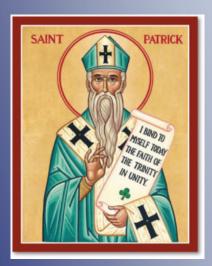


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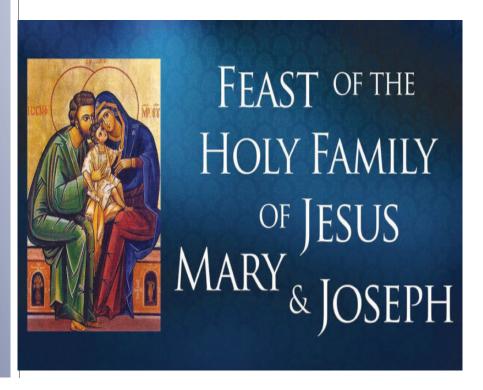
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MONDAY - Jan. 1 (Soleminty of Mary)

9:00 am - Brett Strother (int)

TUESDAY - Jan. 2

7:00 am - David Downing (d) 8:00 am - Rafael Cordova (d)

WEDNESDAY - Jan 3

7:00 am - E. Grace & Family (int) 8:00 am - Matthew Smith (d)

THURSDAY - Jan 4

7am - Elizabeth Rudy (d) 8am - Edward Nowell (d) FRIDAY - Jan 5

7:00 am - Otsko Lavitt (d)

8:00 am - Andrew Mary Hicks (d)

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8:00 am - Alice Pauline Robinson (d)
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7:00 pm - Pedro y Andres Ochoa (d)

SUNDAY - Jan 7

7:30 am - Ken Makiej (d) 9:00 am - Ross Leitz (d)

11:00 am 1:00 pm Thomas Donahue (int)
Jamie Cordova (d)
Rafael Cordova (d)

5:00pm - Eliana Savelli (d)

A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of the Holy Family of Joseph, Mary and Jesus. Within the octave of Christmas, we are reminded that the Son of God, by becoming flesh, was born into a human family.

The Holy Family of Nazareth serves as a perfect model for Christian families, providing an example of holiness in daily life, work, and the meeting of trials with courage, fidelity, and love. The Holy Family knew poverty, danger, persecution, and hard work, which formed the repetitive context of their daily life.

Pope St. Paul VI emphasized the importance of the home of Nazareth as a school where one learns the life of Jesus and the teachings of the Gospel, particularly the lessons of silence, family life, and work. The Holy Family's experience of anxiety, pain, and hard labor, as well as their observance of the Law and religious practices, make them relatable to the challenges faced by many families today.

The Church also recognizes the holiness of other married couples, such as Saints Louis and Zelia Martin, Blesseds Louis and Maria Beltrame Quattrocchi, and Venerables Tancredi and Julia of Barolo, who became means of sanctification for each other. (To learn more about their lives, google their names.) These examples highlight the importance of family holiness and the multiplication of personal gifts in conjugality, emphasizing that growth in holiness is a journey done in community.

As we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family, we pray that our families may experience the abiding presence of God as we gather in our homes, as we go to work and school, and as we strive to live together in a way that supports one another in our families.

Parents and grandparents have a critical role to play in families as they model Christian behavior, counsel with wisdom, and foster growth in each member of the family. All families are holy families when they seek to live gospel values in daily life.

I pray that this beautiful feast day may inspire each of us to recognize the ways that we can contribute to harmony and peace in our families. Together as families, may we reach out to those in need after the example of Jesus.

In one Heart,

FR. Ron

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Todas nuestras oficinas parroquiales permanecerán cerradas del **23 de diciembre** al **2 de enero**,

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En caso de emergencia, llame al teléfono de la parroquia (760-729-2866) y cuando comience el mensaje grabado, presione la extensión 6.

Eso lo conectará con un sacerdote.

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¡ Qué tengan unas felices fiestas!



