

St. Felicitas Catholic Church

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JULY 12, 2015

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS ETIQUETTE

Please,
Come to Mass early enough not to disrupt.
Leave late enough not to insult.
Worship reverently enough not to distract.
And dress proudly enough not to offend.

Mass Schedule

Sunday 7:30 am - 9:00 am - 10:30 am
12:15 pm (Spanish) 4:30 pm Vietnamese)

Saturday 8:15 am - 4:30 pm (Vigil)

Daily (Monday to Friday) 7:00 am - 8:15 am

Holy Days 7:00 am 8:15 am 7:00 pm

1st Friday Exposition — 12:30 to 4:45 pm

Sacraments

Reconciliation—Saturday, 3:15 p.m.- 4:00 p.m. or
by appointment.

Baptism—4th Sunday of every month at 2:00 p.m.
Contact Parish Office for information

Marriage—Arrangements to be made 6 months
prior to the wedding.

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Tuesday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Wednesday - Thursday 9:00 am to 4:30 pm
Friday 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

EMERGENCY NUMBER (510) 309-8097

(During non-office hours)

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My Dear Parishioners,

Once a year during the summer months we invite and encourage our parishioners to participate and support the church beyond our country's borders through the Mission Cooperative Plan. This Sunday we welcome Father Orlando Mendoza, Jr. from the Diocese of Virac in the Philippines. He will be preaching at all the Masses this Sunday. May I thank you for your continued generosity to the Missions of the Church, the Mission of Christ. As stewards, let us use our gifts of Time, Talent and Treasure and work together for the kingdom of God.



*Christ has no body now on earth but yours,
No hands but yours.
No feet but yours.
Yours are the eyes through which Christ's
compassion is to look out to the world.
Yours are the feet with which Christ is to
go about doing good.
Yours are the hands with which Christ is to
bless all people now.
— Teresa of Avila*

We are all called to minister to one another by our Baptism. The Apostles were instructed by Christ to “go forth and teach all nations”. At the end of the celebration of the Holy Mass we are told to “go and announce the Gospel of the Lord”. “Preach the Gospel always and when necessary, use words” is attributed to St. Francis of Assisi. The New Testament is filled with teachings of Christ that tell us how to live and to give. We are asked to give of our time, talent and treasure.

How do we go about accomplishing all that we are called to do? How can we fulfill what we are commanded and urged to do?

Our parish has twenty-five Ministries, four Faith Formation Programs and three Organizations to choose from in using your time, talent and treasure—even if you think that you have very little of one or all of those. The key here is that “many hands make light the work”. If each of us gives just a bit, it becomes much. A little bit of time added to the little bit from many others makes large amounts. One small talent is probably the one thing that the parish needs to maintain the eight acres of property in these facilities. Perhaps you have a way with roses. We have many rose bushes that need pruning frequently. Treasure? There was a man who said, “If I had lots of money I would contribute to those poor children.” His wife said, “If everyone who has a dollar would contribute to those poor children, they would have millions to aid them.” Each drop into the bucket (collection basket) can fill the pail.

Giving also contributes to your own knowledge about your faith. There is a woman who came to her nephew's Confirmation classes because she was to be his sponsor at the Easter Vigil. She is a practicing Catholic and has been since she was baptized as an infant. She said that she learned much and also was reminded of things that she had forgotten.

In one of the earliest accounts of St. Francis of Assisi, the “Legend of Perugia,” quotes Francis as telling the first friars, “You only know as much as you *do*.” The emphasis here is on action, practice and lifestyle. Perhaps we could borrow Nike's “Just Do It” to help explain what Francis was talking about.

To aid you in choosing a ministry for “Just Doing It”, we are updating the Parish Handbook. It will give you an opportunity to put the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, the Precepts of the Church, the Theological Virtues to work in using your time, talent and treasure.

