

# **WELCOME!**

## **Our Lady of the Mountains and All Saints Catholic School**



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### *Office Hours*

8:30am~12:30pm, 2:00pm~5:00pm Mon~Fri

### *Staff*

<u>Pastor</u>	Fr. Michael Bucciarelli
<u>Business Manager</u>	Teresa Mullen
<u>Parish Secretary</u>	Donna Parsons
<u>Religious Ed</u>	Kathleen Shilson
<u>Youth Ministers</u>	Andrew & Amy Kjolsrud
<u>Maintenance</u>	Joe Laird
<u>School Principal</u>	Kathy Chandler
<u>School Secretary</u>	Loretta Sommerhauser

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Rodger Miller,  
Reynaldo Romo, Jim Schaff,  
Gene Tackett

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March 6, 2016



Fourth Sunday  
of

# Lent

Whoever is in Christ  
is a new creation:  
the old things have passed away;  
behold, new things have come.

2 Corinthians 5:17

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### **Mass**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00am  
Wednesday 5:30pm  
Saturday Vigil 5:00pm  
Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am (Spanish) & 5:00pm (Youth Mass)

Holy Day of Obligation: Varies see inside

### **Other Sacraments**

Anointing of the Sick ~ By appointment

Baptism ~ By appointment only. Registration & Baptism classes required. Please call Parish Office.

Marriage ~ Minimum 4 months advance notice.  
Please call Parish Office.

Confessions ~ Saturday 4p.m. or anytime by appointment.



### March 5, 2016 ~ Saturday

5:00p.m. Int. for the St. Vincent de Paul Society  
✠Maria Waldmann by Palmer & Bunnie Drews

### March 6, 2016 ~ Sunday

7:30a.m. ✠Marilyn Smith by Frank & Linda Smith  
✠Maria Waldmann by John & Lauren Pohl  
9:30a.m. ✠Sue Pellowski by the The Pellowski Children  
✠Bert Montano by John & Delores Martins  
11:30a.m. For the people of the Parish  
5:00 p.m. ✠Kelly O'Brien by RayAnn Bondarek  
✠Maximo Matarrita by Hubert & Maria Schoer

### March 7, 2016 ~ Monday

8:00a.m. ✠Jeff Pino by Dave & Agnes Pino

### March 8, 2016 ~ Tuesday

8:00a.m. ✠Bill Loesch, Cliff Bondarek & Luanne Kritzberg by Grace Loesch

### March 9, 2016 ~ Wednesday

5:30p.m. ✠Herb Lockwood by Jerry & Georgia Lockwood

### March 10, 2016 ~ Thursday

8:00a.m. ✠Mary Schable by Pat & Ilse Schable

### March 11, 2016 ~ Friday

8:00a.m. ✠Peggy Kiernan by Phyllis Ballard

### March 12, 2016 ~ Saturday

5:00p.m. ✠Cliff Bondarek, Barbara & Kelly O'Brien by RayAnn Bondarek  
✠Brooke Coates by Monica Whitlock

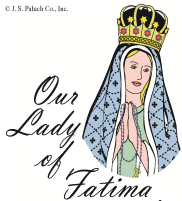
### March 13, 2016 ~ Sunday

7:30a.m. ✠Richard Casper by Edelgard Casper  
✠Jim Wedge by Jim & Sue Dobis  
9:30a.m. ✠Bert Montano by Ralph & Debbie Salem  
11:30a.m. For the people of the Parish  
5:00p.m. For the intention of the Pastor

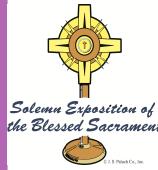
## Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Lent  
Monday: Ss. Perpetua and Felicity  
Tuesday: St. John of God  
Wednesday: St. Frances of Rome  
Friday: Abstinence

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The **Statue of Our Lady Of Fatima** will be at the home of Delores Martins until March 20th.



## **ADORATION I WAIT FOR YOU**

Please join us for Adoration on the Thursday before First Friday of each month. All are invited.



