



October 21 2018, The Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

TOO MUCH INFORMATION!

There is a common expression: "Too much information!" We usually use it when people tell us details about their lives that we don't want or need to know. Today, when James and John ask Jesus a simple question, making their request for places of honor in the kingdom, a simple answer might have been in order. Instead, as he often does, Jesus answers a question with a question; today it's about drinking the cup of suffering. Then, once the others are indignant over James and John's outrageous request, he proceeds to give them what may have been "too much information" for followers who were simply interested in the pursuit of glory. But this information, though it can sometimes seem "too much" for us, is essential for our lives as disciples. In Isaiah, in Hebrews, and in Mark today, we learn this information. It is in suffering, in weakness, in self-giving service to others, that we come to understand the kingdom. It is the information we need to find our place and come to be honored in the reign of God.

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SACRED HEART PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are a diverse, multi-cultural Roman Catholic Parish.

Relying on the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we endeavor to build the kingdom of God through liturgy, prayer, education and outreach to those in need.

We come together as a faith community

to celebrate life's joys and sorrows and minister to all who come to us.



Prayers for Strength and Healing If you wish to add someone to the prayer concerns for the sick, please gain permission from the patient *before* calling the Parish Office. Thank you.

Please remember in your prayers, the sick and their caregivers:

Rafaela Cendejas, María Guerrero, Joe Mora, Alicia Prieto, Dcn. Jack Bullen, Shawna Roberson, Carol Roberson, Tim Coombs, Bea Lambdin, Barbara Bullen, Maile Nail, Ana Ceja, Glenda Parker, Ferrell Shatswell, Doug Bauman & Family, Dan Spanfelner, Mary Jane Best, Bill Pierce, Anakona Pierce, Vanessa DeLaTorre and Family, Kolton Kafader, Trisha Andrews, Ellen Gentry, Carol Underwood, Scotty Brown, Donna Schoelen, Wynette deBraga, Kathleen Figueriedo, Clare Carbonell, Cheryl Oylear, Susan Taylor, Dottie Hackson, Bertha Erbes, Mark Preston, Cindy McDonald, Justine McDonald, Carolyn Gilbert, Jim Logan, Kathy Lammay, Diamond Family, Rebecca Anderson, Dave Klingforth, Peggy Kinner Dawson, Rudy Casados, Johnny T. Seyssel, Maria Martinez, Cadence Bonham, Sam Ranberg, Cee Dempsey, Cynthia Loeffler, Barbara Ranberg, Karen Chandler, Theresa Casados, James Casados, Laurie Nelson, Amelia Perston, Verna Schmitz, Jane Shea.

~Rest in Peace~

Rita George, Austreberto Montero-Gomez

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

As election campaigns move into high gear, sometimes the phrase "the Catholic vote" is heard. It's an interesting concept, since Catholics started out in this country as a very fragile group: fewer than forty thousand of us at the time of the first census in 1790, and only about 2 percent of the population by 1830. It was a priestless church for all intents and purposes, lay-led clusters of Catholics waiting patiently for the occasional visit of a priest, sustained by gathering when they could on Sunday for devotional prayer like litanies and the rosary. They tried to hold on to their ancestral faith as best they could. Archbishop Jean-Louis Cheverus told one family in Maine to "every day say your prayers on your knees with affection, and every Sunday gather to hear the Gospel, to pray in common, and to quiz the children on the catechism."

Inevitably, some became Protestant, but many more stayed Catholic from generation to generation, with very little encouragement or sacramental ministry from the clergy. Archbishop John Carroll, the first American bishop, tried to make Church law flexible: shortening the length of the fast before Communion, easing the Lenten fast, and even relaxing the rule of Sabbath rest at harvest time. Catholicism in England had been quietly sustained in this way for two centuries, and the first American Catholics carried on as had their ancestors, providing a fertile soil for the unprecedented success and phenomenal growth of the Church in our country.

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Mass Schedule / Intentions

Week of October 22-28

Mon: 7:00 AM	† Condon Family
Tues: 7:00 AM	† William Lindner
Wed: 7:00 AM	† Mary Treat
Thurs: 7:00 AM	Intentions of Bill Treat & Family
Fri: 7:00 AM	No Mass
Sat: 5:15 PM	Intentions of Nancy Garcia
7:00 PM	† Manjit Bains
Sun: 8:00 AM	† John Mertens
10:00 AM	† Mary Treat
12:00 PM	Pro Populo

Rosary for October: ~ For increased devotion to the Blessed

Mother and her holy Rosary ~

Feast Days and Readings for the Week

Monday:	St. John Paul II, Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	St. John of Capistrano, Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-14; Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	St. Anthony Mary Claret, Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 13:1-9
Sunday:	Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

Week at a Glance October 21-28

Sun: All Masses/World Mission Collection

2:00-4:00 PM Confirmation Class & Parents-Church
Mon: 2:00 PM Finance Committee- David's Rm
6:30 PM ARISE- West Rm
7:00 PM Youth Group- Parish Hall
Tues: 6:00 PM Pastoral Council- David's Rm
6:30 PM Boy Scouts- West Rm
7:00 PM Spanish Holy Hour- Church
Wed: 8:30 AM School Mass- Church
10:00 AM Women's Guild- West Rm
6:30 PM Choir- Church
6:30 PM Arbol de Amor, call 736-1462
6:45 PM CFF- Sacred Heart School
7:00 PM Pilares- St. Mary's Hall
Thurs: 8:00 AM Rummage Sale Prep-St. Mary's Hall
11:00 AM Liturgy Committee- David's Rm
5-8 PM Halloween Carnival- Parish Hall
6:30 PM RCIA- David's Rm
Fri: 6:00 PM Spanish Choir- St. Mary's Hall
Sat: 8 AM-4 PM Catechist Formation- Parish Hall
Sun: 9:30-2PM Youth Group Taco Sale- St. Mary's Hall