Father Tom

**Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 12, 2015**

No Children's Liturgy during July and August

Second Collection

Today: Mission Cooperative Plan
Next Week: The Catholic Voice

FINANCIAL CORNER

Our Weekly Goal	\$ 11,700.00
Sunday Collection—July 5	\$ 8,748.50
Amount needed to reach goal	\$ 2,951.50
Maintenance	\$ 4,858.00

Thank you for your continued generosity

Events for the Week of July 13, 2015

Mon. 7/13	10:00 am	Book Club	SMC
	6:30 pm	Our Lady of Fatima Mass & Devotions	Church
	6:30 pm	St. Vincent de Paul	AE Room
Wed. 7/15	7:00 pm	Spanish Juvenile Adult Choir	AE Room
Thurs. 7/16	7:00 pm	Spanish Youth Group	Soc. Hall
Fri. 7/17	7:00 pm	Spanish Children's Choir	Soc. Hall
	7:30 pm	Vietnamese Choir Practice	AE Room

Stewardship Report

Last Week's Stewardship (7/5) of \$437.43 went to the LaSallian Educational Opportunities—an after school tutoring and homework help center for 6th to 12th grade students in Oakland. English language and computer training for adults operated by the Christian brothers.



**St. Felicitas Class of 1975
"40" Class Reunion**

Saturday, July 18 at 5:00 P.M.

For more information contact Janet Rocha at
510-415-0844 by July 15th.



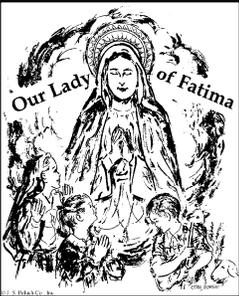
**Youth
Ministry**

Congratulations

**Micaela Myers Eric Solis Daniel Santos
Samantha Guevarra Royce Mamaril**

These 5 newly confirmed youths were chosen by the Oakland diocese to attend the "Youth on a Mission Discipleship Training" on July 9th through July 12th.

Please pray that the Holy Spirit guides them as they represent our Parish this week. God Bless.



Our Lady of Fatima Devotion

All Masses at 6:30 P.M.

July 13—Monday
August 13—Thursday
September 14—Monday
October 13—Tuesday



RCIA

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**"There are no volunteers in God's kingdom.
We are all called to ministry and
our Baptism and Eucharist are an ongoing 'amen' to that call.**

Nick Wagner "The Way of Faith" A Field Guide for the RCIA Process

Have you ever tried to learn something new and wished that you had someone—a mentor—to guide you through the process? Do you want to learn more about your own faith?

If your answer to these questions is "yes" you are a candidate for the RCIA team. The RCIA program is a process. We need you to guide those who are inquiring into the Catholic Church. In the process, many sponsors have reacted with the virtual comic strip "light bulb" above their heads with comments such as, "Wow! I never looked at it that way" or "I didn't know that and I've been a Catholic all of my life."

Do yourself and this community a favor and consider joining the RCIA team. Answer the call to ministry by getting in touch with the parish office at 351-5244.

Please Pray for . . .

George Pieraldi	Mary Valladon	Margarita Ferreira
Julie Chin	Rudy Griego	Aliston Goodwin
Robert Billmire	Nelson Baylosis	Ed & Rose Matty
Peter & Sheryl Smith	Judith Edrosolam	Lida Holt
Connie Guaraglia	Mel Mederious	Mae Heasley
Joyce Guaraglia	Dorothy Feick	Rosemary Buell
Virgilio Legaspi	Joel Rivera	Roseann Adam
Mariah 'Mia' Vicedo	Joseph Fantos	Brandon Lee Salazar
Pearle Cezair	Ella Pennington	Max Romero
Mary Helen	Ricardo Duenas	Matilde Guerrero
Maria Jesus Vargas	Madeline Marks	Darryl Shields
Joey Medeiros	Marie Fletcher	Val Mumford
Monica Dias	Olivia Camcam	Mao Pham
Dora Romero	Mike Silva	Carol Boles
John O'Keefe	Maria Nguyen	Wyatt Norell
Edgar Romero	Khoat Nguyen	Tillie Gumataotao
Jeanette Frazee	Joseph Leo	Conceicao Farinha
Joe Zipp	JJ Moisa	Doan Truong
Barbara Maloon	Maria Escobar	Van Nguyen
Juanita Estrellas	Jesse Aguon	Al Rocha
Nhi Nguyen	Joyce White	Beverly Dunn
Mary Young	Angelita Corral	Robert Spencer
Peggy Miller	Tu Nguyen	Michael Rogers
Dan Bautista	James Jandik	Joe Fresquez
JoAnne Salazar	Ruth Brennan	Elizabeth Valdez
Raymond Bautisa	Peter Purificacion	Barbara O'Connor
Anne Tran	Nicole Coffey-Nell	Denise Wehrman
Sara Le Fargo	Gwendolyn DeVries	
Dee Darbo	Agnes Lemos	
Paul Prado	Jayla Walker	

