



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6,12-14 Ps 128:1-5 Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22.39-40  
 Monday: 1 Jn 2:3-11 Ps 96:1-3,5b-6, Lk 2:22-35  
 Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:12-17 Ps 96:7-10 Lk 2:36-40  
 Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:18-21 Ps 96:1-2,11-13 Jn 1:1-18  
 Thursday: Nm 6::22-27, Ps 67:2-3,5,6,8, Gal.4:4-7 Lk. 2:16-21  
 Friday: 1Jn 2:22-28, Ps 98:1-4, Jn 1:19-28, see 510 Eph.4:1-7, Mt. 23:8-12  
 Saturday: 1Jn 2:29-3:6, Ps 98:1, 3cd-4,5-6,Jn 1:29-34  
 Sunday: Is.60:1-6,,Eph3:2- 3a, 5-6, Mt. 2:1-12

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY December 29, 2014**  
**St. Thomas Becket, Bishop**  
 7:00AM Christmas Novena  
 9:00AM Donna DiMarzo

**TUESDAY December 30, 2014**  
 7:00AM Deceased members of Sebastiano Family  
 9:00AM Christmas Novena

**WEDNESDAY Dec. 31, 2014, St. Sylvester I, Pope**  
 7:00AM Deceased members of Della Ratta Family  
 9:00AM Christmas Novena  
 5:00 PM Leona and Tom Bergin

**THURSDAY January 1, 2015, Solemnity of Mary**  
 7:30AM Al Possilico  
 9:30AM Christmas Novena  
 12:30PM Cassese and Werner Families  
 7:00 PM Mass in Spanish

**FRIDAY January 2, 2015, St. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops**  
 7:00AM Bishop Paul Walsh  
 9:00AM Christmas Novena

**SATURDAY January 3, 2015, Most Holy Name of Jesus**  
 9:00AM Richard DeLorenzo  
 5:00PM Anna Conti

**SUNDAY January 4, 2015, Epiphany of the Lord**  
 7:30AM Steven Verhun  
 9:30 AM Rev. Paul Gallagher  
 11:00AM Anthony Tringali  
 12:30PM Domingo Duarte  
 5:15PM Mary Agnes McGovern  
 Jean Cavallo  
 Joe Mamma  
 7:00 PM Mass in Spanish

*Mark Stapleton, Cecilia McLaughlin, John & Mary D'Antonio, Gloria Lane, CPL. Garrett Carnes, USMC, Anna Palewski, Philip Zederbaum, Michael Maher, Patrick McGee, Dawn Levchenko, Harry Mulligan, John Lupski, Raymond Morris, Maria Estupinan,, Theresa Locke, Maureen Remsky, Joanne Wallick, Margaret Kropac, Brian Crowley, Newborn Luke Major, Mary Burdo, William Lee and Ernest Calza, Pedro Doblado, Infant Gabrielle Hailey Scannella, William Horbs, Rose Marie Heitschusen, Angelique Cadarr, Philip R. Sanita, Clare McCarthy, Jr., Justin David Wall, Sara Olsson, Dan Creamer, Helen Mackreth, Lisa Butler-Goss, Anthony Joseph Giampaolo Pearl Bolcavage, Dr.Frank Gazda, Howard King, Thomas Duffy, Sandra Reinhardt, Jackie Castinella, Marcel Chaillol, James Butler, Christoph Noya*

*We Pray For Our Dead  
 And We Mourn With You*

*John J. Stewart  
 Mary Alfo*



**Rectory Hours during the New Year Week**  
**New Year's Eve., Wed., December 31st**  
**Office will remain open until 3PM**

**New Year's Day Thurs. January 1, 2015**  
**Closed**  
*We would like to wish our parishioners a very Blessed, Happy and Healthy New Year.*



**Epiphany of the Lord—January 4, 2015**

**Theme:** The mystery of the incarnation - Jesus is a gift to all humanity.

**Breaking Open the Word**

Suggested text for faith sharing: Gospel Mt. 2:1-12

*When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. Assembling all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, He inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it has been written through the prophet: And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; since from you shall come a ruler, who is to shepherd my people Israel." Then Herod called the magi secretly and ascertained from them the time of the star's appearance. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search diligently for the child. When you have found him, bring me word, that I too may go and do him homage." After their audience with the king they set out. And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed for their country by another way.*

**Step One: Listen to the Word**

As you listen to this familiar story again today, what one word or thought really struck you? What image do you take away from this reading?

