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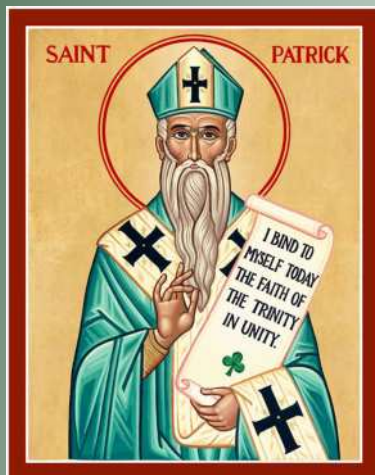
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October 26, 2025 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Saturday / Sábado

4:30 pm (English)

7:00 pm (Español)

Sunday / Domingo

7:30 am (English)

9:00 am (English)

11:00 am (English)

1:00 pm (Español)

5:00 pm (English)

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

Saturday - 8:00 am (English)

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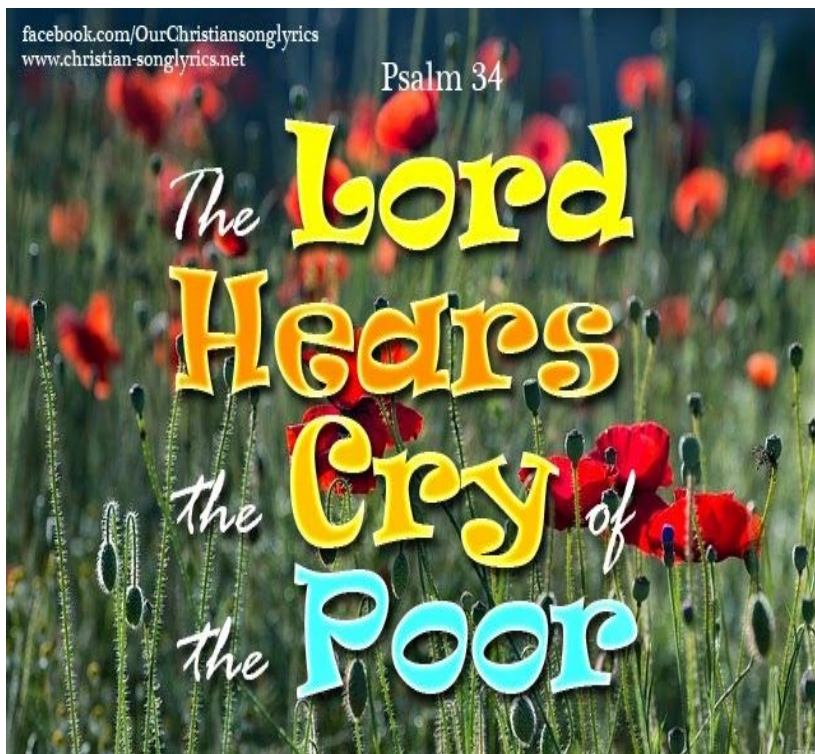
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10:00pm.

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Psalm 34

The Lord
Hears
the Cry of
the Poor



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY - Oct 27 -

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

TUESDAY - Oct 28 -

7:00 am - Dcn. Stan Rudger (d)
8:00 am - George Kramer (d)

WEDNESDAY - Oct 29 -

7:00 am - Mass of Thanksgiving (int)
8:00 am - Nora Araiza (int)

THURSDAY - Oct 30 -

7:00 am - Courtney Miller O'Mara (int)
8:00 am - Jose Alfredo Tellez (d)

FRIDAY - Oct 31 -

7:00 am - Valerie Martinez Everton (d)
8:00 am - Dr. Ed Nowell (d)

SATURDAY - Nov 1 - All Saints

7:00 am - Faith Community of St. Patrick Parish (int)
8:00 am - Joseph Oliveri (d)
10:30am - Faith Community of St. Patrick Parish (int)
4:30 pm - Migrants in Cecot Prison (int)
7:00 pm - Catalina Serrano (d)
Martin Zuniga (d)

SUNDAY - Nov 2 - All Souls

7:30 am - Gene & Irene Massie (d)
9:00 am - Blake Brinkerhoff (d)
11:00 am - Juan Santiago (d)
1:00 pm - Mariano Galan (int)
Luis Covarrubias (d)
5:00 pm - Stephanie Bankey Kennedy (d)



PASTOR'S NOTES -

*Fr. George G. Perez, CJM - Pastor -
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

We live in a world that teaches us that in order to be remembered, we must be noticed. From a young age, this idea becomes the foundation for how many people measure success and self-worth. Just look at television, social media, or ask a teenager what they hope to become—many will say they want to be influencers. But as Christians, we know that there is truly only one real Influencer in our world—Jesus Christ. Everyone else, no matter how famous or popular, is simply a talking head. In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector—two men who go to the Temple to pray. The Pharisee stands tall, confident in his own righteousness, and proudly lists all his good deeds before God. The tax collector, by contrast, stands at a distance, unable even to raise his eyes to heaven. With a humble heart, he simply prays, "O God, be merciful to me, a sinner."

