



The kingdom of heaven
is like a landowner
who went out at dawn
to hire laborers
for his vineyard.

Matthew 20:1

September 20, 2020

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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The Parish Office is closed until further notice due to COVID-19.

The parish phone is now ringing in the office for you to leave a message for staff. You can also contact us through our website.

We will strive to answer within two business days for non-emergency situations. We thank you for your patience during this challenging time.

May God bless you and your loved ones and continue to stay healthy and safe.

Mass Schedule:

Mass Outdoors:

Weekdays—Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.

Saturday vigil—5:00 p.m.

Sunday—8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.

Livestream schedule:

Weekdays—Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.

Sunday—8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

COVID-19 contingencies

New Parishioners: We invite new members to register by contacting us at reception@holytrinityladera.org.

Baptisms: Please email reception@holytrinityladera.org for assistance. We offer baptism classes monthly and will work to schedule an outdoor baptism following select 10:30 a.m. Masses on Sunday.

Marriages: For information regarding marriages please visit www.holytrinityladera.org/sacraments/matrimony

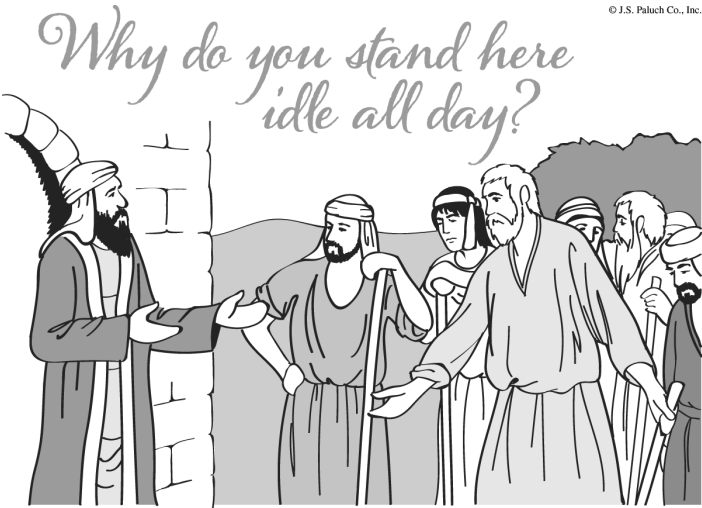
Reconciliation: Monday-Friday from 9 a.m.-10 a.m. in front of the Parish Hall. Saturday from 3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. in front of the main church.

Eucharistic Adoration: Saturday from 3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. in front of the main church.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA): Those interested in becoming Catholic are invited to contact us via our website and someone will be in touch with you.



All high school students and servant leaders are invited to join us for Bible Reflection every Wednesday from 7:00pm to 8:30pm. We will gather outside on the grass for fellowship and games before we share/reflect on the upcoming Sunday Gospel. All high school age students (and friends) are welcome!



Blessed Sacrament

THE HOLY TRINITY BLESSED SACRAMENT WILL BE OPEN FOR PERSONAL PRAYER

MONDAY-FRIDAY
9:00AM - NOON

ENTER THROUGH THE SIDE DOOR
CLOSEST TO CORPORATE DRIVE

Weekly Parish Offerings September 12/13, 2020

Cash/Checks	\$4,864.50
EFT	\$13,035.00
Total	\$17,899.50

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PASTORAL SERVICES APPEAL

Our faith. Our future.

Goal:	\$78,000	
Pledge amt:	\$30,675	Amounts current as of August 10, 2020.
Paid:	\$24,112	
Remaining:	\$43,888	

Total Donations 2,162

- Canned Goods: 713
- Pasta, Sauce, Grains: 471
- Peanut Butter & Jelly: 61
- Boxed Food: 321
- Beverages: 114
- Diapers: 482

Thank you!

