Fifth Sunday of Lent

Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die."

John 11:25-26
**OFFICE HOURS / HORAS DE OFICINA**  
**TUESDAY—SATURDAY**  
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**WELCOME TO ST. BRUNO CHURCH/BIENVENIDOS**
At our Sunday Mass, we come together from all our small communities and celebrate our oneness in Christ.  
Take a little time to get to know the folks with whom you are celebrating Mass.  
**En nuestra misa del domingo todas nuestras pequeñas comunidades nos juntamos para celebrar nuestra unión con Cristo. Tomen un poco de tiempo y trate de conocer a la persona que está a su lado acompañándolo en la Misa.**

**MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS:**  
- **Sunday:** 8:00AM, 12:00PM, 6:00PM  
- **Domingo:** 10:00AM  
- **Saturday:** 8:00AM, 4:30PM (Vigil)  
- **Sábado:** 7:00PM (Vigilia)

Weekdays 8:00AM & 6:00PM except Wednesday 7:00PM with Our Lady’s Prayer Group

Holy Days: 8:00AM & 6:00PM

1st Friday: 6PM followed by Holy Hour & Benediction

Filipino Mass— Check with the office for schedule

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK / UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS:**  
Please call the parish office when you know of anyone who would like to receive the sacraments but is unable to come to the church.  
**Favor de llamar a la Oficina cuando usted sepa de alguien que quisiera recibir los sacramentos pero no puede venir a la Iglesia.**

**BAPTISMS / BAUTIZOS:**
- **Primer Sábado:** 11:30 A.M. Clase
- **Segundo Sábado:** 11:30 A.M. Bautizo
- **Third Saturday:** 11:30 A.M. Baptismal Class
- **Fourth Saturday:** 11:30 A.M. Baptisms

**CCD SCHEDULE / CATECISMO:**
Grades 1 - 7 Saturdays: 9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.  
Registrations are over the summer and classes run from September—May / Las registraciones son durante el verano y las clases son de Septiembre a Mayo.

**CONFIRMATION CLASS:**
Grades 8-12 Tuesdays starting with 6:00 P.M. Mass

**CONFESSIONS / CONFESIONES:**
Saturdays: 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

**QUINCEAÑERA:**
Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the ceremony. The girl should be already confirmed or in good standing in her final year of Confirmation.  
**Hacer arreglos por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha. La joven tiene que haber recibido la Confirmación o estar en su último año de Confirmación en buen estado.**

**MARRIAGE/MATRIMONIO:**
Arrangements must be made at least six months before the tentative date of the marriage.  
**Hacer arreglos por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda.**

**RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS):**
For adults interested in the Catholic faith: classes usually start in September. Call the office for actual date and time.

**RICA (INICIACIÓN PARA ADULTOS):**
**Para adultos interesados en la Fe Católica, las clases usualmente comienzan en Septiembre, por favor llame a la oficina.**
Break Fast and Comfort Food

“Break fast,” is what Dr. Tim Gray recommends in *Formed* daily Lenten reflection for today’s feast of the Annunciation, March 25th. The “yes!” of Mary to the Archangel Gabriel is a reason to celebrate. She was not afraid to take on the challenge to become the Mother of Jesus. She believed that “nothing is impossible with God.” (Lk. 1, 37). In this time of anxiety and uncertainty, let us have that trust of Mary, her fiat. Let us take comfort and solace in the words of the Archangel, "Be not afraid... for nothing is impossible with God." So break the fast and celebrate. Excuse yourself today from whatever Lenten sacrifice you have taken be it chocolate, wine, TV show or Netflix movie. Celebrate!

So for breakfast I broke from my fast of eggs and made a delicious mushroom omelet. To give it added flavor, I topped it with cilantro. I matched it with garlic rice using a small amount of vegetable oil in frying so that the white, long-grain rice comes off a bit burnt and crusty. It was the way my father used to fry leftover rice. I believe it was the Ilocano in him (frugal) rather than any health consideration (too greasy) that made him go easy with the oil.

