

# The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

June 23, 2019

[A]s often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.

— 1 Corinthians 11:26



## THIS SACRED MEAL

Today we celebrate the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. Each of the readings includes a blessing and a sharing of food. They remind us of the central place of meals in our lives. Each meal brings to mind other meals: the sharing of cookies and milk, pizza and beer, loaves and fishes, bread and wine. When we prepare a meal for our family, our friends, even strangers, we always put something of ourselves into the preparation and the meal itself. The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ reminds us of what God put into the preparation for this meal that we celebrate today. We share this sacred meal and are transformed as we remember the death of Jesus and the sacrifice that nurtures our faith, sustains our lives, and supports our work.

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## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Melchizedek brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).

**Psalm** — You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110).

**Second Reading** — Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-26).

**Gospel** — Jesus spoke to the crowd about the kingdom of God and then fed them with five loaves and two fish (Luke 9:11b-17).

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## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Monday</b> 8:00 am	<b>June 24</b> † Joseph and †Carmen Spiteri † Tessy Spiteri Lencioni
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:00 am	<b>June 25</b> † Joe Sapiano
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:00 am 7:00 pm	<b>June 26</b> Communal Service
<b>Thursday</b> 8:00 am	<b>June 27</b> † Gwen Podesta
<b>Friday</b> 8:00 am	<b>June 28</b> † Sr. Felixa Budesa
<b>Saturday</b> 8:00 am 4:30 pm	<b>June 29</b> † Alice Soriano † Josephine Sorich
<b>Sunday</b> 7:30 am 9:30 am 11:30 am	<b>June 30</b> † Franco Simonetti Italian Catholic Federation People of the Parish † Ramon U. Serrano

† Denotes deceased – (L) Living

For any available Masses listed above please see the priest before Mass with your written intention and stipend.

## Sunday Collection June 16, 2019

<b>Weekly Need:</b>	<b>\$ 5,000.00</b>
<b>Sunday Collection</b>	<b>\$ 3,256.00</b>
<b>Over/Under</b>	<b>\$ 1,744.00</b>
<b>Church Project</b>	<b>\$ 1,012.00</b>

If you make your offertory donation by check, without using parishioner envelopes, it would be most helpful if you placed your parishioner/envelope # in the "memo" section of the check.

This helps us input your donation to the offertory data system. **We will not be responsible for donations not credited due to missing envelope numbers (or not having a Sunday collection envelope.)**

## Volunteers Needed

Do you love the Lord and are you willing to share His message? Do you believe you can make a difference? Our Parish Family Needs You! School of Religious Education needs teachers/teacher aides for the 2019-2020 school year. Please consider volunteering to be a teacher at our weekly Religious Education classes.

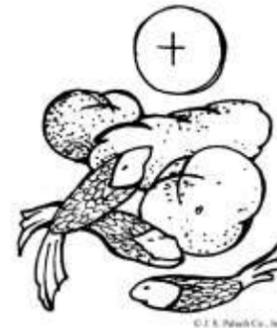
Classes are from September 7, 2019 to the end of May 2020. Jesus needs you to share His love for his children! Our students need you. For more information, please call the rectory.

## Lost and Found

Please do not use the lost and found receptacle in front of the church to discard your unwanted mail and trash.

## Sunday Collection

On June 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> the second collection will be for Peters Pence. Please use the envelopes found in the pews. Thank you for your generosity as a witness of charity. To learn more about the Peter's Pence Collection, please visit [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).



## Pot Luck

All parishioners are invited to attend the ICF Pot Luck Lunch on, Friday July 19<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 Noon in Cantwell Hall. Free if you bring food. \$12.00 if you do not bring food. Please contact Mary Perata at 415-239-5936 or Florence Mangion at 415-468-1764. Deadline for reservation is July 12<sup>th</sup>.

If you would like an order form for the St. Elizabeth Commemorative Grotto to order a tile please stop by the parish office during business hours. **Please note that the placement of your tile will be random.**

## Attention: Readers and Eucharistic Ministers

There will be a get-together on Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup> in Cantwell Hall after the 11:30 am Mass. Refreshments will be provided.



*Pray for our Beloved Deceased  
In your prayers this week, please remember  
the repose of the souls of our deceased  
parishioners, especially:*

*Krista Budesa  
Loreta Rodrigo*

*"Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord..."*