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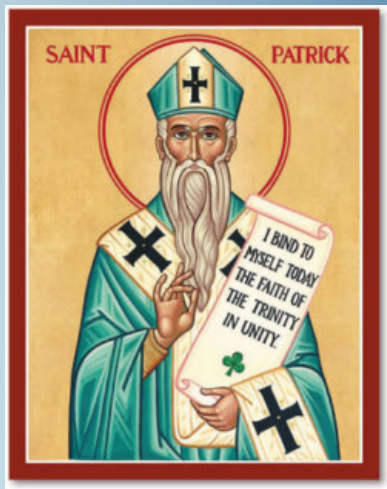
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July 2, 2023 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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7:30 am (English)

9:00 am (English)

11:00 am (English)

1:00 pm (Español)

5:00 pm (English)

Monday - 7:00 am & 8:00 am (English)

Tuesday - 7:00 am & 8:00 am (English)

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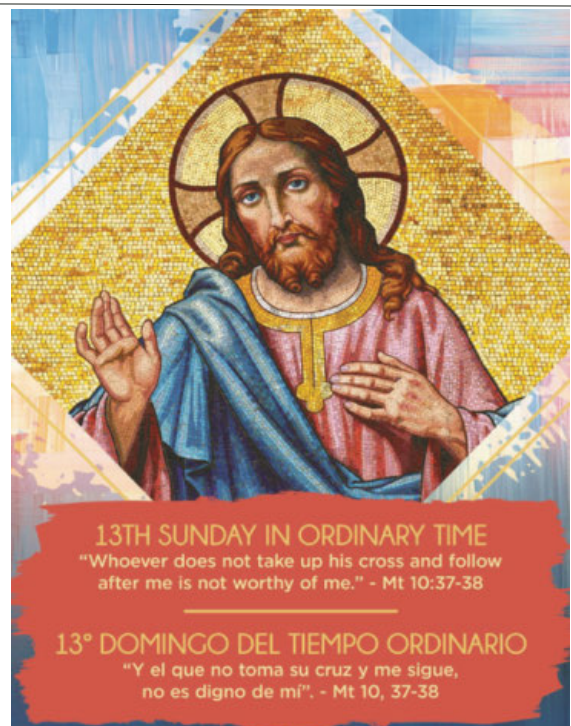
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Weekdays after 8:00am Mass & Saturdays at 4:00pm

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10:00pm.



**MONDAY - July 3**

7:00 am - Janice Arnold (d)
8:00 am - Carolyn Michaud (d)

TUESDAY - July 4 (OFFICE CLOSED)

9:00 am - Steve Dennison (d)

WEDNESDAY - July 5

7:00 am - Guadalupe De Reyes (d)
8:00 am - Leo Pacheco (d)

THURSDAY - July 6

7:00 am - E. Grace & Family (int)
8:00 am - Fogolio Family (int)

FRIDAY - July 7

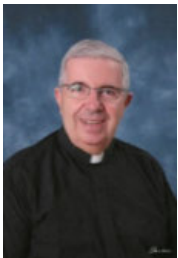
7:00 am - Tim Hewett (d)
8:00 am - Ricardo & Betty Leon (d)

SATURDAY - July 8

8:00 am - Anne Smith (d)
4:30 pm - Mary Ellen Castronovo (d)
7:00 pm - Luis Alberto y Juan Jose Preciado (d)
Subeida Garcia (d)

SUNDAY - July 9

7:30 am - Robert Perrie (d)
9:00 am - John Visser (d)
11:00 am - Lorraine Martini (d)
1:00 pm - Juan Matadamas (d)
Miembros Difuntos de la Familia Pástor Cardena
5:00 pm - Jack Donahue (d)

**A WORD FROM THE PASTOR**

I always enjoy the excitement and joy of children receiving Holy Communion for the first time. Typically, that happens during the month of May and we have several First Communion Masses. I always take the opportunity to invite the rest of the congregation to consider if they have the same excitement and joy in receiving Communion. It is such a privilege for us to be able to receive the Body of Christ.

