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DECEMBER 28, 2025 | FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH



GOSPEL REFLECTION

In today's Gospel, Joseph is told: "Rise, take the child and His mother, and flee..." (Matthew 2:13, 20). First to Egypt, then later to Israel. The Holy Family is frequently challenged to move and change, to adapt to God's will for them, in order to find safety in the midst of threat. It's not just a unique story about survival. It's a spiritual pattern for all of us. Every Christian family is called to be a kind of sanctuary, especially in a world full of noise, busyness, and fear.

The Lord's Day, Sunday, is perhaps the most practical way we imitate this dynamic we see in Joseph and his family. Sunday is not meant to be just like every other day, filled with errands and stress. It's meant to be a day set apart; a holy "escape" into rest, worship, joy, and peace. A day to rise, take your family, and flee into God's presence to encounter Him.

REFLEXIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

En el Evangelio de hoy, a José se le dice: "Levántate, toma al niño y a su madre, y huye..." (Mateo 2:13,20). Primero a Egipto, y luego a Israel. La Sagrada Familia se ve constantemente obligada a mudarse y a adaptarse a la voluntad de Dios, para encontrar seguridad en medio de la amenaza. No se trata solo de una historia particular de supervivencia, sino de un modelo espiritual para todos nosotros. Toda familia Cristiana está llamada a ser una especie de santuario, especialmente en un mundo lleno de ruido, ajetreo y miedo.

El Día del Señor, el domingo, es quizás la forma más práctica de imitar esta dinámica que vemos en José y su familia. El domingo no debe ser un día cualquiera, lleno de quehaceres y estrés. Debe ser un día especial; una "escapada" sagrada para descansar, adorar, disfrutar y encontrar la paz. Un día para levantarse, tomar a la familia y huir a la presencia de Dios para encontrarnos con Él.

GOSPEL READING

He rose, took the child and his mother, and went to the land of Israel.
(Mt 2:21)

Se levantó, tomó al niño y a su madre, y se fue a la tierra de Israel.
(Mateo 2:21)

Happy New Year  **Feliz Año Nuevo**

Parish Office will be closed:
December 25th - January 1st

Oficina Parroquial estará cerrada:
25 de Diciembre - 1 de Enero

02 SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

LITURGICAL FOCUS

Mary, the Mother of God

The Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God (Theotokos) is celebrated on January 1st. It is the final day of the Christmas Octave and normally a Holy Day of Obligation. The origin of this feast goes back to 431 - Council of Ephesus. It honors Mary as the mother of Jesus Christ, God incarnate, the Second Person of the Holy Trinity. The 8th day was also when Joseph and Mary brought Christ to be circumcised in the temple. This was when he was given the name 'Jesus' which means 'God Saves'. This feast fits well with the beginning of the New Year so that we may consecrate our year to the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of all Christians.



ENFOQUE LITÚRGICO

María, Madre de Dios

El 1 de enero se celebra la Solemnidad de María, Madre de Dios (Theotokos). Es el último día de la Octava de Navidad y normalmente un Día Santo de Precepto. El origen de esta fiesta se remonta al año 431 - Concilio de Éfeso. Honra a María como madre de Jesucristo, Dios encarnado, la Segunda Persona de la Santísima Trinidad. El octavo día fue también cuando José y María llevaron a Cristo para ser circuncidado en el templo. Fue entonces cuando le dieron el nombre de "Jesús", que significa "Dios salva." Esta fiesta encaja bien con el comienzo del Año Nuevo para que podamos consagrar nuestro año a la intercesión de la Santísima Virgen María, Madre de todos los Cristianos.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Whoever honors his father atones for sins, and preserves himself from them. (Sir 3:3)

Psalms: Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways. (Ps 128)

Second Reading: And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. (Col 3:17)

Gospel: He rose, took the child and his mother, and went to the land of Israel. (Mt 2:21)

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura: Quien honra a su padre expía sus pecados y se libra de ellos. (Sir 3:3)

Salmo: Bienaventurados los que temen al Señor y andan en sus caminos. (Salmo 128)

