

SAINT BONAVENTURE CHURCH

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER ✝ MAY 2, 2021

As Christian stewards, our mission is to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all people through word, sacrament, service and community life.



*Remain
in me as
I remain
in you.*

John 15:4

Pastor's corner



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

God bless the children who received their First Holy Communion last Sunday. God bless the children who will receive their First Holy Communion this Sunday. What a wonderful gift Jesus, the Son of God, gives us in giving us his Body and Blood to nourish us.

These children have been studying for two years in preparation for the Sacrament of the Most Holy Eucharist. Part of that preparation included receiving the Sacrament of Penance (Confession/Reconciliation). Having been cleansed of their sins in this Sacrament of Forgiveness and Healing, they were ready to receive our Lord.

I want to thank the parents and godparents for seriously taking the solemn promise you made at your child's Baptism. At that time, the priest or deacon asked you, the parents: "In asking for Baptism for your children, you are undertaking the responsibility of raising them in the faith, so that, keeping God's commandments, they may love the Lord and their neighbor as Christ has taught us. Do you understand this responsibility?" To this question you responded, "We do." Keeping God's commandments includes the Third Commandment, "Thou shalt keep holy the Lord's Day." This includes bringing your family to Mass every Sunday. Therefore, along with bringing them to Mass for their First Holy Communion, I look forward to seeing you here every Sunday. Remember this was the solemn promise you made to God.

Godparents, don't forget the promise you made at your godchild's baptism. The priest or deacon asked you, "Are you ready to help the parents of these children in their duty?" Please help these parents by reminding them to participate in Mass every Sunday. If you live close by, please come to Mass with them.

The Gospel Reading today gives parents, godparents, and all of us a wonderful reflection on our relationship with Jesus Christ, the Son of God. Jesus said to his disciples, "I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit because without me you can do nothing" (John 15:5). "By this is my Father glorified, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples" (John 15:8).

Ask the Lord to help you bear much fruit and become his disciples by living your faith each and every day. Love God with your whole heart, mind, soul, and strength especially by participating in Sunday Mass. Love those you encounter this week with the love that our Lord Jesus Christ has for you.

Father Joe Krom

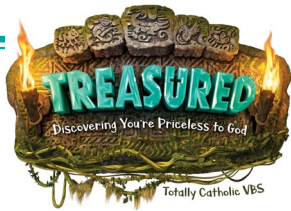
Parish Manager's update

As you heard after all Masses last weekend, the parish front desk has reopened with our pre-COVID schedule. The schedule is on the back of the bulletin and in the window of the parish office. Also, the church itself will remain open all day, from morning Mass until 9:00 p.m. The Blessed Sacrament chapel is accessible during the same time period except when a Mass is taking place in the church. With the relaxed COVID restrictions announced by the Bishop on April 5, we were able to place 20 chairs and two kneelers in the chapel. It is nice to see the chapel being used as it was designed so many years ago.

Please remember that a requirement from our Bishop, not the State or County, is that we continue to maintain 3' social distancing, at least, while we are inside the church and that we wear masks for the entire service. I wanted to thank the 99.6% of you who are complying with Bishop Vann's requirement.

Since it has just been publicly announced, I want to congratulate Fr. Quan Tran on his appointment as Parochial Administrator of St. Hedwig Church in Los Alamitos. He will be replaced here at St. Bonaventure by Fr. Hoa Tran, currently the Parochial Vicar at Saint Martin de Porres Church in Yorba Linda. He was ordained in 2017. These changes are effective on July 1.

—Charles Falzon, Parish Manager



Discovering You're Priceless to God **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

July 12-16

9:00 am-12:30 pm

Cost \$150 per child

Incoming K-6th graders

7th-12th graders needed as leaders!

VBS SIGN UP

Register in person

Monday, May 10

3:30-5:30 pm

Faith Formation Office

Scan the QR Codes to Sign-Up Online!

714-846-1187

debbie@stbonaventure.org

danielle@stbonaventure.org



Campers (Kindergarten-6th Grade)

Cost \$150 per child. Registration not guaranteed until payment is made. Please make check payable to "St. Bonaventure" and bring payment to the Faith Formation office by May 7.