Jesus concludes with a profound truth: "Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted." God desires from us a humble and contrite heart more than any display of piety or achievement. He is not impressed by titles, accomplishments, or outward religiosity. He listens to the prayer of those who approach Him in sincerity and humility. The first reading from Sirach reinforces this: "The Lord is a God of justice, who knows no favorites." He hears the cry of the oppressed, the orphan, and the widow. God is not swayed by appearances or status—He responds to the prayer that comes from honesty and need. This is why the humble tax collector, rather than the proud Pharisee, leaves the Temple justified. In the second reading, St. Paul, nearing the end of his life, writes to Timothy that he has "fought the good fight, finished the race, and kept the faith." Paul's confidence comes not from pride but from trust in the Lord who has guided and strengthened him. His reward is not something he earned—it is a gift from God's grace and mercy.

Like Paul, we are called to persevere in faith, knowing that salvation is not earned but received. The "crown of righteousness" is promised to all who long for Christ's coming. This week, let us strive to pray with humility, trust God's mercy, and follow the example of the true Influencer, Jesus Christ.



Annual Catholic Appeal

ACA is an important part the Church's outreach in the Diocese of San Diego. Every

parish has to support the mission of the Diocese. **Our goal this year is high: \$105,875.00**

It is a challenge for us to achieve it.

So far, we have only collected about **\$76,889.80**. We need another **\$28,985.20 to reach our goal**. If we do not reach our goal, our parish must make up the difference. Please help us and the Diocese by making your contribution.

The brochures that describe the good ministries done by ACA and how to contribute are located at the doors of the church. If you have any questions, call the parish office or stop by.

Thank you for your support!



Mark Your Calendars

The **Altar Society** will be holding their annual Christmas Boutique the weekend of **November 22 & 23**.

By summer's end, you most probably have inventoried your youngsters' possessions of toys, stuffed animals and books that no longer interest them. Here is how we, the Ladies of the Altar Society, can help you find a home for these treasures. Donate them for our Christmas Boutique and we will find a new home for them. We are also looking for gently used household items, particularly Christmas decor that you no longer use. Items can be dropped off at the church office Monday thru Friday from 8:30 to 12:30 and 1:30 to 4:30.





**Notas del Párroco –
P. George G. Pérez, C.J.M.- Párroco
30 Domingo del tiempo ordinario**

Vivimos en un mundo que nos enseña que, para ser recordados, debemos ser vistos.

Desde muy jóvenes, esta idea se convierte en la base de cómo muchas personas miden el éxito y el valor propio. Solo hay que mirar la televisión, las redes sociales o preguntar a un adolescente qué espera ser, y muchos dirán que quieren ser influencers. Pero como cristianos, sabemos que hay un único verdadero Influenciador en nuestro mundo: Jesucristo. Todos los demás, sin importar cuán famosos o populares sean, son simplemente voces que hablan sin transformar. En el Evangelio de este domingo, Jesús nos cuenta la parábola del fariseo y el recaudador de impuestos, dos hombres que suben al Templo a orar. El fariseo se mantiene erguido, confiado en su propia justicia, y enumera orgullosamente sus buenas obras ante Dios. El recaudador, en cambio, se mantiene a distancia, sin atreverse siquiera a levantar la mirada al cielo. Con un corazón humilde, simplemente ora: “Dios, ten misericordia de mí, pecador.”

Jesús concluye con una verdad profunda: “Quien se enaltece será humillado, y quien se humilla será enaltecido.” Dios desea de nosotros un corazón humilde y contrito más que cualquier demostración de piedad o logro. No se impresiona con títulos, logros o religiosidad externa; escucha la oración de quien se acerca a Él con sinceridad y humildad.