## **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

Hispanic Prayer Group	Sunday	12:30p.m.
Young at Heart Mtg.	Monday	11:00a.m.
Yoga	Monday	4:00p.m.
Strengthening Our Faith	Monday	6:00p.m.
Prayer Group	Monday	6:30p.m.
Confirmation Class	Monday	6:30p.m.
Cursillo	Tuesday	6:00p.m.
Hispanic Catechism	Tuesday	6:00p.m.
Evening Mass	Wednesday	5:30p.m.
Penance Service	Wednesday	6:30p.m.
Baptism Class	Thursday	6:30p.m.
Divine Mercy	Thursday	2:00p.m.
Yoga	Thursday	4:00p.m.
Knights of Columbus	Thursday	6:30p.m.
Stations of the Cross	Friday	6:00p.m.
Soup Night	Friday	6:45p.m.
Confessions	Saturday	4:00p.m.

## **Planning Calendar**



### **March**

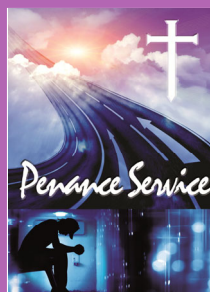
March 7 ~ 9 Parish Lenten Mission  
March 7 ~ 11 School Spring Break  
March 25 ~ Good Friday Parish Office CLOSED

### **April**

April 1 ~ Parents Night Out  
April 9 ~ K of C Yard Sale  
April 16 ~ Variety Show  
April 23 ~ K of C Fundraiser Dinner  
April 30 ~ First Holy Communion

### **May**

May 7 ~ Fr. Bob Brazaskas 50th Anniversary Mass @ 5:00pm & Potluck  
May 14 ~ Parish Picnic & Carne Asada Dinner



## **Our Lenten Penance Service**

will be on Wednesday, March 9th at 6:30pm. This will be the conclusion of our Parish Mission.



## *Schedule for Next Weekend*

March 12/13

### Altar Servers

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Charity Scudella, Brigid Ledger, Michael Ledger  
**Sun, 7:30a.m.** Bryon Spartz, Judith Gordon, Isabel Perez  
**Sun, 9:30a.m.** Billy Tomes, Heart Silmaro, Martin Meadows  
**Sun, 5:00p.m.** Joseph Valenzuela, Maggie Sommerhauser, James Kirkpatrick

### Lectors

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** (1) T. Quirk (2) D. Gosselin  
**Sun, 7:30a.m.** (1) D. Spartz (2) J. Chambers  
**Sun, 9:30a.m.** (1) G. Monger (2) D. Gilcreest  
**Sun, 5:00p.m.** (1) M. Pryor (2) A. Lee

### Eucharistic Ministers

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** RayAnn Bondarek, Betsey Hartwigsen, Lois Moro, Jerry Wertis  
**Sun, 7:30a.m.** Kathleen Shilson, Frank & Linda Smith, Tom Quirk  
**Sun, 9:30a.m.** Wanda Balbuena, Cecilia Coleman, Lupe Rulapaugh, Tom Quirk  
**Sun, 5:00p.m.** Chuck & Debby Everding, Debbie & Richard Laszok

### Ushers

- Sat, 5:00p.m.** Al & Cacilia Edmond  
**Sun, 7:30a.m.** Mark Lobner, Dave Waldmann  
**Sun, 9:30a.m.** Deb Scott, Gary & Pat Wagner  
**Sun, 5:00p.m.** Keith & Teresa Mullen