That brings me to *Earthbeat*, Lenten daily reflections just like *Formed*, but focusing on food consumption and its impact on climate change. In today’s article entitled “Comfort Food”, Brenna Davis writes about food that brings a “taste of memories.” These are not fancy food but simple meals which reminds one of home and hearth. That is what Brenna experienced when she made a toast with cheese cheddar. It brought back memories of a high school teacher who fixed her the same snack when she was studying for the exams. That memory brought tears of gratitude. It’s the same way that I experience when I prepare meals like they were done back home. The burnt smell, crusty texture and garlicky taste of fried rice summons feelings of nostalgia and gratitude. What is your comfort food? Why not fix yourself one for Lent?

To complete my breakfast menu, I had coffee. This is not the San Francisco Bay, 100% pure Kona Hawaiian whole bean coffee that I get from Costco and which I drink every morning. No, today is special; the coffee has to match the spicy menu. It’s a cheap, simple, 3-in-one coffee that comes in small packets from the Philippines. With this kind I don’t need to grind and brew. I simply tear open the packet, empty it into a mug of hot water, stir and it’s ready. Yummy breakfast! Tonight, I’ll conclude the celebration with a shot of Gran Centenario Reposado Tequila imported from Mexico, a pasalubong from my cousin Cynthia from her Guadalupe pilgrimage. I’ll toast to our Lady and to everyone’s health. *Salud!*

Encontres, para el desayuno, salí de mi ayuno de huevos e hice una deliciosa tortilla de champiñones. Para darle más sabor, lo cubri con cilantro. Lo combiné con arroz con ajo usando una pequeña cantidad de aceite vegetal en la fritura para que el arroz blanco de grano largo quede un poco quemado y crujiente. Era la forma en que mi padre solía freír el arroz sobrante. Creo que fue el Ilocano en él (frugal) en lugar de cualquier consideración de salud (demasiado grasiento) lo que lo hizo fácil con el arceite.

Eso me lleva a *Earthbeat*, reflexiones diarias cuaresmales como *Formed*, pero centradas en el consumo de alimentos y su impacto en el cambio climático. En el artículo de hoy titulado “Comida reconfortante”, Brenna Davis escribe sobre la comida que trae un “sabor de los recuerdos”. Estas no son comidas sofisticadas, sino comidas simples que recuerdan a la casa y al hogar. Eso es lo que experimentó Brenna cuando hizo un brandis con queso cheddar. Me trajo recuerdos de una maestra de secundaria que le preparó la misma merienda cuando estaba estudiando para los exámenes. Ese recuerdo trajo lágrimas de gratitud. Es la misma forma que experimento cuando preparo comidas como si se hicieran en casa. El olor a quemado, la textura crujiente y el sabor a ajo del arroz frito provocan nostalgia y gratitud. ¿Cuál es tu comida reconfortante? ¿Por qué no te arreglas uno para la Cuaresma?

Para completar mi menú de desayuno, tomé café. Este no es el San Francisco Bay, café 100% puro de haba integral de Kona que obtengo de Costco y que bebo todas las mañanas. No, hoy es especial; el café tiene que coincidir con el menú picante. Es un café barato, simple y 3 en uno que viene en pequeños paquetes de Filipinas. Con este tipo no necesito moler y preparar cerveza. Simplemente rasgo el paquete, lo vacío en una taza de agua caliente, revuelvo y está listo. Delicioso desayuno! Esta noche, concluiré la celebración con un trago de Tequila Gran Centenario Reposado importado de México, un pasalubong de mi prima Cynthia de su peregrinación en Guadalupe. Brindaré por nuestra Señora y por la salud de todos. Salud!
### Weekly Calendar / Calendario Semanal

**Saturday, March 28th, Sábado**
- 11:30AM-1:30PM  Talleres de Oracion (UR)
- 12:00AM-1:30PM Legión de Maria (SM)
- 6-4PM    St. Joseph Guild (ST. GABRIEL)
- 6-8PM Tongan Choir Practice (ST. GABRIEL)
- 8-12AM Tongan Men’s Club (ST. GABRIEL)

**Sunday, March 29th, Domingo**
- 1PM-4PM    Tongan
- 6-8PM Tongan Choir Practice (ST. GABRIEL)

**Monday, March 30th, Lunes**
- 9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
- 7-9PM Charismatic Group (SM)
- 7-9PM Seguidores del Sagrado Corazon (SM.2)
- 7-8:30PM AA– Grupo Serenidad (SG)

