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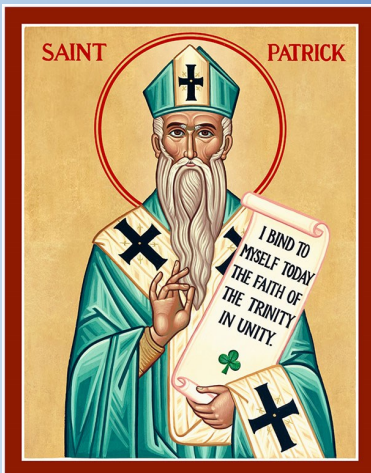
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May 3, 2026 Fifth Sunday of Easter

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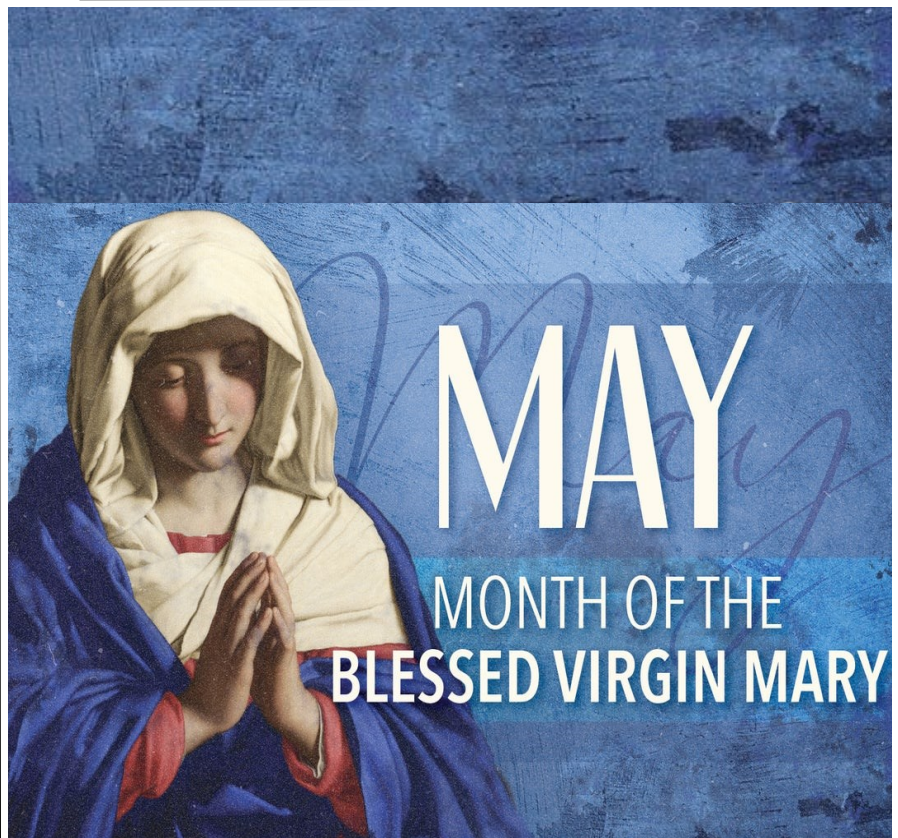
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Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK 

MONDAY - May 4 -
7:00 am - Prudence Ann Hrisanthopoulos (d)
.8:00 am - Morgan Taylor Ramirez (d)

TUESDAY - May 5 -
7:00 am - Levi Vargas (d)
8:00 am - Johnny Zanderson (d)

WEDNESDAY - May 6 -
7:00 am - E. Grace & Family (int)
8:00 am - Prudence Ann Hrisanthopoulos (d)

THURSDAY - May 7 -
7:00 am - Paloma Mansfield (d)
8:00 am - Matthew Nowell (d)

FRIDAY - May 8 -
7:00 am - Rita Frazee (d)
8:00 am - Grace Vanderhagen (d)

SATURDAY - May 9 -
8:00 am - Dec'd Members of Pastor Cadena Family
4:30 pm - Iwata Family (int)
7:00 pm - Pascuala Tolentino Angeles (d)
Ruben Garcia Tolentino (d)

SUNDAY - May 10 -
7:30 am - Terri & Jerry Pinto (d)
9:00 am - Judie Hueslman (d)
11:00 am - Marion & Al Piepmeyer (d)
1:00 pm - Nidia Hernandez (d)
Cecilia Jimenez (int)

