



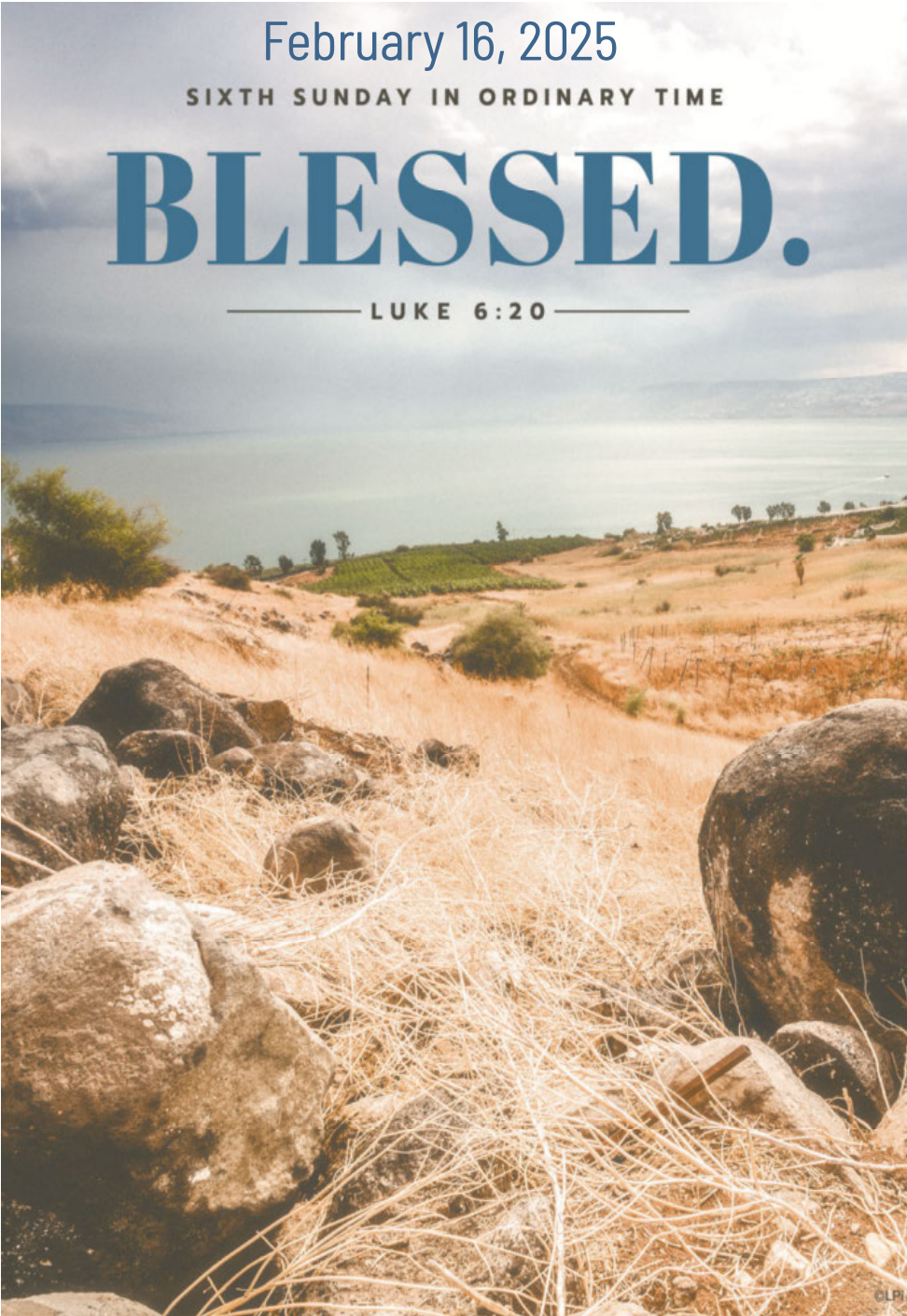
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Welcome!

