

Saint Bruno Church



St. Bruno Parish is a multi-cultural community, founded in 1912, that welcomes everyone to worship God, especially through the Holy Eucharist and Perpetual Adoration, to grow in the faith and to serve the less fortunate in order to be light and truth for others.

Fifth Ordinary Sunday February 8th, 2015



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Quinto Domingo Ordinaria 8 de Febrero del 2015

"The Little Parish with a Big Heart"

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OFFICE HOURS / HORAS DE OFICINA

TUE.-SAT. 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM & 2:00 - 5:00 PM

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE:

(650)588-2121 Ext. 114 Saturday 9-11 a.m.

PASTORAL STAFF/PERSONAL PARROQUIAL

Rev. Michael Brillantes	Pastor
Rev. Mr. Ramon de la Rosa	Deacon
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Deacon Art Sanchez	R.C.I.A.

* OFFICE CLOSED ON MONDAYS / CERRADA LOS LUNES

MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISAS:

Sunday 8:00 A.M., 12:00 P.M., 6:00 P.M.

Domingo 10:00 A.M. Spanish

Saturday 8:00 A.M., 4:30 P.M. (Vigil)

Sábado 7:00 P.M. (Vigilia)

Weekdays 8:00 A.M. & 6:00 PM except Wednesday 7:00 PM

Holy Days: 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM

3RD FRIDAYS: 8:00 PM (SUNG ADORATION/ OUR LADY'S PRAYER GROUP)

Filipino Mass— Last Sunday of the Month *bawat huling Linggo ng buwan* 3:00 P.M.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK/UNCION DE LOS ENFERMOS:

Please call the parish office when you know of anyone who would like to receive the sacraments but is unable to come to the church. *Favor de llamar a la Oficina cuando usted sepa de alguien que quisiera recibir los sacramentos pero no puede venir a la Iglesia.*

BAPTISMS/BAUTIZOS:

Primer Sábado: 11:30 A.M. Clase

Segundo Sábado: 11:30 A.M. Bautizo

Third Saturday: 11:30 A.M. Baptismal Class

Fourth Saturday: 11:30 A.M. Baptisms

CCD SCHEDULE/CATECISMO:

Grades 1 - 7 Saturdays: 9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

CONFIRMATION CLASS:

Grades 8-12 Tuesdays starting with 6:00 P.M. Mass

CONFESSIONS/CONFESIONES:

Saturdays: 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

MARRIAGE/MATRIMONIO:

Arrangements must be made at least six months before the tentative date of the marriage. *Hacer arreglos por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda.*

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS):

For adults interested in the Catholic Faith; those preparing to receive the Sacraments: *Thu. 7:00 pm Main Hall Upper Room*

RICA (INICIACIÓN PARA ADULTOS):

Para adultos interesados en la Fe Católica, por favor de llamar a la Oficina Parroquial.



Welcome

WELCOME TO ST. BRUNO CHURCH/ BIENVENIDOS

At our Sunday Mass, we come together from all our small communities and celebrate our oneness in Christ. Take a little time to get to know the folks you are celebrating Mass with. *En nuestra misa del domingo todas nuestras pequeñas comunidades nos juntamos para celebrar nuestra unión con Cristo. Tomen un poco de tiempo y trate de conocer a la persona que está a su lado acompañándolo en la Misa.*

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Tuesday 3:00 p.m.



REFLECTIONS/ REFLECCIONES



Oil

There are basically three questions asked of someone who just got back from a trip. Where did you go? What souvenir item did you bring home? What should you have taken along for the trip but did not? Well, I just got back from a trip. I was visiting family and friends in the Philippines, brought home a Franco-papal-visit T-shirt and wished I have taken oil with me for the trip. It's not just any kind of oil; it's oil for the sick.

In three instances, I truly wished I had the oil with me. The first was a visit to the local hospital where my old friend Aluyo was confined. He was a pastoral leader in my former parish assignment. He presided over Sunday communion services whenever a priest could not go there for a mass. He had no formal training, was not a very good speaker but he was dedicated and honest. One night coming home from a social function, I was surprised to find him in the living room of the rectory. He told me that he was marked for liquidation by the communist rebels who suspected him to be a spy for the government. Under cover of darkness, he left his village, crawling through the rice paddies and once out of the place, he walked all the way to the rectory. I spirited him out from there to a safe place in Manila. That was a long time ago. Now there he was doubled over in pain from what was suspected to be cancer. I held him tight, prayed over him, encouraged him to remain hopeful and left some money to his daughter. Then I texted the parish priest who is a good friend of mine to give him the anointing when he can. I wished I had the oil with me.

