Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD, whose hope is in the LORD. He is like a tree planted beside the waters that stretches out its roots to the stream.

Jeremiah 17:7-8

# Sunday in Ordinary Time February 13, 2022

**Te burao (The Hibiscus Tree)** 1892 Paul Gauguin French, 1848–1903 Art Institute of Chicago

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	MASS SCHEDULE	]	Mass Schedule & Intentions
	MONDAY through	Cotunday, Falany	42
	FRIDAY 7:30 am Mass	Saturday, Februa 7:30 AM	People of the Parish
	SATURDAY	4:00 PM	†Laura Sanders †Leticia Langan
	4:00 PM	Sunday, Februar	
		7:30 AM	†Maria Gonzalez
	1st Saturday Mass 7:30 am		†Ollie Scaife
		9:00 AM	†Victor Taneco
		11.00 AM	†Jeremy Lacy
	<u>SUNDAY</u>	11:00 AM	†Jose & Maria de Jesus Chavez
		1:00 PM	†Michael Joseph Candelaria †Dora Mindreau
7	:30, 9:00 & 11:00 am, 1:00 pm (Spanish);	1.00 F W	†Paula Bañuelos Harsha
	5:00 pm (Life Teen)	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
		0.001 1	†Maria Antonieta Estrada
	001/5500/01/0	Monday, Februa	
	<u>CONFESSIONS</u>	7:30 AM	†Lourdes Manlapaz
_			†Paul G. Wells
1	hursday: 5-7pm / Saturday 8:15am - 9:30 am	State RVD	†Helen Fassinger
		Tuesday, Februa	
EYD	OSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	7:30 AM	†Esther Veloso
	very Wednesday from 8 am to 8 pm and	Wednesday, Feb	†Leticia Langam
	there is 24-Hour Adoration - 8:00 am ending with	7:30 AM	†Maria Caposio
	Benediction at 7:45 am Saturday	1.50 AW	†Donna Horak
In the Adore	tion Chapel Located at the south end of Parish Hall	Thursday, Febru	
	auon Chaper Localed at the south end of Parish Hall	7:30 AM	†Maria Caposio
		Salation and	†Donna Horak
[		Friday, February	
	HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION	7:30 AM	Larissa and Ryan Miller
	As Announced in	CARLS BUD	†Obelia Nieto
	the Bulletin	Saturday, Febru	any 10
		7:30 AM	People of the Parish
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		9:00 AM	†Victor Taneco †Jeremy Lacy
		11:00 AM	†Jose & Maria de Jesus Chavez
WOUI	D YOU LIKE TO HAVE YOUR		†Michael Joseph Candelaria
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			†Paula Bañuelos Harsha
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y vve li	nvite parishioners to consider		†Maria Antonieta Estrada
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	giving, memory, or in celebration	0	
	loved one or special event.	Ĭ.	May they Rest in Peace
To design	ate the weekend & occasion please cal		y Gadino †Lawrence Willey
	CAROLINA MENENDEZ		th Godinho †Margarita Quesada
	(909)987-9312	THE COMPANY AND ADDRESS OF THE OWNER.	nda Ruiz †Jose Antonio Delgado
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These	e intentions will be recognized in the bulletin		ı C. Savino †Luis Aguilar na Barron †Peter Gonzales
	Minimum cost for 2 medium—\$100		na Barron †Peter Gonzales na Horak †Paul G. Wells
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#### **Our Parish Financial Corner**

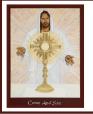
#### Sunday 2-6-2022:

Envelopes/checks:	\$ 17,553.00
Plate:	\$ 1,697.25
Online Giving 2-06-2022:	\$ 12,420.50
Total for 2-06-2022:	\$ 31,670.75
JPII Repairs online 2-06-2022:	\$ 570.00
Total JPII Repairs:	\$ 570.00
Total Misc.:	\$ 2,104.45

#### Diocesan Development Fund Campaign Progress

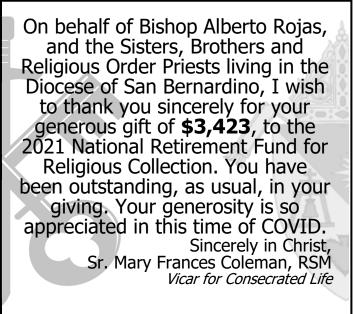
#### Diocesan Development Fund 2022 Diocese Goal: \$ 99,500.00

As we kickoff our Annual DDF Appeal, we would like to first thank all who donated in 2021 due to your generosity we exceeded our goal and received over \$8,000 unassessed income back to our parish! Please prayerfully consider donating this year! You can use the materials found in the pews, vestibule or go to sbdiocese.org and donate online. The seminarians of our diocese which include Deacons Richard and Arinze as well as Jonathan depend on your support. May God bless you!



