



Our Lady of Guadalupe

A JESUIT PARISH

YOUR HOME IN THE BARRIO

1770 Kearney Avenue, San Diego, CA 92113

XXI Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 23, 2026



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Recipient of the 2026 St. Alberto Hurtado Award: **Carlos Puerta**

Mass Schedule

Vigil Mass • Saturday
6pm

Sunday Masses

6:30am (SPAN) 12:30pm (SPAN)
8:30am (ENG) 5:00pm (SPAN)
10:30am (SPAN) 7:00pm (SPAN)

Daily Masses

Monday • 8am
Tuesday - Friday • 8am & 6pm

Confessions

Tuesday - Saturday • 4:30pm - 5:30pm

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Closed for lunch • 1:30pm - 2:00pm

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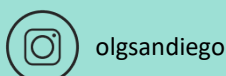
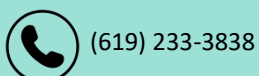
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A message from the Pastor

Place Matters

Written by Fr. Jeff Sullivan

In this week's Gospel from St. Matthew, one of the most important characters is not a person, but a place: Caesarea Phillipi. According to scripture scholars, the land was well sought after for its verdant agriculture and fresh spring water. When Philip, the son of King Herod, ascends to power, he destroys Greek and Jewish edifices, renames the city after himself to Caesarea Phillipi, and constructs new temples to pagan gods. This is Phillip's way of establishing Roman power and elevating him to a god-like status. Location clearly matters. Jesus is very aware of the significance of place. His question to the disciples ("Who do you say that I am?") in Caesarea Phillipi is as much a political statement as it is a theological statement. Jesus' question is an act of resistance against Roman governance and pagan gods. He is attempting to reclaim a once sacred space for the God of Israel. But Jesus cannot do it alone. He needs the disciples to affirm this sentiment. When Peter proclaims, "You are the Messiah", he asserts that God's presence in a place matters.

Over the past four weeks in San Diego, I have come to see that "God's presence in a place matters." As a volunteer for FAITH ministry, I have shown up to the courthouse to accompany and pray for immigrants facing detention and deportation. When I walk past metal detectors and step into dimly lit hallways, I feel that I am entering a God-forsaken place. Looks and grumbles from some guards and federal employees make it feel as though neither me, nor our immigrant brothers and sisters, nor God are welcome in this place. In our way, praying a rosary, walking with our brothers and sisters to their court hearing, or greeting federal employees with kindness, is our small way of helping God to reclaim this place.

As you look at the metaphorical and literal places in your life, which places feel God forsaken?

What do you need from God to courageously stand in that place and proclaim God's presence?

WEEKLY COLLECTION FROM AUGUST 15TH & 16TH

Cash	\$6,665.39
Envelopes	\$5,600.00
Online	\$4,211.46
Daily Masses	\$706.38
Total	\$17,183.23
Goal	\$15,303.00
Did exceed goal by	\$1,880.23
Food sale— <i>Coros</i>	\$3,398.00

Thank you for your ongoing support!

We are grateful for your contribution of time, talent and treasure. Thanks to your support, we can continue to serve our parish community. Scan the QR code if you'd like to make a donation online.



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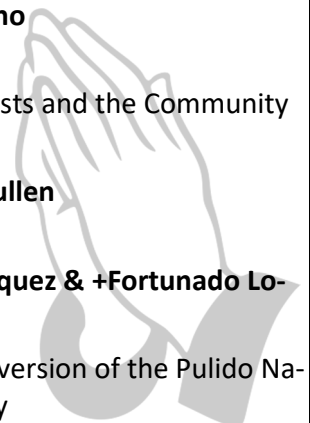
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with the keyword: **OLGSD**

Or scan the QR code and hit send to enroll!

MASS INTENTIONS

- Monday 8am:** For the eternal rest of **+Brenda Gillette**
- Tuesday 8am:** For the wellbeing of Jeffrey & Silvia Maria Berner
- Tuesday 6pm:** **+Felipe Gomez Rojas**
- Wednesday 8am:** **+Blas Cedeno**
- Wednesday 6pm:** For the Priests and the Community
- Thursday 8am:** **+Dolores Pullen**
- Thursday 6pm:** **+Juana Vasquez & +Fortunado Lopez**
- Friday 8am:** For the conversion of the Pulido Naranjo Family
- Friday 6pm:** **+Estela Rodriguez y +Yolanda Ruiz**



Meet Pierre Vu Thompson, SJ



- From **RICHMOND, CA**
- Graduate of **GEORGETOWN UNIV. & Uppsala Univ.** in Sweden
- **ORGANIZED** and **ADVOCATED** for community development, immigration services and integral disarmament for over a decade before entering
- Currently a **JESUIT SCHOLASTIC** studying at the ITESO University of Guadalajara, Mexico



Pray for
Pierre
and Jesuit
Vocations

Know someone
who would make
a great Jesuit like
Pierre?

