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And they were filled with the Holy Spirit Acts 2:4

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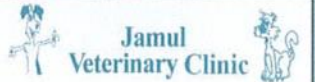


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Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE



Begin by taking a moment to calm yourself, focus on your breathing and become aware of the life force that flows through your veins. Center yourself in the words and affections of St. Augustine's Prayer to the Holy Spirit, "Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy. Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy. Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy. Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy. Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I may always be holy." Sanctifying, bringing things to wholeness, blessing, restoring and creating are just some of the fruits of the presence of the Holy Spirit. Being filled with the Holy Spirit is not always about proclaiming loud cries of praise or singing alleluia from a roof top. It is about unfolding and encountering the ordinary in an extraordinary way. Being filled with the Holy Spirit means being filled with the fullness of God's life and in touch with the power and wonder of God's presence. It's about becoming holy. It is not just for saints or people who have a religious vocation. Holiness is for the ordinary, simple run- of-the-mill person who desires to love God, others, and all of creation. When an ordinary, humble person becomes connected with life and the wondrous power of God's love, they begin to live life more deeply, a bit more reverently, desire a simple fare and find themselves relishing in ordinary beauty. Their senses become attuned to the Author of life and they realize that they are not alone. The Holy Spirit connects all of the dots of human experience and existence, bringing everyone to center on the Divine Presence. The Holy Spirit does not just breathe "on me" but "in me" and is the force behind every breath I take. Take a moment to soak that thought in. There is the Divine Presence of the Holy Spirit in me, right now. When a person becomes in touch with truth, they know that when inspired by the Holy Spirit, his or her actions are not solely their own. They realize that they are moved by Divine Grace and drawn to things not found in secular affairs. We live in a world where it is hard to discover truth. Real truth is veiled by so many imposters that it is hard to find, especially for those who are young. It is easy to get fooled and duped and often, without full conscious awareness of doing so, we choose to walk down a path of self-absorption and destruction. It is only the Holy Spirit, through the ministry of the church most especially, who guides us to truth and shows us the way to be the graced and holy human beings God made us to be. The wonders and inspirations of today's Feast of Pentecost are necessary to share with both those we love and those who only casually cross our paths. The first disciples, touched by the Holy Spirit, brought the Gospel to the ends of the earth one step at a time. Is it unrealistic to ask that we assist in that same mission by helping people understand who they are and who God is one at a time? Ask the Holy Spirit to alleviate the fear in your heart that prevents you from doing so. ©LPi



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ADORATION
THURSDAYS
8:30am-5:00pm

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP You Don't Have What It Takes — but You Will

Those of us in ministry love this saying: God doesn't call the equipped. He equips the called. We all know that sort of queasy feeling we get in the pit of our stomachs when it becomes clear what we're supposed to do, in any situation. It's that feeling of: Oh, no. Not me. Not now. I can't. We've all got our list of reasons why not, don't we? We do it for everything, from big life problems to small everyday choices. I'm not going to invite my neighbor to church because I don't want to come across as pushy. I'm not going to make amends with my cousin because she'll just walk all over me again. I'm not going to say a Rosary tonight because I'm tired and it'll just stress me out. However, even if we all put our lists of "reasons why we can't" together, I don't think any of us have reasons quite as valid as the apostles. Their job was to convert the nations — and here they are, a bunch of fishermen who haven't been out of Judea, who speak only their own languages. Were they supposed to preach the Gospel via a particularly compelling game of charades? But even that big, giant, stop-you-dead-in-your tracks Reason Why We Can't was nothing, because God had a plan. He didn't call a bunch of equipped men. He called them, and He equipped them. Cue the tongues of fire! God doesn't call us to do His will because we have what it takes. He calls us because He's ready to give us what it takes. Being a good steward is to answer the call of Christ knowing he will provide.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

