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January
22, 2017

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASS SCHEDULES



Sunday Mass in English

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM & 12:15 PM

Daily Mass

7 & 8:30 AM (Saturday 8:30 AM)

Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4:00 PM

Misas Dominicales en Español

Sábado 6 PM, Domingo 2 & 6 PM

Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

Reconciliación

Miércoles 6-7 PM, Sábado 3-4:00 PM



From the Pastor's Desk:

On Saturday January 14th I was informed that Tita Ising Buendia died the previous day in the Philippines. The first thought that came to my mind was, "what a saintly woman we had and lost." Indeed I consider it such a privilege and fortune to have come to

know her. Her love for Jesus, Mother Mary, St. Joachim church, its priests etc. is extraordinary. Even in her dying moments, St. Joachim church was in her mind. Just last week she sent through a visitor an expensive and beautiful table cloth for the credence table in our church and of course some special gifts for me too! As a tribute to this extra ordinary woman of love, affection commitment and godliness, this week, I republish an article which I had written about her on May 26, 2013.

St. Joachim Church, Hayward is blessed with so many good and generous parishioners. One such great daughter of St. Joachim parish is Felicisima Buendia, affectionately called Tita Ising who celebrates her 90th Birthday on May 22nd 2013. She was born on May 22nd 1923 at Malolos in the Philippines. Her parents were Anthonio Baptista and Loreto Tan. Her parents had nine children (five boys and four girls). Tita Ising was the eighth child. At the age of 19 she got married to Mr. Diosdada Buendia son of Senator Nicholas Buendia of whom Buendia Avenue in Quezon City is named after. The couple lived a happy married life during which Tita Ising gave birth to nine children (5 boys and 4 girls). Tita Ising took lots of interest in providing education and imparting Catholic faith to many poor children of her locality. The couple completely sponsored the education of two priests and a nun. As a member of Mother Butler, she was instrumental in providing chasubles, altar cloths and purificators to many churches in the Philippines. Tita Ising's dream life came to an end when her beloved husband met with an untimely death at the age of 53.

Since many of her children had moved to the USA for education and employment, Tita Ising, too, moved to the USA in the year 1984. After having been members of St.James and St.Anns Parish for a while, the family finally settled in the parish of St.Joachim since the year 2000. From that time onwards Tita Ising has been very closely associated with the parish and has been the darling grandma of all the pastors. She takes exceptional care in providing neat and clean altar clothes for all the Masses. Even though she does not drive, she sees to that she is present every day in the sacristy much ahead of time to arrange everything needed for the 8.30 am weekday mass and the 9.00 am Sunday Mass. The way she cares and loves the priests, the interest she takes to maintain the cleanliness of the altar cloths and the sacristy, the love she has for Mother Mary and Jesus, the friendly and affectionate way she talks to everyone is indeed a life worthy to be imitated by others. No wonder Tita Ising is one of the most loved parishioners of St. Joachim parish. May God bless our parish with many more such noble souls. May God continue to bless her with good health, long life and happiness. Happy Birthday to one of the beloved daughters of St. Joachim Parish.

Nota de nuestro pastor:

El Sábado, 14 de Enero me informaron que Tita Ising Buendía murió el día anterior en las Filipinas. El primer pensamiento que vino a mi mente fue, "que mujer santa tuvimos y perdimos". De hecho considero un privilegio y fortuna de haber podido conocerla. Su amor por Jesús, Nuestra Madre María, la Iglesia de San Joaquín, sus Sacerdotes, etc. es extraordinario. Incluso en sus momentos de muerte, la Iglesia de San Joaquín estuvo en su mente. Apenas la semana pasada envió a través de un visitante un costoso y hermoso mantel para la mesa de credencia en nuestra Iglesia y por supuesto algunos regalos especiales para mí también! Como un homenaje a esta mujer extraordinaria de amor, compromiso, afecto y piedad, esta semana volveré a publicar un artículo que había escrito sobre ella el 26 de Mayo de 2013.

