In today’s second reading, St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to give of ourselves, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

En la segunda lectura de hoy, San Pablo nos anima a no cansarnos ni desanimarnos, sino a perseverar en seguir a Jesús. Nuestra buena voluntad de dar de nosotros mismos, aún frente a los conflictos y la división, es una manera de medir nuestro discipulado.

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Tues. Rosary/Martes Rosario: 5:30 pm
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 18, 2019

[Jesus] endured the cross, despising its shame, and has taken his seat at the right of the throne of God.

— Hebrews 12:2

### August 18, 2019

**Masses for the week**

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### EVENTS FOR THE WEEK:

**MONDAY:**
No events scheduled for today.

**TUESDAY:**
OLVS Meeting in the Hall all day.

**Wednesday:**
SAINT PIUS X, POPE
Over 55 in the Hall at 12:00 p.m.
OLPH in the Church at 6:00 p.m., followed by a procession & the Annual Celebration in the Hall.

**THURSDAY:**
THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
OLVS Meeting in the Hall all day.

**FRIDAY:**
Vietnamese Choir Practice in the Church at 8:00 p.m.

**SATURDAY:**
SAINT BARTHOLOMEOV, APOSTLE
Legion of Mary in St. Leo’s at 8:00 a.m.

Divine Mercy Choir in St. Leo’s at 11:00 a.m.

CCD Movie Day in the Hall beginning at 11:00 a.m.

Fatima Kids & Youth Group in St. Leo’s from 4-6pm.

**SUNDAY:**
Charismatic Choir Practice in St. Leo’s at 9:00 a.m.

Charismatic Group in St. Leo’s at 5:00 p.m.

### OLPHE CELEBRATION

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Annual Celebration will be on Wednesday, August 21st beginning with Mass at 5:30 p.m. The novena will follow as usual, then a procession around the church. Afterwards, there will be a potluck reception in the Hall. All are welcome to attend.

### Intentions

Intentions must be scheduled through the Rectory at least two weeks in advance of the desired date. Some exceptions are made. No intentions are taken over the phone. The donation is $10.00 per Mass Intention.

Please Turn Cell Phones OFF When Entering the Church / Por Favor Apague Celular AlEntrar A La Iglesia
LISTEN TO JESUS AND THE PROPHETS

Prophets have always had a tough row to hoe. Their words, often unwelcome, are used against them to persecute and even kill them. Such was the fate of the Old Testament prophets, and Jeremiah is a great example of this. Jesus endured opposition from sinners, and did not turn back from a shameful death in order to rise to a glorious new life. The ultimate prophet, Jesus sought to warn the people of his time and ours of the divisions that his words would cause, showing himself to be the prophet of all time. We all need to look at our divisions and dilemmas in light of Jesus’ teachings and warnings, and seek to understand all that he has proclaimed and taught about what will happen if we fail to listen. (© J. S. Paluch Co.)

SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE

Church of the Visitacion is hosting a Spiritual Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe from November 18th to 23rd. The cost is $1,399 (airline taxes/surcharges included). For questions or more information, contact Letty Ramos at (415) 469-5912 or lettybramos@sbcglobal.net. To register for the pilgrimage, contact the Parish Rectory at (415) 494-5517 for a Registration Form and the trip itinerary. Deadline to register and pay the $350 deposit is November 10th.

FALL TRAINING FOR READERS & EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

- Marin County: October 19th & 26th at St. Sebastian Parish, Greenbrae
- San Francisco County: November 2nd & 9th at St. Brendan Parish, SF
- San Mateo County: November 9th & 16th at St. Matthias Parish, Redwood City

To receive a certificate of completion, ministers must attend both Saturdays. $20.00 pre-registered or $25.00 for same-day registrants. Contact your parish to pre-register.

