



# OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CATHOLIC CHURCH

AUSTIN, TX



OCTOBER 18 TH, 2009



## FROM THE PASTOR

### Ancient Wisdom

*I would like to continue sharing with you the ancient wisdom of our Christian Tradition.*

*One of the monks asked the great teacher Abba Nistero: "What should I do for the best in life?" And the Abba answered: "All works are not equal. The Scripture says that Abraham was hospitable, and God was with him; it says that Elias loved quiet, and God was with Him; it says that David was humble, and God was with him. So, whatever path you find your soul longs after in the quest for God, do that, and always watch over your heart's integrity."*

*Saint Augustine says: "Love, and do whatever you want to do." Before his ascension into Heaven, Jesus promised to his disciples that he would send the Holy Spirit to guide them (and us) in daily life. As Abba Nistero says, "all the works are not equal", but love is.*

*Brothers and sisters we are called to love each other and to do good for other people, the Holy Spirit is with us always, guiding us to do the best in our lives.*

*Friar Francisco Muñoz Villegas*

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

**Everything we have, everything we are, and everything we will become is a gift from Almighty God.**

As stewards of those gifts, we are called to return a portion of our time, talent and treasure in gratitude for God's great bounty. The Diocese of Austin with its parishes, offices, agencies, schools, and outreach ministries has numerous volunteer opportunities and many avenues to give of your financial resources. To volunteer your time and talent, please contact your parish, school or agency directly.

October 10—11, 2009

Sunday Collection: \$ 6,992.46

Faith in Action: \$ 1,246.15



## MASS INTENTIONS



### SATURDAY 17TH

6:00PM

† MARGARET CAMACHO  
(54TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY)  
† JUANITA SALAZAR

### SUNDAY 18TH

7:45AM

SOCIEDAD DE LA VELA PERPETUA  
† MARGARET CAMACHO  
(54TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY)  
LAS ANIMAS

9:45 AM

† FLORA EURESTE  
PETRA SANCHEZ (BIRTHDAY)

### MONDAY 19TH

5:30PM

LAS ANIMAS

## Readings for the Week of October 18th 2009

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b><br>Is 53:10-11; Ps 33; Heb 4:14-16;<br>Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45                           |
| <b>Monday</b>    | <b>Saints John de Brébeuf; Isaac Jogues, priests, martyrs, and their companions, martyrs</b><br>Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 12:13-21 |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | <b>Saint Paul of the Cross, priest</b><br>Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40;<br>Lk 12:35-38  |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124; Lk 12:39-48   |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1; Lk 12:49-53   |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <b>Saint John of Capistrano, priest</b><br>Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119; Lk 12:54-59   |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>Saint Anthony Mary Claret, bishop</b><br>Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24; Lk 13:1-9   |

# TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## SOCIAL MINISTRY NEWS



### Thanksgiving Baskets

It is slowly getting cooler, the kids are back in school, that means one thing...It's thanksgiving Basket time! If your family or a ministry you are a part of would like to adopt a family or if you or someone you know needs to receive a thanksgiving basket, please contact Claire at the parish office.

### Sunday Kitchens

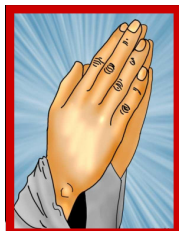
Please come and support social ministries by buying breakfast this weekend. The Vara Family will be sponsoring the kitchen this Sunday, October 18th. Ernest and Mary Torrez and family on October 25th  
In memory of Manuel P. and Maria J. Mata and Dia de Los Muertos on November 1st  
Sagrado Corazon on November 8th  
Candelas Family on November 15th

### Health Ministry

We are participating in the Diabetes walk, "Step Out..walk to fight diabetes", on Nov 14, 2009 9am at Fiesta Gardens .  
American Heart Association, "2009 Austin Start! Heart Walk," on October 17, 2009. And the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure 2009, Saturday, Nov 1, 2009 @ 8am. To join our team for any of these walks please contact Claire at the parish office.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

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| Michael Bourgeois    | Mary R Guerra        |
| Edna and David Smith | Linda Martinez       |
| Chita Trujillo       | Vicente Sandoval Sr. |
| Catherine H Sanchez  | Maria Martinez       |
| Linda Badal          | Marguerite Cain      |
| James Crum           | Roland Vela          |
| Louise Kuhn          | Mary Hernandez       |
| Julian Hernandez     | Frank Hernandez      |
| Alice Chambers       | Anna T Vasquez       |
| Pilar Dibble         | Devin Norman         |
| Julian Castro        | Amanda Barrientez    |



## OUR PARISH NEWS

### Spanish Religious Education for Grades 6 - 8

Beginning Sunday, October 18, we will offer a Spanish-language Religious Education class for grades 6 - 8 at 9:15 a.m. on Sunday morning. Please contact the parish office for more information.

## Around the Diocese

### Practice charity during flu Season

During the fall months when flu is easily spread, it is good to remember some rules of charity:

- Washing hands thoroughly with soap and water or using hand sanitizer diminishes the chance to catch or spread the flu virus.
- If you are sick, stay home. It is never a sin to miss Mass due to illness.
- If your children are sick, keep them home from Mass and Religious Education.
- Teach your children to cover their coughs and sneezes appropriately.
- When receiving the Eucharist, we receive the fullness of the Body and Blood of Christ under the species of bread alone or wine alone. Receiving Communion under both species is a fuller sign, but Christ is fully present in each of the species so receiving both is not required. (See Catechism 1390.)

At this time the diocese is asking parishes to continue their present practices of having ministers sanitize their hands before the distribution of the Eucharist. The diocese is NOT asking parishes to suspend the Sign of Peace or to cease to distribute communion from the cup.

See the link below for more information about the spread of the flu during worship.

<http://www.usccb.org/liturgy/swineflu.shtml>

**St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School** would like to attend our Open House experience on Sunday, November 1, 2009 from 1:00 – 4:00 pm. Established in 2009, St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School is a co-educational, college preparatory school founded by the Diocese of Austin to prepare young men and women to become faith-filled, visionary and inspirational leaders in service to the Church and the world.

Come and enjoy a student-led tour of the beautiful new campus, speak with teachers and listen to presentations about all of the exciting opportunities at St. Dominic Savio! We look forward to welcoming you and your students. Please contact Brian Motto, Director of Admission & Guidance, with any questions. Brian may be reached at 512-388-8846 x5001, or via email at [bmotto@saviochs.org](mailto:bmotto@saviochs.org).



**Please Pray for our military personnel who are serving our Country, especially those in Iraq or overseas:**

SFC Michael E. Serna , Master Srgt. Janie Jimenez , LTC Michael Goains ; SSgt. Paul Nanez; Staff Sgt; Melissa de la Torre