

ST. ANASTASIA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
SUNDAY, JUNE 9th, 2013



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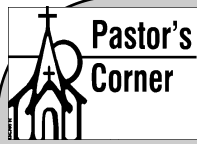
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*Parish established in 1953 in honor of  
James Francis Cardinal McIntyre*

Ministry gathers us and makes us a faith family...



**10th Sunday In Ordinary Time:** Both the first reading and the Gospel remind us powerfully that every breath we take is a gift from God. How conscious am I of this first and most precious gift? Am I a good steward of the life and time with which I have been blessed?



**Pastor's  
Corner**

Dear Parishioners,

As we progress now in earnest with Ordinary Time, the Gospel passage today is a moving example of the compassion of Jesus who raises up to life the only son of a poor widow -- the widow of Nain.

As followers of Jesus, we must face squarely that in our world today, "Nain" is not far away. It can be as close as next door, down the street, a phone call away. "Nain" is the spiritual place where our compassion, care, and love are necessary and needed. Pay attention this week. When the person from "Nain" walks by, calls, or looks you in the eye -- bring them the love and compassion of Jesus.

Congratulations to our graduates, especially from St. A's Catholic School. We are very proud of all of you!!!

Devotedly yours in Christ,  
Father Gabe

**LORD HEAR OUR PRAYER ...** For those who are ill, and those in need of our prayers ... Please let us know about the condition of those for whom we pray. We'll keep/remove their name(s) as requested, after the first few weeks.

Francine Rehberger	Jack Muñoz	Jody Bruno
Vivian Tew	Michael Jones	Cathy Lee
Sandy Dalton	Fran Wilkerson	Bertha Marcinkus
Carmen Pereira	John Swanson	Jeanne Ahern
Baby Triston Perrit	George Rader	Derek Comes
Maria Gil	Roy Sheraden	Luanne Sinski
Baby Anastasia	Sam Soller	Peggy Keelaghan
Wittenberg	Larry Lovett	Steven Appledorn
Stephen Ahearn	Ursula Lovett	Pauline Runyan
Phyllis Jones	Jorden Aponte	Sgt. Shawn Dorton
Bryce Vernon	Tom Tyrrell	Catherine Fleming
Suzanne Wheeler	Shareen Hakim	Silvana Shinsato
Victoria Mitsakos	Maxine & Stuart	Nicole Shinsato
Danny Welchance	Liebman	Delphine Gonzalez
Diana Guerra	Matthew Salvo	Bob Sapien
Jessica Schaffhausen	Sherry Stevens	Brittany Gunnell
Brenda Rooney	Bernice Cubie	Bruce Randall
Vicki Garcia	George Galip	Angelo Aparicio
Barbara DeVico	Ethel Curry	Jocelyn Cotten
Juan J. Morales	Kim Calimlim	Michelle Anaya
Juan J. Morales, Jr.	Mary Witteman	Julietta Anaya
Johann Hudson	Jose Gutierrez	Jude Keith Hebert
Lisa Dennehy	Ed Kwinn	Lisa Carlano
Lorraine Crothers	Benita Biearmer	Cathy Lee
Agnes Mocsny	Lucille Burk	Harold Washington Jr
Gerry Oakley	Delgado	Tim Mueller
Carla Roberts	Martha Keglevich	Vicky Duron
Peter Heredia		

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

**SUN., 6/09** 7:30 AM SPECIAL INTENTIONS  
9:00 AM FILOMENA RESSURREIÇÃO GARCIA †  
10:30 AM GEORGE VASEK †  
12:00 PM JOSHUA ZAPANTA †  
7:30 PM MAGGIE KOHLY †

**MON., 6/10** 6:30 AM ROBERT WELDON SR. †  
8:00 AM ROB & JEAN DURON †

**TUE., 6/11** 6:30 AM RAYMOND WELDON †  
8:00 AM ALFREDO CASILLAS †

**WED., 6/12** 6:30 AM  
8:00 AM

**THURS., 6/13** 6:30 AM  
8:00 AM SUSIE GALLO

**FRI., 6/14** 6:30 AM SPECIAL INTENTIONS  
8:00 AM

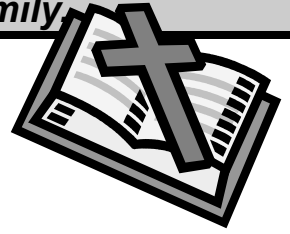
**SAT., 6/15** 8:00 AM EDWIN SISTOZA ★  
5:30 PM

