

Saint Barbara Catholic Church



08/09/2026



19th Sunday *Sunday August*
IN ORDINARY TIME **09, 2026**

"When the disciples saw him walking on the sea they were terrified. 'It is a ghost,' they said, and they cried out in fear. At once Jesus spoke to them, 'Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid.'" Matthew 14:26-27

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19 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Aug 08 - Aug 14, 2026

Saturday:

8:15 AM	Victims of The War †	RIP
4:00 PM	Maria Ngo Thi Theu †	RIP
5:30 PM	For The Unborns †	RIP
7:00 PM	For Parishioners	LI
8:30 PM	All Souls †	RIP

Sunday:

6:30 AM	Các Tu Sĩ Nam Nữ	LI
8:00 AM	Maria & Giuse †	RIP
9:30 AM	Matthew & Maria †	RIP
11:00AM	Maria Nguyen Thi Muoi †	RIP
12:45PM	Jose Maria Rodriguez †	RIP
4:00PM	Gabriel Truong Thanh Liem †	RIP
5:30PM	Roberto Zamora Cerda †	RIP
7:00PM	Jose & Karina Lopez	LI

Monday:

8:15 AM	Michael & Julianna †	RIP
5:30 PM	Maria Nguyen Thi Hue †	RIP

Tuesday:

8:15 AM	Alejandro Hernandez	SI
5:30 PM	Bruno Villegas †	RIP
7:00 PM	Martha Salazar	SI

Wednesday:

6:30 AM	Phanxico Xavier Vu Truong †	RIP
8:15 AM	Lucas & Olga Lences †	RIP
5:30 PM	Giuse Hoang Quoc Dung †	RIP

Thursday:

6:30 AM	Các Linh Hồn Mới Qua Đời †	RIP
8:15 AM	Maria Pham Tuyet Elizabeth †	RIP
5:30 PM	Batolomeo Nguyen Tuan †	RIP

Friday:

8:15 AM	Souls in Purgatory †	RIP
5:30 PM	Maria Kim Loan †	RIP
7:00 PM	Florentino Lopez Berrios †	RIP



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

TODAY'S READING

First Reading: Then the LORD said to him, "Go outside and stand on the mountain before the LORD; the LORD will be passing by." (1 Kgs 19:11)

Psalm: Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation. (Ps 85)

Second Reading: I speak the truth in Christ, I do not lie; my conscience joins with the Holy Spirit in bearing me witness. (Rom 9:1)

Gospel: Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" (Mt 14:31)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr

Tuesday: St. Clare, Virgin

Wednesday: St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

Thursday: Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs

Friday: St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

Saturday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Prayer in Faith in Trial

Dear God,

In this time of difficulty, be with me. When I don't feel Your presence or hear Your voice, sustain me. When I don't see the path ahead, guide me. When I don't know the next step, support me. In every day and in every moment, be my strength. Amen.

LECTURAS DE HOY

Pregunta de la 1ª lectura: Elías encuentra al Señor no en el viento, el terremoto o el fuego, sino en un sonido ligero y silencioso. ¿Cuándo o dónde oyes la voz de Dios?

Pregunta de la 2ª lectura: Pablo lamenta la incredulidad de sus compañeros judíos. ¿Cómo puedes ayudar a familiares o amigos que no creen en Jesús?

Pregunta del Evangelio: Pedro reúne el valor para salir al agua cuando Jesús le llama. ¿Cuáles son algunos temores que el Señor podría ayudarte a enfrentar?

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: 19º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Lunes: San Lorenzo, diácono y mártir

Martes: Santa Clara, virgen

Miércoles: Santa Juana Francisca de Chantal, religiosa

Jueves: San Ponciano, papa, y San Hipólito, sacerdote, mártires

Viernes: San Maximiliano Kolbe, sacerdote y mártir

Sábado: La Asunción de la Santísima Virgen María

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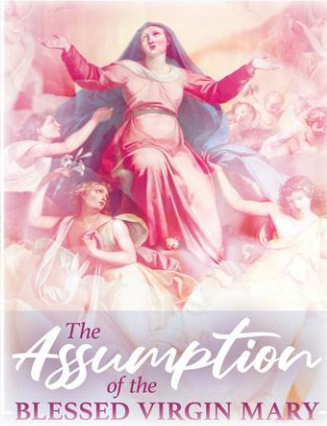
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Weekly
OFFERING

GOSPEL MEDITATION



As a young, newly ordained priest, I admired a senior priest who was gifted, beloved, and had changed countless lives. But soon I learned that he had fallen in catastrophic and destructive ways. The painful juxtaposition of good and evil was complex to process. How could someone so seemingly good also be so broken and deceptive? It forced me to confront a sobering truth: leadership in the Church is no guarantee against weakness or sin.

