, escuchamos lo que Pablo recomienda para la gente de Filipos mientras esperan el regreso del Señor. Reza para que su amor crezca y madure, para que "escoger siempre lo mejor" (Fil 1,10). Esto puede sonar vago, pero es un muy buen consejo, incluso para nosotros hoy día.

A medida que nos vamos convirtiendo en mejores cristianos, aprendemos a amar lo que es importante. ¿Te acuerdas cuando eras joven y te encantaba la comida no saludable? A medida que crecías, aprendiste a apreciar los alimentos más saludables. Eso no significa que algunos alimentos sean malos (¿cómo podrían ser malos los nachos?), sino que hay mejores opciones. Por eso, Pablo nos anima a tomar mejores decisiones: los amigos que escogemos, los libros que leemos, cómo pasamos el tiempo libre, las caridades a las que donamos y los valores que enseñamos a nuestros hijos. Por ejemplo, es bueno enseñar a los hijos a trabajar duro y ahorrar dinero pero puede ser aún mejor enseñarles a responder al llamado de Dios y a ser generosos con los pobres. Una buena forma de descansar puede ser leer una novela escrita por nuestro autor favorito pero una manera aún mejor puede ser leer un buen libro espiritual.

Ahora que nos quedan menos de tres semanas de Adviento, pidamos al Señor que nos ayude a "escoger siempre lo mejor" en nuestras vidas. También esperamos Su venida y tenemos la ventaja de saber que el Señor viene a nosotros en la Palabra y los Sacramentos. No tenemos que esperar hasta el fin de los tiempos o incluso hasta la Navidad, así que ¿por qué no intentar estar preparados ahora?

-Anonimo



Queen of Peace Catholic Church:

Saturday:

6PM: Reserve your mass intentions

Sunday:

10AM: Jason Rogers
(Reserved by Micheal Snelling)

1PM: Reserva tus intenciones de Misa

For mass intentions reservation please contact:

(707) 994-6618 (10 am—2 pm Tuesday—Friday)

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YOUR MASS OFFERINGS
Nov 30th - Dec 1st 2024

Queen of Peace Catholic Church

Thanksgiving/daily: \$268.00

Saturday 5PM Mass:

First Collection:	\$64.00
Second Collection:	\$49.00

Sunday 10AM Mass:

First Collection:	\$682.00
Second Collection:	\$299.00

Sunday 1PM Mass:

First Collection:	\$295.00
Second Collection:	<u>\$469.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$2126.00



Insurance:	\$665.00
PG&E:	\$115.00
Guadalupanos:	\$500.00
Bob George:	\$96.70
Vendors:	\$50.00
Greg Leake:	\$100.00
Beatriz Torres	\$20.00
Maintenance:	\$445.00
Landscaping:	\$50.00
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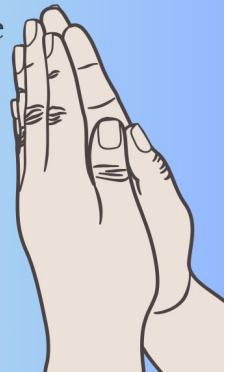
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		Katelyn Wrierick



Holy Fathers Intentions for December 2024

For pilgrims of hope

We pray that this Jubilee Year strengthen our faith, helping us to recognize the Risen Christ in our daily lives, and that it may transform us into pilgrims of Christian hope.



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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS:

A poster for the "Celebracion de Virgen de Guadalupe". It features an illustration of the Virgin of Guadalupe, event details, and a list of activities.

Celebracion de
★ Virgen de ★
Guadalupe

Te invitamos a unirte
a nuestras actividades
¡No faltes!

Jueves
12/12

5:30 am | Mañanitas

Despues habra:
• Cafe, Chocolate y Pan Grantis
• Venta de Tamales y Atole

6:00 pm | Misa y Danza
• Despues habra venta de comida

An illustration featuring hanging Christmas ornaments and the text "LADIES GUILD CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT Fundraiser".

