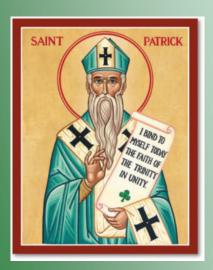


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February 5 2023 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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)

Individual Confession:

Wednesdays at 8:30 am and 6:00 pm. In the body of the church.

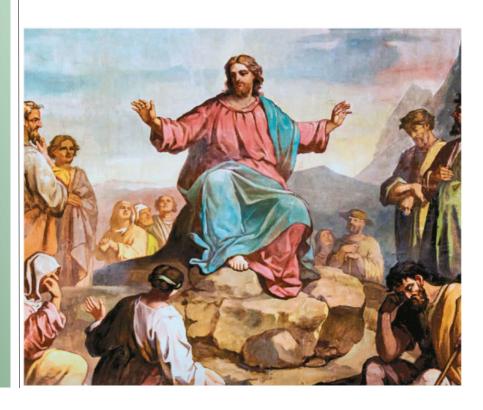
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Weekdays after 8:00am Mass & Saturdays at 4:00pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Tuesdays from 2:00pm ~ 6:00 pm.

First Friday 8:30am ~10:00am & 6:00pm ~10:00pm.





Monday - Feb 6

7:00 am - Laurel Snyder (int) 8:00 am - Dcn. Ed Moser (d)

TUESDAY - Feb 7

7:00 am - Dick Ellis (d) 8:00 am - Audrey Jawor (d)

WEDNESDAY - Feb 8

7:00 am - Cristian Acuña (int) 8:00 am - Michael Mullen (d)

THURSDAY - Feb 9

7:00 am - E. Grace & Family (int) 8:00 am - Vincent D. Luccarelli (d)

FRIDAY - Feb 10

7:00 am - Stephen Wallace Begin (d)

8:00 am - Vincent Robert (d)

SATURDAY - Feb 11

8:00 am - Birch DeWitt (d)
4:30 pm - Dr. Mike McCarthy (d)
7:00 pm - Artemio Perez Santiago (d)
Pascuala Tolentino Angeles (d)

SUNDAY - Feb 12

7:30 am - Dr. Mike McCarthy (d)

9:00 am - Baby Juniper Brooke Licon (d)

11:00 am - Audrey Jawor (d)

1:00pm - Celia Y Antonio Gonzalez (d)

Felicita Rendon Navas (d)

5:00 pm - Barry Gast (d)



A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

I was so happy last weekend that we were able to have a beautiful celebration for the **First Reconciliation** of the students in our parish faith formation program. These were the young people who have their classes in English. We will have another service in March for those in our Spanish program. The young people who made their first confession at the service last week were so happy. I asked them how they were feeling. They shouted back words like "great," "excited," and "happy." There were also

some who said "nervous" but I assured them that it would be a wonderful experience. And it was! They left the church with smiles on their faces.

It was also a wonderful experience for their parents and family members who joined in the service. They were also invited to join in the celebration by going to confession. Even though it had been a while for some of them, they accepted the invitation and received this sacrament of God's mercy. They also left the church with smiles on their faces.

I remember when I was young and some of us were afraid of confession or nervous about approaching a priest to confess. I am glad that we are now able to give people such a positive experience of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Our priests are very welcoming and nonjudgmental. We are happy to extend God's forgiveness to all who wish this sacrament.

As Catholics we believe that this sacrament is a special way to experience God's mercy. Yes, there are other ways to know of God's forgiveness. But this sacrament is an encounter with the risen Christ that is directed to each individual penitent. After confessing our sins to God's representative, the priest offers us absolution from all of our sins. He is there to proclaim God's mercy which is stronger than our sins. Each of us can also leave church with smiles on our faces after having celebrated this sacrament.

We have regularly scheduled times for individual confession every Wednesday at 8:30 am and 6:00 pm. Our neighboring parishes have confessions on other days, especially on Saturdays. The priests of our parish are also available to hear confessions by appointment. Just give a call!

During the season of Lent (which begins February 22), there will be many Penance Services scheduled throughout the parishes of North County. **Our Parish Lenten Penance Service will be on Wednesday, April 5** (just before Easter). The full schedule of all the area penance services will be published in the coming weeks.

"Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; for God's mercy endures forever."

In one Heart,

FR. Ron



Un saludo del Diácono Miguel

Jesús dijo a sus discípulos, "Ustedes son la sal de la tierra... Ustedes son la luz del mundo... hagan, pues, que brille la luz de ustedes ante los

hombres, para que viendo las buenas obras que ustedes hacen, den gloria a su Padre, que está en los cielos". Mateo 5: 13a, 14^a, 16. Hoy celebramos el V Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, y leemos del texto del Evangelio de San Mateo. Escuchamos que Jesús les habla a sus discípulos y les dice que ellos son "sal de la tierra y luz para el mundo". La primera pregunta para nosotros es: "¿Soy un discípulo de Jesús?" La definición de "discípulo" es: Persona que recibe enseñanzas de un MAESTRO Y LO SIGUE. Todos somos discípulos de Jesús. Venimos a misa, muchos de nosotros recibimos la Sagrada Comunión cada semana, y rezamos. Pero al hacer esto, ¿qué cambia en nosotros? Jesús nos dice esta semana, que somos "sal de la tierra y luz para el mundo". Pensamos que no tenemos las palabras para predicar las cosas de Jesús. Jesús "<u>no nos pide"</u> que prediquemos con palabras, nos dice que, por medio de nuestras obras, daremos sabor a la tierra que no tiene sabor. Que por medio de nuestras obras seremos luz para el mundo; y sabemos que en el mundo hay mucha oscuridad y necesita la luz de Cristo. Cristo por medio de sus obras curó a los enfermos y dio esperanza a los que no tenían esperanza. Ésa es **nuestra misión** como discípulos de Cristo, que por medio de nuestras obras los enfermos, los que sufren y lloran, los oprimidos y los olvidados, sienten y miren el Reino de los Cielos. ¿Podemos aceptar nuestra misión?

- Diácono Miguel Enríquez



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



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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 catequesis para más información.

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Te invitamos a ti, mujer soltera, casada, viuda o divorciada, para orar, alabar, cantar, sanar, liberar, y compartir la palabra de Dios. Somos mujeres "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.



EL GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

Les invita a las noches de alabanza, en el cual tenemos oración para llevar y aprender a tener una vida de oración diaria con Dios. Hay testimonios, se dan temas y se comparte la palabra

de Dios—(Lectura de la Biblia). Los miércoles de 7:00pm a 8:30pm en la iglesia.



"Jueves de Sopa"

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

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St. Patrick's Serra Club

Please join us on Saturday, Feb 11th for the 8 am Mass and Potluck Breakfast following in the

patio room. Our guest speaker will be our Chaplain, Fr. Bill Rowland! All are welcome. (First time guests are free). Repeat attendees \$5 suggested donation or bring a dish to share.

Mary, Mother of Vocations, pray for us!



Save the Date

Our St. Patrick Dinner
Dance sponsored by the
Knights of Columbus will
take place on Saturday
March 11 in the parish

center. Tickets will go on sale in the coming weeks, but save the date.

Camino Walk

Begin Your Lenten Journey on the CA Camino Walk! Join with Ruah Adonai Bible Study members and begin your Lenten Journey the 1st Saturday of Lent on the CA Camino from St. Patrick's to Mission San Luis Rey—be a pilgrim or volunteer.

Contact Jeff Russell, (916) 257-4439 for more information.

Spirituality in The Second Half of Life

Join us for a presentation and group discussion on how this time of life can be an exciting journey of growing into a deeper and meaningful living relationship with Christ.

Teacher: Jan Nadler, Ph.D.

Location: St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church

6628 Santa Isabel St. Carlsbad, CA 92009 Parish Center Room #6

Class Dates: March 3, and May 5

from 9:30am -10:30am

For more information contact Jan with any questions at

jnadlerphd@gmail.com or call 760-814-8604.

Mission Doctors Association

We offer the 2023 West Coast Retreat/Seminar, March 17-19, 2023, for Catholic Doctors, Dentists, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants considering Short-term mission service. This will be held at Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles.

