

**Dear friends,**

This coming weekend will be a hot one. So, when you come to Mass, along with social distancing, sanitizing your hands and wearing a mask, please take other precautions, such as an umbrella, sunscreen, water, etc.). **The Mass schedule will be the same as the last four weeks.**

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**Schedule for Outdoor Weekend Masses**

**Saturday: 6:00 pm in English; 7:30 pm in Spanish.** Following the 7:30 p.m. Spanish Mass, we will have Eucharistic Adoration for all who wish to attend.

**Sunday: English Masses:** 6, 7:00, 9:00, and 11:00 a.m. live stream Mass in church (with the option to drive to the Church and receive Holy Communion after this Mass); **1:00 p.m. Spanish live stream Mass in Church and 7:00 p.m. in Spanish.** Following the 7:00 p.m. Sunday Spanish Mass, we will have Eucharistic Adoration.

**For all Outdoor Weekend Masses, people can make ONE OF TWO choices:**

- 1) They can sit in their cars in the south parking lot and watch the Mass OR
- 2) They can bring their beach chairs (and umbrellas, if necessary) and sit in designated areas on the north parking lot.
  - a. If you join us for Mass in the north parking lot, please sanitize your hands as you enter through the gate into the parking lot.
  - b. Be sure to wear a mask (masks will be provided, if you don't have one).
  - c. Maintain social distancing of 6' from other people.
  - d. At Holy Communion time, the parishioners seated in north parking lot can come in lines to receive Holy Communion—always keeping 6 feet between you and the person in front of you.

- e. People seated in cars can join the communion lines or, after Mass, drive through and receive Holy Communion.

The public outdoor Masses will be short. There will be no music, hymn books, or missalette. The homily will be brief. If your health is in any way compromised, especially our senior citizens, it might be best for you to view the live stream Masses at home.

### **Daily Masses: Monday to Friday**

- **8:30 am Mass in Church**—with only priest, lector and Altar Servers—that will be live streamed to patio on west side of Church where people will gather in the shade, self-distancing and wearing masks, or parishioners can view the Mass at home on the parish website.
- **5:30 pm Mass on east side of the Church** where people will gather in the shade—self-distancing and wearing masks.
  - We encourage everyone to sanitize their hands as they enter the north parking lot, self-distance and wear a mask.

### **Daily Confessions**

**Monday and Wednesday:** outside on west side of the Church: 9-10 am

**Tuesday, Thursday and Friday:** outside on east side of the Church: 4-5 pm

**Saturday Confessions:** in front of our parish hall, under the porch covering: 3-5 pm.

## **OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**Labor Day is this coming Monday, September 7, 2020. We will have one live stream Mass at 9:00 a.m. for this civic holiday. We will not have Confessions on Monday. Adoration will be available.**

**St. Rose of Lima Catholic Grade School is starting:** We know that there are many families who are frustrated because their children cannot

attend in-school instructions and because they are worried about the radical secular agenda being pushed by the public school system (i.e. promoting the theory of systemic racism, defunding police, radical sexual re-education and gender theory, etc.). Our wonderful school is not affected by this radical agenda. Also our school is applying for a waiver from Ventura County and we hope to re-open in mid-September, following all the protocols for a safe re-opening. We still have space for more students. If you are interested, please call the school at **805-526-5304** or go on the **St. Rose of Lima School website: [srls.org](http://srls.org)**

**Religious Education:** For those children are not attending a Catholic School, parents should enroll their children in our wonderful Religious Education Program to assist the parents in giving their children a great Catholic education/formation. This year we have restored Grades 3-5 Religious Education. To register, your child(ren), please go to the RE website [dre@strosesv.com](mailto:dre@strosesv.com) or contact **Pauline Simpson at 805-526-5513.**

**Confirmation:** For our high school young people who have not received their Confirmation, we are starting on-line registration for Confirmation preparation. To register, please go to RE website [dre@strosesv.com](mailto:dre@strosesv.com) or contact Pauline Simpson at 805-526-5513.

**St. Rose of Lima Christian Service:** Our Christian Service is in real need of canned goods and other basic supplies (diapers, baby wipes, etc). If you have fruit trees in your yard with extra fruit, please bring the fruit to the Christian Service garage.

**Votive Candles:** Votive Candles are available for purchase at the rectory or in the Mother Cabrini Gift Shop in the Church vestibule. Since Governor's Newsom's restrictions are still in effect, once a candle is purchased, a priest can bless the candle(s) and a staff member will take the candle(s) to the Church, light the candle(s) and place them in the candles holders in front of the Blessed Mother or Sacred Heart Shrines.

**For any Baptism, Marriage, or Funeral, please contact the rectory (805-526-1732) to make arrangements.**

Again, please keep hydrated, cool and safe during these hot days. Also know that we are praying for you, especially those who can't join us physically because of age or compromised health issues. May God bless you!

Yours in Christ,  
*Fr. Joseph Shea*