



CATHEDRAL OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Stewards of God's Gifts

July 13, 2025 | 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY | DOMINGO

8:00 am	English
10:00 am	English
12:00 pm	Español
2:00 pm	Chinese
4:00 pm	English
6:00 pm	Español

No livestream in July.

Monday—Friday

Lunes—Viernes

12:10 pm

ADORATION

ADORACIÓN

Wednesday & Thursday

Miercoles y Jueves

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

RECONCILIACIÓN

Monday—Friday

Lunes—Viernes

11:30 am—12:00 pm

Saturday | Sabado

4:00 pm—5:00 pm

CATHEDRAL HOURS

Monday—Friday

10:00 am—4:00 pm

(hours subject to change if needed)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday

9:00 am—noon & 1 pm—4 pm



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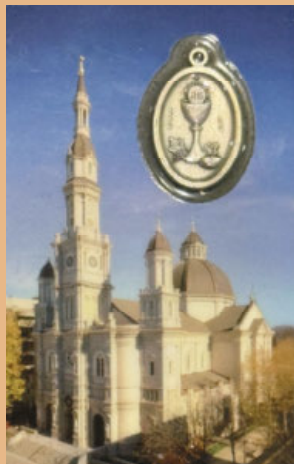
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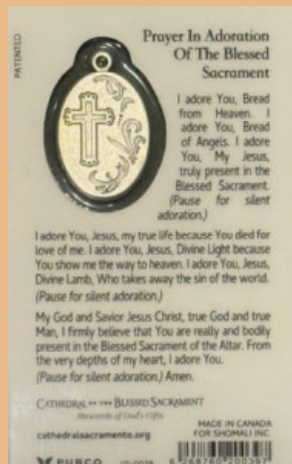


Events and Information

Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament Prayer Card



Available for purchase at the Gift Shop located in the lower level. Open Sundays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.



REMEMBER in your prayers

Tanya (RIP)
Ruth M.
Maria
Christina
Joseph S. (RIP)
Ricky (RIP)
Fred W.
Nicholas S.
Janice
Aunt Helen (RIP)

Cathedral Prayer Chain

Prayer.chain.sacramento@gmail.com



KEEP THE FLAME ALIVE

With Father O'Reilly

Taking a break in July. But will start up again on Wednesday, August 6 at 7:00 pm via Zoom. It is never too late to join!

Contact Donna: flamealive22@gmail.com

MANTENGA LA LLAMA

Con Padre O'Reilly

Nos tomaremos un descanso en julio. Pero volveremos el miércoles 6 de agosto a las 7pm por Zoom. ¡Nunca es tarde para unirse!

Contacto con Donna: flamealive22@gmail.com



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11:30 am to 12:00 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

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Lunes - Viernes

11:30 am to 12:00 pm

Sábado 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

ADORATION

Wednesday & Thursday

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

ADORACIÓN

Miércoles y Jueves

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm



THE HOLY ROSARY

On break in July. Will resume August 6.
praytherosarywithus@yahoo.com

EL SANTO ROSARIO

En receso en julio. Reanudación el 6 de agosto.
praytherosarywithus@yahoo.com

HOLY HOUR OF REPARATION

Friday, August 1 — First Friday of each month immediately following the 12:10 Mass in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

HORA SANTA DE LA REPARACIÓN

Viernes 1 de agosto — Primer viernes de cada mes inmediatamente después de la Misa de las 12:10 en la Capilla del Santísimo Sacramento.

COMPLIMENTARY

SUNDAY CATHEDRAL DOCENT TOURS

English at 9am & 11am and **Spanish** at 1pm

English at 5pm, 2nd & 4th Sundays (through October)

Chinese at 3pm, 4th Sunday

Meet by the Baptismal font.

Docents share how our beautiful and important works of art symbolically express spiritual beliefs intrinsic to our Catholic Faith.

VISITAS GRATUITAS POR LA CATEDRAL CON DOCENTES LOS DOMINGOS

En **español** a la 1 pm; **inglés** a las 9 am y a las 11 am

Inglés a las 5 pm, 2º y 4º domingos (hasta octubre)

Chino a las 3 pm, 4º domingo

Encontrarse cerca de la fuente bautismal.

