



Annunciation Catholic Parish

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Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
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2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | 2º DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Behold
THE LAMB OF GOD.
JOHN 1:29

Este es el
CORDERO DE DIOS.
JUAN 1:29



2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.

- John 1:29

II Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"En aquel tiempo, vio Juan el Bautista a Jesús, que venía hacia él, y exclamó: "Éste es el Cordero de Dios, el que quita el pecado del mundo.

- Juan 1, 29

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Holy Masses:

Daily Mass: Monday to Saturday - 8:15 AM

Saturday - 5:30 PM (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday English Mass - 7:30 & 11:00 AM

Sunday Spanish Mass - 1:00 PM

The Holy Rosary is prayed before every Mass.

Confessions:

Saturday 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM (Anytime upon request)

Baptism: Second Saturday of every month.

Arrangements must be made at least one month in advance and complete Baptismal Class.

Marriage: Arrangements must be six months in advance.

Religious Education (C.C.D.)

Sundays - Sept. to May, 9:30 am to 10:45 am

January 18, 2026

I wonder if anyone understood John the Baptist when he called Jesus the Lamb of God. Did they associate that name with the paschal lamb whose blood protected the Israelites from the Angel of Death? After Jesus' death and resurrection, the apostles began to understand that Jesus' blood, shed on the cross, freed us all from sin and death. Yet here is the Baptizer already acting like a disciple before Jesus has gathered any disciples or even begun to preach. In today's Gospel, John the Baptist gives us some hints about discipleship.

First, John trusts God with things he does not understand. He says twice that he did not know Jesus, yet he trusts God's revelation that Jesus would "baptize with the Holy Spirit" (John 1:33). We also may not always understand where God is leading us. If you have lost a loved one, are looking for work when no one is hiring, or are dealing with a serious illness, this is the time to trust that God still loves and cares for you.

John also knew that doing God's work meant that God was working through him. Originally John baptized others as a sign of repentance, but he soon came to see that his real work was to make Jesus "known to Israel" (John 1:31). When we try to do what God wants, it is good to remember that God is the one in control and who decides what the result will be. What looks like failure to us can be success in God's eyes.

John's third hint teaches us that a disciple shares his or her faith in God. So John testifies that Jesus is the Son of God. While that sounds obvious to us, it took courage to say that to people who would have thought it blasphemy. Even today, when Jesus is known throughout the world, we still need to share our faith experiences so those without faith may be attracted to it. Even those with faith can be encouraged by our sharing as well. You may be surprised to find that your own faith deepens the more you share it with others. As we point out the Lamb of God to those who don't know him, we get to know him better ourselves.

ABCD 2026

In prayer, God invites us to look beyond ourselves and respond with love. The ABCD is a response to that call, a way to bring hope, healing, and dignity to those most in need. Together, as one community in Christ, we can make a difference. Please prayerfully consider making a gift to the ABCD today.

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18 de enero de 2026

Me pregunto si alguien entendió a Juan el Bautista cuando llamó a Jesús el Cordero de Dios. ¿Asociaron ese nombre con el cordero pascual cuya sangre protegió a los israelitas del Ángel de la Muerte? Tras la muerte y resurrección de Jesús, los apóstoles comenzaron a comprender que la sangre de Jesús, derramada en la cruz, nos liberó a todos del pecado y la muerte. Pero, acá está el Bautista actuando como un discípulo antes de que Jesús reuniera a sus discípulos o comenzara a predicar. En el Evangelio de hoy, Juan el Bautista nos da algunas pistas sobre el discipulado.

Primero, Juan confía en Dios con las cosas que no entiende. Dice dos veces que no conocía a Jesús, pero confía en la revelación de Dios de que Jesús va a "bautizar con el Espíritu Santo" (Juan 1,33). También es posible que no siempre entendamos adónde nos guía Dios. Si has perdido a un ser querido, estás buscando trabajo cuando nadie está contratando o estás lidiando con una enfermedad grave, este es el momento de confiar en que Dios todavía te ama y te cuida.

Juan también sabía que hacer la obra de Dios significaba que Dios obraba a través de él. Originalmente, Juan bautizaba a otros como señal de arrepentimiento, pero pronto comprendió que su verdadera obra era dar a conocer a Jesús a Israel (Juan 1,31). Cuando intentamos hacer lo que Dios quiere, es bueno recordar que Dios tiene el control y es quien decide el resultado. Lo que a nosotros nos parece un fracaso, a los ojos de Dios puede ser un éxito.