The second case was in Manila, in a posh village where my Auntie Noli resides. At 92 years old, she has outlived all my other uncles and aunts on both sides. She was hard of hearing so I was handed a small whiteboard and a felt pen so I could write what I wanted to say. It was a slow and tedious process but we were able to communicate. I wrote that I just got back from visiting the church repair projects in Samar sponsored by our parish. She looked at me and said in a weak voice, "How nice!" I led the people in the room in prayer for her health. I wished I had the oil. The third case is the father of a friend who is half-paralyzed from a stroke and who just lost his wife to cancer. We prayed for the repose of his departed wife and for his healing. I wished I had the oil.

The day after my ordination, I jumped on a motorcycle and visited all the sick and the elderly in my hometown, praying for them and administering them the anointing. It took me the whole day. I was exhausted but also fulfilled. My nephew Lindsey will be ordained an SVD priest in December this year. I told his mom, my sister Celia, that I will take care of the sick call kit.

For the past seven years, we have been doing a mass of anointing close to the World Day of the Sick, February 11. As per schedule, it should be today, January 9, but since it was not announced, we will do it next Sunday at 3PM. It's a mass for the sick, the elderly and their caretakers.

Aceite

Básicamente, hay tres preguntas de alguien que acaba de volver de un viaje. A dónde fuiste? Que recuerdo trajiste a casa? ¿Qué debería usted haber tomado al viaje, pero no lo hizo? Bueno, acabo de regresar de un viaje. Yo estaba visitando a familiares y amigos en las Filipinas, traje a casa una camiseta de la visita del Papa Francisco y ojalá me haya llevado el aceite conmigo para el viaje. No es sólo cualquier tipo de aceite; que es el aceite de los enfermos.

En tres casos, realmente deseé tener el aceite conmigo. La primera fue una visita al hospital local donde fue confinado mi viejo amigo Aluyo. Él era un líder pastoral en mi anterior asignación parroquial. Presidió servicios de comunión los Domingo cada vez que un sacerdote no podía ir allí para una misa. Él no tenía ningún entrenamiento formal, no era un muy buen orador pero estaba dedicado y honesto. Una noche, regrese a casa de una función social, que se sorprendió al encontrarlo en la sala de la casa parroquial. Él me dijo que él estaba marcado para la liquidación por los rebeldes comunistas que sospechaban que era un espía para el gobierno. Al amparo de la oscuridad, salió de su pueblo, arrastrándose a través de los campos de arroz y una vez fuera del lugar, caminó hasta el final a la rectoría. Lo ayude de allí a un lugar seguro en Manila. Eso fue hace mucho tiempo. Ahora no se le dobló de dolor de lo que se sospecha que es cáncer. Lo sostuve apretado, ore por él, lo animé a mantener la esperanza y dejé algo de dinero para su hija. Luego envíe un mensaje al párroco que es un buen amigo mío que le diera la unción cuando pudiera. Deseé tener el aceite conmigo.

El segundo caso fue en Manila, en un pueblo elegante donde reside mi tía Noli. A los 92 años de edad, que ha sobrevivido a todos mis otros tíos y tías de ambos lados. Ella estaba con problemas de audición, así que se le entregó una pequeña pizarra y un rotulador para que yo pudiera escribir lo que quería decir. Fue un proceso lento y tedioso, pero hemos sido capaces de comunicarnos. Escribí que acababa de volver de visitar los proyectos de reparación de la iglesia en Samar patrocinados por nuestra parroquia. Ella me miró y me dijo con voz débil: "¡Qué bueno!" Dirijé la gente en la sala de oración por su salud. Deseé tener el aceite. El tercer caso es el padre de un amigo que está-paralizado medio de un derrame cerebral y que acaba de perder a su esposa por cáncer. Oramos por el descanso de su difunta esposa y por su curación. Deseé tener el aceite.

El día después de mi ordenación, salté en una motocicleta y visite todos los enfermos y los ancianos de mi pueblo, orando por ellos y dándoles la unción. Me tomó todo el día. Yo estaba agotado pero también cumplí. Mi sobrino Lindsey será ordenado sacerdote verbita en diciembre de este año. Le dije a su madre, a mi hermana Celia, que yo me haré cargo del kit de visita médica.

Durante los últimos siete años, hemos estado haciendo una misa de unción cerca de la Jornada Mundial del Enfermo, 11 de febrero según el calendario previsto, debe ser hoy, 8 de febrero, pero ya que no fue anunciado, vamos a hacerlo el próxima domingo a las 3PM. Es una misa por los enfermos, los ancianos y sus cuidadores.



