I, the Lord, bring low the high tree, lift high the lowly tree, wither up the green tree, and make the withered tree bloom.

As I, the Lord, have spoken, so will I do.  
~ Ezekiel 17:24
Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

They that are planted in the house of the LORD shall flourish in the courts of our God. 
--Psalm 92:14

TODAY’S READINGS
First Reading -- I have lifted high the lowly tree (Ezekiel 17:22-24). Psalm -- Lord, it is good to give thanks to you (Psalm 92).
Second Reading -- Whether we are at home or away, we aspire to please the Lord (2 Corinthians 5:6-10).
Gospel -- It is the smallest of all seeds, and becomes the largest of plants (Mark 4:26-34).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-7; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-6ab, 11, 16; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-7; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11-14, 17-18; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-34; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6ab, 15ab, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES
Sunday: Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time; Father’s Day
Tuesday: St. Romuald
Thursday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer begins
Friday: St. Paulinus of Nola; Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

MISSIONARIES OF FAITH
This weekend, please give a warm welcome to Fr. Richard Dee Du, MF from the Order Missionaries of Faith. Fr. Dee Du is visiting Holy Name Parish and is our guest speaker at all Masses. Fr. Dee Du will be requesting support for seminarians’ education and religious formation.

Missionaries of Faith was founded in 1982 in Italy and has the charism to assist priests, to promote ecumenism, promote youth formation, and sharing the gift of Faith.

HOLY NAME LADIES AID SOCIETY
Members of the Holy Name Ladies Aid Society will be collecting for the needy of the Parish next weekend. Boxes will be by the exits.

We pray for the Sick ...that they may experience God’s Love and Healing.
We pray for those who have Died...that they may be granted a home in heaven. 
Esther Keating

PARISH SUMMARY REPORT 6/10/2018 6/11/2017

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Our school yard will NOT be available for parking due to our school Seismic retrofit. We are looking forward to its completion by the end of August. We apologize for this inconvenience and we thank you for your understanding.
FAZtor's Notes

By Fr. Arnold Zamora

Happy Father’s Day! Let us honor our dear fathers and celebrate fatherhood, paternal bonds and the influence of fathers in society. We acknowledge and give thanks, not just to our biological fathers but also to those who have been father figures who have greatly influenced and helped our lives.

It was a delightful scene to see some fathers who were all smiling, taking pictures and being so proud of their kids graduating from our HN Preschool last week. We had 29 graduates this year and 15 of them are going to the “Big School”-Holy Name School. Congratulations again to our little graduates and their parents and kudos once more to our Preschool Director Alice Seher and the staff for another successful year.

On this Father’s weekend, we welcome Father Richard Dee Du, a priest from the Order Missionaries of Faith (MF). He will be speaking to us at every mass about their institute and their mission. In brief, the Missionaries of Faith were founded in 1982 in Italy to assist priests, promote ecumenism and youth formation, and to share the gift of Faith.

The Archdiocese has announced several changes of assignment for some of our local fathers, the priests working in the Archdiocese of San Francisco. In our neighboring parishes we see some changes. At St. Cecilia’s, Msgr. Romulo Vergara, who has just been appointed as our new Judicial Vicar for our Archdiocese, will serve as an administrator from July-December 2018 and Father Rene Ramoso, currently assigned as pastor of St. Augustine in South San Francisco, will serve as the new pastor starting January 2019. At St. Anne’s Msgr. Father Peter Tieng, currently at St. Brendan, will be the new parochial vicar starting July 2018.

There is no change of assignment at Holy Name, except that the Archbishop has appointed me as Chaplain of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women. Holy Name is so blessed and honored that the president of this group is our very own, longtime parishioner Cathy Mibach. I also feel blessed and honored to serve this group.

Here’s a letter to a father and his response:

Dear Dad,

School is great. I’m making lot$s of friend$ and $tudying hard. I $imply can’t think of anything I need, $o ju$t $end me a card, a$ I would love to hear from you.

