



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MAKE STRAIGHT **HIS PATHS.**

— MATTHEW 3:3 —

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— SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2025 —

ST. JULIE BILLIART PARISH

6410 St. Julie Drive, San Jose, CA 95119 | 408-629-3030 | stjulies-dsj.org



CHURCH MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY:

5:00 PM | English (*Saturday Vigil*)

7:00 AM | English

9:00 AM | English

11:00 AM | English

1:00 PM | Spanish

ROSARY TO THE BLESSED MOTHER

Mon - Friday | 9:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS

Mon - Friday | 9:30 AM

First Wednesday of the Month

6:30 PM | Novena Mass to Mother of Perpetual Help

First Friday of the Month

9:30 AM | Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament | English

6:30 PM | Adoracion | Spanish

7:00 PM | Misa

7:45 PM (Uncion de los enfermos)

Reconciliation / Confesiones

Every Saturday at 4pm-4:45pm

OR BY APPOINTMENT

Please contact Fr Tito or Fr Arthur

Infant Baptism | Bautizos

English

Fr. Tito

Spanish

Fr Arthur

Presentations | Presentaciones

Quinceañeras

Antonietta Bustamante

Faith Formation (Formacion De Fe)

Malou Bautista

Weddings | Bodas

English

Fr. Tito

Spanish

Fr. Arthur

Funerals | Funerales

English

Fr. Tito

Spanish

Fr. Arthur

The Pastoral Leadership Team

Rev. Tito Jesus L. Cartagenas, Pastor

Rev. Arthur Yabes, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Claus Dahm

Robert McCarty (Chairman)

Paul Navarro (Secretary)

Alexander Petruncola, Gilberto Guerra, Tony

Weber, Carol Bautista, Danitza Melendez,

Amy Dizon and Antonietta Bustamante

Commissioning of the St. Julie PLT



Chapel / Capilla

Open Monday—Friday

9:00AM — 4:00PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday —Thursday

9:00AM — 4:00PM

**REPORT
MISCONDUCT**

ethics:point

Financial:

888-325-7863

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844-372-1691

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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE
(RESPONSIBILIDAD COMPARTIDA)

Please make a personal family decision to help us reach our **weekly goal of \$7,500**

Offertory totals for November 30, 2025

Offertory	\$4,253.22
Online Sun. Giving	<u>\$1,142.00</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$5,395.22</u>

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Please consider ONLINE GIVING. Kindly go to our parish website: www.stjulies-dsj.org

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Do you know someone who's homebound?

If you or a loved one are homebound, and would like to receive Holy Communion and anointing, please call the parish office at 408-629-3030 or Carmen Lizardi Folley at 408-314-0328.

Leave your name, phone number and the date that you called. Or email us with the same information to office@stjulies-dsj.org. A minister will contact you and arrange a time to come to your home.

Conoces a alguien que esté sin poder salir de casa?

Si usted o un ser querido están enfermos o imposibilitados para salir de su hogar y desea recibir la Sagrada Comunión, llame a la oficina parroquial al 408-629-3030 x 107. Deje su nombre, número de teléfono y la fecha en que llamó. O envíenos un correo electrónico con la misma información a office@stjulies-dsj.org. Un ministro se pondrá en contacto con usted y concertará una cita para visitar su hogar.

Please go to **FORMED.ORG** and sign up using our parish zip code **95119** and search for St. Julie Billiart Parish San Jose.

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

For the Sick & HOMEBOUND:
(Para Los Enfermos Y Confinados En Casa)

*Maria Elena Ramirez, Eliseo Plata, Amanda Perez
and Ismael Alarcon*

Recently Died (Murieron Recientemente)
*Roberto Pina ☒, Louis High ☒
and Salvador Villanueva ☒*

*Members of our Parish Family who are in the military,
hospitals, nursing homes and all who have no one to
pray for them.*

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	12/7	7:00 AM	Vivian Sanders †
		9:00 AM	St. Julie Parishioners
		11:00AM	Fatima S. de Lumen †
		1:00 PM	Eva Angelina Orrantia Rocha †
Mon	12/8	9:30 AM	All Souls in Purgatory Thanksgiving Dpmachlate Coragop †
Tue	12/9	9:30 AM	Mitos, Dolly & Lydia Grey † Sophy Boban † Lika Manalo Jones (for a healthy birth)
Wed	12/10	9:30 AM	Fatima S. de Lumen †
Thu	12/11	9:30 AM	Rodrigo Villalol
Fri	12/12	9:30 AM	Roque Parente † Roque Parente Jr. †
Sat	12/13	5:00 PM	Eduardo Nuevo †

WEEKLY READINGS

12/7 | SUNDAY

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Is 11:1-10/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12 (4)

12/8 | MONDAY

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Gn 3:9-15, 20/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38 (689)

12/9 | TUESDAY

Saint Juan Diego Cuauhtlatotzin

Is 40:1-11/Mt 18:12-14 (182)

12/10 | WEDNESDAY

Our Lady of Loreto

Is 40:25-31/Mt 11:28-30 (183)

12/11 | THURSDAY

Saint Damasus I, Pope

Is 41:13-20/Mt 11:11-15 (184)

12/12 | FRIDAY

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47 (690A)

12/13 | SATURDAY

Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr

Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Mt 17:9a, 10-13 (186)



Sowing Seeds of Faith

The Diocese of San José – Campaign for Spiritual Renewal

Heavenly Father,
Source of all life and giver of every good gift,
In this Year of Hope, we come before You
With grateful hearts and trusting spirits.