Los docentes comparten cómo nuestras bellas e importantes obras de arte expresan simbólicamente las creencias espirituales fundamentales a nuestra Fe católica.

Eventos e información



Do you have a passion for sacred music and choral singing? The Cathedral Choir is seeking experienced singers for the upcoming season, which runs from September through Corpus Christi. The choir sings for the 10:00 AM Sunday Mass, as well as Christmas, Holy Week/ Easter, and various diocesan liturgies.

Requirements:

- Ability to read music.
 - Prior choral experience preferred.
 - Commitment to regular rehearsals and liturgies.
- Rehearsals held on Wednesdays from 7:15–9:00 PM.

Bring beautiful music to life each week at the Cathedral as you help lead the Church in sung prayer!

Contact: Rex Rallanka, Director of Liturgy & Music
Email: rrallanka@cbssac.org Phone: (916) 970-9725

Adult Confirmation Class

Mondays, 7:00 - 8:30pm Aug. 11 until Nov. 10
Register at **CATHEDRAL CONFIRMATION CLASS**
https://register.etransfer.com/cgi-bin/acct/OX59P9NN45/displayForm.pl?dir=KC8YQLPO_2025
\$35.00 fee for materials

Catechist Foundations Classes

Eight in-person sessions, once a month
beginning Saturday, October 25
4:00 - 5:00 PM in Cathedral Lower Level
\$20 / session
Completion earns basic catechist certification
Register: <https://www.scd.org/catecheticalfoundations>

Clases de Fundamentos para Catequistas

Ocho sesiones presenciales, una vez al mes
Comienza el sábado 25 de octubre
16:00 - 17:00 h en la planta baja de la Catedral
\$20 por sesión
Al completar el curso se obtiene la certificación básica de catequista.
Registro: <https://www.scd.org/fundamentoscatequeticos>

ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC

Friday, August 8
from 5pm – 9pm
at St. Joseph's in Clarksburg

**Sponsored by the
Parish Council**

**SAVE THE
DATE!**



MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, July 25

in Mercy Hall

Doors open at 6pm

Showtime 6:30pm

Sponsored by the Catholic Store



GIFTED HANDS

July 25, 2025

Mercy Hall

Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament

Doors open 6:00pm Showtime 6:30pm

Gifted Hands reveals the remarkable journey of Dr. Ben Carson from an angry, struggling young boy with everything stacked against him to the director of pediatric neurosurgery at the Johns Hopkins Children's Center. As a boy, he did poorly in school and struggled with anger. If it were not for the persistence of his mother, a single parent who worked three jobs and pushed her sons to do their best, his story may have ended tragically. Join Dr. Carson on his journey from a struggling inner-city student to the pinnacle of his career as a world-renowned neurosurgeon. A man of humility, decency, compassion, courage, and sensitivity, he now serves as a role model for everyone who wants to achieve their God-given potential.

Stewards of God's Gifts/Administradores de los dones de Dios

The Stewardship Advisors hosted Donut Sunday on June 22 and answered parishioners' questions while enjoying coffee and a goodie. The Stewardship Advisors was formed in 2021 to help Father O'Reilly create a parish where people give of their time, talent and treasure as a grateful response to God's gifts.

How do the Advisors help promote this culture within our Cathedral? First, we strive to be good examples of living as stewards of God's gifts daily. We also organize two major events: the Parish Lenten Retreat and the Stewardship Commitment Renewal in September.

Commitment Renewal asks parishioners to make personal commitments to offer their time, talent and treasure to Jesus during our Ministry Fair. This year the Ministry Fair will be held on September 14 and showcases all the Cathedral ministries for parishioners to become involved in. Plan on attending to see which ministry draws you in to serve God through our parish needs.

The Advisors also help facilitate the bi-monthly Stewardship Newsletter that features ministries, profiles parishioners, and highlights special events.