Mass Schedule
February 17 - 23

Weekday Liturgies
in the Chapel

Tuesday - 6:45 AM Mass
Wednesday - 8:15 AM Mass
Thursday - 6:45 AM
Communion Service
Friday - 8:15 AM Mass

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil
4:00 PM

Sunday
8:00 AM, 10:00 AM
Noon and 5:00 PM

Reconciliation
In the Chapel

Saturday 2:45 - 3:30 PM

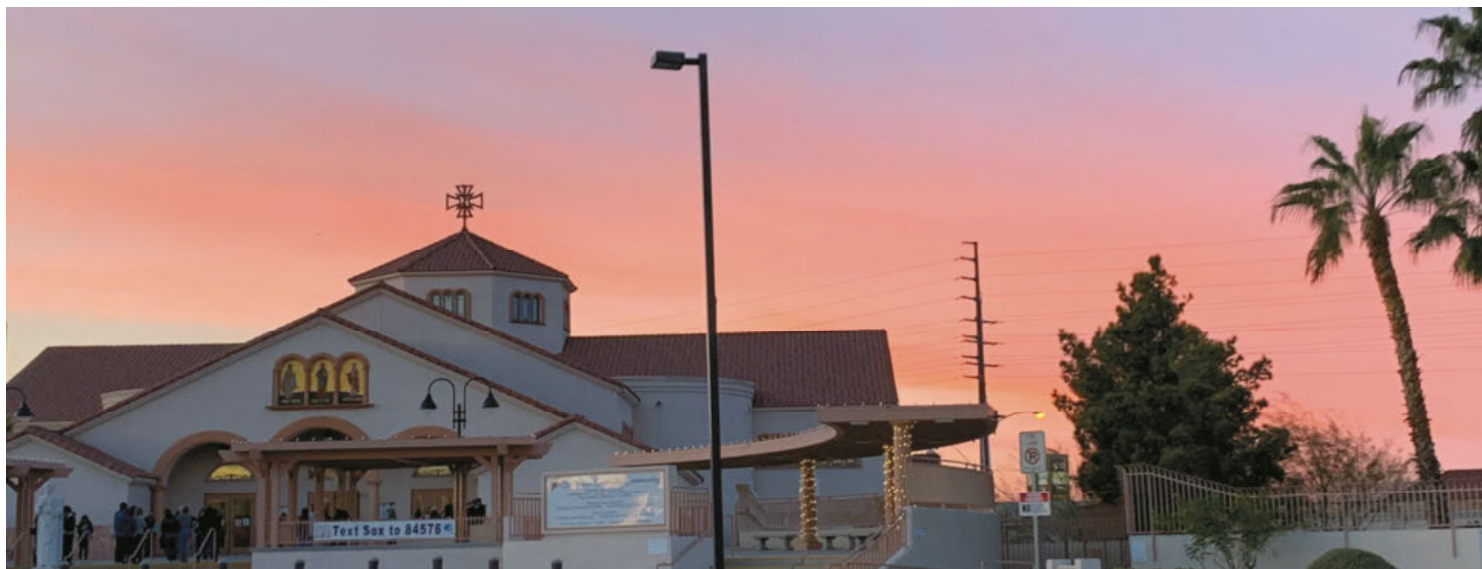


CSA IS HERE!

WHO BENEFITS FROM CSA?

WE ALL DO!

READ FR. RINN'S LETTER ON P. 3



While parishes rely on the support of parishioners through the weekly offertory collection, the ministry of the Archdiocese relies on those who participate in the Catholic Stewardship Appeal (CSA) to make possible the many services the church provides.

Each parish, based on its size and income, has a share of the total CSA budget. All money received in excess of the portion each parish is assessed is rebated to that parish.

But even as important as the rebates are, the main purpose of the CSA Campaign is to fund the ministry of the Catholic Church in southern Nevada.

Pastoral Outreach

- Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada has been an unwavering source of community support for the most vulnerable members of Southern Nevada, without discrimination based on age, race, religion, or creed.
- Website communications with links to parishes.
- Supporting our retired priests as they age.

Communication Outreach

- Televised Sunday services so that shut-ins and sick members of our faith may hear the Mass.

Vocation

- Training future priests and deacons.

Catholic Education

- Supporting our valley's Catholic schools.

View Archbishop Thomas' 2025 CSA Video
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3f1S7OtsEzI>



The link for the video is also on our parish website stviator.org



St. Viator Catholic Community

A Ministry of the Viatorians

Dear Parishioners,

At this time each year, we conduct the Catholic Stewardship Appeal (CSA). This important effort has proven invaluable in helping to support archdiocesan programs while at the same time assisting our parish community in meeting some of its needs. The Catholic Stewardship Appeal funds archdiocesan programs and services that meet real needs throughout the Southern Nevada area. Your stewardship in sharing some of your finances with the larger archdiocesan church is very much appreciated.

