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**LOST AND FOUND**

Please stop by the Parish Office for lost items. Our shelf is filled with items such as eye glasses, umbrellas, cell phones, etc. Items not picked up will be donated to PV Resale.

**Welcome To Saint John Fisher**

**Faith Direct - Electronic Giving**

Have you done any traveling during the Advent or Christmas season? Did you know that with our secure giving program, Faith Direct, your gifts to the parish can be there even when you are away? By supporting St. John Fisher through Faith Direct, both you and our parish can more easily project your future contributions.

To enroll, just go to [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) or download the free app and use our church code: CA436. Thank you and Happy New Year to you and your loved ones!

**Scrip: The Un-Fundraiser**

Did you know that you can generate additional funds for St. John Fisher School without any additional cost to you by purchasing **gift cards** for your favorite restaurants, stores, entertainment, and travel? Vendors give back a percentage to SJF school to further our mission and ministry.

Scrip is simply **gift cards** for retailers, restaurants, and services, both local and nation-wide. Instead of using cash, checks or your credit card when you purchase goods or services, you use your Scrip gift cards. The great thing about Scrip is that you can use it for everyday purchases, groceries, gas, prescriptions, gifts, etc. You won't be spending **any more** money than you already do.

We have gift cards for over 100 popular vendors available on an immediate pick up basis **after the 9am and before the 10:45 am Masses on Sunday**. Additionally, they are available in the school office during the school day. Although it requires a little planning on your part, getting in the habit of using Scrip for your purchases is as easy as **1-2-3!**

**Lost & Found**

Have you lost an item and can't seem to remember where you left it? Stop by or call the parish office to see if you left it behind at St. John Fisher. We have a box full of items that have been left behind and unclaimed; things like earrings, bracelets, cameras, sweaters, glasses, and many more. Some of these things have been in our lost and found box for several months. Items not claimed will be donated to PV Resale.

**Have you remembered St. John Fisher Church / School in your will or trust? For information, contact Gayle Plecha at 310-377-5571 or [gplecha@sjf.org](mailto:gplecha@sjf.org).**

### Mass of Remembrance for the Unborn-Today

A Mass of Remembrance for the Unborn will be celebrated at the 5:00 pm Mass today. A special candlelight commemoration of each child who lost their life due to abortion in an average 24-hour period in Los Angeles will take place during this Mass.

### Help: One Hour a Week to Pray?

From 9 am to 9 pm Monday through Friday, people pray for one hour in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, honoring the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. What you pray, how you pray, in the silence of your heart, is up to you. *Can you spend but one hour each week with our Lord?* **Pray-ers are welcome to sign up for any hour. Some of the hours we especially need people for are Wednesday 5:00 pm; Thursday 10:00 am, 12:00 pm, 1:00 pm and 6:00 pm; Friday 11:00 am, 5:00 pm and 8:00 pm.** For more information, contact Carlyn Quinto: 310-377-5571 or Rose Loggin: rloggin@aol.com.

### Mass Intentions at St. John Fisher

Each Mass at St. John Fisher Church is given for a special intention. Many parishioners who request Mass intentions for their friends and family are surprised to learn that currently there are no Masses available until mid 2017. In order to provide opportunities for more parishioners to request Masses, parishioners will now be limited to scheduling at most two Mass intentions per visit to the parish office. In addition, Masses may only be scheduled up to six months in advance. The suggested donation for a Mass intention is \$20. Thank you for your understanding.

### Child Care Available at the 9:00 and 10:45 am Masses

Child care is available for the little ones during the 9 am and 10:45 am Masses in the Auditorium below the Parish Activities Center. Let your children come and have a fun time with Mrs. Blessie and Mrs. Rosie while you get a few minutes of peace and serenity at Mass! Advance registration is not required.

### Mass & Anointing of the Sick at Cathedral - February 11, 2017

Do you know someone who is facing surgery, or an elderly person or child who is sick? You are encouraged to bring them to the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick on Saturday, February 11, 2017 at 12:30 pm. Through anointing, the grace of the Holy Spirit comforts and strengthens the soul of the sick person. The Mass and Anointing of the Sick are co-hosted by the Cathedral and the Western Association of the Order of Malta in observance of the 2017 World Day of the Sick. Bishop Edward Clark will preside at the Mass and anointing. The Mass is also being held in observance of the Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes. The Mass is open to everyone, and you do not need to be sick to attend. Many healthy people find it fulfilling to pray alongside the sick. For more information, please contact: Chuck Huebner at [CJHuebner@gmail.com](mailto:CJHuebner@gmail.com) or James Low at [LPastour@aol.com](mailto:LPastour@aol.com).

