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Masses

1st Friday 7:00pm - Eucharistic Celebration
1st Saturday 9:00am - Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 8:30am, 11:00am, and 12:30pm (Spanish)
Weekdays 7:30am / Tuesday-Friday (except 1st Fridays)
No morning Mass on Mondays

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00pm or by appointment

Online
Giving



Marriage

Preparation time, as dictated by the Diocese, is nine months. This is time to complete the required classes, meetings and paperwork.

Baptism

Should be requested at least six weeks in advance. Classes are held by appointment. Please call the office 619-669-0085.

Clases de Bautismo, llame a la oficina 619-669-0085.

Religious Education

Children: Sundays 10am-10:50am
Adults-RCIA: Contact Tammy Knapp at 619-669-0085

Knights of Columbus Council 9659

Meets first Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm
Grand Knight - Remijio G. Alvarez
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St. Vincent De Paul Society

Meets every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm
Contact Olga McInvale at 619-468-9269

Mother Mary's Ladies Guild

Meets every 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:00pm
Contact Ana Knudsen at 619-741-2567

Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING
OF SCRIPTURE
January 24, 2021



It was a normal day by all accounts, but John just wasn't feeling himself. He was a little lightheaded and out of sorts. Later in the afternoon, he experienced a sharp pain in his chest and arm. Quick thinking and action brought John to the emergency department with a diagnosis of a significant heart attack.

Surviving this ordeal, he found himself face to face with his cardiologist, having an honest conversation about things that needed to change. "I came close to death," John found himself thinking. Then came the remorse. He was a young man with a loving wife and children who were very close to facing life without him. John found himself with intense sorrow for living an unchecked and self-indulgent life that almost brought him to his demise. He wanted to change. We all have our wake-up calls. We have experiences and encounters that force us to really think twice about choices we have made and directions we have taken. Often, we find ourselves looking at those we have hurt square in the eye and wallowing in our foolishness. We regrettably realize that we have allowed our needs to lure us into making some cruel mistakes. We impulsively say things and flippantly do things that reveal our unredeemed and unhealed self. It is a self we stumble over and try to tame but can't quite seem to master and control. Help! We spin our wheels, naively thinking that we will somehow, perhaps through persistence, get ourselves unstuck. But, we don't. We just get out of the car, feeling very helpless, and ignorantly look at the mess we got ourselves into. Did we ever think to ask someone for help? Or, taken the advice of One who is wiser and avoid this route altogether? "Come after me," are words that Jesus says to all of us. In order to heed his invitation, we must leave our ego-self behind and follow. When we really see and understand the freedom, peace, justice, and love he offers, we find ourselves with such sorrow in our hearts for how foolish and silly we have been. All the misguided choices and sinful actions come full view and we see how risky our random impassioned behaviors really have been. Repentance is beautiful. When done with a sincere and contrite heart, it directs us to the glory that can be ours, ignites us with the challenge of living a life in service of others and reminds us that all is well. ©LPi

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Give Until It Hurts

One of the characteristics of Everyday Stewardship is to be committed — to persevere daily in a way of life acknowledging that everything belongs to God. I know, I know. Easier said than done. Just ask Zebedee. It's quite an image we get from the Gospel, after all. "So they left their father Zebedee in the boat along with the hired men and followed him." There was Zebedee, about his business, mending nets with his two sons, who were undoubtedly his best workers — they had to have been more dedicated than the hired men, who worked for wages rather than for family. And in an instant off they go, following this strange man. I don't know about you, but if my kids left me on a hot summer day to finish the lawn by myself, I wouldn't be too happy. But Zebedee must have been someone quite special. Perhaps he realized that his sons didn't belong to him — not really. They belonged to God, and from the beginning of time, it had been appointed that they would be among the first disciples of Christ. He passed, he called, they followed, and Zebedee obliged. He simply went back to mending his nets, I imagine. Zebedee already understood what St. Teresa of Calcutta would say millennia later: "Give until it hurts." "You're wasting my time." "I've done so much for her; she owes me this." How often do we think things, and even people and relationships, belong to us? The truth is none of them do. We must be ready, as Zebedee was, to surrender them to God when He comes walking past.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



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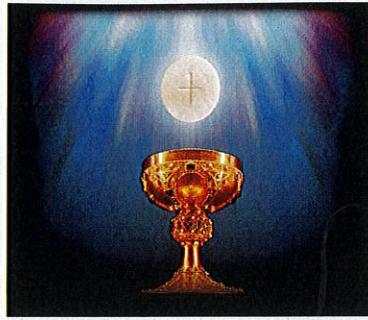
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WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Question: Do Catholics always need to receive communion in wafer form, or can it be different kinds of bread?