Segunda lectura: Y todo lo que hagáis, de palabra o de obra, hacedlo todo en el nombre del Señor Jesús, dando gracias a Dios Padre por medio de él. (Colosenses 3:17)

Evangelio: Se levantó, tomó al niño y a su madre, y se fue a la tierra de Israel. (Mateo 2:21)

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HOURS/HORARIO:

Office/Oficina: Mon-Fri/Lunes-Viernes 9am-5pm, Closed for lunch/Cerrado durante el almuerzo 12:45pm-2:00pm

Religious Goods Stores/Tienda de Artículos Religiosos:
Sat/Sáb 5:30pm-8:00pm, Sun/Dom 10am-3pm.

LITURGY & SACRAMENTS

Rosary: Mon-Fri after 8am and 12 noon
Masses & Sat following 8am Mass

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Bilingual:
Sunday - Friday 3:00pm; Saturday 3:30pm

Confessions: Tues & Thurs 7:15-7:50am, 5:00-5:50pm, Sat 3:30-4:45pm

Daily Mass Times: See page 3

LITURGIA Y SACRAMENTOS

Rosario: 5:15pm Lunes-Viernes

Coronilla a la Divina Misericordia-Bilingüe: Domingo-Viernes 3:00pm, Sábado 3:30pm

Confesiones: Martes y Jueves 7:15-7:50am, 5:00-5:50pm, y los Sábados a las 3:30-4:45pm

SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM FOR ST. MARY PARISH

For any Sexual Harassment complaints/concerns at St. Mary, please contact the Director of Administration by calling the Parish Office at (760) 745-1611 x100.

The Diocese of San Diego treats all allegations of sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel seriously and deals with them in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To report sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel, including abuse, please call Mary Acosta, Victim Assistance Coordinator, (858) 490-8353, email misconduct@sdccatholic.org or visit www.safeinourdiocese.org. Situations of recent or ongoing sexual abuse should be reported to local law enforcement.

PROGRAMA DE AMBIENTE SEGURO PARA LA PARROQUIA DE SANTA MARÍA

Para cualquier queja/inquietud de Acoso Sexual en St. Mary, comuníquese con el Director de Administración llamando a la Oficina Parroquial al (760) 745-1611 x100.

La Diócesis de San Diego trata con seriedad todas las denuncias de conducta sexual inapropiada por parte del clero o del personal de la Iglesia y las trata de manera rápida, confidencial y exhaustiva. Para denunciar conducta sexual inapropiada por parte del clero o del personal de la Iglesia, incluyendo el abuso, llame a Mary Acosta, Coordinadora de Asistencia a Víctimas, (858) 490-8353, envíe un correo electrónico a misconduct@sdccatholic.org o visite www.safeinourdiocese.org. Las situaciones de abuso sexual reciente o en curso deben informarse a la policía.

MASS SCHEDULE, FEASTS, & INTENTIONS

English (E) | Spanish (S) | Bilingual (B) | Communion Service (CS) |
Optional Memorial (OM) | Memorial (M) | Feast (F) | Solemnity (S) |
Holy Day of Obligation (HD)



