

Our Lady of the Desert Catholic Church

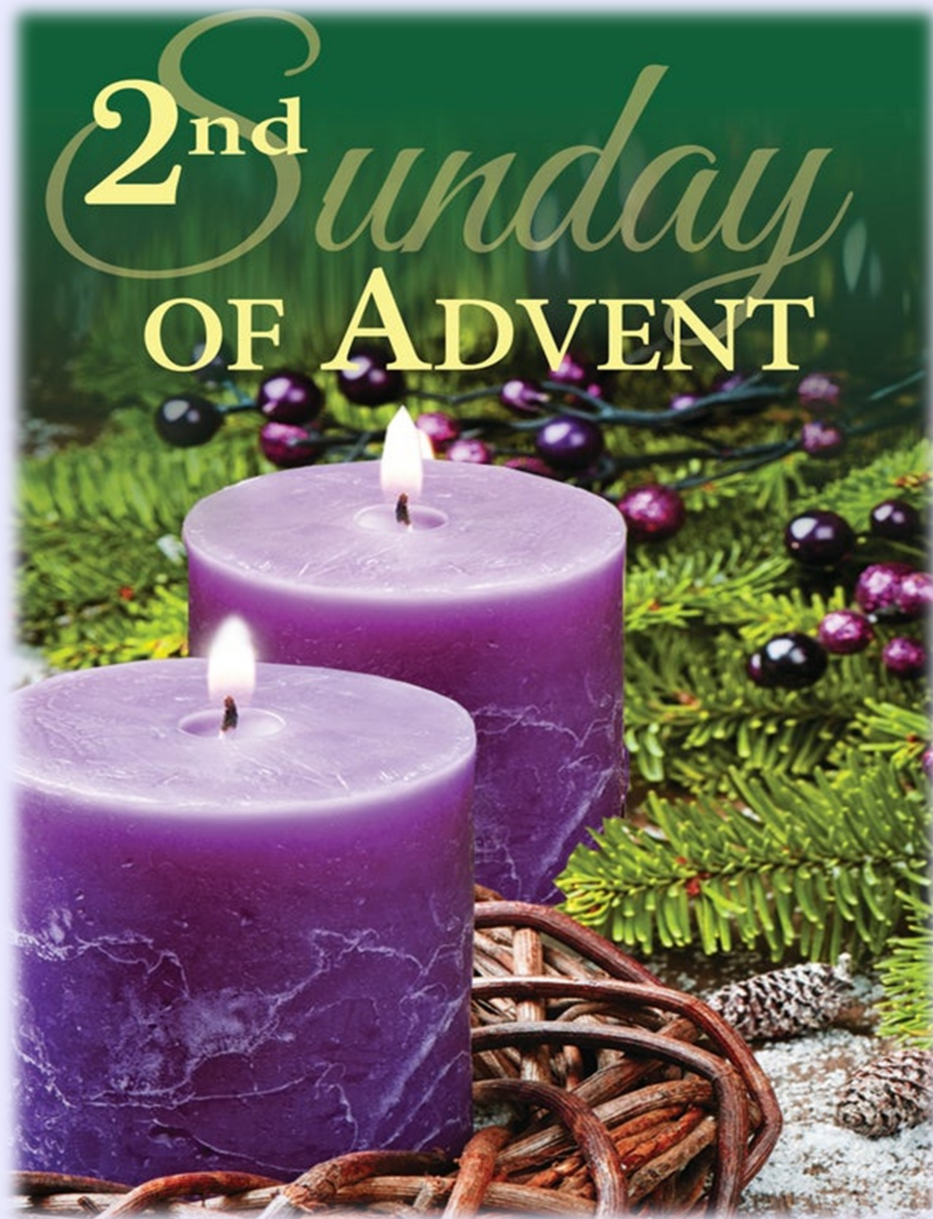
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Office Open Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-2:00 pm, Closed on Fridays

2nd Sunday of Advent - December 7, 2025

Saturdays: Vigil English Mass 4:00pm—Sundays: 7:30am English Mass, 9:30am English Mass, 11:30am Spanish Mass & 2:00pm English Mass. Weekday English Mass 7:30am Monday-Saturday. Adoration on Fridays 8am-7pm; Confessions: Saturdays at 2:30pm or by appointment.

