



CHURCH OF THE VISITATION

Mission Statement: A Roman Catholic Community celebrating Christ's presence among us.

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THIRTIETH Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

LUKE 18:14

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 23 2022

Daily Mass (Inside the church)

Monday - Friday: 8:00a.m.
(This mass is also live-streamed)

Sunday Mass (Inside the church)

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., and 11:00 a.m.
(The Sunday Mass at 8 a.m. is also live-streamed)

Confessions (Inside the church, in the Sanctuary)

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and by appointment

Note: The live-streamed Masses can be viewed on our website: www.visitationchurch-la.com

Private Worship (Inside the church)

Open for private devotion:
Monday-Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Holy Hour (Inside the church)

First Friday of each month: 8:30am-9:30am.

Prayer Requests: email them to the following vizprayerrequests@gmail.com If you would like to join in praying for the requests received, please send an email to the prayer request email address.

Welcome to Visitation Church!

A special welcome to those who may be visiting us today, we are blessed that you are here to worship with us. If you are traveling, we hope you find this Catholic community welcoming. If you are new to this area, we hope to see you again and that you may consider joining this community.

PARISH REGISTRATION

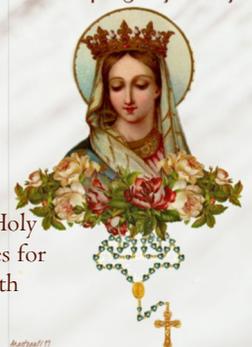
Are you looking for a faith community to call home? Use the link below to register as a parishioner.

www.visitationchurch-la.com/register

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OCTOBER
Month of the Holy Rosary



The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary and this is a reminder of the promises for those who pray this contemplative prayer with Our Lady. It is a sign of predestination.

TODAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING — The LORD is a God of justice who hears the cry of the oppressed, the orphan, the widow, the lowly (Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18).

PSALM — The Lord hears the cry of the poor (Psalm 34).

SECOND READING — The crown of righteousness awaits me (2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18).

GOSPEL — The tax collector stood at a distance, beat his breast, and prayed, "O God, be merciful to me, a sinner" (Luke 18:9-14).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 13:10-17

TUESDAY: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-33; Ps 128:1-5; Lk 13:18-21

WEDNESDAY: Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145:10-14; Lk 13:22-30

THURSDAY: Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 13:31-35

FRIDAY: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16

SATURDAY: Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef; Lk 14:1, 7-11

SUNDAY: Wis 11:22 — 12:2; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14; 2 Thes 1:11 — 2:2; Lk 19:1-10

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

SUNDAY: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Mission Sunday

MONDAY: St. Anthony Mary Claret

FRIDAY: Ss. Simon and Jude

SATURDAY: Blessed Virgin Mary

BAPTISMS

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated, according to the CDC recommendations, on a separate day for each family after attendance by the parents and godparents at a Baptism zoom class. Parishioners are invited to call the office to get an appointment for these classes. The next ZOOM class scheduled is on **Sunday, November 20, 2022 at 1pm**. Please register to attend by calling the parish office at **310-216-1145**. If you are not a current registered parishioner of Visitation Parish and not receiving envelopes in the mail, please call the office for an appointment with the pastor or associate pastor.



Reflection question:

How would I change if my faith, hope, and charity were to increase? How would I behave differently?

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SCHOOL NEWS

Hello Visitation Families!

To honor the school's 75th year, the yearbook is collecting photos of students in their uniforms over those years. Our school's uniforms have changed so much over the years and we would love to show the different versions off within the school yearbook. Please email photos to: vizyearbook@gmail.com if you are interested in providing any. We are looking forward to the school celebrating our 75th year!

Thank you,

Christina Locke and Meredith Lorick

MASS INTENTIONS

◆ SUNDAY– OCTOBER 23, 2022

8:00am - Joseph Onesto †

11:00am - Julie & Jim Rajsich †

◆ MONDAY - OCTOBER 24, 2022

8:00am - Dan Sully †

◆ TUESDAY - OCTOBER 25, 2022

8:00am - Dolly Juaneza

◆ WEDNESDAY - OCTOBER 26, 2022

8:00am - Jose Morales †

◆ THURSDAY - OCTOBER 27, 2022

8:00am - Jose Guadalupe†

◆ FRIDAY - OCTOBER 28, 2022

8:00am - Sales Family

◆ SATURDAY - OCTOBER 29, 2022

5:00pm - Esther Villalobos †

To request a **mass intention** please call the Rectory
310-216-1145

Please pray for the faithful departed,
that they may see the face of God.