This Weekend is offered free of charge to those considering serving at a Mission Hospital of Clinic in Africa or Latin America.

Visit the website: www.MissionDoctors.org or Call the office for more information (213)368-1872.

Parking Restricted

Please refrain from parking in the lot of our neighbors at New Song church. They also have worship services and their lot is reserved to their congregants. Use the parking lots that belong to St. Patrick Parish or adjacent street parking (where permitted).



Refugee Resettlement Project

A group of parishioners are helping a refugee family settle here in North County. They are looking for an apartment and will fully furnish it. The group will be on the patio after all Masses

this weekend to answer questions and collect monetary donation which will be matched by a private donor. For more information call Susan Elmore at 760-729-8387.

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





All are welcome to join us every *Thursday* for a delicious homemade bowl of soup from 4:30pm - 6:30pm in the parish hall.

There is no cost for the soup, donations welcomed.



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

Weekly Classes

Sunday classes: Feb 5 & 12 Monday classes: Feb 6 & 13 Wednesday classes: 8 & 15

Reflection: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus continues to teach his closest followers: "You are the salt of the earth. You are the light of the world." Jesus uses two elements that affect the things they come in contact with. Salt adds flavor to food. Light illuminates things. Jesus insists that his followers set examples in the way that they are with each other and how they treat others. "Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father." Jesus wants us to bring the brightness and flavor of God's love and mercy into our world.

<u>Children:</u> How can you let the light of Christ in you shine for others this week?

<u>Adults:</u> How can your family take the light of goodness and bring it out to your neighborhood and spread hope to others?

Prayer: Jesus Christ, be our Light.

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

Garage Sale

The Monthly Ye Olde Garage Sale will be Sunday, February 12 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

We have Valentine, St. Patrick's, and some Easter articles just waiting on our shelves for you to come and see. Come visit us at the Ye Olde Garage. We would love to see you there!

February 20 is President's Day and the Ye Olde Garage will be closed on that day.

Consider Remembering Your Parish in your Will
For more information, call Mary McLain in the
Parish Development Office



Lenten Bible Study with Fr Azam Mansha

The four-week study is designed to journey though sacred scripture with the writings of Church Fathers. It will aid participants to prepare themselves for the glorious Solemnity of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Week 1: Getting Ready for the Battle.

Week 2: Growing in Prayer

Week 3: Growing in Devout Christian Life

Week 4: Continuous Discernment

Fr Azam will give the presentations after which participants will break in small sharing groups.

There will two times to attend the study:

Monday evenings from 7:00 – 8:30pm on February 27, March 6, 13 & 20. Venue: Church

Tuesday mornings from 10:00 – 11:30 am on February 28, March 7, 14 & 21. Venue: Parish Center

Please register with Carole King

at <u>stpatbiblestudy40@gmail.com</u> or 760-434-5688. There is no fee to attend.

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Call our office with any questions: 619-464-1479

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time – Year A

First Reading

Isaiah 58:7-10

In the work of justice, light shall break through darkness.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 112:4-9

The just person will be a light in the darkness.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 2:1-5

Paul shows that he came to Corinth preaching Christ crucified.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 5:13-16

Jesus teaches that his disciples are to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world.

Background on the Gospel Reading

After teaching his disciples the Beatitudes (last Sunday's gospel), Jesus uses the now familiar metaphors of salt and light to describe the life of discipleship. We take salt and light for granted in our society, but these commodities were more precious in ancient cultures. Just as now, salt was used in Jesus' time for flavoring, as a preservative, and as a healing agent. Similarly, the widespread use of electricity in the modern world makes us less aware of the value and importance of light in our lives.

Still, our familiarity with this passage from Matthew's Gospel speaks well to the abiding power of the imagery that Jesus presented. Jesus' call to be salt for the earth and light for the world powerfully states our mission as Church and as Christians. Our commitment to social justice flows from the exhortation that Jesus gives us in today's Gospel. Some of the activities that this commitment leads us to are given more concrete expression as the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy. When we feed the hungry, clothe the naked, console those who mourn, and so on, we show ourselves to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world. When we do these things with the community of faith, the Church, we are indeed acting as "a city set on a mountain" that cannot be hidden!





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