Answer: In the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church, the most common form for the Eucharistic bread is the small white communion “wafer” that is a ubiquitous part of the Catholic Mass. The instructions of the Church have been very specific regarding the make-up of the bread used in the Mass: “The bread used in the celebration of the Most Holy Eucharistic Sacrifice must be unleavened, purely of wheat, and recently made ... it follows therefore that bread made from another substance, even if it is grain, or if it is mixed with another substance different from wheat to such an extent that it would not commonly be considered wheat bread, does not constitute valid matter for confecting the Sacrifice and the Eucharistic Sacrament” (see *Redemptionis Sacramentum* by the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments, no. 48). The Church’s tradition of using a wheat-based bread is based on the bread that Jesus would have used at the Last Supper and is considered to be an essential part of the “matter” of the Sacrament of the Eucharist. As we consider the question of whether a “wafer” — which is properly called a “host” — should be used, we also must keep in mind that in the Eastern Rites of the Catholic Church, leavened (i.e. “raised”) bread is more often used. And so, while the thin, white “wafer” is most commonly used in the Roman Rite of the Church, the full expression of the Catholic tradition does allow for a more substantial form of bread to be used, but the tradition of using a simple wheat bread with no other additions or additives is considered essential.
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QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK - WE INVITE YOU TO REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading: Although initially reluctant to be one of God’s prophets, Jonah was ultimately successful in getting the Ninevites to repent of their sins. When do you find yourself resisting God’s will?

Second Reading: In trying to awaken a sense of spiritual urgency, Paul taught the Corinthians that Christ’s return was imminent and that, “time is running out.” How can a sense of urgency aid one’s spiritual life?

Gospel: In Mark’s account of the call of the first disciples, Simon (Peter), Andrew, James, and John immediately answer Jesus’ call to follow him. How would you describe your response to Jesus’ call in your life?

**LIVE THE LITURGY
INSPIRATION FOR THE
WEEK**

“Repent, and believe in the gospel.” Some type of honest and sincere repentance is necessary for any type of authentic growth and maturity.

We have to come to the realization, unless we are happy wallowing in immaturity and superficiality, that the way we have been doing things is not the best or the healthiest. There isn’t a human being alive who hasn’t acted foolishly or erratically at the cost of almost losing a treasured relationship. “Why did I act that way?” is a question we often ponder after some reflection and enlightenment.

Faith works the same way. Stumbling through life and bumping up against meaninglessness, a person can begin to see that something significant is missing. They see that there is merit to a relationship with God and an embrace of faith. Before these can take root, sincere sorrow for past wrong doing, missed opportunities, errors in judgment, and short sightedness is necessary. Repentance is necessary. Then having realized that we were walking in darkness, we can rejoice that by God’s grace we now see the light.

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THEY LEFT THEIR FATHER ZEBEDEE IN THE BOAT ALONG WITH THE HIRED MEN AND FOLLOWED HIM. - MK 1:20

JANUARY 24, 2021 III SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sunday Masses 8:30am 10:30am (Spanish)	Bible Study (Virtual) 7:00pm					Sunday Vigil 4:00pm
Please pray for: Rev. Michael White, CSSP	Please pray for: Rev. Allan White, OP	Please pray for: Rev. Neal Wilkinson, SJ	Please pray for: Right Rev. Charles Wright, OSB	Please pray for: Rev. Guangfeng Yang, SVD	Please pray for: Rev. Edmundo Zarate Suarez	Please pray for: Rev. William Zondler
Jon 3:1-5, 10/ Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20	Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk 16:15 -18	2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10 [31]/ Mk 3:31-35	Heb 10:11-18/ Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 4:1- 20	Heb 10:19-25/ Ps 24:1-2, 3- 4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Mk 4:21-25	Heb 10:32-39/ Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40 [39a]/Mk 4:26 -34	Heb 11:1-2, 8- 19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 [cf. 68]/Mk

MASS Intentions

Jan 24	Sun	8:30am	+Dave Hargis
Jan 24	Sun	10:30am	+Virginio Tapia
Jan 30	Sat	4:00pm	+Dave Hargis

Observances for the week of January 24, 2021

Mon: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle
 Tue: Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops
 Wed: St. Angela Merici, Virgin
 Thur: St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church
 Sat: BVM



He walked along a little farther and saw James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John. They too were in a boat mending their nets. Then he called them. So they left their father Zebedee in the boat along with the hired men and followed him. — Mk 1:19-20

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BOAT

They left their father Zebedee in the boat along with the hired men and followed him.

