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Hypocrisy—how often it's directed at religious people! The dictionary defines it as “the practice of claiming to have moral standards or beliefs to which one's own behavior does not conform.” While hypocrisy is a human flaw with negative connotations, as Catholics, we should reflect on it more often, not to judge others, but to examine ourselves in our relationship with God.

In today's readings, Jesus challenges the Pharisees, highlighting the emptiness of their rituals when their hearts are far from God. This reminds us that outward signs of piety are meaningless without a heart aligned with God's commandments. We often fail to live up to the ideals we profess. As Catholics, we know God's commandments and the Church's Precepts, and we regularly express our faith. Yet, we still sin and fall into hypocrisy. How often do we cling to external piety while our hearts are untouched by God's grace?

I've faced this struggle personally. I remember clearly a year ago when I was in San Luis Obispo with my students at California FFA State Finals; I had made arrangements with my teaching partners to watch over the students so I could make it to mass that weekend. What a “good” Catholic, I usually thought I always make it to mass even when I travel for work..but then a moment hit me like a horse kick to the head when I gathered my kiddos for a quick prayer before they went to their competition..besides mass that week I had not prayed or had one conversation with God. I went through the motions of going to Church and yet my heart had been so distant from God, only now that I wanted “favor” I prayed. I was being hypocritical in my life and actions. This was the start of me looking inwards of what I was really doing as a “Catholic”. That week I made a plan, I downloaded the Hallow app on my phone and used it as a helpful tool for prayer, journaling and in my journey with God. This was the start of me deciding to leave ag teaching due to the time it took up.

Don't let the term “hypocrite” deter or define you. If you struggle with sin, seek confession and talk to God. Confession is a powerful sacrament that not only absolves us of sin but also grants grace to resist future temptation. By approaching Reconciliation with humility and acknowledging our hypocrisy, we open ourselves to God's healing love and gain strength to live more authentically as His disciples.

Reflection by: Patty Espinoza
Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Hipocresía: ¡cuántas veces se dirige a las personas religiosas! El diccionario la define como “la práctica de afirmar tener normas morales o creencias a las que la propia conducta no se ajusta”. Si bien la hipocresía es un defecto humano con connotaciones negativas, como católicos deberíamos reflexionar sobre ella más a menudo, no para juzgar a los demás, sino para examinarnos a nosotros mismos en nuestra relación con Dios.

En las lecturas de hoy, Jesús desafía a los fariseos, destacando el vacío de sus rituales cuando sus corazones están lejos de Dios. Esto nos recuerda que los signos externos de piedad no tienen sentido sin un corazón alineado con los mandamientos de Dios. A menudo no estamos a la altura de los ideales que profesamos. Como católicos, conocemos los mandamientos de Dios y los preceptos de la Iglesia, y expresamos regularmente nuestra fe. Sin embargo, seguimos pecando y cayendo en la hipocresía. ¿Con qué frecuencia nos aferramos a la piedad externa mientras nuestros corazones no son tocados por la gracia de Dios?

He enfrentado esta lucha personalmente. Recuerdo claramente que hace un año estuve en San Luis Obispo con mis estudiantes en las finales estatales de la FFA en California. Había hecho arreglos con mis compañeros docentes para que cuidaran a los estudiantes y así poder asistir a misa ese fin de semana. Qué “buena” católica, normalmente pensaba que siempre asistiría a misa incluso cuando viajaba por trabajo... pero entonces un momento me golpeó como una patada de caballo en la cabeza cuando reuní a mis hijos para una oración rápida antes de que fueran a su competencia... además de la misa esa semana, no había orado ni tenido una sola conversación con Dios. Seguí los pasos de ir a la iglesia y, sin embargo, mi corazón había estado tan distante de Dios, que solo ahora que quería “favor” oré. Estaba siendo hipócrita en mi vida y acciones. Este fue el comienzo de mirar hacia adentro de lo que realmente estaba haciendo como “católica”. Esa semana hice un plan, descargué la aplicación Hallow en mi teléfono y la usé como una herramienta útil para la oración, el diario y en mi viaje con Dios. Este fue el comienzo de mi decisión de dejar la enseñanza agrícola debido al tiempo que me tomaba.