Weekly Calendar /
Calendario Semanal

SUNDAY, February 8th, Domingo

8AM-2PM Celebración de la Calendaria (MAIN HALL)
6:30PM-9PM Alcoholicos Anónimos- Grupo Serenidad (SG)

Monday, February 9th, Lunes

9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
6:30PM-9PM Alcoholicos Anónimos- Grupo Serenidad (SG)
7PM Charismatic Prayer Group (ST. MICHAEL)
7PM Talleres de Oracion y Vida (UPPER ROOM)

Tuesday, February 10th, Martes

9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
2PM Alcoholicos Anónimos- Grupo Serenidad (SG)
6-8PM Confirmation Classes- Starting w 6pm Mass
8-9PM Tongan Choir Practice (CHURCH)

Wednesday, February 11th, Miércoles

9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
6PM Rosary with Our Lady's Prayer Group (CHURCH)
6:30PM-9PM Alcoholicos Anónimos- Grupo Serenidad (SG)
7PM Mass with OLPG (CHURCH)
7PM-9PM Clases de RICA (SM)

Thursday, February 12th, Jueves

2PM Alcoholicos Anónimos- Grupo Serenidad (SG)
5PM Overeaters' Anonymous (ST. GABRIEL)
5PM-8PM CCD Review Sessions (UPPER ROOM)
7PM Legion de Maria (ST. MICHAEL'S)

Friday, February 13th, Viernes

9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
2PM Alcoholicos Anónimos- Grupo Serenidad (SG)
6PM-10PM CFC General Assembly (MAIN HALL)
7PM-9PM Clases de RICA (SAINT MICHAEL)
7PM-9PM Choir Practice (SAINT GABRIEL)

Saturday, February 14th, Sabado

9AM-11AM CCD Classes / Catecismo (ALL HALLS)
9:30-11AM Bible Study Classes (CHURCH)
12PM Bautizo (IGLESIA)
5PM-7PM HOLD Meeting (SM)
5-7PM Tongan Choir Practice (SG)
7-12MN Tongan Men's Club (SG)
8PM-12AM St. Joseph's Guild Event (MAIN HALL)

ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

Ash Wednesday falls on February 18th this year and the
schedule of masses is the following:

8AM, 12 Noon, 5:30PM (English Masses)
& 7PM (Spanish)

HORARIO DE MIERCOLES DE CENIZA

El Miercoles de Ceniza cae en el 18 de Febrero este año y
el horario de mases es el siguiente:

8AM, 12 mediodia, 5:30PM (Misas en Ingles)
& 7PM (En Español)

MASS INTENTIONS / INTECIONES DE LA MISA

Saturday, February 7th, Sabado

4:30 p.m. Julius Soraimo (Birthday)
Soraimo Family (Thanksgiving) Erlinda Nazareno
Jose & Paul Martinez (Thanksgiving) Rozana Nilo
Takeyoshi Alfonso (Thanksgiving) +Juliana Malana
+Teofilo Bocanegra Vasquez +Antonio Lopez
+Jesus Duarte Eduardo +Narcisa Sunga
+Pompa Kollmann (Death Anniv.) +Jeffrey Kollman
7:00 p.m. Gretchen Fatherheem (Special Int)
Familia Quinter Martinez Fam. Eduardo Martinez
Esperanza Gutierrez Animas el Purgatorio
+Carmen Valdovinos Alcazar +Fabio Astudillo
+Cecilia Castellanos

Sunday, February 8th, Domingo

8:00 a.m. +Remedios Gomez
10:00 a.m. +Roberto Duran
12:00 p.m. +Josue Ganaden
6:00 p.m. +Donisio P. & Dominga Espulgar

Monday, February 9th, Lunes

8:00 a.m. +Casimiro Lorenzo
6:00 p.m. +Danilo Dumigpi

Tuesday, February 10th, Martes

8:00 a.m. +Jose C. Buenavista
6:00 p.m. +Zoila de Gonzalez

Wednesday, February 11th, Miercoles

8:00 a.m. Noah Caylao (1st Birthday)

Thursday, February 12th, Jueves

8:00 a.m. +Robert Bodeman
6:00 p.m. +Pablo Matatquin Sr.

