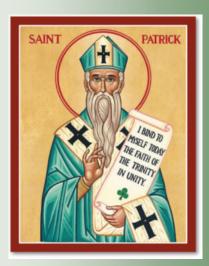


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July 30, 2023 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASSES / MISAS:

Saturday / Sábado 4

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 - 7:00 am & 8:00 am (English) Tuesday - 7:00 am & 8:00 am (English) Wednesday - 7:00 am & 8:00 am (English) Thursday - 7:00 am & 8:00 am (English) Friday - 7:00 am & 8:00 am (English) Saturday - 8:00 am (English)

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MONDAY - July 31

7:00 am - Joseph Palmer (d) 8:00 am - Elvira Tamayo (d)

TUESDAY - Aug 1

7:00 am - Johnny Castillo (d) 8:00 am - Hunter Haney (int)

WEDNESDAY - Aug 2

7:00 am - Leo Pacheco (d) 8:00 am - Barbara Schmitz (d)

THURSDAY - Aug 3

7:00 am - E. Grace & Family (int) 8:00 am - Kirby Mangini (d)

FRIDAY - Aug 4

7:00 am Elizabeth Lovely (d) 8:00 am - Ricardo & Betty Leon (d)

SATURDAY - Aug 5

8:00 am - Anne Smith (d) 4:30 pm - Humphrey Family (int)

> Javier Enriquez (int) Leticia Orozco (d)

SUNDAY - Aug 6

7:00 pm -

7:30 am - Dr. Mike McCarthy (d)
9:00 am - Joseph Palmer (d)
11:00 am - Rick Mitchell (d)
1:00 pm - Ignacio Alvarez (d)
Sofia Zarate (d)

5:00 pm - Nikoli Kleindienst (d)



A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Some of you were able to be a part of our **Easter Vigil** earlier this year. It was a glorious celebration with a full church and beautiful music. The diversity and inclusiveness of our community was evident in the bilingual liturgy. During this beautiful celebration, the community welcomed 14 people who were baptized (7 adults and 7 young children); and 9 previously baptized adults were received into full Communion with the Catholic Church. All of those adults plus another 21 adults received the Sacrament of Confirmation. For many of these people, they also received Holy Communion for the first time.

The celebration of these sacraments was the culmination of a process we call the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). These adults were prepared by two teams of parishioners (one Spanish, the other English) to be able to appreciate what it means to join a Catholic Christian community. The preparation extended from early fall until the Easter Vigil in April. The candidates met weekly with their respective team.

The preparation not only focused on understanding beliefs but also forming a Christian community. They learned how to pray and how to respond to the Lord's invitation to friendship. The team members provided both instruction and personal witness of their own lives as disciples.

The process will begin again this September. A new group will form. Actually, it is two groups: the preparation in **Spanish will take place on Tuesday evenings**. The **English group will meet on Sunday mornings**. This is a change from our meeting date in the past. We will invite the English group to attend the 9:00 am Mass together and then stay for **another hour of formation after the Mass**.

I invite those who have not been baptized to consider if the Lord is calling you to draw closer to him and join his Church through the sacrament of Baptism. Those who were baptized in other Christian churches and now wish to become Catholic should also consider this invitation. The group will also welcome those adults who are already Catholic but did not receive the sacrament of Confirmation. All are welcome!

If you or your friends or family fall into one of these categories, now is the time to consider the Lord's invitation. If you have a friend or loved one who fits this description, **perhaps you could be the one who the Lord will use to invite them**. We are also looking for additional team members and sponsors.

For those in the English group, you can sign up or seek further information by contacting me or our coordinators Brick and Rebecca Langford at **carlsbadrebecca@gmail.com** or call me at the parish office.