During this year of Eucharistic Revival, I think that each one of us (including we priests) has the opportunity to renew our sense of wonder and joy at receiving Holy Communion each week (or even daily). At every celebration of the Eucharist, Jesus extends an invitation to us: "Take and eat. This is my Body." Just before we receive Communion, the priest boldly proclaims: "Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb." Does that invitation stir up anything inside of you?

Even though we pray: "Lord, I am not worthy...", God makes us worthy. Jesus says: come to me with your sins and your hesitation. I will feed you, heal you, make you strong. **If we wait until we feel worthy, we will miss the opportunity to welcome the Lord into our hearts.**

I also want to say a word about those of us who distribute the Eucharist as Holy Communion: the priests, deacons and special ministers of the Eucharist. We also feel the great privilege of sharing the Body of Christ with our brothers and sisters. It fills us with joy as we distribute the Body of Christ at Mass or bring Communion to people in their homes. But we also feel unworthy.

We are called to this ministry not because we are worthy or are holier than anyone else. As St. Paul says: we are earthen vessels, fragile and even broken. We are very aware of our sinfulness. Despite our faults, God uses us as instruments of his grace. We humbly accept the invitation of the Lord to feed His Body (the Church) with the Body of Christ (the Eucharist).

We are blessed to have a good number of Special Ministers of Holy Communion in our parish who minister on a regular basis. They are generous with their time and feel privileged to share in this ministry. In all humility, they minister at the altar despite their unworthiness. I am very grateful for their service.

At the same time, I have to say that **we need more Eucharistic Ministers**. Some did not return after the pandemic. Some have moved away. Some just felt a need "to retire." I am asking each of our parishioners to prayerfully consider an invitation from the Lord to share in this ministry. Please consider serving as a Special Minister of Holy Communion in our parish. During this year of Eucharistic Revival, I would like to see us double the number of lay people who distribute the Eucharist.

Next weekend, there will be a table on the patio at which some Eucharistic ministers will be available to answer your questions about this ministry. You will even be able to sign up if you feel called. But don't wait until you feel worthy.

In one Heart,

Fr. Ron

En observación del día festivo todas las oficinas parroquiales estarán cerradas el martes **4 de julio**



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Un saludo del Diácono Miguel

“En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a sus apóstoles: El que ama a su padre o a su madre más que a mí, no es digno de mí; el que ama a su hijo o a su hija más que a mí, no es digno de mí; y el que no toma su cruz y me sigue, no es digno de mí”. (Mateo 10:37). ¿Qué sientes al escuchar a Jesús a decirle a sus discípulos, “el que **ama a su padre** o a su madre **más que a mí**; o, el que **ama a su hijo** o hija **mas que a mí**, **no es digno de mí**”? Claro que **no es fácil** para **entender y aceptar**. Todos sabemos el **gran amor** que le tenemos a **nuestros padres e hijos**. Y si les **falta algo** hacemos **lo necesario** para que **lo consigan**. O si nos **llegaran a faltar**, sentiríamos el **corazón quebrado**, y hasta llegar a **sufrir una depresión**. No creo que **Jesús** nos está diciendo que **nos olvidemos** de **nuestros padres e hijos**. ¿Acaso no dice en los **10 Mandamientos**, “**Honraras a tu padre y madre**”? Tampoco nos dice que **ignoremos a nuestros hijos**, porque ellos **son dones de Dios**, frutos del **amor con nuestra pareja**. Entonces, ¿que nos quiere decir Jesús con estas **palabras fuerte**? Que **Dios**, tiene que ser el **primero en nuestra vida**. Dios tiene que tomar el **asiento #1** en nuestro **corazón, mente y ser**. Preguntémonos, “¿**Quién es el #1** de tu vida?” ¿Eres tú mismo? Si somos nosotros los #1’s de nuestras vidas, **allí no entra Dios**, sólo nuestro **egoísmo y orgullo** se mirará. Pero **allí no entra Dios**. Este domingo, meditemos sobre las palabras que hemos escuchado del Evangelio según San Mateo, y preguntémonos, “¿**Quién es el #1** de tu vida?”

- **Diácono Miguel Enríquez**



INSCRIPCIONES PARA LA CATEQUESIS Curso 2023-2024

Ya estamos registrando para el nuevo curso 2023-2024. Puede pasar a llenar la aplicación a la oficina de catequesis en el horario que aparece arriba o visitar el sitio web de la parroquia y llenar la solicitud en línea.