La Iglesia de San Joaquín, Hayward ha sido bendecida con tantos feligreses buenos y generosos. Una gran hija de la parroquia de San Joaquín es Felicísima Buendía, cariñosamente llamada Tita Ising quien celebra su 90vo cumpleaños el 22 de Mayo de 2013. Nació el 22 de Mayo de 1923 en Malolos, Filipinas. Sus padres fueron Antonio Baptista y Loreto Tan. Sus padres tuvieron nueve hijos (cinco varones y cuatro niñas). Tita Ising fue la octava hija. A la edad de 19 años se casó con el Sr. Diosdada Buendía, hijo del Senador Nicholas Buendía por el cual lleva el nombre la Avenida de Buendía en Quezon City. La pareja vivió una vida feliz de casados durante los cuales Tita Ising dio a luz a nueve hijos (5 niños y 4 niñas). Tita Ising tomó mucho interés en proveer educación e impartir la fe Católica a muchos niños pobres de su localidad. La pareja patrocinó totalmente la educación de dos Sacerdotes y una Monja. Como miembro de la Madre Butler, ella fue instrumental en el abastecimiento de casullas, manteles de altar y purificadores para muchas Iglesias en las Filipinas. La vida de sueño de Tita Ising llegó a su fin cuando su esposo amado falleció prematuramente a la edad de 53 años. Puesto que muchos de sus hijos se trasladaron a los Estados Unidos para su educación y empleo, Tita Ising, también se trasladó a los Estados Unidos en el año 1984. Después de haber sido miembros de San Santiago y la parroquia de Santa Ana por un tiempo, la familia finalmente se estableció en la parroquia de San Joaquín desde el año 2000. Desde ese momento en adelante Tita Ising se ha involucrado en la parroquia y ha sido la abuela querida de todos los Pastores. Ella toma cuidado excepcional en proporcionar manteles de altar limpios para las Misas. A pesar de que ella no maneja, ella está presente cada día en la sacristía bien temprano para arreglar todo lo necesario para las Misas semanales de las 8:30am y la Misa Dominical de las 9:00am. La manera que ella cuida y ama a los Sacerdotes, el interés que lleva para mantener la limpieza de los manteles del altar y la sacristía, el amor que tiene por Nuestra Madre María y Jesús, la forma amable y cariñosa que le habla a todo el mundo, es de hecho una vida digna de ser imitada por otros. No es de extrañar que Tita Ising es una de los feligreses más queridas de la parroquia de San Joaquín. Que Dios bendiga a nuestra parroquia con muchas más almas nobles. Que Dios la siga bendiciendo con buena salud, larga vida y felicidad. Feliz cumpleaños a una de las hijas amadas de la parroquia de San Joaquín.

WEEKLY READINGS

**Readings for the Week
of January 22, 2017**

Sun/Dom:

Is 8:23--9:3/Ps 27/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/
Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Mon/Lunes:

Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98/Mk 3:22-30

Tues/Martes:

Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40/Mk 3:31-35

Wed/Mier:

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117/
Mk 16:15-18

Thurs/Juev:

2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96/Mk 4:21-25

Fri/Vier:

Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37/Mk 4:26-34

Sat/Sab:

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sun/Dom:

Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146/1 Cor 1:26-31/
Mt 5:1-12a

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday - January 23rd

Pastoral Council Meeting — The Pastoral Council will meet on Monday January 23rd at 7:00 PM in the Fireside Room. All members are encouraged to attend.