A critical component of the CSA is the Rebate Program in which all funds raised over the parish goal are returned to the parish for our own needs. The goal assessed for our parish by the Archdiocese for 2025 is \$145,756 which is 4% higher than last year.

As we did last year, we will use the rebate to complete the fence/wall project by adding the gates to the entrances at Flamingo Road and Eastern Avenue. The fence/wall has added security to our parish property and the entrance gates will provide additional security.

As we have done in the past, we will pay for this project through parish savings, the line of credit from the Foundation and rebates from the CSA. I am very grateful to the School Foundation for their continued support.

Please be as generous as your situation allows. A mailing with this year's pledge card will be sent to all registered parishioners and additional forms can be found in the church foyer. Please fill out a pledge card and return your gift to the parish by mail or the collection boxes at church. You can pledge your gift now and pay it off throughout the year. No gift is too small and all gifts help.

Thank you for your past support of the CSA, your consideration of this appeal and for continuing to be an important part of our faith community.

Sincerely,

God Bless!
R. Rinn, C.S.V.

Father Richard Rinn, C.S.V.
Pastor



St. Viator Parish School

St. Viator Parish School Registration for 2025-2026

Dear St. Viator Parish Families,

Are you looking for a nurturing, faith-filled learning environment where your child can grow academically, spiritually, and socially? Whether you're selecting a school home for the next decade or seeking a welcoming, safe community for your child's education, we invite you to discover **St. Viator Parish School!**

We are now accepting registrations for the **2025-2026 school year**, including our **Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten programs**.



Pre-Kindergarten Program: Our **full-day Pre-Kindergarten program** is designed to foster academic, social, and physical development while integrating faith-based learning. Children participate in structured activities that encourage unity across all subjects, with formal prayers taught and spontaneous prayer encouraged.

Schedule: Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 2:25 PM

Eligibility: Children must be **4 years old by October 1, 2025**

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We look forward to welcoming your family into our **St. Viator School community!**

Visit us online: stviatorschool.org

Sincerely,

Dr. Katie Kiss
Principal



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Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas 2025 JCDA Day Proclamation

Whereas, on February 22, 1926, a religious, faith-based program was created for Catholic girls to practice the Catholic faith and live a life of service and charitable works, and

Whereas, membership in the Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas program is composed of Catholic girls from 6 years of age to 18 years of age and

Whereas, the Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas motto is to “Be Useful,” and its standard is to “Love God, Serve Others and Live Nobly,” and

Whereas, the activities of the Junior Catholic Daughters provide leadership skills for a lifelong journey in leading others to do God’s work with their hands; therefore, be it

Resolved, each Junior Catholic Daughter member will pursue meaningful deeds to fulfill the Junior Catholic Daughter program, and be it further

Resolved, that Sunday, February 16, 2025 be observed as the Ninety-ninth Anniversary of the National Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas Day.

Presented this 16th day of February, 2025.

Father Richard Rinn, C.S.V.



Archdiocese of Las Vegas Issues Statement on Immigration

The Archdiocese of Las Vegas is committed to upholding the dignity and respect of all individuals, and we discourage any efforts that indiscriminately target our faith communities, whether these actions occur in workplaces or places of worship. Across the Country, the Catholic Church is prepared to work with the Trump administration to address the complexities of immigration, and we hope that any enforcement measures are judiciously applied and limited to individuals who present risks and dangers to society, particularly reducing gang activity, drug trafficking, and human trafficking.

Prayer List Procedure

Individuals will remain on the prayer list for three months (date is when added or re-added to the Prayer List). Please call the office if an individual is in continued need of prayers.

FAITH LEADERS SPEAK OUT ON IMMIGRATION

To the Honorable Joe Lombardo, Governor of Nevada,
Senator Catherine Cortez Masto, Senator Jacky Rosen, and
Nevada's Representatives Dina Titus, Mark Amodei, Susie Lee, and Steven Horsford,

Recognizing the inherent dignity of each person as a child of God, we stand in firm solidarity with our immigrant brothers and sisters who live and labor in these United States.

From the founding of our nation, immigrants have been essential to this society's growth and prosperity. They come to our shores as strangers, drawn by the promises this land offers, and they become Americans. They continue to provide food security, health services, and many other essential skills that support our prosperous nation.

Our country deserves an immigration system that offers fair and generous pathways to full citizenship for immigrants living and working for many years within our borders.