**Step Two: Look into Your Life**

**Question for Children:** In your life, who helps you to see Jesus in other people such as a classmate or a friend? u take away from this reading?

**Question for Youth:** The star guided the Magi to Jesus. What are the people or events who have guided you in your relationship with Jesus?

**Question for Adults:** How this past week did you demonstrate God's love at home and at work?

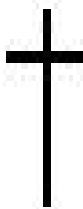


*The Bread and Wine this week  
Are in Loving Memory  
Of  
Margaret and George Powers  
From  
Patricia Griffin and Family*



*The Candles this week are in  
Loving Memory  
Of  
Margaret and George Powers  
From  
Patricia Griffin and Family*

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING**  
Sunday, Dec. 21, 2014 \$12,296  
Sunday, Dec. 22, 2013 \$13,903



# Pastor's Corner

## Season of Christmas Feast of the Holy Family Lk 2:22-40

Merry Christmas everybody! We have begun the Christmas season which started with the 5pm Christmas Vigil Mass Dec. 24, 2014 and concludes with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord on January 11, 2015. Each of the Sundays of Christmas point out to us a different mystery of our salvation brought to us by our Savior, Jesus Christ. This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family. When we think of the Holy Family we often think they are out of touch with our daily lives. We can be rest assured that even Jesus, Mary and Joseph experienced problems and challenges along the way. Even though Jesus and Mary were sinless, it did not mean that they did not experience hardship. Imagine someone telling you that your son or daughter would be the rise and fall of many and a sword will pierce your heart. However because of their trust and faithfulness in the Lord, they carried with themselves a joy that not even the hardest of hearts could take away. The Second Vatican Council teaches us that each of our families is a Domestic Church, a smaller cell of the larger universal Church that Christ gave us as his instrument to spread his message of love and salvation. To help us reflect on the importance of families I share with you the words of Pope Francis:

*“Dear families, you know very well that the true joy which we experience in the family is not superficial; it does not come from material objects, from the fact that everything seems to be going well. True joy comes from a profound harmony between persons, something which we all feel in our hearts and which makes us experience the beauty of togetherness, of mutual support along life’s journey. But the basis of this feeling of deep joy is the presence of God in the family and his love, which is welcoming, merciful, and respectful towards all. God alone knows how to create harmony from differences. But if God’s love is lacking, the family loses its harmony, self-centeredness prevails and joy fades. But the family which experiences the joy of faith communicates it naturally. That family is the salt of the earth and the light of the world, it is the leaven of society. Dear families, always live in faith and simplicity, like the Holy Family of Nazareth! The joy and peace of the Lord be always with you!”*

~ Pope Francis, Given on Oct. 27, 2013 World Family Day

### **WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES!**

Mark your family calendar for the 8<sup>th</sup> World Meeting of Families which this new year will be held in Philadelphia, PA from September 22-27<sup>th</sup> 2015. The theme is **“Love is Our Mission: The Family Fully Alive”**. Our Holy Father, Pope Francis will be participating in this extraordinary event. In addition to Pope Francis, families can look forward to speakers, celebrations, activities for children and prayer, all of which will bring renewal and transformation for you, your loves ones and the world. Please check our Bulletin for details from our Diocese. If there is enough interest in going from St. Ignatius, we will travel together as one parish.

### **HAPPY NEW YEAR 2015**

It is hard to believe, but we have journeyed to another year, 2015! Remember to create a God calendar which each day is marked to schedule an appointment to pray and listen to God. God has much to give. On behalf of our Staff, the Sisters of St. Dominic and the Priests, I want to wish you all a healthy and happy New Year. May it be filled with God’s grace and presence!

May God bless you and Mary keep you and your families. May we remember to always do things for the greater glory of God. *St. Ignatius Loyola, pray for us!*

*Fr. Jim*

**Pastor**

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Bus Trip to the Sands Casino,  
Bethlehem, PA  
Hosted by St. Ignatius Loyola  
Church**

When: Wednesday, January 28, 2015  
Cost: \$42 per person includes driver's tip  
Give back: \$30 slot play & \$5 food voucher  
Time: Bus leaves at 9 am sharp.  
Please arrive at 8:30 am  
Return approx. 8:30 pm  
Place: Will meet at Cantiague Park,  
West John Street, Hicksville.  
Reservations: Please call Barbara at  
(516) 935-5576. **\*\*The first to pay is  
the first on the bus, etc.\*\***



When: Sunday, January 11, 2015  
Time: 8AM  
Where: St. Ignatius New School Basement  
Help save a life by giving blood. Please call  
Doug Quinn at (516) 647-9252 with any ques-  
tions. **Start the New Year by giving blood.**  
**You never know, you might be saving a  
life.**



**Chess Club**

You are invited to join Mr. Toner and the Chess Club in the New School Cafeteria for friendly games this **Sun., Dec. 28th from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** All ages and all levels of players, from beginners to advanced, are encouraged to come down and play. Chess sets will be provided or you can bring your own set if you have one. For more information, call the Rectory at 931-0056.