For more Stewardship information, please contact Maria Balakshin at mariabal@comcast.net.

The Cathedral's tagline is "Stewards of God's Gifts" reminding us all to be good stewards of the gifts God has given us.

Los Asesores de Corresponsabilidad organizaron el Domingo de la Dona el 22 de junio y respondieron las preguntas de los feligreses mientras disfrutaban de un café y un bocadillo. Los Asesores de Corresponsabilidad se formaron en 2021 para ayudar al Padre O'Reilly a crear una parroquia donde las personas donen su tiempo, talento y tesoro como respuesta agradecida a los dones de Dios.

¿Cómo ayudan los Asesores a promover esta cultura en nuestra Catedral? Primero, nos esforzamos por ser buenos ejemplos de cómo vivimos como administradores de los dones de Dios a diario. También organizamos dos eventos importantes: el Retiro Parroquial de Cuaresma y la Renovación del Compromiso de Corresponsabilidad en septiembre.

La Renovación del Compromiso invita a los feligreses a comprometerse personalmente a ofrecer su tiempo, talento y tesoro a Jesús durante nuestra Feria de Ministerios. Este año, la Feria de Ministerios se llevará a cabo el 14 de septiembre y presentará todos los ministerios de la Catedral para que los feligreses participen. Asista para ver qué ministerio le atrae para servir a Dios a través de las necesidades de nuestra parroquia. Los Asesores también ayudan a facilitar el Boletín de Mayordomía bimensual, que presenta ministerios, perfila a los feligreses y destaca eventos especiales.

Esperamos haber respondido a estas preguntas. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Maria Balakshin en mariabal@comcast.net.

El lema de la Catedral es "Administradores de los Dones de Dios", lo que nos recuerda a todos que debemos ser buenos administradores de los dones que Dios nos ha dado.



DONUT SUNDAY

On August 24,
join the **Family Faith Formation**
after 8 AM and 10 AM Masses
for a donut and coffee mixer
in the Lower Level.

Front Door Ministry and Spanish Parents
Group Leaders will host in September.
El Ministerio de Puerta Principal y los líderes del
grupo de padres hispanohablantes serán los
anfitriones en septiembre.



Faith Formation & Evangelization



Social Teaching of the Church Life & Dignity of the Human Person

*"See what love
the Father
bestowed...
we may be called
the children of God."*
1 John 3:1

Pilgrims of Hope: Giving Life and Dignity to every Human Person

Last week, we gave an overview of the Catholic Social Teaching. If we want to take our Catholic life seriously, these seven teachings will shape our life. They can challenge us, because they speak to the ways of God—not to the ways of the surrounding culture. The first one, on Life and Dignity of the Human Person, we read in the Catechism:

"The dignity of the human person is rooted in his creation in the image and likeness of God (article 1); it is fulfilled in his vocation to divine beatitude (article 2). It is essential to a human being free to direct himself to this fulfillment (article 3)."

This gift of dignity of the person is from God, because we share in his likeness (Imago Dei). The core value of this teaching hinges on the value of every human being, from the very beginning of life to the end of life. Our inherent value is very different than the value placed on material things, like our cars and refrigerators. These things have an 'instrumental' value; they hold value so long as they fulfil a need for us. If our car breaks down, we can throw it away. Human beings are very different in their value; they are never to be discarded or only considered as worthy of life for what they can offer society. All humans are valuable solely because they have intrinsic worth given by God. To read more about Catholic social teaching on the dignity of the human person, go to: <https://is.gd/humandignity>



La semana pasada dimos una visión general de la doctrina social católica. Si queremos tomarnos en serio nuestra vida católica, estas siete enseñanzas conformarán nuestra vida. Pueden interpelarnos, porque hablan de los caminos de Dios, no de los caminos de la cultura circundante. La primera, sobre la Vida y la Dignidad de la Persona Humana, la leemos en el Catecismo: «La dignidad de la persona humana hunde sus raíces en su creación a imagen y semejanza de Dios (art. 1); se realiza en su vocación a la bienaventuranza divina (art. 2). Es esencial al ser humano libre para orientarse a esta plenitud (artículo 3)».