Church is closed at 12 noon, Monday thru Thursday. On Fridays at 7:00pm.
La Iglesia cierra a las 12 mediodía lunes a jueves, los viernes a las 7pm.



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Our Mission - We, as members of Our Lady of the Desert Church, through the guidance of our Blessed Mother Mary, are a community of believers in Jesus Christ, from whom we have the mission of making His Gospel alive in our parish and in the world. By living out His Gospel, we help to shape a society with greater respect for human life, economic and environmental justice, cultural diversity, and global solidarity, so that we will build a church where everyone feels welcome and through it will find happiness and salvation.

Nuestra Misión - Nosotros, como miembros de la Iglesia de Nuestra Señora del Desierto, con la dirección de Nuestra Madre María, somos una comunidad de creencia en Jesús Cristo, que tenemos la misión de hacer su evangelio vivo en nuestra parroquia y en el mundo. Viviendo su evangelio, ayudamos a formar una sociedad con mayor respecto a la vida humana, a la economía y justicia al ambiente, diversidad cultural, y la solidaridad global, de modo que construyamos una iglesia donde todos se sientan bienvenidos con felicidad y salvación.

**Christmas is coming! Let me ask you this:
What Christmas gift will you give to God?**

Christmas is coming. Now is your time to prepare. Prepare by giving...by sacrificing...by loving...so people experience Jesus in you. Isaiah foretold that about John the Baptist: "A voice of one crying out in the desert, Prepare the way of the Lord." And he said it with just one word: "Repent!" Change your heart. Leave your sins behind and live now in God's love. From now on, identify who you are...with Jesus Christ. But let's be honest. It is going to take a lot more than just coming to mass every Sunday. Did you notice how John the Baptist got angry at the Pharisees and Sadducees? They came to be baptized, but nothing more. They did not believe in repentance. "You brood of vipers!" Why should they? They were sons of Abraham. They didn't have to change. But they were dead wrong. God doesn't want "do-nothing" disciples. God wants "do-something" disciples. We have to be doers of the Word. What does that mean? That means you cannot ignore your brothers and sisters who are suffering and in need. God loves you, so you have to love them. God has forgiven you, so you have to forgive them. God provides for your needs, so you have to provide for their needs. How do we know that? Because Jesus said so: "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me, naked and you clothed me, ill and you cared for me, in prison and you visited me" (Mt 25:35-36). "Whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me" (Mt. 25:40).

That is our calling—to be doers of the Word. John the Baptist was one. He prayed. He fasted. He did good things for people. Sure, he was gruff. But he spoke the honest truth. He was a man of integrity. And he was righteous. That made him the best witness ever. That made him believable. That made people want to believe in his message—because they could see he lived it and he believed in it with all his heart. The question is this...Can you do that? Can you prepare the way for Jesus--so that everyone can see that you live in Jesus and you believe in Jesus--with all your heart? Can you love Jesus and live in Jesus even when you are suffering...even when it feels like He doesn't hear your prayers...even when it feels like He doesn't love you? In all honesty, that wasn't meant to be a question. You know the answer. You have to do it. You have to do it for your salvation. And that is the greatest Christmas gift you could ever give God—to love God even when you don't feel like it. But it doesn't end there. You have another calling. You have a calling to help others get prepared for Jesus. How? By doing what John the Baptist did. Live your life in a way that says "Prepare the way of the Lord." How are you going to do that? By sharing your faith with others. And by doing acts of kindness, love, repentance, and forgiving people. And that, will be the greatest Christmas gift you can ever give to God.