Peter teaches that truth in this week's Gospel. When he sees Jesus walking on the sea, Peter does what leaders do. He goes first. **"Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water."** But when he sees how strong the wind is, he becomes frightened and, beginning to sink, cries out, **"Lord, save me."** Immediately, Jesus stretches out his hand and catches him.

St. Thomas Aquinas observes that Peter overcomes the greater danger of the waves but falters before the lesser threat of the wind. This is the paradox leaders often face. It is not always the great trials that undo us, but the smaller, quieter temptations, such as subtle fears and compromises, that lead us to sink. The good news is that Jesus does not abandon Peter. He saves him before it is too late. Our frail humanity lives within a rhythm of grace, risk, failure, and mercy. Jesus helps Peter overcome both the obvious and hidden sources of fear, and he promises to do the same for us. So, let us pray for all, especially our spiritual leaders.

No sé si alguna vez en tu vida has tenido miedo a algo o a alguien, y te has dado cuenta de que el miedo paraliza: no te deja avanzar, incluso te ciega y no te permite ver. Muchas veces, las causas del miedo son falsas y solo sirven para amedrentar a la persona y dejarla sin esperanza. El miedo también nos quita la paz y nos impide hacer planes para el futuro. El Papa León XIV afirma que: *"Cuanto más hermoso es el plan, mayor es la esperanza"*, sabiendo que *"el futuro está en manos de Aquel que ofrece la mayor esperanza"*. El santo cardenal John Henry Newman, canonizado por el Papa Francisco en octubre de 2019, escribió lo siguiente: *"A través de las tinieblas que me rodean, condúceme tú, siempre más adelante. La noche es oscura y estoy lejos del hogar: condúceme tú, siempre más adelante. Guía mis pasos; un solo paso cada vez es bastante para mí. Deseaba escoger y ver mi camino, pero ahora, condúceme tú, siempre adelante"*.

El pasaje del Evangelio que nos narra lo sucedido a los discípulos en el lago, aquella noche, es muy parecido a lo que vivimos en el día a día de nuestra vida. La barca era golpeada por las olas y el viento era fuerte. En medio de todos esos acontecimientos aparece Jesús caminando sobre las aguas, y ellos, asustados, creen ver un fantasma. El miedo los paraliza y gritan aterrados. Enseguida, Jesús les dice: *"Ánimo, no teman, que soy yo"* (Mateo 14:27). ¡Señor, nos falta fe como a Pedro! Danos tu mano y sálvanos. Lpi

Joseph Olivares, Eli Olivares, Carlos Arriola Shoda,
Ofelia Gonzalez, Victor Zayas,
Maria Nguyen Bich Van, Kevin Nguyen,
Keith Kerslake, Jose Lopez, Phero Aaron
Maria Bich Thuy, Kevin Peralta Sosa,
Jenny Ho, Maria G. Kim



Lord Jesus Christ,
Redeemer of the world,
you have shouldered the burden of our weakness and borne
our sufferings in your own passion and death Hear this prayer
for our sick brothers and sisters whom you have redeemed
Strengthen their hope of salvation and sustain them in body
and soul, for you live and reign for ever and ever.
Amen

.Roberto Zamora Cerda
.Gabriel Truong Thanh Liem
.Norma Alicia Leon
.Maria Ngo Thi Hong
.Maria Dinh Thi Ram
.Phaolo Trinh Viet Nghia
.Santo Montes
.Victor Manuel Zayas
.Anna Nguyen Thi Hoa



God, our shelter and our strength, you listen in love to the cry
of your people: hear the prayers we offer for our departed
brothers and sisters. Cleanse them of their sins and grant
them the fullness of redemption. We ask this through Christ
our Lord, **Amen**

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Looking for God

What do we think when we see Jesus coming to save us?

The first thing the Apostles scream is “Ghost!” when they catch sight of Jesus walking towards them on water. That always makes me laugh. After all they have witnessed thus far as the companions of the Messiah, they see someone walking on water and they still react like extras in a bad episode of Scooby-Doo.