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Second Collection for the Mission Diocese of Guntur, India

December 14 & 15, 2024

We are blessed to welcome Fr. Sudhakar Mannam, a missionary priest currently serving at St. Mary Immaculate Parish in Lakeport, to our parish on Saturday, December 14 and Sunday, December 15. Fr. Sudhakar will share the inspiring story of the Diocese of Guntur, India, and its mission to serve the poorest of the poor.

The Diocese of Guntur carries out Christ's mission by uplifting marginalized communities, providing education to the underprivileged, offering pastoral care, and bringing spiritual guidance to those in desperate need. Through programs such as community-based disaster preparedness, emergency relief, and initiatives that foster self-reliance, the Diocese is a beacon of hope for countless families.

A second collection will be taken to support this labor of love. Your generous contributions will directly aid in building a brighter future for those who face immense hardships, helping them experience God's love in tangible and transformative ways. Let us come together as one family of faith to support this vital mission. Your kindness can make an eternal difference.

Thank you for your prayers and generosity.

Segunda colecta para la diócesis misionera de Guntur, India

14 y 15 de diciembre de 2024

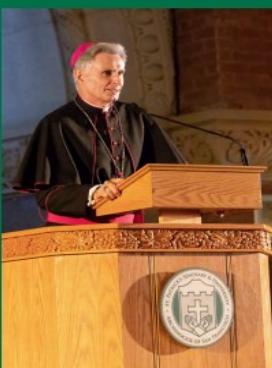
Tenemos la bendición de recibir en nuestra parroquia al padre Sudhakar Mannam, un sacerdote misionero que actualmente presta servicio en la parroquia St. Mary Immaculate en Lakeport, el sábado 14 de diciembre y el domingo 15 de diciembre. El padre Sudhakar compartirá la inspiradora historia de la diócesis de Guntur, India, y su misión de servir a los más pobres entre los pobres.

La diócesis de Guntur lleva a cabo la misión de Cristo al ayudar a las comunidades marginadas, brindar educación a los desfavorecidos, ofrecer atención pastoral y brindar orientación espiritual a quienes tienen una necesidad desesperada. A través de programas como la preparación para desastres en la comunidad, el socorro de emergencia y las iniciativas que fomentan la autosuficiencia, la diócesis es un faro de esperanza para innumerables familias.

Se realizará una segunda colecta para apoyar esta labor de amor. Sus generosas contribuciones ayudarán directamente a construir un futuro más brillante para quienes enfrentan inmensas dificultades, ayudándolos a experimentar el amor de Dios de maneras tangibles y transformadoras. Unámonos como una sola familia de fe para apoyar esta misión vital. Su generosidad puede marcar una diferencia eterna.