Este don de la dignidad de la persona viene de Dios, porque participamos de su semejanza (Imago Dei). El valor central de esta enseñanza gira en torno al valor de cada ser humano, desde el comienzo de la vida hasta el final de la misma. Nuestro valor inherente es muy diferente del valor que se da a las cosas materiales, como los coches y los frigoríficos. Estas cosas tienen un valor «instrumental»; tienen valor mientras satisfagan una necesidad para nosotros; nuestro coche se estropea, podemos tirarlo. Los comienzos humanos tienen un valor muy distinto; nunca deben desecharse ni considerarse dignos de vida por lo que puedan ofrecer a la sociedad; son valiosos únicamente porque tienen un valor intrínseco otorgado por Dios. Para leer más sobre la doctrina social católica sobre la dignidad de la persona humana, vaya a: <https://is.gd/humandignity>

**Summer Mass Prep
Preparación de la misa**
is.gd/massprep2025
**Sunday readings and
video explanation.**
**Lecturas dominicales
explicación en video**



As Catholics, we are called to partner with God in proclaiming the Gospel. We need your help in accompanying those seeking Christ! **Join OCIA, Sponsor Ministry, and/or Faith Formation Support Ministry!**

Contact Sr. Lisa Marie for details:
religioused@cbssac.org

Como católicos, estamos llamados a colaborar con Dios en el anuncio del Evangelio. ¡Necesitamos su ayuda para acompañar a los que buscan a Cristo! ¡Únete a OCIA, Ministerio de Padrinos, y/o Ministerio de Apoyo a la Formación en la Fe! Póngase en contacto con la Hna. Lisa Marie para más detalles:
religioused@cbssac.org

Families learning the Faith together has been one of the best gifts to our Cathedral Community.

The Catholic Church teaches that Parents are the primary educators of their children. **Each lesson will have:**

- 1) Introduction to words of Jesus in the Sunday Gospel;
- 2) A lesson from the Catechism and Church doctrine. **Home lesson:** complete the Gospel weeklies together.

**FAITH FORMATION
2025-2026 REGISTRATION**



Registration 2025-2026
Family Faith Formation is open

**Registration Hours
this week in Parish Office**
TUE July 15, 6:00—7:30 PM
SAT July 19, 10:00—11:30 AM

Questions or for appointment, contact the Faith Formation office at: religioused@cbssac.org

Family Faith Formation and OCIA—Formation of Faith and of Sacraments for Children and Adults

Formación en la Fe y Evangelización

Mass Preparation
Sunday, July 20, 2025

**Prepare: 16th Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

Genesis 18:1-10a

Psalm 15:2-3, 3-4, 5

Colossians 1:24-28

Luke 10:38-42

Focus of the Gospel:

The story of Martha and Mary in Luke 10:38-42 is the Gospel for the 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C. It shows how distractions can affect our relationship with God. In the story, Martha is busy with hosting tasks, while Mary sits at Jesus' feet and listens to Him. When Martha complains and asks Jesus to make Mary help her, He gently tells Martha she is "anxious and troubled about many things." Jesus explains that Mary has made the better choice by focusing on Him.

This Gospel asks us to think about how we spend our time and whether we put God first. Like Martha, we can get caught up in the busyness of life and let distractions take over. This lesson helps us think about our own "Martha moments" and how to make time for prayer and being with Jesus. It reminds us that while work and responsibilities are important, our relationship with God should come first. By following Mary's example, we can grow closer to Jesus and find peace, even when life is busy.

Reflect:

- ♦ Think about a time you had guests in your home. Were you able to listen to them while you were attending to their needs? Where was the majority of your time?
- ♦ The Gospel shows us the importance of prayer (Mary's part) and service (Martha's part). How are both outlets important in discipleship?