### Linens

Sandy Torborg



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### MINISTRIES AND CONTACTS

- Adoration**, Liz Nelson 378-6836  
Phyllis Ballard 378-3192  
**All Saints Catholic School** 378-7012  
**Altar Servers**, Judith Gordon 803-0673  
**Arts & Environment**, L. Fletcher 910-578-7906  
Loretta Sommerhauser 480-201-2049  
**AVE Neighbor**, Jan Ross 378-1754  
**Baptism Class**, Steffani Hays (En) 678-6739  
Dcn. Reynaldo Romo (Sp) 559-2400  
**Bereavement**, Dcn. Jim Schaff 378-2332  
**Blanket Ministry**, Phyllis Ballard 378-3192  
**Bulletin Folding**, Pat Jensen 803-1052  
**Compliance Officer**, Dcn. Jim Schaff 378-2332  
**Charismatic Prayer**, Dcn. Bob Sadorf 378-1527  
**Cursillo**, Spanish, Jesus De La Rosa 378-1056  
**Dancers Etc.**, Doris Sims 417-0092  
**Divine Mercy Cenacle**, Liz Nelson 378-6836  
**Eucharistic Ministers**, Dave Gilcreest 458-7135  
Justa Valles 378-1837  
**Gift Shop**, Millie Dalton 459-3889  
**Hispanic Spiritual Dir**, Dcn. Romo 559-2400  
**Hospital Euch. Ministers**, Joel Childs 378-9415  
**Jail Ministry**, Dcn. Gene Tackett 378-6501  
**Knights of Columbus**, Mark Lobner 458-5609  
**Lectors**, Mark Lobner 458-5609  
Mayra Velasquez 236-7134  
Monica McCall 559-639-3704  
**Linens**, Laura Gilcreest 458-7135  
**Marriage Preparation**,  
Dcn. Jim & MaryAnn Schaff 378-2332  
**Money Counters**, Barbara Wedge 378-7086  
**Music Ministry**, Jo Merritt 241-8337  
**Parish Project Mgr.**, Keith Mullen 266-4230  
**Prayer Garden**, Doris Sims 417-0092  
**Religious Education**, Kathleen Shilson 378-2720  
**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**  
Dcn. Jose & Leonor Huerta-Nunez 459-1967  
**St. Vincent de Paul** 378-2720  
**Strengthening Our Faith**, Mo Pryor 335-6056  
**Ushers/Greeters**, Deb Scott 236-3985  
Gloria Dutton 378-3486  
**You Are Not Alone**, Suzanne DeRosier 458-6903  
**Young at Heart**, Pat Wagner 803-0722  
**Youth Group**, Andrew & Amy Kjolsrud 459-2188



## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS...

If we become Available and Vulnerable,  
we can Expect great things!

We welcome the addition of names of parishioners and family members who are HOSPITALIZED or CRITICALLY ILL. Names of CHRONICALLY ILL PARISHIONERS and FAMILY are in the back of the church. You and your loved ones are in our prayers daily.

Julie Bannan (daughter of Tom & Carol Bannan) #116, Frank Romero Jr. (brother of Barbara Adric) #116, Deacon Rodger Miller #112, Robert "Bob" Lusignan #105, Cesaer Nicolas Herrera (grandson of Esperanza & Nicolas Avitia) #107, Mary Alice Adamczyk #109, Delores Martins #110, John Kimbell #101, Debbie Griffin #111, Joe & Nina Borroz #115, Judy Carroll #111, Lorene Shough #116, Amy Kjolsrud #102, Wayne & Rebecca Becraft, Anita Garcia (friend of Mary Lou Esquivel), Paul Curran #105, Anna Moore (granddaughter of Palmer & Bunnie Drews #118), Wesley Coleman & Annie Webster (friends of Cacilia Eckles-Edmond) #118, Karen Cox #113



### Marriage Tip of the Week

Humor is often the best medicine. Learning to laugh and not taking ourselves too seriously can make life more enjoyable for us and our family.

## OLM MONTHLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

February 2016

February 6/7	\$8,541.50
February 13/14	\$4,761.00
February 20/21	\$5,393.85
February 27/28	\$4,452.74
	\$
Online contributions (as of 2/29/16)	\$4,250.00
*Total Church Contributions	\$27,399.09

### OLM Special Contributions-online 2/29/16

Building Maint Fund/Capital Imp.	\$893.95
Rectory Building Fund	\$580.00
Support Our School	\$1,468.35
* *Other Church Contributions	\$1,428.40

## FISCAL YEAR STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016

* Total Church Contributions	\$222,530.50
** Total Other Church Contributions	\$17,043.65
Total Parish Activities/ Other Income	\$13,237.03
Total YTD Contributions/Income	\$252,811.18
YTD Expenses	\$237,319.16
Total year to date income	\$15,492.02
Annual Fiscal Year Goal	
Monthly: 35,000.00 X 12=	\$420,000.00
Contribution % to date of goal	60.19%

Current No. of OLM Families: 991

JMJ

### Weekly Readings, 07 – 13 Mar 2016

Monday:	Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday:	<b>St. John of God</b> Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday:	<b>St. Frances of Rome</b> Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30
Thursday:	Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47
Friday:	Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Saturday:	Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53
Sunday:	<b>5th Sunday of Lent</b> Is 43:16-21; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11



If you would like to purchase an Easter Lily or flower in memory or honor of a loved one, they are available in the back of church. Please return them to the Parish by March 21<sup>st</sup>.