**** If any person on this list is well and no longer in need of prayers please inform the parish office. If they pass away please let us know so we can pray for the repose of his or her soul.**

Mass Intentions For the Week of July 12th to July 19th

Sun.	7/12	7:30 am	Parishioners
		9:00 am	All Souls
		10:30 am	Salvador & Guadalupe Victoria †
		12:15 pm	José Vasquez † Salvador & Spencer Perez †
Mon.	7/13	7:00 am	Phillip Matthew (L)
		8:15 am	Walt Frederickson †
Tues.	7/14	7:00 am	Joseph †
		8:15 am	James Lydon †
Wed.	7/15	7:00 am	Francisco Fortuna †
		8:15 am	Têrêsa Trần †
Thurs.	7/16	7:00 am	Julia DeSousa †
		8:15 am	Bill Sobrero †
Fri.	7/17	7:00 am	Mao Phan (L)
		8:15 am	Harry Lema †
Sat.	7/18	8:15 am	Peter Khanh †
		4:30 pm	Peter Hạnh Hà
Sun.	7/19	7:30 am	James Balliet (B)
		9:00 am	Parishioners
		10:30 am	Deceased Members of the Nguyễn Family †
		12:15 pm	Rubén Jauregui †

(A) Anniversary (B) Birthday (L) Living (†) Deceased

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF July 13th

Monday:	Exodus 1:8-14, 22; Psalm 124:1b-8; Matthew 10:34 — 11:1
Tuesday:	Exodus 2:1-15a; Psalms 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Matthew 11:20-24
Wednesday:	Exodus 3:1-6, 9-12; Psalms 103:1b-4, 6-7; Matthew 11:25-27
Thursday:	Exodus 3:13-20; Psalms 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-27; Matthew 11:28-30
Friday:	Exodus 11:10 — 12:14; Psalms 116: 12-13, 15, 16bc, 17-18; Matthew 12:1-8
Saturday:	Exodus 12:37-42; Psalms 136:1, 23-24, 10-15; Matthew 12:14-21
Sunday:	Jeremiah 23:1-6; Psalm 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34

WHO ENTERED INTO ETERNAL LIFE

Julian Mariateyve † — June 12, 2015

Bonnie Fernandes † — June 20, 2015

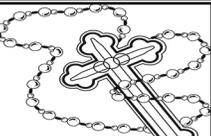
Marie Choury † — July 3, 2015

LET PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM



Please pray for Alex Bradley and his brother, Preston Ridgway, who are serving in the Middle East

Pray the Rosary for World Peace

	7:30 am Church (daily)
	8:45 am Church (Mon.-Tues.-Wed.-Fri.)
	8:45 am S.J. Chapel on Thursday

