

St Pius X Catholic Church

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Rev. Higinio Garcia, Pastor

*“For we
walk by
Faith,
not by
Sight”*

2 Corinthians 7

Mass Schedule

First Friday 7:00 pm & First Saturday 9:00 am

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am, 11:00 am, & 12:30 pm (Spanish)

Weekdays 7:30 am Tuesday through Friday (except First Friday)

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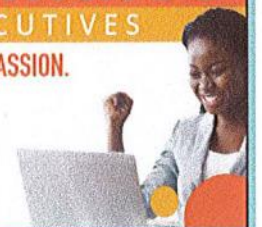
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Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING
OF SCRIPTURE



In the backyard of the house where I live with other priests, there is a lemon tree which produces a huge amount of fruit. One evening in the spring I needed some lemons for a chicken dish. I glanced from the kitchen and saw the tree bursting with large, bright, gorgeous lemons, hanging thick on seemingly every branch. Turning to Fr. Bob (I'll change his name to protect the innocent) who sat on the couch, I said, "Father, could you pick a few lemons for me?" He said sure and into the backyard he went. He returned a few minutes later empty-handed. "John, there's no lemons. Sorry." I said, "What are you talking about?" I looked again and saw the grapefruit tree on the other side of the yard, which had recently been picked clean of fruit. He didn't see the abundant fruit because he was looking in the wrong place! Like Fr. Bob, we sadly don't see the fruit all around us. We think that the culture is spiraling down, young people avoid church, and the future looks bleak. Why go out into the world and work? The world looks like a fruitless tree. Jesus doesn't see things that way. This week he tells us, **"The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few."** Look again: there is spiritual fruit hanging all around us! The lonely ready to be visited. The sick ready to be healed. The forgotten ready to be remembered. The poor ready to be treated with dignity. The sad ready to be consoled. The young ready for the Gospel. So, let's ask the Lord to send laborers to get to work. And he will. He might send you and me. Just remember to look at the correct trees.

— Father John Muir —

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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

The Toy

What does it mean to be God's "special possession"? Our world is dominated by *things*, objects, possessions. To say we are a materialistic culture is an understatement. In that context, it can be really hard to fully appreciate the meaning of being "possessed" by God. I have so many possessions, after all. I acquire and discard them without thought. I am even overwhelmed by them. Sometimes, it feels like *they* possess *me*. But then I think of the week after Christmas in a house with small children. In that week, there is always The Toy. The Toy that won the heart of your child under the tree, The Toy to which they emotionally attached themselves in a whirlwind of twinkle lights and sugar cookies. For that one week, The Toy is all there is. There were many gifts, but The Toy is special, and there can only be one.

So, what does it mean to be "possessed" by God? What does it mean to be of his people? It means you will be cherished and protected in ways you do not deserve and cannot understand. It means you are distinguished not by your own merit, but by the love with which you are beheld. It means that you are always The Toy, and every day is Christmas. *"Therefore, if you hearken to my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my special possession, dearer to me than all other people, though all the earth is mine."* — Exodus 19:5 ©LPi



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ST. PIUS X JAMUL
Meets every Tuesday at 6:30pm
(Fun, Religion and Snacks)



Reconciliation

Every Saturday at 4:00pm or
by appointment



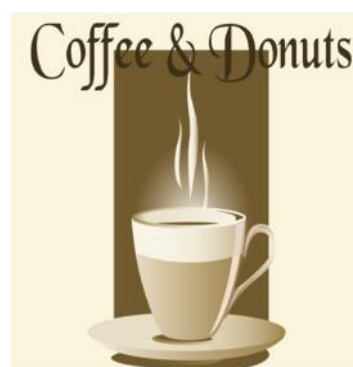
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month
at 6:30pm

Contact Olga McInvale at 619.468.9269



CHILDREN'S CRY ROOM ST PIUS X JAMUL

This room is designated for infants and toddlers accompanied by their parents or guardians. Thank you for reserving this room for their exclusive use.



All are invited to
join us for Coffee,
Donuts and
Fellowship
every Sunday
after 8:30 mass.



