

MISSION BASILICA SAN DIEGO DE ALCALÁ

MAY 24, 2026

PENTECOST
SUNDAY

¡Siempre Adelante!



PENTECOST SUNDAY

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PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASS

Masses at Mission Church unless noted
SFC - Saint Francis Chapel

SUNDAY, MAY 24

~PENTECOST SUNDAY~

5:30 PM (SAT) Marvine Williamson

7:30 AM Tomi Waters Mata

9:00 AM †Donna Grillo

9:00 AM (SFC) †Margo Anne and
†Brenda D'Angelo

10:30 AM †Robert E. Crossette

10:30 AM (SFC) †Gloria Quinto

12:00 PM †Michael Morongell

5:30 PM (SFC) For the People of the Parish-

MONDAY, MAY 25

~The Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of the Church~

[Memorial Day]

9:00 AM Rogel Aguilar

TUESDAY, MAY 26

~St. Philip Neri, Priest~

7:00 AM Ana Fonseca Garcia

5:30 PM †Richard Aquing &
†Allison Lo Grasso

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

~Weekday~

7:00 AM Cora Dalisay

5:30 PM †Marshall Le Tourneau

THURSDAY, MAY 28

~Weekday~

7:00 AM †Cording Castillo

5:30 PM Ryan Villena

FRIDAY, MAY 29

~Weekday~

7:00 AM Intention of the Priest

5:30 PM Intention of the Priest

SATURDAY, MAY 30

No Mass

SUNDAY, MAY 31

~THE MOST HOLY TRINITY~

5:30 PM (SAT) Intention of the Priest

7:30 AM For the People of the Parish

9:00 AM †Lourdes Ramos

9:00 AM (SFC) Intention of the Priest

10:30 AM †Sandra Tapia Torres

10:30 AM (SFC) Intention of the Priest

12:00 PM Intention of the Priest

5:30 PM (SFC) Lydia Gonsalves



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PENTECOST SUNDAY

Jesus said to them again,
"Peace be with you. As
the Father has sent me, so
I send you." - Jn 20:21

PARISH INFORMATION

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Tel: (619) 283-7319

VISITOR CENTER/GIFT SHOP

Rhonda Sosa, Manager
Open daily - 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Tel: (619) 281-8449

MSGR. HALTER ARCHIVES

Hours - Tuesday & Thursday
10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Tel: (619) 283-6338
tfalcone@missionsandiego.org

BAPTISMS

Please call the Parish Office

MARRIAGES

Preparation with priest at least
9 months in advance.
Please call the Parish Office

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Tel: (619) 624-0900

MISSION HISTORY

missionsandiegohistory.org

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Principal: Annalisa Burgos
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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

5:30 PM Saturday - Mission Church

7:30 AM Sunday - Mission Church

9:00 AM St. Francis Chapel
(Contemporary Music
Group every other week)
and Mission Church

10:30 AM St. Francis Chapel
(Spanish) and Mission Church

12:00 PM Mission Church
(Mission Choir)

5:30 PM St. Francis Chapel

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday, 7:00 am & 5:30 pm
in the Mission Church

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

8:00 am in the Mission Church

HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS

See bulletin

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 pm
in the Mission Church or by appointment.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Friday of the month, 7:30 to 11:35 am
and 6:00 to 6:35 pm in the Mission Church

¡Siempre Adelante! is inspired by our founder, St. Junipero Serra,
whose desire to serve was expressed in his motto: Always Forward!

Bulletin submissions must be requested a week or more prior to the desired Sunday.
Please send requests via email to **Anthony Tarantino** at atarantino@missionsandiego.org.
All submissions are subject to approval.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Online: <https://bible.usccb.org>

A Time for Transformation

BY ALICE CAMILLE



Among the readings we don't hear this weekend is the passage from Ecclesiastes 3 about the appointed time for everything. It would be a good one for Pentecost because it explores how transformative the simple motion of time can be. One minute we're born, and before long we die. One moment we're weeping, and in time we'll laugh again.

This idea is pertinent to Pentecost because in this past Easter Season of marvels, everything has been revolving swiftly for the disciples. For a time they're huddled in the upper room, behind locked doors, fearful of discovery. Then Jesus appears and brings his incomparable peace. Before long he's gone again, taken from their sight. So the disciples return to the upper room to pray and to wait for an event they could scarcely anticipate.