Friday, February 13th, Viernes

8:00 a.m. Souls in Purgatory
6:00 p.m. Charito Antaran (Healing)

Saturday, February 14th, Sabado

8:00 a.m. +Benigno Carranza

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c;
Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday: Gn 1:20- 2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30;
Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30
Friday: Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 Cor 10:31-
11:1; Mk 1:40-45

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Gn 1:1-19; Sal 104 (103):1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24,
35c; Mc 6:53-56
Martes: Gn 1:20 -- 2:4a; Sal 8:4-9; Mc 7:1-13
Miércoles: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Sal 104 (103):1-2a, 27-28,
29bc-30; Mc 7:14-23
Jueves: Gn 2:18-25; Sal 128 (127):1-5; Mc 7:24-30
Viernes: Gn 3:1-8; Sal 32 (31):1-2, 5-7; Mc 7:31-37
Sábado: Gn 3:9-24; Sal 90 (89):2-6, 12-13; Mc 8:1-10
Domingo: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Sal 32 (31):1-2, 5, 11; 1 Cor
10:31 -11:1; Mc 1:40-45



Catechism Corner

How do we practice the Theological virtue of Charity? The catechism says "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with thy whole heart, thy whole soul, thy whole mind and with thy whole strength." And "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself". But how exactly can we as Christians follow this all-encompassing command? To love generously seems risky. What if we are rebuffed? What if the world does not care? What if nobody notices? God says love anyway because He will never rebuff us. He will notice even if nobody else does. He will remember that we risked something. As we celebrate Valentine's Day and Mardi Gras, we try to get away from the Hallmark version of love and think how to show God our love.

Some 21 teens through our Youth and Confirmation programs stood up for love at the recent Walk for Life, braving the crowds, and some dissenters protesting pro-life and wanting "choice". Their eyes were wide experiencing the wave of 50,000 people, willing to step up for the unborn. One boy stated he liked to see both sides of the debate, so that he could draw his own conclusion. These same students will bring cheer and show God's love to the Nursing home residents again on Valentine's Day. The elderly light up when young people care enough to visit, with some students going on their own.

If the young people can show love through their witness, can we do any less?

"Whoever loves much does much" - Thomas A. Kempis

BEGINNING AGAIN

If I were to begin life again, I would want it as it was. I would only open my eyes a little more.

--Jules Renard

COMENZAR DE NUEVO

Si tuviera que empezar la vida de nuevo, querría que todo fuera igual. Sólo que abriría un poco más los ojos.

--Jules Renard

YOUR CONTRIBUTION / SU CONTRIBUCION

We are grateful for your consistent financial support each Sunday. Please remember us in prayer & offering even when you are not able to be present. *Agradecemos mucho su ayuda financiera de cada semana. Por favor recuérdenos en sus oraciones y en sus ofrendas aun cuando no pueda estar presentes.*



Sunday Collection January 31st & February 1st

Colecta del Domingo Enero 10 & 11

1st Collection / 1ra Colecta \$3,102.40

2nd Collection / 2da Colecta \$928.25



BE A PART OF THE "COVENANT OF LOVE MARRIAGE CHALLENGE" WITH GREG AND JULIE ALEXANDER

From EWTN's "Marriage Works in Christ" and authors of the best-selling book "MARRIAGE 911"

The Alexander House is a response to God in appreciation for having brought them from Crisis to Christ and restoring their troubled relationship.

Regardless of the many attacks being waged on marriage today, the Alexanders believe that our goal should be to support all couples in developing thriving and joy-filled relationships. It is only through a change of heart brought about by personal conversion that our society will begin to change and be reshaped. Bringing the Good News to as many couples as possible is the focus of this mission.

Parish: St. Bruno's Church

555 San Bruno Ave. / San Bruno, CA 94066

Date: Monday, March 2 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm

Please RSVP at <http://marriage-onfire.com>

For more information email or call:

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7 Easy Steps to Prepare for Lent

1. Make a Lenten Calendar
2. Decide on your Lenten sacrifice
3. Take something on, to help grow in the faith
4. Attend Mass as often as possible
5. Go to reconciliation
6. Spend time on devotions
7. Fast and abstain, *all Catholics 14 and over are asked to abstain from meat on all Lenten Fridays.*



7 Pasos Faciles para Prepararse para la Cuaresma

1. Haga un Calendario de Cuaresma
2. Decida cual sera su sacrificio de Cuaresma
3. Tome acción el algo, para ayudar aumentar su fe
4. Atienda la Misa lo mas posible
5. Vaya a confesión
6. Ayune y abstengase, *todos los Catolicos mayores de 14 años se les pide que se abstengan de carne en todos los Viernes de Cuaresma*