Saturday - January 28th

Santo Nino Fiesta — This annual Fiesta begins with Rosary at 1:00 PM in the Church with Mass at 2:00 PM and the Celebration in the Gym follows the Mass

OFFICE INFORMATION

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Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 10 AM-7:30 PM

Bilingual available T,W,F 4-7:30 PM

Saturday 10 AM-4 PM

Bilingual available 10 AM-4 PM

Sunday 9 AM-4 PM

Bilingual available 12 PM-4 PM

Rev. Joseph Antony Sebastian, SVD

Pastor

Monday,Tuesday,Wednesday,&Friday

10 AM to 12 PM

5 PM to 8 PM (*with appointment*)

lunes, martes, miércoles, y Viernes

10 AM a 12 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (*con cita*)

Rev. Stephen Ayisu, SVD

Parochial Vicar

Monday,Wednesday,Thursday,&Friday

10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

5 PM to 8 PM (*with appointment*)

lunes, miércoles , jueves y Viernes

10:00 AM a 12:00 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (*con cita*)

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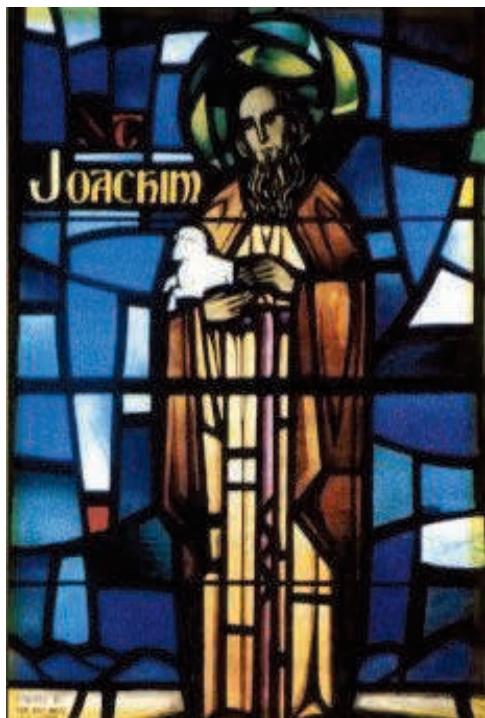
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Annual Crab Feed & Silent Auction

Saturday, February 11, 2017

TICKETS

\$50 Early Bird Special
must be purchased by 1/22

\$55 Adult Ticket*
purchased after 1/22

**All guests must be 18 or over*

5:30 PM Doors open
No-host cocktails
Appetizers
Silent Auction

6:30 PM Dinner Served



PRAY FOR

Adam Pachkofsky
Robert Burkfield
Diana Cajilog Chua
Teresa Castro
Cesar Gutierrez
Pilar Valenzuela
Isabel Burkfield
Jim Smith
Pelagia Limos
Anita Urbino
Geraldine Fabio-Abdon
Diego Trujillo
Paul Seishas
Felicitima Buendia
Laura Soffiotto
Iluminado Ramirez
Michelle Ann Cavagnuolo

DONATIONS

St Vincent de Paul
Food offering for next week:

Cereal

CONTRIBUTIONS CONTRIBUCIONES

COLLECTION FOR WEEK

January 15th

The Plate Collection

\$ 8,379.00

EFT Collection

\$ 125.00

On Line Giving

\$ 300.00

TOTAL for the WEEK

\$ 8,804.00

MASS INTENTIONS

January 21-28, 2017

Saturday 4:30 PM

Elmer & Mary Ann Kriewaldt †

Saturday 6:00 PM

Arcelia Godinez Carlos († cumpleanos)
Mariano Lupe Mora † (aniversario)
Gloria Hernandez †
Rafael Macias † (5th aniversario)

Sunday 7:30 AM

Maria Nguyet †

Sunday 9:00 AM

Hoang Van Hoa †
Aquino & Matilde Salvador † (anniversary)
Maxima V. Poblete †
Marcila Cuyo † (2nd anniversary)
William K. (Bill) Bowes Jr. †
Lance Nakamitsu (birthday)

Sunday 10:30 AM

Gorgia Lee (birthday)
Gerilyn Paguia (birthday)
Nikkai Serrano (healing)
Jocelyn Alcantara †
Jose Paguia †(6th anniversary)