ADORATION
OF THE
BLESSED
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Every Thursday
8:30am
—
5:00pm

Photo taken from an open door at
St. Pius X Jamul vestibule

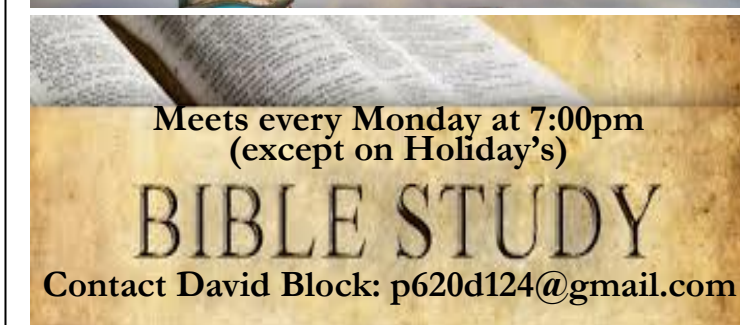


DOM Jose Olivares releducation@stpiusxjamul.com



MOTHER MARY'S LADIES GUILD

Meets 2nd Thursday
of the month at 6:00pm
Contact Ana Knudsen:
ana.knudsen@cox.net



Meets every Monday at 7:00pm
(except on Holiday's)

BIBLE STUDY

Contact David Block: p620d124@gmail.com



MEN'S FELLOWSHIP GATHERING
Come and join the men of the parish to make new friends and get to know your brothers in Christ.
Meets First Saturday of the month at 7:30am



**Knights of
Columbus**

Meets 1st Tuesday of
each month at 7:00pm

Grand Knight—Joe Coppola
Deputy Grand Knight-Jose Franco

The Year of Grace

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP	
June 11, 2023	
Envelope Giving	\$860.00
Plate Giving	\$1,997.50
Online Giving	\$844.38
Total	\$3,701.88
Weekly funds needed for church operations	\$5,000.00
Overage/Deficit	-\$1,298.12



St. Thomas More | June 22

Sir Thomas More was a humanist and statesman in Tudor England. He is still widely known today as the author of Utopia. More was a prolific writer and theologian. A true martyr of the Church, he was beatified by Pope Leo XIII in 1886, and canonized by Pope Pius XI on May 19, 1935. More was born in London in 1478, the son of Sir John More, a lawyer and judge. He attended Oxford where he studied Latin and Greek, as well as formal logic. He left Oxford in 1494 to train as a lawyer in London. After attaining the Bar, he spent time discerning a call to the priesthood. Though attracted to the Franciscan order More remained a lay Christian, continuing to fast, pray, and wear a hair shirt. He was married twice, the loving father of three daughters, a stepdaughter by his second marriage, and one son. More wrote many letters to his children when he was away on business and his daughters were known for their academic abilities, as they received the same education as his son, an anomaly at the time. More rose to the Privy Council in 1514. He became the good friend and advisor to Henry VIII, and in 1521 he was knighted. In 1529 he was made Lord Chancellor of England. However, this appointment was the beginning of the end for the saint. He could not support the break with the Church in Rome when Henry failed to receive from the Pope the annulment of his first marriage to Katherine of Aragon to wed Anne Boleyn. More resigned as Lord Chancellor and continued to refuse to accept Henry as the head of the Church in England. Eventually he was imprisoned, tried, and sentenced to a traitor's death, to be hanged, drawn, and quartered. Henry commuted the sentence of his former friend to the more humane beheading. More was executed at Tower Hill, on July 6, 1535, before his death he famously proclaimed that he was "the king's good servant, but God's first."

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Reporting allegations of sexual misconduct: The diocese of San Diego treats all allegations of sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel seriously and deals with them in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To report sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel, including abuse, please call Mary Acosta, Victim Assistance Coordinator, (858) 490-8353, email misconduct@sdcatholic.org, or visit www.safeinourdiocese.org. Situations of recent or ongoing sexual abuse should be reported to local law enforcement.

Flocknote

Flocknote and the Bulletin is an important source of communication for our Parish. It keeps you informed of all upcoming events and current information. If you haven't already done so please provide your email address to the Parish Office as well as picking up the Bulletin after Mass. Or visit the web page stpiusxjamul.flocknote.com

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: The Lord teaches Moses that Israel is intended to be his "treasured possession among all peoples ... a kingdom of priests, a holy nation." How would you react when you receive an incredible gift?

Second Reading: Paul teaches the Christians in Rome that believers are reconciled to God and saved from the final wrath through the death of his Son, Jesus. What do you think we should do with this incredible message of reconciliation and salvation?

Gospel: Jesus commissioned the twelve disciples to "proclaim the kingdom of heaven is at hand" and "cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons" — in other words, disciples are called to follow Jesus' lead. How can we modern disciples follow Jesus' lead? ©LPi