Un saludo de parte del Diácono Miguel

Hoy, cerramos el año 2023 con la gran fiesta de **La Sagrada Familia de Jesús, María y José**. Y es un **tiempo apropiado** para mirar y evaluar cómo estamos **viviendo como familia** las cosas de Dios. Los valores de Dios. La semana pasada

abrimos regalos y todos sonreíamos. ¿Pero qué pasa en nuestras familias cuando no estamos abriendo regalos? ¿Hay amor, paz, respeto, confianza, misericordia, dignidad, autonomía? El Papa San Juan Pablo II, escribió (Encuentro con las Familias en Chihuahua 1990), "La familia es la primera comunidad de vida y amor el primer ambiente donde uno puede aprender a amar y a sentirse amado, no sólo por otras personas, sino también y ante todo por Dios." El Papa Juan Pablo II nos recuerda que es necesario que los esposos orienten, desde el principio, su corazón y sus pensamientos hacia Dios, para que su paternidad y maternidad, encuentren en Él la fuerza para renovarse continuamente en el amor. Así como Jesús creció en sabiduría y gracia ante Dios, en nuestras familias debe suceder lo mismo. Esto significa que los niños deben aprender a ser amables y respetuosos con todos, ser estudiosos, obedecer a sus padres, confiar en ellos, ayudarlos y quererlos, orar por ellos, y todo esto en familia. No siempre es fácil, habrá experiencias donde seremos tentados de hacer las cosas de "otras maneras" que no son de Dios. Y obviamente esto causará bastante dolor en el corazón. Pero recordemos siempre, que no estamos solos. Dios está con nosotros, y con nuestra mirada puesta en Dios, nos dará lo que necesitamos y saldremos adelante.

¡Feliz Año Nuevo 2024!

- Diácono Miguel Enríquez



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"luz del mundo y sal de la tierra" (Mateo 5,13).

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!



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Fiesta de la Sagrada Familia.

Muchas veces nos molestamos por que las cosas no salen como nosotros esperábamos. Peró a veces lo que deseamos ni siquiera era posible para la familia de nuestro Señor. Pensemos en todas las dificultades y los cambios, las alegrías y las tristezas que tuvo la Sagrada Familia. Mariá recibió la noticia que concebiría un Hijo del Espíritu Santo, nuestro Señor y Salvador. ¡Qué dicha significó esta noticia para ella! Poco después José al verla en estado, y sabiendo que el hijo no era suyo, quedó sumido en una profunda aflicción. María se llenó de dolor al darse cuenta de que su querido José estaba a punto de dejarla. Una vez pasada la tormenta ambos experimentaron una gran alegría. La misma alegría llenó sus corazones cuando los pastores llegaron junto con los Reyes Magos a ver al niño.

Sin embargo, poco después el ángel del Señor apareció ante José en un sueño y le dijo, "Toma al niño y a su madre y huye con ellos a Egipto". Indudablemente este mandato preocupó a Mariá y a José. Aún así, él no respondió: "¿Por qué he de hacer este viaje de noche? ¿Acaso no puede esperar hasta la mañana? No tengo ni un caballo ni dinero". Si nosotros estuviéramos en el lugar de José, ¿no habríamos inventado mil excusas para no hacerlo? Mientras que él inmediatamente hizo todo lo que el ángel le ordenó. La paz y la serenidad mental que poseían Maria y José demuestran su constante disponibilidad a cumplir con la voluntad de Dios, aun a pesar de todos los sucesos inesperados que tuvieron lugar durante sus vidas.

Nosotros también, cuando encontremos problemas similares en nuestras vidas, debemos repetirnos una y otra vez, para grabar esta verdad en nuestra mente, que ninguna perturbación va a conducir nuestro corazón y nuestra mente a un estado en el que perderemos el control de nuestro temperamento. Al igual que hiciera con la Sagrada Familia, Dios nos guiará por nuestro propio camino sin importar cuán difícil sea.

