



Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

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CALLED BY GOD

Today's scriptures invite us to listen to two calls. The first is the call issued by the LORD to the prophet Amos, the "shepherd and a dresser of sycamores" (Amos 7:14). The second is the call the Lord Jesus issued to the Twelve, whom he sent out "two by two" (Mark 6:7). These faithful people responded to the call, prophesying and preaching to the people to whom they had been sent. Each of us received a call when we were baptized. The second reading invites us to ponder that call as we are reminded that we are chosen in Christ and that, in love, God "destined us for adoption" (Ephesians 1:5). As adopted daughters and sons of God we are called to bring the presence of Christ into our marriages, families, schools, and places of work. Let us be inspired today to say yes to the call we hear once again through God's living word.



FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JULY 15, 2018

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil : 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 11:00am & 12:30 pm (in Polish)

Weekdays: (Monday - Friday) 9:00 am

First Saturday—8:00 am

Holy Days: 9:00 am & 7:30 pm

Second Sunday: 3:00 pm - El Shaddai

Third Sunday: 2:00 pm - Virgin of Penafrancia

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:00 –4:45 pm

First Friday— 8 pm

BAPTISMS AND WEDDING

By appointment : (510) 614-2765

ADORATION IN THE CHAPEL

Monday—Saturday—9:30am—7 pm

First Friday— 8pm-9pm—at the Church

9pm-12mn—at the Chapel

PARISH HALL INFORMATION

Call: (510) 501-4894 -Tuesday & Thursday

FAMILY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/ CCD

Sunday morning – All grades after 8:30 Mass



Stewardship Bulletin Reflection
**July 15, 2018 — Fifteenth Sunday
 in Ordinary Time**
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AM 7: 12-15; PS 85: 9-14; EPH 1: 3-14; MK 6: 7-13

“He instructed them to take nothing for the journey.” When Jesus sent his Apostles out, He sent them *“two by two,”* and He basically commanded them to take nothing on the journey: *“no food, no sack, no money in their belts.”* The point of the Lord is that all they needed was to trust in God. Jesus more or less says the same thing to us.

As long as we trust in God, our needs will be met. That is easily said, but it is a bit daunting to actually do it. Yet, people have been doing that since Jesus’ time. It is one of the reasons that the Church has thrived for such a long time.

There is a secondary reason for Jesus’ instructions though, one with which we may not be familiar. At that time there was a ruled that you could not enter a temple area with shoes or a moneybag, because you were there to serve the Lord, nothing else and no one else. The Apostles understood that preaching the Gospel and healing in God’s name was holy work. Jesus did not want them to exemplify any other motive either.

One of the foundational elements of stewardship is trusting God. What enables us to be good stewards and to think of giving to God first, of ourselves and what we have, is that we truly believe that God will take care of us. God has a plan for each of us, and it is better than our own plan may be.

**A PRAYER TO TRUST GOD
 WITH EVERYTHING**

*Dear God,
 What an incredible God you are!
 When I look at the beauty of your creation,
 I’m in awe of your mighty and majestic ways.
 When I see the work of your hand,
 I’m overwhelmed by your love for me.
 Lord, I believe that you saved my soul;
 Help me trust that you have made me whole.
 Lord, I believe that you hear my prayers;
 Help me trust that your answer is best.
 Lord, I trust that you created the mountains;
 Help me trust that you can move them.
 Please forgive my failures and
 Increase my ability to give you everything.
 Thank you, Jesus. Amen.*

THIS WEEK’S INTENTIONS

- Sat Jul 14 Felicitas Andrion +
Alexander Cruz +
- Sun July 15 **8:30 AM** Ador de Castro (BD)
11:00 AM Ador de Castro (BD)
12:30 Mass for Parishioners
- Mon Jul 16 Carmen Marquez (BD)
Emiliana Duran +
- Tue Jul 17 Generosa de Vera +
- Wed Jul 18 Mario da Rosa +
Lenore de Carvalho (BD)
- Thu Jul 19 Cecilia Rosario (eye surgery)
John Orr +
- Fri Jul 20 Richard Ocasion (BD)
Cesar Tunay +
- Sat Jul 21
- Sun Jul 22 **8:30 AM**
11:00 AM Evelyn Bonito (BD)
12:30 Mass for Parishioners

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday: Our Lady of Mount Carmel
- Wednesday: St. Camillus de Lellis
- Friday: St. Apollinaris
- Saturday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi;
Blessed Virgin Mary

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23;
Mt 10:34 — 11:1
- Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24
- Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-10, 14-15;
Mt 11:25-27
- Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab,
15-21; Mt 11:28-30
- Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10-12abcd,
16; Mt 12:1-8
- Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21
- Sunday: Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18;
Mk 6:30-34



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 would like thank all those who supported the WHEEL CHAIR SUNDAY. Your donations of \$5,300 will benefit the Philippines with 37 wheel chairs for the needy.