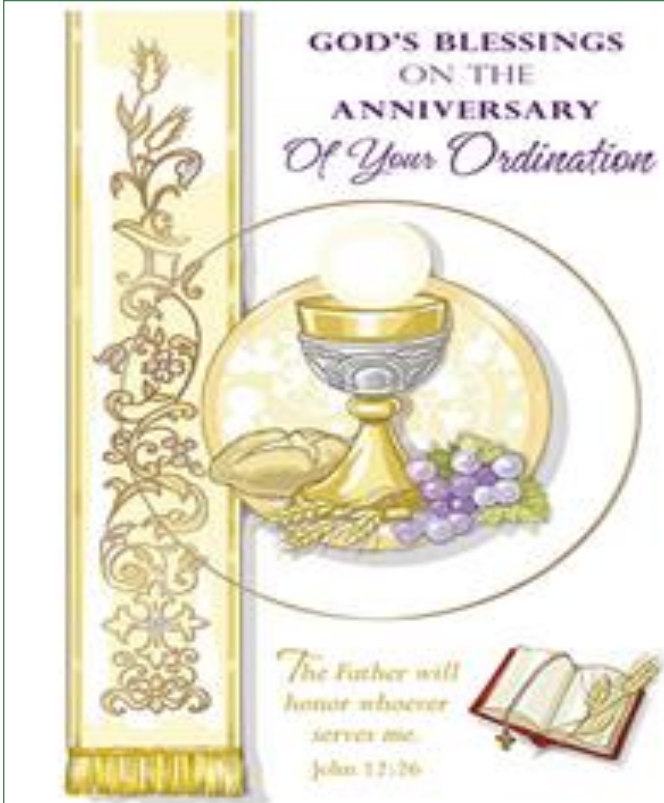
LIVE THE LITURGY

Without cost we have received, without cost we are to give. Do we open our hearts to one another with the same reckless love and mercy that God opens His heart to us? How quickly the world could change if we did. ©LPi

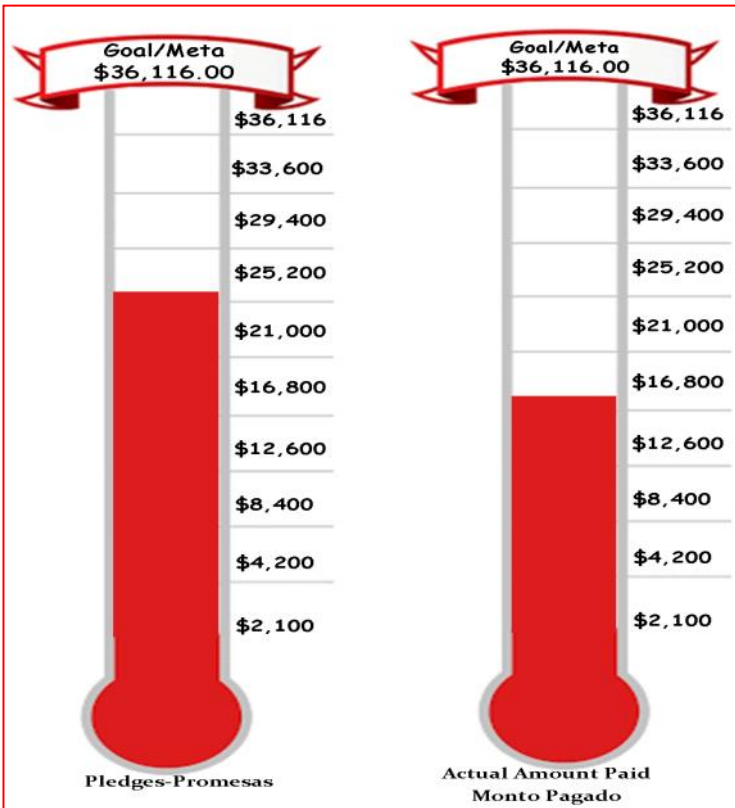
WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Question: I've noticed that when I go to Mass at different parishes, sometimes people say and do different things. Why is that?

Answer: The Mass in its current form has taken shape over the course of 2,000 years. Over time, traditions, structures, and prayers have been put into place. There are certain rubrics for the Mass that are normative wherever you go. This means you could attend Mass in Malawi or Thailand or Italy and still watch the same basic liturgy unfold, even if you don't understand the language. There may be some cultural differences from place to place, things that aren't specifically listed. For example, in the United States most people go up for Communion in a nice, neat line. In Europe, everyone gets up around the same time. It's a bit of a free-for-all! Some people might take it upon themselves to change things individually. People may not like something that feels too "liberal" or "conservative," and they may take a well-meaning stance in the opposite direction. When people (including the presiders) do things that are distracting or change the liturgy, it introduces an element that breaks the unity of the assembled community. The important thing to remember is that we gather as the Body of Christ to celebrate the Eucharist. If you are confused, ask! If you are frustrated, pray for the spirit of charity. ©LPi



The St Pius X Community of Jamul, would like to congratulate Father Garcia on his 24th Anniversary of serving the Lord. May he be blessed for his love of Christ and his service to His Church!