Adaptación de los escritos de San Francisco de Sales, Serenidad de Corazón: Sobrellevando los Problemas de Esta Vida, Sophia Press



Offices Closed

All of our parish offices will be closed from December 23 to January 2, and will **reopen on Wednesday**, **January 3, 2024.**

In case of an emergency, call the parish phone (760-729-2866) and when the recorded message begins, **press extension 6**. That will connect you to a priest. This is for **urgent needs only**.



Mary, Mother of God

January 1 is the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God. It is also the annual World Day of Prayer for Peace. And it is the beginning of a new year. For all of these reasons, it is a wonderful day to join in the celebration of the Eucharist. *We will have one parish Mass on January 1 at 9:00 am.*

(It is not a holy day of obligation.)

12th Annual San Diego Walk for Life

This will be held on Saturday, January 13, 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at Waterfront Park, Downtown San Diego. Join Cardinal McElroy and thousands of people to stand up for the lives of the unborn and their mothers. Bring your loved ones with lifeaffirming signs and enjoy inspirational speakers, live music, exhibitors, and free drawings. Pre-order your t-shirt and register for the video contest today. For more information and flyers, go to www.sandiegowalkforlife.org.



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Annual Christmas Star Program

We would like to thank each and every one of you for your continued generosity that made it possible for us to make Christmas a little brighter for over 73 families this year. The thought and kindness behind each of the gifts and donations were beyond amazing! Thank you so much to everyone who made this possible!!

Our Lord will continue to bless your goodness. Have a Happy Healthy and Peace filled New Year!!

Thank you for helping us make a difference!

Thank you!

The priests of St. Patrick Parish wish to thank all the parishioners who sent a card, gave a gift or extended a greeting at Christmas this year. We are most appreciative of the support that you show us. Be assured of our prayers for you and your families every day.

The Eudist Fathers

Pray for Your Priests

Are you aware that the Diocese of San Diego has a prayer schedule that invites us to pray for our priests? On each day of the year, there is a priest for whom we are asked to pray. Take a look and include these priests in your daily prayer. https://sdcatholic.org/priests/



JAMES R. & GERALDINE F. BERTELSEN SCHOLARSHIP

This \$10,000 scholarship is open to high school seniors and current college students who will be attending a four-year Roman Catholic college or university for the 2024-2025 academic year. Students must live in Carlsbad, Oceanside, Vista, San Marcos or Encinitas to be eligible.

The Bertelsen Scholarship will be available on the San Diego Foundation's on-line Common Scholarship Application starting on *January 17, 2024*, with a submission deadline of 2:00 PM PST on March 6, 2024. The application link available to students for the Bertelsen Scholarship and other scholarships can be found here:

www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=sdfs.

<u>Email scholarships@sdfoundation.org</u> or call 619-814-1343 if you have additional questions.



Religious Education & Family Ministry (PreK – 8th grade)

Holy Family of Nazareth, Grant that our families too may be places of communion and prayer, authentic schools of the Gospel and small domestic churches. Holy Family of Nazareth,

sustain us in this journey of faith and love. Pope Francis.

Reflect: We can look to Mary and Joseph, who observed the practices that were part of their faith. We can ask for their intercession as we engage children, grandchildren, and younger family members in the practices of our catholic

Act: What practice can you commit to as a family to live your faith (for example: meal prayers, Sunday Mass, serving others)

Pray: Holy Family of Nazareth, sustain us in this journey of faith and love.

Our Sunday Classes will resume on Jan 7, 2024. Our Monday classes will resume on Jan 8, 2024. Our Tuesday classes will resume on Jan 9, 2024.

Blessings for a healthy and happy New Year. Margit Dornisch Religious Education and Family Ministry MDornisch@stpatrickcarlsbad.com or 760-729-8442.