Heaven On Earth....Come spend some time in the quiet presence of our Lord. Bask in the warmth of His love.

If you would like to sign up for 1 hour, contact Karen Hein at (909) 987-9312 ext. 230



#### Dear Parishioners,

For your convenience we have provided several ways you can send us your offering.

- Safely drop off in the office
- between the hours 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Mon-Thurs., Fri. 9am-12.



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- Drop in the mail slot in the Serra Building which is checked daily
- Mail in to St. Peter & St. Paul, 9135 Banyan St. Alta Loma, 91737
- Online giving via our website stpeterstpaul.com
- Through your bank

*Thank you for your continued support of our parish* and we are so grateful to be back in the pews! May God bless you and keep you and your families safe.

In Christ's Service *Fr. Henry* 



# Children's Faith Formation (CFF) Grades 1–5

**Books 1,2,4**—Lesson Plans continue on parish website

#### Sac Prep—Live-Zoom classes:

1/24, Ch2 1/31, Ch3 2/7, Virtus Lesson 2/9, Sacrament of Reconciliation 2/14 & 2/21, Observed holidays 2/28, Ch4 **Link to Edge**—Lesson Plans continue on parish website;

- 2/2 Parent & Child Adoration, XLT 6pm at the Church
- 2/7 Venture homework due, page 38

## Upcoming Parent Meetings

1/27 6:30pm—Reconciliation Mini Retreat

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Wednesday, 2/9/2022, 5:30pm

#### Staff/Hours

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Marriage Moments & Parenting Pointers FEBRUARY 2022

Presumably on Valentine's Day you will do something special with your beloved. Beyond cards and candy, however, spend some time reminiscing about how you met and how that initial meeting evolved into a deeper relationship. Was there a significant turning point? Momentos Matrimoniales y Pautas Para Padres FEBRERO 2022

Se supone que harán algo especial tú y tu amor el Día de San Valentín. Pero más allá de las tarjetas y los dulces, pasen un tiempo recordando cómo se conocieron y cómo se profundizó la relación que surgió de ese primer encuentro. ¿Hubo un momento decisivo?

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Two brothers and Byzantine theologians in the 9th-century. They are known as the "Apostles to the Slavs" because of their missionary work with the Slavic people.

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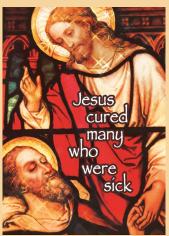
Do you know of any Catholic churches or missions that could use priest vestments? We have several to donate. They have all been cleaned and are ready to go.

We are also in need of someone who can make linens for our credence tables.

Please contact Cheryl Harshman at (909) 973-8766 or <u>cherylharshman@msn.com</u> if you can help with either of these requests. Thank you.

## **Romans 8:28**

And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose



## Please Pray for the Healing of our Family & Friends

Call the parish office, to add a person to the prayer list. Due to the many prayer requests, the name will remain on the list for 4 weeks. If

additional prayers are needed, call to re-submit the name. Thank You & May God Bless you.

> **Corrine Williams** Norma Castellanos Ernie Ochoa Karla Lombardi Juan Carlos Boxler Donna Siazon **Rachel Siazon** Fabian Carranco Maria Nicoforos Mary Levy Starr Norwood Frank Lopez Suzanne Killingsworth Maria Roque German Ferriola **Robert Martinez Evelyn Smith** Rita Cardenas

Dear Jesus, divine physician and healer of the sick, we turn to you in this time of illness. Oh dearest comforter of the troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servant to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us. Amen. <u>—Catholic Prayers for All Occasions</u> 1/27/2021

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**Our Charity In Action** 

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The Military Ministry of St. Peter & St. Paul is currently seeking parishioners with family members serving in the military