Our Goal is: \$36,116.00

Amount Pledged: \$24,630.00
Amount Paid: \$16,665.00
Owed: \$7,965.00

Thank you for your Pledge! Please help our Parish reach our ACA goal by turning your pledge.



God Bless

Patricia Konja	Gerald & Annette	Barbara S. Graver
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Please help our Parish reach our ACA goal by turning in your pledge.

JUNE 18, 2023 ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for the week of June 18, 2023

Sunday:	Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c)/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36—10:8
Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17 Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Observances for the week of June 18 2023

Monday:	St. Romuald, Abbot
Tuesday:	World Refugee Day
Wednesday:	St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
Thursday:	St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs
Saturday:	The Nativity of St. John the Baptist ©LPI



Mass Intentions

June 18 Sun	8:30am	+ Jim Altomare
June 18 Sun	11:00am	+Caroline Hendrickson
June 18 Sun	12:30pm	For the Parishioners
June 19 Mon		NO MASS
June 20 Tue	7:30am	For the Parishioners
June 21 Wed	7:30am	For the Parishioners
June 22 Thu	7:30am	For the Parishioners
June 23 Fri	7:30am	For the Parishioners
June 24 Sat	5:00pm	+Caroline Hendrickson



Mission Statement -“A Tiny Church with a Big Heart”

We, the people of God at St. Pius X Church in Jamul, Seek to live the Christian life by celebrating God’s Word, Living the Eucharist, and reaching out in peace and justice to all of God’s People. We are to build a loving supportive community in Jamul, By listening and sharing with each other. We believe, with God’s grace, the power of Jesus’ example, and the gifts of the Spirit, we will fulfill Christ’s Mission to love one another and establish the Kingdom of God on earth.



Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom. Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. Help them to become instruments of your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest.
Amen.

Mary, Queen of the clergy, Pray for them.

Sunday:	Rev. Dominic Obour
Monday:	Rev. Emmanuel Ochigbo
Tuesday:	Rev. Dennis O'Connor
Wednesday:	Rev. Michael O'Connor
Thursday:	Rev. Raymond O'Donnell
Friday:	Rev. Celsius Offor
Saturday:	Rev. Chimaraoke Offurum



THE YEAR OF GRACE

JUNE 18, 2023 ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



We are in need of a volunteer
for Adoration on Thursdays
from 1:00 pm-2:00 pm. If
interested, please contact the
Parish Office or Laura Dray.

With Sincere Thanks
from
Father Garcia



I want to thank everyone for all their hard work in preparing for the annual picnic. As many of you know due to the weather, we had to cancel the Mass and picnic at the Seven Spanish Angels Ranch this year. Thankfully, due to everyone's efforts, we were able to have the Mass here in the Parish and our gathering in Keenan Hall. Thank you to everyone that joined us. I would also like to thank you for the many Birthday wishes, may God continue to Bless You for your kindness. Will Keep you all in my Prayers.

St Pius X Jamul Youth Ministry Calendar June 2023
Subject to Change

6	Tues	6:30 PM Youth Gathering in Youth Room (K of C Meeting)
9	Fri	6:00-9:00 PM Dinner and Bingo in Keenan Hall
11	Sun.	11:00 AM Mass and Church Picnic at Seven Spanish Angels Ranch
13	Tues	6:30 PM Youth Gathering in Youth Room (Fun, Religion and Snacks)
14 th	Wed.	6-8:30 p.m. **Beach Night/BBQ @ La Jolla Shores meet on grass area, south of Main Lifeguard tower. (Bring your own drinks, individual snacks to share. Your beach gear i.e. Lawn Chairs, Beach Blankets, Frisbees, Footballs, or other games)
18	Sun.	7:30-10:00 AM Youth Serving Breakfast in Keenan Hall
20	Tues.	6:30 PM Youth Gathering in Youth Room (Fun, Religion and Snacks)
25	Sun.	9:30-11:30 Car Wash
27	Tues.	6:30 PM Youth Gathering in Youth Room (Fun, Religion and Snacks)-The Chosen

Please let Steve Browne or Al Peterson know ahead of time if you will need a ride to any event.

**Please RSVP, so we will provide enough burgers-hotdogs or Smore's at these events

World Youth Day 2023

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People from all over the world are gathering in Lisbon, Portugal in the summer of 2023 to celebrate one thing: Our Catholic Faith! St. Pius X of Jamul is sending 10 Pilgrims to Lisbon, Portugal for World Youth Day. Take Stock in the youth of this parish by making a one-time donation to our pilgrimage! Our cost is \$5080 per person, so every penny helps! Our Pilgrims will need our prayers and our support. Each sponsor will be asked to pray for the Pilgrims going to World Youth Day. We appreciate your financial support and prayers as we make this trip!