

*February 3, 2019*  
*Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Reflections for the Week**  
*Faith, hope, and love remain, these three;*  
*but the greatest of these is love.*  
— 1 Corinthians 13:13

**Today's Readings** [Click Here](#)

**First Reading** — I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD (Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19).

**Psalm** — I will sing of your salvation (Psalm 71).

**Second Reading** — If I have all faith so as to move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing (1 Corinthians 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]).

**Gospel** — No prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown (Luke 4:21-30).

**Readings for the Week**

Monday: Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20-24;  
Mk 5:1-20  
Tuesday: Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26b-28, 30-32;  
Mk 5:21-43  
Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2,  
13-14, 17-18a; Mk 6:1-6  
Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-4,  
9-11; Mk 6:7-13  
Friday: Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9;  
Mk 6:14-29  
Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-6;  
Mk 6:30-34  
Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8;  
1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lk 5:1-11

**Please pray for our parishioners  
& extended family:**

**Rest in Peace:**

Judy Laxen, Josephine Small, Martha Araj Ayoub

**For Healing For:**

Edith Bucoy, Elizabeth Wilson, Pat Hoffman,  
Annette Gabrielli, Maureen Francis,  
Joe Humphreys, Mike Marty,  
Ethel Friedrichs, Patrick Lee, Teresa Hyatt,  
Estela Becerra & Shirley Dela Cuz.

...and a special reminder to pray for those we know  
now living in care facilities.

**Mass Intentions**  
**February 1-7, 2019 (Fri thru Thur)**

Fri.	12:10pm
Sat. Concepcion Torres (RIP+)	4:15pm
Sun. Shane Andrew Sanchez (RIP+)	9:30am
Sun. Edith Bucoy (Good Health!)	11:30am
Mon. Betty Leahy (RIP+)	12:10pm
Tues. Ivan Scope (3rd Memorial RIP)	12:10pm
Weds. Reno & Donald Tongato	12:10pm
Thurs. Sally & Gerry Cassidy (Healing +)	12:10pm

**Give the gift of a Mass Intention.**  
Birthday, RIP, Blessings, Marriage, Get Well  
(Contact the Office)

**Saints and Observances**

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time;  
Boy Scouting Sunday  
Tuesday: St. Agatha; Chinese New Year 4717  
Wednesday: St. Paul Miki and Companions  
Friday: St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine  
Bakhita;  
International Day of Prayer and  
Awareness against Human Trafficking  
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



**PLANNING**

If you are planning for a year, sow rice.  
If you are planning for a decade, plant trees.  
If you are planning for a lifetime, educate a person.  
—Chinese Proverb

**Youth Ministry :Mission Holy Week for Youth,  
Young Adults, and Families**

March 25, 2018 - April 2, 2018

*Palm Sunday, March 25 – Easter Sunday, April 1*  
[sfarchdiocese.org/youthministry](http://sfarchdiocese.org/youthministry) [missionyouthsf.com/](http://missionyouthsf.com/)  
The Archdiocesan Youth and Young Adult Ministry office is sponsoring “Mission Holy Week”—a mission trip in our own backyard for high school and college students. Join in on any day, for a different activity each day. Walk across the Golden Gate Bridge; do street missions; attend a rally; join in Eucharistic Adoration; create living Stations of the Cross; worship at the National Shrine of St. Francis; begin and end the week at Mass with Archbishop Cordileone in the Cathedral, on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday. There are full-week and day-long opportunities to participate, with overnight accommodations available, as well as day opportunities for parents and younger children. Logistics missionaries are also needed.

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

The song of the angels, “Holy, Holy, Holy,” resounds from our lips at every Mass. There was a widespread belief in the first religions of the world that God stirred creation into being by a word, a song, a musical note. Music and a sense of God’s presence have always been inseparable. In the liturgy, your voice is invited into this song as the priest names the reasons for our praise. “Heaven and earth are full of your glory,” and we are not passive onlookers, but participants in this glory. Catholic prayer no longer assigns this angelic hymn to a choir, but gives it to you to sing. Even if your voice is thought to be suitable only for a well-insulated shower stall, you are called into this song.

We are born to sing—just listen to a baby testing the full range of newly-discovered vocal abilities. Soon we get shushed and hushed into quiet, and given lots of messages that our voices are unwanted, and that we need to raise our hands in order to be heard. All of that is overturned in liturgy, the place where God waits to hear us come alive in the song of all creation. In heaven, everyone’s in the choir; why not start practicing now?

**The Saint John of God Prayer**

*Dear God, through the intercession  
of St. John of God, patron of the poor and the sick,  
grant me the grace this day to greet  
every person that I meet with understanding and  
compassion. Reveal to me their needs  
and give me the means to inspire in my heart  
the humility and generosity of St. John so that  
I might be to them a revelation of God’s Love.  
Amen.- Rev. Fr. Thomas L. Seagrave*

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**St. Anthony’s Thank You!**

It take courage to act on your beliefs, and we honor and admire your commitment . . . thank you for your donation of 23 large bags of clothing and 12 cases of food. Your support allows us to provide a lifeline to those who would otherwise fall through the cracks. Thank you for partnering with us in this work. Peace and All Good,  
Barry J. Stenger, Executive Director  
*(full letter posted on bulletin board)*

Thank you to Robert Gajewski and all those who gave your time, treasures and talents to make this donation such a success.

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**Shane Andrew Sanchez**

A memorial mass for Shane Andrew Sanchez - son of Ben Sanchez - will be held  
**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9 at 9:30am**  
**at St. John of God Church**  
followed by a reception in the Hall.  
All who wish to pay their respects to the family are welcome. As mentioned in the obituary below those who might like to donate in Shane's memory may want to consider the Human Rights Campaign.

[www.lastingmemories.com/memorial/shane-andrew-sanchez?obituaries](http://www.lastingmemories.com/memorial/shane-andrew-sanchez?obituaries)

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**Faith Formation**

**RCIA** 6:30-8:30pm **Thursday**  
340 Irving Street Entrance  
**Scripture Study:** *Fridays, 6:30 to 8:00 PM,*  
*340 Irving Street Entrance.*

**Religious Education** classes every Sunday : there’s still time for all kids to join in!  
We are looking to start a Confirmation preparation class - a year and a half program with Kathleen Ohm starting in January. If you know students (7th-10th grades) who are interested in beginning this journey, please contact us!

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