Day:	Date:	Lang:	Mass Times:	Mass Intentions:
Mass Feasts:				
Monday / Lunes	12/29	E	8:00am	† Guadalupe Rojas
St. Thomas Becket		E	12:00pm	† Guise Tram Minh Vu
		S	6:00pm	† Luis Perez
Tuesday / Martes	12/30	E	8:00am	Lemus Juarez Family- Special Intention
Saint Anyisia of Salonika		E	12:00pm	† Percy O'Connor
		S	6:00pm	† Carlos Gustavo Valdez
Wednesday / Miercoles	12/31	E	8:00am	Sheila Meziere- Special Intention
St. Sylvester		E	12:00pm	Mike Meziere- Special Intention
		S	6:00pm	† Cecilio Gonzalez Vazquez
		B	10:30pm	Rangel Family- Special Intention
Thursday / Jueves	01/01	E	8:00am	† Manivanh Virachack
Mary, Mother of God		E	12:00pm	Meziere Family- Special Intention
		S	6:00pm	† Jesus Rojas Robles
Friday / Viernes	01/02	E	8:00am	Ministry Apostles of the Sacred Heart of Jesus- Special Intention
St. Basil the Great		E	12:00pm	† Carlos & † Hilda Fawk
		S	6:00pm	Ministerio del Sagrado Corazón- Intención Especial
Saturday / Sabado	01/03	E	8:00am	Fr. Scott Herrera – Personal Intentions
Holy Name of Jesus		E	5:00pm	Taylor Family- Special Intention
		S	6:30pm	† Cecilio Gonzalez
Sunday / Domingo	01/04	E	7:30am	Abella Que- Birthday
The Epiphany of the Lord		E	9:00am	Ben & Mila Penano- Special Intention
		E	10:30am	† Thomas Dobrino Sr.
		S	12:00pm	Personas Sufriendo con problemas de Salud Mental
		S	1:30pm	† Maria Hernandez
		E	5:00pm	McLeod Family- Special Intention
		S	6:30pm	† Azael Estudillo

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

(As requested by the San Diego Diocese rotation of daily prayer for priests)

Sun / Dom 28 Rev. Alfredo Heyrosa
Mon / Lun 29 Rev. Daniel Holgren
Tue / Mar 30 Rev. Edward Horning
Wed / Mie 31 Rev. Caleb Insko, FSSP

Thu / Jue 01 Pope Leo XIV
Fri / Vie 02 Bishop Michael Pham
Sat / Sab 03 Bishop Ramón Bejarano
Sun / Dom 04 Bishop Felipe Pulido

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jose Guadalupe Leon
Francisco De La Cruz
Maria de Jesus Franco
Manuel Cortez Franco
Anthony Curley Peña
Ezequiel Lopez Acosta
Mayra J. Soto Cota
Catherine Garcia
Cristina Sanchez
Susana Bernal Joaquin
Sandra Garcia
Ulisses Gonzalez
Mariana Chantal Calderon Bernal
Clara Dobrino
Reynaldo Santos
Margarita Silva
Cruz Anguiano
Angie Juarez
Adreian De La Torre
Hermelinda de Negrete
Tillie King
Maria Muett
Vanessa Martinez
Martina Garcia Venegas
Socorro Medina
Glory Michelle Dimas Maldonado
Juana Maldonado Saavedra
Mimi Jupp
All St. Mary Parishioners or extended family members of parishioners

"Loving Father grant unto them healing and full recovery from their ailments"

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

† All Souls in Purgatory

† Minerva Acevedo
† Adrián Serratos López
† Israel Serratos López
† Ramon Madrigal
† Maria Isabel Duron
† Martin Isalas Najera
† Brandon Montoya
† Glenda Bobbio
† Diane O'Neill
† Stephen O'Neill
† Jesus Esparza
† Dcn. James Kostick
† Arturo Vasquez
† Santiago C. Garza
† John M. Costello, Jr.
† Maria de Jesús De La Cruz
† Christina Sunshine Tullos
† Silvia Daniela Rosales Bravo
† Maria de Lourdes Franco Vásquez
† Jane Marie Humphrey
† Karen Baker
† Alonzo R. Galvan
† Albert Linsson
† Etta Linsson
† Dcn. John Depner
† Thomas & Gina Vela
† Justino Miguel Reza
† Amado Bravo
† Charles Ayash
† Charlotte Wirth
† Judy Johnson
† Eugene Buehl
† Peter Santrach
† Jaki Collard

FUNERALS

"Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them"

WEDDING BANNES

Roberto Escobedo & Valeria Godinez - May 20, 2026

"So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate."

04 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CHRISTMAS

Christmas is a time of joy, celebration, and reflection on the birth of Jesus Christ. For Catholics, it is not just a festive occasion, but a deeply spiritual time that reminds us of the love, hope, and peace brought into the world with Christ's arrival.