5:00 pm - Natalie Meyers (d)



PASTOR'S NOTES -
Fr. George G. Perez C.J.M. - Pastor
Fifth Sunday of Easter

Dear brothers and sisters,
As we continue our journey through the Easter season, today's Gospel offers both comfort and direction. Jesus speaks to His disciples at a moment when their hearts are troubled. They sense that change is coming, and uncertainty begins to take hold. Into that moment of fear and vulnerability, Jesus speaks words that remain just as meaningful for us today:

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. You have faith in God; have faith also in me."

These words are not meant to dismiss fear or suffering, but to gently redirect our focus. Jesus does not promise a life free from difficulty; rather, He invites us into deeper trust. He assures His disciples that He is going ahead to prepare a place for them, reminding them—and us—that our lives have a purpose that reaches far beyond what we can immediately see or understand.

When Jesus declares, **"I am the way, the truth, and the life,"** He reveals something essential about our faith. He is not merely pointing out a path to follow—He Himself **is** the path. In a world filled with confusion, competing values, and constant noise, it is easy to lose our sense of direction. Jesus invites us to center our lives on Him, trusting that by following Him, we are led toward truth and the fullness of life.

Like Thomas the Apostle, we may sometimes feel uncertain and ask, *"Lord, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?"* This honest question reflects our own struggles to understand where God is leading us. Jesus responds not with a detailed plan or precise roadmap, but with an invitation to relationship. The more we come to know Him—through prayer, reflection on Scripture, and participation in the sacraments—the more clearly we begin to recognize His guidance in our daily lives.

Jesus also reminds us that faith is never meant to be a solitary journey. He speaks of the Father's house—a place of belonging, communion, and love. As members of the Church, we are called to reflect that same sense of home for others. Our parish communities should be places where people encounter Christ through our kindness, our unity, and our willingness to serve one another with humility and compassion. Finally, Jesus assures us that those who believe in Him will continue His work in the world. This promise is both a responsibility and a gift. Through simple acts of love, mercy, and faithfulness, we become instruments of His presence, living witnesses to His truth in a world that longs for hope.

May we allow these words of Jesus to strengthen our hearts. Let us trust in Him more deeply, follow Him more faithfully, and become living signs of His love in the world. In Christ, Amen.



Mothers Day Novena of Masses

Once again this year, our parish will celebrate **nine days of Masses for our mothers** – living and deceased. These Masses are scheduled for **May 11-19** at the regular parish Mass times. To have your mother remembered at these Masses, please use the envelope from your bimonthly packet marked Mother's Day. (Or just use a plain envelope.) Write on the envelope the names of your mother, grandmother, godmother or mother-figure. Put your envelope in the collection basket or send it to the parish office. These envelopes will be placed on the altar during this **Novena of Masses**.

The Word of the Week...

This week's word: Mariology

Mariology is that branch of Catholic theology that explores the role of the Blessed Virgin Mary in God's plan of salvation. It includes doctrine, spirituality, liturgy and devotions. Mary's role is always at the service of and subordinate to the mission of her Son Jesus.

Diocesan Pentecost Mass for All People

Bishop Michael Pham invites all families to join him in celebrating our Catholic faith as we are "One Body in Christ" on Saturday, May 23, at Cathedral Catholic High School, 5555 Del Mar Heights Road, San Diego 92130. This annual event, which celebrates the mosaic of cultures and languages that bring our faith to life in our diocese, starts with Mass at 11 am followed by a festival where Catholic communities will share their history and culture with free food samplings and musical entertainment. Everyone is invited to this extraordinary celebration of the universality of our Church.



NOTAS DEL PÁRROCO –
P. George G. Pérez, CSM - Párroco -
V Domingo de Pascua

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:
 Mientras continuamos nuestro camino en el tiempo de Pascua, el Evangelio de hoy nos ofrece consuelo y también dirección. Jesús habla a sus discípulos en un momento en que sus corazones están turbados. Perciben que se acerca un cambio, y la incertidumbre comienza a apoderarse de ellos. En ese momento de temor y vulnerabilidad, Jesús pronuncia palabras que siguen siendo profundamente significativas para nosotros hoy:

“No se turbe su corazón. Crean en Dios; crean también en mí.”

