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Deacon Johannes Luran

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Catholic Christian family of St. Adelaide and St. John Bosco, are a community of believers, empowered by the Spirit of our Lord Jesus Christ. We are called to proclaim the living Gospel and welcome all into our faith community. In the spirit of love and humanity, we strive to evangelize, to witness and to celebrate the Word through outreach, support, charity, service to the poor and all those in need.

St. John Bosco Mission

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Sunday: Mass9:00am

Wednesday: Confessions at 9:30
& Mass at 10:00am

Prayer Group followed after mass



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Website: www.stadelaidehighland.com

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 23, 2025**

5:00pm † Gus & Joanne Lamantia
By Family

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 2025

7:30am Terry Granado
By Denise St. John

9:00am † Vera Trujillo
St. John Bosco Mass

9:15am † Norberto Manzanida

11:00am † Esmeralda Duran

1:00pm † Jose Gonzalez

MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 2025

7:30am † Rupert Domingo

TUESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2025

7:30am Granado Family
By Denise St. John

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27, 2025

7:30am † Inneke Yaper
By Lauren Family

10:00am † Joseph Reyes
St. John Bosco Mass

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 2025

7:30am Paula Gresson Happy Birthday

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29, 2025

8:15am † Herman Joseph & Imelda Lauren
By Lauren Family

2025 DIOCESAN DEVELOPMENT FUND (DDF) CAMPAIGN



St. Adelaide Goal: \$65,500.00
Pledges Made: \$41,588.00
Gifts Received: \$36,487.06
Donors: 117
Percent of Goal: 55.71 %

**Thank you for generously supporting
the needs of our community.**

ST. JOHN BOSCO MISSION

2025 DDF Goal \$3,700.00

Diocese Goal: \$3,700.00
Pledges Made: \$6,488.00
Gifts Received: \$7,363.00
Donors: 13
Percent of Goal: 199.00 %



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Weekly Goal: \$12,000.00

August 17, 2025

Plate: \$ 5,526.81
Online Giving: \$ 2,632.17
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Total: \$13,953.98

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday - Vigil Mass: 5:00pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:15am, 11:00am and
Misa en español 1:00pm

Daily Mass: Monday- Thursday at 7:30am and
Friday at 8:15am

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 3:30pm-4:30pm

PARISH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, August 24, 2025

7:30am: Mass In Church
 9:00am: Mass at *St. John Bosco Mission*
 9:15am: Mass In Church
 11:00am: Mass In Church
 1:00pm: Mass (Spanish/Español) in Church

Monday, August 25, 2025

7:30am: Mass In Church

Tuesday, August 26, 2025

7:30am: Mass In Church

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

7:30am: Mass In Church
 9:30am: Sacrament of Confession Cancelled at
 St. John Bosco

Thursday, August 28, 2025

7:30am: Mass In Church

Friday, August 29, 2025

8:15am: Mass In Church

Saturday, August 30, 2025

9:00am: Sacrament of Baptism In English
 10:30am: Sacrament of Baptism In Spanish
 3:30pm: Sacrament of Confession In Church
 5:00pm: Vigil Mass

**St. Adelaide Academy is looking
 for an adult who would like to
 work as an extended day-care
 teacher. Hours are 3pm - 5:30pm,
 Monday-Friday.**



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Rosa Isela Alvarado, Director of Religious Education.....
 Ext.106

Flor Morataya, Youth Ministry CoordinatorExt.108
 Amanda Fierros, Catechetical Coordinator, Primary Grades ...
 Ext.109

SACRAMENT PREPARATION

Marriage Preparation, call the office for information

Pre-Baptism Classes in English, Rita Rocha

Clases Pre-Bautismales en español, Maribel Estevez

Rite of Christian Initiation of Children, Rosa Isela Alvarado -
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Teashia Lopez, Vice Principal

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Colleen Ballejos, Bookkeeper

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Elderly & Shut-Ins..... Tony Candelaria

Filipino Ministry.....Gilda V. Tabalina

Food Pantry.....Carol Ray

Ministerio Hispano.....Maribel Estevez

Prayer Group in Spanish.....Jesus Rodriguez & Lily
 Robledo

Quinceañeras.....Lucía Alvarado

Sacristan.....Cris & Lois Paulino

Eddie & Benita Aure

Wedding Coordinator.....Carmen Martinez

This Man Is You (TMIY).....Mike Finn

2 Wings Bible Study.....Rita Rocha

1st Saturday Devotion.....Joe Buck



A Ministry to Catholic Women

Palm Desert Chapter Prayer Meal

Saturday, September 13, 2025

9:00AM To 12:00PM

Woodhaven Country Club

41555 Woodhaven Dr, Palm Desert 92211

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www.magnificatpalmdesert.net

Guest Speaker:

Nikki Kingsley



Season's of Hope Group
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The group meets for 6 weeks
beginning September 17th in
the parish center, Ryan Room.