Celebrating the birth of Jesus Christ is more than a Christian holiday or Christian festival. It is more than an occasion to decorate our houses. It is an opportunity to pause and give thanks for the love, hope and joy found in Jesus – our Savior and friend. As we exchange gifts with loved ones, it is out of remembrance of the gift God gave us in Jesus. God's love is for everyone. You are not alone. You are loved, and you can feel hopeful and joyful. That is the true meaning of Christmas.

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16)

As we celebrate the birth of our Savior, may His peace and love surround you and your loved ones. Merry Christmas and blessings for the New Year.

Religious Education Office

Contact the Religious Education office: (760) 745-1611 x 806

LA NAVIDAD

La Navidad es un tiempo de alegría, celebración y reflexión sobre el nacimiento de Jesucristo. Para los católicos, no es solo una ocasión festiva, sino un tiempo profundamente espiritual que nos recuerda el amor, la esperanza y la paz traídos al mundo con la llegada de Cristo.

Celebrar el nacimiento de Jesucristo es más que una fiesta cristiana o un festival cristiano. Es más que una ocasión para decorar nuestras casas. Es una oportunidad para detenerse y dar gracias por el amor, la esperanza y la alegría que se encuentran en Jesús, nuestro Salvador y amigo. El amor de Dios es para todos. No estás solo. Eres amado, y puedes sentirte esperanzado y alegre. Ese es el verdadero significado de la Navidad.

"Porque de tal manera amó Dios al mundo, que dio a Su Hijo unigénito (único), para que todo aquél que cree en El, no se pierda, sino que tenga vida eterna. (Juan 3:16)

Mientras celebramos el nacimiento de nuestro Salvador, que Su paz y amor los rodeen a ustedes y a sus seres queridos. Feliz Navidad y bendiciones para el Año Nuevo.

Oficina de Educación Religiosa

Comuníquese con la oficina de Educación Religiosa (760) 745-1611 x 806

PERPETUAL ADORATION



*St. Mary
Eucharistic Adoration
Chapel*

**"Come to me, all you who labor and are
burdened, and I will give you rest."
Mt. 11:28**

**Open 24 hours a day
7 days a week**

Access between 7:30 PM and 7:00 AM
requires a FOB key. To request a key,
please register through the Parish Office.

*Capilla de
Adoración Eucarística
de Santa María*

**Abierto las 24 horas del día
7 días a la semana**

El acceso entre las 7:30pm y las 7:00am requiere
una llave FOB. Para solicitarla, regístrese
en la Oficina Parroquial.

**"Vengan a mí los que van cansados, llevando
pesadas cargas, y yo los aliviaré."
Mat. 11:28**



Jesus has made Himself the Bread
of Life to give us life. Night and day,
He is there. If you really want to
grow in love, come back to the
Eucharist, come back to that
Adoration.

— Mother Teresa —

**Adoration Hours in need for Commitment:
Horas de Adoración que necesitan Compromiso:**

**Monday / Lunes: 9 & 10 am, 12pm, 3 & 4pm
Tuesday / Martes: 3 & 4pm
Wednesday / Miércoles: 5pm
Thursday / Jueves: 7am, 11am & 5pm
Friday / Viernes: 7am, 11am & 5pm**

**How Can
We Pray
For You?**



**Cómo
Podemos
Orar Por
Usted?**



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

SACRED HEART NINE FIRST FRIDAYS AND OUR LADY OF FATIMA FIVE FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS
1st Friday is January 2nd. The Church grants a Plenary indulgence to those who attend Mass, receive Reconciliation and Holy Communion in honor of The Sacred Heart of Jesus on the First Friday of each month for nine (9) consecutive months.

1st Saturday is January 3rd. Our Lady promised that those who attend Mass, receive the Eucharist, pray a devout rosary, 15 minutes of meditation after praying the rosary and go to Confession with the purpose of making reparation to our Lady's Immaculate Heart for five (5) consecutive months, will receive special blessings. Please join us.

ANUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

DEVOCIONES DEL LOS NUEVE PRIMER VIERNES DEL SAGRADO CORAZÓN DE JESÚS Y CINCO PRIMER SÁBADOS DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE FÁTIMA

El primer viernes es el 2 de Enero. La Iglesia otorga una indulgencia Plenaria a quienes asisten a Misa, reciben la Reconciliación y la Sagrada Comunión en honor al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús el primer viernes de cada mes durante nueve (9) meses consecutivos.

El primer Sábado es el 3 de Enero. Nuestra Señora prometió que aquellos que asisten a Misa, reciben la Eucaristía, rezan un rosario dedicado y se confesan con el propósito de hacer reparación al Corazón Inmaculado de nuestra Señora durante cinco (5) meses consecutivos, recibirán bendiciones especiales. Únase a nosotros.

ENCUENTROS JUVENIL DE IGLESIA SANTA MARÍA CELEBRANDO NUESTRO ENCUENTRO #14

SE LLEVARÁ A CABO
**ENERO
16-18
2026**

"QUE NADIE TE
MENOSPRECE
POR SER JOVEN"
(1 TIMOTEO 4:12)

PARA JOVENCITAS
**DE 13-
17
AÑOS**



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CONOCE A TI MISMO Y
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OPPORTUNITY: GRANT WRITER WANTED

One 2 One Mentoring is seeking an experienced grant writer familiar with nonprofit funding opportunities. If you would like more information—or believe you are the right person for this role—please contact:

Norman Saucedo
 Coordinator, One 2 One Mentoring

✉ nsauceda@stmaryp.org

✉ mentor4y@gmail.com

☎ 760-518-7645



HEALING RETREAT FOR AFTER ABORTION

(for Catholic or Catholic-friendly) in ESCONDIDO given by Rachel's Hope on Jan 30-Feb. 1, 2026. Professionally led. Held at St. Mary, 102 East 13th Ave. Escondido. Recognized by the Diocese of San Diego. Confidentiality maintained. Group Size limited. Cost \$130; partial scholarships available. Housing provided. "Not judged, not lectured, just healed". For information/registration call or text Andrea Finch, (619) 244-5021. Visit us on our website: www.RachelsHope.org

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 Reconciliation for Catholic Women
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DIOCESAN SIMBANG GABI COMMISSIONING MASS

We joyfully recognize our Filipino community as they participate in the Diocesan Simbang Gabi Commissioning Mass. Simbang Gabi ("Night Mass") is a beloved Advent tradition rooted in Spanish influence and is very similar to Las Posadas, as both invite us to journey with Mary and Joseph in prayerful preparation for the birth of Christ. We thank our Filipino community for their faithful witness and for enriching our parish through this beautiful tradition. Maligayang Simbang Gabi!



MISA DIOCESANA DE PUESTA EN SERVICIO DE SIMBANG GABI

Con alegría, reconocemos a nuestra comunidad Filipina por su participación en la Misa de Envío de la Comisión Diocesana de Simbang Gabi. Simbang Gabi ("Misa de la Noche") es una querida tradición de Adviento con raíces en la influencia Española y muy similar a Las Posadas, ya que ambas nos invitan a acompañar a María y José en oración, preparándonos para el nacimiento de Cristo. Agradecemos a nuestra comunidad Filipina por su fiel testimonio y por enriquecer nuestra parroquia con esta hermosa tradición. ¡Feliz Simbang Gabi!

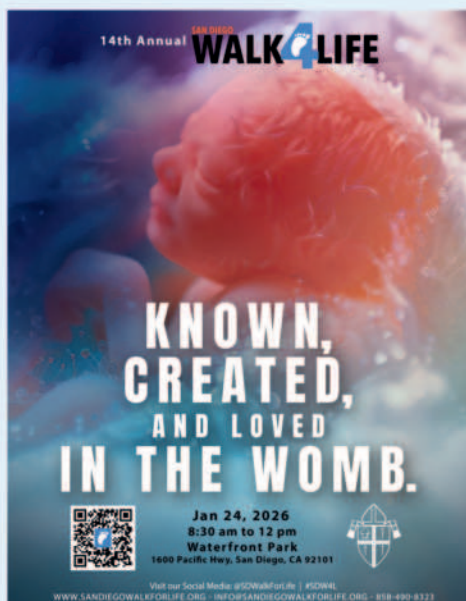
RESTRICTED PROJECTS FUND

Second Collection on the Third Weekend (replacing the Debt Reduction collection)	
February through December 2023 donations	\$129,960
January thru Dec 2024 Donations	\$146,030
Jan thru Nov 2025 Donations	\$133,727
Dec 2025 Donations thru Dec 14	\$3,699