**Tuesday, March 31st, Martes**
- 9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
- 2-3:30PM AA– Grupo Serenidad (SG)
- 3-5PM Our Lady of Fatima Childrens Group
- 8:15-10PM Tongan Choir Practice (SG)

**Wednesday, April 1st, Miércoles**
- 9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
- 6-9PM Our Lady's Prayer Group Star Ing with Rosary (CHURCH)
- 6:30-9PM AA– Grupo Serenidad (SG)

**Thursday, April 2nd, Jueves**
- 9:30AM Rosario de la Virgen de Fatima (IGLESIA)
- 5-6PM Overeaters Anonymous (SG)
- 7-9PM Legión de Maria (SM)
- 7-9PM Tongan Choir Practice (SG)

**Friday, April 3rd, Viernes**
- 2PM AA – Grupo Serenidad (SG)
- 2PM Grupo de AL-ANON (SG)
- 10AM-4PM Handmaids of the Lord(SM)
- 7-9PM Camino, Verdad y Vida Choir Practice (SG)
- 7-9PM Singles for Christ Meeting (UR)

**Saturday, April 4th, Sábado**
- 8:00 a.m. +Francis Zamora

### Mass Intentions / Intenciones de la Misa

**Saturday, March 28th, Sábado**
- 4:30p.m. Consuelo Ramirez
- 7:00p.m. Esperanza Ramirez

**Sunday, March 29th, Domingo**
- 8:00 a.m. Leo & Levy John Anselmo Lalusis
- 10:00 a.m. +Estela Campos
- 12:00 p.m. All Religious Education teachers
- 6:00 p.m. +Marshal & Mary Mussen

**Monday, March 30th, Lunes**
- 8:00 a.m. Enrique Monroy
- 6:00 p.m. +Maria Sainez

**Tuesday, March 31st, Martes**
- 8:00 a.m. Family Palafox Eduardo
- 6:00 p.m. +Beatriz Morales (D.A.)

**Wednesday, April 1st, Miércoles**
- 8:00 a.m. Asuncion Lavada

**Thursday, April 2nd, Jueves**
- 8:00 a.m. All Souls
- 6:00 p.m. +Luis Perez & Teresa Hernandez

**Friday, April 3rd, Viernes**
- 8:00 a.m. +Antonio Palafox
- 6:00 p.m. +Betty Jean Kilbo (40th D.A.)

### Readings for the Week

**Monday:**

**Tuesday:**
- Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

**Wednesday:**
- Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

**Thursday:**
- Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-9; Jn 8:51-59

**Friday:**
- Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-7; Jn 10:31-42

**Saturday:**
- Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

**Sunday:**
- Mt 21:1-11 (procesión); Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14 — 27:66 [27:11-54]

### Lecturas de la Semana

**Lunes:**

**Martes:**
- Nm 21:4-9; Sal 102 (101):2-3, 16-21; Jn 8:21-30

**Miércoles:**
- Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52-56; Jn 8:31-42

**Jueves:**
- Gn 17:3-9; Sal 105 (104):4-9; Jn 8:51-59

**Viernes:**
- Jer 20:10-13; Sal 18 (17):2-7; Jn 10:31-42

**Sábado:**
- Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Jn 11:45-56

**Domingo:**
- Mt 21:1-11 (procesión); Is 50:4-7; Sal 22 (21):8-9, 17-20, 23-24; Fil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14 — 27:66 [27:11-54]

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**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

**March 29, 2020**

Out of the depths I cry to you, O L ORD; 
L ORD, hear my voice!

_-Psalm 130:1-

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**Quinto domingo de Cuaresma**

**29 de marzo de 2020**

Desde las profundidades te clamo, oh SEÑOR; 
¡Señor, escucha mi voz!

_-Salmo 130:1-
Formed

We invite you to join FORMED. It is a most useful tool for the Catholic Church in learning more about the faith. It’s an excellent resource for catechesis and faith formation.

You can easily access this so-called “Netflix of the Catholic Church” by going to the website or download the free app on your phone.

Go to FORMED.org and click on register, enter the free parish code, YXK8DY, your email and create a password.

Explore, study, listen or read to deepen your faith!