HOSPITALITY NEWS!!!

Please join us in the courtyard after the Sunday Masses on **October 30th** for a special **HALLOWEEN HOSPITALITY** hosted by our **Welcome Wagon** committee and **Parish Pastoral Council**.



In addition, we will be having our **FIRST 5:00 PM Mass HOSPITALITY** hosted by our **Welcome Wagon** committee (thanks to Alan & Teri Engler!) **on Sat., NOVEMBER 5th** (featuring selections of cheese, crackers, salami, fruit, etc. and drinks, wine). Join us in the O'Grady Center following the conclusion of Mass.



Don't Forget:

-Pray the Rosary! October is the month of the rosary and opportunity to rekindle our love and devotion to the blessed Virgin Mary.

PARISH POST

Dear brothers and sisters,

Welcome to my first parish post! It has taken a few months to get going but as they say... better late than never!

As our parish Carnival quickly approaches, I am reminded of the gift we have in each other. The phrase "no man is an island" rings true as we remember that God made us for relationship with Himself and one another. We exist within a community and it is within this community that we are called to grow and flourish. As our lives unfold, our relationships unfold; new bonds of friendship blossom and our community expands.

An event like a parish Carnival is a perfect opportunity to come together and celebrate our life together: families, friends, ministers, school buddies, teammates... the list goes on! The Carnival is nothing less than an instrument used by God to unite us and make us one. Praise the Lord!

With that, I'd like to invite all of you to come participate in our parish Carnival this weekend, October 22-23. Come and enjoy an hour, two hours, a day or an entire weekend with your Visitation family. We'll have games for kids, rides, live music, a killer silent auction, delicious food, and life-giving fellowship for all. I hear there might even be a special musical guest or two (wink, wink)!

May God bless our Visitation family - see you at the Carnival!

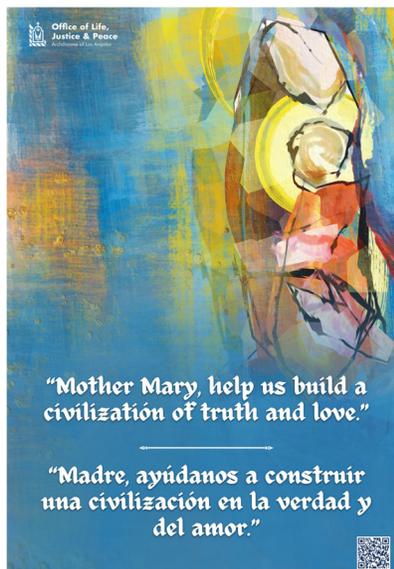
Blessings,
Fr. Matt

RCIA PROGRAM AT VISITATION (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults!)

The RCIA program meets on Thursday evenings in the O'Grady Center from 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm, started September 15. Send an email to Gilbert & Laura Trujillo at rcia.visitation@gmail.com or call (424) 235-3122 to learn more.

PREP REGISTRATION STILL OPEN

Visitation's Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) is still open for students of all abilities in first grade through 8th grade, who are not enrolled in Catholic School. Please visit our website, and contact Debra Evans, Coordinator of Religious Education; religiouseducationvc@gmail.com or call/text (703) 582-9888. **PREP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** For more information, please email religiouseducatoinvc@gmail.com.



Respect Life Month

Every October the Catholic Church celebrates Respect Life Month! This month let's deepen our understanding of why, as Catholics we must cherish and defend every human life from conception till natural death. You can find resources for Respect Life Month by visiting the

Office of Life, Justice and Peace's website: <https://lifejusticeandpeace.lacatholics.org/respect-life-month>

Mother Mary, helps us build a civilization of truth and love. This October let's celebrate Respect Life Month by asking our Blessed Mother for her intercession! As Missionary Disciples we can look to our Blessed Mother's Life as example of love and service. Let's ask for Mary's courage and strength as we work to build a culture that protects and cherishes every human life.