**¡Viene La Navidad! Déjame preguntarte esto:
¿Qué regalo de Navidad le darás a Dios?**

Ya viene La Navidad. Ahora es tu tiempo para prepararte. Prepárate en dando ... en sacrificando ... en amando ... para que la gente experimente a Jesús en ti. Isaías predijo eso acerca de Juan el Bautista: "Una voz clama en el desierto: Preparen el camino del Señor." Y lo dijo con una sola palabra: "¡Arrepiéntanse!" Cambien de corazón. Deja tus pecados atrás y vive ahora en el amor de Dios. Ahora en adelante, identifica quién eres ... con Jesucristo. Pero seamos honestos. Va a tomar mucho más que venir a la misa todos los domingos. ¿Notaste cómo Juan el Bautista se enojó con los fariseos y saduceos? Vinieron a ser bautizados, pero nada más. No creían en el arrepentimiento. "¡Raza de víboras!" ¿Para qué? Ya eran hijos de Abraham. No tenían que cambiar. Pero estaban equivocados.

Dios no quiere discípulos que no hacen nada. Dios quiere discípulos hacen algo. Tenemos que ser los que hacemos la Palabra. Qué significa eso? Eso significa que no puedes ignorar a tus hermanos y hermanas que están sufriendo y en necesidad. Dios te ama, así que tienes que amarlos. Dios te ha perdonado, así que tienes que perdonarlos. Dios provee para tus necesidades, así que tu tienes que proveer para sus necesidades.

¿Cómo lo sabemos? Porque Jesús lo dijo: "Porque tuve hambre y ustedes me dieron de comer; tuve sed y ustedes me dieron de beber. Fui forastero y ustedes me recibieron en su casa. Anduve sin ropas y me vistieron. Estuve enfermo y fueron a visitarme. Estuve en la cárcel y me fueron a ver" (Mt 25:35-36). "Cuando lo hicieron con alguno de los mas pequeños de estos mis hermanos, me lo hicieron a mí" (Mt 25:40).

Esa es nuestra vocación— ser los que hacemos la Palabra. Juan el Bautista fue uno. El oró. Él ayunó. Hizo cosas buenas para la gente. Claro, él era áspero. Pero él habló la verdad honestamente. Era un hombre íntegro. Y él era justo. Eso lo hizo el mejor testigo. Eso lo hizo creíble. Eso hizo que la gente quisiera creer en su mensaje, porque ellos podían ver que el lo vivía y él creía en el con todo su corazón.

La pregunta es esta ... ¿Puedes hacer eso? ¿Puedes preparar el camino para Jesús--para que todos puedan ver que tu vives en Jesús y tu crees en Jesús--con todo tu corazón? ¿Puedes amar a Jesús y vivir en Jesús--aunque estés sufriendo ... aunque se siente como si Él no escucha tus oraciones ... aunque se siente como si Él no te ama? Voy a ser honesto... eso de veras no era una pregunta. Tu sabes la respuesta. Tienes que hacerlo. Tienes que hacerlo por tu salvación. Y ese es el mejor regalo de Navidad que puedas darle a Dios: amar a Dios aunque no te guste hacerlo. Pero no termina ahí. Tienes otro llamado. Tienes un llamado para ayudar a los demás a prepararse para Jesús. ¿Cómo? Haciendo lo que hizo Juan el Bautista. Vive tu vida de una manera que dice "Preparen el camino del Señor." ¿Cómo vas a hacer eso? Al compartir tu fe con los demás. Y haciendo actos de bondad, amor, arrepentimiento, y perdonando a la gente. Y eso será al regalo más grande de navidad que le puedas dar a Dios.



When the Advent Wreath is used in the home, the opening prayer of the Sunday Mass is recited when the candles are lighted. The lighting of the candles may be preceded or followed by an Advent hymn and a Scripture reading. The lighting of the Advent Wreath may fittingly be included as a part of the evening meal.

Second Week of Advent—Sunday Gospel: Luke 3:1-6—Let us pray.