Birthday ★ — Anniversary ♥ — Memorial † — Support ♦



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PRIEST? Visit: [www.lavocations.org](http://www.lavocations.org)

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**Reflection on Today's Readings:**

**FOCUS:** God, the Lord of the living and the dead, desires us to have life and live it to the fullest. God's power is revealed in many ways. Today's readings reflect this power in life-changing ways. In two instances, life is restored. In another, a life is *literally* changed. God desires us to have life. Are we taking advantage of this gift from God and living it to the fullest?

**LITURGY OF THE WORD:** The first reading tells of how the prophet Elijah restored the life of the dead son of the widow of Zarephath. Paul recounts how his life is changed and renewed by his first encounter with the Risen Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus demonstrates His great power over life and death by restoring to life the Son of the widow of Nain.



**Next Week - Celebrating Our Faith**  
**Sat., June 15th & Sun., June 16th, 2013**  
**Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**



**Masses:**

Sat: 5:30 pm.  
 Sun: 7:30 am.  
 Sun: 9:00 am.  
 Sun: 10:30 am.  
 Sun: 12:00 NN.  
 Sun: 7:30 pm.

**Celebrants:**

Msgr. Vadakin  
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 Msgr. Cox  
 Fr. Tom  
 Msgr. Cox  
 Msgr. Vadakin

We encourage all to read and reflect on the Biblical passages that will be proclaimed at all Masses next Sunday:

**Reading 1:** 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13      **Reading 2:** Gal 2:16, 19-21      **Gospel:** Lk 7:36—8:3

**The Family Visitation Ministry** offers spiritual support to those in need. Please call Sr. Teresita at 310-216-2001, or the Rectory Office at 310-670-2243.

**SATURDAY CONFESSIONS:**

3:30 - 5 pm & 7:30 - 8 pm  
 \*\* Msgr. Vadakin \*\*

✠ Please pray for those who have died, **Alfredo Casillas, Maggie Kohly** and **Vege Engler**, that they may rest in peace.

**To Receive Holy Communion**

(For those who are sick, hospitalized, or home bound) Please call Gloria Bowen, 310-670-5971, Eucharistic Minister to the sick. To have the name(s) included in our prayers, please call the Rectory Office at 310-670-2243.



**Traveling Holy Family - Family 1**

Picard Family 06/09/2013  
 Ramzi Said 06/16/2013

**Traveling Holy Family - Family 2**

Phyllis Jones 06/09/2013  
 Tim & Mary Johnson 06/16/2013



**St. Jerome Prayer Group invites you to a MASS AND HEALING SERVICE.**

Celebrant: **FR. JOHN HAMPSCH, C.M.F., Friday, June 21, 2013, 7 to 9 pm.** St. Jerome Church is located @ 5550 Thornburn St., Los Angeles, CA 90045. Religious books and articles will be available for purchases after the Healing Service. For further information contact Donatus or Murglen Muoneke @ 323-294-1940, St. Jerome Charismatic Prayer Group (SCRC).

**NAZARETH HOUSE AUXILIARY LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY, JUNE 12th:**

3333 Manning Ave., LA 90064. **Reservations:** Cathy Nichols, 310-838-8689. **Cost:** \$15. Valet parking will be available. We need donations for the store/when cleaning out think of us!

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**St. Bernard High School**

**SUMMER CLASSES AND CAMPS**

**Vikings in Training: *The Arts***: June 18 - 21, 8:30 am - 3 pm. Open to 6th - 8th grade. \$100. Includes T-Shirt.

***Athletics***: June 25 - 28, 8:30 am - 3 pm. Open to 6th - 8th grade. \$100. Includes T-Shirt

**Senior Fast Track: *Complete UC College Applications***

Hosted at Loyola Marymount University Campus. Directed by Dr. Cynthia Colon-Hoepner, SBHS Principal. Meet with UCLA and USC Admissions Counselors. Write Two College Application Essays. July 8-11; 9 am - 3 pm or July 15-18; 9 am - 3 pm. \$250 SBHS Students (\$600 Non-SBHS).