Love, Your Son

Dear Son,

I kNOw astroNOmy, ecoNOmics and oceaNOgraphy are eNOugh to keep even an hoNOr student busy. Do NOt forget that the pursuit of kNOwledge is a NOble task, and you can never study eNOugh.

Love, Dad

Papa knows best! He knows the best response. The best thing to give your enemy is, forgiveness;

to an opponent, tolerance;
to a friend, your ear;
to your child, good example;
to a mother, conduct that will make her be proud of you;
to a father is reverence.

Salute to all the fathers!
ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
The Sowing of the Seed  June 17, 2018

Here in Australia, so far as I know, a farmer ploughs the land and then plants the seed. In Galilee, the farmer scattered the seed on the old field and therefore on tracks which people made walking across it after cropping, on thorny areas, and also on what he hoped was good soil. He then ploughed in the seed.

It is a wonder that anything grew, and generally the return was about 7:1. In a previous parable Jesus had spoken of the Kingdom he was inaugurating as if it would turn out to be like a bumper harvest of up to a hundred fold.

What would such a harvest mean for a peasant tilling the rocky soil of Galilee? It would mean release from the endless servitude to a landlord, generation after generation. It would mean liberation, not only from hunger, but from the power structure which was quite content with a permanent underclass of subsistence farmers.

In other words, Jesus was telling his listeners that God’s Kingdom would turn the world as they knew it “upside down”. As Mary sang in the Magnificat: “The hungry he has filled with good things, the rich sent empty away.” Power structures would be shattered by the impulses of the Gospel to create a society where there was a just distribution of the world’s resources.

Naturally, the peasant farmers of Galilee wanted to know “when” and “how”. We want to know the “when” and the “how” of the fulfillment of the Kingdom of God.

Jesus’ answer to them, and to us, is basically: “It is not for you to know. Just get on with the sowing of the Gospel seed. Something will happen with the seed you sow, something out of all proportion to your part in the process.”

Our Lord pictured this by contrasting the tiny mustard seed and the mustard bush which he even exaggerates into a tree in which birds could find shelter!

In this parable Jesus says: “Be patient, allow the creative power of God to work in the earth and the small seed will be ‘raised up‘.”

When did God’s creative power work in the depths of the stony ground so that the Gospel Seed was raised up? The answer is, of course, in the Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

And what effect did this have? We read in the Acts of the Apostles concerning the early Christian community that “The faithful all sold their goods and possessions and shared out the proceeds among themselves according to what each one needed.” (Acts 2:44)

In other words, the social system was being subverted by the power of the Gospel. A more just distribution of resources was taking place in the immediate aftermath of the proclamation of the Resurrection by Peter on the Feast of Pentecost.

I think it is very telling that a little further on in the Acts of the Apostles we read: “The whole group of believers was united, heart and soul; no-one claimed for his own use anything that he had, as everything they owned was held in common. The apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus with great power.” (Acts 4:32-33)

There is a correlation between the commitment of Christians to a just distribution of the world’s resources and the proclamation of the Lord’s resurrection. Only if the commitment is authentic and real will the proclamation be powerful and effective.

So, let us lead lives with an authentic dimension of social justice, let us get on with sowing the seed of the Gospel whenever we get the opportunity,

Lection Divina

Read: Ezekiel prophesies how God will raise up the weak and the insignificant and make them fruitful. Our mission is to do what pleases God and God alone. The Kingdom of God works mysteriously and incrementally only to become the anchor for the entire life on earth.

Reflect: The Kingdom is not the result of human enterprise; it is God’s handiwork. None of our efforts can actually produce the Kingdom; rather, it is the invisible, mysterious unfolding of God’s plan in His time, which will incrementally and eventually grow into its promised fullness. Our task is to be grateful witnesses and let the Kingdom unfold in and through us, though not necessarily by us.

Pray: God, may your Kingdom come!

Act: Recite the Lord’s Prayer meditatively.

Let God get on with germinating that seed with the power of the Resurrection so that the Tree of Life may grow to such a height that all peoples “can shelter in its shade.”