Estas palabras no buscan ignorar el miedo o el sufrimiento, sino orientar suavemente nuestra mirada. Jesús no promete una vida sin dificultades; más bien, nos invita a una confianza más profunda. Asegura a sus discípulos que va a prepararles un lugar, recordándoles —y recordándonos— que nuestra vida tiene un propósito que va mucho más allá de lo que podemos ver o comprender en este momento.

Cuando Jesús declara: “Yo soy el camino, la verdad y la vida”, nos revela algo esencial de nuestra fe. No se limita a señalar un camino; Él mismo es el camino. En un mundo lleno de confusión, valores contrapuestos y ruido constante, es fácil perder el rumbo. Jesús nos invita a centrar nuestra vida en Él, confiando en que, al seguirlo, somos guiados hacia la verdad y la plenitud de la vida.

Como el apóstol Tomás, a veces también nosotros nos sentimos inseguros y preguntamos: “Señor, no sabemos a dónde vas, ¿cómo podemos conocer el camino?” Esta pregunta sincera refleja nuestras propias luchas por entender hacia dónde nos guía Dios. Jesús no responde con un plan detallado ni con un mapa preciso, sino con una invitación a la relación. Cuanto más llegamos a conocerlo —a través de la oración, la reflexión en la Sagrada Escritura y la participación en los sacramentos—, más claramente comenzamos a reconocer su guía en nuestra vida cotidiana.

Jesús también nos recuerda que la fe nunca está destinada a vivirse en soledad. Habla de la casa del Padre: un lugar de pertenencia, comunión y amor. Como miembros de la Iglesia, estamos llamados a reflejar ese mismo sentido de hogar para los demás. Nuestras comunidades parroquiales deben ser lugares donde las personas encuentren a Cristo a través de nuestra bondad, nuestra unidad y nuestra disposición a servirnos unos a otros con humildad y compasión.

Finalmente, Jesús nos asegura que quienes creen en Él continuarán su obra en el mundo. Esta promesa es a la vez una responsabilidad y un don. A través de gestos sencillos de amor, misericordia y fidelidad, nos convertimos en instrumentos de su presencia, testigos vivos de su verdad en un mundo que anhela esperanza.

Que estas palabras de Jesús fortalezcan nuestros corazones. Confiemos más profundamente en Él, sigámoslo con mayor fidelidad y seamos signos vivos de su amor en el mundo.
 En Cristo. Amén.



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“Yo soy el Camino, la Verdad y la Vida”

V Domingo de Pascua

La resurrección de Jesús pone de manifiesto que verdaderamente es el Hijo de Dios. El Evangelio de este V Domingo de Pascua nos revela la íntima unión del Hijo y el Padre que nos permite adentrarnos en el conocimiento del misterio de Dios y de su obra salvadora.

Jesús se nos presenta como “El Camino, la Verdad y la Vida. Nadie va al Padre sino por mí”. Si queremos conocer al Padre que resucita a Jesús de entre los muertos y que nos resucitará también a nosotros, debemos escuchar a su Hijo. Es quien nos lo revela. Es el camino que nos conduce al Dios verdadero y dador de vida para toda la humanidad. El Padre de todos, sin distinciones de razas, condición social o género.

De la resurrección de Jesús nace el nuevo pueblo de Dios, en el que Cristo es “la piedra viva desechada por los hombres, pero escogida y preciosa ante Dios”. Un pueblo nuevo que nace del bautismo, no de linaje humano como el pueblo de la antigua alianza, en el que todos podemos relacionarnos directamente con Dios como hijos amados y elegidos para llevar adelante la misión del resucitado. Un pueblo llamado a ser “sacramento universal de fraternidad” en un mundo dividido por las guerras y discriminaciones.

Rafael Colome, OP



Celebración Diocesana Multicultural de Pentecostés

El Obispo Michael Pham invita a todas las familias a unirse con él para celebrar nuestra fe católica ya que somos “Un Cuerpo en Cristo” el sábado 23 de mayo. El evento de este año será en Cathedral Catholic High School, 5555 Del Mar Heights Road, San Diego 92130. Este evento anual, que celebra el mosaico de culturas y lenguas que dan vida a nuestra fe en nuestra diócesis— comienza con la Misa a las 11:00 am, seguida de un festival en el que las comunidades católicas compartirán su historia y cultura mediante degustaciones gratuitas de comida y entretenimiento musical. Todos están invitados a esta extraordinaria celebración de la universalidad de nuestra Iglesia.

