

San Roque Catholic Church



Epiphany
January 4, 2026

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- ♦ Funeral Arrangements
- ♦ Ministries
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WELCOME! to San Roque Catholic Church

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If you are visiting or new to our community, our Pastor, Parish Staff, and Parish Community welcome you and embrace you as a beloved child of God. If you would like information about our parish or wish to join, please visit the website: www.sanroqueparish.org

Parish Office Hours: Monday—Friday, 9am—4pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation / Celebration of the Eucharist (Mass):
(Confession)

Saturdays, 3:30 pm—4:30 pm

Monday—Friday, 8:30 am

Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm

Sunday, 9:30 am

We need your help to keep our parish running smoothly during the construction of the new 900 sq. ft. meeting room!

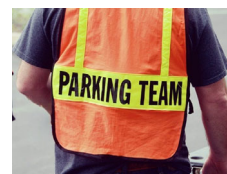
To ensure everyone can find a spot safely and minimize congestion, we are asking for **Parish Parking Volunteers** to help direct traffic before and after weekend Masses.

Volunteers are needed to:

- ♦ Direct drivers to open spots in the main lot or on street areas.
- ♦ Assist elderly or disabled parishioners with drop-off near the church side entrances.
- ♦ Keep the traffic flow smooth and safe for both drivers and pedestrians.

If you have a friendly attitude and can spare an extra 30-45 minutes before or after your usual Mass time, your assistance would be a tremendous help to our community and a wonderful way to serve the parish during this exciting time of growth.

To volunteer or learn more, please contact Noël at **805-682-1097** or speak with her after Mass this weekend! Thank you!



REFLECTION: The magi followed the light and found the Savior of the world. The magi searched, encountered, worshiped him and offered gifts. The magi demonstrated how Christianity must always show "faith in action." Believing always plays itself out in living. The pattern of our lives is that of the magi: seek, encounter, homage, self-giving. An important lesson here for living is that authentic homage (worship) naturally leads to living in the Light. Worship, then, is more than what happens in church on Sunday. It is the light of our own selves that shines throughout our weekdays, witnessing to our own encounters with the Light. Our very lives must proclaim our faith. (*Living Liturgy, p.36*)

Presider Schedule

Sat., Jan 3	5:00 pm	Fr. Garret
Sun., Jan 4	9:30 am	Fr. Bruce
Mon., Jan 5	8:30 am	Fr. Bruce
Tue., Jan 6	8:30 am	Fr. Bruce
Wed., Jan 7	8:30 am	Fr. Bruce
Thurs., Jan 8	8:30 am	Fr. Bruce
Fri., Jan 9	8:30 am	Fr. Garret
Sat., Jan 10	5:00 pm	Fr. Bruce
Sun., Jan 11	9:30 am	Fr. Bruce

Mass Intentions for the Week

Alfredo Arroyo †
Our Parish Community
Dcn. Jack & Rita Ryan †
Debbie Duke
Richard Yee †
Ron Metoyer
Mary Switzer
Julie Etter
Francesc Roig †

Our Community News



San Roque Food Drive January 3rd and 4th, 2026 Before Mass at Entrance

The San Roque Food Drive supports our local Catholic Charities Food Pantry. Use this handy list for your own items, and while you shop for your own family, buy one or more of the staple items listed below to donate to our Food Drive:

Tuna Fish and other Canned Meats, Rice, Cereal, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Canned Fruit, Canned Vegetables, Beans, Juices, Spaghetti and Canned Tomato Sauce, Crackers, Protein Bars.

Please bring these non-perishable food donations in a new reusable shopping bag, if possible. These bags are used by families shopping at the Food Pantry. Also, please save and include any clean empty egg cartons.

Thank you!!!

* Notice Regarding Credit and Debit Card Donations *

We are deeply grateful to all our parishioners for your faithful and generous support of our parish. Your ongoing contributions make it possible for us to continue our ministries, maintain our facilities, and serve those in need.

Please be advised that as of December 31, 2025, the Parish secretary/bookkeeper has **terminated** the recurring donations in the online giving portal that **do not** already have the **processing fee added**.

If you wish to continue with the online giving with the processing fee added, **please go online and set up your recurring gift again**. The fee will be added automatically. Those who wish to avoid this additional charge may continue to make their offerings by cash, check, or other methods that do not incur processing fees.

May God bless you for your kindness and support.

— The Parish Office

Marriage Annulment Assistance

Is your marriage situation keeping you from receiving the Sacraments? Please know that if you are divorced, you can still come to the Sacraments. BUT!!! If you have remarried civilly or are living with someone, we are here to help you get your prior marriage annulled, so you CAN come back to the Sacraments! Please feel free to contact Noël by phone at 805-682-1097 or email: education@sanroqueparish.org.

Life is Changed, Not Ended—You are Supported!

The Parish Office and Pastoral Staff of San Roque are here to be of service when you suffer the loss of a loved one. Make us your first call so that we can begin to pray for you and your loved one. We offer a guidebook to help entitled, **"Life is Changed, Not Ended: A Guide to Planning the Funeral Liturgy"**.

Please call the Parish Office at 805-687-5215.



