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For helpful information and guidance regarding Infant Baptism, please go to our website www.stbrunochurch.org. We are pleased to assist your family with this first and important Sacrament. If you have questions after reviewing the website, please email Baptism@stbrunochurch.org.



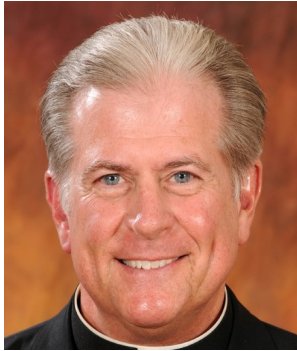
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Gospel Reflections 3rd Sunday of Easter May 1st 2022

Notice good news!

This Gospel occurs just a short time after the passion and death of Jesus. People were still in shock about those horrible events. They felt the Romans had finally put an end to Jesus.

Much to their surprise, Jesus resurrected from the dead! No one in all of human history has ever done this! Since Easter, He had been appearing daily to His disciples. Today's Gospel tells the story of Jesus directing fishermen to lower their nets in a different way, which results in a tremendous catch!

Their original despair they felt at His crucifixion changed instantly to hope at His resurrection, and so they found amazing courage to bring the person of Jesus to everyone they met. These former fishermen would soon bring in a great "catch" of converts.

They were amazingly successful. The church grew quickly with many conversions of Jews and even Romans. Bible Scholars today focus on this time a lot right now, and have learned much about how former fishermen were able to convert so many Romans, who just before had tried to end the Christian faith for good!

The Gospel of Luke especially shows how this happened. (This is also the subject of my latest book, *Luke 10 Leadership*).

This is an important lesson for today. While the media broadcasts many bad events around the world, it often misses all that is going so amazingly well.

In the ancient world, no one cared for victims. It was a culture built entirely on power and dominance. The fact that people react in horror today at tragic events in the world, like Ukrainians suffering under a cruel Russian invasion, and then rush to come to their aid, is actually the legacy of 2000 years of Christianity.

It was many years of gazing at Jesus on the cross that changed the world to finally feel compassion for victims and come to their aid. That is good news we should recognize!

Here at St. Bruno, and I am sure at parishes everywhere, we soon will be celebrating the First Communion of well over a hundred children, and will soon celebrate the Confirmation of well over a hundred teenagers. The good news of Jesus continues!

We certainly acknowledge the sinfulness in our world and all the bad events that happen, but this Easter Season also affirms we should see what is also going well ... and celebrate them.



God bless!

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ST. BRUNO NEWS

ST. BRUNO PRESENTS

SPRING FEST

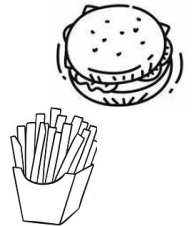
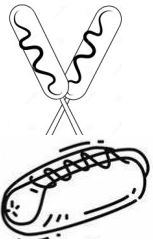
WHITTIER'S LARGEST FAMILY GATHERING

MAY 20, 21, 22, 2022

FREE ADMISSION

Great Food, Drinks, Games, & Rides for the entire family

For more information, please call the Parish Center ext. 114



Car Raffle (School fundraiser) \$100 ticket price - Tickets may be purchased at the Parish Center (cash or check only) from 8:00 AM to 7:30 PM, Monday - Friday. Also can be purchased on the patio after weekend Masses.

**Raffle tickets will be distributed after all the Masses this weekend
and will also be available in the Parish Center!**

Grand Prize \$10,000 • 2nd Place \$1,000 • 3rd Place \$500

Contribute to our Annual Parish Fundraiser by supporting your Parish. The tickets are \$2.00 each and available in books of 25. **For every \$350 in raffle tickets sold you may designate one individual to receive a wristband for unlimited rides for the weekend.** You must turn in all \$350 in cash/check along with the raffle tickets to the parish center, with the individual who is to receive the wristband clearly stated on the envelope. The deadline for this incentive is **Monday, May 16th at 5:00 PM.**

Spring Fest Tickets will go on sale Monday, May 9th

Pre-sale ride tickets - 10 tickets for \$25 on sale until they sell out or Friday, May 20th at 3 PM.

Food & game tickets for all booths \$20 (20, \$1 tickets) sold in the parish center and are available all weekend on the Spring Fest grounds.

St. Vincent de Paul Society The Country Kitchen - We are asking for your help by donating baked goods to the Country Kitchen Booth (cakes, cupcakes, cookies, pies, brownies, cheesecakes). Please bring your baked goods to the parish center Thursday evening, May 19th or anytime Friday - Sunday after 10:00 AM to the Hall. Thank you for your support.



If you would like to participate or need additional information, please contact Cor Meijerink 562-686-3549, Oran Medina 562-407-4419, Rudy Kurianski 562-965-5548 or Rodger Romero 562-505-6041.

ST. BRUNO EVENTS

Catholic Men's Fellowship Inviting All Men!

All men are invited to a CMF morning breakfast on Saturday, May 7th. We will start the morning attending the 8:00 AM Mass, with breakfast and a speaker directly after Mass. For further information, call Dave Zofrea at 562-221-2544.



