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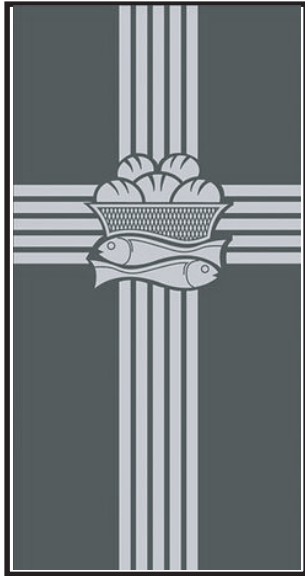
# Holy Martyrs of Japan Parish

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Parish Office Hours—Monday to Friday—9:30am to 12:30pm and 1:00pm to 4:30pm



**Pastor:** Rev. Father Joshua Roldan  
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**Priest Celebrant Spanish Mass:** Rev. Father Efren Alvarez-Pelayo  
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## St. Paul Miki and Companions—Pray for Us!

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### SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 10:00am & 11:30am

6:30pm

Spanish Mass—4:45pm

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays—7:00pm

Tuesdays & Thursdays—8:30am

Saturdays: 9:30am

### CONFESSIONS

1/2 hour before each Sunday Mass or by appointment.

### BAPTISMS

Please contact us one month or more in advance.

### MARRIAGE

Please contact us one year in advance for adequate preparation.

### HOLY COMMUNION for SHUT-INS and SICK

If you know of anyone who is sick and would like to have communion brought to them or would like the Sacrament of the Sick, or simply would like to be included in the Prayers of the Faithful, contact us.

### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Holy Trinity High School—905-775-4841

St. Marie of the Incarnation—905-775-3492

St. Teresa of Calcutta—905-778-8653

St. Charles—905-775-6762

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### PARISH MINISTRIES and SOCIETIES

Alpha

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CWL (Catholic Women's League)

EDGE Youth Ministry

El Sembrador

Knights of Columbus

Liturgical Ministers

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Sacramental Preparation & Catechesis

Seniors Outreach

St. Vincent de Paul Society

### CULTURAL GROUPS

Divino Espirito Santo

Nossa Senhora De Fatima

Santissima Trindade

## NEW PARISHIONERS: WELCOME !

You are invited to register by completing the form at the Parish Office or in the gathering space at the back of the Church. Offering Envelopes are available.

## THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

We see the beginning of the fulfillment of this word when the Angel Gabriel announced to Zechariah the marvelous birth and mission of John the Baptist (Luke 1:17). While relatives quibbled over what name to give him, Elizabeth stands firm in her faith and is determined to see that God be glorified through this child. This child is named from above! The name John means "the Lord is gracious". In the birth of John and in the birth of Jesus the Messiah we see the grace of God breaking forth into a world broken by sin and without hope. John's miraculous birth shows the mercy and favor of God in preparing his people for the coming of their Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. John the Baptist's life was fueled by one burning passion - to point others to Jesus Christ and to the coming of God's kingdom. John's message was similar to the message of the Old Testament prophets who chided the people of God for their unfaithfulness and who tried to awaken true repentance in them. Among a people unconcerned with the things of God, it was his work to awaken their interest, unsettle them from their complacency, and arouse in them enough good will to recognize and receive Christ when he came. What is the significance of John the Baptist and his message for our lives? When God acts to save us he graciously fills us with his Holy Spirit and makes our faith come "alive" to his promises. Each and every day the Lord is ready to renew us in faith, hope, and love. Like John the Baptist, the Lord invites each of us to make our life a free-will offering to God. God wants to fill us with his glory all the days of our lives, from birth through death. Renew the offering of your life to God and give him thanks for his mercy and favor towards you.



## I WANT TO BE A CATHOLIC

**RCIA**

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Each year we welcome into the Church adults through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.). It is a ministry for people who wish to inquire about becoming full members of our faith community. This evening program is geared towards prospective adults and their sponsors. We will be offering this process again in September. If you would like to know more about the process or know someone who may be interested in the Catholic faith, Please contact Fr. Joshua, Fr. Mani or the Parish Office.

## HOLY HOUR

**Friday July 6th 2018 at 7:00pm**  
Come be present with the Lord!



## PRAYER FOR CANADA

O God, who arrange all things according to a wonderful design, graciously receive the prayers we pour out to you for our country, Canada, that, through the wisdom of its leaders and the integrity of its citizens, harmony and justice may be assured and lasting prosperity come with peace. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.



## ALTAR SERVER APPRECIATION NIGHT

The Knights of Columbus will be presenting altar server awards at a pizza supper, Tuesday July 10, 2018 at 6:00pm in the parish hall. All altar servers are invited. The presentations and pizza will be followed with a mini putt at the Cardinal Golf Course with return transportation to the Church around 8:45pm. A signup sheet will be posted in the Sacristy. Thank you for your willingness to serve. Your presence brings a beautiful solemnity to the Mass and our parish is deeply grateful for your service and dedication.