Please Pray for the success of Reclaiming Christ's Mission Together Campaign

Cộng Đoàn Nữ Vương Hoà Bình

Suy Niệm Chúa Nhật 15 Mùa Thường Niên Năm B: Mc 6, 7-13

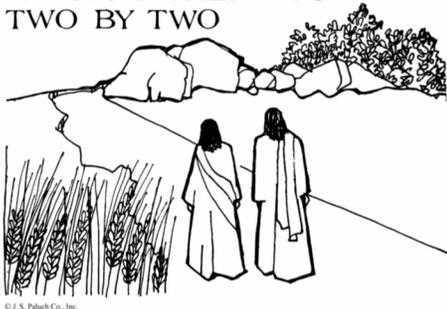
Bạn Đường Truyền Giáo

Khi sai các môn đệ lên đường vào sứ vụ, Đức Giê-su “chỉ thị các ông không được mang gì đi đường, chỉ trừ cây gậy, không được mang lương thực, bao bị tiền giắt lưng; được đi dép, nhưng không được mặc hai áo” (Mc 6, 8-9). Thế nhưng có một “hành trang” họ không thể thiếu, đó là một người bạn đường: Ngài sai các ông đi từng hai người một. Chúa Giê-su đặt các nhu cầu vật chất xuống hàng thứ yếu, và đưa sự hiện diện của một người bạn đồng hành trên đường truyền giáo lên hàng ưu tiên. Ngài không muốn họ đi một mình, mạnh ai nấy làm. Không! Ngài muốn các môn đệ của Ngài cộng tác với nhau trong việc truyền giáo, cùng đồng hành, cùng sống bên nhau, chia sẻ bàn bạc để nhận ra được điều Chúa muốn, nâng đỡ nhau về tinh thần, vật chất, cùng nhau đương đầu với những rủi ro, những thất bại, những bất trắc. Các tông đồ ngay từ đầu đã làm theo mệnh lệnh này của Chúa: các ông cùng đi với nhau trong các chuyến đi truyền giáo.

Mời Bạn: Loan báo Tin Mừng là sứ mệnh chung của toàn thể Hội thánh mà mỗi tín hữu phải gắn thân với người khác và nhờ người khác. Phải loại trừ chủ trương tạo “thành tích cá nhân” hay chuyên quyền độc đoán, thay vào đó là đối thoại, biết lắng nghe và mở rộng vòng tay để có thêm nhiều người cùng tham gia vào sứ mệnh của Hội thánh.

Sống Lời Chúa: Khi làm việc chung, bạn tập bàn hỏi, lắng nghe ý kiến anh em của các đoàn thể. Lạy Chúa Giê-su, xin gửi những người bạn đồng hành tâm phúc đến các nhà truyền giáo đang gặp thử thách khó khăn, để các ngài đứng vững trước mọi thử thách của đời truyền giáo. Amen.

HE SENT THEM OUT
TWO BY TWO



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SENT BY GOD

In Amos' time the vocation of prophet had achieved a very formal status in Israel. The prophets had arisen, originally, to act as God's voice when Israel was no longer led by the spiritual/civil figures known as "judges," but by monarchs. Over time, the monarchy had appropriated the offices of priest and prophet, established them into companies, and reserved the right to appoint courtly prophets. Then, as now, when those in power also got to choose who would act as their official conscience, things sometimes went awry. At such times, God raised up prophets

from unlikely places, and this is how Amos received his vocation as prophet. In last week's Gospel we heard how Jesus was raised up as God's anointed from a place many viewed as unlikely. As we continue to discern our own vocation as baptized disciples, we can be assured that we are, in Paul's words, "chosen, destined in accord with the purpose of the One who accomplishes all things according to the intention of his will" (Ephesians 1:11).

Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

En la actualidad viajar en avión necesita una preparación cuidadosa. Una de las líneas aéreas anunció recientemente que habría que pagar un pago adicional de cincuenta dólares si la maleta pesaba más de cincuenta libras. Añadamos las restricciones del equipaje de mano: no más de tres onzas de líquidos y la maleta tiene que ser de cierto tamaño. Se nos estimula a viajar ligero de equipaje.

Jesús anuncia sus propias instrucciones de viaje a aquellos que eligen trabajar con él. Primero les da “poder sobre los espíritus impuros” (Marcos 6:7) así como una participación en la autoridad que el Padre le ha dado a él en la misión de difundir el Evangelio de que el reino del maligno terminó y el reino de Dios ha comenzado.

Luego Jesús entra en cosas prácticas: no lleven nada para el camino, excepto un bastón para subir las colinas, ahuyentar a los animales salvajes o quitar del camino las serpientes que encuentren. No lleven alimento, ni bolsas para ropa adicional (ni siquiera una segunda túnica) ni para llevar cosas de los pueblos que visiten, ¡y ningún dinero! Se concede permiso para usar sandalias.

Finalmente, cuando lleguen a un lugar no busquen un sitio cómodo para quedarse, tomen lo que primero les ofrezcan y conténtense con ello. El foco de atención está claro, esto es, concentrarse en el mensaje: el reino de Dios está cerca. Arrepiéntanse y conviértanse. Y demuéstrenlo con sus obras: liberen a los enfermos y poseídos de lo que les aflige. ¿No le gusta a la gente el mensaje de ustedes? Sigamos su camino.

Dos mil años más tarde Jesús, el Señor resucitado, continúa llamando a gente ordinaria. En su tiempo eran pescadores, recaudadores de impuestos, activistas políticos; hoy son trabajadores de todo estrato de vida, de toda profesión u oficio. Personas que forman una familia, solteros, ancianos y cualquier persona que esté dispuesta a confesar que Dios y su obra están presentes en el mundo, que el mal no tiene la última palabra, y que toda la creación encuentra su más profundo propósito en Cristo.

—James A. Wallace, C.Ss.R.

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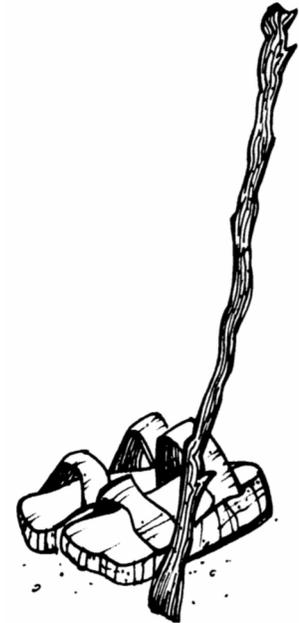


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Vivamos la Palabra de Dios

Oremos para poder reconocer adónde Dios desea que hagamos la obra de difundir la buena nueva del Reino de Dios.

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The Ministry of Lector

Proclaiming the Word is a privilege. The Liturgy of the Word is not simply a prelude to the Liturgy of the Eucharist. The Mass is a unified act in which we are nourished by God's life-giving Word and His life-giving Body.

The Lector prayerfully prepares for proclaiming the Word. The minister is aided with a workbook that provides the background of the reading, helps with pronunciation and emphasis. The responsibility of the Lector is to take the Scripture passage from the printed word and bring it to a living sound of salvation for those who hear it. The preparation to impart the Word to the community enriches the minister's own knowledge of the living word. Just as the written word was inspired by the Holy Spirit, the Holy Spirit is at work within the Lector.

“God's people should be instructed by God's Word and be nourished at the table of the Lord's Body”

Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy, no.56, Vatican Council II, (1975)

New members require approval from the pastor before being commissioned.
Persons wanting to join this ministry please call the parish office: 510-351-5244

Eucharistic Ministers

The Eucharistic ministry is open to all registered parishioners who have received the Sacrament of Confirmation. The ministers assist the Presider with the distribution of the Body and Blood of Christ during Holy Mass. The parish provides the training. New members require the approval from the pastor before being commissioned .

In this ministry, one should be an example of Christian living in faith and conduct and strive to grow in holiness through the Sacrament of love and unity.

- ✦ **Gifts Desired:** Willingness to be of service to the parish community gathered for worship.
- ✦ **Commitment:** Attend required formation meetings. Serve as required for each scheduling period.
- ✦ **Opportunity:** To develop a deeper union with our Lord in the Eucharist as well as serving the needs of the parish community.

To join this ministry, call the parish office at 510-351-5244