© Fr Michael Tate

HOLY NAME WEEKLY CALENDAR
Week of June 17, 2018

Monday, June 18, 2018
10:00 AM  Line Dancing  Flanagan Center
7:30 PM  SVdP Meeting  Pastoral Center

Tuesday, June 19, 2018
9:30 AM  C/E Class  Pastoral Center
7:30 PM  Legion of Mary  Pastoral Center

Wednesday, June 20, 2018
7:30 PM  Chinese Bible Study  Flanagan Center

Thursday, June 21, 2018
11:00 AM  Senior Club  Flanagan Center
6:00 PM  School  Flanagan Center

Saturday, June 23, 2018
1:00 PM  Chinese RCIA  Green Room
2:30 PM  Chinese Social  Flanagan Center
3:00 PM  Chinese Mass  Church
4:30 PM  Confessions  Church
6:00 PM  Stewardship Potluck  Flanagan Center

THUNDER VALLEY CASINO TRIP
CHANGE OF DATE
MONDAY, JUNE 25, 2018
Departure: 9:00 AM SHARP
$35.00 per person
$15.00 Machine Play
$12.00 Food Coupon
Contact: Benny Capuyan (415) 863-6576

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER
When you care enough to give the very best…… give yourself and your spouse a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is August 24-26, 2018 at the Vallombrosa Retreat Center. For more information visit our website at: sanjosewwme.org or contact Ken & Claranne at applications@sanjosewwme.org or 408-782-1413.

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HOLY NAME SCHOOL CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

OUR PLAN

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
Raise a minimum of $500,000 in gifts and pledges. All Holy Name alumni, families and friends are asked to give prayerful consideration to their contribution. Every gift, no matter the size, will help us reach our goal!

ANNUAL CAPITAL PROJECT FEE
Holy Name School’s Tuition Plan will include an annual $350 Capital Project Fee per family that will go towards the Seismic Retrofit Project.

BRICK BY BRICK SALE
Following the completion of our Seismic Construction Project, Holy Name School will build new brick stairs for the gym entrance. Personalized bricks can be purchased. Make your mark on Holy Name!

GRANTS FROM PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS
Holy Name School is in the process of securing a minimum of $300,000 in grants.

MATCHING GIFTS
Many companies offer matching gift programs to encourage employees to contribute to charitable organizations. We encourage you to explore matching gift opportunities that might exist with your employer.

LOANS
Holy Name School will take out a five-year loan with the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

How can I contribute?
All friends of Holy Name School can make a tax-deductible one-time donation or a two-year pledge that can be paid monthly, quarterly, semi annually, or annually. The chart below outlines some suggested giving plans. We appreciate your consideration of being part of our capital campaign.

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HOLY NAME SCHOOL BRICK PURCHASE

Name: ___________________________ Child’s name: _______________

Telephone: ___________________E-mail: _______________________

MESSAGE (Each Line is Limited to 23 Characters including Spaces)

Line 1: ____________________________ Line 2: ____________________________ Line 3: ____________________________

I would like my donation to be processed as follows:

______Bill to my Holy Name FACTS account
______Check (enclosed and made payable to Holy Name School
______Cash (enclosed)

ARE YOU A NEW PARISHIONER?
Or just never registered?
You may register online at http://holynamesf.org/parishregistration/
You may also call (415) 664-8590 or drop by the Parish office (1555 39th Ave.) during business hours and the Staff can give you more information or help you make your selection, or help you with wording and processing your leaf donation. Honor your loved ones whether living or deceased with a gift of a leaf on our Tree of Life.

HOLY NAME TREE OF LIFE
The Holy Name Tree of Life is a bronze tree trunk with approximately 400 leaves. It is located at the back of the church. Donations to the Tree of Life go towards a much needed Capital Improvement Fund. Each leaf costs $500 with a $25 engraving charge. We suggest a maximum number of characters to 5 lines, up to 25 characters per line including spaces. Leaf color choices are gold, silver or bronze.

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH SAN FRANCISCO is a welcoming multicultural and liturgical community that celebrates our Christian Faith. In the spirit of the “Joy of the Gospel” we work together promoting Catholic values and teachings. Our parish encourages a strong devotion to our Blessed Mother Mary, who gives us an example of faithful discipleship and a generous stewardship way of life.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM (Family Mass), 11:30 AM, 5:00 PM Vigil
Saturday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 3:00 PM (Chinese), 5:00 PM (Vigil)
Weekdays 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM
Holy Days 7:30 AM, 9:00AM, and 7:00 PM
Confessions: 15 minutes before 9:30 and 11:30 AM Masses on Sunday & 4:30 - 5:00 PM Saturday or by appointment
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Every Wednesday—9:30 AM—12 Noon
Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotions:
Friday after 9:00 AM Mass
Perpetual Help Devotions:
Saturday after 9:00 AM Mass
First Saturday Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary begins at 8:30 AM with the Rosary, then Mass & Benediction
Baptisms by appointment
Baptismal Preparation—Every 2nd Saturday of the month in the Pastoral Center - 10:30 AM—You need to register for the class ahead of time.
Baptism Ministry (Sewing Group): Every Monday 1-3 PM in the Pastoral Center Event Room
Marriages:
Contact Pastoral Center 6 months in advance.
Sundays 12:30-2:30 PM, Flanagan Center
R.C.I.A. (Chinese):
Every Saturday—Green Room—1:30 PM
Lectio Divina: Tuesday 10—11 AM (Pastoral Center)
Bible Study Group (Chinese):
Every Wednesday—9:30 AM—12 Noon
St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting—every Monday at 7:30 PM
Parish Pastoral Council: contact Fr. Arnold Zamora
Holy Name Ladies Aid: every 1st Wednesday of the Month at 7:30 AM Mass until 11 AM (Pastoral Center)
Holy Name Choir Practice: every WEDNESDAY at 6:00 PM in the Pastoral Center
Fil-AM Club: Every 3rd Friday of the month, 7pm in the Flanagan Center.
HOLY NAME Choir Practice: every WEDNESDAY at 6:00 PM in the Pastoral Center
The Gabriel Project: Contact Rose Tang (415)793-0967
Fri:AM Club: Every Thursday at 10:30 AM (Flanagan Ctr.)
Holy Name Choir Practice: every WEDNESDAY at 6:00 PM in the Pastoral Center
The Gabriel Project: Contact Rose Tang (415)793-0967
Legion of Mary: every Tuesday at 7:30 PM
Youth Ministry: One designated Saturday a month 5 PM—7:30 PM including Mass. Contact person: Sr. Cristina & Team (415)664-8590
Blood Pressure Screening: every 2nd Wednesday from after the 7:30 AM Mass until 11 AM (Pastoral Center)
Exempt July & August
Hospitability: Every Wednesday after the 7:30 AM and 9 AM Masses in the Pastoral Center except July & August

Parish Leadership
Parish Pastoral Council: Paul Roscelli
Finance Council: Jim Regan
Stewardship Council: Bruce McKie
Liturgical Ministries:
Eucharistic Ministers & Children’s Liturgy: Roberto Beach
Lectors: Leo Nascimento
Altar Servers: Tri Nguyen
Music Ministry: Carl Vengco
Sacristans: Ramsey Ramos
Environment: Cres Payumo
Linen: Maria Lee
Faith Formation & Catechesis:
Religious Education: Hilda Dela Cruz
Rite of Christian Initiation: Terry Flaherty & Lucy Jacinto
Youth Minister: Julie Quock, Alejandra Brito, Erin Grogan, Max McClure
Pastoral Outreach
Sick & Homebound Ministry: Susan Logan
Senior Club: Pat Relampagos
Holy Name Ladies Aid: Letty Palpalatoc
Grief & Consolation Ministry: Valerie Toy
Knights of Holy Name: Bill Flaherty
Hospitality: Linda & Tony Sideco, Noreen McEllistrim, Mary Dunne
Chinese Ministry: Nelson Lao
Fil-Am Club: Ramsey Ramos
St. Vincent De Paul Conference: Carol Elliott Maloof
Marian Shrine: Ester Aue & Marisa Reyes
Legion of Mary: Ray Frost
Gabriel Project/Cancer Support: Rose Tang