Preparación para la Misa
Domingo, 20 de Julio 2025

**Prepara: XVI Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario**

Génesis 18:1-10a

Salmo 15:2-3, 3-4, 5

Colosenses 1:24-28

Lucas 10:38-42

Enfoque del evangelio:

La historia de Marta y María en Lucas 10:38-42 es el Evangelio del 16º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, Año C. Muestra cómo las distracciones pueden afectar nuestra relación con Dios. En la historia, Marta está ocupada con las tareas de la casa, mientras María se sienta a los pies de Jesús y le escucha. Cuando Marta se queja y le pide a Jesús que haga que María la ayude, Él le dice suavemente a Marta que está «ansiosa y preocupada por muchas cosas.» Jesús le explica que María ha hecho la mejor elección al centrarse en Él.

Este Evangelio nos pide que pensemos en cómo empleamos nuestro tiempo y si ponemos a Dios en primer lugar. Como Marta, podemos quedar atrapados en el ajetreo de la vida y dejar que las distracciones se apoderen de nosotros. Esta lección nos ayuda a pensar en nuestros propios «momentos Marta» y en cómo dedicar tiempo a la oración y a estar con Jesús. Nos recuerda que, aunque el trabajo y las responsabilidades son importantes, nuestra relación con Dios debe ser lo primero. Siguiendo el ejemplo de María, podemos acercarnos más a Jesús y encontrar la paz, incluso cuando la vida es ajetreada.

Reflejar:

- ♦ Piensa en alguna ocasión en la que hayas tenido invitados en casa. ¿Pudiste escucharlos mientras atendías sus necesidades? ¿Dónde estaba la mayor parte de tu tiempo?
- ♦ El Evangelio nos muestra la importancia de la oración (por parte de María) y del servicio (por parte de Marta). ¿De qué manera son importantes ambas salidas en el discipulado?

**How do I become Catholic?
We want to help!**



**Have all your Sacraments?
Do you know someone who
has expressed an interest in
the Catholic faith?**

Come and See with OCIA!

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is a formative journey for those who are seeking Christ and completion of Sacraments in the Roman Catholic Church.

*Our next session begins Monday,
August 4 at 7:00 PM in Mercy Hall.*

*For those baptized in the Catholic or
other Christian tradition
but did not receive
Confirmation and Eucharist.*

*For those of other or no faith
tradition who are seeking meaning in
their lives.*

OCIA SCHEDULE

SUN 13 JULY	8:00 am Breaking of the Word (BOW)
SUN 20 JULY	8:00 am Breaking of the Word (BOW)

**OCIA Mondays will be on
break in July and resumes
August 4.**



Sacramental Preparation



Catechist Ministry



Formation Retreats

Sister Lisa Marie Doty, FDCC, Director of Faith Formation & OCIA | slmdoty@cbssac.org | 916-444-5364

Liturgy of the Word

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reading 1 Dt 30:10-14

Moses said to the people:

"If only you would heed the voice of the LORD, your God, and keep his commandments and statutes that are written in this book of the law, when you return to the LORD, your God, with all your heart and all your soul.

"For this command that I enjoin on you today is not too mysterious and remote for you. It is not up in the sky, that you should say, 'Who will go up in the sky to get it for us and tell us of it, that we may carry it out?' Nor is it across the sea, that you should say, 'Who will cross the sea to get it for us and tell us of it, that we may carry it out?' No, it is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out."

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37

R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

I pray to you, O LORD,
for the time of your favor, O God!
In your great kindness answer me
with your constant help. Answer me, O
LORD, for bounteous is your
kindness: in your great mercy turn
toward me.

R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

I am afflicted and in pain;
let your saving help, O God, protect
me. I will praise the name of God in
song, and I will glorify him with
thanksgiving. Turn to the Lord in your
need, and you will live. "See, you lowly
ones, and be glad; you who seek God,
may your hearts revive! For the LORD
hears the poor, and his own who are in
bonds he spurns not."

R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

For God will save Zion
and rebuild the cities of Judah.
The descendants of his servants shall
inherit it, and those who love his name
shall inhabit it.

