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July 6-7, 2024

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus, I Trust in You

Mass Schedule / Horario de Misas

Daily Mass / Misa Diaria
Monday through Saturday at 8:00 a.m.
Weekend Masses / Misas de fin de semana
Saturdays @ 4:00 p.m.

Sundays @ 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m. en Español

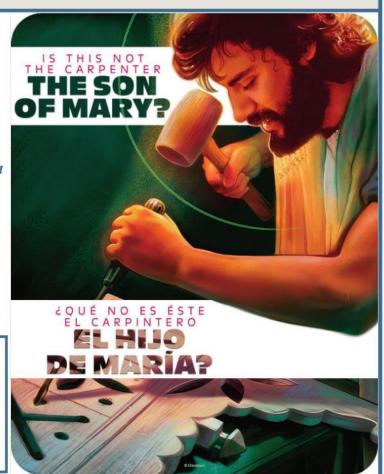
Wednesday Holy Hour / Miércoles Hora Santa 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

First Friday Adoration /
Adoración del Primer Viernes
8:30 a.m to 10:30 a.m.
Confessions / Confesiones

Saturday / Sábado 3:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. or appointment / o con cita previa

The Church is Open for Personal Prayer Mondays through Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., and on Fridays, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

La Iglesia está abierta para la oración personal De lunes a jueves, de 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., y los viernes, de 9:00 a.m. a 1:00 p.m.



Parish Office Hours / Horario de Oficina Parroquial

Monday thru Thursday / Lunes a Jueves 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Friday / Viernes 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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A Message From Father Carlos / Un Mensaje de Padre Carlos

Mi querida familia de Santa Faustina,

Estamos en el Domingo 14 del Tiempo Ordinario. La Palabra de Dios de hoy en el evangelio, nos cuenta el momento en el que Jesús regresa a su tierra en compañía de sus discípulos. Y cuando llegó el sábado, se puso a enseñar en la sinagoga. Las personas que lo escuchaba se cuestionaban, se extrañaban: ¿Dónde aprendió este hombre tantas cosas? ¿De dónde le viene esa sabiduría y ese poder para hacer milagros? ¿Qué no es éste el carpintero...?

Los de su pueblo que le conocían, sabían que Jesús, no tenía poder cultural como los escribas. Que no era un intelectual con estudios. Que tampoco poseía el poder sagrado de los sacerdotes del templo. Que no había estudiado en ninguna escuela rabínica. Jesús era un «hijo de carpintero». La gente, menos los de su pueblo, lo veía como un maestro que enseñaba a entender y vivir la vida de manera diferente. Sus vecinos quedaron sorprendidos por dos cosas: la sabiduría de su corazón y la fuerza curadora de sus manos. Pero los de su pueblo no se dejaron enseñar por él, ni se abrieron a su fuerza sanadora. Jesús no pudo acercarlos a Dios, ni curar a todos como él hubiera querido. Y nosotros, ¿Nos dejamos ensenar de Jesús y nos abrimos a su fuerza sanadora?

Hermanos y hermanas, para entender y conocer a Jesús hay que entrar en contacto con él. Dejar que vaya introduciendo poco a poco en nosotros cosas tan decisivas como la alegría de vivir, la compasión o la voluntad de crear un mundo mejor. Es necesario dejarnos sanar por él: recuperar poco a poco la libertad interior, liberarnos de miedos que nos frenan, atrevernos a salir de la mediocridad. Jesús sigue hoy queriendo sanarnos. Sólo se curan quienes creen en Él. ¡Ánimo!

En Cristo,, Padre Carlos

> Bienvenidos a la Iglesia Católica de Santa Faustina



My dear family of St. Faustina,

We are on the 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time. Today's Word of God in the Gospel tells us when Jesus returns to his homeland in the company of his disciples. And when the Sabbath came, he began to teach in the synagogue. The people who listened to him wondered: Where did this man learn so many things? Where did he get this wisdom and this power to work miracles? Isn't this the carpenter...?

Those of his people who knew him knew that Jesus did not have cultural power like the scribes. That he was not an intellectual with studies. Nor did he possess the sacred power of the priests of the temple. He said that he had not studied in any rabbinical school. Jesus was a "carpenter's son." People, except those in his village, saw him as a teacher who taught them to understand and live differently. His neighbors were amazed by two things: his heart's wisdom and his hands' healing power. But his townspeople did not allow themselves to be taught by him, nor were they open to his healing power. Jesus could not bring them closer to God nor heal them all as he would have wished. And do we allow ourselves to be taught by Jesus and open ourselves to his healing power?