Pray for those in need of healing:

Chris (last name withheld)	Eugene B. Hackman
Daniel J. Anderson	Megan Havrd
Sylvia Anderson	Francisco Hernandez
Ellie & Ray Baughman	Dolores Johnson
Jeff Bradley	Joyce Kean
Arcelia Branscum	Max Kehoe
Evelyn Brownfield	Maureen Koury
Margaret Burkey	Maureen Kovac
Geraldine Burns	Claudia Lash
Martha Cervantez	Philip Lianzo
Brittney Collier	Jose Lopez
Sophia Corral	Mary Ann Neilsen
Robin Denny	Phyllis Murray Oakes
Maryann Donovan	Silvia Parisotto
Taytum Duby	Letty de Paz
Debbie Duke	Susana Caballero Pena
Carmen Escobedo	Julie Pinizotto
Mary Evans	Marie Christine Scott
Sarah Evans	Julie Shupe
Carrie Foster	Chris Ventura
Pat Gibson	Christie Von Protz
Richard Grijalva	Calvin Wilson

We need your help keeping this list of prayer needs current. To add or remove names from this list, please contact the Parish Office by phone: 805-687-5215 or by email at office@sanroqueparish.org.

PRAYER HOTLINE—We are always ready and willing to pray for you! Please call: **805.967.0149** to leave a confidential message or email: prayer@sanroqueparish.org

All Are Welcome in God's House!

To the Parents of our young children, may we suggest...Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome! Sit toward the front where it is easier for your little ones to see and hear what's going on. They tire of seeing the backs of other's heads!

Quietly explain the parts of the Mass and actions of the priest, ushers, choir, etc. Sing hymns, pray and voice the responses. Children learn liturgical behavior by copying.

If you have to leave Mass with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me." Remember, that the way we welcome children in church directly affects the way they respond to the Church of God and to one another. Let them know that they are at home in this house of God.

Religious Education & Faith Formation

Year 1 & Year 2 Sacramental Preparation

JANUARY

- 04 **NO RE Classes** New Year's Holiday
11 **Class #14**
18 **NO RE Classes** Martin Luther King Holiday
25 **Class #15**, 1st Reconciliation meeting w/parents during class

FEBRUARY

- 01 **Class #16**
07 1st Reconciliation Ceremony, 10:00 am (Year 2 Students only)
08 **Class #17**
15 **NO RE Classes** President's Day
22 **NO RE Classes** RE Congress

MARCH

- 01 **Class #18**
08 **Class #19**
15 **Class #20**
22 **Class #21**
29 **NO RE Classes** Spring Break Schools

New Start Date!!!

High School YEAR 2 Classes begins January 12, 2025

Please register your students who have completed Year 1 for the final course.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred here at San Roque on Sunday, April 26 at the 9:30 am Mass. Contact Noël at 805-682-1097 or education@sanroqueparish.org



✦ Epiphany on Sunday

ON MANY calendars, Epiphany falls on January 6, but the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates it on whatever date Sunday falls during the week of January 2.

Epiphany means “manifestation,” and it celebrates the day that the infant Jesus revealed his divinity to the Magi. Traditionally, this event is connected with two others from the Gospels: the Baptism of Jesus and the Wedding at Cana. In all these events, the mystery of Christ became more manifest. The Magi, coming from the East, signify that gentile nations—not just Jewish nations—were coming to recognize Jesus as the savior of the world.

The Bible does not indicate on what day the magi visited—nor, for that matter, on what day Jesus was born. January 6 was probably chosen for this observance as an alternative for early Christians living in a culture where pagans already commemorated the birth of a sun god on the same day.

The day, the twelfth day of Christmas, gave rise to a host of customs, as well as a popular Christmas carol.

The biblical event is so important that the Catholic Church lists Epiphany among the solemnities that may be designated holydays of obligation. Episcopal conferences determine local holydays, and in the United States, January 6 was never included. In any country where Epiphany is not a holyday of obligation, the observance moves to a Sunday so that it may be celebrated by the entire Catholic community.

The transfer of Epiphany to a Sunday has the disadvantage of dividing the celebration among various Christian Churches of the world, but the advantage of helping the entire Catholic community proclaim and celebrate the meaning of coming of Christ.

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Other Community News



Safeguard The Children

Did you know?

The challenge of complacency

Safe adults often move through the world with a heightened awareness of what could be suspicious behavior and warning signs – this may feel overwhelming. If they never encounter abuse, they could easily become complacent — thinking there is no potential for abuse because they have not seen it in their own lives. The antidote to complacency is to always remember the end goal: the safety and well-being of the children and vulnerable people in our parishes, schools, ministries and communities. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article “The Challenge of Complacency” at: lacatholics.org/did-you-know.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul San Roque Conference

In the spirit of the Magi, please put your gift in the SVdP poor box so that comfort and peace can once again be given to a newborn child. May the peace and joy of the New Year be yours!

To donate to SVdP, please make your checks payable to: Society of St. Vincent de Paul and place in the collection basket or mail: 325 Argonne Circle, SB, 93105.

To donate online: please visit our website at: <https://www.srsvdp.com/donate>.

For those in need of assistance, please call: 805-315-3771 or by email at: sanroquesvdp@gmail.com.

SVdP is meeting on the 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month at 5:45pm. Please call (805) 315-3771 for the location.



Please join us in praying the Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet for an end to abortion and for the conversion of those working at Planned Parenthood.

**518 Garden Street, Santa Barbara
Monday & Wednesday
10:00 am - 11:00 am**



Questions? Please text/call Cindy Hagon: 805-636-5950.

Fingerprinting Session

Notre Dame School at 33 East Micheltorena Street will be hosting a fingerprinting session on **January 6th, 2026** for anyone that needs to be fingerprinted. Please call the school office at 805-965-1033 to schedule an appointment.



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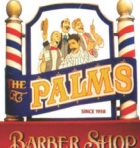
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