R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

Reading 2 Col 1:15-20

Christ Jesus is the image of the
invisible God, the firstborn of all
creation. For in him were created all

things in heaven and on earth, the
visible and the invisible, whether
thrones or dominions or principalities
or powers; all things were created
through him and for him. He is before
all things, and in him all things hold
together. He is the head of the body,
the church. He is the beginning, the
firstborn from the dead, that in all
things he himself might be preeminent.
For in him all the fullness was pleased
to dwell, and through him to reconcile
all things for him, making peace by the
blood of his cross through him, whether
those on earth or those in heaven.

Alleluia Cf. Jn 6:63c, 68c

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life;
you have the words of everlasting life.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel Lk 10:25-37

There was a scholar of the law who
stood up to test Jesus and said,
"Teacher, what must I do to inherit
eternal life?" Jesus said to him, "What
is written in the law? How do you read
it?" He said in reply, "You shall love the
Lord, your God, with all your heart,
with all your being, with all your
strength, and with all your mind, and
your neighbor as yourself." He replied
to him, "You have answered correctly;
do this and you will live."

But because he wished to justify
himself, he said to Jesus, "And who is
my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man
fell victim to robbers as he went down
from Jerusalem to Jericho. They
stripped and beat him and went off
leaving him half-dead. A priest
happened to be going down that road,
but when he saw him, he passed by on
the opposite side. Likewise a Levite
came to the place, and when he saw
him, he passed by on the opposite side.
But a Samaritan traveler who came
upon him was moved with compassion
at the sight. He approached the victim,
poured oil and wine over his wounds
and bandaged them. Then he lifted him
up on his own animal, took him to an
inn, and cared for him. The next day he
took out two silver coins and gave them
to the innkeeper with the instruction,
'Take care of him. If you spend more
than what I have given you, I shall
repay you on my way back.' Which of

these three, in your opinion, was
neighbor to the robbers' victim?" He
answered, "The one who treated him
with mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and
do likewise."

JULY 13, 2025

Mass Intentions & Observances

SUN 7/13

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM: PEOPLE OF THE PARISH S.I.

10:00 AM: MILA AQUINO S.I.

12:00 PM: GERARDO Y YOLANDA LOPEZ
S.I. Y FAMILY S.I.

4:00 PM: EMERY TAYLOR ANUB +

6:00 PM: ROSARIO PURUGGANAN +

MON 7/14

**SAINT KATERI TEKAKWITHA,
VIRGIN**

12:10 PM: FOR THE NGUYEN FAMILY S.I.

TUE 7/15

SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP

12:10 PM: DANIEL WALKER S.I.

WED 7/16

15TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

12:10 PM: DANIEL WALKER S.I.

THU 7/17

15TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

12:10 PM: DANIEL WALKER S.I.

FRI 7/18

15TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

12:10 PM: CAROL LYNN HANKS +

S.I. = for special intention

+ = for repose of the soul

Mass Intentions

Please email:

vramos@cathedralsacramento.org

or call 916-444-3071, ext. 10

Liturgia de la Palabra

XV DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO 13 DE JULIO DE 2025

Primera lectura

Deut 30, 10-14

En aquellos días, habló Moisés al pueblo y le dijo: "Escucha la voz del Señor, tu Dios, que te manda guardar sus mandamientos y disposiciones escritos en el libro de esta ley. Y conviértete al Señor tu Dios, con todo tu corazón y con toda tu alma.

Estos mandamientos que te doy, no son superiores a tus fuerzas ni están fuera de tu alcance. No están en el cielo, de modo que pudieras decir: '¿Quién subirá por nosotros al cielo para que nos los traiga, los escuchemos y podamos cumplirlos?' Ni tampoco están al otro lado del mar, de modo que pudieras objetar: '¿Quién cruzará el mar por nosotros para que nos los traiga, los escuchemos y podamos cumplirlos?' Por el contrario, todos mis mandamientos están muy a tu alcance, en tu boca y en tu corazón, para que puedas cumplirlos".

Salmo Responsorial

Salmo 68, 14 y 17. 30-31. 33-34. 36ab y 37

R. Escúchame, Señor, porque eres bueno.

A ti, Señor, elevo mi plegaria,
ven en mi ayuda pronto;
escúchame conforme tu clemencia,
Dios fiel en el socorro.