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### Southwestern Mission Research Center

Presents: Kino Missions Tour – April 19 - 21, 2016

Pilgrimage Directors:

Fr. John Arnold, St. Mark's, Tucson

Fr. Gregory Adolf, St. Andrew the Apostle, Sierra Vista

Dr. Michael Brescia, U of A, Professor of History  
Departing from Tucson on Tuesday, April 19 at 8 a.m.

Visiting the missions of:

Imuris, Pitiquito, San Ignacio, Magdalena, Caborca, San Antonio de Oquitoa, San Francisco de Atil, San Pedro and San Pablo de Tubutama  
\$525 per person includes transportation, lodging (double occupancy), and meals

For Reservations:

Monica Young

520.621.6278

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PASSPORTS REQUIRED



In today's Gospel Jesus is quite clear in his message: "bear fruit or be cut down." This Lent we are called to cultivate and fertilize our spiritual lives through prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St.

Vincent de Paul so that together we can help the suffering and poor.

Our St. Vincent de Paul Society will hold its Stations of the Cross on Tuesday, March 8th at 4:30p.m in the church. All are invited to come.



## OLM COUNCIL 10799

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our Lady of the Mountains Council

10799 Educational Grant Program

School Year 2015-2016

Our Lady of the Mountains (OLM) Knights of Columbus Council 10799 has established an Educational Grant Program aimed at providing financial assistance to high school seniors or students in college and members of OLM Parish and Holy Family Catholic Community that are pursuing higher education. This school year, it is our pleasure to announce that the Council intends to award **two \$1,000.00 grants** to selected applicants. The Application Packet, which includes selection criteria and application details, can be obtained at the OLM office or from the Program Chairman. (\*\*Please, contact the Program Chairman if you would like to receive an electronic copy of the Application Packet\*\*) Application Packets must be postmarked (address below) or hand delivered to the OLM Parish Office (520-378-2720) no later than **8 April 2016**. Note that application packets received or postmarked after that date may not be considered. Information furnished in the application packet, or given at any time during the selection process, will be held in strict confidence and will not be returned. Address for Application Packet submittal is as follows:

Knights of Columbus, OLM Council 10799

ATTN: Educational Grant Program

1425 E. Yaqui Street

Sierra Vista, Arizona 85650

Please, contact Mr. Manuel Garcia, Program Chairman, at 520-378-0332 or mhgarcia7@msn.com with any questions you may have. We extend our best wishes to all graduates and students, specifically to all applicants, and we pray you have a very successful graduation.

## Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma 6 de marzo de 2016

### Hispanic Ministry Contacts

Acolitos	Esperanza Avitia	249-4623
Lectores	Mayra Velasquez &	236-7134
	Monica McCall	559-639-3704
Cursillos	Jesus De La Rosa	378-1056
Bienvenida	Gloria Dutton	378-3486
Coro	Maria Acuna	378-2319
Eucarista Ministres	Justa Valles	378-1837

### Para El Proximo Fin De Semana

#### Programa De Acolitos

Isaac Avitia  
Jesus De La Rosa  
Jaime Hernandez

### Programa De Ministerios De Eucarista

Luis y Justa Valles  
Connie Vildusea  
Edi Mont'ros

### Programa De Lectores

Teresa Aguirre y Mayra Velasquez



### Consejo Matrimonial de la Semana

El humor es frecuentemente la mejor medicina. Aprender a reír y no tomarnos demasiado en serio puede hacer la vida más agradable para nosotros y nuestra familia.