#### **Military Ministry Request**

The Military Ministry at St. Peter & St. Paul is seeking anyone interested in being part of our team, which will be made up of parishioners who have family members actively serving in the military. As well as, those who have a love for our military and are dedicated to keeping those who have served in our prayers. Activities of this ministry will consist of mailing care packages to military family members of our parishioners, support for families that have a loved one serving in active duty, coordinating with past and present military families for parish events, organizing special Masses and events for the Military holidays and celebrations. you are interested in being involved in this ministry, please contact: Jonathan & Lynde Peralta (Jonathan @ 951-285-0270, Lynde @ 909-938-3243)

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#### Please pray for those serving our country

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Si usted desea ser miembro de uno de estos ministerios o necesita más información, por favor contacte al coordinador y deje su nombre, teléfono y al ministerio que le gustaría participar.



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#### **BLESSINGS AND WOES**

Today we hear once again of the deep connection between Jesus and Israel's prophets. In the reading from Jeremiah, God's curses at the opening are counterbalanced by God's blessings in the second part. In Luke's version of the Beatitudes, Jesus begins with blessings, then counterbalances with a "woe" section. The point is clear: the way we live our lives has a direct connection to whether we will experience curses and woes, or blessings instead. Of course, being among God's blessed ones (in Latin, *beati*, from which "beatitudes" comes) doesn't necessarily mean a life free of woe. Jesus, in his fully human nature, knew this. He also knew that when we seek happiness through our own devices, and trust only in ourselves, the woes are guaranteed to come. Let us follow the wisdom of Jeremiah and Jesus, along with the opening of the book of Psalms (echoed by Jeremiah today): "blessed are the ones who trust in the Lord."

#### I DON'T KNOW

There are times when the smartest, but most difficult, thing we can say is, "I don't know." While we often think of this as a sign of weakness, the amount of humility it takes to say this means that the word of God is alive and well in us. To say "I don't know" means that we look outside of ourselves to learn, and to find those who do know, and—ultimately—accept that we have to look to others and to God to help us, to guide us through life. To place our trust and hope only in this world, Paul tells the Corinthians (and us!), makes us people to be pitied. Jesus echoes this in the "woes" section of Luke's Beatitudes, when he points out that trusting in earthly wealth, full bellies, entertainments, and reputation will, eventually, not be enough when we are called beyond this life.

#### LOOK 'EM IN THE EYE

Prior to delivering the blessings and woes of his "Sermon on the Plain" in Luke, Jesus had been on top of a mountain in prayer, after which he selected the Twelve to go on his mission with him. Coming down from the mountain, the first thing Jesus does is show them what is at the heart of his—and their—mission: preaching to the multitude, healing all who were in need of it, no matter where they had come from. Luke then carefully notes that Jesus raises his eyes, not to look toward heaven again in prayer, but he raises his eyes to look directly at his disciples, to share the message of blessings and woes. This scene echoes Moses coming down from the mountain to give Israel

its command as to how they should live in God's covenant. As followers of Jesus today, we are called to live out his mission to the world, while we also look beyond this world to trust in God, our only hope.

**TODAY'S READINGS** 

Jeremiah 17:5–8 Psalm 1:1–2, 3, 4 and 6 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16–20 Luke 6:17, 20–26

Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord, whose hope is in the Lord. He is like a tree planted beside the waters that stretches out its roots to the stream.

Jeremiah 17:7-8

**Sixth** Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 13, 2022



## Listen with the heart, now!

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Jer 17:5-8: Commentary:

The sins and punishment of Judah: Vv. 1-4: The denunciation of the sins of Judah and announcement of her deserved punishments. Both the denunciation and the announcement give rise to the curse directed at anyone who strays and departs from the Lord (v. 5-6), and blessings and benediction to one who remains firm, hoping always and trusting in the Lord (v. 7-8).

Second Reading: 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20

Commentary:

The resurrection of Jesus is ordered to ours; If ours is not given, then it was not given to Jesus either. Paul argues by reducing to absurdity the position of those who deny the resurrection. If Jesus did not rise, our faith lacks objectivity and foundation, our hope is illusory and a tragedy. The Apostle goes so far as to say that we Christians would be the most pitiable, having placed our hope in Christ "only for this life". A disaster for the dead and a great emptiness for the living. A vague immortality of the "soul" without the body, as proposed by Greek philosophy, is as repugnant to the Paul of the Jewish tradition as it is to the Christian Paul. This absurdity now exposed, Paul's argument then turns to the rationality of the resurrection of Jesus, the first of those who have fallen asleep.