MAY 23, 2021 PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 2021						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 KOC Breakfast St Vincent De Paul Collection 11:00am First Communion	3 3 de mayo #DiosEsSantaCruz	4	5 FELIZ CINCO DE MAYO	6 Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	7 First Friday Mass 7:00pm	1 First Saturday Mass 9:00am 1st Reconciliation 10:00am Reconciliation 4:00pm Men's Fellowship Via Zoom 8 Confirmation 3:30pm
9 Mother's Day	10	11	12 Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	13 Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	14	15 Reconciliation 4:00pm
16 Youth Group Breakfast after 8:30am Mass	17	18 Healing Mass 7:00pm	19 Misa de Sanación 7:00pm	20 Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	21 Wood Chipping Event	22 Reconciliation 4:00pm
23 PENTECOST	24	25	26	27 Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	28	29 Reconciliation 4:00pm
30 Hispanic Breakfast After all Masses	31 HISPANIC DAY OFFICE CLOSED					

WEEKLY STEWARSHIP	
May 16, 2021	
Envelope Giving	\$1,796.00
Plate Giving	\$1,417.00
Online Giving	\$688.04
Total	\$3,901.07
Funds needed a week to meet operations	\$5,000.00
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Order of Malta World Day of the Sick Mass

The Order of Malta will host the Diocese of San Diego's 3rd Annual World Day of the Sick Mass at Good Shepherd Church, 8200 Gold Coast Drive, San Diego, CA 92126, on **Saturday, June 12th, at 10 am**. Bishop Ramón Bejarano will be the principal celebrant and homilist of this special Mass that will include the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and the Blessing of Caregivers. The Mass will be livestreamed at: <https://goodshepherdparish.net/mass-streaming>. “*You have but one teacher and you are all brothers*” is the theme of this year's World Day of the Sick. In his Message for the 39th World Day of the Sick, Pope Francis tells us: “...Jesus asks us to stop and listen, to establish a direct and personal relationship with others, to feel empathy and compassion, and to let their suffering become our own as we seek to serve them.” Usually celebrated on or near the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes in February, but delayed until June this year due to COVID-19 restrictions, the World Day of the Sick Mass is open to all who are ill or disabled and who are physically able to attend along with their caregivers.

With a Father's Heart: Reflections on Fatherhood with St. Joseph

During this Year of St. Joseph, all men are invited to take part in a five-part series on the unique and special call to fatherhood as seen through the lens of devotion to St. Joseph. We will use Patris Corde, Pope Francis's document announcing the Year of St. Joseph, as a guide. Please join us every Thursday night starting **June 24, and ending on July 22** with a presentation from our Auxiliary Bishop Ramon Bejarano. Hosted by the Office for Family Life & Spirituality, see Patris Corde Series flyer for additional details.

Register at tinyurl.com/fatherhoodseries.

REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE

Complaints about Sexual Abuse by a member of the Clergy, a parish Catholic Employee or a Volunteer can be made at <https://www.safeinourdiocese.org/> or call (858) 490-8353 misconduct@sdccatholic.org.



LITURGICAL MINISTER WORKSHOPS

Online liturgical minister formation workshops will be held in May. Please check the diocesan website for registration and further information go to: <http://www.sdccatholic.org/workshops>.

12 Week Online Basic Catechist Course

For newly recruited catechists and those needing certification, the Echoes of Faith self-guided online basic catechist course will be offered beginning **May 25th through August 16th**. The cost of the course is \$75 and it requires basic computer skills and internet connection. For more information, please contact Joseph Horejs at 858-490-8234 or see Basic Catechist Formation Course Online (sdccatholicdisciples.net) to register.