## All Saints Catholic School News

All Saints Catholic School is looking for qualified teachers for the 2016-2017 school year. Positions are available for 1st Grade, Middle School Language Arts, and Part-Time Music. If you are interested in joining our community of teachers, please stop by the school office to pick up an application. Or download the application from the Diocese of Tucson HR website ([www.diocesetucson.org/human-resources/](http://www.diocesetucson.org/human-resources/)). All applicants must have an Arizona teaching certificate and a DPS fingerprint card. Applications can be turned in to the school office, emailed ([kchandler@diocesetucson.org](mailto:kchandler@diocesetucson.org)), or faxed (520-378-2726). Please include copies of your certificate, fingerprint card, college transcripts, and two letters of recommendation.

We are also accepting registration for the 2016-2017 school year. Please stop by the school office to enroll. Space is available for preschool (half and full day) through 8th grade. Financial aid is available through scholarships and the Catholic Tuition Support Organization. Institute for Better Education scholarship applications are due on March 18, 2016. For more information please visit [www.ibestscholarship.org](http://www.ibestscholarship.org).



We journey with CRS Rice Bowl to the Central American country of Honduras, where we meet students who are learning that it's better to help your neighbor learn and grow than to leave him or her behind. To whom are we called to extend a hand this week? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more.



### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL STEWARDSHIP FEBRUARY 2016

During the month St. Vincent de Paul interviewed **30** families and helped **109**

people.

OLM Parish Collection	\$7,089.00
Direct Financial Assistance Given:	
Electricity	\$1,308.46
Propane	1,230.34
Natural Gas	494.77
Emergency Housing	363.00
Emergency Home Improvements	284.02
Medical	879.34
Water	-----
Transportation	180.00
Miscellaneous	<u>\$1,175.44</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,915.37</b>



## GOSPELS AND QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

**4th Sunday of Lent, Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32**

**A Generous Spirit**

March 6

**Adults:** *When have you been generous enough to forgive someone who hurt you deeply?*

**Children/Youth:** *Is there someone you need to forgive or ask forgiveness of?*

**Next Week's Gospel Preparation**

**5th Sunday of Lent, John 8: 1-11**

**False Pride**

March 13

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**Thursday, March 17** – 5:30 Class for students and their parents who wish to receive First Communion

**Sunday, March 20**– Seder Meal for all RE students grades 1-9

This year we are privileged to have an authentic Seder Meal celebration for our RE students. It will be held on March 20 (Palm Sunday) during the regular Sunday class time. Sherry Zimmerman has graciously offered to be the cook and emcee for this special event. Tom Quirk, our seminarian, will cantor in Hebrew. Please make every effort to have all students here that day for class. Parents, if you know your child(ren) cannot be here that day please let me (Kathleen) know as soon as possible as we need to keep count for the food.

*Nothing is more practical than finding God; than falling in love in a quite absolute, final way. What you are in love with, what seizes your imagination, will affect everything. It will decide what will get you out of bed in the morning, what you do with your evenings, how you spend your weekends, what you read, whom you know, what breaks your heart, and what amazes you with joy and gratitude. Fall in love, stay in love, and it will decide everything. (Matthew Kelly)*

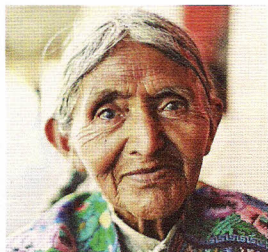


Tickets will go on sale for the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner starting on Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup>. Please stop by the Parish office or call in to reserve your tickets. Only 200 tickets will be sold. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$10 for children.

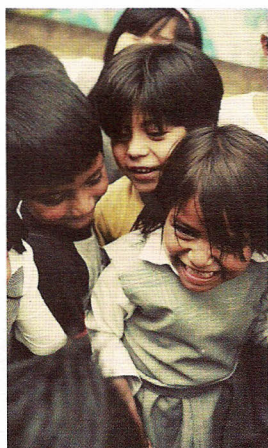
You may now have the OLM 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Logo sewn on a shirt of your choice for \$18.00. All you need to do is bring in a new (washed) or an older washed favorite shirt to the Parish office and we'll have the logo sewn on.