ORDEN DE LA INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA

Los papás que tengan un niño de 7 años o mayor y aún no ha sido bautizado los invitamos a registrarlo para la Iniciación Cristiana que los prepara para el Bautismo y Primera Comunión.

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La sopa es gratuita y se sirve los **jueves** de 4:30pm a 6:00pm en el salón parroquial. ¡Todos son bienvenidos!



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Nos reunimos todos los **viernes de 6:00 a 7:30 PM** en el salón Fr. Mullen localizado en la escuela St. Patricio. ¡Las esperamos!

In observance of the holiday, All Parish offices will be closed Tuesday **July 4.**



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GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

As a boy my favorite board game was "Chutes and Ladders." The players roll dice to move from the start to the finish, from the bottom of the board to the top. If you land on a chute, you slide back and down. It was a bummer. Land on a ladder, and you jump well up the board and near the goal. It was a thrill to find a ladder and draw closer to the goal. That's life, isn't it? At every moment, we're either moving closer or farther from the goal of our lives.

How do we win? Jesus tells us the secret of life's chutes and ladders hinges on getting our loves rightly ordered. What we love in life is meant to be a ladder, drawing us up into God's love — including our family, friends, work, play, food, and drink. Even to give your water to someone out of love for Christ leads to a sure reward.

But those ladders of our loves can become chutes. If we love even our family members more than Christ, we slide down and back. If we love the persons and things in our life for the sake of Christ, He says we **"surely will not lose our reward."**

The key difference between a chute and ladder, between our spiritual regression and advancement, is our willingness to renounce everything — even our own life — for the love of Jesus. To allow everything and everyone we love to draw us to love him more — that's the difference between chutes and ladders.

— **Father John Muir**

Eucharistic Revival Corner

Here is a homily given by Fr. Peter Escalante as a part of our diocesan Eucharistic Initiative in 2021. It would be good to listen again to it as a part of the National Eucharistic Revival.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WmZUBxQ1uEc>

Last Week's Collection (June 24/25 2023)

Envelope Collection:	\$4,809.00
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Online Giving:	\$12,992.33
Total :	\$25,322.33

We are grateful for the generosity of all of our parishioners and visitors.



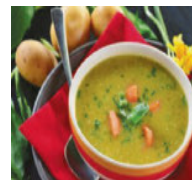
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Religious Education & Family Ministry

(PreK – 8th grade)

Early Faith Formation: How We Learn and Grow in Faith

The classes for our youngest students are offered on Sunday morning during the 9am mass.

- * The children age 3 1/2 and older in our **preschool class** enjoy circle time for prayer and sharing as well as coloring worksheets, creating small booklets, and many more activities from the “I Am Special” program that focuses on all of God’s creation and how we can find God everywhere and with all of our senses.
- * The students in our **Kindergarten class** learn about our ancestors in faith. They color beautiful worksheets that help them retell the Old Testament stories and the lives of the saints at home. As they learn and discuss with each other how Jesus loves, heals, and teaches people the boys and girls are inspired to shine as friends of Jesus at home and at school.

The online registration is open for all our classes from Preschool through 8th grade. Visit our website www.stpatrickcarlsbad.com Click on Religious Education and then Preschool – 8th grade. General information and the online form are at the side bar.

Reflection: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Living as Jesus wants his followers to live involves challenges. However, the more we focus on how God asks us to treat each other the more our capacity for love expands! We love everyone better, our family, friends, coworkers, and neighbors.

Parents: Where do you need to put someone else’s needs ahead of what you want for yourself?

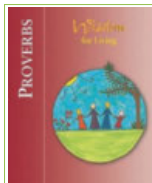
Children: How is Jesus teaching you to love others?

Act: Seek to bring joy to someone who is lonely.

Pray: For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

Please contact our office for program information and to register in person.

Office for Religious Education & Family Ministry
Margit Dornisch at 760-729-8442 or
MDornisch@stpatrickcarlsbad.com



6-week Summer Bible Study: Wisdom for Living

Register this weekend after all the masses!

Meeting Times:

* 6 Monday evenings; 7:00 – 8:30pm,

July 10 – August 14.