Teen Leaders

(7th-12th Grade)



MONTHLY ADORATION

Friday, May 7

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the church after the 8:30 a.m. Mass and continue until just before the 8:00 a.m. Mass on May 8. Please come spend an hour with Jesus, to pray for vocations in our Diocese, peace in our world, and an end to the coronavirus pandemic. We have a special need for worshipers early Saturday morning, May 8 from 12:00 midnight to 6:00 a.m. Please sign up through the parish website or contact Deacon Joe Sullivan at 714-842-9707 or deaconjoe@stbonaventure.org.



ANNIVERSARY BLESSING

This weekend we will have a special blessing at all Sunday Masses for those celebrating a wedding anniversary in the month of May. We want to celebrate your witness of love and fidelity that images for us the love and fidelity of Christ and the Church.



PARISHES IN COLLABORATION

This Weekend, May 1-2

This special collection assists parishes in the Diocese of Orange that exhibit ongoing needs that cannot be paid for by their ordinary income and have urgent needs, such as repairs and maintenance. By participating in the *Parishes in Collaboration Collection* all people of the Diocese of Orange are helping one another support the works of our parishes that struggle financially. Thank you for your generosity.

FAITH FORMATION

First Communions This Sunday!

This Sunday many of our Faith Formation students will make their First Holy Communion during the morning Masses. Please keep them in your prayers as they receive Jesus for the first time.

Last Week for Tuesday & Wednesday Classes

May 4-5 are the last classes for our 1st-8th grade weekday classes. We have had such a wonderful year with your children and we hope you all have an enjoyable and blessed summer.

First Reconciliations Next Week

For the first time at our parish, Year One Students will be making their First Reconciliation! This will be on Tuesday, May 11 at 4:00 and 5:30 pm on the church plaza. Families, please join us for this special day. Sunday-best attire is recommended.

THE IMITATION OF MARY

KEYS TO GROWTH IN VIRTUE AND GRACE

Faith Sharing Book Study on Zoom
with Father Quan Tran

Chapter 4: Union with God

Thursday, May 27

7:00-8:30 pm

RSVP to stbon.legion@gmail.com or call Vivian at 714-319-8313



BAPTIZED INTO THE BODY OF CHRIST

Our Parish
Family warmly
welcomes our
newest members.



October 2020

Aiden Patrick Choy
Grayson Noble Danowitz
Harper Carmen Danowitz
Sloane Savannah Danowitz
Everly Elizabeth Morley
Anna Rose Plesniak
Grant Rung Plesniak
Maximiliano Sotero Castillo
Lilly Rose Strudwick
Maxine Hong An Bui
Elliott Hamilton Halford
Noah Jon-Niels Halford
Kinsley Jane McMullin
Elijah Graham Mejia
Jackson Edward St. Jean
Preston Milan St. Jean
Rylan River Vander Pol

November 2020

Ian Raiden Damian
Kensington Margaret Davis
Khaliyah Reign Rivera
Giavana Nevaeh Starkey
Ayden Andrew Cardoso
Victoria Guadalupe Molina
Evan Gadiel Pastora
Johann Radilla
Oliver Thien Lam

December 2020

Sidney Michaela Anderson
Joseph Ethan Ramirez
Oliver Donald Rivera
Cristina Domi Rubino
Matthew Michael Rubino
Olivia Gomez
Henry Timothy Hoffmann

Baptism Ministry

Parents requesting baptism at St. Bonaventure for their children ages infant to six years should be registered parishioners or residents living within our parish boundaries. For info contact Kim Beam at saintbonaventurebaptism@gmail.com.

St. Bonaventure School

GOLF CLASSIC

June 21, 2021

Join us at SeaCliff Country Club for a day of fun and an evening of fellowship. COVID precautions will be followed.

Red, White & Birdie



HELICOPTER GOLF BALL DROP

Purchase golf balls for \$20 per ball or 6 for \$100 for a chance to win up to \$3,000 cash!

Golf registration, dinner tickets, and sponsorship/advertising opportunities available at stbonaventureschool.org. All proceeds benefit the students of St. Bonaventure School. For more info please call 714-846-2472x115 or email sbsgolf2021@gmail.com.