**World Meeting of Families  
Registration for Diocesan Pilgrimages  
Now Open**

Registration for our diocesan pilgrimage to the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia is now open. Please go to [www.drvc-faith.org](http://www.drvc-faith.org) for detailed information on various options, registration and itinerary. Space is limited for these trips and the first deposit is due by January 15, 2015. The tour packages are being organized by Peter's Way Tours Inc. For further information about the tour packages call 516 605-1551 Ext 22. For all other questions please call Kathleen Logan, Office of Faith Formation, 516 678-5800 Ext 236



Today is the feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. We hear the words: "The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favor of God was upon him." As we remember the poor during this New Year, may we also grow in wisdom and have the favor of God upon us.  
**Please remember to support the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in the coming year so that together we can continue to bring comfort and peace to our**

**PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY**

Anyone with a family member serving in the military, please forward their name and rank to our bulletin editor at [bulletin1859@aol.com](mailto:bulletin1859@aol.com) or bring the name to our Rectory Front Office. *We pray to give all of our soldiers the courage and strength to do the duty that is required of them. May they always remember our appreciation for the sacrifice they are making for us. We are thankful for the men and women who are willing to risk their lives to protect our freedom. I ask You to go with each of them and protect them wherever they go. Amen.*

- Sgt First Class. Matthew Loheide
- SSgt. Kevin J. Hennelly
- Lt. Jonathan W. Lang
- Lt. Jeanine A. Lang
- SPC Justin T. Sikorski
- Sgt. Mathew Burrafato
- DCC James Pennington
- Col. Paul J. Laughlin
- Captain. Patrick O. Kelly, USMC
- Sgt. Thomas P. McLoughlin, USMC
- Atan Lisa Olynk, USN
- M Sgt. Michael Marascia
- Sgt. Stephen L. Emlaw
- P.O.Third Class E-4 Kyle A. Kamermayer, Navy
- Major Edward A. McGoldrick, US Army
- Steven Orbon, 1st Lt., U.S. Army
- Lt. David Jacobs
- Pvt. Thomas Wright
- Airman Peter F. Clark, USAF
- Capt. Joseph Whittaker, USMC
- LCPL Michael J. Mc Ilwraith, USMC
- 1st Lt. James Michael Vaz, U.S. Army
- Louis Bombardiere, USMC
- Gunnery Sgt. Brian Moran, USMC
- Second Lt. Bridget Flatley, USAF
- Cpt. Richard Macchio
- Pvt. Joseph Gergely, U.S.M.C.
- LTJG Alie Disher, U.S.N.
- LTJG John Patrick Orr, USN, C.E.C.
- PVC Andrew Hughes
- Airman Denis C. Clark, USAF
- Sgt. Lotachukwu Okoye
- 1st Lt. Brian W. Way, USMC
- PFC. Christopher Paradiso, U.S.M.
- PFC Jim Arbelaez, US Marine
- Sgt. Dustin Lusby
- LTJG Christopher Medford, US Navy
- Lt. Lindsay Conte, USN
- Sgt. Matthew Mercurio
- Sgt. Phillip Michael Yopp, U.S. Army

**This week at St. Ignatius Loyola Parish Facilities– e-mail [parishfacilities.us](mailto:parishfacilities.us)**

**Sunday, December 28th**

2:00pm Chess Club-New School Cafe

**Monday, December 29th**

No Activities

**Tuesday, December 30th**

No Activities

**Wednesday, December 31st**

**New Year's Eve**

No Activities

**Thursday, January 1st**

**New Year's Day**

No Activities

**Friday, January 2, 2015**

6:00pm CYO in Gym

6:30pm GS Robotics Meeting-Science Lab.