OUTDOOR MASS

- * Attendance is first come, first served. **Please bring your own chairs.**
- * Weekday Mass and the Sunday morning Masses will continue to be livestreamed on our YouTube channel and Facebook page.
- * People **65 or over** or with pre-existing conditions continue to have dispensation from Bishop Vann from attending Mass in person and should fulfill their Sunday Mass obligation through a livestream/online option. All others are strongly encouraged to attend Mass in person to unite as the Body of Christ.
- * Holy Communion will be available. Please receive Holy Communion on the hand. The Precious Blood will not be offered at this time.
- * Sanitation stations will be available. Masks are available if you do not have your own. Masks are required to be worn by all during Mass.
- * If possible, please use a restroom prior to your arrival. Restroom facilities will be available by the Parish Hall if absolutely necessary.
- * Six feet of distancing is required to be maintained between individuals or families (e.g. between households.) Please do not allow children to roam.

**HOLY TRINITY
WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

*Walking With Purpose
Keeping in Balance*

Zoom meetings will begin the week of Sept. 20th.
Multiple days & times available.

Small Groups are forming now
register @ www.holytrinityladera.org

HOLY TRINITY WOMEN'S MINISTRY

**JOURNEY TOGETHER
BOOK STUDY**

Weekly Zoom beginning
Wednesday Sept. 23
9:15-10:45AM or 7:00-8:30PM

Compassion
Henri J.M. Nouwen,
Donald P. McNeill, and Douglas A. Morrison

middle school



Sundays
11:30am-12:30pm

September 13 & 27

October 11 & 25

November 8

December 6

January 3 & 24

February 7 & 28

March 14 & 28

April 11 & 25

faith formation 2020-21



Please check your email for updates and reminders.



@holyltrinityyouthministry

CONFIRMATION CALENDAR 2020/21 YEAR 1 & 2

SEPTEMBER

9/13 YEAR 1 PARENT MEETING
9/27 YEAR 1

OCTOBER

10/04 - YEAR 2 CLASS
10/11 - YEAR 1 CLASS
10/18 - No Class Join Us for the White Mass
10/25 - YEAR 1 CLASS

NOVEMBER

11/01 - YEAR 2 CLASS
11/8 - Y1 PARENT & CANDIDATE BREAKFAST*
11/15 - YEAR 2 CLASS

DECEMBER

12/06 - YEAR 1 CLASS
12/13 - YEAR 2 CLASS Saint Reflection Due*

JANUARY

1/03 - YEAR 1 CLASS
1/10 - YEAR 2 CLASS
1/24 - YEAR 1 CLASS
1/31 - Y2 SPONSOR & CANDIDATE 2pm-6:30pm

Classes are held on Sundays

Y1 9:30am-10:30am

Y2 9:30am-10:30am / 11:30am-12:30pm

FEBRUARY

2/07 - YEAR 1 CLASS Year 2 Bishop Letter Due*
2/17 - YEAR 1 Ash Wednesday Reflection*
2/21 - YEAR 2 Discipleship Display*
2/28 - YEAR 1 CLASS

MARCH

3/7 - YEAR 2 RETREAT #1
3/14 - YEAR 1 CLASS
3/28 - YEAR 2 RETREAT #2

APRIL

4/11 - YEAR 1 CLASS
4/18 - YEAR 2 CLASS
4/25 - YEAR 1 CLASS

MAY

5/02 - YEAR 2 CLASS
CONFIRMATION MASS & REHEARSAL - DATE TBA

* Information regarding additional events is provided in the packet or will be given at a later date. Please check your emails for reminders and announcements. Contact Lyssa for more information - lrollolazo@holyltrinityladera.org

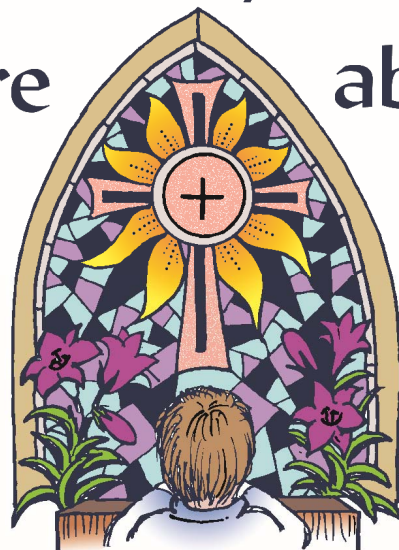
Interested in becoming Catholic?

Inquiry sessions are starting September 20th!