Gospel: Lk 6:17, 20-26 Commentary:

Luke synthesizes the beatitudes in four aspects of human life: poverty, hunger, crying and persecution. Poverty, an anomalous situation, a state of life that is the fruit of injustice, is contrary to God's will. Therefore, when Jesus declares these poor blessed, it does not mean that they should feel happy about their situation, but because that poverty that God rejects has to disappear with the advent of the kingdom of God concretized in justice. One of the fundamental axes of Jesus' project is the proclamation (carrying out) of the year of the Lord's grace whose concrete meaning we find in the jubilee year. Now, if these words of Jesus, apart from being consoling for the poor, are also a project to be carried out, then the follower of Jesus is tasked to making that reign of God, translated into categories of justice, an effective reality, in order to be able to feel the joy of the presence of the kingdom.

Poverty, or rather impoverishment, brings serious consequences. First of all: hunger. Well then, the hungry are also happy because they will be satisfied. If the impoverished can dream of a better, fairer world, through the advent of the kingdom of God, hunger will also have to disappear, not in a magical way, but as a result of the commitment of all to realize that year of grace, one of whose ends is the social leveling due to the forgiveness of debts, the recovery of pawned goods and the return to their property and to the bosom of their families of all the enslaved. And this must be a permanent state (cf. Deut 15:1-11). The other consequence of impoverishment is tears, as a symbol of pain, marginalization, but also of impotence in the face of a reality that is increasingly cruel and tormenting for the impoverished. In this new order that the presence of the kingdom has to establish, tears have to be exchanged for happiness and joy. The struggle and the effort to achieve this new order of things which God wanted from of old and set by Jesus as the first and fundamental criterion that makes the reality of the kingdom possible, will not occur in a "peaceful" way. Not that Jesus is thinking of violent actions, but rather he wants to prevent his followers from the violent situations, the persecution and the pain that they will have to experience at the hands of those who are radically opposed to sharing the material and immaterial, cultural and spiritual goods that little by little they have snatched from the people and that they obstinately retain as exclusively their own. Almost always, if not always, the hoarders and supporters of the unjust order react with force, with violence, with defamation, imprisonment, if not with physical elimination, in many cases in our communities. Well, Jesus also calls those blessed because that persecution and that rejection is not gratuitous. It is the price that is paid for the struggle and the search for justice and equity.

Only those who experience these contradictions will be able to understand the joy of being in tune with the concern of the Father and of Jesus for justice.

Thus, we understand the woes directed at the rich and the consequences of being rich as a lamentation of Jesus, but a poetic lamentation, that is, as a warning or a reprimand that Jesus makes to the promoters and supporters of an absolutely unjust social order like the one lived by the people of his time and in general the people of all times when the goods of creation, the goods of culture, science and technology are absorbed by a few with the consequences that we all know: impoverishment of the great majority, hunger, pain and tears. With these woes Jesus denounces that petty attitude of those who have put the meaning of their life in possessions, in goods; of those who get fed up and still consume, ignoring the indigent; of those who enjoy and have a good time at the expense of others; of those who are the

object of flattering fame. But what is the meaning of a life that passes in this way? - Fr. Ben, MSC

## A Time for

# Mercy

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat for Post-Abortion Healing

#### March 11-13 2022

A safe place to renew, rebuild & redeem hearts broken by abortion. Retreats are confidential & nonjudgmental, offered in Catholic tradition open to women & men wounded by abortion.

> All inquiries strictly confidential: Dolores 951-325-7702 or email <u>RVTemecula@verizon.net</u>

Early Registration Recommended, Space Limited! Web Site: <u>atimeformercy.org</u> General Info: <u>www.rachelsvineyard.org</u>



HOPEFUL, LOVING, MEMORY MINISTRY HLMM- "How Love Moves Many"

Please join the Hopeful Loving Memory Ministry this coming Saturday February 19th @10am, for a Spirit filled meeting of sharing and uplifting conversation for the caregivers of a memory impaired loved one.

