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Jesus said,

**“LET US GO ON
TO THE NEARBY
VILLAGES THAT I MAY
PREACH THERE ALSO.
FOR THIS PURPOSE
HAVE I COME.”**

Mark 1:38



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February 4, 2018

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Comfort, Comfort My People

There are times when the Scripture readings seem to completely contradict each other. Today we hear Job's deep lament of his sufferings from the Old Testament, while in the New Testament we read about Jesus healing Peter's mother-in-law and the whole town of Capernaum. The first addresses profound suffering, while the second is a story of abundant healing.

This apparent contradiction draws us into one of the great mysteries of life—the meaning of suffering. How can a good God allow evil? If God desires to heal us, why does he let us suffer? The answers to these questions Christ fully discloses on the Cross. Today we will ponder this mystery briefly, but these are questions we wrestle with throughout our lives as we wait for Heaven where “every tear will be wiped away.”

Though we may never fully understand suffering, we can be certain that God desires to heal us and bring value into our suffering. He sent us his only Son to suffer and die for our salvation, and through this mystery we can glimpse how suffering can make us more like him. But we first need to ask for him to heal us in our suffering. We see Jesus beginning that work today in the little town of Capernaum, and he longs to continue that same work in each of our lives.

First Reading Reflection

Job 7:1–4, 6–7

There are certain places in the Old Testament where we see so clearly the state of the human race without a Savior. Job is a righteous man—it is

precisely his uprightness that draws the attention of God and the Adversary or Satan, leading to his trials. Despite his virtues, he is left utterly distraught by his suffering. But although distraught, he does not despair and is finally vindicated.

In the face of the mystery of suffering, Job can do but one thing. We are told when he first hears of the deaths of his children that he “fell upon the ground and worshiped” (Job 1:20, RSV). The scene of Job worshipping in the midst of his mourning is striking. Indeed, he must have been the most righteous man on earth.



Throughout his trials, Job complains of his innocence and even curses the day of his birth, but he does not curse God. He recognizes to some extent that the significance of suffering is not lost in the mystery of God's sovereign providence. And in the end, God does not upbraid Job for protesting his innocence—he was righteous after all—but for the shallowness of his complaints. God does not say to Job, “You are too small to complain to me,” but, rather, “What you are complaining about is bigger and deeper than you are.” How much deeper will remain undisclosed until Christ comes and embraces the whole of human suffering.

Second Reading Reflection

1 Corinthians 9:16–19, 22–23

Much of the human condition remains the same even after the coming of Christ. Just as Job in our First Reading refers to the days of our life as like those of a hireling and even a slave, so Paul compares himself to a slave in the service of the Gospel. Life is still a valley of tears, and there are still hardships to be faced. In fact, St. Paul's hardships were likely considerably increased by his “obligation” to preach the Gospel. Had he remained a Jewish rabbi, he may well have had comfort, prestige, and a place among the great ones of his people. Instead he makes himself “a slave to all so as to win over as many as possible” to the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

One thing is markedly changed, however, after the coming of Christ. Suffering, especially when undertaken for the love of God and for the Gospel, can carry with it a tremendous joy. Paul says to the Colossians, “I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake” (1:24). So, even though Paul pictures himself in our reading as a slave who works for a later share in the Gospel's blessings, he is blessed by the very gift of himself to Christ, even in the present.

Gospel Reading Reflection

Mark 1:29–39

It is hinted at in the very beginning of Mark's Gospel that Jesus passed his authority on to the Church because Jesus made Capernaum his new home. Capernaum is Peter's city and Jesus, after leaving the syna-

gogue which was the scene of last week's Gospel reading (in which he cast out a demon), goes "immediately" (RSV) to Peter's house. If we remember that Mark is writing for Gentiles, the very phrase, "And immediately he left the synagogue and entered the house of Simon" suggests the course that the followers of Jesus are themselves going to follow. They too will leave the synagogue and enter Peter's house: the Church. It is significant, too, that Jesus spends the first Sunday recorded in the Gospel curing the afflicted and casting out demons within Peter's house.

Christ still teaches, heals, and lives in Peter's house, the Church. He still makes his home, his headquarters, in Peter's city—now Rome, rather than Capernaum. The old adage still holds true that the Church of Christ can be found wherever Peter is. We can see that the roots of that ancient proverb are clearly found in Scripture. In short, the authority exercised by Christ, which so amazed the people of Galilee, is still being exercised in the Catholic Church.