Vatican II and Its Implementation

Fr. Ron Bagley will be teaching a course on the Second Vatican Council. It will take place at **St. Patrick Parish Center, on June 2, 9, 16, 23; & 30, from 6:00 – 9:00 pm**

Objectives of the Course:

- * place the Second Vatican Council in historical context within the Church and the world by indicating those events and trends that led up to Vatican II
- * provide an overview of the main topics and themes treated by the council
- * identify major results of the implementation of the Council since its closure
- * identify the ways that Pope Leo XIV has already indicated that he will continue to implement the teachings of Vatican II

There will be a textbook: Christopher M. Bellitto (ed.), *Essential Vatican II: The Council for the Future of the Church* (Paulist Press, 2024)

Registration through the website of the Diocesan Institute:

<https://sdcatholic.org/diocesan-institute/course-registration/>

Contact Fr. Ron if you have any questions.



Please join us at **“Serra Meets”** on **Saturday May 9th** following the 8am Mass in the Parish center, welcoming Fr Lawrence Goodwin to St Patrick Church!

Father will share a little about himself and his vocation to the priesthood. A potluck breakfast is free to first time guests! Serra is an international organization that supports, encourages, and affirms religious vocations and their members growth in holiness.

Questions - (760)845-6233

“Always forward, never backward!” ~ St Junipero Serra

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Catholic Trivia Night
Save the Date!
Our Third Annual Catholic Trivia Night
will be on

Wednesday, June 10th beginning at 6:30 pm.

Parish groups compete against one another for the title of St. Patrick Trivia Champions. Will the Knights of Columbus repeat as champions? Will Youth Ministry make run at the title? Will the choir sing toward a victory? Are the Rivette’s the dark horse challenger this year? What about your group? Form some new teams this year among neighbors, people from the same ministry, friends who attend the same Mass.

Get your team of three people and start preparing.
Further details about registering will be available soon.

The **Young Adult Ministry** will be sponsoring a toiletries drive for the months of **April & May**. All donations collected will be used to put together care packages by the Young Adult Ministry and they will distribute them to the homeless.

Please bring your donations to the parish office.

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Our next Family Mass is next **Sunday, May 10, at 9:00 am** in the church. Come and join us and bring the whole family.



Religious Education & Family Ministry (Prek - 8th grade)

Weekly Classes

Sunday classes: May 3, 10 & 17
Monday classes: May 4, 11, & 18
Tuesday classes: May 5, 12 & 19

Fifth Sunday of Easter

The disciples come to realize that Jesus will not be with them for much longer. Although he reassures them that he is going to "prepare a place" for them, Thomas is concerned. They do not know the place or the way to get there. What Thomas and the others have not yet grasped is that Jesus himself is the way. When Philip asks Jesus, "show us the Father," Jesus makes it clear that he and God the Father are one. The words and works of Jesus are the words and works of the Father.

Jesus encourages the disciples to trust him. He gives them hope for the future. If the disciples believe that Jesus is the "way and the truth and the life", then they trust that he is the path to salvation.

Adults: What will it mean to live the way of Jesus Christ in a challenging situation?

Children: Name some ways you can be more like Jesus when you are with your friends or family.

Prayer: *Pray the Our Father.*

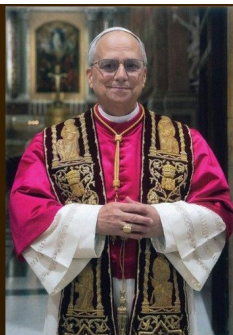
Information about our program year 2026-2027 will be forthcoming in May. Registration for fall classes for faith formation for children in preschool through 8th grade, including sacramental preparation for students in public school will begin in June.

You can reach us at mdornisch@stpatriccarlsbad.com or 760-729-8442.

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

"May the Virgin Mary, whose entire life was a response to the Lord's call, always accompany us in following Jesus."