"Please come to be "Blessed, Heard and Loved."

For <u>Info</u> Contact; <u>Deborah Waters (Cell #@ 951/203-8287)-or Josie Urquizu (home # @ 909/987\*7348)</u> <u>"Important"</u>-Please leave a <u>return # & brief message</u> when you call and we will get back to you asap. Thank you & God Bless You! Our <u>HLMM team</u>; *Deborah* and *Josie* 

#### "Protect us, Lord, as we stay awake, watch over us as we sleep"

COME, LET'S GIVE THANKS TO OUR LORD FOR HAVING REACHED THE END OF THIS DAY.

NIGHT PRAYER WITH BENEDICTION EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 8PM



## TAGALOG CORNER Jer 17:7-8 Jer 17:7-8

Mapalad ang mga taong nagtitiwala sa Panginoon, pagpapalain ang umaasa sa kanya. Katulad niya'y isang punongkahoy na nakatanim sa tabi ng batisan; ang mga ugat ay patungo sa tubig; hindi ito manganganib kahit dumating ang tag -init, sapagkat mananatiling luntian ang mga dahon nito, kahit hindi umulan ay wala itong aalalahanin; patuloy pa rin itong mamumunga.

Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD, whose hope is the LORD. He is like a tree planted beside the waters that stretches out its roots to the stream: It fears not the heat when it comes; Its leaves stay green; in the year of drought it shows no distress, but still bears fruit.



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## Parish Mission Statement

We the people of St. Peter and St. Paul Parish, as members of the Roman Catholic Church, are a sacramental, worshiping community on a journey towards the fulfillment of Christ's Kingdom. We strive to provide a spiritual haven for all people without distinction. We are equally committed to the challenges of the gospel message. We accept its call to ongoing conversion, the use of our gifts for the benefit of our community, and loving service to one another.

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#### **ST. PETER & ST. PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL =** Where Faith Meets Academic Excellence!

SAINTS FUN FACTS - by John Shep

custody, he converted 46 members of a guards

Claudius sentenced

him to death. He is the patron of love,

young people and happy marriage.

family to Christianity! Upon discovering this,

St. Valentine

A kind hearted Roman priest, he aided

young Christians being persecuted by Claudius II and was imprisoned. While in

#### FEBRUARY

- 14: LAST DAY READ-A-THON (FUNDRAISING) HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
- 16: SAB MEETING
- 18: STAFF IN-SERVICE DAY / NO SCHOOL
- 21: PRESIDENTS' DAY / NO SCHOOL
- 23: OPEN ENROLLMENT BEGINS FOR 2022-23

#### A Valentine for God

#### Gracious God,

My love for you grows daily. Whenever I witness an act of Kindness or receive an unexpected gift, I am reminded of your expansive heart.

Even during times of duress, of sadness, or of heartache, I take comfort in Knowing that nothing can separate me from your love.

Let this love in me blossom and flower so that I reflect your compassion and mercy in all that I say and do. In gratitude and grace, I pray.



#### **ADMINISTRATION**

Kelly Burt—Principal Diana Armenta—Vice Principal Mindy Castro—Preschool Director Laura Onopa—Business Manager

FAITH IN OUR FUTURE! #SPSPSAINTS

I said a Valentine prayer for you and asked the Lord above to fill your heart and bless your soul with the precious gift of love.



I asked Him for sincere love, the Kind that's meant to stay. Just like the generous love you give to those you touch each day.

I prayed for love from family and from every cherished friend then I asked the Lord to give you his love that knows no end.

Amen

- Sadlier Religion



## BEGINS FEBRUARY 23



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Wednesday Mornings9 AM – 11 AMWednesday Evenings7 PM – 9 PMSessions will be Zoomed until further notice

<u>Upcoming topics</u> 2/16: Protestors & Defenders - Part I

## 2/23: Protestors & Defenders - Part II

Feel free to contact Jenny Campbell at (909) 987-9312 ext. 250 or jcampbell@stpeterstpaul.com

Zoom links through Flocknote. Sign up here:

https://spspaltaloma.flocknote.com/

# FEBRUARY Youth Ministry and Confirmation

## Youth Groups:



Edge will be meeting on the following Thursday evenings at 6:00 pm February 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>