Almighty and merciful God, may no earthly undertaking hinder those who set out in haste to meet your Son, but may our learning of heavenly wisdom gain us admittance to his company. Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Mass Intentions**Saturday, December 6th, 4:00pm Vigil Mass:**

Nick Halisky †
 Sally Evans (healing)
 Kathleen Hamilton †
 Jerome Simiens †
 Javier Angulo (special intention)
 Veronica Angulo (special intention)
 For all souls in purgatory
 Fr. Del Haroldson, CR (Ordination Anniversary)

Sunday, December 7th, 7:30am Mass:

Ken Gentery (God's mercy)
 Dr. Joseph Green †

Sunday, December , 9:30am Mass:

Patrick Negrete †
 Don Helmer †
 Jennifer Miller (healing)
 Oscar Miranda Sr. †
 Olivia Potter (healing)
 Fr. Del Haroldson, CR (Ordination anniversary)
 Mary VonArx (birthday)
 Leo Daniel Pedraza †

Domingo, 7 de diciembre, 11:30am misa:

Severa Case †
 Carmen Rojas †

Sunday, December 7th, 2:00pm Mass:

Rey Martinez (protection, conversion & health)
 Regina Duran (healing)

Immaculate Conception, Mon., Dec. 8th, 7:30am Mass:

Patrick Negrete †
 Miguel Angel Lopez Rosende (birthday)
 Julia Rellan †
 Ken Gentery (God's mercy)

Immaculate Conception, Mon., Dec. 8th, 12noon Mass:**Immaculate Conception, Mon., Dec. 8th, 5pm Mass:****La Inmaculada Concepción, lunes, 8 de diciembre, 7:00pm Misa:****Tuesday, December 9th, 7:30am Mass:**

Ken Gentery (God's mercy)

Wednesday, December 10th, 7:30am:

Rosemary Gonzalez †

Thursday, December 11th, 7:30am Mass:**Friday, December 12th, 7:30am Mass:**

Patrick Negrete †
 Antonio Sanchez †

Saturday, December 13th, 7:30am Mass:

Lucia Lomelin †

Ministries

Adoration Fridays 8am-7pm: Arcelia Diaz 760 784-1840

Alpha: Tom Strand 760 242-4463

Altar Servers: Elizabeth Schafer 760 508-9872

Bible Study: (Wednesdays) Jim Chambers 760 242-8310

Bible Study (Thursdays): Margaret Curran
 margaret@curraninc.com

Catholic Daughters: Regent Lorena Meza, 760 617-7816,
 meetings 2nd Sat. of the month 11:15am

Choir Directors:

Wendy Durke (4:00pm Sat. English Vigil Mass)

Stephen Arment (7:30am English Mass)

Christina Rohrbaugh (9:30am English Mass)

Ramiro Alvizures (11:30am Spanish Mass)

Rhonert Pascual (2:00pm English Mass)

Dance Class: Cicy Rosado 760 219-6022

Deaf/Hard of Hearing: Tina Wilson 818 631-8462 V/Text

Emmaus Spiritual Accompaniment: Anne Bremser,
 (760) 985-7664 or atbremser@gmail.com

Eucharistic Ministers: Andrea Mendoza 760 242-4427,
 Spanish: Jesus & Norma Martinez 909 261-9742909 265-6387

Finance Council: Steve Curran, Sylvia Uranda & Cheryl Oakleaf

Flowers (Church- Altar): Ortencia 714 737-2224

Food Pantry: 760 242-5544, Wed. & Thurs., 9am-11:30am

Knights of Columbus: Art Negrete 760 881-0686

Lectors: Steve Tyrrell 909-224-1500, sttyrrell@gmail.com;
 Spanish: Sylvia Felix 909 709-3316

Life Teen: Chris Hoover (760) 792-0731

Linen Ministry: Flo 760-887-1117

Marriage Preparation Classes:

English- Tom & Ilene Gilmore 760 490-4568,

Spanish- Patrick & Lisette Lopez 626 626-1960

OL of Fatima Blue Army Prayer Group: 8:30am,
 1st Saturday in Church, Maryellen 760 885-9290