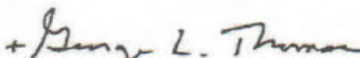
We need a system that provides permanent relief for childhood arrivals, helps families stay together, and welcomes refugees.

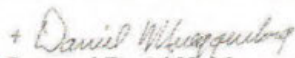
We hope that our country can develop an effective asylum system for those fleeing persecution and an immigration system that keeps our borders safe and secure, with enforcement policies that focus on those who present risks and dangers to society, particularly efforts to reduce gang activity, stem the flow of drugs, and end human trafficking.

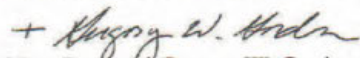
The United States should have an immigration system that protects vulnerable migrants and their families, many of whom have already been victimized by criminal actors.

Together, we must speak out on behalf of the "huddled masses yearning to breathe free" and ask our government to provide fair and humane treatment for our beloved immigrant brothers and sisters. It is our hope, and our prayer, that all of us can work together to support a meaningful reform of our current immigration system.

Sincerely,



Most Reverend George Leo Thomas, Ph.D.
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Las Vegas
Board Chair of Nevada Catholic Conference

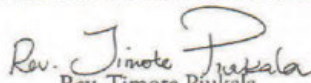

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The following letter appeared in the *Las Vegas Review Journal* the end of December

FAITH & WORSHIP

I craved four things as a teenager: success in sports, food, fun and the attention of popular people. However, I noticed that as I acquired them, I was more unsatisfied than before. So, I'd strive even more energetically, achieve more, and the sense of emptiness was greater still. These four things started to feel like burdens or even curses. Soon after, I encountered Christ in my high school youth group. Experiencing his love was totally different than anything those four things previously produced. It produced a lasting happiness.

Jesus utters a kind of four-fold curse in this week's Gospel of Saint Luke's "woes": **"Woe to you who are rich...who are filled now...who laugh now...who are well-spoken of"** (cf. Luke 6:24-26). How marvelous that these correspond perfectly to the four things that obsessed my teenage soul: riches, food, laughter and good reputation. The "woes" the Lord speaks are warnings: when those things are the purpose of your life, you'll be miserable. He is saying, "You'll be happy, or blessed, in the measure that these things do not determine the shape of our lives, and the kingdom of God does."

To some degree, we're all spiritual teenagers, addicted to one or more of those four "woes." How splendid that the Lord wants his to bless us — that is, to satisfy us, make us laugh with joy, and in the kingdom of God, offer us what will truly satisfy us. But first let's admit what is causing our "woes."

~ Father John Muir

Mini Reflection: Jesus was radical in his teaching that the "stuff" in life wasn't all that important. It was radical for him to say that the worldly signs of success did not amount to a whole lot in the grand scheme of things and that suffering could sanctify us. Are we ready to be radical, too?

In The End, Does It Matter?

When I was a teenager, the priest I would go to for confession used to tell me, over and over: "In the end, we all get the same dirty hole in the ground."

What he meant was, it doesn't matter how rich or smart or well-liked we are. We're all heading to the same place. This life comes to an end for every man. All the money he earns, all the stuff, all the worldly esteem, will at some point be of no further use. We all get the same dirty hole in the ground.



It was an important message for me to hear, because at the time, it all seemed so important: my after-school job and my FAFSA application and my grades. The admiration of my friends and teachers. I was so consumed with what I was going to become that I wasn't spending a lot of time thinking about who I was going to become. But the who is the only thing that lasts until the next life.

And to be honest, it's all still too important to me. Avoiding sadness and

disappointment. Saving money and being liked. Focusing on "the five-year plan" when it comes to career, house plans, and a whole bunch of other things I can't take to my dirty hole in the ground.

Jesus was radical in his teaching that the "stuff" in life wasn't all that important. It was radical for him to say that the worldly signs of success — wealth, popularity, pleasure — did not amount to a whole lot in the grand scheme of things and that suffering could sanctify us. It was radical in the ancient world, and it's radical today.

Are we ready to be radical, too?

~ Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

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FAITH & WORSHIP



MASS PRIEST INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

4:00 PM Fr. Lentz Lillian Dreschler

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

8:00 AM Fr. Belanger Barry D. Sell

10:00 AM Fr. Rinn Matthew Arredondo

12:00 PM Fr. Rinn Roger Esteban

5:00 PM Fr. Belanger Allan Tantano

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17

No Mass

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18

6:45 PM Fr. Belanger For the People

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

8:15 AM Fr. Rinn Roger Esteban

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20

6:45 AM Communion Service

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

8:15 AM Fr. Rinn Camila Duyanen Padilla

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22

4:00 PM Fr. von Behren Eduardo Dunner

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23

8:00 AM Fr. Rinn Gene Scavetta

10:00 AM Fr. Belanger Roger Esteban

12:00 PM Fr. Belanger Rosa L. Macroitan

5:00 PM Fr. Lentz Ireneo Padilla



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Jeremiah 17:5-8
Psalms 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6
1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20
Luke 6:17, 20-26

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Genesis 4:1-15, 25
Psalms 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-21
Mark 8:11-13

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Genesis 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10
Psalms 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4, 3b and 9c-10
Mark 8:14-21

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Genesis 8:6-13, 20-22
Psalms 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19
Mark 8:22-26

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Genesis 9:1-13
Psalms 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23
Mark 8:27-33

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Genesis 11:1-9
Psalms 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15
Mark 8:34 - 9:1

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22

1 Peter 5:1-4
Psalms 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6
Matthew 16:13-19

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23

1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23
Psalms 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13
1 Corinthians 15:45-49
Luke 6:27-38

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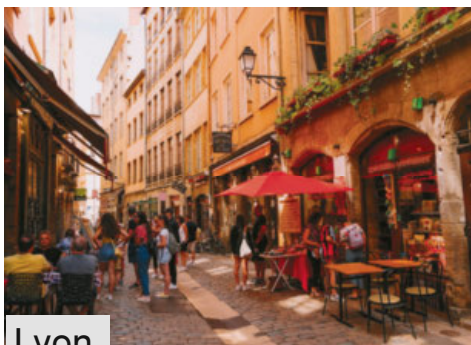


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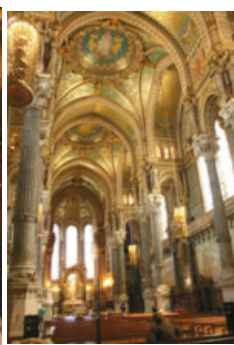
JOURNEY TO FRANCE

You are invited to join Father Mick Egan, CSV and Father Richard Rinn, CSV on a journey to France from October 22 to November 2, 2025. The trip will include visits to Nice, Monte Carlo, Lyon which will include a visit to the Basilique de Notre Dame De Fourviere and the old town. We will also visit the Loire valley, the city of Tours and Mont St. Michel. Our tour will also include visits to the city of Bayeux. From there we will visit Normandy and see Omaha Beach and the American Cemetery and Monument. Finally we will spend the last three days of our tour in the city of Paris with all its beauty and history. Our singular highlight will be the opportunity to see the Notre Dame Cathedral renovated and renewed after the fire five years ago. The cost of the trip is \$4999 per person and includes round trip airfare (from Las Vegas) all hotels, most meals, hotel service charges and local taxes, professional tour guide, and local transportation as well as \$500 in government taxes and fuel surcharges. Space is available on a first come, first serve basis.

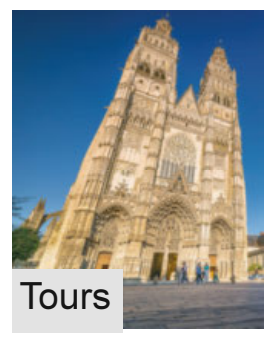
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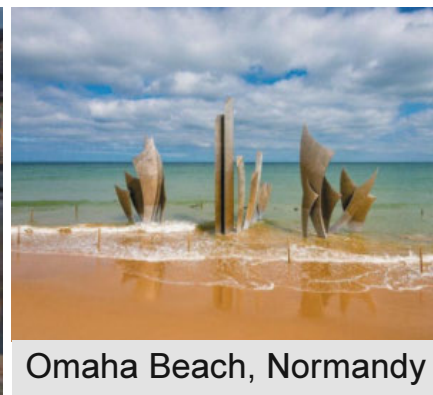
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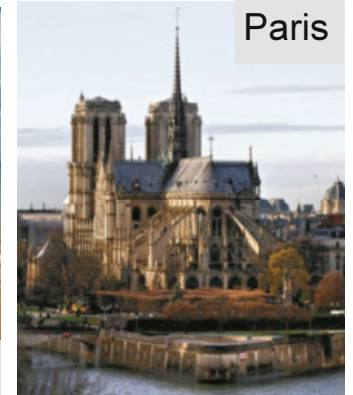
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