The upper room is a sort of cocoon of

transformation for the friends of Jesus. It's the place Jesus first shares the mystery of bread and wine as his Body and Blood on Holy Thursday night. It's also where he washes their feet and impresses on them the importance of service. Just as food becomes Eucharist and teachers become servants, so, too, in this room fear becomes hope and frightened students become fearless evangelists.

This past Lent I attended the Chrism Mass in the Diocese of Stockton. Bishop Stephen Blaire spoke movingly about the integrity of what we believe: how the gospel events we memorialize through the liturgical year are of one piece and point to one great truth. In recognition of this vital integrity, the series of transformations that emerge from the upper room are no mere coincidence. We, the disciples of Jesus, enter that room to discover who we are and who we're called to become. Then we emerge to express that identity to a world in need of the illumination of

such witnesses. Is there any doubt that the "upper room" of our present experience is the hour of Eucharist itself?

It's here that we learn, as the first disciples did, how to be church. Here we come to confess "that we have sinned through our own fault," and to give glory to God, and to profess our faith. Here we announce the Good News of scripture and pray for the needs of our world and remember the great self-offering of Jesus and share in the meal that makes us bearers of his life. From here we pour out into streets around the world and speak in every language about what we know to be true—including and most especially the language of action. Pentecost was not meant to be once-upon-a-time. When we appreciate what the Spirit of God has made of us, it's Pentecost again.

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Alice Camille is a religious educator, Scripture commentator, and author of many books including **This Transforming Word** and other titles found at alicecamille.com.

UPCOMING ROSARIES

Make praying the rosary a part of your daily life.

- The Rosary is prayed immediately after the 7:00 am Mass, Mon - Fri, in the Mission Church.
- A Rosary for the Eucharistic Revival is prayed on the first Wed of each month in La Sala following the 5:30 pm Mass. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, next rosary is **Jun 3**.
- A Pro-Life Rosary is prayed every first Thurs in the Mission Church at 5:00 pm. Next rosary: **Jun 4**.
- A Rosary for Peace is prayed every third Sat of the month at 9:00 am. Join fellow parishioners at Nazareth School's Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto to seek the intercession of Our Lady, Queen of Peace. Next rosary: **Jun 20**.



GIFT SHOP VOLUNTEERS

Our Visitor Center and Gift Shop is seeking volunteers. For info, contact Rhonda Sosa at rsosa@missionsandiego.org.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:

- Paloma Bravence • Diane Cabrera • Jose de la Garza
Suzanne Elassis • Sebastian Guerra
Violet Hernandez - Torres • Randy Little • T.D. Martinez
Sammie Montali • Cynthia Rainbolt • Nick Sokach
Mark Turner • Christopher Wamsley
Deployed personnel serving in our
Armed Forces and their families**

Names remain listed for four weeks and can be renewed by contacting the parish office at (619) 283-7319.

HOLIDAY HOURS

The Parish Office will be closed on **Mon, May 25** in observance of **Memorial Day**. One Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am. The Visitor Center and Gift Shop will be open from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.



USHERS NEEDED

The Mission Basilica San Diego de Alcalá is seeking additional volunteer ushers – both men and women – to assist at our weekend liturgies. As California’s first Mission and a place of pilgrimage, we welcome many visitors each week. Our ushers help extend the Mission’s spirit of hospitality by greeting parishioners and guests, assisting with seating, supporting the collection, ensuring a prayerful flow to the liturgy, and preparing the church for the next Mass. If you have a warm presence and a desire to serve in this ministry of welcome, please contact the parishioner Cecil Boyd at ctnboyd@att.net. Thank you!



O.C.I.A.

If you are curious about what Catholics believe and are interested in learning more about the possibility of becoming a member of the Catholic Church, the “Order of Christian Initiation of Adults” is for you! Interested persons are asked to contact Lissa Hutcheson at lissahutcheson@outlook.com. Go to missionsandiego.org/ocia for more info.



AN ALTERNATIVE TO OFFERTORY ENVELOPES



The Mission San Diego offers an easy-to-use contribution system for both one-time and recurring gifts. Powered by WeShare, electronic giving is safe, secure, and convenient. To learn more and get started, please scan the QR code or visit our website missionsandiego.org and select the “Donate Now” link.