Discussion

Christianity isn't a faith based merely in a set of rules or principles. God is not some unknown and abstract Spirit. The Catechism tells us that "at the heart of catechesis we find, in essence, a Person, the Person of Jesus of Nazareth, the only Son from the Father ... who suffered and died for us and who now, after rising, is living with us forever (CT 5)" (426).

This is important to remember when we start to learn about specifics of the Gospel message. When we say Christ came to heal the broken-hearted, it's not just a nice thought but a deep reality. Jesus Christ is a real Person with a real mission. When we pray, we encounter this Person. Real things happen in prayer.

Call to mind the intimacy the Apostles had with Jesus. Ponder your own day-to-day relationship with God. When you pray, how do you imagine God? Are you able to talk to him as a friend? What are some ways that you can grow in intimacy with the Lord and welcome him into your home?

Jesus tells us something by making his home at Capernaum, which means town of comfort. Even in the midst of our time in exile in this world, Jesus comes to comfort us and give us the hope of Heaven. Our comfort is that Jesus died and rose for us, so we are able to go to Heaven with him if we so desire. This should give us great hope!

Ponder the great needs in your own life. Try to think about them from a "heavenly perspective"—with a hope in Heaven that will give you the strength to endure the present. How does this perspective change the way you suffer? How can you allow Jesus to comfort you with this hope more consistently in your daily life?

For additional understanding, please watch the short *Opening the Word* video at FORMED.org

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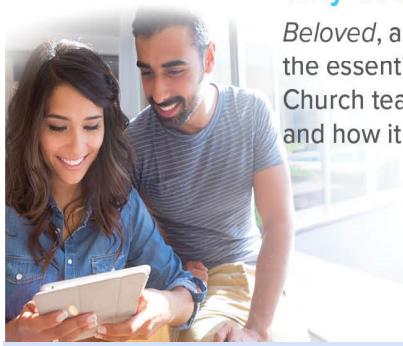
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Mass

Intentions

Saturday 2/3

- 8:30am Manual Serpa †
5:00pm Herbert Di Grazia †
Andrew Porter
7:00pm Margarito Guzman †
Salvador Guzman †

Sunday 2/4

- 6:45am Grandparents of Nguyen T. Le †
8:00am Clifford Bates †
9:30am Luis M.S. de Carvalho
Gloria Holler †
11:00am Nathan Mayne
12:30pm Benjamin Navarro
6:00pm Ralph F. Cruz †

Monday 2/5

- 8:30am Herbert Di Grazia †

Tuesday 2/6

- 8:30am Elsie Napoli †

Wednesday 2/7

- 8:30am Elizabeth Taylor †
7:00pm All Souls

Thursday 2/8

- 8:30am Alberto Rojas †

Friday 2/9

- 8:30am Sylvia Griggs †



In today's readings we have seen that Jesus made all things new when he came and suffered, died, and rose for us. He brings deep meaning to our suffering, and ultimately desires to heal us of all of our sin and brokenness. He comes into each of our lives to heal us and raise us to new life in him.

Prayer

Let's reflect on these words from the Gospel reading from today. Call to mind the scene of Jesus healing Peter's mother-in-law. Then imagine the whole town coming to his doorstep with all of their needs for healing.

What needs do you need to bring to the Lord in your own life? Take a word that comes to mind and reflect for a moment on what it means to you personally. For example, you might have been attracted to the words, "He approached." Ask yourself what they mean in your own life. How do you feel when you imagine Jesus approaching you? Do you trust him? Do you want him to approach you in this place? How can you allow him to approach you in the places you desire healing?

Resolution

St. Therese of Lisieux said, "For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy." Ask God today to teach you to pray. Ask him to help you turn towards Heaven with a cry of love throughout your day. What practical thing can you do this week to look towards God and let him approach you in his great love?

Parish Prayer Requests

For those who are suffering from the recent outbreaks of flu.

For the repose of the souls of Michael Bepple, James Spencer Kane, Pauline Pinks, Irene M. Lagar, Christopher L. Leron, Maria Angelica L. Leron, Nicolas Mendez Pina and Andrea Ledezma.

Please send your prayer requests to Prayers@StMichaelLivermore.com

**To arrange a Mass intention,
please visit the Church Office.**

Opportunities to Serve

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

Jesus, present in the Eucharist, is exposed on the altar in our chapel 24/7. ***There must always be someone in attendance in the chapel.*** Are you being called to spend time in His presence for one hour per week?

The following hours do not have anyone signed up. Will you?

Tuesdays: 12am - 1am
Tuesdays: 6am - 7am
Tuesdays: 12pm - 1pm
Tuesdays: 8pm - 9 pm
Thursdays: 12pm - 1pm
Saturdays: 2am - 3am
Saturdays: 8pm - 9 pm

Email to sign up:
Adoration@StMichaelLivermore.com
or leave a note in the envelope in the chapel.