Prayer Line: Cynthia May (682) 970-4115

Pro-Life: MaryAnn Carroll 760 508-2390

SCRIP: Buy after Sunday Mass or Pre-order in the Office

Senior Pot-luck Luncheon Gilda Vincent 760 961-8830

Serra Club High Desert: Diane Seixas 760 596-1333

Sunday Scripture Study: Tuesdays 10am,

Peggy Perring-Mulligan 760 961-2617

Ushers: Robert Wilson 909 695-2020 (Head of Ushers)

Ralph Knipstein (4pm Vigil Mass)

Patrick A. Lopez (7:30am Mass)

Flo Donaldson & Roger Perez (9:30am Mass)

Jose Fernandez (11:30am Spanish Mass)

Robert Cardenas (2:00pm Mass)

Narcotics Anonymous — Call David 760 979-9192,
 7:00pm Mondays in the Ministry Building

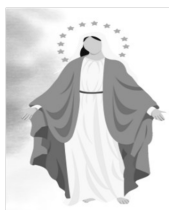
A.A. Alcoholics Anonymous — Call Nick 760 900-8290,
 5:30pm Tuesdays in the Ministry Building

A.C.A Adult Children of Alcoholics - Call Liz 760 242-8310
 Mondays 6pm & Thursdays 10am in the Ministry Building

CEA H.O.W Compulsive Eaters - Call Liz 760 242-8310
 Saturdays 9:30am in the Ministry Building



Come celebrate Fr. Del's 13th Ordination Anniversary, (Dec. 7, 2012), this Saturday, Dec. 6th after the 4pm Vigil Mass. Bring your congratulation cards. Coffee and cake will be provided. Text Mary for any questions at 760 524-6259.



**SERRA CLUB OF THE HIGH DESERT**

First Sunday of Advent –
November 30, 2025

“ He will teach us his ways...” Are
you being called to bring the word of
God as a priest, deacon, religious
brother or sister?

Join the Serra Club of the High Desert to help
promote and pray for vocations? Call Diana Seixas
at (760) 596-1333 or email Diana at dianaseix-
as@aol.com. There is no general meeting in Decem-
ber since the club will be traveling on Tuesday,
December 9, 2025, for a Christmas dinner with our
Seminarians stating with 5:30 pm Mass at Christ the
Redeemer Church in Grand Terrace along with our
three other Serra Clubs in the Diocese.

**Limited 2026 Lector Workbooks
available in the office for \$15.00.
First come, first served.**

Our Lady of the Desert, Apple Valley
Annual Parish Financial Statement
As of June 30, 2025
Year To Date 06/30/2025

	Actual
Revenue	
Offertory Collections	963,085
Stole Fees	35,908
Unrestricted Gifts	28,979
Restricted Gifts	70,201
Program Fees	48,194
Fundraising Events Revenue	25,268
Investment Income	1,912
Other Revenues	23,789
Total Revenue	1,197,336
Expenses	
Personnel Costs	529,226
Supplies	79,671
Fees and Services	27,725
General Aid	5,300
Facilities	365,755
Fundraising Expenses	2,709
Other Expenses	32,502
Assessment Expenses	180,288
Total Expenses	1,223,176
Excess of operating revenues over expenses	(25,840)
Other Income (Expense)	307,230
Total Excess (deficiency) of Revenue over expenses	281,390
Net assets at beginning of year	2,055,525
Net Assets at end of year	2,336,915