7:00pm SCJ Youth Group-Old School Art Room

7:00pm Middle School Youth-Old School Café, kitchen

7:30pm Pastoral Formation, Rooms 6,7& 8

**Saturday, January 3, 2015**

7:30am Men's Prayer Group-Patriotic Rosary-Church

8:30am ESL-Human Services-Basement

12:00 CYO-Gym

2:00pm CYO-Gym



We are in need of **USHERS**. Please prayerfully consider serving your church in this capacity. If interested, please call the Rectory at 931-0056.



## NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE

### **New Year's Eve Mass**

Wednesday, December 31 - 5:00 p.m.

### **New Year's Day Masses**

Thursday, January 1-Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Holy Day of Obligation

7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., & 12:30 p.m.

### **NO EVENING MASS IN ENGLISH**

7:00 p.m. in *Spanish*

***ALL MASSES ARE IN THE CHURCH***



### **Our Lady of Fatima Devotions**

Our Lady of Fatima devotions will be held on **Saturday January 3, 2015**, at 8:30AM, before the 9AM Mass.

### **Nocturnal Adoration Society**

Nocturnal Adoration will be held this month on **Saturday, January 3, 2015**. **It will begin at the conclusion of the 5:00 PM Mass and end with Benediction at 9:00PM. Come and spend one hour with the Lord.** Everyone is welcome to join in this vigil of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.



### **The Long Island Catholic** **December Edition**

In addition to compelling columns and news about our Diocese, read about how to build a Sacraments Keepsake Box, explore the sacred and rarely seen treasures of Immaculate Conception Seminary, see how two families prepare for His coming through Advent traditions in the home and read about the final report from the Extraordinary Synod on the Family. To subscribe to the monthly magazine of the Diocese of Rockville Centre, visit [licatholic.org](http://licatholic.org) or call 1-800-443-2155 today.

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SAGRADA FAMILIA

Editado por Ytala y Gabriel Ruiz

# REFLEXIÓN



El Evangelio de hoy nos presenta a la Sagrada Familia que se dirige al templo para la purificación: Consagrar todo varón primogénito al Señor, según la ley de Moisés.

Como familia mirémonos en esta familia de Nazaret, que lleva a su hijo al templo para consagrarlo a Dios.

Ser cristiano no es una vacuna contra todo riesgo, ser cristiano como María es confiar, es amar, es estar de pie, decir amén y dejarse conducir por el Espíritu, fundamentalmente confiar en el Dios que no miente y es fiel. Todo lo demás es relativo, sólo Dios es absoluto. Pidamos como la Sagrada Familia que sepamos ser fieles a Dios en todo, y como Simeón sepamos descubrir al Señor que viene a nuestra vida y trae la salvación y la gloria.

## Feliz Año Nuevo a todos.

Estrenamos año. Nos deseamos felicidades y algunos hacen propósitos nuevos. Yo les doy un consejo: no hagan ningún propósito. He escuchado tantas promesas y he visto tan pocos resultados. ¿Por qué no los cumplimos? ¿Por qué no cambiamos?

El secreto del cambio no está en nosotros. Sólo el Señor hará el cambio si se lo permitimos.

Año nuevo, sí. Nuevo si lo vivimos con el Señor.

Año nuevo, sí. Nuevo si estamos abiertos a todos.

Año nuevo, sí. Nuevo en el que lo hace todo nuevo.

Él que nos hace a todos nuevos.

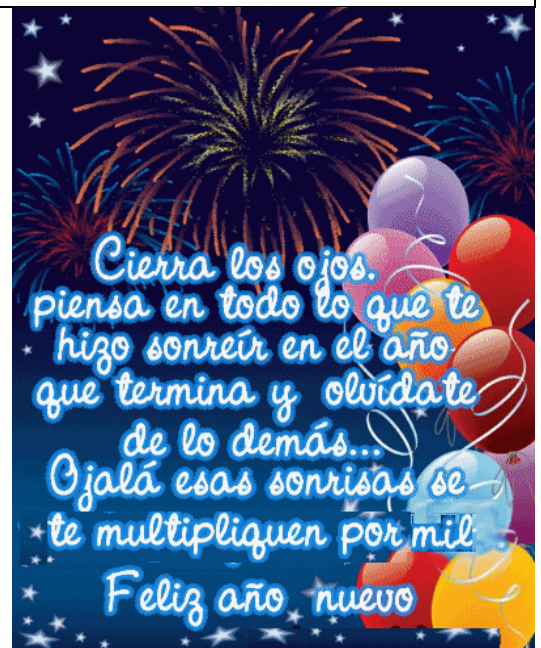
**Feliz Año Nuevo a todos en el Señor Jesús!!!!**

GANAR PUNTOS CON DIOS! INVITA OTRA PERSONA A LA MISA LOS DOMINGOS Y PRIMEROS VIERNES A LAS 7:00 PM.