GRIEF WORKSHOP: What Is Proactive grieving and How to Get Through the Holidays after Losing a Loved One

WHAT: The Holidays are fast approaching and this two hour workshop will help you navigate the holidays. We will discuss in the first hour what proactive grieving looks like and why it's important; the second hour will give you sound practical suggestions and spiritual guidance on how to cope during this difficult holiday season.

WHEN: Sunday, November 6th, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

WHERE: Depending on RSVPs, either in the O'Grady Center, parking lot of Visitation Church, 6561 W 88th Street, Westchester, CA 90045 or at my home in Westchester.

WHO: Candy Blankenship, Bereavement Minister of Visitation Church

WHY: Anyone who has experienced the recent death of a beloved or years before.

Please bring a notebook for note taking. Workshop material will be handed out. Please contact **Candy Blankenship to RSVP at 310-338-9043 or by email blank8840@gmail.com**



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 2022

ONE SUNDAY FOR THE WHOLE WORLD

Be the Lord's 'Witnesses' in Prayer and Support This World Mission Sunday

Today, World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis reminds us that in Baptism we are all called by the Lord to be His missionaries: "You shall be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8). Joining Catholics worldwide this Sunday, we offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to the Pope's missions.

When you contribute to the World Mission Sunday collection, you make it possible for the Pope to provide mission support to:

- ◆ 844,000 catechists teaching the faith
- ◆ 258,540 Religious Sisters caring for children and families
- ◆ 38,140 seminarians preparing for the priesthood
- ◆ 26 million children in primary schools
- ◆ 12,000 clinics caring for the sick and dying
- ◆ 8,750 homes for orphaned children and the elderly Your prayers are most treasured, and they, along with financial help offered today, WORLD MISSION answer Christ's call to be His witnesses. Thank you!

Special message Link. Please scan with your smart phone or device to view.



CARNIVAL
in the
NINE double oh FOUR FIVE

STOP BY TODAY AND HAVE A GREAT TIME!

Visitation : *October* : Rides • Games • Food
Church & School : **21-23** : Music • Beer Garden
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Save the Date

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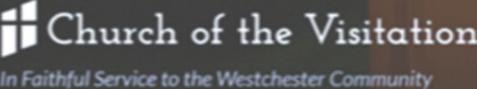
CONCERT #1
**Celebrating Our Visitation Founders:
A Trip to Ireland
with the Metropolis String Quintet**

Saturday, November 12, 2022
7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Visitation Church
6561 W. 88th St. | Los Angeles, CA

Cash Bar Reception
Preconcert (6:15 p.m.) and Postconcert.

All proceeds to benefit St. Margaret's Center.

Details to Follow.



Church of the Visitation
In Faithful Service to the Westchester Community

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

GATHERING

In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light, my strength, my song
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

No guilt in life, no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell, no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

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PSALM

The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia (HURD)

PREPARATION OF THE TABLE AND GIFTS

Precious Lord, Take My Hand



1. Pre - cious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, let me
2. When my way grows drear, Pre - cious Lord, lin - ger
3. When the dark - ness ap - pears And the night draws



stand, I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.
near, When my life is al - most gone,
near, And the day is past and gone,



Through the storm, through the night, Lead me on to the
Hear my cry, hear my call, Hold my hand lest I
At the riv - er I stand, Guide my feet, hold my



light, Take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.
fall. Take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.
hand. Take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.

Text: Thomas A. Dorsey, 1899-1993
Tune: PRECIOUS LORD, 66 9 D; George N. Allen; arr. by Kelly Dobbs Mickus, b.1966
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APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ,
His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived
by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was
buried;
He descended into hell;
on the third day He rose again
from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come
to judge the living and the
dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Holy Catholic Church,
the communion of Saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen

MASS PARTS

Mass of St. Ann

COMMUNION

Behold the Lamb of God

You are my Lord
It's you I adore
Nothing on earth could ever take your place

Your mind humbles every heart
The highest of heaven's grasp
Nothing on earth could ever take your place

And now we see your sacrifice
The greatest gift, our greatest prize

Behold the Lamb of God
Behold the Lamb of God
Who takes away the sins of the world