La primera lectura del libro del Sirácide lo confirma: “El Señor es un Dios de justicia que no hace acepción de personas.” Él escucha el clamor de los oprimidos, los huérfanos y las viudas. Dios no se deja llevar por las apariencias o el estatus; responde a la oración que nace de la honestidad y la necesidad. Por eso el humilde recaudador de impuestos, y no el orgulloso fariseo, sale justificado del Templo.

En la segunda lectura, San Pablo, cerca del final de su vida, escribe a Timoteo que ha “combatido el buen combate, terminado la carrera y conservado la fe.” La confianza de Pablo no viene del orgullo, sino de la confianza en el Señor que lo ha guiado y fortalecido. Su recompensa no es algo que haya ganado, sino un don de la gracia y misericordia de Dios. Como Pablo, estamos llamados a perseverar en la fe, sabiendo que la salvación no se gana, sino que se recibe. La “corona de justicia” se promete a todos los que esperan la venida de Cristo. Esta semana, esforcémonos por orar con humildad, confiar en la misericordia de Dios y seguir el ejemplo del verdadero Influenciador: Jesucristo.



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ORDEN DE LA INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA

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Puede inscribirlos en-línea a través del cito web de St Patrick o pasar a la oficina de catequesis para inscribirlos personalmente. El proceso ya ha comenzado pero seguimos aceptando aplicaciones

Día de Todos los Santos

El **sábado 1 de noviembre** es la solemnidad de Todos los Santos. Las misas de nuestra parroquia son a las **7:00am** y a las **8:00am**. También habrá una misa bilingüe a las **10:00am**. Como es sábado, no es día santo de guarda.

Día de los Difuntos

El **domingo 2 de noviembre** es el Día de los Difuntos. Tendremos nuestro horario habitual de misas dominicales y se utilizarán las lecturas y oraciones del Día de los Difuntos en todas las misas del sábado por la tarde y el domingo.

Misa anual por los difuntos

Nuestra misa anual por todos aquellos que han fallecido durante el último año se celebrará el **lunes 3 de noviembre a las 7:00pm**. Todos están invitados a participar en esta celebración, durante la cual se leerán los nombres y se encenderá una vela por cada uno de nuestros seres queridos fallecidos.

FELIZ día de TODOS los SANTOS



Caregivers Support Group

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to come. There is no registration or standard curriculum. **Purpose:** For those who are currently caregiving, or who have lost a loved one for whom they were in a caregiving role.

Topics: May include but not limited to -- self-compassion and self-care, coping strategies, cultivating play and rest, anticipatory grief, what to expect at end of life, financial and legal matters, letting go of anxiety, how to ask for help, coping with loss of control, and other topics.

The group is facilitated by a trained counselor from Hospice of the North Coast, Rev. Chris from St. Michael's, and Dcn. Rick from St. Pat's.

Meets the **1st & 3rd Thursdays**
from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: Nov. 6 th

The meetings are conducted in-person at **St. Michael's by the Sea Parish Hall, 2775 Carlsbad Blvd., Carlsbad, CA 92008**
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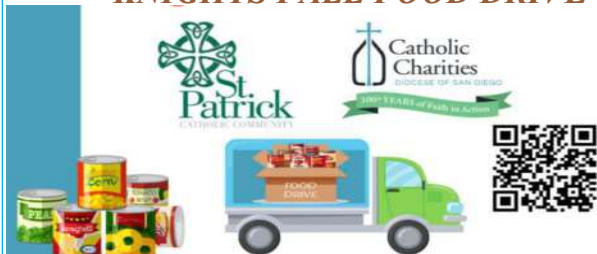
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The main donation station will be located by the **front door** of the **Parish Hall**, look for the Knights of Columbus pop up tent as well as the church patio. Knights will be there to accept your donations of **non- perishable** food items

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Weekly Classes

Sunday classes: Oct 26, Nov 2, 9 & 16

Monday classes: Oct 27, Nov 3, 10 & 17

Tuesday classes: Oct 28, Nov 4 & 18; *no class on Nov 11*

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus is contrasting two ways of appearing before God with the parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector. The Pharisee is very pleased with himself. He has "outdone" himself in abiding by religious laws and looks down on others "less holy" than himself. The tax collector knows his place before God and begs God to have mercy on him, a sinner. How we stand before God is important. Being humble is seeing ourselves as God sees us: someone who is strong in many ways, weak in other ways, but someone who is always loved. With such humility, our lives can praise God, and we can trust that God will be merciful to us.