## **BAUTIZOS**

**CLASES:** Las 5:30 PM. Segundo y Tercer Domingo de cada mes, en el sótano de la escuela. Padrinos, madrinas, papás y mamás deben asistir, y quedarse en la misa de las 7 PM. No es necesario hacer una cita para registrarse, pues en la clase lo hacen. No olvides traer el registro de nacimiento del niño.

**LOS BAUTIZOS SON LOS ÚLTIMOS SABADOS DEL MES, A LA 1:00 PM.** Enero 24, Febrero 22, Marzo 28, Abril 25, Mayo 30, 2015. Comunícate con **ROSA y ROBERTO ROMERO:** 516-749-4693 / 516-749-5135. Muchas Gracias por venir a las CLASES Y A LA MISA.





**Catequesis de Adultos:** Comenzamos en **Enero**.

Los segundos y cuartos domingos o miércoles del mes. De 4:30 pm. hasta la Misa. Información: Catequistas.

**Virtus:** Aun no has asistido a las clases de Virtus?

Esta es tu oportunidad para hacerlo aquí en nuestra parroquia de San Ignacio. El **Domingo 25 de enero** de 3-6pm. Información: **Karina del Mar: (516) 476-2059.**

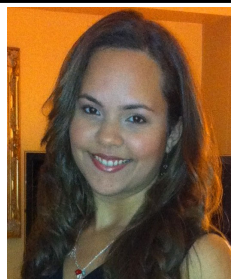
**CORO DE LOS NIÑOS:**

Ensayo los martes a las 7:30 pm. en la Iglesia, Info: Leiny o Tony.



**Clases de Inglés:**

Nuestra Profesora **Liz Muñoz**, nos invita a las clases de Ingles en el sótano de Servicios Humanos. Los sábados de 9 a 11 am.



**GRUPO DE JÓVENES SCJ**

Muchas bendiciones a todas las personas que nos apoyaron en la Campaña Navideña de Juguetes. Dios los bendiga !! También les recordamos a los jóvenes que nuestras reuniones reinician el **9 de Enero del 2015. feliz año nuevo!!**



**SERVIENDO A DIOS!**

**Pastor:** Rev. James T. Stachacz

**Pastor Asociado:** Rev. Saúl Londoño

**Coordinación:** Mario Gómez y Erika A.

**Catequesis:** Colleen Tuzzolo (Educación Religiosa Niños 516 935 6873) Mario Gómez

José Contreras, Karina del Mar, Delfina

Hernández Rosa-José Romero, Julieta

McLaughlin (Educación Religiosa Adultos)

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**Clases Inglés:** Lissette Muñoz, Gloria V.

Josué Flores, Kerry Engrert, Ingrid Aguilar.

**Comité Festejos:** Lorena Medrano, Erika

y Jaime Aldana, Maribel Adames, Luis

Reyes, Tesla Calderón, Ana Berrios, Rosa

Molina, Cistina Díaz, Álvaro Meléndez.

**Comunicaciones:** Ytala y Gabriel Ruiz,

María Romero

**Divina Misericordia:** Delfina Hernández,

Asunción Rivera .

**Ensayos Bodas , Celebraciones de 15-**

**16 años:** Lorena Medrano, Leny Escobar.

**Grupo de Oración:** Rosio Rivera, Rosa

Gutiérrez y Servidores.

**Hospitalidad y Colectas:** Marta Romero,

Luis Reyes, Guadalupe Aguilar.

**Jardín Hispano:** Fidel Zabala - Guadalupe

**Lectura Misas de los Niños (as):**

Viviana Echeverry y Dina Tenas.

**Liturgia Dominical Niños:** Carmen y

Daniela Gómez, Elva Cordone, Cindy

Medrano, Verónica Saquicela.

**Ministerio de la Palabra:** Jaime Aldana

**Ministerio de los Enfermos:** Rosio

Rivera, Romy Taveras, Rosa Gutierrez.

**Ministerio Sagrado Corazón de Jesús:**

Karina del Mar y Jovana Arteaga.