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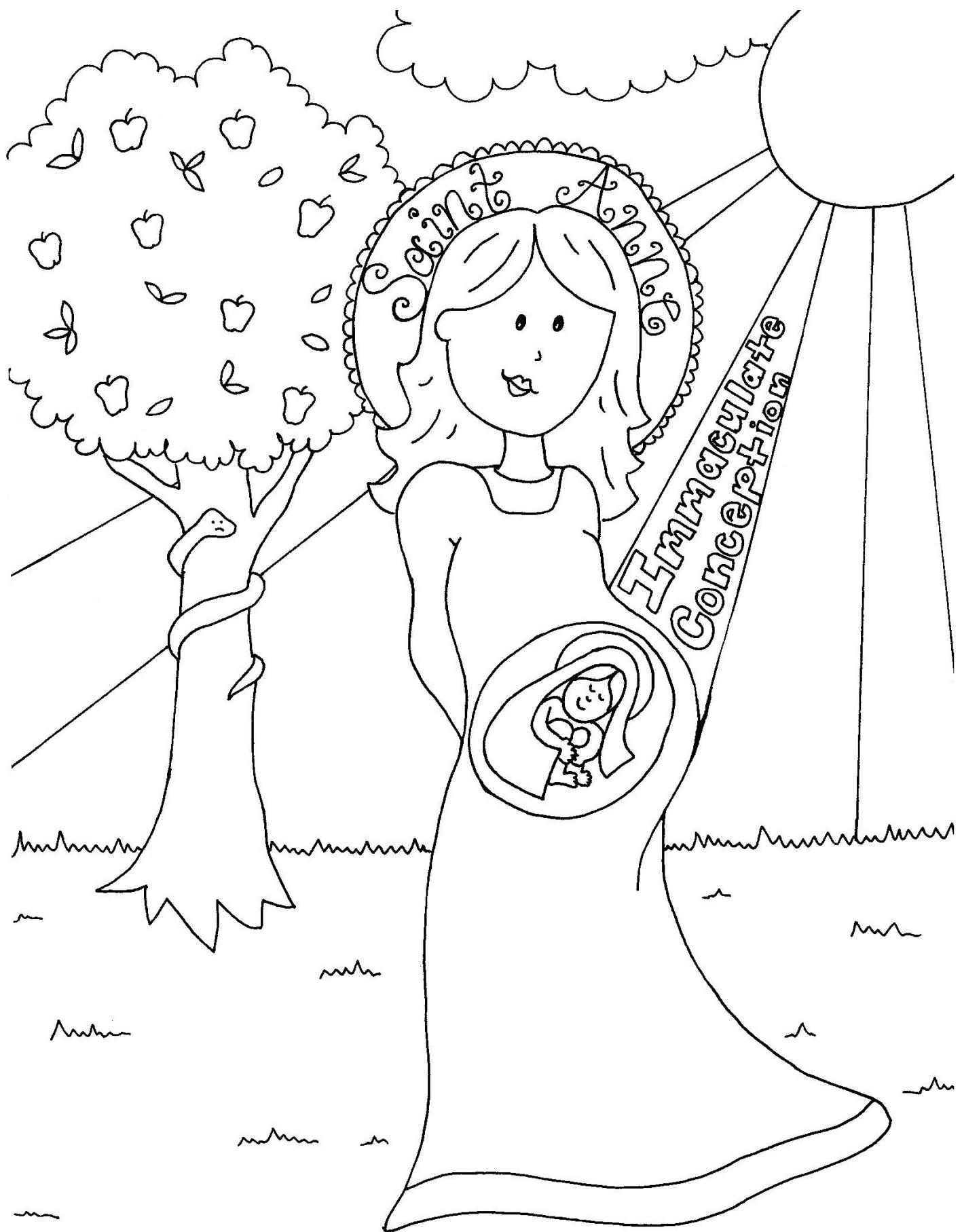
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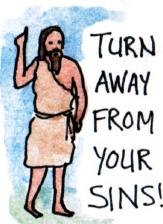
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We Joyfully Wait for Jesus



Advent is a time of joy, when we happily look forward to the coming of Jesus. Today's Gospel reading tells about how Saint John the Baptist went around telling everyone to repent and prepare for the coming of the Messiah.

An Advent wreath is a symbol of the coming of Jesus, our Light, into the world. It has three purple candles and one pink candle. One candle is lit on the first week of Advent, and one more is added every week until Christmas. Every week it gets a bit brighter because we are getting closer to Jesus' coming at Christmas.

The purple candles stand for repentance- being sorry and making up for our sins. The pink candle represents joy. It is lit on the third week of Advent because we rejoice that the waiting is half over.



Answer to Immaculate Conception Word-Find: HAIL MARY
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Saint John of the Cross

December 14

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The Kids' Bulletin

Second Sunday of Advent
December 8th, 2024



Luke 3:1-6

In Advent we hear about Saint John the Baptist, Jesus' cousin, who prepared the way for Jesus' coming. He preached to the people, telling them to repent, and baptized them.

When Jesus came Saint John told the people to follow Jesus because He was the Messiah.

Can you find your way from Saint John to Jesus?

Immaculate Conception Word-Find

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See if you can find the words that are written in CAPITALS.

The leftover letters spell the name of a special prayer we can say to Mary on her feast day.

This year, December 9th is the feast day of the IMMACULATE CONCEPTION. That is a name for MARY that means that GOD made her WITHOUT SIN because he had CHOSEN her to be the MOTHER of HIS SON. Her SOUL was FREE from ORIGINAL sin even before she was BORN. All her life she KEPT her HEART PURE and without the STAIN of sin. Mary NEVER OFFENDED God, and with his GRACE, she spent her whole life LOVING JESUS.

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