MARK 1:20

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



JANUARY 24, 2021 III SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Outdoor/Indoor Mass Guidelines

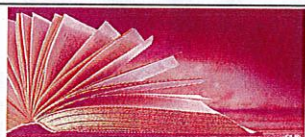
Per Bishop McElroy, under NO condition are we to violate the following procedures:

- Everyone over 2 years old will be required to wear a mask.
- **Bring your own chair when Outdoor Masses are in effect.**
- 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/exit table for parishioners to pick up.
- Sunday offertory may be dropped in the basket on the entrance/exit table.
- Adoration is every Thursday of the week from 8:30am to 5:00pm is **temporally suspended**
- The Sacrament of Reconciliation is by appointment only.
- Mass will continue to live-streamed.

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.

BIBLE STUDY via Zoom



"A new 5-week Bible study will begin on **Monday, January 25th**, on the letter of St. James. Zoom in to find out why he was so forceful about being "doers" of the Word and not just "hearers". The class starts at 7:00 p.m. every Monday and lasts 90 minutes." For Link information please refer to our website at stpiusxjamul.com

National Catholic Partnership on Disabilities: Special Needs 2 Day Training



Join NCPD Executive Director, Charleen Katra for a special two day training: "Every Family is Unique: Some Have Greater Needs" in English on Wednesday & Thursday, January 27th & 28th from 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM via ZOOM. The same presentation will be offered in Spanish on Wednesday & Thursday, January 27th & 28th from 6:30 – 8:30 PM with NCPD's Esther Garcia via ZOOM. Be a bridge for families with greater needs! Pre-Registration is required for this free event. Visit our website to register in [English](#) or [Spanish](#). Contact our office for more information 858-490-8232.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



On Sunday, January 31, 2021 the following events will take place at St. Pius X.

8:00am: 5th Sunday Rosary

After 8:30am Mass: The Knights of Columbus will be holding an important meeting outside & all members are encourage to attend.

Remember that SAFETY AND HYGIENE THE DUTY OF EVERY INDIVIDUAL

PLEASE STAY HOME IF:

- You have a pre-existing condition
- You are feeling sick
- You suspect you may have been exposed to COVID-19
- You have a sick family member at home
- You are in the risk population

REMEMBER TO:

