



LOVE ONE ANOTHER

In the Gospel for the **Sixth Sunday of Easter** we are met with an extraordinary challenge: Jesus commands us to “love one another as I love you” (John 15:12). The letter from John echoes this command. Of course, we are to love those in our family, those we work with, those we like. But the scriptures make clear that we are also to love those we never notice, those we purposely avoid, and even those we are tempted to despise. In this Sunday’s selection from the Acts of the Apostles Peter shows us how far God’s love extends, and how far our love should extend in response. Peter realizes that God no longer “shows partiality” to the Jews, sharing divine love exclusively with them. Christ has revealed that God’s love extends to all people, and so should ours. Paluch Co., Inc.

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — The gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out on the Gentiles also (Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48).

Psalm — The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power (Psalm 98).

Second Reading — Let us love one another, because love is of God (1 John 4:7-10) or 1 John 4:11-16.

Gospel — This is my commandment: love one another as I love you (John 15:9-17)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Jn 15:26 — 16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mk 16:15-20 (for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19; or, for Ascension, Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mk 16:15-20

The Sacrament of Penance & Reconciliation is celebrated each Thursday from 4:30PM-6PM.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK - MISAS DE LA SEMANA

Saturday

4:30pm: Maria Spannuth+, Augusto Coutinho+, Alcides De Mello+, Eduardo Polanco+

6:30pm/Spanish: Adolfo Angel Trujillo+

Sunday

8:00am: Alicia Andes+, Manuel & Maria Cunha+, Walter Pfyl+

10:00am/Tony Mello+, Francisca Mendonca+

11:30am/Spanish: Adolfo Angel Trujillo+

9:00am/(M): DAILY MASS

9:00am/(T): Mario De La Cruz+

9:00am/(W): DAILY MASS

9:00am/(Thurs): DAILY MASS

9:00am/(F): DAILY MASS

THANK YOU, ST. CHRISTOPHER

The OCIA Team (formerly RCIA Team) would like to offer our sincere appreciation for your welcoming in to our Catholic Family 19 new members during our Easter Vigil just a couple weeks ago, your ongoing prayers and support during their journey to be welcomed into the Catholic Faith has made a profound impact on each of them, and resulted in a love and support for them they will never forget. OCIA is now accepting people for our next session which will, begin in September. We are reaching out to people who may not have received all the Sacraments of the Catholic Church and would like to, or others who would like to become Catholic. If anyone has any questions, call Ben White at 916 396 5453. At this time we would also like to offer our deepest gratitude for the ongoing support we have received from our Religious Education Director Araceli Garcia, our Administrative Director Maria Polanco, and Father Miguel for his prayers and blessings. Father Miguel and St. Christophers thank you again for your prayers and blessings, and a beautiful Easter Vigil Celebration welcoming our new Catholic brothers and sisters into the Catholic Church. We have all been truly blest by this beautiful community called St. Christophers.

thank
you!



Roof project completed! The total cost for this project was **\$134,000.00**. This project while necessary required a significant amount of money. After careful consideration and prayer, I am reaching out to our parish community for assistance. I have been extremely grateful to those who have already donated. **A total of \$43,910.63, has been received.** Any monetary assistance you can provide is much appreciated. Father Miguel and Parish Council.

Religious Education News

Registration for new families will begin on the July 9 thru 11, during office hours, (10am-2pm.) Registration for returning families will begin the of July 15 thru 18, during office hours.

Documents required:

Birth certificate, Baptismal certificate, for those receiving 1st Communion. Birth certificate, Baptismal certificate, 1st Communion certificate for those receiving Confirmation.

Fees per year/one child \$60.00

Two children/ \$90.00

3 or more Children/ \$140.00

Daughters of Isabella: Scholarships of \$500.00 each will be awarded to two high school seniors for any continuing educational needs (College, Vocational School, etc.) please see the Parish Office for your application! Submission Deadline: **June 5, 2024 (12 noon)**

Knights of Columbus: Scholarship applications are currently being accepted from High School seniors. Two candidates will be chosen to receive a \$500 scholarship. Please see the Parish Office for your application! Submission Deadline: **June 5, 2024 (12 noon)**



LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Mediante las prédicas de Pedro, el Espíritu Santo viene a los gentiles (Hechos 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48).

Salmo — El Señor revela a las naciones su justicia (Salmo 98 [97]).

Segunda lectura — Dios es amor y Dios nos ama (1 Juan 4:7-10) o 1 Juan 4:11-16.

Evangelio — Jesús da este mandamiento a sus discípulos: ámense unos a otros como yo los he amado (Juan 15:9-17) o Juan 17:11b-19.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 16:11-15; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a

Martes: Hch 16:22-34; Sal 138 (137):1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11

Miércoles: Hch 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Sal 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15

Jueves: Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47:2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17-23 o Ef 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mc 16:15-20 (para la Ascensión); o Hch 18:1-8; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Jn 16:16-20

Viernes: Hch 18:9-18; Sal 47 (46):2-7; Jn 16:20-23

Sábado: Hch 18:23-28; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28

Domingo: Hch 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Sal 103 (102):1-2, 11-12, 19-20; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19; o, para la Ascensión, Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17- 23 o Ef 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mc 16:15-20

Hijas de Isabel - Beca Anual

Con el objetivo de promover la excelencia académica y el bienestar espiritual, se otorgará una beca de \$500.00 a un estudiante de último año de secundaria. ¡Consulte la Oficina Parroquial para su solicitud! Fecha límite de envío: 5 de junio.

Noticias de la Doctrina!

La registración empieza para nuevas familias el 8, 9,10,11, de Julio en horas de oficina (10am-2pm.) Para familias que están regresando para su Segundo año empieza la registración 15,16,17,18 de Julio durante las horas de oficina.

Los documentos que necesitan:

Acta de nacimiento, Certificado de Bautismo para los que recibirán primera Comunión.

Acta de Nacimiento Certificado de Bautizo Certificado de Primera Comunión para los que recibirán la Confirmación.

Un niño \$60.00

Dos niños \$90.00

3 niños o mas \$140.00/Los precios son por año.