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Coming Into The Fold

with

Fr. Charbel Grbavac

*Holy Mass
*Breakfast
*Conference



Saturday, May 7, 2022
8:00 am - 11:30 am

St. Bruno's Catholic Church
15740 Citrustree Rd
Whittier CA
catholicmen.org



NOVENA CARDS AVAILABLE



Enroll your "mothers," living or deceased, in the Mother's Day Novena. Pick up a Novena Card at doors of the Church, place their names and donation in the enclosed envelope and drop in the collection basket or return to the Parish Center. Thank you and God Bless Mothers!

Monthly Adoration

Monday, May 2nd

Join us for Monthly Adoration in the Church
7:00 AM - 6:00 PM.



Divine Mercy Chaplet at **4:30 PM**
Divine Office from **5:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

Please come to spend time with our Lord, Jesus.

Catholic Men's Fellowship

Discussion Meeting: Wednesday, May 18th,
from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM in the Parish Center.



For further information, call Dave Zofrea at 562-221-2544.

Cardinal McIntyre Fund for Charity

Next weekend - May 6th & 5th

Here's hope since 1951 for those in crisis situations throughout the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Your contribution goes directly towards emergency needs for children, adults, and families. You are their hope! Your gift provides a one-time emergency help for food, utilities, transportation, medical, housing or funeral expenses. Envelopes are located in the pews.

We walked TOGETHER IN HARMONY
(Psalm 55:14) in the house of God

VIRTUS CLASS

(Spring Fest)

A "Protecting God's Children" class for adults (18 y/o and above), has been scheduled **Thursday May 12th at 6:30 PM** in the Parish Hall.

This 3-hour class will enable Spring Fest volunteers and others to be certified or recertified for four years.

Attendance is limited to 50 individuals; to reserve a place please call the Parish Office 562-947-5637.

"Four For Our Faith" Weekly Giving Initiative

Sunday Collection 4/24	\$18,939
Weekly Online Giving	5,790
Total Contributions	\$24,729

Thank you for your generosity!

The National Men’s March

YOU ARE NEEDED! – Participate in The National Men’s March to End Abortion and Rally for Personhood – **Saturday, June 11th (weekend before Father’s Day), 12-3pm in Tallahassee, FL!**

There is a man connected to every abortion. Men are a big part of the problem, and it’s time for all men to take responsibility to be a big part of the solution. All men of goodwill are needed for the March and everyone else is needed for the Rally. This is truly a battle for the soul of our nation. We highly encourage fathers to march with sons, and entire families to join us at the Rally. Every life matters!

More information and updates at themensmarch.com or text MENS MARCH TO 22828



THE NATIONAL MEN'S MARCH TO END ABORTION AND RALLY FOR PERSONHOOD



Safeguard the Children

DID YOU KNOW?

Tips for water safety

As the weather heats up, children and their families are drawn to the cool water pools, ponds and the ocean offer. Parents and caregivers should keep a few safety tips in mind when children are near water. Watch children at all times, keep weak swimmers and younger children within arm’s reach at all times. At parties or crowded gatherings, choose a water watcher — a trusted adult in charge of watching swimmers and rotate responsibilities as needed. Drowning is a leading cause of death for children, but it can be prevented. For more tips, visit safekids.org/poolsafety.

For these we pray:

Margaret Baies, Catalina Barrios, Lisa Bea, Donald Best, Gloria Candelaria, Rita Casacchia, Becky Cleary, Anna Contreras, Silvia Delgadillo, Richard Diaz, Dick Floyd, Cindy & Isaac Fresquez, Joel Garcia, Mikaela Garcia, Rafaela Gonzalez & Maria, Peggy Gumato, Wendy Willoughby Hunyady, Enrique Marin, Marina Marin, Gloria Marquez, Pat Martin, Raul Martinez, Virginia Orejana, Henry Ortega, Mary Pascoe, Nikki Pearce, Francis Pineda, Louie Perez, Adrian Ramirez, David Raphaelian, Robin Raphaelian, Hibert Razon, Barbara Recchia, Arthur Rodriguez & Family, George & Mary Reyes, Maureen Ruane, Michael Schiada II, Rose Marie Valdez, Martin Velasco, Ida Villa, Mike Welsh and un-born babies.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY • May 2, 2022

6:30 am — James Nolan, R.I.P.
Maria Vargas, R.I.P.

TUESDAY • May 3, 2022

8:00 am — Curtis Arima, R.I.P.
Phil Sabata, R.I.P.

WEDNESDAY • May 4, 2022

6:30 am — Helen Nolan, R.I.P.
Teresa Nguyen Yen Ha, R.I.P.

THURSDAY • May 5, 2022

8:00 am — Intention of Brooklynn Manley
Martha Reyes, R.I.P.

FRIDAY • May 6, 2022

6:30 am — Claudia Armstrong, R.I.P.
Rene Cruz, R.I.P.

SATURDAY • May 7, 2022

8:00 am — Intention of Gloria Mendez
Intention of Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Hutton
5:30 pm — Nicholas Vella, R.I.P.

SUNDAY • May 8, 2022

7:30 am — Marie Guerra, R.I.P.
9:00 am — Dolores Montanez, R.I.P.
10:30 am — Jane Ardizzone, R.I.P.
12:00 pm — Mass for the people of St. Bruno Parish
5:30 pm — RJ Navarro, R.I.P.