Kitchen Helpers for Alpha Dinners

Four awesome kitchen volunteers are needed each Tuesday, now through March, to help prepare meals for Alpha, our parish's evangelization program. Participants at Alpha gather for dinner, watch a powerful video about the basics of Christianity and engage in discussions.

By helping prepare dinner, you will be a crucial part of this evangelization effort!

The shift is from 4:30-8:30 pm in the Hall kitchen on Tuesdays through March. Job duties are not complicated: basic food prep and clean up. You can sign up for just one Tuesday or several.

Please email
Alpha@StMichaelLivermore.com

Collection Report

Thank you for your continued generosity! Your financial offerings are St Michael's only source of income. Quite literally, we could not operate our mission without your support.

Tax statements have been mailed to those who donated over \$250 in

1/28/18 Collection	\$16,206.63
Month-to-Date	\$85,558.84
Month Goal	\$87,058.82
Percentage Reached	98%
Faith Direct for Jan.	\$12,014.00
Maintenance (for Month)	\$7,847.53
Seminary	\$3,714.75
St Michael School	\$3,320.91

Ministering to the Homebound

Are you being called to bring communion to parishioners who aren't able to attend mass? If so, please come check out the St Michael Homebound Ministry which is here to bring the Blessed Sacrament to parishioners whether they are at home, at a group care home, or possibly in a nearby hospital.

We're especially looking for Spanish speaking ministers.

If you discern that God is calling you to this ministry, please contact Lien Celi at 925-325-9117 or lien@celigrouprealty.com

Hand Out Groceries to People in Need

Two or three dependable, cheerful volunteers are needed to hand out free bags of groceries at the St Vincent de Paul food locker (behind the church) to people desperately in need. Job is very simple and straight forward, and so rewarding!

Just two Tuesdays per month, from 7:00 pm—8:00 pm ensures that Livermore families do not go hungry.

Please prayerfully consider if you are being called to volunteer just two hours per month. This is a great opportunity for couples or families to serve together! Call Jackie Heise to sign up at 925-413-2579.

This Week

MONDAY, FEB 5

St. Agatha

Readings: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56

Suggestion:

Pray about the service opportunities listed on the previous page. Make a call to sign up today! If you cannot volunteer, can you please help spread the word?

TUESDAY, FEB 6

St. Paul Miki and Companions

Readings: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5, 10-11; Mk 7:1-13

Suggestion:

February is Marriage Month. Put February 17 on your calendar for a Date Night! See next page for details.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 7

Readings: 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23

Events:

Welcome Wednesday Tours at St Michael School at 8:30 am

Confession at 2:30 pm in the Convent Chapel

THURSDAY, FEB 8

St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita

Readings: 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30

Suggestion:

Share FORMED with a friend! Do you have a favorite movie, video study program, audio talk or eBook? Share your thoughts about it with a friend and give this link for a free account: StMichael.Formed.org

FRIDAY, FEB 9

Readings: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-15; Mk 7:31-37

Reminder:

Abstaining from Meat on Friday isn't only for Lent. Catholics are to consider Fridays as days of penance. The traditional observance is to abstain from eating meat. However, another form of prayer, fast, act of charity or pious practice may replace the act of abstaining from meat.

SATURDAY, FEB 10

St. Scholastica

Readings: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-22; Mk 8:1-10

Events:

Confession at 9:15 am and 3:45 pm in English, 6:15 pm in Spanish

Knights of Columbus Crab Feed: 4pm –11 pm at Robert Livermore Community Center. Contact Mark & Claire at 925-443-5873

SUNDAY, FEB 11

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 Cor 10:31 -- 11:1; Mk 1:40-45

Events:

Traditional Latin Mass at 8:00 am
Please download and print a missal at StMichaelLivermore.com/Latin or bring one of your own, if you wish.

We expect a full house. Please arrive early, as parking is limited.



Bakhita: From Slave to Saint

Born in a village in Sudan, kidnapped by slavers, often beaten and abused, and later sold to Federico Marin, a Venetian merchant, Bakhita then came to Italy and became the nanny servant of Federico's daughter, Aurora, who had lost her mother at birth.

She is treated as an outcast by the peasants and the other servants due to her black skin and African background, but Bakhita is kind and generous to others. Bakhita gradually comes closer to God with the help of the kind village priest, and embraces the Catholic Faith.

St Bakhita's feast day is February 8. Watch this extraordinary movie free on FORMED.org under "watch" then "movies".