St. Bonaventure School

Summer Academy

June 28-July 30, 2021

9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

"Learning is a Treasure"

The SBS Summer Academy enrichment program is now open for enrollment. Please use the QR code or go to www.stbonaventureschool.org to register. This program is open to all students regardless of their home school. Extended daycare is available before and after Summer Academy. Vacation Bible School during week 3 can be included. Space is limited. Act now! If you have questions, please email office@stbonaventureschool.org. It's a GREAT summer to be a SAINT!



BRINGING YOUR MARRIAGE INTO THE CHURCH

There are many people attending Catholic parishes or in Catholic families whose marriage is somehow not fully recognized by the Church. Catholic Church law requires baptized Roman Catholics to marry before a bishop, priest or deacon in the presence of two witnesses. Unless they requested and received a "dispensation from canonical form," Catholics who exchange marriage vows in the presence of ministers from other religious traditions or authorized civic officials are not considered validly married in the eyes of the Catholic Church. The process of having a marriage recognized by the Church is called a convalidation. For info call Phyllis, 714-846-3359x499.



†MASS INTENTIONS *Sent to Missions and Other Apostolates*

In Memory of: Marie Gore, Bill Leitch, John Baptist Trung Nguyen, Ersin Olmuduran, Robert Raizola, Dean Rief, Jay Yeomans, Don Zimmermann, Dr. Jerome Carrico, Barbara Ernest, Shiela O'Brien, Patricia Mae Oglietti, Jane Oveida, Theresa Rief, Robert Rybarczyk, Rex So, Walter Strong, Bob Trout (2 masses), Richard Trudell, Gilbert Vigil, Deceased Members of the Vietnamese Community

For the Intention of: Michael Cahl, Kelly & Brandon Davis, Joseph Tien Van Dinh, Connie Flexman, Al Guerin, Nadine Guerin, Shauna Guerin, Kyle Hancock, Paige Harris, Judy Martinez, Ralph & Brenda Martinez, Marissa & Aleena & Maya McGinnis, Sharon Miller, Elizabeth Post, Alex Rose, Aubrey Starkey, Janae & Kylie Swenson, Nina Swenson, Laura Thomas, Daren Tomey, Ann Ceman, Dr. Lino Meir, Aubrey Starkey, Trout Family, Vigil Family, Members of the Vietnamese Community

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Carlos Alaniz, Barbara Alberts, Karen Alcantara, Doug Ambrose, Deacon Jim Andersen, Robert Andola, Cyndie Ayala, Maria Ayala-Galardo, Patricia Barrios, Jeanne Becker, Tami Belies, Elizabeth Berget, Catherine Body, John Brosious, Bishop Kevin Vann, Bishop Tod Brown, Linda Campetti, Holly Cangey, Louis Castillo, Charmaine Cenido, Dior Chiechi, Mike Coponiti, Karen De Muro, Helen DeGree, Freddie Diartt, Scott Diciuccio, Ray Dinnen, Jane Ermer, Linda Ermer, Tina Escobar, Roz Esh, Albert Esmailzadeh, Gina Fales, Robert Fernan, Wendy Figueroa, Cecile Francisco, Elene (Emma) Fontes, Sean Frankie, Zachary Fronek, Vincent L. Garcia, Bill Gordon, Anna Gould, Richard Graves, Maria Gutierrez, Francis Hand, Nina Hartley, Alexis Heavenlo, Jenny Herrick, Paul Hoffmann, Eileen Hovelsen, Damien Ibarra, Joan, Kerry Joiner, Larry Jones, Nina Kasperoski, John Kelleher, Kimberly Kelter, Ina Kennedy, Rosemary Kern, Michelle King, Denise Kobish, Pedro Lara, Kaylee Larimie, Xuan Le, Kutz Lekavich, Alice Licot, Bernice Lindner, Sr. Carmel Lynch, Jeanine Lyons, Mike Macy, Bill Maguire, George "Skip" Lutz, Marianne Mattox, Sarah McGuire, Jerry Merkel, Dr. Lino Mier, Douglas Moore, Tim Noel, Benjamin Nyssen, Sr. Clara O'Driscoll, Carolyn Oliver, Christina Pedrosa, Mark Phillips, Mark Proffer, Karrie Rea, Rojas Family, Felixia Angelica Salmon, Erlando San Miguel, Sang Nguyen, Hugo Barros Schelotto, Romika Singh, John Sojka, Sr., Maureen Spencer, Sara Stringer, Dorothy M. Tamashiro, Michael Tooley, Jimmy Vigie, Liam Walsh, Tom Welch, Samantha Williams, Al Yip, Kelly Zoern

†MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 3

6:30 Morning Prayer

Group, INT

8:30 Remegio Barcelo, RIP

Tuesday, May 4

6:30 Samira & Reza

Mehrinfar, INT

8:30 Rosendo Bedolla, RIP

Wednesday, May 5

6:30 Pat Wastal, RIP

8:30 Malcolm Craycroft, RIP

Thursday, May 6

6:30 Kristin Matheus, INT

8:30 Kyle Biasio, INT

Friday, May 7

6:30 Justin Gannon, INT

8:30 Peter Shores, RIP

Saturday, May 8

8:00 Greg Linsangan, RIP

Sunday, May 9

Mother's Day

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Michelle Pearce-Merritt, Robert Mueller, Sharon Reed, Wilma Rosen, Peter Thu Van Nguyen

PRESIDER'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 8

5:00 p.m. Fr. Joe Knerr

6:30 p.m. Fr. Quan Tran (Viet)

Sunday, May 9

7:30 a.m. Fr. Joe Knerr

9:00 a.m. Fr. Ruben Ruiz

10:30 a.m. Fr. Joe Knerr

12:00 p.m. Fr. Quan Tran

1:30 p.m. Fr. Ruben Ruiz (Sp)

5:00 p.m. Fr. Quan Tran

Schedule subject to change

FAMILIES OF NAZARETH

Christ Is The Vine ~

We Are The Branches

Without Christ we can do nothing. It is Christ who is our life. Without him, we become like the branch that withers when cut from the vine. A person cannot actualize himself without Christ.

ST BONAVENTURE CHURCH

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(main number for all church extensions)

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www.StBonaventure.org

PARISH CENTER

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
Closed for lunch Mon–Thur 12:00–1:00 p.m.
Friday, 9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.
Saturday, 8:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Sunday, closed

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Vigil

📺 Saturday, 5:00 p.m.
📺 Saturday, 6:30 p.m. *Vietnamese*

Sunday

7:30 a.m.
📺 9:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
12:00 p.m.
📺 1:30 p.m. *Spanish*
📺 5:00 p.m.

Weekdays

Monday-Friday, 6:30 and 📺 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. *Spanish*
Friday, 7:15 p.m. *Vietnamese*
Saturday, 8:00 a.m.

📺 All livestream events are available on the
St. Bonaventure YouTube channel
www.youtube.com/stbonaventurehb

PRAYER AND DEVOTION

Adoration of the Eucharist

Monday-Friday 7:00-8:15 a.m.
Adoration the 7th of each month

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Monday-Friday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass
Saturday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Morning Prayer

Monday-Friday 6:00 a.m.
Saturday 7:00 a.m.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Wednesday 6:00 p.m.

Rosary and Benediction

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Rosary

Monday-Friday 7:50 a.m. | Saturday 7:25 a.m.
Monday-Friday 5:00 p.m. (also on Zoom)

Evening Prayer (Vespers)

Monday-Friday 5:30 p.m.

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor

Rev. Joseph Knerr

Parochial Vicars

Rev. Ruben Ruiz, B.A., M.A.
Rev. Quan D. Tran, J.D., S.T.L.

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SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick

Available anytime on request, ext 0

Baptism: Initial Parent Meetings and Monthly
Baptism Preparation Classes for Parents and
Godparents via Zoom, contact Kim Beam at
SaintBonaventureBaptism@gmail.com

Funeral: 714-846-3359, ext 0

Marriage: 714-846-3359, ext 0 at least six
months prior to proposed wedding date

Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturdays 8:30 a.m., 3:30 and 8:00 p.m.
Thursdays before First Fridays 9:15 a.m.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

St. Bonaventure Catholic School (TK-8th Grade)

714-846-2472

office@stbonaventureschool.org
www.stbonaventureschool.org
Kim White, Principal
Caleb McFerran, Assistant Principal
Cathy Smith, Business Manager

SBS is open for in-person instruction five
days a week.

Prospective Families

Campus tours and admission appointments
are available. Please email

FAITH FORMATION

Office of Faith Formation, 714-846-1187 Children and Teens ages 3-18

Office Hours:

Monday and Wednesday 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
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