You have called us to sow seeds of faith,
To renew our hearts, our parishes,
schools, and our Diocese
Through a bold vision rooted in Your love.
As we unite in this Capital Campaign,
Grant us the grace to respond with
generosity and joy.

Strengthen our commitment to the
mission of the Church,
That we may grow as faithful disciples,
Active in the life of our parishes,
And courageous in sharing the
Gospel with others.

Bless our efforts to support our
Diocesan Pastoral Plan,
So that Renewed in Christ,
Together in Mission,
Every ministry may thrive,
And every soul may give glory to God.

May the seeds we plant today bear fruit
for generations to come.

Through the intercession of
Saint Joseph, and Saint Clare
And with Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe
We may be guided always in faith,
hope, and love.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.





Parroquia de St. Julie Billiart

Calendario de Adviento y Navidad

Noviembre 2025 – Enero 2026

Sáb. 11/29/Dom., 11/30

Jue. 12/04- 12/11
Vie. 12/05

Primer Domingo de Adviento - Esperanza

Novena de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe
NSG Peregrinación, Misa Diocesana a NSG

***Horario Regular de Misas**

7:30 PM (español)
5:30 PM Ing/Esp

Sáb. 12/06 Dom. 12/07

Lun. 12/08

Mar. 12/09
Jue. 12/11
Vie. 12/12

Segundo Domingo de Adviento – PAZ

Solemnidad de La Inmaculada Concepción

Reconciliación Parroquial de Adviento
Novena de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe
Procesión y Rosario
Mañanitas
(español)

***Horario Regular de Misas**

9:30 PM (inglés)
6:30 PM (español)
6:00 - 7:30 PM (Bilingüe)
7:30 PM (español)
4:00 AM
4:30 AM

Misa de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe
5:00 AM (español)
6:00 AM

Sáb. 12/13 Dom. 12/14

Lun. 12/15 – Vie. 12/19
Sáb. 12/20

Tercer Domingo de Adviento – Gozo

Simbang Gabi Misa
Misa de Vigilia/Simbang Gabi Misa

***Horario Regular de Misas**

7:00 PM (inglés)
5:00 PM (inglés)

Sáb. 12/20 Dom. 12/21

Dom. 12/21 Mar. 12/23

Cuarto Domingo de Adviento -Amor

Simbang Gabi Misa

***Horario Regular de Misas**

7:00 PM (inglés)

Mie. 12/24

Horario de Misas de Nochebuena:

Misa familiar de Nochebuena
Misa de Noche Buena
Misa de Navidad Medianoche

5:00 PM (español)
8:00 PM (inglés)
11:59 PM Medianoche (inglés)

Jue. 12/25

Horario de Misas de Navidad:

Misa de Navidad
Misa de Navidad

9:00 AM (inglés)
11:00 AM (español)

Sab. 12/27 Dom. 12/28

Lun., Enero 1

Mie., Enero 7
Vie., Enero 9

Festividad de La Sagrada Familia

Año Nuevo/María Madre de Dios

***Horario Regular de Misas**

9:30 AM (inglés)

Rosario/Misa de NSPS
Primer viernes/Misa de Sanación

6:30 PM (inglés)
9:30 AM (inglés)

~~Sab.~~ 01/03 Dom. 01/04

Festividad de La Epifanía del Señor.

***Horario Regular de Misas**

~~Sab.~~ 01/10 Dom. 01/11

Festividad de El Bautismo del Señor.

***Horario Regular de Misas**



***Horario regular de Misas: Sabado. 5:00pm (Inglés)**

Domingo. 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am (Inglés) 1:00pm (Español)



Pilgrimage

(by Rudy Dizon)

The Lord said to Moses on Mount Sinai:

“You shall count seven weeks of years – seven times seven years – such that the seven weeks of years amount to forty-nine years. Then, on the tenth day of the seventh month let the ram’s horn resound; on this, the Day of Atonement, the ram’s horn blast shall resound throughout your land. You shall treat this fiftieth year as sacred. You shall proclaim liberty in the land for all its inhabitants. It shall be a jubilee for you, when each of you shall return to your own property, each of you to your own family.” (Lev 25:8)

On May 9, 2024, Pope Francis proclaimed the 2025 Ordinary Jubilee through his pontifical bull of indiction named *Spes non confundit* (Latin for "Hope does not disappoint").