**Sports Camps: *Boys Football*** June 22.9 am - 1 pm. \$40 includes lunch and T-Shirt. Fundamentals, Drills and Conditioning

***Girls Volleyball*** July 1 - August 16, 5 - 7 pm. Starting at \$360 Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced.

***Girls Basketball*** August 3 & 4, 3 - 6 pm. \$75 includes T-Shirt. Head Coach Michelle Greco.

**St. Bernard High School**, 8100 Falmouth Ave., Playa del Rey, CA 90293. Phone: 310-823-4651. [www.stbernardhs.com](http://www.stbernardhs.com).

## Ministry in Community ...



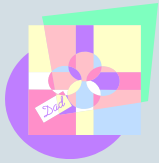
### St. Anastasia Parish SonWest RoundUp

St. Anastasia Vacation Bible School July 22 - 26<sup>th</sup>  
9 AM to Noon / Ages 4 to 9 / \$50.00

**SonWest RoundUp:** This summer, bring your buckaroos to SonWest Roundup - a Rip-Roaring Good Time with Jesus! The Wild West captures the imagination of kids of all ages! At SonWest RoundUp kids will saddle up and explore the exciting stories of Moses, they'll discover God's ultimate power and His plan of salvation through Jesus. Head out to SonWest Roundup where kids find the treasure of Jesus' love! **Saddle Up Your Horses & Git Right Along.**

Registration  
**THIS  
Sunday,  
June 9,  
2013,  
10 AM to  
12 NN  
in the  
School  
Building.**

**Father's Day Novena of Masses:** The Novena of Masses for all Fathers who are enrolled begins next **Sunday, June 16th.** Cards are available in the vestibule and by the side doors. Please complete an envelope with your father's name and place it in the collection basket or drop it off at the Parish Office. *There are also envelopes available for those of you, who would not need a card.*



### School News!!



**St. A's Catholic School** is offering summer school classes for students entering grades **1 to 4 in August 2013.** The main emphasis will be on language arts and math. Classes start at **8:30 AM** and conclude at **11:30 AM, Monday through Friday, from June 24 and end on July 12.** The cost is **\$325 per child.** Please call 310-645-8816 or email [school@st-anastasia.org](mailto:school@st-anastasia.org) for more information.



**10th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
June 9, 2013**

**You changed my mourning  
into dancing; O LORD,  
My God, forever will I give  
you thanks.  
- Psalm 30:12, 13**



#### Tips for Summer Camp Safety

Summer is almost here. School is almost out, and a whole host of new opportunities for recreation and relaxation await. Maybe you are sending your children to a music or sports camp? Or maybe they have been invited by their friends to go camping in the mountains or at the beach? Whatever the situation, it is important to remember that parents still have the responsibility of controlling access that new people will have to their children. If your children are attending a summer camp, insist that counselors or anyone else who might have access to your children have undergone an application process that includes a criminal background check and reference checks. For additional resources from VIRTUS® Online go to <http://archla.org/safeguard> "Summer Safety Tips Can Help Prevent Child Sexual Abuse." For particular help, you may call Assistance Ministry at (213) 637-7650.

**CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION for High School begins June 10th!** Please refer to flyer insert for more information and Contact Catrina at 310-670-2243 x51 or [CGrove-Reyes@st-anastasia.org](mailto:CGrove-Reyes@st-anastasia.org).

#### HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES!

**Life Teen Summer Camp Incoming Freshmen through Seniors in High School, Camp Whittier, Santa Barbara August 6-10, 2013 - \$265 (includes 4 nights/11 meals)**  
**Adventures include:** Kayaking at Lake Cachuma, high ropes course, swimming, hiking, rock climbing wall, zip line, competitive games, small groups, team building and much more! **Grow in faith with:** Praise/Worship, Daily Mass, Sacred Space, and Reflection.