End of the Year Retreat: Saints, Prophets & Sowers - The Mission Continues

All parish leadership and catechists are invited to our annual end of the year retreat with our very own Fr. Edmundo Zárate-Suarez and world renowned musician and speaker Santiago Fernández of Oregon Catholic Press for a retreat day of reflection and praise. Join us on **Thursday, June 3rd from 9:30 AM until 2:00 PM** at Corpus Christi Parish, Bonita. Cost is \$25 per person and includes lunch. (Discounted rate of \$20 per person for parish group registrations of 4+). Pre-registration is required. Click here to register in English or Spanish. Visit our website <https://www.sdccatholicdisciples.net> for more information or call 858-490-8232. As we finish the catechetical year, be refreshed as we gather in community, prayer and adoration of the Lord who brings us together in our one common mission!

Faith-Based Mental Health Academy Training in Spanish

This month, Interfaith Community Services is hosting a 10-day online training in Spanish on mental health, specifically for leaders in faith communities. If your parish would like to start a Mental Health Ministry in Spanish, this training would be an excellent place to start. OFLS staff attended the training in English, and found it to be highly worthwhile. Please see Faith-Based Mental Health Training flyer for more information and registration link.

UPCOMING MARRIAGE FORMATION RETREATS IN SPANISH

Registrations are still being accepted for the “Pre-Cana” retreat in Spanish, Celebrando Nuestro Amor. Couples can register online at www.sdccatholic.org/cyl or tinyurl.com/precanaespanol. Engaged Encounter en español has upcoming weekend retreats on **August 20-22 and October 22-24**. Couples can register at enoviossandiego.com or by contacting enoviossandiego@gmail.com/619-664-6032.



WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Question: Why are Catholic and Protestant Bibles different?

Answer: Since the earliest days of the Church, Christians used a Greek translation of the Old Testament known as the Septuagint. This collection of the texts of the Hebrew Scriptures included 46 books. At the time of the Protestant Reformation in the 1500s, the Protestant reformers began to create their own translations of the Bible (into local languages) and some began to question why the Jewish Scriptures would have included texts that were written in Greek, because, they assumed, the only valid Jewish Scriptures would have been written in Hebrew. And so, they decided to remove seven books from the Old Testament: Baruch, Sirach, 1 and 2 Maccabees, Tobit, Judith and Wisdom (as well as portions of the Books of Daniel and Esther). This means that the Protestant Old Testament only includes 39 books, while Catholic Bibles continue to include those original 46 books. Both Catholic and Protestant Bibles include 27 books and letters in the New Testament. ©LPi

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: The descent of the Holy Spirit onto the disciples, which marked the beginning of the Church, was a transformative experience for the followers of Jesus. What have been some transformative experiences for you in your faith journey?

Second Reading: Paul speaks to the Galatians about our universal struggle between the Spirit and the flesh. Paul even lists examples of the “works of the flesh” and the “fruits of the Spirit.” How would you measure your own success in this spiritual battle?

Gospel: Jesus assured his disciples that his Father would send the “Spirit of truth” to believers offering guidance and divine gifts. Where do you see the Holy Spirit active in your life? ©LPi



**5TH
SUNDAY
ROSARY**

8:00AM

May 30, 2021

...The hands that make a difference
are those of our Volunteers.

This time we want to
celebrate you.

Appreciation Mass
June 18, 2021 at 11:00am

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

The phrase “being filled with the Holy Spirit” may summon forth images that are a bit too intense for some folks. They may conclude that when one is filled with the Holy Spirit that they immediately begin speaking in tongues, loudly praise God, sing alleluia from roof tops, and do other demonstrative things. In reality, being filled with the Holy Spirit means being filled with the fullness of God's life and in touch with the power and wonder of God's presence. It is the Holy Spirit that draws us together as a community of faith, inspires us with wisdom and right judgment, and turns us from the darkness of sin to the virtues that bring life. We live in a world where it is hard to discover truth. The Holy Spirit, through the ministry of the church, guides us to truth and shows us the way to be the graced human beings God made us to be. Come, Holy Spirit, and fill our hearts! ©LPi