PARISH SUPPORT

May 7-13, 2026

Plate:	\$5,831.73
Envelope:	\$6,960.00
Online:	\$5,344.60
Total:	\$18,136.33

Thank you for your support of our parish!

CATHECHIST CLASSES

A **Basic Catechist Formation Certification Course** will be held from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm twice a month — on Saturdays — from **Jun 13 – Sep 26** at Mission San Diego de Alcalá. This is intended for the certification of new catechists and is designed for individuals entrusted in passing on the faith, those who desire to deepen their knowledge of the Catholic faith, or anyone interested in serving as a minister within their parish or community. The registration fee is \$75 Those interested should call (858) 490-8237 or visit sdcatholicdisciples.net.

SAVE THE DATE

The Festival of the Bells will be held from **July 17-19**.

MISSION SAN DIEGO DE ALCALÁ CHURCH EVENT

Father's Day Family Fun Party

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JUNE 14, 2026 | **1:30 PM - 3:30 PM** | **CALIFORNIA ROOM**

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FAITH FORMATION

Catechesis is a lifelong process for all levels and all ages. Ongoing faith formation is essential to help evangelize and transform the world. We are accepting registrations through the end of Sept.

REGISTER NOW

Faith Formation (Pre-K to Level 8), 2026-27
Confirmation Preparation (High School), 2026-27

For more information and fees, go to missionsandiego.org/faith-formation

Fees increase on July 1

YARN DONATION

The Social Action Committee is collecting yarn to benefit a weekly knitting/crochet group at Fr. Joe's Villages. If you have extra yarn #4 or higher or extra knitting needles, please bring them on **Jun 7** with your first Sunday food offering. Thank you!

ANNIVERSARY BLESSING

Rodney and Angela Randolph

who celebrated their 25th anniversary on **May 24**
May the Lord continue to bless you both with his life and love!

FIRST COMMUNIONS

Congratulations to those receiving their First Communion this weekend.

Sat, May 23

5:30 pm: Frank Arceo, Vincent Arceo, Frances Carinugan, Nathan Dees, Xavier Guzman, Dylan Serrato.

Sun, May 24

9:00 am: Nayeli Serusa, Gabriel Escueta.

10:30 am: Ines Luna Barraza, Maya Cuautle, Rafael Franco, Ethan Lo, Gabriella Maestre, Alena Nguyen.

12:00 pm: Andres Alvarez, Dominic Bogarin, Valentina Deloera, Leo Ortega, Chloe Ortillano, Carolina Salinas.

"May you feel the warmth and comfort of the Lord's love with you every day."

SINGERS WANTED

The Mission Choir is recruiting singers. Those interested must be committed to Thurs. night rehearsals and 12:00 pm Sunday Masses. If interested, contact Rebecca Pirtle at (619) 832-4917 or Gene Regard at generegard2@gmail.com.

ARE YOU REGISTERED?

Join our faith community by completing a registration form at missionsandiego.org or visit our Visitor Center during regular business hours.

JUNE 5-7 ASCENSION CHURCH'S 42ND ANNUAL FIESTA

FRIDAY
 Friday Fiesta Hours: 5 – 10pm
 Food & Game Booths: 5:30 – 9:30pm
 3 CAR GARAGE (70s): 7 – 10pm

SATURDAY
 Saturday Fiesta Hours: 11:30am – 10pm
 Food & Game Booths: 11:30am – 9:30pm
 THE NINETEEN 90s (90s): 2 – 3:15pm
 White Dragon Martial Arts Demonstration: 3:45 – 4:15pm
 BETAMAXX (80s): 7 – 10pm

SUNDAY
 Sunday Fiesta Hours: 12 – 4pm
 Food & Game Booths: 12 – 3:30pm
 Makani Kai Polynesian Dance Troupe: 12:15pm
 Studio K With Zumba Demonstration: 1:30pm
 Family Fun Games: 2:30 – 3:30pm
 Raffle: 3:45 – 4pm

Purple Alligator Rummage Sale
 Friday: 5 – 10pm | Saturday: 9am – 10pm | Sunday: 9am – 12pm

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 (858) 279-2735 | sdascension.org | facebook.com/AscensionCatholic/

We Have Fresh Baked Dudley Bread!