**Signed and Anointed to Witness (S.A.W.) Confirmed High School Teens** St Joseph's Salesian Youth Center, Rosemead, **July 22-26, 2013 - \$225 (includes 4 nights/all meals).** \*Empowering Peer Leaders \*Developing Evangelization \*Deepening Faith & Love in Christ \*FUN.

For questions and more information for either of these opportunities please contact Catrina at 310-670-2243 x51 or [CGrove-Reyes@st-anastasia.org](mailto:CGrove-Reyes@st-anastasia.org).







**Come celebrate with the graduates from the mid 1970's!** Saint A's Reunion **June 22, 2013 7pm – 12am. Custom Hotel (formerly the Airport Marina) 8639 Lincoln Blvd, LA. \$50 p/p** (includes

appetizers, one drink ticket and gratuity). All graduates, friends, spouses, parents and siblings are welcome. Organized by the Kenworthy, Carter and McDermott families. Please contact Ann Kenworthy at her email address: [peaceinme2@gmail.com](mailto:peaceinme2@gmail.com)

**FACT OF LIFE**

**"Abortion is the un-Choice"**

"I have nowhere to turn and no support in keeping my unborn child who I already love dearly. This baby is my miracle. What do you say to a woman who has nothing? . . . I am faced with a decision I never wanted to make. I just wish that there were more options for us women who face these decisions." These words of desperation and urgency from Anna, whom I had never met, greeted me via e-mail last week. This sweet, dear woman and her children had been abandoned and she was being coerced, directly and indirectly, into aborting the baby that she already loved. Planned Parenthood stood ready and willing to kill her child and pocket the money—a Mother's Day "gift" that would burrow deep into her heart a tunnel of never ending grief, pain, and loss. Mother's Day would always be a reminder of the loss of Anna's baby and all that precious child had to give to the world. . . . A situation like hers is the rule, not the exception. The Medical Science Monitor reported in 2004 that 64 percent of women having abortions said they felt pressured to abort. The Elliott Institute points to this statistic and many others, in its "Abortion is the un-Choice" campaign. Does Anna's situation—and that of the majority of women seeking abortions—sound like liberating choice? By the grace of God, several Christians reached out to her and were able to convince her that they would pull out all the stops to help her through this pregnancy, and she found the courage to cancel the abortion appointment just a few days before Mother's Day. On Mother's Day, she was fleeing coerced abortion as she poured out every ounce of energy she had left within to save her preborn baby's life. Anna is my Mother's Day heroine. In her struggle to save her child, she reminds me of Jesus, who gave his last ounce of blood for us so that we might live.

Rita Diller, LifeNews.Com May 24, 2013

**The Retirement Fund for Archdiocesan Priests takes place TODAY, Sunday, June 9th .** This Collection is being taken up in all the parishes in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. This Collection helps secure the retirement priests of our Archdiocese. Your generosity after thought and prayer is very much appreciated. It is our way of saying "thank you" to the priests who have served us over the years! All our priests are very grateful to you for your consideration and generosity in the past. Envelopes are in the pews. Thanks and God Bless!



**Living Faith for Kids:**

*When [God]... called me through His grace... I did not immediately consult flesh and blood, nor did I go up to Jerusalem..." - Galatians 1:15-17*

After St. Paul's conversion, he spent three years in Arabia and Damascus before visiting the apostles or beginning to preach. It's similar to Jesus' fasting in the desert before beginning His Ministry. If God wants us to do something, He gives us time to prepare. Praying and fasting shows us where God is leading and always ends in reunion with the whole Christian family.