Brothers and sisters, to understand and know Jesus, we must contact him. Let him gradually introduce such decisive things as the joy of living, compassion, and the will to create a better world for us. It is necessary to let ourselves be healed by him: to recover little by little our inner freedom, to free ourselves from fears that hold us back, and to dare to leave mediocrity behind. Jesus still wants to heal us today. Only those who believe in him can be healed. Courage!

In Christ, Father Carlos

Welcome to St. Faustina Catholic Church!

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 6, 2024 St. Maria Goretti

8:00 a.m. Memorial Mass Association

+ Dolores & + Anthony Masturzo 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 7, 2024

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Faustina Parishioners 7:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. SI For Nick Perez & Family 11:30 a.m. + Celso D. Fernandez Sr.

+ Emilio Brito & Zeneida Burgos 5:00 p.m.

Monday, July 8, 2024

8:00 a.m. In Thanksgiving |

Tuesday, July 9, 2024

St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions

8:00 a.m. + Lavina Hyland and her son

+ John Hyland, Jr.

Wednesday, July 10, 2024

8:00 a.m. + Charita Lomocso

Thursday, July 11, 2024

St. Benedict

8:00 a.m. + Michael Kimmel

Friday, July 12, 2024

8:00 a.m. SI For Mary Elizabeth & Children

Saturday, July 13, 2024

St. Henry; Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday 8:00 a.m. Memorial Mass Association 4:00 p.m. + John & + Clara Podnewich

Sunday, July 14, 2024

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. + Rosa Rodríguez 9:30 a.m. St. Faustina Parishioners 11:30 a.m.

+ Mary Ellen Doherty 5:00 p.m. + Jaime Giraldo Munoz



Prayer Requests

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

"The fervent prayer of a righteous person is very powerful." James 5:16

Mary O. Callaghan Cecelia Fanelli Susan Mayo Al Novak David Parker

Denise Pruneski

John Pruneski Adeline Serignese Adam Sparacio Catherine Tyner Josephine Woulfe

To see the entire Parish Prayer List, please visit https://bit.ly/4dTfeBd. To add or remove names from the Prayer list, email office@stfaustina.org.

Para ver la lista completa de oraciones de la parroquia, visite https://bit.ly/4dTfeBd. Para añadir o eliminar nombres de la Lista de Oración, envíe un correo electrónico office@stfaustina.org.

Prepare for Masses This Week / Preparese para las misas de esta semana

Monday / Lunes: Hos (Os) 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22;

Ps (Sal) 145:2-9; Mt (Mat) 9:18-26

Tuesday / Martes: Hos (Os) 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps (Sal) 115:3-10; Mt (Mat) 9:32-38

Wednesday / Miércoles:

Hos (Os) 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps (Sal) 80:2-3, 15-16;

Mt (Mat) 10:1-7

Thursday / Jueves: Hos (Os) 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps (Sal) 80:2-3, 15-16; Mt (Mat) 10:7-15

Friday / Viernes: Hos (Os) 14:2-10;

Ps (Sal) 51:3-4, 8-9, 14-14, 17;

Mt (Mat) 10:16-23

Saturday / Sabado: Isa (Is) 6:1-8; Ps (Sal) 93:1-2, 5; Mt (Mat) 10:24-33

Saturday Vigil/Vigilia del sábado:

Am 7:12-15; Ps (Sal) 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14;

Mk (Mar) 6:7-13

Sunday / Domingo: Am 7:12-15;

Ps (Sal) 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14; Mk (Mar) 6:7-13

Financial Stewardship

Weekly Collection Weekend of June 29-30, 2024

Offertory / Ofertorio: \$7,398.50 Mortgage Debt Reduction / Reducción de la deuda hipotecaria: \$3,711 Mass Attendance / Asistencia a Misa: 1,225 * (Missing Attendance from 6/29 4:00pm Mass)
To donate through our parish website, please go to: https://secure.myvanco.com/L-Z517/home