May 30 and 31, 2026. after all the Masses.

A team of Columbiettes will save you a drive to Santa Ysabel and pick up the 5 top-selling Dudley Breads.

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Join the Columbiettes of Saint Junipero Serra Council 9498 as we raise funds for parish projects and Catholic and Non-profit charities.

POPE LEO XIV'S FIRST ENCYCLICAL TO BE PUBLISHED

Pope Leo first encyclical, **Magnifica humanitas**, on preserving the human person in the age of artificial intelligence, will be released on **May 25**. A presentation event with the Pope and various speakers is scheduled for the same day at the Vatican. The encyclical bears the Pope's signature dated May 15, 135th anniversary of the publication of Pope Leo XIII's encyclical **Rerum novarum**.



ADULT FORMATION — STUDY IN FAITH

The next bible study: **The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation**, will take place on Tuesdays **Aug 11 - Sept 15** from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the California Room. There is no cost to attend, just your time! To register, contact: Lissa Hutcheson, DMin, Lissahutcheson@outlook.com or call (619) 804-8950.

DISCERNMENT GROUP FOR WOMEN

Ever wonder if God is calling you? Would you like to walk alongside other women also discerning? Contact Sister Katia Chavez, SJS at (760) 562-2727.

VISITOR CENTER & GIFT SHOP

Are you looking for a special gift? Look no further than our own Visitor Center and Gift Shop complete with religious articles, t-shirts, hats, mugs, and more! Gift certificates are also available. Open daily from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Self-guided tours of the Mission grounds begin there as well.

For info, call (619) 281-8449.

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EXPIRES ON MAY 31, 2026

AROUND THE DIOCESE

- **San Diego Catholic Worker** will "Celebrate 50 Years of Service" with lunch and entertainment on **Sat, May 30** from 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm in the St. Mary Magdalene Church Hall, 1945 Illion Street, San Diego. Cost is \$30. Advance payments can be made at sandiegocatholicworker.org.
- Rachel's Hope is putting on a **Healing Retreat after Abortion** from **May 29-31** at St. Mary's, 102 East 13th Ave. Escondido. This event is recognized by the Diocese of San Diego and confidentiality is maintained. Group size is limited. Cost \$130; partial scholarships available. For info, call or text Andrea Finch, (619) 244-5021 or RachelsHope.org.
- **John Paul the Great Catholic University** invites you to attend the blessing of their new Creative Arts Complex in Escondido by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone on **Sat, Jun 13** at 1:30 pm. This state-of-the-art facility will support students in film, acting, design, and more, forming artists to impact culture for Christ. To RSVP for free, please visit jpcatholic.edu/go/grandopening
- It is time to get your marriage in shape. **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** is better than any college course. In just one short weekend (Jun 26-28), you can learn a technique for communication that will keep your marriage on the right track to be healthy. For more info, go to wwwme.org. Early registration is recommended.

2 MILLION MEALS EVENT

FOR I WAS HUNGRY AND YOU GAVE ME FOOD
MATTHEW 25:35

This event is unlike any other project. Volunteers of all ages come together joyously for one purpose: to pack 2 million meals for families living in poverty. 1 million meals will be distributed by Catholic Charities Diocese of San Diego locally.

JUNE 13TH & 14TH, 2026
Cathedral Catholic High School

VOLUNTEER OR DONATE

www.MillionMealEvent.org

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Are you interested in participating in a health program that includes free exercise classes at Mission San Diego de Alcalá?

SDSU is also conducting research on health and physical activity and need study participants.



Scan the QR Code to see if you are eligible to participate in the study portion of Faith in Action.

ibach.faithinaction@sdsu.edu
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SAN DIEGO**

2026 Annual Catholic Appeal

2026 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Our Diocesan-assigned goal is: \$94,000

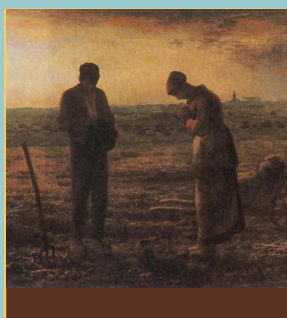
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Or, go to the ACA link on missionsandiego.org

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