* 6 Tuesday mornings; 10:00 – 11:30am,

July 11 – August 15.

Venue: Parish Center. \$15 booklet fee.

Register in the parish office or contact Carol King at
stpatbiblestudy40@gmail.com or 760-434-5688.

Join us!

New parishioners and those new to bible study are most welcome!

St. Paul Street Evangelization

The St. Paul Street Evangelization team here at St. Patrick is inviting you to join us as we experience the joy in sharing our Catholic Faith with our neighbors in a loving non-confrontational manner. We meet weekly at the Carlsbad oceanfront with Catholic materials and a small team that yearns to share our Catholic faith. For more details call **Chris Smoczynski 760-419-7860**



Showers of Blessings Carlsbad would like to extend a special thank you to all of the volunteers who have helped over the past 6 years. You have helped to bring about so much good in the lives of our homeless neighbors. We have seen this ministry grow exponentially. We are currently serving between 60-70 people each week in many different capacities:

- Food bags (sandwiches, bagels, fresh fruit, juice, water and other non perishables)
- Clothing (clean underwear, jeans, shirts, jackets, hoodies and shoes)
- Medical services (15 - 20 each week)
- Laundry services (25-30 loads each week)
- Hot showers (24-26 each week)
- Haircuts (15-20 each week)
- Mobile Dental Clinic Coming Soon!

We are so grateful to those volunteers who have sustained us over these 6 years. But we are in need of more help now, as some have moved on or are just not able to help any more. We are looking for:

- **Tuesday** volunteers from **7am- 11:30** (helping to distribute clothes, food, toiletries and folks to help monitor showers and clean them after showers)
- Volunteers, once a month, to provide food for the bags we hand out to everyone

If you are called to help on Tuesday morning please call Chris Durnan 760-533-7139, or chrisdurnan4@gmail.com
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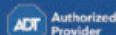
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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A
First Reading

2 Kings 4:8-11,14-16a

Hospitality extended to Elisha will be rewarded.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 89:2-3,16-19

Sing God's praises forever.

Second Reading

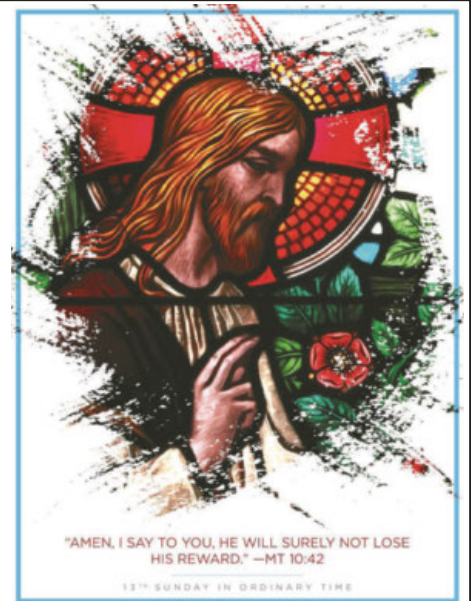
Romans 6:3-4,8-11

Through Christ we are dead to sin but alive in God.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 10:37-42

Jesus outlines the costs and rewards of discipleship.



Background on the Gospel Reading

Today's Gospel is the conclusion of the instructions and consolations that we have heard Jesus offering to his disciples during the past few weeks. In this passage, Jesus summarizes both the costs of discipleship and its rewards. Once again our understanding of the Gospel is strengthened by considering the context in which it was written and the perspective of Matthew's audience.

The conditions of discipleship outlined in Matthew's Gospel may appear harsh. Yet they underline for us a truth—choosing anything with one's whole heart has consequences. Choosing life with Christ means that every relationship we have must be understood from a new perspective. For many in Matthew's community, this choice brought division to their family.

Matthew also outlines the reward of hospitality offered to Jesus' followers. In today's Gospel, Jesus explains the difficulties of discipleship, yet reveals that those who welcome the disciples have also welcomed him.

Today's Gospel also highlights for us the importance of hospitality in the Christian life. To welcome another in Jesus' name is to extend hospitality to Jesus himself. We have many opportunities in our daily life to reach out to others, to be a welcoming presence and a sign of God's love.