In one Heart,





Un saludo del Diácono Miguel

"En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a la multitud, 'El Reino de los cielos se parece a un tesoro escondido en un campo. El que lo encuentra lo vuelve a esconder, y lleno de alegría, va y vende cuanto tiene y compra

aquel campo". (San Mateo 13:44). Este domingo seguimos con el Evangelio de San Mateo, y Jesús continúa usando las parábolas para ayudarnos a entender lo que significa el **Reino de los cielos**. Los ejemplos (parábolas) que Jesús usa en su enseñanza a sus discípulos habla del Reino de los cielos, y que es, como un tesoro escondido en un campo, o como una perla fina, o como toda clase de peces. Si nos preguntaran ¿Dónde está el Reino de los cielos? Muchos de nosotros responderemos, "Arriba en el cielo, allí está Dios". Y sin duda Dios se encuentra en el cielo, *pero también* Dios se encuentra aquí, en nuestro trabajo, cuando recogemos una pala o rastrillo, o limpiamos un espejo o lavamos un plato, o cuando le cambiamos el pañal a un bebé, o cualquier otra cosa que hacemos en nuestra vida cotidiana. El reto para nosotros es mirar cómo el Reino de cielos se revela en mi propia vida. De mirar lo que hacemos, no como algo negativo, pero algo positivo en que Dios nos está bendiciendo. En las parábolas de este domingo, nos habla de esas personas que están alertas v conscientes a las cosas de Dios. Están dispuestos a vender todo lo que tienen para tener a Dios cerca de ellos. ¿Estamos alertas y conscientes a Dios en nuestra propia vida? ¿Estamos listos para dar todo por Dios? ¿Por qué nos cuesta darlo todo por Dios?

- Diácono Miguel Enríquez





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

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BODAS COMUNITARIAS

Invitamos a las parejas que están casadas solamente por lo civil o que están viviendo en unión libre y desean dar un paso en su vida y recibir el Sacramento del Matrimonio. Las bodas comunitarias son una oportunidad para recibir el Sacramento de forma sencilla, económica y sin tanto papeleo. Si usted está interesado/a, por favor comuníquense a la oficina de categuesis para más información.



El grupo de matrimonios los invita a participar en nuestras reuniones todos los *sábados* después de la Santa Misa.

Nos reunimos de las 8:00pm a las 9:30pm en el sótano de la iglesia. ¡Los esperamos!

"Esposos, amen a sus esposas, así como Cristo amó a la iglesia y se entregó por ella". Efesios 5:25



"Jueves de Sopa"

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

Ye Old Garage News...

Weeeeee RRRRRRRRRRRRR Baaaaaaaaaaack!!

The Ye Olde Garage will reopen from the summer break on Wednesday, **August 2** from 9:30 a.m. to 2pm. Please join us and see what upgrades have been made to the Shoppe. We look forward to seeing you again.

Our next Monthly Sunday Sale will be **August 13 from 8:30am to 2:30pm.**

Last Week's Collection (July 22 / 23 2023)

Envelope Collection: \$ 5,128.00 Plate Collection: \$ 8,364.50 Online Giving: \$ 11,377.23 Total: \$ 24,869.73

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



Magnificat Meal San Diego North County Saturday, August 12,2023

9am to 12pm (Mass - 8am in the church) St. Mary's Parish (hall) 11701 S. Broadway, Escondido, CA 92025

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Kindly RSVP via QR Code or 760-889-1327
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Religious Education & Family Ministry (PreK – 8th grade)

School Year 2023-2024

<u>Registration Table</u> on the Church Patio this
Sunday after all the morning masses.

Online Registration: 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.

We offer weekly classes for children preschool age to Jr. High students: *Please register now!*

<u>Early Faith Formation</u>: preschool and kindergarten classes are held on Sunday morning.

<u>Preparation for the Sacraments</u>: classes for students in grade 1-8 are offered on Sunday morning and Monday and Tuesday afternoon. Families choose the weekly class time that best fits their schedule.