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### JANUARY 21, SATURDAY

8:00 am Harry Francisco†  
5:00 pm Bert Kuptz† Fr. Caro

#### JANUARY 22, SUNDAY

7:30 am Neil Bohan† Fr. Kalu  
9:00 am Parishioners Msgr. Sork  
10:45 am Caroline Imperial† Msgr. Gilb  
12:30 pm Frank Artusio† Fr. Aguilar  
5:00 pm Nanci Artusio† Msgr. Sork

#### JANUARY 23, MONDAY

8:00 am Ryan Cervana  
5:15 pm Joseph Goswitz†

#### JANUARY 24, TUESDAY

8:00 am Ferdinand Vuelba†  
5:15 pm John Hoffman†

#### JANUARY 25, WEDNESDAY

8:00 am Ray Domingo†  
5:15 pm Nicholas E. Yacobucci†

#### JANUARY 26, THURSDAY

8:00 am Nenita Malabanan†  
5:15 pm Ray Domingo†

#### JANUARY 27, FRIDAY

8:00 am Nenita Malabanan†  
5:15pm Arlene Malabanan

#### JANUARY 28, SATURDAY

8:00 am Ray Domingo†  
5:00 pm Richard Zigrang, Jr.† Fr. Aguilar

#### JANUARY 29, SUNDAY

7:30 am Parishioners Msgr. Gilb  
9:00 am Nenita Malabanan† Msgr. Sork  
10:45 am Aniano Remetir† Msgr. Sork  
12:30 pm Ray Domingo† Fr. Kalu  
5:00 pm Patricia Demboske† Fr. Aguilar

### WEEKLY READINGS

**Monday:** Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1-6; Mk 3:22-30, *or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer*

**Tuesday:** Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35

**Wednesday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

**Thursday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:21-35

**Friday:** Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34

**Saturday:** Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-75; Mk 4:35-41

**Sunday:** Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12a

**Home is Holy: Serving Others With Love**



Completing household chores in a timely, peaceful manner is a way family members serve each other. Help your children find ways to serve others in the family. For example: pairing socks from the laundry basket, reading to or playing with a younger sibling, turning down the bed covers, offering the favorite chair, setting or clearing the table, etc. The best way to teach your children how to serve others out of love is to serve alongside them. Find a way for your family to get involved in a service opportunity, perhaps through your parish, to serve the poor or others in need. Demonstrate joyful enthusiasm as you do so!

**Family Fun Night Coming January 28!**



When was the last time you and your family enjoyed a night of just plain fun? Come to Family Fun Night, sponsored by the Religious Education Parent Association, Saturday, January 28 at 6 pm in the Parish Activities Center. We will have pizza, Bingo, board games, and basketball for you to have fun with friends and family. Everyone is welcome—no children required to attend! Tickets are \$5 per person, \$20 per family, and may be purchased in the Religious Education Office or at the door. Don't miss it!

**Parenting With Joy!**



The Parenting with Joy discussion group for parents meets Sundays, 10:30-11:45 am in the Cityside Room. All are welcome! Please contact Margaret Johnson for more information.

**Reconciliation Retreats Continue**

The final retreat for children in grades 2 and 3 who will be celebrating their First Reconciliation in February will be on Friday, January 27, 6:30-8:30 pm, in the Auditorium below the Gym. Please remember the children in your prayers as they prepare for this important sacrament.

**Thank You for Joining us at Mass!**

Every Sunday after the 9 am Mass, children are invited to come receive a small gift to thank them for coming. Look for the "Thank You" cart outside of Church on the Gathering Plaza and bring your children over to receive a small gift.

**Margaret Johnson**  
 Director of Religious Education K-8  
 (310) 377-4573 ext 136 | [mjohnson@sjf.org](mailto:mjohnson@sjf.org)



**Teens Invited to Youth Day in Anaheim**

We still have some tickets for Youth Day in Anaheim. This is an amazing Catholic event for over 15,000 high school students with nationally-known speakers, musicians, and a rally in the arena. All high school students are invited to attend on Thursday, Feb. 23, from 6:00 am to 5:30 pm. Cost is \$45 plus lunch. Please contact Katie at [kdante@sjf.org](mailto:kdante@sjf.org) for tickets.