# ES *Jesús* CON OTRO ROSTRO, ¿LE AYUDARÁS?

“YO LES ASEGURO QUE, CUANDO LO  
HICIERON CON EL MÁS INSIGNIFICANTE  
DE MIS HERMANOS, CONMIGO  
LO HICIERON”. (MT 25:40)



Cada vez que vemos sufrir a una persona, encontramos a Jesús con otro rostro. *The Catholic Relief Services Collection* (CRSC) otorga fondos a seis agencias católicas que sirven a Jesús con otro rostro en nuestros hermanos y hermanas alrededor del mundo. Su rostro pudiese ser el de aquel que sufre por desastres naturales, aquel que ha sido desplazado a causa de la violencia o la guerra o aquel inmigrante que busca una vida mejor. El apoyo que brindes a esta colecta es una oportunidad para ayudar pues es **Jesús con otro rostro, ¿le ayudarás?**



En un mundo en desarrollo, a las familias a menudo les es difícil mantenerse a sí mismas y a sus hijos. Sofía, una viuda que trabaja en el pueblo de Burkina Faso, se esforzaba mucho para dar de comer a su familia y pagar la escuela de sus hijos. Gracias a la ayuda ofrecida por *Catholic Relief Services*, una de las organizaciones financiadas por la CRSC, su pueblo pudo establecer una comunidad de ahorros y préstamos internos (*Savings and Internal Lending Community-SILC*). A través de SILC, los miembros aportan lo que pueden, permitiéndoles juntar sus recursos y ahorrar en forma colectiva. Los miembros entonces pueden solicitar un préstamo para responder a sus necesidades más apremiantes o aprovechar alguna oportunidad para los negocios. Por medio de SILC, Sofía pudo solicitar un préstamo de \$200 para cubrir el costo inicial de una cantina propia, suma que a ella le hubiese sido imposible ahorrar. Su cantina ha tenido mucho éxito y empezó a dar buenos resultados en solo seis meses. Su comunidad se ha beneficiado también ya que le ha sido posible contratar a tres asistentes para que la ayuden con las labores. Sin la ayuda de SILC y la labor de CRS, le hubiese sido casi imposible a Sofía, y a otros como ella, poder crear una vida sostenible para ella y su familia.



El proyecto BIA Pro-bono, una división de *Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc.* (CLINIC), utiliza fondos de la CRSC para ofrecer apoyo y representación legal a los inmigrantes que se

presentan ante la junta de apelaciones en la oficina de inmigración (*Board of Immigration Appeals-BIA*). Pedro vino a los Estados Unidos para poder darle a su familia una vida mejor y para huir de la violencia y la persecución. Él ingresó a los Estados Unidos sin pasar inspección, pero casi 20 años más tarde, Pedro fue llevado a un centro de detención para inmigrantes, lejos de su esposa y de sus tres hijos mientras que BIA decidía si Pedro podía permanecer en el país. Gracias al proyecto BIA Pro-bono, unos estudiantes de derecho descubrieron que Pedro nunca había sido considerado para el Estatus de Protección Temporal y fue representado legalmente por unos abogados locales. Felizmente, ellos ayudaron a determinar que en realidad Pedro era elegible para este estatus legal. Luego de permanecer un año en el centro de detención, separado de su familia, Pedro pudo regresar a casa.

## CON TUS DONATIVOS

Alimenta el hambre de Jesús en los refugiados que sufren, a través del **USCCB Department of Migration and Refugee Services (MRS)**.

Dale agua a Jesús para calmar su sed en los pueblos de Bolivia y Etiopía, a través de la labor humanitaria de **Catholic Relief Services (CRS)**.

Ofrécele asistencia legal a Jesús en los inmigrantes que sufren por salir adelante, a través del **Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC)**.

Acércate para consolar la soledad de Jesús en los trabajadores que se sienten aislados, a través de la labor pastoral del **USCCB Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church**.

Aboga a favor de Jesús en los pobres y los abandonados, a través de la labor que hace en las políticas públicas el **USCCB Department of Justice, Peace and Human Development**.

Envíale ayuda a Jesús en las víctimas de desastres naturales, a través del **Holy Father's Relief Fund**.