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Upcoming Events

Ministry Appreciation Mardi Gras Party

Tues, Feb 13, 5:00-8:00 pm in the Large Hall

St Michael Clergy and Staff invite all those who have volunteered in all of the various parish ministries to a special appreciation party. Our parish community has grown this past year because of your tireless efforts. Let us treat you to some food, drink, music and fellowship with your fellow hard-working community ministers!

Grief Support

Sat, Feb 17, 10:00 am at St Charles

Grief ministry provides a monthly support group for those in bereavement over the death of a loved one. This is a safe place to share your feelings with others in a similar situation. The group meets on the third Saturday of the month from 10 am to 11:30 am in the St Ignatius Room of the Keeley Center at St Charles parish.

Contact Claire at 925-447-9800 or clairelascola@gmail.com.

Marriage Ministry Date Night

Sat, Feb 17 at 7:00 pm in the Large Hall

February is "Marriage Month" and we will welcome special guests, St. Michael parish couple Tricia and Steven Vieira, as they share the story of their faith. Come be inspired by their talk: Trust in God's Plan - Faith/Hope/Loss and Adoption: Creating a family amidst life's toughest challenges"

Dinner will be served. Please bring a snack or dessert to share. Childcare available. For more info, call Karen 925-784-6668



February 14

ASH WEDNESDAY

7:00 am Ash Service

8:30 am Mass with Ash Service

10:00 am School Mass with Ash Service

12:15 pm Ash Service

3:15 pm Ash Service

5:30 pm Mass with Ash Service

7:00 pm Mass in Spanish with Ash Service

Abstaining & Fasting

Ash Wednesday is an obligatory day of fasting and abstinence for Catholics.

The norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59.

When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.

Knights of Columbus Ash Wednesday Soup Dinner

Wed, Feb 14, 4:30—7:30 pm in the Large Hall

Join us for a free soup dinner on Ash Wednesday, compliments of our Knights of Columbus. Any donations will benefit church programs, seminarians, and other religious vocations.

More Upcoming Events

Dress-a-Girl Sew Fest

Sat, Feb 17 from 9 am—3 pm in the Large Hall

Come make simple dresses for girls in poverty-stricken countries. We need all kinds of help, sewing, ironing, cutting; bring your sewing machine or serger, iron, ironing board, scissors, along with your helping hands and we will put you to work!

Contact Suzanne Beck, 925-352 8447 or suzbeck@yahoo.com.

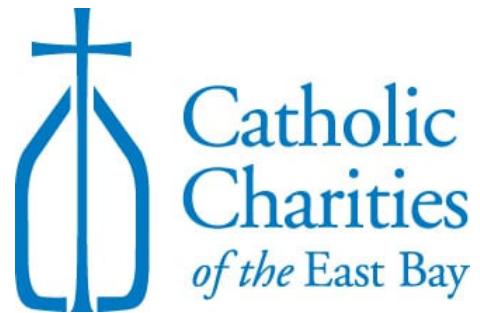
St. Michael School's 59th Annual Wine Tasting Gala & Auction

Sat, March 3, 6:00-10:00 pm at the Robert Livermore Community Center

Enjoy an evening of great food and wine as our school families and parish community come together to socialize while supporting our school's biggest fundraising event of the year. The revenue earned from this fundraiser will be used to support operating costs to keep tuition affordable. Donations made specifically to the Fund-A-Need will go toward creating a STREAM (science, technology, religion, engineering, art, and math) room for all our students.

Tickets can be purchased online: <https://smsliv.ticketleap.com/>
\$60 per person (includes wine and brew pours, non-alcoholic beverages, savory food stations and a fabulous dessert bar)
\$75 per person for VIP (Champagne reception from 5:30-6:00 pm)

Sponsorship opportunities are available and include tickets to the event. For more information, please contact the St. Michael School office at 925-447-1888.



Transforming Lives Tour

Thurs, March 15 at 9:15 am
Large Hall

This one hour mission based tour is your opportunity to learn about the programs of Catholic Charities of the East Bay. You will hear about:

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Join us at 6:30 pm in the Large Hall for three nights exploring the Sacrament of Confession. Our mission series will culminate with the Bilingual Parish Reconciliation Service in the Church.

Thursday, February 15: Session 1 – Where are You?