OCCUPANCY

The value of life does not depend upon the place we occupy. It depends upon how we occupy that place.
— St. Thérèse of Lisieux

SPECIAL THANKS FROM AMS

On behalf of His Excellency, the Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio, Archbishop for the Military Services, USA, thanks to those who contributed to the Triennial National Collection for the AMS last weekend. Your generosity will assist Archbishop Broglio in the mission, “Serving Those Who Serve,” and will help make it possible for Catholic men and women, and their families, currently serving in the U.S. Military, to receive the sacraments and pastoral care no matter their location around the globe. Your support will also provide the sacraments and pastoral care to those who are being cared for in one of the 153 Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Centers. Thank you for supporting the men and women, and their families, from our own parish and diocese who serve and protect this great nation, and who defend the freedoms we hold dear.
FUNDRAISER FOR OUR LADY’S MINISTRY
Our Lady’s Ministry invites you to a celebration of Our Heavenly Mother’s Birthday and its 16th Annual Fundraiser to help the most needy around the world. Join us on Saturday, August 31st at SDES Hall in Union City, CA; doors open at 3:30 p.m. and dinner is served 5:15 p.m. Special guests are Archbishop Jose Palma from Cebu, Philippines, and Bishop Luis Morao from El Salvador.

Our Lady’s Ministry (OLM) was founded in San Francisco in 1995 to bring spiritual and material assistance to the poor, to inmates, to the rejected, and to those most in need. OLM assists people that have suffered natural disasters, and also provides financial assistance to seminars and institutions. OLM has been received and invited by cardinals, bishops, and priests worldwide, and has been privileged to work in the Americas, Africa, Asia, and Europe. Purchase tickets at ourladysministry.org/about-us/. For more information, contact OLM at (415) 467-4747.

LITURGY MINISTRY SCHEDULE
Saturday, August 24th
4:00 pm R1– Miguel Campos R2– Elissa Lam
E– Mike State, Cindy Malunao, Siony Grospe
U– Ricky Lim, Pacifico Grospe, Mario Escalona, Miguel Campos

Sunday, August 25th
8:00 a.m. R1– Sia Moelasi R2– Roma Day
E– Lerma Delizo, Henrietta Bariuan, Dely Musgni
U– Arnold Bautista, Malou Bautista, Pacifico Grospe
9:30 a.m. R1– Sulema Ochoa R2– Steve Rouse
E– Purificacion Lim, Crispin Lim, Jocelyn Acena
U– Jorge Portillo, Jose Ochoa, Butch Mangibin, G. Mercado
12:30 pm R1– Ed Ramirez R2– Mario Escalona
E– Nenet Seegmiller, Ed Barles, Cindy Malunao
U– Lily Sweeney, Brandon Carino, J. Cenina

SCHOOL OF RELIGION REGISTRATION
CCD Registration Forms for the 2019-2020 school year at Visitacion are available in the church vestibule after all masses every Sunday of August. Please inform your family members and friends that the registration forms are available for pick-up. Completed form can be returned to the Rectory or submitted on the first day of class. CCD Classes meet Saturdays from 9:30 am to 11:00 am in the School, beginning in September. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Vina Calalo at (415) 342-7289.

“PROTECT OUR KIDS” SEMINAR
Parents DO have a say in what, whether, and how public schools teach their children about sex. Parents of children in California public schools have these rights: To be notified about planned sexual education instruction; to review those materials in advance; to “opt-out” or excuse their child from attending -- in part or all -- sex and HIV-prevention education programs. The Archdiocesan Office of Human Life and Dignity offers two new seminars for parents to learn the facts and discuss their concerns:

- In Español: Domingo 8 de Septiembre de 2-4pm en St. Anthony Church, 3500 Middletown Rd., Menlo Park
- In English: Thursday, September 12th from 6:30-8:30pm at St. Dominic’s Church, 2390 Bush St, SF

FAMILY DENTISTRY - STONESTOWN/LAKESIDE
GEORGE D. KARSANT JR., DDS
2533 OCEAN AVE., SAN FRANCISCO
415-333-6000
Whether your special event is months away or weeks away, we’re here for you. You’ll be pleasantly surprised at how a simple, professional cleaning can remove surface stains from your teeth.
SPECIAL! “FREE” EXAM
Receive a complimentary dental exam when you mention this offer.

ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL
Thank you! To all those who have already participated in the 2019 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal, we are most appreciative. Your gifts have helped our Church continue assisting those who need and depend on us. We have collected $36,979 towards our goal of $45,940. OLG Mission has collected $2,441 towards its goal of $4,400.