**We PRAY for ALL our
brothers & sisters!**
***¡Rezamos por TODOS
nuestros
hermanos y hermanas!***

Joseph M. Senteno, Richard D. Senteno, Senteno Family,
Henry Burt, Nicole Cantu, George & Leilani Sullivan, Olivia
Potter, Emily Chapa & Family, Nellie Alvarado & grand-
children, Richard & Carmen Franco & Family, Florian
Domino, Rey Martinez, Eddie & Ana Caro, Deysi Flores &
Kids, Santos Family, Zykia Padmore, Rose Anderson,
Araceli Burress, Jesse Astorga & Family, Mariano Lopez,
Mark Marasco, Nancy LaCivita, Rocio Gonzalez, Johnny
Jacob Gonzalez, Ulissus Herrera, Silvia, Irma, Elsa, Rene,
Alex, Anthony, Eric, Hans, Victor & Leonor, Maria Luisa,
Nando & Yaddy De Leon, Fely Uy Rajan, AB Brand, Jean
Wong, Faustina Morales, Pablo Bumanlag, Rhode
Ocubillo, Rebecca Sisons, Danny Geronimo, Norma
Padilla, RJ Ocubillo, Milagros Agoncillo, Divine Padilla,
Christian Warner, Families with Infant deaths, Shelby
Spaulding, Ben Ramirez, Anthony Cubberley, Katerina
Trotter, Kayleigh Ponce, Christopher Cubberley, Family of
Charlie Kirk, George & Carla McCague, Sue Cirillo, Diane
Cipriano, Ruth York, Larry Caldera, Steve Rossen, Mark &
Camille Yost, Sr. MaryJo Piccione, Jim Huegel, Diane
Marasco, Michelle Gonzalez, Fr. Henry Ruszel, CR, Fr. Paul
Smith, CR, Shawn & Eddy Anderson, Monique Avalos &
Kids, Richard Avalos, Ophelia Savatierra.

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oldccav.org.**

Click on the Online Giving link and complete
registration. *You manage your own account.*
Convenient, Secure & Confidential.

**You may call Tech OSV at 1 800 348-2886,
option 2, for assistance.**

***If you register for Online Giving, check with
the office if you are registered to the Church.***

Weekly Collection: November (15) 16, 2025

Plate: \$4,751.91

Envelopes: \$13,063.00

Online Giving: \$4,952.00



**Immaculate Conception of the
Blessed Virgin Mary
La Inmaculada Concepción
Monday, Dec. 8th
7:30am Mass, 12noon Mass,
5:00pm Mass &
7:00pm Spanish Mass**



**Senior Potluck Christmas Lunch
Wednesday, December 10th
at 12 noon in the Hall. Bring a dish
to share. Call Gilda for more
information at 760 961-8830.
**Note: NO January 2026 lunch, next
lunch is February 11, 2026.****

All Our Lady of the Desert Parishioners
Are invited to celebrate
Father Henry's 99th Birthday!



For those who did not see the
Announcement in the Concourse
Please bring your birthday cards to drop
them off in the basket in concourse
On Saturday or Sunday before/after mass

Spiritual bouquet forms can be found in the concourse
and dropped in the basket as well

NOVENA

A LA VIRGEN DE GUADALUPE

Diciembre 3 a Diciembre 11 6:00 pm

DICIEMBRE	MINISTERIO	MUSICA	LUGAR
MIERCOLES 3	TODOS	RAMIRO	IGLESIA
JUEVES 4	LECTORES	JORGE	"
VIERNES 5	MUSICA	RAMIRO	"
SABADO 6	EUCARISTIA	JORGE	"
DOMINGO 7	UJIERES	JORGE	"
LUNES 8	MUSICA	JORGE	"
MARTES 9	EUCARISTIA	JORGE	"
MIERCOLES 10	TODOS	RAMIRO	"
JUEVES 11	LECTORES	RAMIRO	"

Misas para Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

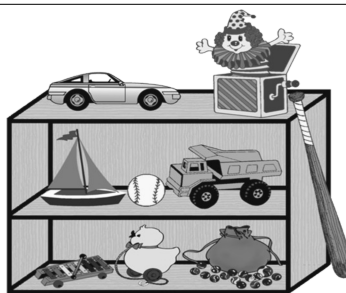
Jueves 11 de diciembre, 11:00pm

Viernes 12 de diciembre, 7:00pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Masses

Thursday, December 11th at 11:00pm

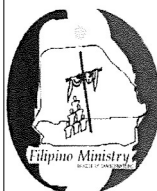
Friday, December 12th at 7:00pm



Christmas Toys for Children 2025

Gift tags are available on
the Christmas tree in the
concourse after all
Masses. Please choose a
tag and bring an

UNWRAPPED toy or gift (no clothing please) for that
child. Tape the tag to the gift so we get your gift to
the right child. Drop your gifts into the box in the
Concourse by December 7. Gift cards (\$20-\$25) are a
great idea for Tweens & Teens, and you can purchase
them at the SCRIP table after all the
Masses. If you know of a family in need of toys for
their children, please have them complete a FAMILY
REGISTRATION in the office by December 7. Thank
you for your generosity!