MASS COLLECTIONS

Weekend of December 14th, 2025	
Weekend Collection:	\$23,032
Online Tithing:	\$3,737
Total:	\$26,769

*Middle School Roof \$80K and School Bathrooms \$45K. 2022 Church Bathrooms \$125,000 2023 School Bathrooms \$70,000, Middle school roof \$80,00, preschool roof \$17,000
Major Projects: Pending Permits & Approvals: Parking Lot paving approx: \$3.5 million 2024 Middle School Bathroom \$65,000



Transportation to Walk for Life

St. Mary Parish is renting a bus to provide transportation from St. Mary to Waterfront Park and back. Tickets are \$15. Space is limited. Donations are gratefully accepted to cover the associated costs. To purchase tickets, contact Alma at (760) 713-7092.

Transporte para Caminata por la Vida

Santa Maria está alquilando un autobús para brindar transporte desde Santa Maria hasta Waterfront Park y viceversa. Boletos están a \$15. El espacio es limitado. Se aceptan donaciones con gratitud para cubrir los costos asociados. Para comprar su boleto comuníquese con Alejandra Sanchez al (760) 445-6889.

Ministry Highlight

Children of Mary, Soldiers for Christ



Our mission is to be true soldiers for Christ, and devoted Children of Mary. We will teach you how to use the most powerful weapon, the Rosary! We meet up Thursdays 7pm in classroom #4 and Fridays 7pm in classroom #9, to pray. Both days are open for any youth who wants to join, come and see, you won't regret it! Afterward we provide snacks, share thoughts and hang out. If you're down, come and join us!



For more information contact:
Jazmin Solario (760) 524-0884

Hijos de María, Soldados de Cristo



Nuestra misión es ser verdaderos soldados de Cristo y devotos Hijos de María. ¡Te enseñaremos a usar el arma más poderosa, el Rosario! Nos reunimos los jueves a las 7pm, salón #4 y los viernes a las 7pm en el salón #9, para orar. Ambos días están abiertos para cualquier joven que quiera unirse, ven a verlo, ¡no te arrepentirás! Luego ofrecemos refrigerios, compartimos pensamientos y pasamos el rato. Si estas interesado, ¡ven y únete a nosotros!

Merry Christmas

*"For unto us a child is born,
unto us a Son is given." - Isaiah 9:6*



St. Mary School wishes you & your family
a very blessed Christmas.



MERRY Christmas

St. Nicholas (A.K.A Santa Claus) visited our Preschool, bringing smiles and joy! We shared lessons of kindness and generosity, inspired by his example. Thank you to all who made this special moment possible.



For more Information call: Ariana Marquez (760) 705-9906 or email: agmarquez@stmaryesc.org
Para más información lláma: Ariana Marquez (760) 705-9906 o correo electrónico: agmarquez@stmaryesc.org

2025 YEAR OF FAITH IN ACTION 09

Thank you for being the Church—present, generous, prayerful, and alive in Christ. As we look toward 2026, we move forward together in faith, hope, and love.

Gracias por ser la Iglesia: presente, generosa, entregada a la oración y viva en Cristo. Mientras miramos hacia el año 2026, avanzamos juntos en fe, esperanza y amor

2025 Baptisms

Infant Baptisms (up to age 7): 125

Minor Baptisms (ages 8-17): 42

Adult Baptisms (18 & older): 5



2025 First Holy Communions

Received into full Communion: 48

1st Communions: 318

2025 Confirmations

299



2025 Marriages

43

2025 Average Mass Attendance

7,125 (Largest in Diocese)

10 2025 YEAR IN REVIEW

Here's a look back at some of the incredible events from this year and the amazing people who made it all possible. We are so grateful for our church family and community. With God's blessings, we look forward to another wonderful year ahead!