We pray for the healing and full recovery of

Cynthia Torres Lupita Dumas
Paz Torres

Manny Rosales Ana Dueñas
Nailoni Kafoa
Kalo Mailangi Emeritus Deacon Joe Lavulo
Enrique Salas de la Torre

Parish Registration

Please complete and return form to the parish office, or simply drop it in the collection basket. Kindly print all information.

Name(s): ______________________________________
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E-mail: ________________________________________

Primary language spoken at home: _________________
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_____ Updating Current Parish Registration
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_____ This is a new registration Please call me.

Broadcast Mass

Here at San Brunos Will be available at Youtube on Sunday.
To Access mass kindly do the following:
-Go to Youtube
-Enter “Michael Brillantes”
-Click on my icon (my portrait)
-Select the video
Thank you.

Church Announcements

Archbishop Cordileone has just issued instructions to all priests for the celebration of Holy Week and confirmation. These will enable everyone to follow the ceremonies to the extent that is possible while observing the shelter-in-place order.

Firstly, only the minimum number of ministers required will be present; NO assembly will be in attendance. Secondly, the ceremonies will be made available thru radio, television and internet.

For us here at St. Bruno’s, herewith is the Holy Week Schedule:

Vigil Palm Saturday April 4, 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Palm Sunday, April 5, 11:00 AM. Celebration of Jesus’ Triumphant entry to Jerusalem. You may hold palms at home to wave during the ceremony.

Chrusim Mass, Cathedral, April 9, 10AM with only a select priests in attendance.

Holy Thursday, April 9. The Mass of the Lord’s Supper. 7:00 PM.
Both the rite of washing of the feet and procession of the Blessed Sacrament will be omitted.

Good Friday, April 10, 2:00 PM. Stations of the Cross. 3:00 PM. Commemoration of the Suffering and Death of Our Lord.

Holy Saturday, April 11, Easter Vigil. 8:00 PM. Lighting & Blessing of the Fire and Preparation of the Candle are omitted. Also, there will be no baptism and confirmation.

All ceremonies at St. Bruno’s will be livestreamed.

Thank you for your kind understanding and support.

Fr. Michael Brillantes
Pastor
It seems the whole world is experiencing Lent as the Catholics have always done. It is a time of sacrifice, a time of penance, a withdrawal from our usual routine. It is a time to cut out unworthy pursuits, bad habits, delete some things we enjoy, pray more and focus on God. Ironically these Lenten practices which for Catholics are voluntary, now are mandatory for most countries in the world. All are obliged to "shelter in place", self confine and restrict their social interactions. With more time on our hands, church and school closures, many are using the internet to self sooth in the form of venting and searching for answers about their existence. Because churches are closed, many are listening to Relevant radio's daily mass, taking advantage of the plenary indulgence granted to those who offer their prayers for departed relatives. With distractions eliminated, we can concentrate on important matters, like our eternal destiny. Many view these recent changes as the end of their former way of living and misplaced values. It is almost as if God has said; I will take away the things you used to worship, so you have more time for me. Perhaps you used to idolize sports figures, movie stars, food, material possessions, drugs, sex and money. Now He has allowed stadiums, stores and theaters to close. The economy is failing, unemployment rising and some foods are in short supply. Social distancing and bar closures have put an end to people hooking up. Even buying groceries now is limited to a small quantity of items at a time. Many people put these idols in the place of God, declining to attend mass or frequent the sacraments. Ironically, some who failed to honor God when things were good, now are seeking God and can not find Him when things are bad. We only have to realign our priorities.

"Let nothing disturb you, nothing frighten you, all things are passing. God is unchanging, patience gains all, nothing is lacking to those who have God. God alone is sufficient." St. Theresa of Avila

YOUR CONTRIBUTION / SU CONTRIBUCION MARCH 21st & MARCH 22nd

We are grateful for your consistent financial support each Sunday. Please remember us in prayer & offering even when you cannot be present. Agradecemos mucho su ayuda financiera de cada semana. Por favor recuerdenos en sus oraciones y en sus ofrendas aun cuando no pueda estar presentes

Not Available at this time
Jesus cried out in a loud voice, “Lazarus, come out!”

JOHN 11:43

March 29 2020

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Là Tumba de Lazarus
Al-Eizariya (Betania)

Jesus gritó con voz potente: “¡Lázaro, sal de ahí!”

Juan 11:43

29 de Marzo de 2020

Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma