Dear Friends,

I am delighted to know about this wonderful parish. I understand that this is a multicultural community of believers, who treasure Jesus Christ at the center of their faith and practice. It is my joy that I have been called to serve and give to this great community.

It is clear that the people here have a great desire to worship and to work together to build up the House of God with the aim of creating a peaceful and welcoming community of love. You allow me to appreciate your openness, as you strive to stand up for peace and justice, especially serving and caring for the hungry, poor and needy, like TABLE of PLENTY ministry and St. Vincent de Paul Society.

It is also a great joy for me to know of the many ways you contribute to our church, such as the many boys and girls that are willing to serve as Altar Servers, to whom I look forward to see on August 4th at 6pm.

I do not want forget other ministries, like music, Art & Environment, Knights of Columbus, Movimiento Familiar Cristiano, the Parish Bible study, Grupo Mariachi, Charismatic, Legion of Mary just to name a few, as well as, the many volunteers working and praying so generously for our parish.

I am so grateful for your compassion and your commitment. Please know of my support and prayers.

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Queridos amigos,

Estoy encantado de conocer esta maravillosa parroquia. Entiendo que es una comunidad multicultural de los creyentes, que adoran a Jesucristo en el centro de su fe y la práctica. Es para mí un gozo haber sido llamado a servir y a dar a esta gran comunidad.

Está claro que la gente de aquí tienen un gran deseo de trabajar juntos para construir la casa de Dios con el objetivo de crear una comunidad pacífica y acogedora de amor. Ustedes me permiten apreciar sus esfuerzo por defender la paz y la justicia, sobre todo servir y cuidar a los pobres y necesitados, como en “Table of Plenty” ministerio y San Vicente de Paúl. También está una gran alegría para mi saber de las muchas maneras que contribuyen a nuestra iglesia, desde los niños y niñas que están dispuestos a servir como monaguillos, a los que espero ver el 4 de agosto a las 6pm. No quiero olvidar a otros ministerios, como la música, el arte y el Medio Ambiente, los Caballeros de Colón, Movimiento Familiar Cristiano, el estudio de la Biblia, Grupo Mariachi, Carismáticos, Legión de María, sólo para nombrar unos pocos, así como, a los muchos voluntarios que trabajan con tanta generosidad por nuestra parroquia. Estoy muy agradecido por su compasión y su compromiso. Por favor, sepán que cuentan con mi apoyo y oraciones. Cuento contigo!

May God Bless you all,
Fr. Shouraiah Pudota
THEY’RE BACK! Our OLP Missionaries Return from Isla Mujeres to share their story…

This weekend, August 2nd and 3rd, our own OLP missionaries (and accomplished OLP Altar Servers) Joe Kulda, Angelo Novello, and Evan Quirk will be together to share from their experience of making their way to Isla Mujeres, east of Cancun, Mexico — and then traveling to serve the village of Hobompich. Fr. Joshua, Br. Emilio, and another local priest shared the journey with them. They arrived June 21st and returned home on July 1st.

“We’re all appreciate the generous support we received from our parish family and we’re looking forward to telling you all about our trip and showing you pictures of our memorable experience. We will be in front of church after Mass, please come by and say hello!”

“The LORD is near to all who call upon him…”

— Psalm 145

Parish Family Gathering
Saturday, September 6, 2014
6:00 pm — 7:30 pm
Immediately following the 5pm Mass

You’re invited! Our Parish Family is planning an informal gathering to officially welcome Father Shouraiah to Our Lady of the Pillar. It will be hosted by Clyde Beffa and the TABLE of PLENTY in partnership with all the OLP’s parish communities. See the enclosed FLYER in this bulletin for more details.

Lucia’s Farwell

Dear friends of the Parish,

It has been a great experience working for Our Lady of the Pillar Church. Due to circumstances out of my control, my family and I have decided to move out of the area. I would like to say goodbye and to say thanks to you all that have given me so much love an support.

The Parish Secretary position is now available. I invite you all to help Fr. Shouraiah in finding the right person to serve our parish. This is an active and fun position, as well as being one that is rewarding and spiritually fulfilling — more than I could have imagined when I applied for it a year ago.

We need somebody skilled and hard-working, as well as kind and loving with a drive for helping others.

Requirements:
Bilingual, English/Spanish and Portuguese would be a plus.
Bachelor Degree or Work equivalent expertise.
Office skills and computer proficiency are a must.

May God bless you all,

Lucía Gouet

Queridos amigos de la parroquia,

Ha sido una gran experiencia trabajar para la Iglesia Nuestra Señora del Pilar, y ahora, debido a circunstancias fuera de mi control, mi familia y yo decidimos mudarnos del área.

Me gustaría decir adiós y gracias a todos los que me han dado tanto amor y soporte.

Invito a todos los feligreses a ayudar al Padre Shouraiah a encontrar la persona indicada para el cargo de secretaria en la oficina. Esta posición es muy activa y divertida, así como gratificante y espiritualmente satisfactoria, como no pudiera haber imaginado cuando aplique a ella hace un año.

Necesitamos a alguien compasivo, así como bueno trabajador. Con ganas de ayudar a los demás y hacer las cosas de la manera correcta.

Requisitos: Bilingüe:Inglés/Español, Portugués a +!
Licenciatura o experiencia laboral equivalente.

Que Dios los bendiga a todos,

Lucía Gouet
Supporting Our Parish | Your Offerings

July 26 and 27, 2014 - OFFERINGS

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This week second collection: Building Funds.

Obituary Announcements

Our Lady of the Pillar Parish would like to express its deepest condolences to the families of Maria Dominguez and David E. Podwojski.
Please, remember them in your prayers.

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday EVENING, August 2, 2014
5:00 pm    Alfonso+ and Consorcia Enriquez+
8:00 pm    Lorenzo+, Francisca+ and Ana Martinez+

Sunday, August 3, 2014
8:00 am    Idalina+ and Francisco Costa+
10:00 am   Maria Bertao+
12:00 pm   Melesio Patino y Zenaida Gutierrez+
6:00 pm    John Sr+, Belmira+, John Jr, and Carlos Vaz+

Monday, August 4, 2014
8:00 am    Joe+, Arthur+ and Emilia Goulart+

Tuesday, August 5, 2014
8:00 am    Antonio Sr+ Virginia Coelho+, Frank Sr+ and Maria Vaz+

Wednesday, August 6, 2014
8:00 am    Maria Silveira+

Thursday, August 7, 2014
8:00 am    Maria Salcido+

Friday, August 8, 2014
8:00 am    Manuel Machado+ and Family+

Saturday, August 9, 2014
8:00 am    Timothy Murphy+

St. Anthony’s
6:00 pm    August 2 Por la Parroquia (for the Parish)
9:00 am    August 3 Jeanette Breen+

Our Lady of Refuge
10:30 am    August 3 Frank Vaz+

Mass schedule for the Assumption of the Virgin
Mary, Holy Day of Obligation

Thursday, August 14
6 pm St. Anthony’s (bilingual)
7 pm OLP (bilingual)

Friday, August 15
8 am OLP
5:30 pm OLP

Parish Announcements

ARCHBISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL: update
Thank you to all those who have already given. “The Lord loves a cheerful giver. May we learn to be generous in giving free from the love of material possessions” It’s our responsibility to reach our goal.

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ATTENTION: Altar Servers and their Parents
Important Meeting Monday, August 4th 6:00 pm

There is a very important meeting for the Altar Servers on Monday August 4th at 6:00pm in the Church Hall (next to the Church). All Altar Servers and parents need to attend. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office at 726.4674.

TABLE of PLENTY
You’re also invited to come for supper to experience our ministry at work any time: Supper is served every Thursday evening in the New Hall at 6:00 PM. We strive to follow Jesus’ example in all we do, serving struggling families, seniors and the homeless. Learn more on our OLP website:

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Pray for Our Parishioners Who are Sick
Pray that God’s healing power will fill them with strength and hope. To add a name, please call the Parish Office.

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Micah Warner-Carey Abby Franco    Sarah Santana
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