We will not forget
We will stay awake
We will not abandon
The promise that you made

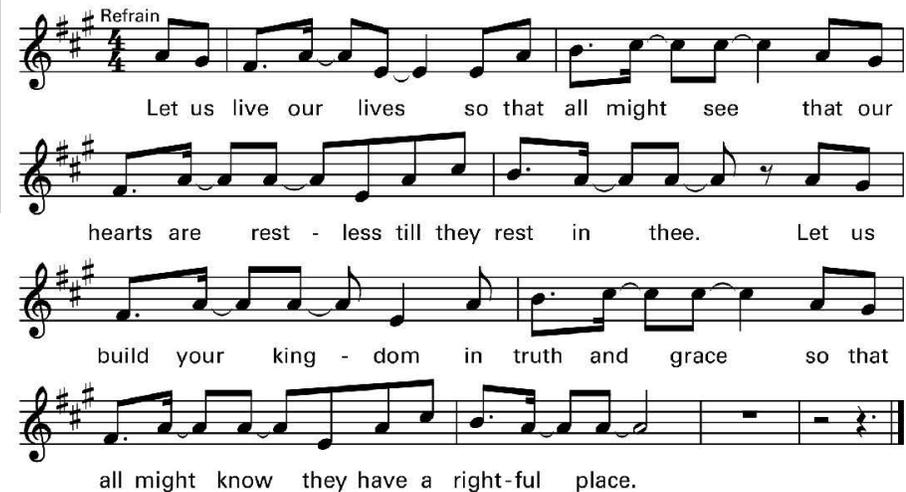
The sins of the world
The sins of the world

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SENDING FORTH

SATURDAY A Rightful Place

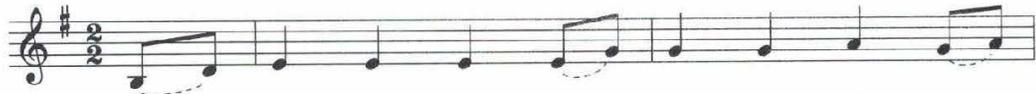
Refrain



Let us live our lives so that all might see that our
hearts are rest - less till they rest in thee. Let us
build your king - dom in truth and grace so that
all might know they have a right-ful place.

SUNDAY The Canticle of the Turning

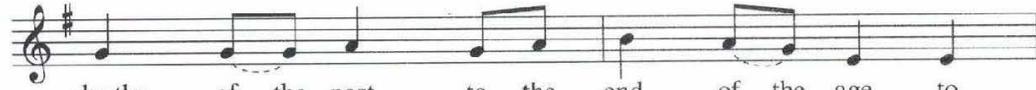
Verses



1. Though I am small, my God, my all, you
2. My soul cries out with a joy - ful shout that the



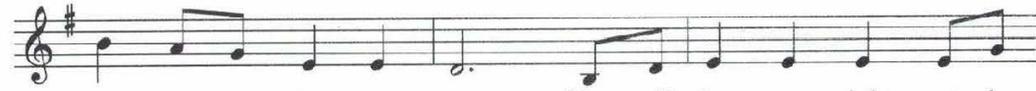
work great things in me, And your mer - cy will last from the
God of my heart is great, And my spir - it sings of the



depths of the past to the end of the age to
won - drous things that you bring to the ones who



be. Your ver - y name puts the proud to shame, and to
wait. You fixed your sight on your ser - vant's plight, and my



those who would for you yearn, You will show your might, put the
weak - ness you did not spurn, So from east to west shall my

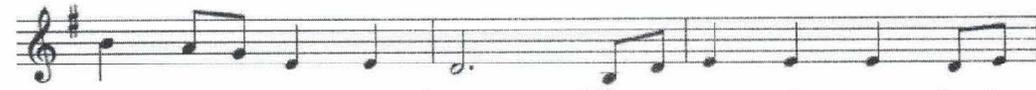


strong to flight, for the world is a - bout to turn.
name be blest. Could the world be a - bout to turn?

Refrain



My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the



fires of your jus - tice burn. Wipe a - way all tears, for the



dawn draws near, and the world is a - bout to turn!

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Tune: STAR OF THE COUNTY DOWN; Irish traditional; arr. by Rory Cooney, b.1952



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