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Daily Mass Monday thru Saturday at 8:00 a.m. followed the Holy Rosary Misa diaria de lunes a sábado a las 8:00 a.m. seguida del Santo Rosario

Saturday, July 6 Hospitality Weekend

"A Night in the Tropics" Dance Tickets on Sale

Sunday, July 7 Hospitality Weekend

"A Night in the Tropics" Dance Tickets on Sale

Monday, July 8 Rosary Makers, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Classroom #1

Estudio bíblico en español, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., aula #1

Tuesday, July 9 Choir Practice, 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Church

Wednesday, July 10 Caring Crafters Regular Meeting, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.,

Classrooms #1 and #2

Holy Hour, 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Church Handbell Choir, 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Church

Young Adults Ministry, 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Classroom #2

Thursday, July 11 Grupo de Parejas, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Iglesia and aula #1

Friday, July 12 Cursillo, 10:30 a.m. to noon, Classroom #2

Saturday, July 13 "Our Lady of Fatima," noon to 1:00 p.m., Church

Bake Sale after all Masses

"A Night in the Tropics" Dance Tickets on Sale

Sunday, July 14 Bake Sale after all Masses

"A Night in the Tropics" Dance Tickets on Sale

OUR MSSION

St. Faustina is a parish family inspired the Holy Spirit and called to reflect God's Divine Mercy through responsible stewardship of time, talent, and treasure in ministry.

NUESTRA MISION

Santa Faustina es una familia parroquial inspirada por el Espiritu Santo y llamada a reflejar la Divina Misericordia de Dios a traves de una administracian responsable del tiempo, el talento y el tesoro en el contexto de ministerio.





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PARISH MINISTRIES & UPCOMING EVENTS

Faith Formation Registration Begins on July 23 — Registration for the 2024-2025 Faith Formation Program will begin on July 23. The schedule is below:

- July 23, 24 and 25, 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- July 27, 12:00 p.m. (noon) to 3:00 p.m.'



Tuition is \$75 for the first child and \$25 for each additional sibling.

For first-time students, please bring a copy of the baptismal certificate and health insurance information.

La inscripción para la Formación de Fe comienza el 23 de julio — La inscripción para el Programa de Formación de Fe 2024-2025 comenzará el 23 de julio. El horario es el siguiente:

- 23, 24 y 25 de julio, 11:00 a.m. a 3:00 p.m.
- 27 de julio, 12:00 p.m. (mediodía) a 3:00 p.m.

La inscripción se realizará en el aula #1. Todas las inscripciones son en el lugar; no hay opción de inscripción en línea. Todas las clases son en inglés.

La matrícula es de \$75 por el primer niño y \$25 por cada hermano adicional.

Para los estudiantes de primera vez, por favor traiga una copia del certificado de bautismo y la información del seguro de salud.



The Time Line Committee Needs Your Help in Documenting St. Faustina Through the Years — Over our soon-to-be 18 years as a Parish, we ask everyone to submit any photos you may have of yourselves, family, and friends. They can be from events, picnics, different sacraments, etc., celebrated at St. Faustina.

Faith

Formation Registration

If you want the pictures returned, please note this on the back of the image. We will copy them and get them back to you. We would love to share your event with the rest of the parish on the Timeline Photo Wall. Please leave the pictures at the front desk in an envelope, marking the envelope as "Timeline Photo Wall Project." The Timeline Committee thanks you for your input!

El Comité de la Línea del Tiempo necesita su ayuda para documentar a Santa Faustina a lo largo de los años — Durante nuestros pronto 18 años como Parroquia, les pedimos a todos que envíen cualquier foto que puedan tener de ustedes mismos, familiares y amigos. Pueden ser de eventos, picnics, diferentes sacramentos, etc., celebrados en Santa Faustina.

Si queréis que os devolvamos las fotos, hacedlo constar en el reverso de la imagen. Las copiaremos y se las devolveremos. Nos encantaría compartir su evento con el resto de la parroquia en el Muro de Fotos. Por favor, deje las fotos en la recepción en un sobre, marcando el sobre como "Timeline Photo Wall Project". El Comité del Cronograma le agradece su colaboración.