- Pope Leo XIV, *Angelus*, 11 May 2025



IMPORTANT DATE CHANGE FOR THE YE OLDE GARAGE MONTHLY SUNDAY SALE.

Because Mother's Day is on May 10 (which is usually our regular Sunday Sale), the Ye Olde Garage Monthly Sunday Sale will be postponed until May 17 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Please come and visit. Just look for us at the far Northeast Parking Lot and we will be right there by the American Flag. We look forward to seeing you. If you are interested in joining this ministry, please leave your name and phone number at the Parish office and we will definitely get back to you.



John Paul the Great Catholic University Invites you to attend the blessing of their new creative Arts Complex in Escondido by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone on **June 13th at 1:00pm.**

This state-of-the-art facility will support students in film, acting, design, and more, forming artists to impact culture for Christ. All are welcome to tour the campus and celebrate what God is doing through Catholic higher education in the arts.



To RSVP for free please visit; jpcatholic.edu/go/grandopening



Soup Supper

Soup Suppers Are Delicious!

Dear parishioners & friends:

Join us for delicious homemade soup & dessert in the parish hall starting at **4:30 - 6pm every Thursday.**

This Week ***Thursday April 30th***

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Fifth Sunday of Easter – Year A

First Reading

Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7

The early Christian community chooses seven people to serve at table so that the Twelve can devote themselves to prayer and the ministry of the word.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 33:1-2,4-5,18-19

The Lord is merciful toward those who trust in him.

Second Reading

1 Peter 2:4-9

Those who have faith are chosen in Christ to be a holy priesthood.

Gospel Reading

John 14:1-12

Jesus tells his disciples, “I am the way and the truth and the life.”

Background on the Gospel Reading

The readings for the last few Sundays have been about the Resurrection, but today’s Gospel takes us back in time to an event in Jesus’ life before his Passion. Jesus tells his disciples that he is going to prepare a place for them in his Father’s house. He promises that where he is going, his disciples will be able to follow. Thomas, who will later doubt the disciples’ reports that they have seen the Risen Lord, contradicts Jesus by saying that the disciples don’t know where Jesus is going or how to get there. Jesus explains that he himself is the way, the truth, and the life. In knowing and loving Jesus, the disciples now love God the Father.

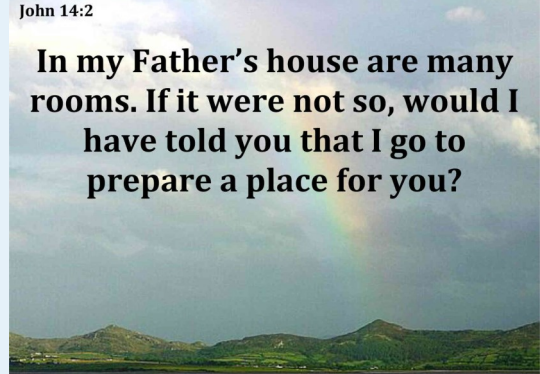
Philip then makes a request that challenges Jesus’ words. Philip wants Jesus to show the Father to the disciples. Recall that Jesus has just told his disciples, “If you know me, then you will also know my Father. From now on you do know him and have seen him.” As a good teacher, Jesus responds to Philip by repeating and elaborating on what he has just told the disciples: they have seen and known Jesus, so they have seen and known the Father. Then Jesus offers another reassurance about his departure: because of faith in God and in Jesus, the disciples will do the work that Jesus has done and more.

The connection between Jesus and his Father, between Jesus’ work and the work of the Father, is made clear in today’s Gospel. Jesus is in the Father, and God the Father is in Jesus. As God spoke his name to Moses, “I am,” so too Jesus speaks his name to his disciples: “I am the way and the truth and the life.”

The revelation of the Trinity is completed in the passage that follows today’s reading, and it is the Gospel for next Sunday. Because Jesus goes away, the Father will send in Jesus’ name the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, who will continue the work of the Father and of Jesus.

John 14:2

In my Father’s house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you?



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MATEO 25:35

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FOR I WAS HUNGRY AND YOU GAVE ME FOOD
MATTHEW 25:35

This event is unlike any other project. Volunteers of all ages come together joyously for one purpose: to pack 2 million meals for families living in poverty. 1 million meals will be distributed by Catholic Charities Diocese of San Diego locally.

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