The Holy Doors of the four main basilicas in Rome open during a jubilee year, with Pope Francis himself opening that of St. Peter’s Basilica on the eve of Dec 24, 2024. That of the Cathedral Basilica of St. John Lateran followed on Dec 29, of the Basilica of St. Mary Major on Jan 1, and of the Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls on Jan 5.

A jubilee year is a special year of forgiveness, restoration, and renewal that has roots in the Old Testament.

In biblical times, it occurred every fifty years (after seven cycles of seven years each, or forty-nine years), and is a year when debts are cancelled, slaves are freed, land is returned to original owners, and no farming is done.

In contemporary times, the jubilee occurs every 25 years (a change made by Pope Paul II in 1475 to increase accessibility), and the Catholic tradition entails a call to the faithful to seek forgiveness and reconciliation and to undertake a pilgrimage to Rome or other designated pilgrimage sites.

On Monday November 10, a group of 48 pilgrims enplaned to Italy in answer to this summons. About 20 members of the group were members of St. Julie Billiart Parish, and the group was led by Fr. Tito Cartagenas, our pastor.

There is something truly special about being in a pilgrimage group such as this. The shared experience of journeying to a faraway land and beholding wondrous places brimming with religious significance, hearing mass together in intimate settings and receiving the sacrament of the Eucharist, partaking of meals together, looking out for one another, sharing what we have with our companions, be it snacks, or pictures, or stories and laughter – these all come together like a crucible, forging bonds that persist long after the return home.

One might say that the highlights of the trip may be summarized in its itinerary – a general audience with Pope Leo XIV, passing through the four Holy Doors, touring the Vatican Museum, seeing secular sites like the *Colosseum*, *Roman Forum*, and *Trevi Fountain*, visiting various places of worship like that in the *Benedictine Abbey in Monte Cassino*, the *Santuario di Santa Maria delle Grazie in San Giovanni Rotondo*, the *Basilica Santuario di San Michele Arcangelo in Monte Sant'Angelo*, the *Santuario del Miracolo Eucaristico di Lanciano in Lanciano*, the *Basilica della Santa Casa in Loreto*, the *Basilica di San Francesco*, *Santuario della Spogliazione*, and *Basilica di Santa Maria degli Angeli in Assisi*, and the *Duomo di Orvieto in Orvieto*, seeing the shrines of saints like **St. Benedict**, **St. Padre Pio**, **St. Francis of Assisi**, **St. Clare** and that of the first millennial saint, **St. Carlo Acutis**, and seeing relics from the time of Christ like wood from the manger, nails and wood from the crucifixion, and the steps from the praetorium of Pontius Pilate on which the Lord was supposed to have walked.

But for several pilgrims, the highlight was something unseen, held closely in our hearts. Many of us travelled to Italy carrying petitions that we sought to elevate in holy places. We held the memories of family members and loved ones who have passed on and offered prayers for their eternal repose. We carried joy in our hearts that came with being faithful to the Lord and sought to share this joy with others.

This pilgrimage was markedly special, happening as it did during a jubilee year, when the grace of a plenary indulgence is granted by the Catholic Church through the merits of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. To obtain this grace, a pilgrim needed to have detachment from sin, to avail of the sacrament of confession, to receive holy communion, and to pray for the pope's intentions. By this grace, temporal punishment due to sin is removed.

The thought of this indulgence was made especially poignant during the first mass the group attended on the Memorial of Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin, for which the gospel reading leaned into the topic of the end times, the coming on God's kingdom. Fr. Tito's homily touched on the need to prepare ourselves for this finality. Wouldn't the remission of temporal punishment be to us like water on the tip of Lazarus' finger to cool the tongue of the rich man in Hades?

The pilgrimage was a physical journey; it was a spiritual journey. And more than just forging bonds among the participants, it strengthened our bonds to our merciful Lord.



The Blessing of Our Lady of Grace



Mass Schedule
9:30am | English
6:30pm | Bilingual

Simbang Gabi
2025
KICK OFF MASS
&
Christmas Party

DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF FILIPINO CATHOLICS (DCFC)

President
The Most Reverend
ANDRES C. LIGOT, JCD
Titular Bishop of Croce
Auxiliary Bishop of San Jose in California

PLEASE BRING YOUR PAROL FOR BLESSING!
(STAR LANTERNS)

Attire: Filipiniana/Barong

DECEMBER 10, 2025
WEDNESDAY | AT 7:00 PM
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CHURCH
2020 E. San Antonio St. San Jose, CA 95116

JUBILEE 2025
PILGRIMS OF HOPE

DIocese OF SAN JOSE

DIocese OF SAN JOSE
JUBILEE 2025
CLOSING MASS

Thursday, December 18, 2025

Where: Cathedral Basilica of St. Joseph,
80 South Market St., San Jose

Time: 7pm

Presided by
Most Reverend Andres C. Ligot, JCD DD
Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of San José

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