No dejes que el término “hipócrita” te desanime o te defina. Si luchas con el pecado, busca la confesión y habla con Dios. La confesión es un sacramento poderoso que no solo nos absuelve del pecado sino que también otorga gracia para resistir futuras tentaciones. Al acercarnos a la reconciliación con humildad y reconocer nuestra hipocresía, nos abrimos al amor sanador de Dios y ganamos fuerza para vivir más auténticamente como sus discípulos.

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Marcos 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23



Mass Intentions

Queen of the Rosary Mission (Lucerne):

Saturday:

4PM: Pro Populo

Queen of Peace Catholic Church:

Saturday:

6PM: Reserve your mass intentions

Sunday:

10AM: Pro Populo

1PM: Reserva tu intencion de Misa

For mass intentions reservation please contact:

(707) 994-6618 (10 am—2 pm Tuesday—Friday)

Or visit our Parish Office!

Please pray for the well-being of:

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James Hoffman	Chaz de Toteaum
Sally-Ann Thomas	David Rowe
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Margret Lahr	Judy Hoffman
Jimmy Fowler	



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August 24-25 2024



Queen of the Rosary

Saturday 4PM Mass:

First Collection: \$85.00

Second Collection: \$107.00

Queen of Peace Catholic Church

Daily Masses: \$94.00

Saturday 6PM Mass:

First Collection: \$198.00

Second Collection: \$33.00

Sunday 10AM Mass:

First Collection: \$272.00

Second Collection: \$186.00

Sunday 1PM Mass:

First Collection: \$504.00

Second Collection: \$320.00

TOTAL: \$1799.00

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Please pray for the reposed soul of our faithful member of our Parish
Peggy Anderson.
7/15/51-8/16/24

Peggy was a faithful member of our parish. In recognition to her devotion to the Blessed Mother and her love for her community her family would like to invite all to a rosary here at Queen of Peace.

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 13TH AT 5 PM
REFRESHMENTS WILL FOLLOW IN THE HALL

Her funeral mass will be held
at St. John's Catholic Church
in Healdsburg

MONDAY OCTOBER 14TH AT 11 AM

THIS WEEK ANNOUNCEMENTS:



If you are interested in becoming Catholic, or just want to learn more about the Catholic Church, please contact Karen Lescher at (707) 295-6646 to register for RCIA Classes started on September 19, at 2:00PM

OUR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL IS OPEN DAILY
COME SPEND TIME WITH THE LORD!



FOR THE DOOR CODE PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE AT (707)994-6618

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS
QUEEN OF PEACE WOMEN'S GUILD
MEETS ON THE 1ST SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH—10AM IN THE KNIGHTS ROOM AT THE NEW HALL.



PLEASE CALL MARY LYNOTT AT (707)994-7706 FOR MORE INFORMATION. COME AND JOIN US ¡ACOMPÁÑANOS!

BIENVENIDOS NUEVOS MIEMBROS DE NUESTRA IGLESIA. EL GREMIO DE MUJERES REINA DE LA PAZ SE REÚNE EL 1 SABADO DE CADA MES. 10 AM EN LA SALA DE LOS CABALLEROS. LLAME A MARY LYNOTT AL (707)994-7706 PARA OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN.

**What We Believe:
The Beauty of the Catholic Faith**
Adult Bible Study

Starting Sunday September 1st at 9 am

Are you interested in joining us for What We Believe: The Beauty of the Catholic Faith?

Contact Patty at 707- 828- 8072.



The Catholic Church is extraordinary. It is where we encounter God in his Word, his sacraments, and his saints. It proclaims the fullness of life, leaving no person out. It calls all to repent and to believe in God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, the source of all life and salvation. Maybe you've been Catholic your entire life. Maybe just finished RICA. Wherever you may be in your journey, you will be profoundly moved by the beauty and the richness of the Catholic Church.



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PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Sunday September 15th

(& every 3rd Sunday)

8:30-9:30 AM & 11:00-12:30AM

Adult: \$12 Child: \$8

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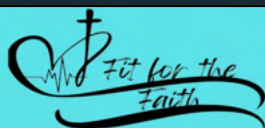
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