BAPTISM CLASS: Parents and Godparents of children to be baptized are required to take an Adults-only Baptism Preparation Class. The Spanish class is usually held on the last Monday of the month at 7 PM in David's Rm. The class in English is usually held the first Tuesday of every month at 7 PM in David's Room. Please call the office to register, and to confirm the class date, 527 - 1351.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS concerns: Karina Ramirez; kramirez@sacredheartrb.org

LAY MINISTRY: Breanna Farmer; brose@sacredheartrb.org

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Jay Arnold, Grand Knight, 530-200-9136.

PARISH OFFICE: 10 AM to 4 PM, Mon-Fri, 2355 Monroe Ave., 527 - 1351; Fax 529 - 2586.

RCIA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): For persons wanting to know more about the Catholic faith please call 527 - 1351.

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY: Margie Duey, 586-1506

ROSARY TEAM: To join a rosary team, call Cindy Sale, at 527 - 4854

SACRED HEART PARISH E-MAIL: sacredheartrb@hotmail.com

SACRED HEART PARISH WEBSITE:

www.sacredheartredbluff.org.

WOMEN'S GUILD: Sandi Kramer, President, 527-8900.

NEW PARISHIONERS, OR IF YOU ARE NOT RECEIVING

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES: Please call the Parish Office at 527 - 1351.

***Singers Needed! The choir is looking for new members. Come on altos tenors and bass, I know you are out there, I hear you singing on Sundays! You do not have to know how to read music. We want to start rehearsing for our Christmas concert. Please call Marie Stricker if you are interested at 526-2647, hope to hear from you soon!**

Mercy High School

Mercy High School invites you to attend a "Back to the 80's" dinner auction on Nov 3 at the Prescott Ballroom in Red Bluff. Tickets are \$75 per person and include a hosted bar. Please join us for a wonderful evening, fine food and appetizers, silent and live auctions, fun 80's music and games, and more! Go to <https://mercyhs.ejoinme.org/80s> for tickets, sponsorships and donations. Call 527-8313 for more details. Have an auction item donation? Contact Anne Coelho at acoelho@mercy-high.org

World Mission Collection

This weekend, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Each year, the entire Church is invited to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the poorest of the poor. This year, we are invited to "Chat with the Pope" to learn more about his missions. Scan this year's World Mission Sunday poster using Facebook Messenger for your mobile device, or learn more at ChatWithThePope.org

LifeNet to host True Grit Western Banquet! You are invited to join us for the First Annual LifeNet Banquet, with a Western flair! It will be held on Saturday, November 3, at High Point Church, 625 Luther Rd. Doors open at 5:15 so that you can take part in the Silent Auction. Dinner & program will start at 6:00. featuring Bonnie Christensen, M.A. as the keynote speaker. To purchase a table for 8 (\$240) or individual tickets (\$32) go to lifenet-banquet.eventbrite.com or call 530-727-9888. Hope to see you there!

Endowment Boutique

New Fall items are on display at the Endowment Boutique Sale today! A Bride Doll Silent Auction has begun! Place your bid to delight the little girl in your life! A special is running on beautiful Advent Calendars for children. The food table is offering Chocolate Cream Pie, Rhubarb and Strawberry Pie and Deep Dutch Oven Apple Pie with ice cream. There is so much more. Plus another parishioner has offered a \$ for \$ Match up to \$500 spent this weekend. If we earn \$1600 just this weekend, we will reach the total of \$5000 to benefit the Sherwin Colaste Scholarship Endowment Fund. Be inspired to shop for the sake of our Catholic children!

Sacred Heart School is holding a Yard Sale benefiting the 5th/6th grade Whiskeytown Environmental Camp. We have to raise a little over \$5000 to send every student to the camp. The yard sale will be held November 10th at the School and we are accepting any donations of yard sale items or cash beginning 10/15. Please bring them to the school any time between 9am to 2pm, or contact Paulette Hendricks, to arrange pickup 526-0042

1st Annual Coats for Kids

The owners of Crown Cleaners, founders of the Back to School Project, would like to ask members of our community to help children in our local schools prepare for the colder weather by donating new or gently used coats, jackets and socks. There are many drop off locations throughout Red Bluff, such as Dolling Insurance, Tobin & Associates and the CHP office. If you do not have clothes to donate but would still like to help, consider making a tax-deductible donation payable to "Back to School Project/Coats for Kids" at P.O. Box 292 Red Bluff, CA 96080. All donated jackets will be cleaned by Crown cleaners and distributed to children in our local area schools. Help make sure every child has a warm coat to wear to school. For more information, please call 530-727-9560 or visit them on Facebook at Crown Cleaners RB and Back To School Project for a full list of drop off locations and recent updates.

All Saints Day – Thursday, November 1st is a Holy Day of Obligation that is dedicated to the saints of the Church, who have attained heaven. We are offering four different mass times; 7AM, 8:30AM (School mass), 5:30PM (English), and 7PM (Spanish). There will also be 7AM Mass on Friday, Nov. 2 in honor of All Souls Day. Please call the church office for any questions.

Our parish Youth group is going to have a Taco Sale in the church basement Saturday, Oct. 28 from 9 AM-2 PM please stop by for this delicious fundraiser!