BeAJesuit.org

or reach out to your Jesuit Pastor or Associate Pastor



Nuestras Calles: Bearing witness to detentions

JOIN US FOR A PRAYER VIGIL IN LINDA VISTA TO
STAND WITH COMMUNITY MEMBERS TAKEN BY ICE.

WEDNESDAY

08.26.26

MEET AT **JOHN P. BACA PARK**
(LINDA VISTA RD &, PLAZA,
SAN DIEGO, CA 92111)
6:30 P.M.

**EUCHARISTIC
PROCESSION TO
MELINDA APPLING
MEMORIAL PAVILION**
(LEVANT ST, SAN DIEGO, CA 92111)



NUESTRAS CALLES IS A MONTHLY VIGIL SERIES HELD ACROSS SAN DIEGO.
FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA FOR UPCOMING LOCATIONS AND DATES.

@POPEFRANCISCENTER.OLGSD



Casa de Misericordia &
Our Lady of Guadalupe

Improve your
strength, balance,
and flexibility!

WELLNESS CLASS

WHEN
Starting September 1
Tuesdays and Thursdays
9:00 am to 10:00 am

WHERE
Our Lady of Guadalupe
Church Hall
located at:
1770 Kearney Avenue
San Diego, CA 92113

NOTE

- Floor mats are provided but you may bring your own.
- Classes are open to all.
- There is no fee, but donations are welcome.
- No experience is necessary!

Learn how slow movements
and deep breathing can:

- Warm up muscles
- Improve balance
- Build strength
- Increase flexibility



FOR MORE INFORMATION

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**Congratulations to the children
who were Baptized on
August 15, 2026**

Miley Morales

Alitzel Morales

Julianna Annabella Murillo Martinez

Logan Elias Carranza

Alessa Arisbeth Landeros Valdatti

Romeo Jacob Vargas

Juno Gio Murillo Martinez

**May you always remember you
are the light of Christ**

ALL ARE WELCOME

PARISH RETREAT



How to Talk to God in Difficult Times

- FREE retreat
- Bring a breakfast item to share
- Build Community
- Get to know one another



August 29
8:30am - 3pm
Parish Hall

A retreat you won't want to miss!

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY

Faith Formation • Inclusion • Community

Join us for our first meeting with *Cafesito!*
Parents and children are welcome to attend!

Monday, August 24th
6:30pm

Kinder Classroom (next to the parish office)

Let us
accompany you!

- Monthly Cafecitos
- Resource Sharing
- Community Building

SEPTIEMBRE MES DE LA BIBLIA

Mira que estoy a la puerta tocando; si alguno escucha mi voz y abre la puerta, entraré y cenaremos juntos.
Apocalipsis 3,20

"Ignorar la Escritura es ignorar a Cristo"

TE HAS PREGUNTADO....

- ¿Quién fue San Jerónimo?
- ¿Cuál es la historia de la biblia?
- ¿Como se llamó la primera introducción de la biblia?
- ¿Porque Septiembre es el mes de la Biblia?

VEN A DISFRUTAR UN DIA DE...

- Temas de Reflexión
- La Obra de Esteban
- Musica
- Hora Santa
- Comida
- Cuidado de niños **GRATIS**

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Septiembre 5, 2026



Nuestra Sra. de Guadalupe
1770 Kearny Avenue, San Diego, CA



9:00 AM



Rev. Scott
Santarosa, SJ



Padre Israel
Ramirez, MSP



Hna. Isabel
Espinosa, HMSP



THE 7TH ANNUAL OUR LADY'S Spaghetti Dinner

A BENEFIT FOR OUR STUDENTS.
A TRADITION THAT UNITES US.

Bringing two parish communities
together, around one table,
supporting Our Lady's School.

HONORING

LEO & KATHRYN
WILLETS
AND
PETER HICKEY



ENJOY
Authentic Italian Dinner
Beverages & Dessert
Live Music



EXPERIENCE
Premium Raffle Baskets
Great Company
A Meaningful Cause



BENEFIT
All proceeds benefit
the students of
Our Lady's School.



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2026
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM



FATHER BROWN CAMPUS
744 BEARDSLEY STREET
SAN DIEGO, CA 92113

ADMISSION
\$20
PER GUEST

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