La tercera pista que Juan nos enseña es que un discípulo comparte su fe en Dios. Así que, Juan testifica que Jesús es el Hijo de Dios. Aunque nos parezca obvio, requirió valentía decirlo a quienes lo habrían considerado una blasfemia. Incluso hoy, cuando Jesús es conocido por todo el mundo, todavía tenemos que compartir nuestras experiencias de fe para que quienes no tienen fe se sientan atraídos a ella. Incluso quienes sí la tienen pueden sentirse alentados por nuestra fe también. Quizás te sorprenda descubrir que tu propia fe se profundiza mientras más la compartes con los demás. Al señalar el Cordero de Dios a quienes no lo conocen, nosotros mismos llegamos a conocerlo mejor.

ABCD 2026

En la oración, Dios nos invita a mirar más allá de nosotros mismos y responder con amor. El ABCD es una respuesta a ese llamado, una forma de llevar esperanza, alivio y dignidad a los más necesitados. Juntos, como una comunidad en Cristo, podemos marcar la diferencia. Por favor, considere en oración hacer una donación al ABCD hoy mismo.

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Mass Intentions

Monday, January 19 - 8:15 AM

- Healing for Tom Mosley

Tuesday, January 20 - 8:15 AM

- + For the Soul of Marie Paulonne Saint Louis

Wednesday, January 21 - 8:15 AM

- + Araceli B. Abella - Family

Thursday, January 22 - 8:15 AM

- Birthday Blessings for Danielle Goodly
- Birthday Blessings for Elizabeth Laplante

Friday, January 23 - 8:15 AM

- Healing for Ann Sullivan

Saturday, January 24 - 8:15 AM

- + Deacon Mitch - Abdallah Family

Saturday, January 24 - 5:30 PM

- + Marie Paulonne Saint Louis

Sunday, January 25

7:30 AM

- Healing for Carlos Puentes - Friends

11:00 AM

- + Allan Pais - Family
- + For the Repose of the Soul of Luce Gilbert

1:00 PM

- + Pura Vargas de Maria
- + For the Soul of Wilson Vargas
- Birthday Blessings for Maria Gonzalez
- Thanksgiving for Wilson and Maria

The Parish Office
will be closed on
Monday, January 19

Daily Mass will remain
at 8:15 AM



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Monday:

- *Spanish Legion of Mary at 7:00 pm, Chapel.

Wednesday:

- *English Legion of Mary at 5:00 pm, Chapel
- *Spanish Bible Study at 7:30 pm, Chapel.

Thursday:

- *Living Water Charismatic Prayer Group 7:00 pm, Music Room
- *Cenáculo a la Virgen Maria 7:00 pm delante de la Iglesia
- *Cursillos de Cristiandad 8:00 pm, Capilla
- *English Bible Study (zoom only) at 7:30 pm.

Saturday: (Third Saturday only)

- *Novena to our Lady of Peñafrancia 9:30 am.

Please Pray For The Sick

Tom Mosley	Fr. Quilligan	Gina Whelan
Ann Sullivan	Beckie Walsh Almondovar	Lester Pais
Larry Sweeney	Chris Romanik	Nikki Williams
Socra Antenor	Carmel Edourd	Annette Fanning
John Fernandez	Mary Ann Torelli	Martha Montalvan
Alexander Godinez	Mary De Crane	Janemarie Moore
Kayode Aremu	Henry Gochenbach	Cira Debenedetti
Antonia Rodriguez	Gladys Venturi	Carlos Puentes
Juan Carlos Frias Lizama	Adolfo Ayala	Martha Fanning-O'Connor
Nuria Finch	Patty Velasco	Ligia Sciarillo
Alejandro Balma	Mimi Garcia Prieto	Carmen Mejia
Roger Cino	Debbie Starnes	Nick Tisi
Liana Cortada	Frida & Ken Ellis	Claudette Morison
Maria Yazmin Rodriguez	Chantal Virgille	Fernando Zavaleta
Dorothy Velasco		

Living Water Charismatic Prayer Group

We welcome you to a night filled with scripture, song, and fellowship as the Holy Spirit leads us in worship.

We meet every Thursday night from 7:00-8:30 PM in the Music Room. For more information call the parish office.

Cursillos de Cristiandad

El Movimiento de **Cursillos de Cristiandad** te invita a sus reuniones semanales todos los

jueves a las 8:00 PM en la capilla.

Ven a conocer más sobre el movimiento y su misión.

A Reminder on Attire for Mass

When we enter the church, we enter the house of God. Out of respect, we should wear modest and formal attire. In this way, we show reverence for the temple of God (the church) and for the temple of the Holy Spirit (our body).

Un recordatorio sobre la vestimenta para la Misa

Al entrar a la iglesia, entramos en la casa de Dios. Por respeto, debemos vestarnos de manera modesta y formal. De esta forma mostramos reverencia tanto al templo de Dios (la iglesia) como al templo del Espíritu Santo (nuestro cuerpo).

Thank you for your hard-earned donation:



Weekend Collection - \$ 3,853

Our weekly goal - \$5,000

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