Adults: When have you felt self-satisfied in observing the mistakes of others? What should we remember at such times?

Children: Have you ever thought you were better than someone else? What does Jesus tell us?

Prayer: "O God, be merciful to me a sinner"

Halloween Candy Drive

Donate wrapped Halloween candy to the House of the Poor in Tijuana. The sweets will become part of the Sisters' annual Christmas distribution to over 1500 families. Please put wrapped candy in bags marked "Candy Collection" and bring to your Religious Education class or the Parish Office by November 10. **Thank you.**

Blessings, Margit Dornisch - Office for Religious Education and Family Ministry

mdornisch@stpatrickcarlsbad.com or 760-729-8442.

The Feast Days of

All Saints & All Souls



All Saints Day

Saturday **November 1** is the Solemnity of All Saints. Our parish Masses are at 7:00 am and 8:00 am. There will be a bilingual Mass at 10:00 am. **Because it is a Saturday, it is not a holy day of obligation this year.**

All Souls Day

Sunday **November 2** is All Souls Day. We will have our regular Sunday Mass schedule and the readings and prayers for All Souls Day will be used at all Masses on Saturday evening and Sunday.

Annual Mass for the Departed

Our annual Mass for all those who have died in the past year will be celebrated on Monday, **November 3 at 7:00 pm**. Everyone is welcome to join in this celebration during which the names are read and a candle is offered for each of our beloved dead.

Resource for Immigrants

A bilingual resource page has been launched by the Diocese of San Diego with useful information for immigrants, including emergency services, Church teaching on immigration, and other resources.

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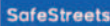
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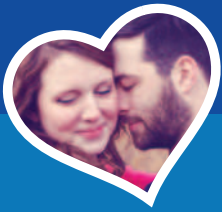
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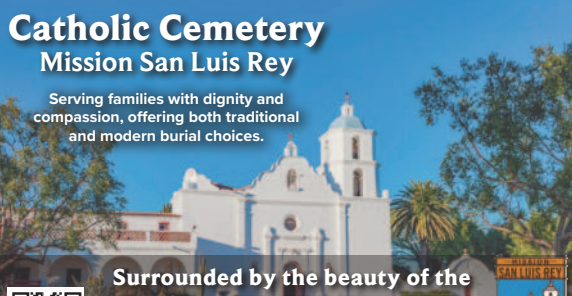




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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C

First Reading

Sirach 35:12-14,16-18

God hears the prayer of the poor.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalms 34:2-3,17-18,19, 23

The Lord hears and answers the cry of the poor.

Second Reading

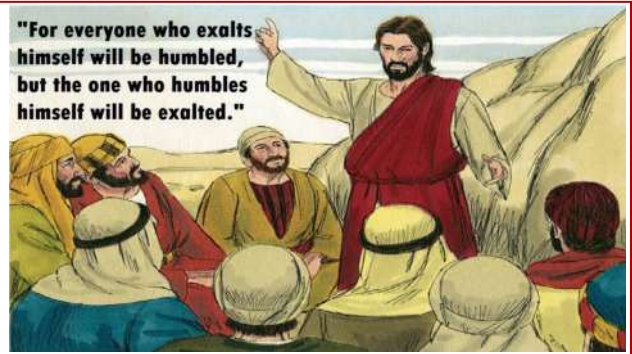
2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

Paul perseveres in faith, confident that God will rescue him.

Gospel Reading

Luke 18:9-14

Jesus tells the parable of the proud Pharisee who prayed from his self-importance and the tax collector who prayed humbly.



Background on the Gospel Reading

The second parable that Jesus tells in Luke 18 addresses attitude in prayer. In contrasting the prayer of the Pharisee with the prayer of the tax collector, Jesus teaches his disciples to pray in humility before God. Jesus again surprises his listeners by showing the tax collector as the example of faith, rather than the Pharisee. Remember that Pharisees were members of a sect of Judaism active in Jesus' time. They taught an oral interpretation of the Law of Moses as the basis for Jewish piety.

If anyone would be a model for prayer, a Pharisee was a likely candidate. In contrast, Jesus offers the tax collector as a model for prayer. Tax collectors were collaborators with the Roman authorities in a system that allowed the tax collectors to line their own pockets by charging in excess of the defined taxes. Yet, in this parable, Jesus offers the humility of the tax collector as a model for the prayer of a disciple. The parable reminds us that when we pray, we must remember our need for God in our lives. If we are too full of ourselves, there is too little room for God's grace to work in us.

