



From the Desk of Fr. Leo

Indoctrination and brain-washing are common words today. They refer to methods used by persons who wish to gain their own ends over those they want to control.

When Jesus saw the crowds gathered before him, the first thing mentioned of him was that he had compassion on them because they were like scattered sheep with no one to tend to their needs.

Only by instruction and knowledge of God's ways would they deepen their faith as well as their hope in the good things God had prepared for them.

Knowledge of God and of our holy faith is so necessary today when we are bombarded by all kinds of entertainment in the movies and the TV; as well as all kinds of thrillers in books and magazines.

Because all along without knowing it, they were hungry for God.

It is regrettable that many religious instructions today in our high schools and colleges are mostly or even merely on psychology.

If we have tasted the goodness of God, we become hungry for more. For it is surprising how our hunger for God increases for Him, who alone can still it.

Fr. Leo Alban Asuncion

Mass Intentions for the Week

Table of Mass Intentions for the week of July 20-25, including days, times, and specific intentions for each day.



Sunday Collection - July 11

Table showing Sunday Collection amounts for St. Rose, Crockett (\$2464) and St. Patrick Mission, Port Costa (\$295).

Thank you again to all who support our Parish!

Mass Changes!!! PLEASE READ

We are all excited as the State of California has lifted the color tier system!

Our Churches no longer have government-restrictions on capacity, and many of the practices we have come to see as normal are ending.

- List of guidelines and recommendations for church services, including vaccination requirements, social distancing, and use of worship aids.

The Oakland Dioceses is still following the recommendations of the CDC and Contra Costa Health Services.

https://www.oakdiocese.org/news/message-from-bishop-barber-concerning-june-15-2021-covid-19-updates-eng-esp

Liturgical Ministers

Calling all Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Greeters!!!

Now that Masses are mostly back to our old normal, we would like to invite all those listed above to participate in Mass again.

We greatly thank those who have stepped up during the pandemic and made sure these roles were always covered.

Second Collection

HELP US MEET OUR GOAL!

To successfully achieve both our parish goals:

St. Rose- 53.42% , with \$2,795 left to go.

St. Patrick Mission- 105.56%!!

Remember 100% of the funds collected after we have reached the goal is returned directly to our parish!

Thank you for all your help!

New Project!!!

Many may not realize it, but behind our church buildings there are several nice sized areas for gardening. Over the last few months Father Leo has taken the time to amend the soil in these areas.



We would like to involve our parishioners in this process, so any words of advice, including what cut flowers may do well, are greatly appreciated.

