

Important Covid Safety Reminders

In accordance with LA County Public Health requirements, Bishop Taylor has requested that although social distancing is no longer required, masks must be worn at all times indoors, regardless of vaccination status.

Welcome to St. Francis Church

We are glad you are here.

It is our parish custom to observe silence in the Church prior to the start of the Eucharist.

Consider making a donation of altar flowers in honor of a special occasion, or in memory of someone you love. The suggested donation is \$50. To arrange, please contact Mary in the Church Office:

310-375-4617 or mary.sanchez@stfrancispalosverdes.org.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONES. THANK YOU.

8:00 A.M. - THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

Celebrant:..... The Rev. Jerry Sather

Deacon/Preacher..... The Rev. Celeste Stump

Prelude *Prelude, Flor Peeters*

Please STAND as able, and if you are fully vaccinated, join in singing.

Processional Hymn: **Alleluia, Sing to Jesus**..... **Hymn #460, v. 1-4**

(you will find the hymns in the blue 1982 Hymnal in your pew rack)

The Opening Acclamation Book of Common Prayer, p. 323

(this and all similar page refs. refer to Book of Common Prayer)

The Collect of the Day p. 183

The First Lesson Jeremiah 31:7-9

Thus says the LORD:

Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob,
and raise shouts for the chief of the nations;
proclaim, give praise, and say,

“Save, O Lord, your people,
the remnant of Israel.”

See, I am going to bring them from the land of the north,
and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth,
among them the blind and the lame, those with child and
those in labor, together;
a great company, they shall return here.

With weeping they shall come,
and with consolations I will lead them back,

I will let them walk by brooks of water,
in a straight path in which they shall not stumble;

for I have become a father to Israel,
and Ephraim is my firstborn.

The Response: Psalm 126, *In convertendo*p. 782

The Second Lesson	Hebrews 7:23-28
<p>The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; but Jesus holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues forever. Consequently he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.</p> <p>For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints as high priests those who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.</p>	
The Holy Gospel	Mark 10:46-52
<p>Jesus and his disciples came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you." So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again." Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.</p>	
The Sermon	The Rev. Celeste Stump
The Nicene Creed	p. 327
The Prayers of the People	p. 328
The Confession of Sin.....	p. 331
Welcome and Announcements	
Offertory Prayer	All things come of thee O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee
The Great Thanksgiving	p. 333
<p><i>The clergy will carry the Sacrament to anyone in the congregation who is unable to come forward for Holy Communion. Please inform one of the ushers if you would like to be served at your seat.</i></p> <p><i>Gluten-free Communion wafers are now carried alongside regular wafers at Holy Communion.</i></p> <p><i>If you require one of these, simply ask at the Altar rail.</i></p>	
Post Communion Prayer	p. 339
Blessing and Dismissal	p. 339
Recessional Hymn— Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven	Hymn #410, v. 1-4
Postlude	Cortege, Flor Peeters



Coming Up!

Saturday Nov 6, 3:00 p.m. — Derek Steel Memorial service

Sunday, Nov 7, ONE service only—10:00 a.m. — Feasts of All Saints and All Souls; Lunch following worship, then **Story Day noon-2pm.**

Clergy

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