## Catechism: Sacramental Prep.

Sacramental Preparation continues on February 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Thursdays: 5:30 pm

## OLIFE TEEN

High School Life Teen will be meeting on the following Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm February 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, & 23<sup>rd</sup>

## CONFIRMATION

Confirmation Continues February 6<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> February 13<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> February 20<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> February 27<sup>th</sup> & March 1<sup>st</sup> Sundays: 3:00 pm Tuesdays: 6:00 pm

## Young Adults:

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XLT in the Church - February 24<sup>th</sup> Love thy Neighbor - February 19<sup>th</sup>

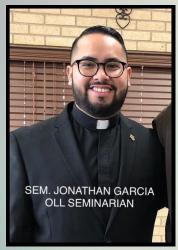
Contact us through instagram or contact Melissa for more information. For all event details follow us on instagram @renewedspsp

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Mon-Wed 10am-5pm Thurs-Sat CLOSED Sun 1 pm - 5pm.

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## WHEN LOVE SEES YOU

I would like to share a song called "When Love Sees You" by Mac Powell. I came across this song a couple of years ago and when I heard it, I felt that there was a profound meaning that could help many people. There are many times when people want to belong. When we think about what belonging can mean, we can say acceptance as a member or part of something. It is a simple word for a vast concept. When we think of belonging, we can see it is a human need, just like food and shelter. Some find belonging in a church, some with friends, some with family, and some on Facebook or other social media. Even when people seek belonging with others, some may experience the opposite; they may feel loneliness and rejection. There are many reasons for this. Some reasons can be related to unresolved trauma, feelings of low self-worth, and results of unhealthy relationships.

Many often go through life carrying these wounds and have difficulty believing they belong and have love. This song talks to those who have had a bad experience by how people have treated them, by choices they have made in life, or just feeling rejection in general. The song gives different stories that we can find in the bible of people who were

feeling rejection in general. The song gives different stories that we can find in the bible of people who were rejected or not loved because of circumstances such as leprosy, blindness, deafness, or widowhood. There is a part in the song that says, "Tell Me your story, show Me your wounds, and I'll show you what Love sees when Love looks at you." That is a profound lyric because when someone tells you he wants to know your story and wants to see your pain, they want to understand you and love you. They want you to be seen and feel that true love. The following lines in the song reflect a pure Godly love bringing comfort within colliding experiences of pain and joy.

> I see what I made in your mother's womb And I see the day I fell in love with you I see your tomorrows, nothing left to chance I see My Father's fingerprints I see your story, I see My name Written on every beautiful page

I especially found comfort in this song when I reconciled with my faith in my journey with God. It is a reminder that even in times of loneliness and struggle, He knows me in every page of my story. In every page where He too is written.



St. PETER & ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### Contact & Facilitator: Judy Nelson 909-815-2819

We meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tues., of the month @ 7-9 pm In the JPII Bldg., upstairs in the St. Teresa Room Te invitamos a unirnos en oración al REZO DEL Ganto Rosario TODOS LOS JUEVES 7:00 pm en la capilla Usted puede escribirnos sus intenciones

Disted puede escribirnos sus intenciones para presentar en este Rosario. Recuerde que no está solo, somos una familia en Cristo.

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## For a synodal Church

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The entire Catholic Church is called to participate in the upcoming Synod of Bishops! This Synod is entitled: "For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, and Mission."

Pope Francis has called the entire People of God to journey together! This Synod is not just another meeting with oral presentations and written reports. This Synod is a process of journeying together by listening, dialoguing, praying, discerning, and making decisions together for the purpose of proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Pope Francis is asking each local diocese to gather – clergy, religious and laity together– to listen to each other's joys and hopes, and griefs and anxieties (c.f. Gaudium et Spes no. 1). The "goal" of this journeying together is not to create a new vision or pastoral plan with objectives. Rather, the goal of our journeying together is to be present with one another, to listen and learn with each other, and to grow closer to the Lord and His Church.

# Parish Listening Sessions

February 17th @ 7am Zoom Meeting 1D: 891 8924 4988 Passcode: Synod Filipino Ministry & Community

February 20th @ 3pm & 22nd @ 6pm Zoom Meeting Info: Contact Youth Ministry Office High School Confirmation Students



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