Thursday, February 22: Session 2 – An Encounter with Mercy

Tuesday, February 27: Session 3 – The Rite Explained

Tuesday, March 6: Bilingual Parish Reconciliation Service at 7:00 pm in the Church

Español

El Grupo de Oracion

El Grupo de Oracion te invita cordialmente a una misa de sanacion el dia 9 de Febrero alas 7:00pm aqui en la Iglesia. Ven y deja todas tus cargas, dolores y preocupaciones en las manos de Dios, que el te levantara, te fortalecera y samara.

El Padre Rafael Hinojosa sera nuestro celebrante y tu eres el invitado especial de Nuestro Señor. El te espera con los brazos abiertos. No Faltes!

DISCÍPULOS INCANSABLES

Los relatos que hemos oido estas semanas provienen del primer capítulo de san Marcos y nos muestran el ministerio público de Jesús en sus comienzos. El relato de hoy muestra parte de la tensión y los cambios de su nueva vida que consistía en predicar el Reino de Dios, curar a los enfermos y expulsar a los demonios. Observa que después del atardecer, cuando caía el sol y terminaba la jornada laboral, las personas llevaban a los enfermos y poseídos a Jesús. Al día siguiente se levantó antes del amanecer para retirarse sólo a rezar, pero

no tuvo suerte. Simón Pedro y los demás no solo lo buscan, sino que lo persiguen con el fervor que su ministerio ha incitado. Con la misma entrega ejemplar que demostró hasta el final de su vida en la tierra, les dice a sus seguidores que éste es su propósito. Por medio de Marcos, también le dice a la nueva iglesia y nos dice a nosotros que éste es nuestro propósito, nuestra vocación: ser incansables en nuestra lucha por proclamar la Buena Nueva y llevar el toque curador y reconciliador de Cristo al mundo.

Miércoles de ceniza

Misa de miércoles de ceniza en español en 7:00 pm el 14 de febrero

Ministerio para los confinados en el hogar

¿Estás llamado a llevar la Santa Comunión a los feligreses que no pueden asistir a misa? Si es así, por favor visita el Ministerio de San Miguel para los confinados en su hogar. Estamos aquí para llevar la bendita Santa Cena a los feligreses, ya sea que estén en su hogar, en un hogar de cuidado colectivo o posiblemente en un hospital cercano.

Estamos especialmente buscando ministros de habla hispana. Por favor, considera en oración si el Señor te está llamando a este poderoso ministerio. Si es así, contacta a Lien Celi al 925-325-9117 o lien@celigrouprealty.com



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serie **Perdonado** manifiesta la invitación de Dios a cada uno de nosotros para que experimentemos Su amor indescriptible en el Sacramento de Reconciliación.

Únase a nosotros a las 19:00 en la sala grande durante tres noches para explorar el Sacramento de la confesión. La serie finalizará con un servicio bilingüe de reconciliación en la iglesia.

Viernes, 16 de febrero : Sesión 1: ¿Dónde Estás?

Viernes, 23 de febrero : Sesión 2: Un Encuentro de Misericordia

Viernes, 2 de marzo : Sesión 3: Explicación del Rito

Martes, 6 de marzo : Servicio de reconciliación bilingüe a las 19:00 en la iglesia

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Mass | Misa

Mon-Sat | Lu-Sa 8:30 am

Wed | Mi 7:00 pm (español)

Sat Vigil | Vigilia del Sábado

5:00 pm (English), 7:00 pm (español)

Sunday | Domingo

6:45 am, 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 12:30 pm (español), 6:00 pm

Sign Language | Lenguaje por Señas

1st Sun, 11:00 am

Primer domingo a las 11:00 am

Vietnamese | Vietnamita

4th Sun, 3:30 pm

Cuarto domingo a las 3:30 pm

Confession | Confesión

Saturday, in the church |

Sábado en la iglesia

9:00 am & 3:45 pm in English

6:15 pm en español

1st & 3rd Wed in the Convent Chapel,
at 2:30 pm in English

Anointing of the Sick | Unción de los Enfermos

1st Saturday after 8:30 am Mass or by
appointment: 925-447-1585 |

1er sábado después de las 8:30 am Misa
o con cita previa: 925-447-1585

Eucharistic Adoration | Adoración Eucarística

24/7 in the Chapel. For after hours access
code, call 925-980-4826 |

24/7 en la Capilla. Para el código de acceso
después de las horas, llame al 925-980-4826

Office Hours | horas de oficina

M-F 8:30 am—5:00 pm (closed dur-
ing lunch)

Sun 8:30 am—12:30 pm

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Rev. Alfonso Borgen, Parochial Vicar
Rev. David Staal, Associate
Rev. Alfred Amos, In Residence
Rev. Stanislaus Poon, Retired
Rev. Deacon Bill Archer
Rev. Deacon Rob Federle
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