Prayer, scripture, faith
sharing, and fellowship begin
at 6:30pm until 8:30pm.

For more details call the
parish office at
(909) 862-8669.



Priest Convocation

August 26-29, 2025

Each year the priest of our diocese meet for their annual priest convocation. This 4-day event includes time for priests to learn, reconnect, and relax with their peers. Fr. Anthony & Fr. Jude will be away at the convocation. Please keep in them in your prayers for a well deserved restful week.

Our parish will have communion services in place of our regularly scheduled masses August 26th thru 29th celebrated by one of our deacons. Wednesday morning confessions at St. John Bosco will be cancelled.

Congratulations Deacon Humberto & Deacon Loki on your Ordination Anniversary

Deacon Humberto Rocha was ordained on August 24, 2019. He has served St. Adelaide and St. John Bosco communities since his ordination.

Deacon Johannes Luran was ordained on August 28, 2021, and has been serving St. Adelaide parish during the first year of his Diaconate!

We congratulate Deacon Humberto and Deacon Johannes (A.K.A Loki) on their Ordination Anniversary!



*God bless you for
the dedicated service
you have given to the
people of God through
your ordained ministry.*





Baptismal Preparation

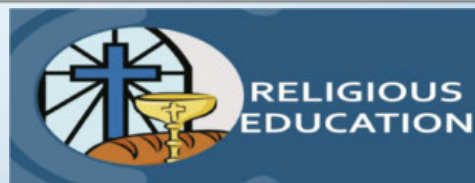
The pre-baptism class prepares parents & godparents for their roles in the lives of a child being brought for baptism in the Catholic Church, as well as how to nurture the faith for their children and godchildren after baptism.

Pre-Baptism classes for parents and Godparents are held on the 3rd Thursday of the month in the Parish Center, from 6-8 p.m.

Parents must call the parish office to set up a pre-baptism appointment prior to attending the class.

Your child's faith is important, we look forward to hearing from you!

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The Religious Education Program will be accepting registrations on Sunday, September 7th from 9am to 3pm in the parish center.

Please call the parish office for more information.

Prayer for Students

Dear Jesus,
Thank you for the gift of learning!
I want to grow closer to you
in everything I do at school.
In math and science, help me to see
your beautiful plan in the world.
Help me to discover new stories
and values as I read and write.
In arts and music, help me to be creative.
In sports, help me to treat my teammates
and my opponents fairly.
Help me to learn new skills
in technology.
Jesus, you are the perfect teacher.
Help me to listen with open ears,
an open heart, and an open mind
to all my teachers at school.
Help me to treat my classmates
with care, kindness, and respect.
Thank you, Jesus, for school!
Amen.



A Shower of Roses is Coming: The Relics of St. Therese Lisieux

The relics of our beloved St. Therese of Child Jesus are returning to the United States after 25 years-and our church is fortunate to be one of the blessed stops on this national tour. The reliquary will be with us at El Carmelo Retreat House in Redlands on October 17. St. Therese, known as the "The Little Flower", once said: "I want to spend my Heaven doing good on earth." Wherever her relics go, hearts are moved, lives are changed, and churches are filled. From her place in Heaven, she continues to shower us with special roses-bringing hope, healing and grace.



**Relics of St. Therese the Little Flower
Are Coming!
October 17, 2025
10 AM - 7 PM**

After 25 years, the magnificent reliquary of St. Thérèse the Little Flower will once again grace the United States. Wherever St. Thérèse goes, hearts are moved, crowds gather, and countless graces flow. She promised:

"I want to spend my Heaven doing good on earth..."

"I will let fall a shower of roses."

The relics of this beloved Carmelite saint will be venerated at:

El Carmelo Retreat House

926 East Highland Ave. Redlands, CA 92374

ALL ARE WELCOMED

local and national schedule: StThereseUSA2025.com

Don't miss this rare and grace-filled opportunity!

To volunteer: QR code; carmelite.aux@gmail.com, 909-792-1047

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QR CODE



This is more than a visit. It's a moment of encounter with one of the Church's most powerful intercessors. As Pope Pius X once called her: "the greatest saint of modern times." Volunteers are still needed to help us welcome the many who will come to venerate her relics. Please contact El Carmelo Retreat House if you'd like to serve.

SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading:

I know their works and their thoughts, and I come to gather nations of every language; they shall come and see my glory. (Is 66:18)



Psalm:

Go out to all the world and tell the Good News. (Ps 117)

Second Reading:

So strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees. Make straight paths for your feet, that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed. (Heb 12:12-13)

Gospel:

For behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last." (Lk 13:30)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK IN OUR COMMUNITY



Herminia Morales Reyes, Sister Maura Feeley, Augustin Serrato, Estella Smith, Jesus & Gloria Davalos, Adalberto Saldana, Adrienne Saldana, Maria Raraff, Barbara Guzmán, Ana Granillo, Mary Jean Godínez, Adonis Villafuerte, Chito Seno, Gerardo Hernández, Nancy Cantos, Nanette Buck, Larry Smith, Michelle Gallegos, María Guadalupe González, Leticia Rodríguez, Stan Logan, Mary Stevens, Consuelo García, John Casillas, Nicole Fonseca, Betty Meyer, Margarita Romero, Perfecta Castenada, Alfonso Fausto, Terri Tate, Kristen Lee, Dean Meyer, Fidel Cruz Jr., Oscar John Smith, Gloria Micaela Caudillo, Rosa Elena Aguillo, Zenida, Antonio y Ma de Jesus Gaona & Robert Smart, Maryland Anderson, Elijah Ismael Gómez, Margie Gutiérrez, John Morgan, Heidi García, Anne Malouf, Nadine Scharnott, & Melissa Álvarez, Adelle Álvarez, Riosado Álvarez, Antonia Torres, Baudeluo Godoy, Betty Ann Sisson, Pánfilo Sala Jr., Mary Lynn Gibson, Sergio & Heriberto Espinoza, Richard García, Joe Olague, Kurt Barilla, Juan Landin, Landis Hooper, Carol Crowder, Luz Chacon, Francisco Veliz, Ana Veliz, Phill Drury, Linda McGussee, Evan Lanning, Alberto Rodríguez, Judah Tovar, Theresa Martin, Chaz Decoteau, Sally Ann Thomas, Christine Anderson, Brenda McElligott, Janice Corner, Alveena Moir, Rosie Reyna, Ernesto Vásquez, Joanna, Raul Gutiérrez, Zoraida Berrios, Felipe & Aurora Ledesma, Mary Gafney, Catherine Medina, Mary Ortiz, Diana Garcia, Eva Rayon, Daniel Matteson, Richard Aquino & Benedict Rayon, Nannette Buck, Dave Molloy & Sharon Crowder.

If you'd like to add or delete a name to the list, please call the parish office at 909 862-8669.



Fr. Jude picking the 1st Place Winner!



Raffle winners

1st Place - Perla Leroy - \$300
2nd Place - Von Douglas - \$200
3rd Place - Rosa Alvarado - \$100

We would like to thank everyone who everyone who participated in our Opportunity Drawing and supported the St. John Bosco 2025 Fiesta.

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO -


XXI Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario



¿Has intentado alguna vez o has tenido la experiencia de entrar por alguna puerta angosta? Es incómodo y te sientes apretado si intentan entrar más de dos personas al mismo tiempo. Nos gustan las puertas anchas, altas y bonitas. La puerta angosta es para entrar de uno en uno, no más. *"Esfuércense por entrar por la puerta angosta, porque yo les digo que muchos tratarán de entrar y no lo lograrán"* (Lucas 13:24). La manera de hablar de Jesús es diferente a otras ocasiones. Habla claro y directo: dice "esfuércense". Nada es fácil; moldear la arcilla de lo que estamos hechos requiere de esfuerzo.

El Evangelio de hoy también nos advierte: *"Unos que estaban entre los últimos son ahora los primeros, mientras que los primeros han pasado a ser los últimos"* (Lucas 13:30). ¡Qué sorpresa tan grande! Dios no nos reconocerá por nuestros títulos ni por los puestos de importancia en la sociedad, mucho menos por la riqueza y las propiedades. Así que, ahora sí, se comprende el mensaje de esforzarse para entrar por la puerta angosta. *"Ahora considero un deber mío explicarles por qué la puerta es angosta. Cualesquiera que desee entrar, primero, y antes que nada, tiene que poseer una fe honrada e incontaminada; en segundo lugar, una vida sin mancha, sin pecado, en la que no existan posibilidades de culpa, conforme a la medida de la justicia humana"* (San Cirilo de Alejandría, 375-444, *Comentario al Evangelio de San Lucas*).

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