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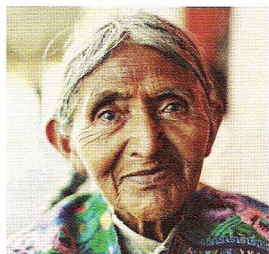
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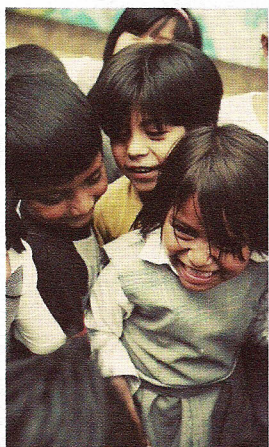
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# HELP *Jesus* IN DISGUISE

**"AMEN, I SAY TO YOU, WHATEVER YOU DID  
FOR ONE OF THESE LEAST BROTHERS  
OF MINE, YOU DID FOR ME." (MT 25:40)**



Each time we encounter a suffering person, we encounter Jesus in disguise. The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC) funds six Catholic agencies that serve the disguised Jesus in our suffering brothers and sisters around the world. His disguise might be that of those suffering from natural disaster, those displaced by violence or war, or those migrants searching for a better life. Your support of this collection is an opportunity to **help Jesus in disguise**.



In the developing world, it is often hard for families to support themselves and their children. Sophie, a widow working in a village in Burkina Faso, was struggling to feed her family and pay for schooling for her children. Thanks to the help of Catholic Relief Services, one of the CRSC-supported organizations, her village was able to set up a Savings and Internal Lending Community (SILC). Through the SILC, members contribute what they can afford, allowing them to pool their resources and save collectively. Members can then borrow money to meet pressing needs or develop business opportunities. Through the SILC, Sophie was able to take out a \$200 loan to cover startup costs for her own canteen, a sum that would be nearly impossible for her to save. Her canteen has been very successful and began to pay off in only six months. Her community has benefited too, as she has been able to hire three assistants to work with her. Without the SILC and the work of CRS, it would have been nearly impossible for her, and others like her, to create a sustainable life for her and her family.



The BIA Pro Bono Project, a part of the Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC) uses funds from the CRSC to provide support and legal representation to immigrants facing the Board of Immigration Appeals (BIA). Pedro entered the

United States to provide a better life for his family and to flee violence and persecution. He entered the United States without inspection, but nearly 20 years later, Pedro was taken to an immigration detention facility away from his wife and three children while the BIA decided whether he could stay in the country. Thanks to the BIA Pro Bono Project, law students discovered that he had never been considered for Temporary Protected Status, and local legal counsel represented him. This counsel helped determine that he was in fact eligible for this legal status. After a year in a detention facility, separated from his family, Pedro was able to return home.

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Feed Jesus' hunger in suffering refugees . . . through the **USCCB Department of Migration and Refugee Services (MRS)**.

Give water to quench Jesus' thirst in the people of Bolivia and Ethiopia . . . through the humanitarian work of **Catholic Relief Services (CRS)**.

Offer legal assistance to Jesus in struggling immigrants . . . through the **Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC)**.

Reach out to comfort Jesus' loneliness in isolated workers . . . through the pastoral work of the **USCCB Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church**.

Advocate on behalf of Jesus in the poor and abandoned . . . through the public policy work of the **USCCB Department of Justice, Peace and Human Development**.

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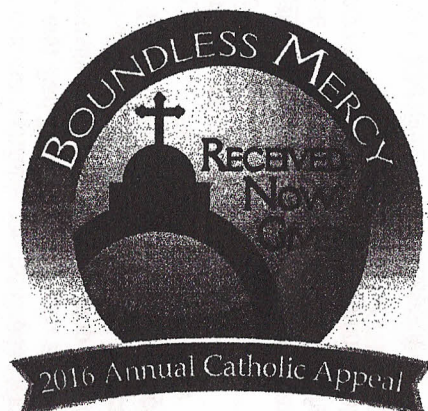
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**2016 Annual Catholic Appeal  
Summary Progress Report  
for Our Lady of the Mountains (0048)  
as of the end of day Monday, February 29, 2016**

2016 Parish Goal:	\$54,865
Pledge Total:	\$10,775.00
Straight Gift Total:	\$21,324.00
Pledges & Gifts Total:	\$32,099.00
Pledge Percent to Goal:	58.51 %
Total Fulfilled:	\$22,924.00
Percent of Pledge Fulfilled:	71.42 %
Pledge Balance Remaining:	\$9,175.00

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