Sunday 12:15 PM

The Community of St. Joachim

Sunday 2:00 PM

Jose David & Damian Hernandez
(cumpleanos)
Carmen Flores †
Leobardo Munoz († cumpleanos)
Dario Soto †
Jose Romero Ramos † (aniversario)
Bertha Castillo † (aniversario)
Animitas del purgatorio

Sunday 6:00 PM

The Community of St. Joachim

Monday 7:00 AM

Maria Nguyet †

Monday 8:30 AM

Leonel Castro (birthday)

Tuesday 7:00 AM

Maria Nguyet †

Tuesday 8:30 AM

Alejandro Abregana †
(40th day anniversary)

Limuell Orlina † (anniversary)

Wednesday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Wednesday 8:30 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Martin & Guadalupe Sanchez
(19th aniversario de boda)

Thursday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Thursday 8:30 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Friday 7:00 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

Friday 8:30 AM

Rufino & Maxima Ortiz
(74th Wedding Anniversary)

Saturday 8:30 AM

The Community of St. Joachim

St. Joachim Catholic Church

21250 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward CA

Will Celebrate its 38th Annual



Hayward Santo Niño Fiesta

On

Saturday, January 28, 2017

Rosary 1:00 PM

Mass: 2:00 PM

Celebration to follow at the Gym

Everyone is invited

For more information please contact

Hayward Santo Niño Prayer Group

Jelly: (510) 397-2140

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VATICAN CORNER

On March 13, 2017 Pope Francis will be beginning his fifth year as Pope and entering it with good health. The Jubilee of Mercy was a very active year for him and 2017 is promising to be active as well. So far as Pope he has made 17 foreign trips and visited 26 foreign countries. A close friend of his recently suggested that he should slow down. Francis replied that at his stage of life one has to move even faster. Although his agenda has been only partially determined at this time, he is expected to visit Colombia, possibly in April, as he promised that he would once the peace accord between the government and the left-wing revolutionary group FARC was approved, ending the 52-year long civil war. A national referendum was narrowly defeated, but then the Colombian Congress approved the revised version in late November, thereby opening the door for him to come. He may also visit another Latin American country on the trip. On May 12-13 he will visit Fátima in Portugal on the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady to the three shepherd children. He wants to return this year to Africa, and among the countries being considered are the Democratic Republic of the Congo (D.R.C.) and South Sudan. Both have ongoing armed conflicts. The D.R.C. where 43 percent of the population is Catholic, is a mineral-rich country ravished by decades of war, violence, corruption and political crises. Its president Joseph Kabilo visited Pope Francis last September. South Sudan has a 37 percent Catholic population, is oil-rich and is conflict-torn. Its president, Salva Kiir Mayardit met Pope Francis when he was visiting Uganda in Nov. 2015. Being able to visit those countries will depend on their political situations. Francis believes the church has a real future in Asia and perhaps in November he will visit India- a majority Hindu country and Bangladesh – a largely Muslim country. The grand imam, Sheik Tayeb, the head of 85 percent of all Muslims visited Pope Francis at the Vatican in May of 2015 and invited him to Cairo, Egypt for a joint initiative that could happen this year. Within Italy, Francis will visit the archdioceses of Milan and Genoa. At the Vatican he will continue to receive heads of state and dignitaries from throughout the world. He will also meet with brother bishops making their ad limina visits required every five years. Those visits were suspended during the Year of Mercy, and there is a backlog. As usual Pope Francis will lead the major liturgies at St. Peter's Basilica during Holy Week, Pentecost and Christmas and will preside at canonization ceremonies from time to time. He will hold bimonthly meetings with his nine cardinal advisers to advance the reform of the Roman Curia – the decentralization of decision-making in the church worldwide. He will undoubtedly make senior-level personnel changes in the Vatican and may even hold a consistory to create new cardinals at the end of the year. He has taken personal charge of the Vatican's work for migrants and refugees and may have new initiatives in this and other fields.



Sources: americamagazine.org, ncronline.org

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