- Wear a face mask
- Practice social distance
- Listen to all instructions

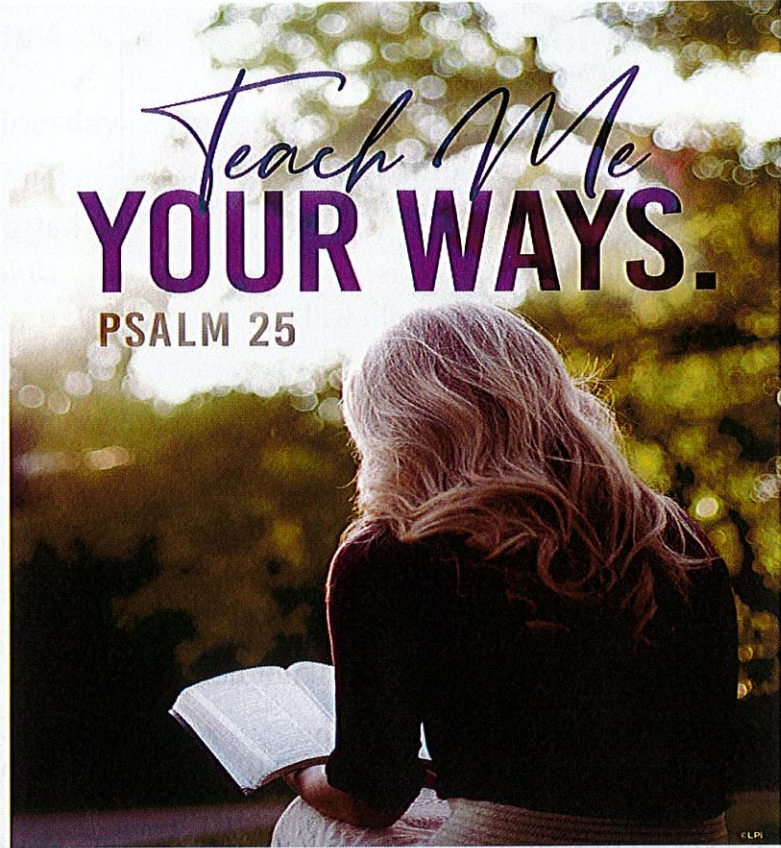
NO HAND SHAKING AT THE SIGN OF PEACE

- Sit only in designated areas
- Minimize the touching of any areas

WEEKLY STEWARSHIP	
January 17, 2021	
Envelope Giving	\$1,156.00
Plate Giving	\$1,503.00
Online Giving	\$1,133.11
Total	\$3,792.11
Funds needed a week to meet operations	\$5,000.00
Overage/Deficit	_ (\$1,207.89)

Car Caravan for Life, Saturday: January 30th, 1:00 p.m., Downtown San Diego

Stand up for the sanctity of life and the protection of the unborn by participating in the caravan around the County Administration Center on Harbor Drive, San Diego, and decorating your car with life-affirming messages of love and peace. Drivers can also participate in a group Rosary prayer, which will be broadcast during the caravan via a Zoom link provided to each registered participant. Car decoration guidelines and caravan route can be found at sandiegowalkforlife.org.... This event will also be livestreamed at sandiegowalkforlife.org....



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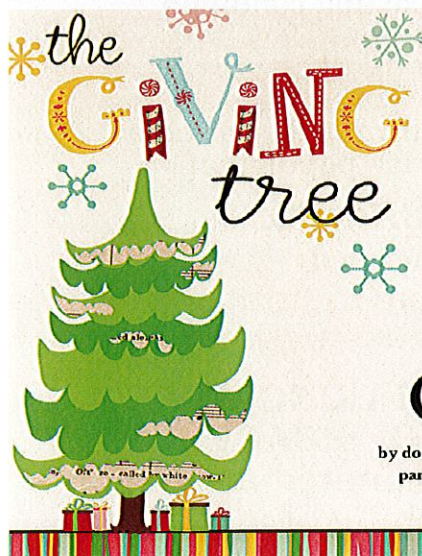
COVID-19 Symptoms

Fever	Cough	Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
Chills	Repeated shaking with chills	Muscle pain
Headache	Sore throat	New loss of taste or smell



Feeling Sick?

Stay home when you are sick!



Bless a family in need this Christmas!

by donating gift cards that will help many families in our parish and Jamul Community through the 2021 year. Please drop all gift cards at the parish office.

NOTICE

MASKS MUST

PROTECT YOURSELF REDUCE THE SPREAD

BE WORN

January 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Mass Schedule Vigil 4:00pm 8:30am English 10:30am Spanish					 Office Closed Mass 9:00am (English) 11:00am (Spanish)	First Saturday Mass 9:00am Men's Fellowship Via Zoom The Imitation of Christ
St Vincent de Paul Sunday 3 THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD 	4 	5	6 	7	8	9
10  Baptism of the LORD	11 	12	13	14	15	16
17  ORDINARY TIME	18  HAVE A GREAT MARTIN LUTHER KING-JR. DAY OFFICE CLOSED	19	20	21	22 DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN 	23
24  ORDINARY TIME	25 	26	27	28	29	30
31  ORDINARY TIME						

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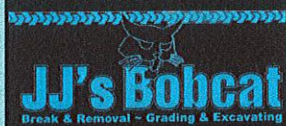
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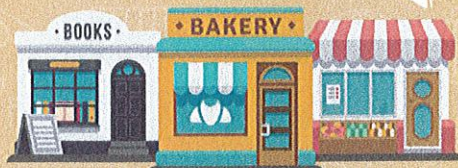
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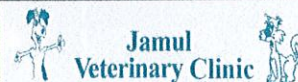
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