*May I never forget to pray, Jesus.*

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**Today's Readings:**

1 Kings 17:17-24 ♦ Psalm 30:2, 4-6, 11-13  
Galatians 1:11-19 ♦ Luke 7:11-17



**CLIMATE SCIENCE UPDATE - NASA on Effects of**

**Climate Change:** The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) recently published [a new video](http://www.nasa.gov/topics/earth/features/wetter-wet.html) (<http://www.nasa.gov/topics/earth/features/wetter-wet.html>) projecting the consequences of climate change on drought and rainfall around the world. According to NASA, *The study shows for the first time how rising carbon dioxide concentrations could affect the entire range of rainfall types on Earth.* In particular, *Analysis of computer simulations from 14 climate models indicates wet regions of the world, such as the equatorial Pacific Ocean and Asian monsoon regions, will see increases in heavy precipitation because of warming resulting from projected increases in carbon dioxide levels. Arid land areas outside the tropics and many regions with moderate rainfall could become drier.* Visit also <http://catholicclimatecovenant.org/>



**REMINDERS!**



- ★ **TODAY, Sun., June 9th, Nurses Ministry, Blood Pressure readings, after the 10:30 am and 12 Noon Masses in Diamond Courtyard.**
- ★ **Sunday, June 16th, the St. Joseph Center Collection takes place, after all Masses. Your generous contributions benefit the poorest and needy of the Westside area. Donations of cash/ non-perishable food are greatly appreciated.**
- ★ **SCHOOL NEWS:**  
Friday, June 7th, Graduation Day!!  
Friday, June 14th, Last Day of School ☺  
**CONGRATULATIONS!! HAPPY SUMMER!!**

\*\* For info and questions regarding any of these events, please call the Rectory Office @ 310-670-2243.

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**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

**MASSES -**

**WEEKDAYS**

Mon-Fri: 6:30AM & 8:00AM  
First Friday: 6:30AM, 8AM,  
11AM (School in session)

Saturday: 8:00AM

**WEEKENDS**

Saturday (Vigil): 5:30PM  
Sunday: 7:30AM, 9AM, 10:30AM, 12 & 7:30PM

**HOLY DAYS**

Holy Day Vigil Mass: 5:30PM  
Holy Day: 6:30AM, 8:00AM, 11AM (during  
the School year) & 7:00PM  
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**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

Saturday: 3:30PM-5:00PM & 7:30-8:00PM

**DEVOTIONS:** Miraculous Medal Novena,  
Rosary and Benediction - Monday, following the  
8AM Mass.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** First Saturday of  
the month from 8:30AM- 9:30AM

**ANointing OF THE SICK:** Sacrament for the  
Sick is celebrated upon request of family  
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**BAPTISM:** Parents and Godparents are  
required to participate in preparation program.  
Contact the Rectory Office 310-670-2243 or  
Fred & Esmeralda Balsz @ 679-9119.

**MARRIAGE:** Engaged couples must contact the  
Rectory no later than 6 months before their  
proposed wedding date. Call the Rectory Office  
310-670-2243.

**R.C.I.A.:** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) -  
*Becoming Catholics* - Please call the Rectory.

**Funerals:** Contact the Pastor by calling the  
Rectory Office, 310-670-2243.

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

**Ministers of the Eucharist**

Gloria Bowen-to the Sick... 670-5971  
Jan & Herb Masi... 641-2819

**Ministers of the Word**

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Sr. Teresita..... 216-2001

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**Altar Servers**

Ed Charette..... 823-3118

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Richard Arias ..... 641-4194

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**PASTOR**

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Msgr. Gregory A. Cox

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School Office Manager, Bookkeeper

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**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

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Catrina Grove-Reyes ..... 670-2243

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Lori Mountain ..... 502-9105

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Ben Oakley.....670-2771

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Elizabeth O'Neill.....213-595-1533

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Karen Diaz ..... 670-2243

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Jayne Cram..... 645-1140

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Will Haas.....818.419-5817

St. Margaret's Center

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Cindy Begazo..... 306-9390

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..... [jeanne@pieper.com](mailto:jeanne@pieper.com)

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Susan Senia.....670-2243

Men's Spirituality

Joe Berberich..... 745-7009

Shad Meshad ..... 568-1065

Men's Morning Hour

.....670-2243

MOMS Ministry

Jayne Cram.....645-1140

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Phyllis Jones.....670-3505

Bible Study

Susan Senia..... 822-6511

Social Ministry

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