## A PRAYER FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CANDIDATES



Please join us in praying for our grade two students who are preparing to receive their First Holy Communion over the next couple of months. May Jesus come to bless you on this most special of days as you are invited to the table to celebrate in the Holy Eucharist. May you feel His presence in a very special way and as you strive to follow in His footsteps, may He bless your life with many graces and lasting happiness.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE AND MASS TIME CHANGE

**Due to school graduation the Mass scheduled for Monday June 25, 2018 at 7:00pm has been changed to 6:30pm.**

**The Mass time on Saturday mornings and holidays will be changed from 9:30am to 9:00am effective July 1, 2018.**

**Please note that the office will be closing at noon on Friday's for the months of July and August and will resume regular hours on September 4, 2018.**

**As Well...**

**The office will be closed from July 16 to 20, 2018. If there is anything you need during this time please do not hesitate to contact the main office.**

## EL SEMBRADOR BIKES WANTED!



If anyone has used bicycles in good condition to donate to our migrant workers, please contact the parish office at 905 775-2065.

## GRADUATES AND YOUTH

*"With all the strength of my soul I urge you young people to approach the communion table as often as you can. Feed on this bread of angels whence you will draw all the energy you need to fight inner battles. Because true happiness, dear friends, does not consist in the pleasures of the world or in earthly things, but in peace of conscience, which we have only if we are pure in heart and mind."—Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati*

## WITH THANKS



The CWL would like to extend a special thanks to all those who gave of their time and baked the delicious goodies for our bake sale, and to our supportive parishioners for buying them! Thank you for making this event a great success.



To all students who devoutly participated in Edge and to the Edge crew for your commitment, dedication and devotion of service, we thank you for the fun memories and inspiring moments of worship and fellowship. Although we are sad to see you go for the summer, we look forward to seeing you all back in the fall! Stay strong in your faith. May you never waiver or stray. Be Safe and God Bless!



## OFFICE CLOSED

Please note that Sunday July 1<sup>st</sup> 2018 is CANADA DAY! The parish office will be closed on Monday July 2, 2018 and daily Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am.

## NEW PARISHIONERS-OFFERING ENVELOPES



*If you are new to the community, Welcome to Holy Martyrs of Japan! If you would like to register, please feel free to pick up a Sunday Offering box and/or complete a registration form located in the narthex of the Church on the credenza. You can either drop off your completed form at the office, or include it with your first envelope offering. Pre-Authorization and Offering Envelopes will also be made available to you.*

*If you have moved and have not notified the Parish please call, so we can update our database 905 775 2067.*



Please help us achieve Our Goal this year of \$51,000.00 for ShareLife. We have raised \$39,000.00 for ShareLife to date. We are almost there, together we can accomplish great things. Thank you for your continued support and Generosity!

## UPCOMING MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday June 25<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm**

No Mass Intentions

**Tuesday June 26<sup>th</sup> 8:30am**

+Caron & Macdonell Family by Family

**Wednesday June 27<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm**

No Mass Intentions

**Thursday June 28<sup>th</sup> 8:30am**

+All Souls Maria & Family

**Friday June 29<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm**

+Antonio Abate by Irene & Joe Abate

**Saturday June 30<sup>th</sup> 9:30am**

+All Souls

**Saturday June 30<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm**

+Joao & Teresa Moniz by Moniz Family

+Heitor Saborano by Maria & Family

+All Souls by Carolina Santana

+Victoria Miranda by Maria & Family

+Manuel & John da Silva by Maria & Family

+Sandra & Jennifer by Maria & Family

+Jamie Meneses by Maria & Family

+Maria & Luis Borges by Maria & Family

+Cecilia Meneses Rugama by Eduardo & Maria Meneses

+Luisa Loureiro & Garcia Miguelo by Lucy Miguelo & Family

**Sunday July 1<sup>st</sup>**

+8:30am Fernando Pereira by Mom & Dad

+10:00am ProPopulo

+11:30am Enrico & Ada Bianchi by Daughter Angela

+4:45pm ProPopulo

+6:30pm Augusto Marques by Celeste Calisto

*"May God Grant Them Eternal Peace"*



**Blood Donor Clinic Wednesday July 18, 2018  
from 3:00pm to 8:00pm.**

## SUMMER ATTIRE

As we will soon be in the summer months and vacation time, we are all grateful for a time of rest and relaxation. The coming months might best be characterized as "casual". However, we respectfully ask that all parishioners make an effort to dress appropriately for the Sunday Eucharist. Beach and gym attire e.g. tank tops, low cut blouses, leggings, yoga pants, short skirts etc. are inappropriate for the Sunday Eucharist. Our respect for the Lord and the other members of Christ's body demands that we dress appropriately. Please also remember to turn your cell phones off as you enter the Church.





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