**Confirmation-Year 1**

The next 2 classes for Candidates will be:  
 1. Sun. Jan. 22 at 2:50 pm, OR Mon. Jan. 23 at 6:50 pm.  
 2. Sun. Jan. 29 at 2:50 pm, OR Mon. Jan. 30 at 6:50 pm.  
 Year 1 Parents: Please don't forget:  
Sponsor Commitment Forms were due in December.  
Reflection Papers for the first semester were also due in December.

**Prayer for the Day**

Oh My Lord,  
 You stir things up, you calm things down;  
 You are everywhere, you can do anything!  
 Everything that is beautiful comes from you.  
 You give new meaning to words like love, faithfulness,  
 and justice.  
 Your power is unmatched, and people who experience you  
 feel joy like they never have before.  
 I pledge my love to you, and I promise you my best --all  
 that I can give.  
 Amen

**Katie Dante**  
 Coordinator of Confirmation and Youth Ministry  
 (310) 377-4573 ext 145 | [kdante@sjf.org](mailto:kdante@sjf.org)

## ADULTS



### Interested in Becoming Catholic

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? Are you missing some of your sacraments, such as First Communion or Confirmation? Our RCIA program runs September through April with classes taking place on Sunday mornings. Inquiry sessions are held the first Sunday of the month in the Parish Conference room from 10:30 am-11:30 am. The next Inquiry session will be on Feb. 5th, "Parts of the Mass." All are welcome; reservations are not needed. Questions: please email Misty at [mjesse@sjf.org](mailto:mjesse@sjf.org).

### Spiritual Direction

One of the great resources of our Catholic tradition is the discipline of spiritual direction. Spiritual direction is a process through which one shares one's spiritual journey with an experienced person who has the training and aptitude for careful listening and reflection. It is a conversation in which we endeavor to discern the movement of the Holy Spirit in our lives and to discern how to respond with integrity to the Spirit's prompting. On-going spiritual direction is virtually a requirement for those in formation for priesthood and religious life, but it is also helpful for anyone facing an important life transition or struggling with a question of spiritual discernment. A spiritual director may meet with a directee every two weeks or perhaps once a month. It's important to find a director whose approach and style are a good fit with your own. Many priests and religious sisters or brothers can provide spiritual direction, but their numbers are far exceeded by the demands for their services. Fortunately, there are formation programs developing around the country to train lay people in the art and practice of spiritual direction. If you think you might benefit from spiritual direction, a good place to start is your local Catholic parish, which may be able to put you in touch with spiritual directors in your area. A good spiritual director is like having a trusted friend who can hold up a mirror to your life and help you see yourself—and your relationship with God — more clearly.

**Misty Jesse**  
**Director of Evangelization**  
**(310) 377-4573 x130 | [mjesse@sjf.org](mailto:mjesse@sjf.org)**

### QUESTION OF THE WEEK

**January 29, 2017 - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Gospel:** Matthew 5:1-12a

Which of the beatitudes do you find consoling? challenging?

### PARISH BOOK CLUB NEWS

Have you read *Life after Life* by Kate Atkinson? Bring your opinions to boost the parish book discussion on Tuesday, February 21 at 7:00 pm in Room 108 (Parish library). For a complete list of our books, please look for the SJF Book Club group on [goodreads.com](http://goodreads.com). For more information email Martha at [sjfbookclub@gmail.com](mailto:sjfbookclub@gmail.com).

### HELP CHILDREN COMMUNICATE BY READING BETWEEN THE LINES

When children express that something is wrong at school or with other activities, it's often the job of caregivers to read between the lines to determine what's really going on. They might say "I'm bored" and need your guidance finding a better school-life balance or engaging in more challenging academic work. Ask them to give examples and to help you understand what is going on. If the child is still being vague, remind them that they can tell you anything and that you'll listen with an open mind. As parents and caregivers, you have the opportunity to help kids deal well with negative feelings and challenges. And, if they are being mistreated in some way, keeping an open line of communication with kids will enable you to be their advocate. For a copy of the VIRTUS© article "Communication Tip No. 15: When Children Complain about School," email [jvienna@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:jvienna@la-archdiocese.org) or call 213-637-7227. *Parish Safeguard the Children Contact: Margaret Johnson, 310-377-4573 x136, [mjohnson@sjf.org](mailto:mjohnson@sjf.org).*

**STEWARDSHIP OF OUR TIME & TALENT****January 15– January 21, 2017**Hot Meals Delivered: **250**Sandwiches Delivered: **800**

*These efforts were funded by St. John Fisher Charitable Outreach (Obra Buena). If you would like to volunteer or donate, please contact Misty Jesse.*

**ADULT FAITH & STEWARDSHIP CALENDAR****Interfaith Café** - January 22, 2017**Homeless Count** - January 25, 2017**Annual Interfaith Bible Lecture** - Feb. 12, 2017,

Host: Rolling Hills United Methodist Church

**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - February 25-26, 2017**Shrove Tuesday** - February 28, 2017**Lenten Soup Suppers** - Fridays, March 3 - April 7, 2017**Fair Trade Market** - March 5, 2017**Dive-in USS** - March 6 - 23, 2017**Dawn Unity** - March 7, 2017, Host: SJF**Parish Mission with Mike Patin**-March 26-28, 2017**Growing in the Word: Acts** - April 3-May 15, 2017**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - April 8-9, 2017**Scholastic Luncheon Series #3** - April 10, 2017**Sanctus Retreat** - April 22, 2017**Bible Timeline: Matthew Session #3** - Apr. 25-June 6, 2017**Dawn Unity** - May 2, Host: Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**Catholic-Jewish Women of the South Bay** - May 9, 2017**Military Ministry Memorial Day Collection** - May 20-21, 2017**Anointing of the Sick** - June 3, 2017**Volunteer Thank You Lunch** - June 3, 2017**Family Promise of the South Bay** - July 23-30, 2017**Family Promise of the South Bay** - September 3-10, 2017**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - September 16-17, 2017**Red Cross Mobile Blood Drive** - October 1, 2017**PV Resale Christmas Boutique** - November 3-4, 2017**Veterans Day Breakfast & Celebration** - November 11, 2017**Food Pantry Bag Collection** - November 18-19, 2017**Stewardship Moment**

*"He called them, and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed Him." Matthew 4:22*

Just as Jesus called the first apostles, He calls each of us to follow Him, too. Not everyone is called to leave their business or family behind, but we are expected to put God first in everything. Everything includes our time in daily prayer, our talent in participating in one of our parish ministries and our treasure to support the financial needs of our parish mission.

**Community Interfaith Café - Jan. 22-Plaza Room**

Come and learn about different faiths and meet people from all faith communities in a friendly and fun environment. Join us this Sunday, January 22, in the Plaza Room at St. John Fisher from 3pm-5pm. The event will be hosted by St. John Fisher, St. Peter's By the Sea and St. Luke's Presbyterian Churches. Refreshments will be provided. All are welcome!

**PV Resale Needs Volunteers**

If you have a kind and compassionate heart, desire to make a difference in the lives of those in need, and enjoy working with others, please consider volunteering at PV Resale Thrift Shop. Commitments can be as simple as once a month. To find out more please call **310-534-1722**, PV Resale.

**PV Resale Supports NAMI**

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI), is the nation's largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to building better lives for millions of Americans affected by mental illness. The local chapter of NAMI in the South Bay provides support groups, education and shelter for those they serve. Because of the many hours of service provided by generous volunteers, including those from St. John Fisher, this life changing ministry received \$4,347. Your support makes possible Palos Verdes Resale's quarterly distribution of \$110,000. If you would like to donate items to PV Resale please take your donations directly to the thrift shop or call to arrange a furniture pick-up.

**Palos Verdes Resale Thrift Shop**

2321 Pacific Coast Highway, Lomita, CA 90717

**310-534-1722** - Open Tuesday - Saturday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm**Misty Jesse,****Director of Evangelization****(310) 377-4573 x130 | mjesse@sjf.org**



**St. John Fisher School  
Campus Preview**

**A Faith-based Education Emphasizing Academic  
Excellence  
and Individual Development**

**Sunday, January 29, 2017  
2:00 – 4:00 pm**

**Featuring**

**Our New Transitional Kindergarten  
A Full or Half Day Program For The Year  
Preceding Kindergarten**

**and**

**Cutting Edge Science Lab and Computer Lab**

**Spanish Class Twice a Week (K – 8)**

**Technology Program for Coding and Robotics**

**Differentiated Groups for Middle School Math**

**After School Sports and Extracurricular Activities**

**Affordable Morning and After School Care**

**Safe, Warm Environment**

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**St. John Fisher School**

**A National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence**

**Anne-Marie Hudani  
St. John Fisher School Principal  
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**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Christine Acuna, mother of Christina & Melina Acuna

**CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR...**

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|---------------------|-----------------------|
| James R. Anthony    | Tom Mattis            |
| Josephine Appel     | Ethel McMahon         |
| Lori Avelino        | Thadd McNamara        |
| Baby Leon           | Florence McTaggart    |
| Brooke Bagdasar     | Andrew Mendez         |
| Janet Barry         | Orla Murphy           |
| Janet Brennan       | Clare Nolan           |
| Tola Boubion        | Nancy O’Conor         |
| Diane Casto         | Maureen O’Crowley Lee |
| Alex Egger          | Levy Olivares         |
| Lenny & Gloria Fink | Ralph Ortolano        |
| Dan Finnegan        | Catherine Reese       |
| Katsuko Fujimoto    | Evamaria Rewinski     |
| Msgr. Eugene Gilb   | David Rodriguez       |
| Walter Kamholz      | Fr. Raymond Roh       |
| Maria Gilbert-Kempf | Adam Rybicki          |
| Carmen Haro         | Donna Scoular         |
| Anh Hoa             | Hy Sing               |
| Ethel Hörst         | Joan Sing             |
| Cathy James         | Matthew Slaught       |
| Mary Jane Kamholz   | Jo Smith              |
| Jean Keller         | David Tomblin, Sr.    |
| Mable Louise Loggin | Marisa Tufaro         |
| Anthony MacGillfrey | Tom Villardi          |
| Carol Marsh         | Marguerite Wilkie     |
| Leona Martens       | Rosemary Zoolalian    |
| David & Joan Matson |                       |

**PRAY FOR THE DECEASED**

Don Gaines, brother of Diane Jasperson  
Teofilo Layugan Lim, father of Marilyn Felsman

**PRAY FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL AND FAMILIES**

- 1st Lt. Andrew Alessandra, USA
- Capt. Glenn Baker
- Lt. Col. Robert Barry, Jr., USAFR
- Danny Bender, USN Seal
- Scott Bender, USN Seal
- ADC Michael R. Boubion, USN
- Capt. Ryan Brown, USA
- James D. Cheatham, USN
- Lt. Col. Andrew Foster, USA
- Cpt. Blake Gillman, USA
- Brian Kawagoe, USA
- Lt. James M. Keener, USN
- Maj. Jordan Mastroianni, Jr., USA
- Gen. H.R. McMaster, USA
- Private First Class Jonathan Perrin, USM
- Sean Raymond Reagan, USAF
- Michael Simonell, USAF
- Erik Stevenson, USN
- 1st Lt. Hannah Thomas, USA
- 1st Lt. Mark Thomas, USA
- Lt. Nicholas Tramontin, USNR
- Daniel Vasquez, US Army
- Luis Vega, PO2, USN
- C. Stuart Vick, USN
- Capt. JAG Rachel Walkup, USA

If you have a loved one serving in the Military and would like his/her name on the prayer list and/or picture on the Military Board, please contact Joan, 310-377-5571. Pictures should be approximately 4" x 5", and may be dropped off at the office, ATTN: Joan Barry. IMPORTANT: Please include a contact name and phone number. The Military Board is in the church narthex.

**CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITIES**

**Christian Family Movement (CFM)** meets one Friday a month to explore living out one's faith in everyday life. Interested? Please call Joan & Frank Lee at 310-377-5571.

**Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy** meets the second Tuesday of each month after 5:15 pm Mass. Call 310-377-4573 for more information.

**Families of Nazareth: Mondays** at 9:30 am meets in the **Auditorium Conference Room; Tuesdays** at 7:30 pm in the **Faculty Room; Men's group on Mondays** at 7:30 pm in the **Rectory Meeting Room.** Call 310-377-4573 for more information.

**A-Men Scripture Study** meets weekly at a local Starbucks on Friday at 6:30 am. David de Miranda at 310-377-5571.

**A-Men & Women Faith Sharing** meets from 7:00-8:30pm on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month. Meetings are held in the Multi-Purpose Room of the church. For more information, Hanan - 310-377-5571.

**Monday Evening Faith Sharing** meets weekly in a home near Silver Spur and Hawthorne. For more information, please contact Luz Smith, 310-377-5571.