Contact Lyssa Rollolazo at
lrollolazo@holyltrinityladera.org



God's ways
are above



our ways

The Office of Restorative Justice, Diocese of Orange, is teaming up with the San Diego Diocese, University of San Diego, and Catholic Mobilizing Network for a three-day virtual conference.

Join impacted persons, experienced practitioners, ministry leaders, and educators for a national conference enlivening Catholic engagement with restorative justice.

The virtual event takes place on October 27, 29, and 31.

Preregistration is now being accepted.

Learn even more about the "Harm, Healing, and Human Dignity: A National Catholic Conference on Restorative Justice" event at [Catholic Mobilizing Network's website](#).



CATHOLIC MOBILIZING NETWORK

ENDING THE DEATH PENALTY.
PROMOTING RESTORATIVE JUSTICE.

The Living Grace Group for adults living with anxiety, depression, and other mental health difficulties and who have the stability to participate, begins September 30.

The groups will be facilitated by volunteers from the Catholic church, and the nondenominational curriculum will likely add Catholic resources and aspects of the Catholic Faith that are helpful for those living with a mental illness.

The meetings will be conducted via Zoom (telephone or online) in groups of 10.

Visit the [Free Resources page](#) at mentalhealthgracealliance.org to download free e-books, workbook samples, a media kit, and other information.

Registration for groups in this Diocese is available at <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScf77fi-i38FbK0wX7KJ1Vzx-aHQYSDbgeCjgdFbsRm5k78dw/viewform>

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Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Management Unfair

Notice any difference between the attitude of Paul in the second reading and that of the workers in the Matthew's Gospel? The workers grumble because the latecomers got the same pay as those who worked all day. Paul has worked for the Lord for years, yet he thinks it is better to keep working than to claim his reward of eternal life.

The workers grumbled because the landowner gave the same wages to the ones who only worked for an hour. (You can imagine the picket signs: Vinedressers Local on Strike: Management Unfair!) Sometimes we see this parable as an explanation for why sinners who repent on their deathbed can get to heaven. But Matthew was more likely referring to the Jews who had served God for centuries and now see newcomer Gentiles claiming equality in the church. They were complaining about God's generosity in reaching out to all peoples, not just the chosen few. God's generosity is the real point. Those who realize how blessed they are in being called to do God's work have no problem sharing that blessing with others. When we see how much God loves us, we naturally want to respond with love and service of our own. That is what the grumblers, both in the parable and in Matthew's church, were missing.

Contrast that with Paul, who loves the Philippians so much that he is willing to put off his heavenly reward if he can help any more people come to Christ. Paul is more interested in their welfare than in his own reward. That is the attitude that Jesus hopes for in all his disciples. We can love him so much that we can't help but share that love with those around us. We can be so grateful for what he has done for us that we will suffer anything with joy. We can care more about bringing Jesus to others than we do about our own comfort or even our lives. We can do this because we know the Lord's ways are not fair--they are more generous than we can imagine!

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:	Is 55:6-9 Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18 Phil 1:20c-24, 27a Mt 20:1-16a
Monday:	Eph 4:1-7, 11-13 Ps 19:2-5 Mt 9:9-13
Tuesday:	Prv 21:1-6, 10-13 Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44 Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday:	Prv 30:5-9 Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163 Lk 9:1-6
Thursday:	Eccl 1:2-11 Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc Lk 9:7-9
Friday:	Eccl 3:1-11 Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4 Lk 9:18-22
Saturday:	Eccl 11:9 — 12:8 Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17 Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday:	Ez 18:25-28 Ps 25:4-9 Phil 2:1-11 [1-5] Mt 21:28-32

†MASS INTENTIONS†

Saturday, Sep 19

5:00 p.m. Michael Thomas George†

Sunday, Sep 20

8:30 a.m. Rhys Bell

10:30 a.m. Anicia Carreont†

5:30 p.m. Parishioners of Holy Trinity

Monday, Sep 21

8:30 a.m. Michael Thomast†

Tuesday, Sep 22

8:30 a.m. Bob Turansickt†

Wednesday, Sep 23

8:30 a.m. Naomi Rogalest†

Thursday, Sep 24

8:30 a.m. Suzi Moreno Odion

Friday, Sep 25

8:30 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Trinity

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