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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sunday Masses 8:30am 11:00am 12:30pm (Spanish) Please pray for: Rev. Garrett Galvin, OFM Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23	Bible Study (Virtual) 7:00pm Please pray for: Rev. Higinio Garcia Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34	Daily Mass 7:30am Please pray for: Rev. Anthony Garibaldi, OFM Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23/Mk 10:28-31	Daily Mass 7:30am Please pray for: Rev. Robert Gavotto, OSA Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [Sir 36:1b]/Mk 10:32-45	Daily Mass 7:30am Adoration 8:30am-5:00pm Please pray for: Rev. Adnan Ghani, OSA Sir 42:15-25/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [6a]/Mk 10:46-52	Daily Mass 7:30am Please pray for: Rev. Msgr. Anthony Giesing Sir 44:1, 9-13/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Mk 11:11-26	Please pray for: Rev. William Gold Sir 51:12cd-20/Ps 19:8, 9, 19, 11/Mk 11:27-33

MASS Intentions

May 23	Sun	8:30am	For the Parishioners
May 23	Sun	11:00am	For the Parishioners
May 23	Sun	12:30pm	For the Parishioners
May 24	Mon		NO MASS
May 25	Tues	7:30am	For the Parishioners
May 26	Wed	7:30am	For the Parishioners
May 27	Thur	7:30am	For the Parishioners
May 28	Fri	7:30am	For the Parishioners
May 29	Sat	5:00pm	+Biagio Fricano +Mariano Fricano



Observances for the week of May 23, 2021

Mon:	Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
Tue:	St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin
Wed:	St. Philip Neri, Priest
Thur:	St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop
Sat:	St. Paul VI, Pope; BVM

"I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth. He will not speak on his own, but he will speak what he hears, and will declare to you the things that are coming. He will glorify me."

— Jn 16:12-14a



Masses will continue to be livestreamed or taped as necessary and available on our website www.stpiusxjamul.com or on the Diocesan website www.sdcatholic.org



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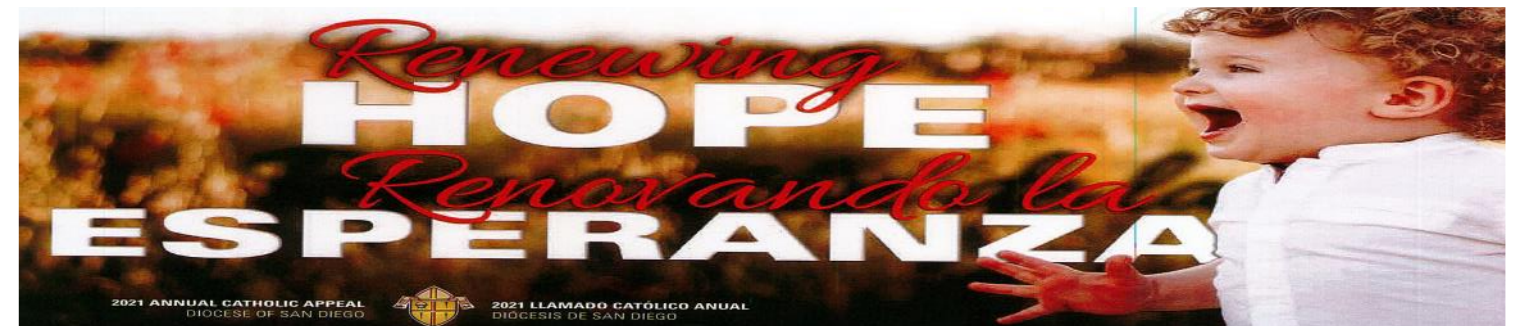
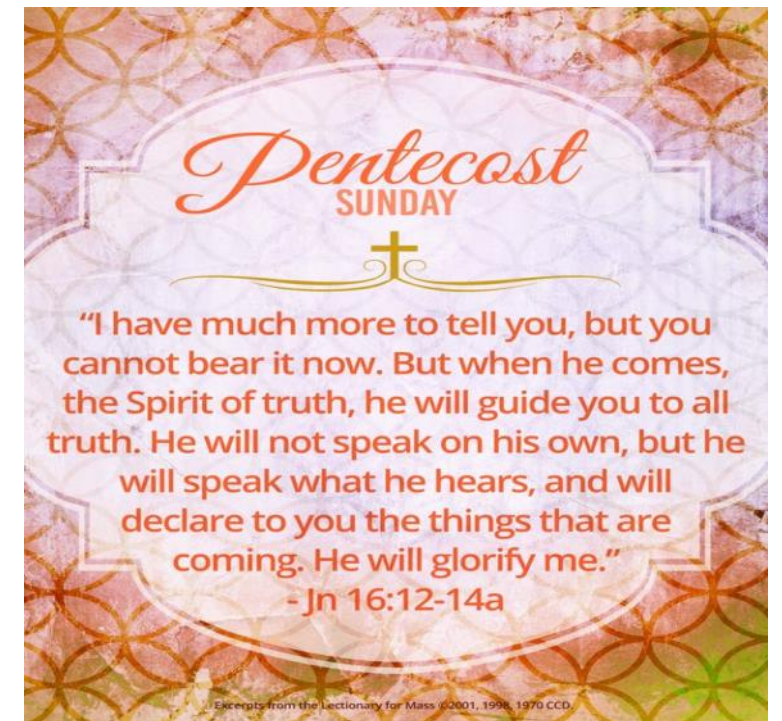
Indoor Mass Guidelines

