



The Ascension of the Lord

May 8, 2016

God mounts his throne amid shouts of joy;
the LORD, amid trumpet blasts.

— *Psalm 47:6*

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Hoy celebramos a una mujer potente e importante en nuestras vidas; la madre. La historia del Día de las Madres se originó en las fiestas griegas en honor de Rhea, la madre de los dioses. A lo largo de la historia los cristianos también hemos recordado a la Madre de Dios, María, en varias solemnidades, pero hace solo 100 años que el 10 de mayo de 1907 en Estados Unidos se empezó a promover la idea de un día de reconocimiento del amor que tenemos como humanos por nuestras propias madres. Eventualmente se pasó a muchas naciones latinoamericanas. Muchas culturas latinoamericanas son matriarcales, es decir, el papel de la madre en la familia es algo esencial. Para los latinos, no hay amor más grande que el de una madre. Sin olvidar la función del padre, ella es la que nos da la vida, nos enseña cómo vivirla y nos da alimento. Su amor nos recuerda al de Cristo, quien con sacrificio y amor da vida a la Iglesia. Su amor sostiene y cuando las cosas se ponen difíciles emocionalmente, nuestro deseo secreto es de estar en los brazos de mamá.

Invitamos a adolescentes, jóvenes y familias a participar a un taller para promover ideas de cómo establecer y profundizar una relación sólida con Cristo. Se llevará a cabo en nuestra parroquia jueves 12 de mayo del 2016 a partir de las 7:00 p.m.

Invitado especial: Padre Agustino Miguel Torres

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Second Vatican Council decreed that the devotional life of the Church should be examined and reformed with an eye towards expressing Easter faith. This encouragement for creativity has deep roots in our tradition, and some attempts at reform show great promise. One of the great treasures in our devotional repertoire is a familiar feature of Lent: the Way of the Cross. The faithful walk a path recalling the events of Christ's passion, a contemplative experience increasingly enriched these days by scripture and song. There are fourteen stations in the usual configuration, although in recent years, a fifteenth station of the Empty Tomb has been added. Why stop there? Why not develop a similar journey structured on the theme of the appearances of the Risen Lord? Over the last decade, a *Via Lucis*, or "Way of Light," has developed as a companion to the *Via Crucis*. It has been celebrated at the Vatican and is catching on elsewhere. There are fourteen stations, beginning with the Women Carrying Spices to the Tomb, continuing with the familiar appearances of the Lord at Emmaus, the Upper Room, the shore of Tiberias. The journey ends with stations recalling the Apostles' wait with Mary for the advent of the Spirit, and with Pentecost. This is fertile ground indeed for the genius of artists, musicians, preachers, and liturgists. This is a living example of how many of our traditions are born to fill a great spiritual need, and spread to every corner of the Church. It may even come soon to a church near you. Maybe next Easter time!



Mass Schedule For The Week Of

May 8-15

SAT 05/07 4:30 PM Miguel Paris +
6:00 PM Valeria Gallegos +
SUN 05/08 7:00AM
8:00AM Estela Alonso +
10:00AM Ramona Plasencia +
12:00PM Marin y Maria Nunez +
2:00PM Maria Rosillo +
6:00PM Basilio Tostado +
MON 05/09 8:30AM
TUE 05/10 8:30AM Franco & Maria Felice Cortese +
WED 05/11 8:30 AM
7:00 PM
THU 05/12 8:30 AM Socorro Lamasan Paris
FRI 05/13 8:30 AM Special Intention
SAT 05/14 4:30 PM Joanne de Broeck
6:00 PM
SUN 05/15 7:00AM
8:00AM
10:00AM Antonio Ledesma +
12:00PM Julian Hernandez +
2:00PM Martin Guzman +
6:00PM Blanca Lidia Tanori Alegria +

May 1, 2016

Plate: 5,446.93
Second Collection: 1,863.00

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

**Domingo: Septimo Domingo de Pascua;
Dia de las Madres;**

Jornada Mundial de las Comunicaciones Sociales

Martes: San Damiano Jose de Veuster

Jueves: Santos Nereo y Aquileo; san Pancraccio

Viernes: Nuestra Senora de Fatima

Sabado: San Matias, apostol

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord; Mother's Day;
World Communications Day**

Tuesday: St. Damien de Veuster

Thursday: Ss. Nereus and Achilleus; St. Pancras

Friday: Our Lady of Fatima

Saturday: St. Matthias

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

May-2-7

MON 7:00PM Oración por los enfermos (Chapel)
TUE 7:00PM Grupo Cursillistas
WED 7:00PM Misa en Español/ Mass in Spanish
7:00PM Prayer group / Grupo de Oración
7:00 PM Marriage Group/ Parejas Caminando Con Cristo
THU 6:00PM SPRED Class
7:00 PM Confirmation
FRI 7:00PM Youth Group / Grupo de Jovenes
7:00 PM CCD classes / Catecismo
7:00PM Pláticas Pre- Bautismales/ Bautismal Classes Spanish
SAT 10:00AM Bautismos / Baptism in Spanish
9:30 11:00 AM CCD classes/ Catecismo
3-4 PM Confessions/ Confesiones

Today's Readings:

First Reading: Because Stephen professes his faith in the Son of Man, he is stoned to death (Acts 7:55-60).

Psalm: The Lord is king, the most high over all the earth (Psalm 97).

Second Reading: I, the Alpha and the Omega, am coming soon (Revelation 22:16-17).

Gospel: Father, I pray that they may all be one, as you and I are one, that they may be brought to perfection (John 17:20-26).

Lecturas De Hoy:

Primera lectura: Jesús les dice a los discípulos que recibirán el poder del Espíritu Santo (Hch 1:1-11)

Salmo: Entre voces de júbilo, Dios asciende a su trono (Salmo 47).

Segunda lectura: Que el Padre de la Gloria del Espíritu de sabiduría y revelación (Efesios 1:17-23).

Evangelio: Los discípulos fueron testigos de todos los sucesos de la vida de Crsito (Lucas 24:46-53).



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