Escúchame, Señor, pues eres bueno
y en tu ternera vuelve a mí tus ojos.

R. Escúchame, Señor, porque eres bueno.

Mírame enfermo y afligido;
defiéndeme y ayúdame, Dios mío.

En mi cantar exaltaré tu nombre,
proclamaré tu gloria, agradecido.

R. Escúchame, Señor, porque eres bueno.

Se alegrarán al verlo los que sufren;
quienes buscan a Dios tendrán más ánimo,
porque el Señor jamás desoye al pobre
ni olvida al que se encuentra encadenado.

R. Escúchame, Señor, porque eres bueno.

Ciertamente el Señor salvará a Sión,
reconstruirá a Judá;
la heredarán los hijos de sus siervos,
quienes aman a Dios la habitarán.

R. Escúchame, Señor, porque eres bueno.

Segunda lectura

Col 1, 15-20

Cristo es la imagen de Dios invisible, el primogénito de toda la creación, porque en él tienen su fundamento todas las cosas creadas, del cielo y de la tierra, las visibles y las invisibles, sin excluir a los tronos y

dominaciones, a los principados y potestades. Todo fue creado por medio de él y para él.

Él existe antes que todas las cosas, y todas tienen su consistencia en él. Él es también la cabeza del cuerpo, que es la Iglesia. Él es el principio, el primogénito de entre los muertos, para que sea el primero en todo.

Porque Dios quiso que en Cristo habitara toda plenitud y por él quiso reconciliar consigo todas las cosas, del cielo y de la tierra, y darles la paz por medio de su sangre, derramada en la cruz.

Aclamación antes del Evangelio

Cfr Jn 6, 63c. 68c

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Tus palabras, Señor, son Espíritu y vida.

Tú tienes palabras de vida eterna.

R. Aleluya.

Evangelio

Lc 10, 25-37

En aquel tiempo, se presentó ante Jesús un doctor de la ley para ponerlo a prueba y le preguntó: "Maestro, ¿qué debo hacer para conseguir la vida eterna?" Jesús le dijo: "¿Qué es lo que está escrito en la ley? ¿Qué lees en ella?" El doctor de la ley contestó: "Amarás al Señor tu Dios, con todo tu corazón, con toda tu alma, con todas tus fuerzas y con todo tu ser, y a tu prójimo como a ti mismo". Jesús le dijo: "Has contestado bien; si haces eso, vivirás".

El doctor de la ley, para justificarse, le preguntó a Jesús: "¿Y quién es mi prójimo?" Jesús le dijo: "Un hombre que bajaba por el camino de Jerusalén a Jericó, cayó en manos de unos ladrones, los cuales lo robaron, lo hirieron y lo dejaron medio muerto. Sucedió que por el mismo camino bajaba un sacerdote, el cual lo vio y pasó de largo. De igual modo, un levita que pasó por ahí, lo vio y siguió adelante. Pero un samaritano que iba de viaje, al verlo, se compadeció de él, se le acercó, ungió sus heridas con aceite y vino y se las vendó; luego lo puso sobre su cabalgadura, lo llevó a un mesón y cuidó de él. Al día siguiente sacó dos denarios, se los dio al dueño del mesón y le dijo: 'Cuida de él y lo que gastes de más, te lo pagaré a mi regreso'. ¿Cuál de estos tres te parece que se portó como prójimo del hombre que fue asaltado por los ladrones?" El doctor de la ley le respondió: "El que tuvo compasión de él". Entonces Jesús le dijo: "Anda y haz tú lo mismo".

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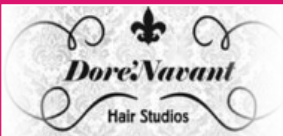
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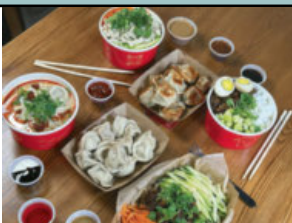
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