PARISH MINISTRIES & UPCOMING EVENTS

Vote No on 4! — The St. Faustina Respect Life Ministry thanks everyone for supporting the South Lake Pregnancy and Family Care Center with the Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle drive and contributions of diapers, wipes, and baby supplies. The Respect Life Ministry will actively inform the parish of Amendment 4, which is part of the November election. All the Bishops of Florida have strongly opposed this amendment, and it is critical that all Christians understand the importance of this initiative. Please join our Respect Life Ministry in this important effort—vote NO on 4!

¡Vote No a la 4! -El Ministerio de Respeto a la Vida de Santa Faustina agradece a todos por apoyar al Centro de Embarazo y Cuidado Familiar de South Lake con la colecta de biberones de los Caballeros de Colón y las contribuciones de pañales, toallitas húmedas y artículos para bebés. El Ministerio Respetemos la Vida informará activamente a la parroquia sobre la Enmienda 4, que forma parte de las elecciones de noviembre. Todos los obispos de Florida se han opuesto firmemente a esta enmienda, y es fundamental que todos los cristianos comprendan la importancia de esta iniciativa. Por favor, únase a nuestro Ministerio Respetemos la Vida en este importante esfuerzo: ¡vote NO a la 4





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Step away to the quiet for a weekend to rest in the graces of God This August — From Friday, August 16 to Sunday, August 18, the San Pedro Spiritual Development Center will offer its Summer Women Retreat, "Seeking Grace Registration costs for the program, including all meals, Mass, Adoration, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation, are \$330 for a private room, \$255 per person for a double room, or \$160 if you are commuting. For more information about the retreat, visit https://www.sanpedrocenter.org/upcoming-events/womens-summer-retreat-2024. Registration for the retreat closes on August 2, 2024. To learn more about the San Pedro Spiritual Development Center, visit https://www.sanpedrocenter.org/.

St. Mark Ji Tianxiang

By Marylu Mariniello

Mark Ji Tianxiang was born in the Jizhou District of Zhili (now Hebei), China, in 1834. His early life was ordinary. He married young, raised a family, and practiced his Catholic faith. He was a doctor and often treated poor patients for free.

When Mark Ji was in his thirties, he became ill with a stomach disorder and medicated himself with opium, recovering soon but now had a dependency on opioids.

He ostracized friends and family with this habit. They were disgusted and ashamed of him for causing humiliation in the family. This attitude bothered him, so he repeatedly tried to overcome the addiction but was unsuccessful. He spoke of his struggles at confession over and over but still needed the opium. Finally, his confessor told Mark that the only way to receive absolution was to overcome his dependence, but thirty years later, Mark was still addicted.



The priest thought that Ji lacked sorrow for his addiction. Still, Ji attended Mass even though he could not receive Communion. He raised his family to be Catholic, donated money to the Church, and continued to treat the poor without pay. Ji had no bitterness for not getting absolution, acknowledging his addiction. He prayed daily to die a martyr, believing this type of death was his only chance of gaining heaven.

On July 7, 1900, Mark Ji and a group of fellow Christians were rounded up and jailed during the Boxer Rebellion, including his son, six grandchildren, and two daughters-in-law. Ji was given a chance to renounce his faith, but he refused. When they were taken away to be killed, he asked that he be executed last so that no member of his family would die alone. He watched as all of his family were beheaded. One hundred nineteen other Catholics were killed that day, including St. Augustine Zhao Rong.

Ji was never able to beat his addiction, but he had perseverance. No threat could distress him, and no torture made him waver. He was determined to go to Heaven and see God, who had never abandoned him. He is a witness to the Lord's grace, who works in hidden ways. God makes great saints of the most unlikely people even when the person is being driven away, as by the priest who denied Ji absolution. This shows that anybody can become a saint, especially a man who was deprived of Communion by the church for being a public scandal.

Drug abuse is a sin, but addiction is also a disease. In these times, addicts today are not excluded from the sacraments because of their situation.

Ji had great confidence in God's mercy even though he knew that he was a sinner who behaved badly. He despaired in his futile struggles, but he persevered in his faith. In the end, he went to his death confidently, knowing and trusting that he had God's love. When his turn came, Ji died singing the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Mark Ji Tianxiang was beatified on November 24, 1946, by Pope Pius XII along with the other Chinese martyrs and canonized by Pope John Paul II on October 1, 2000.

St. Mark Ji Tianxiang is the patron saint of drug addicts, and his feast day is July 9.

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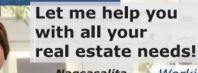
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