JANUARY/ENERO 2025



Walk for Life & Divine Mercy Ministry of Guatemala

Caminata por la Vida y Ministerio de Adoradores de la Divina Misericordia de Guatemala

FEBRUARY/FEBRERO 2025



The Shroud of Turin Exhibit & Marriage Ministry Retreat

Exposición del Sudario de Turín y Retiro para el Ministerio Matrimonial

MARCH/MARZO 2025



Ash Wednesday & Ministry Fair

Miércoles de Ceniza y Feria de Ministerios

APRIL/ABRIL 2025



Palm Sunday & Passion of Christ

Domingo de Ramos y Pasión de Cristo

MAY/MAYO 2025



Coronation of the Virgin Mary & the Ordination of Deacon Ramon Garcia

Coronación de la Virgen María y la Ordenación Diaconal de Ramón García

JUNE/JUNO 2025



Grand Italy Pilgrimage & Summer Celebrations

Gran peregrinación por Italia y Celebraciones de Verano

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Here's a look back at some of the incredible events from this year and the amazing people who made it all possible. We are so grateful for our church family and community. With God's blessings, we look forward to another wonderful year ahead!

JULY/JULIO 2025



4th of July Celebration & Altar Server Appreciation Day

Celebración del 4 de julio y Agradecimiento a los Monaguillos

AUGUST/AUGOSTO 2025



Jukebox Dinner & Dance and Legion of Mary Auxiliary Breakfast

Cena y baile con música de Tocariscos y Desayuno de la Legión de María Auxiliar

SEPTEMBER/SEPTIEMBRE 2025



St. Joseph Cathedral Pilgrimage & Altar & Rosary Society 130th Anniversary Celebration

La Peregrinación a la Catedral de San José y Celebración del 130th Aniversario de la Sociedad del Altar y Rosario

OCTOBER/OCTUBRE 2025



St. Mary Fiesta & Eucharistic Procession of St. Jude Thaddeus

Fiesta de Santa María y Procesión Eucarística de San Judas Tadeo

NOVEMBER/NOVIEMBRE 2025



Veteran's Day Parade and Priest celebrations

Desfile del Día de los Veteranos y Celebraciones de los Sacerdotes

DECEMBER/DICIEMBRE 2025



Christmas Pageant & Advent

Pastorela Navideña y Adviento

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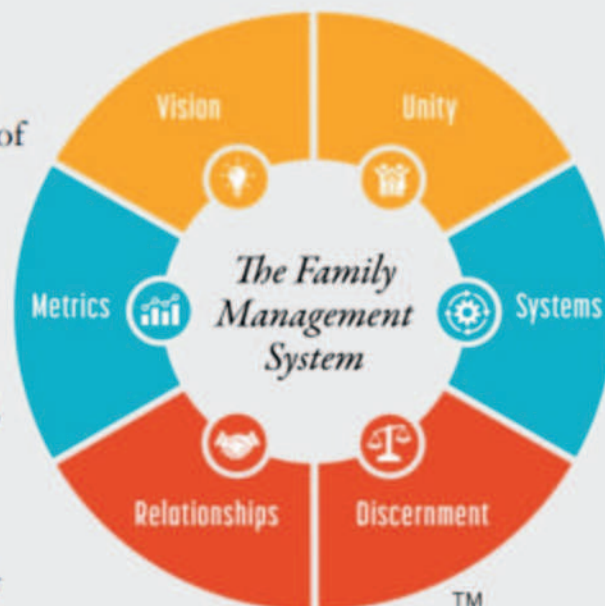
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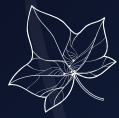
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Miércoles, 31 de Diciembre de 2025
Horario regular de Misas de los Martes

7:00pm–10:15pm: Adoration / Adoración

10:30pm: Bilingual Mass / Misa Bilingüe

12:00am: Benediction / Bendición

12:15am: Reception / Recepción

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