Per Bishop McElroy, under NO condition are we to violate the following procedures:

- Everyone over 2 years old will be required to wear a mask.
- Parishioners will be expected to use hand sanitizer provided on the entrance/exit table.
- Practice social distance of 6 feet between family groups.
- No Handshakes at the Sign of Peace.
- Holy Communion will be distributed only in the hand and the usual time.
- The Most Precious Blood will not be distributed.
- Bulletins will be placed on the entrance table for parishioners to pick up.
- The Sacrament of Reconciliation is by appointment only.

All Catholics in the Diocese continue to be dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass until further notice.

We ask for your patience and support as we continue to help our tiny church with a big heart follow all these guidelines and requirements in order to succeed in our Spiritual Journey.



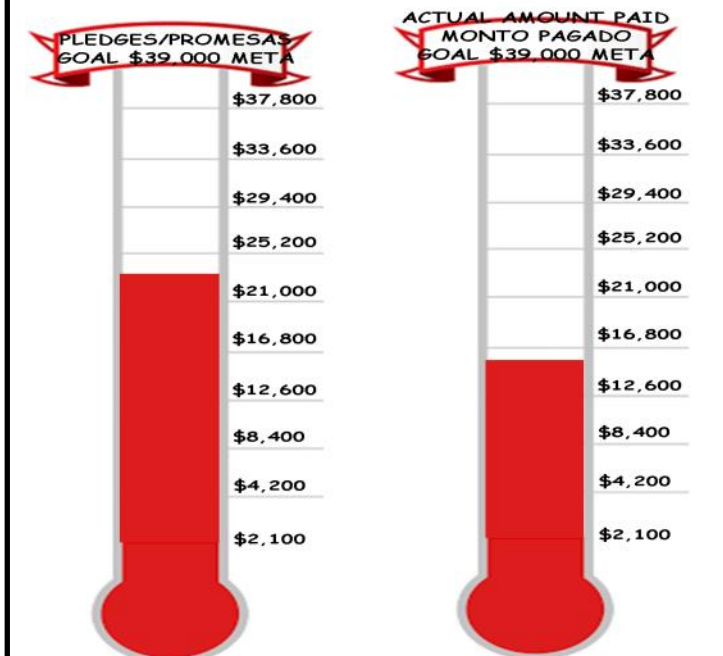
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