The Filipino Ministry High Desert Vicariate Diocese of San Bernardino



Invites you to join us
Celebrate Simbang Gabi mass
from Dec.14 - Dec.22, 2025

Dates	Church	Address
Dec. 14- Sunday 7pm	St. Joan of Arc Fr. Eudes Paneles	15512 6 th Street Victorville, CA. 92395
Dec. 15 - Monday 7pm	Holy Family Fr. Romy Seleccion	9974 "I" Avenue Hesperia, CA. 92345
Dec.16- Tuesday 7pm	Holy Family Fr. Resty Galang	9974 "I" Avenue Hesperia, CA. 92345
Dec.17 - Wednesday 6pm	Holy Innocents Fr. Eudes Paneles	13230 El Evado Street Victorville, CA.92392
Dec.18- Thursday 7pm	St. Joseph Fr. James Oropel	505 E. Mountain View Street Barstow, CA.92311
Dec.19- Friday 6pm	Holy Innocents Fr. Eudes Paneles	13230 El Evado Street Victorville, CA.92392
Dec.20- Saturday 7pm	St. Joan of Arc Fr. Charles Gino Galley	15512 6 th Street Victorville, CA. 92395
Dec.21- Sunday 7pm	Our Lady of the Desert Fr. Romy Seleccion	18386 Corwin Road Apple Valley, CA.92307
Dec.22- Monday 7pm	Christ the Good Shepherd Fr. Eudes Paneles	17900 Jonathan Road Adelanto. CA.92301



Preparation Classes

Looking to get married in the Catholic Church? Our Lady of the Desert has programs to

prepare you for a Joy-Filled Marriage! Whether you just got engaged, are married civilly and want to commit to being married in the Church, or are living together with children, we have programs designed just for you. These programs help couples better love each other by following God's abundant plans for marriage. It also helps couples learn practical life skills necessary to live out the rich Catholic vision of marriage that Jesus proclaims for "all the days of your lives."

How Do the Classes Work?

Each couple attends two, 4-hour classes to learn more about each other and God's wonderful plan for their lives together. The classes are interactive, fun, and tailored to each couple's life situation. After successfully completing the class, the couple receives a certificate of completion allowing them to proceed with their marriage plans in the Catholic Church.

NEXT CLASS:

January 2026: Part 1: January 17, 2026, 8AM to Noon; Part 2: January 24, 2026, 8 AM to Noon

CALL TO REGISTER!

How do I find out more of the Group Wedding on January 31, 2026?

To schedule a wedding at Our Lady of the Desert:

Call the Imelda at the Church Office:

(760) 242-4427 (9 AM to 2 PM Monday-Thursday)

For Spanish Classes: Lisette Lopez (626) 626-1960

For English Classes: Tom Gilmore at (760) 490-4568 or Ilene Gilmore at (760) 490-4570

Readings for the week of December 7, 2025

Sunday: Is 11:1-10/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17 (see 7)/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Is 40:1-11/Ps 96:1-2, 3 and 10ac, 11-12, 13/Mt 18:12-14

Wednesday: Is 40:25-31/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and 10/Mt 11:28-30

Thursday: Is 41:13-20/Ps 145:1 and 9, 10-11, 12-13ab/Mt 11:11-15

Friday: Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Jdt 13:18bcde, 19/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47

Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16, 18-19/Mt 17:9a, 10-13

2025 Advent Penance Services

Holy Innocents Church, Victorville:

Tuesday, December 9, 2025 7:00 PM

St. Junipero Serra Church, Phelan:

Wednesday, December 10, 2025 6:30 PM

St. Joan of Arc Church, Victorville:

Tuesday, December 16, 2025 7:00 PM

Holy Family Church, Hesperia:

Thursday, December 18, 2025 7:00 PM



UN MATRIMONIO
lleno de alegría

Clases de preparación

¿Buscas casarte en la Iglesia Católica?