We are always more quick to believe a bad thing than a good thing. We can easily believe gossip and hearsay about a friend, but we fear being taken for a fool when it comes to faith. We would rather look cynical than stupid.

“Save me, God, for the waters have reached my neck,” reads Psalm 69.

“My eyes fail, from looking for my God.”

I think back on my life, on all the various ways that God has rescued me from slipping beneath the surface. Rarely did it ever occur to me, in the midst of it, that I was being rescued. In fact, I usually thought I was being held underwater. Did I hear His voice directing me, or did I only hear my own despairing? “Save me, God.” Was I looking for Him, or were my eyes shut in fear? “My eyes fail, from looking for my God.”

It’s never until after the fact — sometimes years after, or decades — that we see things clearly. That we see Christ in the situation, making his way toward us, hand outstretched. Lpi



Queenship of Mary

Question:

Why do we have a feast for the Queenship of Mary?

Answer:

For many of us, the language of kings and queens may seem like they belong to history or a medieval movie. Royalty have absolute authority over a kingdom and their subjects, a concept that is foreign to many of us today. While Jesus doesn’t rule a political kingdom, we honor and recognize him as the King of Kings, Lord of Heaven and Earth. To God alone belongs absolute authority over all of existence.

We may think of queens as the spouse of the king, but there is another key relationship: the king’s mother. In Biblical history, we see instances where the mother of the king is given due as a queen herself, complete with a throne! Mary’s guiding influence over her Son is seen most notably in the Wedding Feast at Cana. Mary is not Queen on her own merit. She is “full of grace” and “blessed” in “all ages” because of the reign of her Son. Lpi

*Assumed
body and soul
into heavenly glory.*

Lễ Đức Mẹ
Hồn Xác Lên Trời

THE
Assumption
OF THE
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

***Saturday 8/15*:**

6:30 AM -- Vietnamese
8:15 AM -- English
4:00 PM -- Vietnamese
5:30 PM -- English
7:00 PM -- Vietnamese

LA
Asunción
DE LA
SANTÍSIMA VIRGEN MARÍA



Simple Ways to
Celebrate
the Feast of the
Queenship of Mary
at Home on August 22

Step 1:

Enthroned Mary
in your Home.

Step 2:

Consecrate
Your Household to
Mary,
Queen of Heaven

*Recite the
Act of Contrition
*Pray 3 **Hail Marys**
*Pray 3 **Glorias**
*Pray the
invocation “**Mary
Immaculate
Queen: Triumph
and Reign**” 3 times

*End with the **Act
of Consecration**

CỘNG ĐOÀN THÁNH GIUSE

Mt 14, 22-33 -

"Xin truyền cho con đi trên mặt nước mà đến cùng Thầy"

-Suy niệm: "Trời tối và Đức Giêsu chưa đến với họ. Biển động vì cuồng phong đổ ập". Thuyền của các môn đệ chao đảo giữa mù tối và sóng gió.

Con thuyền Giáo hội đang vật lộn giữa vòng xoáy của cuộc sống hôm nay: Giữa những giáo thuyết sai lạc và luân lý suy đồi. Cuộc sống của mỗi chúng ta, gia đình của chúng ta cũng lao đao khốn đốn giữa dòng chảy cuộc đời nếu không có Chúa đồng hành.

-Cầu nguyện: Lạy Chúa Giêsu, xin cho chúng con luôn biết đặt Ngài làm trung tâm cuộc sống của chúng con. Xin cho chúng con biết tìm Chúa khi đời chúng con dậy sóng. Vì đến muôn đời Chúa vẫn là bến bờ hạnh phúc và an vui. Amen. TGPSG