<u>Continuing Faith Formation</u>: students in grade 3-8 who already received First Holy Communion can attend classes on Sunday mornings or Monday or Tuesday afternoon. They choose the weekly class time that works best with their schedule.

All parish families are invited to participate in prayer services (Family Rosary in October; Family Stations of the Cross in Lent) and service opportunities in November and March. No registration needed. More information will be provided when its gets closer.

Reflection: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus compares God's Kingdom with experiences of great joy, immense trust, and the need to make good choices. He teaches his disciples as well as us that God is more generous in his love and mercy that our human mind can ever imagine.

<u>For parents:</u> How has God been generous to you? How can you grow in trusting God's care?

For children: What can you do this week for God's Kingdom?

<u>Pray:</u> Lord, may our words and actions help your kingdom grow. Amen.

Please contact us with questions about our program at 760-729-8442 or MDornisch@stpatrickcarlsbad.com.
Thank you. Margit Dornisch
Office for Religious Education & Family Ministry



Our next Family Mass will be on **Sunday, August 13** at 9:00 am.

Join us and Bring the whole Family!

Youth Ministry/Confirmation 760-434-3278 Grades 9-12

The youth office will be closed **July 22nd through August 8th** due to our participation in World Youth Day. Families may still register their young people for Confirmation online through the parish website. We will begin returning emails and phone calls upon our return to the office.

We thank you for understanding.

Give therefore your servant an understanding heart to judge your people, that I may discern between good and bad...

—1 Kings 3:9

Consider Remembering Your Parish in your Will For more information, call Mary McLain in the Parish Development Office 760-729-2866 x319



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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

First Reading

1 Kings 3:5,7-12

Solomon pleases God when he asks for a wise and understanding heart to better govern the people.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 119:57,72,76-77,127-130

The law of the Lord is more precious than silver and gold.

Second Gospel Reading

Romans 8:28-30

God chose us to be conformed to the image of his Son.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 13:44-52 (shorter form: Matthew 13:44-46) Jesus teaches about the Kingdom of Heaven.

Background on the Gospel Reading

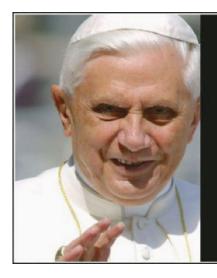
Today's Gospel concludes three weeks of readings from the 13th Chapter of Matthew's Gospel. Throughout these three weeks we have heard Jesus teaching crowds about the kingdom of heaven, and we have heard Jesus interpret some of his teachings for the disciples. In this week's Gospel, Jesus offers three more short parables.



The first two parables describe the great value of the kingdom of heaven. In the first parable, Jesus says that the kingdom of heaven is like a buried treasure that is worth possessing even if it means giving up everything else. In the second parable, Jesus proposes that the kingdom of heaven is like a pearl of great worth for which one will sell everything else to possess. These parables teach us that we are to place everything we value in the service of the pursuit of the Kingdom of God.

The third parable that Jesus proposes in today's Gospel is different from the first two, but it is reminiscent of the parable of the sower heard in last week's Gospel. The kingdom of heaven is compared to fishing with a wide net. After the fish have been collected, the good fish are kept and the bad fish are thrown away; so too, in the final judgment, will the wicked and the righteous be separated.

Today's Gospel concludes with a curious statement about the scribe who understands the kingdom of heaven. Here a metaphor is offered: this scribe is like the head of a household who "brings from his storeroom both the new and the old." The scribes referred to here are experts of Mosaic law. It is possible that Jesus is here instructing the early Christian community on how to proceed in the interpretation of Jewish law with respect to Jesus' "new" teaching. Jesus' teaching about the kingdom of heaven does not replace the Jewish tradition; it interprets it in a different light.



In the Eucharist, the Son of God comes to meet us and desires to become one with us; eucharistic adoration is simply the natural consequence of the eucharistic celebration, which is itself the Church's supreme act of adoration.

— Pope Benedict XVI —

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