Be a part of greater involvement in the renewal of parish and family life. Be a member of over a million Catholic fraternal brotherhood. Join us! Be a **KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS**. See any K of C members or call the Parish Office.



LAST WEEK'S CONTRIBUTIONS

Sunday collection (for general operating expenses)
Collected **\$2,283.00**

Restricted donations for: (Liability Insurance)
\$853.00

Sacramentals (Funerals)	750.00
Votive candles	198.00
Adoration Chapel	99.00
St. Anne (donation box)	39.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUOUS SUPPORT!
Next week's 2nd collections: Ground Maintenance

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

At the time of the Reformation, although England broke away from papal authority under Henry VIII, a silent majority clung to the Catholic faith. Henry's eldest daughter, Mary, restored the "old religion" in a fierce persecution of Protestants (she is called "Bloody Mary" for good reason.) His youngest daughter, Elizabeth, rejected papal ties. Under her reign, beginning with legislation in 1593, Catholics were persecuted again, and only the very wealthy could afford the fines for not attending Anglican services on Sunday. They were called "recusants," from a Latin word meaning "refuse," since they refused to attend the liturgy of the Church of England. Many families maintained Catholic tradition in secret, and today their descendants claim "Recusancy" as a mark of family pride. For generations they sent their young people abroad to be educated in convents and monasteries. It is not surprising that the first monastery in colonial America springs from Holland with the daughters of patrician English recusant families. Port Tobacco, Maryland, proved fruitful soil for the Carmelite tradition.

If you wish to have your child baptized, the first requirement is parents should be registered to a parish where they attend masses. Parents and godparents have to attend a pre-baptism class before baptism. Get Baptism registration form from the Parish office. Baptism is solemnized at the 5:00 PM Mass on Saturdays.



For Baptism classes call Paul Groff at 915-1372.

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Welcome New Parishioners !

If you are not currently registered, please take a moment to fill this out and return it to the parish office, or you may drop it in the collection basket.

Name _____ Phone _____ New Parishioner
 Address _____ City _____ ZIP Code _____ New Address
 Updating Parish Information Send Sunday Envelopes Put on mailing list

Q. "If the Church teaches that the Bible-including Genesis-is true, then it must reject evolution, right?"



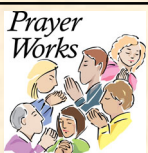
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A. Actually, no. The Church does not reject the possibility that God could have created man and the universe through an evolutionary process. God could have infused human soul into a pre-existent living being, thereby making it a *human* being. This possibility, however, in no way contradicts the creation accounts found in the book of Genesis, if they are correctly understood. As mentioned earlier, Genesis was not written to offer a scientific explanation of God's creation of the world and man. Instead, the author of Genesis is more interested in conveying *religious* truths that deal directly with God's purpose in creating the world, as well as man's place in it.

The Church teaches that everything owes its existence to God (CCC 338). Whether He created the universe through a process of evolution, or by some other means, is of secondary importance. Concerning the origin of the world, we must affirm the following:

1. God created the universe "out of nothing" (CCC 296).
2. Everything He created is good (CCC 299),
3. Man was created in God's image and likeness (Gn 1:27; CCC 355).
4. Adam and Eve lost their original state of innocence and holiness through sin (CCC 399, 405). As a result, death and suffering entered creation (CCC 400).
5. All human beings inherit this state of original sin (CCC 402-406).
6. God promised a Savior who would redeem us from our fallen state and lead us to salvation (CCC 410, 411).

Remember: Evolution is a scientific *theory*. Though often taught as fact, many of its aspects have been challenged by a growing number of scientists simply because the fossil evidence is missing, or even conflicting. Because faith and science both find their origin in God, it stands to reason that scientific theories concerning the origins of the world, as well as religious truths related to them, should be compatible with one another (see CCC 159).



Requesting Your Prayers

Gary Anderson, Corazon Belisario, Jack Burns, Ed & Eliz Coyne, Alicia Calanog, Leonor Yracheta, Erlinda Dizon, Priscilla Da Rosa,

Belen Escondo, Eddie Exevea, Nilda Falero, Arnel Flores, Mercy Gallardo, Frank Goldsborough, Avelino Gapsin, Maria Perpetua Querubin, Erlinda Howard, Carmelita Joseph, Willie Orpiano, Pacita Macasieb, Geri Murchison, Ruben Mislant, Edward Mejia, Gail Ocasion, Frances Pangelinan, Rosy Pereira, Aida Pineda, Romeo Camantigue, Maritess Sanchez, Rosa Maria Santos, Minda Santos, Ursula Santos, Augusto Uy, George Ybanez. Let us thank God for what doesn't need healing.

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