15 tháng 8

Lễ Đức Mẹ Hồn Xác Lên Trời

KINH ĐỨC TRINH NỮ MARIA HỒN XÁC LÊN TRỜI

Lạy Đức Trinh Nữ MARIA, Đức Bà Hồn Xác Lên Trời, nơi Mẹ, trong xác Mẹ và trong hồn Mẹ, hoàn tất chiến thắng của THIÊN CHÚA trên cái chết. Mẹ sống trong ánh sáng của Con Mẹ Sống Lại và Mẹ mở cho chúng con con đường Phục Sinh của Người. Lạy Đức Bà Hồn Xác Lên Trời, xin Mẹ canh giữ chúng con đưa cái nhìn và lòng chúng con hướng về chân trời của Vương Quốc THIÊN CHÚA, nơi Tình Yêu Chúa CHA sẽ chiến thắng mọi bạo lực, mọi biến dạng và mọi sợ hãi. Xin Mẹ ban cho Giáo Hội của Mẹ đang trên đường lữ thứ, giữa tăm tối và thử thách, biết cùng với Mẹ nhìn về Đức Chúa KITÔ để học biết tái sinh từ THIÊN CHÚA và để cho hành trình của chúng con được nâng đỡ bởi niềm hy vọng của cuộc sống mới này được hứa ban cho chúng con và đang chờ đợi chúng con. Lạy Đức Trinh Nữ MARIA, xin làm cho Chúa Thánh Linh có thể đặt trong xác và hồn chúng con niềm ước muốn thanh sạch, niềm ước muốn mạnh mẽ về cuộc sinh ra mới này mà Mẹ từng kinh nghiệm. Amen. Sr. Minh Nguyệt

CD SAINT BARBARA TRƯỜNG VIỆT NGŨ THÔNG BÁO

Lớp học tiếng Việt bắt đầu ghi danh
Thứ Bảy và Chúa Nhật những ngày sau đây:

- Tháng 8, 2026: ngày 22, 23, 29, 30
- Tháng 9, 2026: ngày 05, 06
- .Các Thứ Bảy từ 12pm - 5:30pm
- .Các Chúa Nhật từ 8am - 1:00pm
- cho các em từ 6 tuổi trở lên
- Ghi danh tại Hội Trường hoặc tại Văn Phòng Trường Việt Ngữ

Vì lớp học có giới hạn, xin quý phụ huynh ghi danh sớm cho các em.

Ngày Khai Giảng: 10 giờ 30 sáng
Chúa Nhật ngày 13 tháng 9 năm 2026

(sẽ không ghi danh trong ngày này nhưng sẽ ghi danh tuần kế tiếp sau đó)

Chân thành cảm ơn quý vị phụ huynh.

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-> Download the Application

-> Fill it out completely

-> Turn it in to the Parish Office with Baby's
Birth certificate & Sponsor's requirements

-> Request Certificate

> Scan
QR Code
to make
a request
online**Eucharistic Adoration**1st Wednesday of the month, From 9AM-7AM next day**Funeral**

Contact the Parish Office

MarriageContact the Parish Office for an appointment with one of the
priests at least six (6) months prior to marriage**Reconciliation**

Mon: 8:45 AM – 9:15 AM Eng

Tue: 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Eng, Spn, Viet

Fri: 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Eng, Spn, Viet

Anointing of the Sick

Contact: (657) 345-9245

**Mass Schedule****Saturday Vigil**

4:00 PM Vietnamese

5:30 PM English

7:00 PM Vietnamese

Sunday

6:30 AM Vietnamese

8:00 AM Vietnamese

9:30 AM English

11:00 AM Vietnamese

12:45 PM Spanish

4:00 PM Vietnamese

5:30 PM English

7:00 PM Spanish

**** Daily Mass Schedule******Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri**

8:15 AM English

5:30 PM Vietnamese

Wed, Thu

6:30 AM Vietnamese

Tues, Fri

7:00 PM Spanish

Saturday

8:15 AM English

THE CHURCH IS CLOSED
LA IGLESIA ESTARA CERRADA
NHÀ THỜ ĐÓNG CỬA
10:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Monday – Friday
Lunes – Viernes
Thứ Hai – Thứ Sáu

PRESIDER SCHEDULE
HORARIO QUE PRESIDE
Lịch Dâng Lễ

Saturday August 15, 2026

6:30 AM – Fr. Tuan Pham

8:15 AM – Fr. Manuel

4:00 PM – Fr. Joseph Nguyen

5:30 PM – Fr. Manuel

7:00 PM – Fr. Joseph Nguyen

Sunday August 16, 2026

6:30 AM – Fr. Ngữ Trương

8:00 AM – Fr. Ngữ Trương

9:30 AM – Fr. Chuấn

11:00 PM – Fr. Ngữ Trương

12:45 PM – Fr. Manuel

4:00 PM – Fr. Joseph Nguyen

5:30 PM – Fr. Joseph Nguyen

7:00 PM – Fr. Manuel