**Ministerio de Música, Coro de los**

**Niños y Danzas:** Leiny y Antonio Escobar

**Ministros Ext. de la Comunión y**

**Saeristía:** Juan Hernández, Rosio Rivera.

**Monaguillos (Servidores del Altar)**

Lester & Carmen Zelaya, Viviana Echeverry

**Movimiento Familiar Cristiano**

**Católico:** Roberto y Rosa Romero.

**Pastoral Juvenil:** Carlos Campos, Ytala y

Gabriel Ruiz, Lissette Muñoz, Carla Duran,

Samuel Sánchez, Katie Crayne, Eliséo

Meléndez., Francesca, Isabel & Diego.

**Pre-Cana:** Mario y Dora Gómez

**Seguridad:** Orlando Cruz, Diego Echeverry

**Bienvenida hermanos de otros Continentes:**

Oscar Hernández y Miguel Muñoz.





*St. Ignatius Loyola Parish in Hicksville*  
*Presents Dinner*  
*and*  
*“A Night at the Races”*

**Date:** January 24, 2015

**Place:** Msgr. Tarrant Hall

St. Ignatius Church is at 129 Broadway (rt.107), Hicksville.

Msgr. Tarrant Hall is in the Old School on East Nicolai Street  
(behind the church)

The Hall is handicapped accessible.

**Time:** Doors open at 6:30 pm

Dinner served at 7 pm

Races start at 7:45 pm

**Cost:** \$15.00 per person

Dinner will be served buffet style and we ask that you bring your own drinks.  
Water will be available for purchase.

For reservations please call Karen at 516-937-5527.

***We hope you will join us for a fun filled night!!***

## **USCCB lanza lecturas diarias de la Misa en español en línea**

Diciembre 15, 2014

WASHINGTON-La Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de los Estados Unidos (USCCB) ha puesto a disposición del público las lecturas diarias de la Misa en español en su sitio en línea.

"Poder proveer las lecturas diarias en español en la internet ha sido una larga jornada. Estamos felices de ver este trabajo realizado", dijo el Obispo John C. Wester de Salt Lake City, presidente del Comité sobre Comunicaciones de USCCB. "Esto es parte de nuestros esfuerzos continuos de responder a las necesidades pastorales de los hispanos y de los católicos de habla hispana y proveerles recursos e información de maneras que les exhorten a acrecentar su fe".

Las lecturas diarias en español provienen del Leccionario publicado en México y está aprobado por los obispos estadounidenses para su uso en los Estados Unidos.

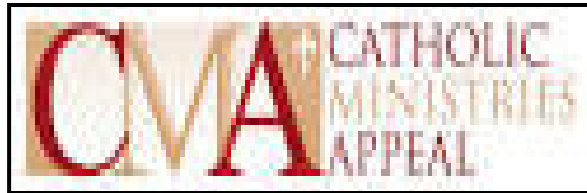
Los hispanos representan el 16 por ciento de la población total en Estados Unidos y cerca del 40 por ciento de los católicos estadounidenses; 64 por ciento de los católicos hispanos asisten a la iglesia regularmente.

Las lecturas diarias en inglés están entre los recursos más populares del sitio web de USCCB con un promedio mensual de 3.3 millones de visitantes en línea. Cerca de 49,000 personas reciben las lecturas diarias en inglés por correo electrónico, una opción que pronto también estará disponible para las lecturas en español.

Las lecturas diarias en español pueden encontrarse en [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) elegir: "Bible," "Today's Readings," y "En Español."

USCCB también provee actualizaciones en español sobre noticias y recursos que ayudan a fomentar la fe en Facebook en [www.facebook.com/USCCBEspanol](http://www.facebook.com/USCCBEspanol) y en Twitter en <https://twitter.com/USCCBEspanol>.

Recursos bilingües para diócesis, parroquias y grupos de ministerios también están disponibles en [www.myusccb.org](http://www.myusccb.org).



Thank You to all of you who have given so generously to the Catholic Ministries Appeal.  
We still have some more ground to cover. Currently, here are our statistics as of December 10, 2014:

**Goal: \$80,000.00      Total Pledged: \$66,124.24**

**Balance to Goal: \$13,875.76**

*It does not matter how large or how small your donation is, it is the thought and giving from one's means that counts. IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO MAKE A PLEDGE! Fr. Jim, Pastor*

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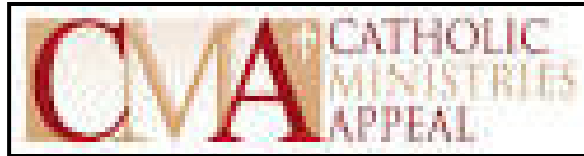
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