¡Nuestra Señora del

Desierto tiene programas

para prepararte para un matrimonio lleno de alegría! Ya sea que se acaben de comprometer, estén casados por lo civil y quieran comprometerse a casarse por la Iglesia, o vivan juntos con hijos, tenemos programas diseñados solo para usted. Estos programas ayudan a las parejas a amarse mejor al seguir los abundantes planes de Dios para el matrimonio. También ayuda a las parejas a aprender las habilidades prácticas para la vida necesarias para vivir la rica visión católica del matrimonio que Jesús proclama para "todos los días de sus vidas".

¿Cómo funcionan las clases?

Cada pareja asiste a dos clases de 4 horas para aprender más el uno del otro y el maravilloso plan de Dios para sus vidas juntos. Las clases son interactivas, divertidas y se adaptan a la situación de vida de cada pareja. Después de completar con éxito la clase, la pareja recibe un certificado de finalización que les permite continuar con sus planes de matrimonio en la Iglesia Católica.

PRÓXIMA CLASE:

Enero de 2026: Parte 1: 17 de enero de 2026, de 8 AM al mediodía; Parte 2: 24 de enero de 2026, de 8 AM al mediodía

¡LLAME PARA REGISTRARSE!

¿Cómo puedo obtener información sobre la boda en grupo el 31 de enero, 2026?

Para programar una boda en Nuestra Señora del

Desierto: Llame a Imelda en la Oficina de la Iglesia:

(760) 242-4427 (9 AM a 2 PM de lunes a jueves)

Para clases de español: llame a Lisette Lopez

(626) 626-1960

Para clases de inglés: llame a Tom Gilmore

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Lecturas de la semana 7 de diciembre de 2025

Domingo: Is 11, 1-10/Sal 71, 1-2. 7-8. 12-13. 17 (ver 7)/

Rom 15, 4-9/Mt 3, 1-12

Lunes: Gn 3, 9-15. 20/Sal 97, 1. 2-3. 3-4/Ef 1, 3-6. 11-12/Lc 1, 26-38

Martes: Is 40, 1-11/Sal 95, 1-2. 3 y 10. 11-12. 13/Mt 18, 12-14

Miércoles: Is 40, 25-31/Sal 102, 1-2. 3-4. 8 y 10/Mt 11, 28-30

Jueves: Is 41, 13-20/Sal 144, 1 y 9. 10-11. 12-13/Mt 11, 11-15

Viernes: Ecl 24, 23-31/Gal 4, 4-7/Lc 1, 39-48

Sábado: Ecl 48, 1-4. 9-11/Sal 79, 2 y 3. 15-16. 18-19/Mt 17, 10-13





Children's Christmas Eve Choir

Calling all children who want to sing at the 5 PM Christmas Eve Mass (English).

Parents need to bring their children to rehearsal at **Church from**

4:30pm to 5:30pm every Friday, December 12 and 19.

Requirement: Children are required to attend all rehearsals to participate

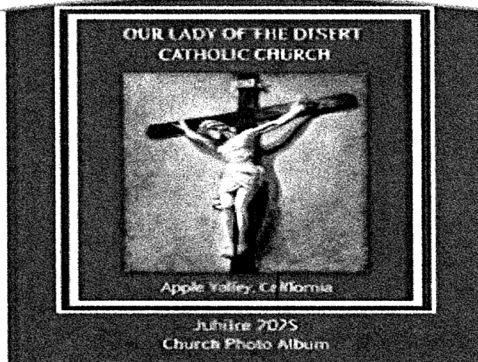
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NO in-person walk-up announcements.

¡Atención a todos con respecto a los anuncios del fin de semana!

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