

# HOLY FAMILY

Holy Rosary Mission

Father Innocent Subiza, Pastor

#### **Mission Statement**

We at Holy Family-Holy Rosary parish with the guidance of the Holy Spirit are committed to nurture the spiritual growth of our members, to welcome strangers, to be good stewards of God-given gifts, to provide a safe environment for our youth, to treat everyone with dignity and respect, to provide for the needy and to foster a Christ-centered community.

#### NEW!

Beginning in February,

Mass in Spanish will be on the 3rd Saturday of each month at 7:00p.m. – after the 4:30 vigil Mass. Anyone can attend, the readings and prayers will be in Spanish.

A partir de febrero, la Misa en español será el tercer sábado de cada mes a las 7:00 p.m.

#### Lenten Schedule

#### Masses

Ash Wednesday, March 14 8:30 a.m. - Portola 5:30 p.m. - Loyalton

## Mass in Loyalton on Wednesdays During Lent is at 4:30

Palm Sunday, March 24 8:30 a.m. - Portola 10:30 a.m. - Loyalton

Holy Thursday, March 28 7:00 p.m. - Portola

Good Friday, March 29
Service 12:00 p.m. and
Stations of the Cross - Loyalton

Holy Saturday, March 30
Easter Vigil 8:00 p.m. - Portola

Easter Sunday, March 31 8:30 a.m. - Portola 10:30 a.m. - Loyalton

# Stations of the Cross followed by Soup Dinners

<u>Wednesdays</u> 5:00 p.m. - Loyalton

<u>Fridays</u> 5:30 p.m. - Portola

#### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, February 3: Josie

Tejeda+

Sunday, February 4:

8:30 a.m.:

Tuesday, February 6:

8:30 a.m.:

Wednesday, February 7:

8:30 a.m.: 5:30 p.m.:

Thursday, February 8:

8:30 a.m.:

Friday, February 9:

8:30 a.m.:

#### Collection

January 28, 2023

**Sunday:** \$2,278.50 **Online Giving:** \$ 630.00

TOTAL: \$2,908.50

February

Thank you for your generosity!

#### **Community Supper**

When: Wednesday

28th.

**Time:** 6:00 p.m.

Where: Father Burns

Hall

**Host:** Holy Family

Church

Guardian Angel, help me to know my particular gifts clearly, that I may work to perfect them for God's use on Earth, and through them give praise to him forever in Heaven.



# Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel, "Jesus

left and went off to a deserted place, where be prayed."

It is possible that a person may prefer silent to spoken prayer—those moments in love when silence becomes full of meaning... This silent way of love is not all foreign to the prayer life of the lover of God... If you try spending ten minutes a day quietly letting God's love permeate you, you will be participating in a very traditional mode of prayer.

-Ronda Chervin, Magnificat

Looking for something new to do this Lent? Try prayer - you might like it!

# MEDITATIONS ON THE OUR FATHER (A WEEKLY SERIES)

"Thy Kingdom Come"

When we pray **thy kingdom come** we ask that the Church may **grow throughout the world for the salvation of souls.** We commit ourselves to **do what we can** to extend the Kingdom of God. We cannot become discouraged because the world seems to be regressing to paganism.

Thy kingdom come. Jesus reminds all of us: 'And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, I will draw all things to myself' (John 12:32). If you put me at the centre of all earthly activities, he is saying, by fulfilling the duty of each moment, in what appears important and what appears unimportant, I will draw everything to myself. My kingdom among you will be a reality! ...

Let us ask our king today to make us collaborate, humbly and fervently, in the divine task of mending what is broken, of saving what is lost, of fixing what man has put out of order.

~St. J. Escriva

#### **Holy Family Church**

108 Taylor Ave. Portola, CA 96122

Masses: Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday - Friday 8:30 a.m.

**Spanish Mass:** 

3rd. Saturday 7:00 p.m. **Adoration:** Friday 7:30 a.m. Confession: Saturday 4:00 p.m.

or by appointment

#### **Holy Rosary Mission** Church

614 4th. St.

Loyalton, CA 96118

Masses: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Wednesday 5:30 p.m.

Adoration:

Wednesday 4:30 p.m.

**Confession:** After Mass or by

appointment

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#### **Bulletin Submissions**

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#### Website

Check the new parish website! It is being updated regularly, and you will find mass times, bulletins, special feast days, and all information about Holy Family and Holy Rosary.

www.holyfamilyportola.org

Send submissions to:

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Father Innocent will be taking aluminum cans and plastic bottles to recycling centers and giving the proceeds to Catholic Charities in Sacramento.

Please leave cans and bottles in **SEPARATE bags**, in the carport next to the church hall.

#### Fidelity To The Teaching We Have To Share

In this endeavor of ours to spread the Faith, whilst we treat everybody with respect and consideration, it is useless to transmit mere halftruths for fear that the fulness of truth and the demands of an authentic Christian life may clash with ways of thinking currently in fashion, and with the easy-going attitude of so many people. There can be no half-measures where truth is concerned, and love which is prepared to make sacrifices cannot admit of settling for less or be the object of compromise. -In Conversation with God

### Eucharistic Revival Prayer

When we go to Communion, we experience an extraordinary feeling of comfort which seems to envelop us entirely. What is this but Our Lord communicating himself to every part of our being, and making us thrill with joy"?

~St. John Vianney

#### Catholic Studies Portola

Every Other Thursday, 6 - 8 p.m.

Feb. 8 - Read the Bible like a Catholic.

Bring a snack or beverage to share. James Cavanagh, facilitator

## The Eucharistic Miracle of Meerssen



In the Eucharistic Miracle of Meerssen, Netherlands in 1222 and 1465, two important Eucharistic miracles took place. The first occurred during Holy Mass, when living Blood dripped from the large Host and stained the corporal. The second occurred in 1465, when a farmer was able to rescue the relic of the miracle from a fire that had destroyed the whole church. The church was later rebuilt, and in 1938 Pope Pius XI raised it to a minor basilica. Numerous pilgrims come every year to Meerssen to venerate the relic of the miracle.

## Catholic App Review

This is an amazing app full of everything catholic! It is free!!! It contains teachings from the Fathers of the Church, Encyclicals and writings from the Popes, Spiritual Classics by many of the Saints, the Bible, Hymns, Prayers, Liturgical Calendar and more! I have learned so much about our beautiful catholic faith



and have shared so much of it too! It is available on the Apple App Store, and Google Play for Android phones.



#### On the Lighter Side

In today's Gospel, Jesus went to a desert place to pray. As the Lenten Season begins next week, we are reminded that prayer, fasting, and almsgiving are the three cornerstones. Saying grace at meal time is a good habit at any age, even if the words are slightly off:

A four-year-old bowed her head and piously prayed: "Dear Lord, thank you for **this staley bread.**"

~From the Mouths of Little Sprouts