**Mary Our Mother** meets the second Wednesday of each month. Questions? Contact Jacintha Knapp 310-377-5571.

**OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW AND HAVE FUN**

**Monday Morning Scripture Study** meets 10:00-11:30 am at Marian Residence.

**Catholic Update** meets Wednesdays at 9:30 am in Cityside Room.

**The Seekers**, men's group, meets most Thursdays in the Cityside Room at 10 am.

**Book Club** meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in Room 108. For book information, contact sjfbookclub@gmail.com.

**Senior Fitness Class**, every Tuesday & Thursday, 9:30 - 10:30 am in the gym. \$5/class or 6 classes for \$25. Sign up in Parish Office or at class.

**PRAYER GROUPS/DEVOTIONS**

**Eucharistic Adoration**, Monday - Friday: 9:00 am to 9:00 pm, Carlyn Quinto, 310-377-5571 Rose Loggin-rloggin@aol.com

**First Friday 24-hour adoration: 8 am Friday to 8 am Saturday**

For more questions on adoration, contact the parish office.

**Chaplet of Divine Mercy**, Thursday 5:50 pm - 6:30 pm, Church

**Charismatic Prayer Group**, Friday: 6:30 pm- 8:30 pm, Rectory Meeting Room, Peter Fernandes, 310-377-5571.

**Queen of Peace Prayer Group**, Odette Smith, 310-377-5571 Every Tuesday, after 5:15 pm Mass, Chapel of the Blessed Mother

**Rosary**, Monday - Saturday: Before Mass at 7:25 am and after 8:00 am Mass, Chapel of the Blessed Mother

**Prayer Tree** Marguerite Wilkie, 310-377-5571..

**Pilgrimage With Fr. Francis**

New Dates for St Patrick's Ireland with Fr. Francis

Join us this summer from June 24 - July 5 on a St Patrick's Ireland pilgrimage with Fr Francis Aguilar.

Highlights include Dublin, Brazen Head Pub Dinner, St Patrick's Cathedral, Clonmacnoise, Westport, Knock Shrine, Kylemore Abbey, Galway, Belfast, Armagh, Beautiful Killarney, Stunning Dingle Peninsula, Muckcross Estate & Gardens.

Price is \$3999 per person, includes non-stop air from LAX to Dublin & back, hotel transfers, air taxes/surcharges, all breakfasts, 5 dinners, 10-night stay at 4.5 hotels, tour guides, deluxe motorcoach, admissions per itinerary, etc. **BOOK NOW UNTIL FEB. 20, 2017 to SAVE \$200 PER PERSON.**

Pick up brochures at Parish Office. More info, call Ely at **310-944-3355**.

**Moral Decisions Group Meeting - January 25**

The Moral Decisions Group will meet Wednesday, January 25, 2017 at 7:00 pm in the Fireside Room. All adult and young adult parishioners are welcome. Any questions contact Pat Hart in Adult Education at **310-377-4573** or at [padraighart@aol.com](mailto:padraighart@aol.com).

**Christian Outreach in Action's Valentine Tea Fundraiser**

Generously hosted by Grace First Presbyterian on **Saturday February 4, 2017**. Please join Christian Outreach in Action (COA) along with guest speaker **George Geary**, an author, media chef, and culinary teacher, will be giving a cooking presentation in honor of his new book "LA's Legendary Restaurants." His delightful presentation will be accompanied by a full afternoon tea, silent auction, and raffle! Tickets are a \$35 donation, with all proceeds going to benefit Christian Outreach in Action. Reserve your seats by January 30-this event will sell out!

For more info and purchasing, contact Ana De La Torre at [adelatorre@coalongbeach.org](mailto:adelatorre@coalongbeach.org) or **562-432-1440**.

**St. Bernadette Mission Seeking Volunteers for Peru**

We are looking for Volunteers willing to go on a mission to Peru and work with the children at the St. Bernadette Project in San Martin De Porres in Lima, Peru, run by Fr. Tony Coney, SSC. We are having a information session third week in January 2017. You have to be a high school graduate or a college student or older. Some Spanish speaking ability suggested but not mandatory. Please email us at [stbernadetteproj@aol.com](mailto:stbernadetteproj@aol.com) or call **310-375-3762** if you are interested.

# FAMILY FUN NIGHT



**JAN. 28, 6-8:30 PM**

**ST. JOHN FISHER  
PARISH ACTIVITY CENTER  
PIZZA, BINGO  
GAMES, AND BASKETBALL**

**Fun for everyone!**

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