Fr. Azam Mansha, CJM Mondays, Jan. 8- Feb. 12, 2024 6:30pm-9:00pm St. Patrick's, Carlsbad

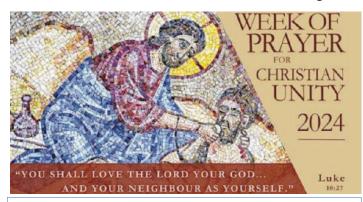
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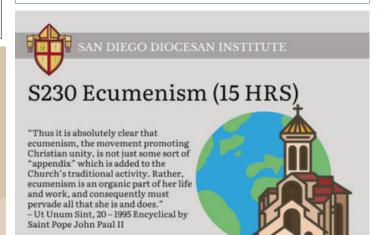


Please mark your calendars!

You remember that last January, St. Patrick Parish served as host church for the Night of Prayer for Christian Unity. It was a beautiful service with an excellent speaker. Once again, we will join with some other North County Christian churches in a night of prayer.

This year's "Night of Prayer for Christian Unity" will be held on Thursday, January. 25, 2024, at 6:30pm at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in

Encinitas. Our Director of Liturgy and Music, Joni Yribe, will be leading the combined choir. Mark this special event on your calendar. More information will follow soon.



Rev. Ron Bagley, D. Min.

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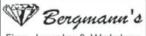
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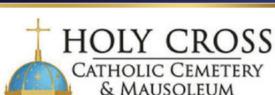
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Feast of the Holy Family - Year B

First Reading

Genesis 15:1-6; 21:1-3

God fulfills his promise to Abraham, and Sarah gives birth to a son.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 105:1-6,8-9

A prayer of thanksgiving to God for his faithfulness to his covenant.

Second Reading

Hebrews 11:8,11-12,17-19

Paul examines Abraham's example of faith.

Gospel Reading

Luke 2:22-40

Mary and Joseph present Jesus at the Temple in accordance with the Law of Moses.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of the Holy Family. This celebration is assigned to the Sunday within the octave of Christmas. The Gospel for today is taken from the Gospel according to Luke and is part of Luke's Infancy Narrative.

Today's Gospel describes the presentation of the child Jesus in the Temple and shows Joseph and Mary as devout Jews, following the prescriptions of the Law of Moses. The Gospel alludes to several aspects of the Law of Moses: circumcision, the dedication of the firstborn son to the Lord, and the purification of a woman after childbirth.

According to the Law of Moses as presented in the Book of Leviticus, a woman was considered ritually unclean during her menstrual period and for a prescribed period of time following the birth of a child. After the birth of a son, a woman was considered ritually unclean for 40 days. After the birth of a daughter, a woman was considered unclean for 80 days. In order to be restored to ritual purity, a Jewish woman performed the appropriate rites of purification and made the prescribed ritual offering.

Today's Gospel notes that Jesus was circumcised on the eighth day after his birth, in accordance with the Mosaic Law. At that time, he was called Jesus, the name he was given by the angel Gabriel. On the 40th day after Jesus' birth, Mary performed the appropriate purification rites and made her offering at the Temple. Although the Law of Moses required an offering of a lamb, those who could not afford a lamb could substitute two turtledoves or two pigeons. In this scene, Luke identifies Joseph and Mary as being poor, and indeed throughout Luke's Gospel, Jesus will show special concern for the poor.

Another Jewish rite referenced in this Gospel is the dedication of the firstborn son to the Lord. In remembrance of the feast of Passover, when the firstborn children of the Israelites in Egypt were saved from death, the Law of Moses prescribed that all firstborn males of Israel should be consecrated to the Lord. In this tradition, Mary and Joseph present the infant Jesus in the Temple in Jerusalem.

In Jerusalem, Luke reports that Mary and Joseph encounter two devout Jews, Simeon and Anna, who recognize the infant Jesus as the fulfillment of Israel's hope for redemption. In Simeon's words we find a prediction of Mary's witnessing of Jesus' death on the cross. The Canticle of Simeon, also called by its Latin name, *Nunc Dimitis*, is prayed at night prayer, or compline, during the Liturgy of the Hours.

