

# St Pius X Catholic Church

14107 Lyons Valley Rd Jamul CA 91935

Tel:(619) 669-0085

[www.stpiusxjamul.com](http://www.stpiusxjamul.com)

[parishoffice@stpiusxjamul.com](mailto:parishoffice@stpiusxjamul.com)

*Rev. Higinio Garcia, Pastor*

**"Do not be afraid;  
you are worth more  
than many sparrows."**

**- Matthew 10:31**



## 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)

*No Mass on Mondays*

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday at 4:00 pm (or by appointment)

## RANCH FEED & SUPPLY

WE DELIVER



Hay Grains

Poultry & Supplies

Small Animal Feed & Supplies

Propane • Tack

Animal Injectables

Pet & Livestock Supplies

12868 Hwy. 94 • Spring Valley

(619) 669-4720

Your Satisfaction is the Key to Our Success

M-F 8-7 • Sat 8-6 • Sun 9-5

**GROW YOUR  
BUSINESS  
BY PLACING  
AN AD HERE!**

**CONTACT US!**

Contact Joanne Sullins

to place an ad today!

[jsullins@4LPi.com](mailto:jsullins@4LPi.com)

or (800) 950-9952 x2662

**Place Your Ad Here and  
Support our Parish!**

Instantly create and  
purchase an ad with

**AD CREATOR STUDIO**



[4lpi.com/adcreator](http://4lpi.com/adcreator)



Family Owned = Personal Service

6322 El Cajon Blvd. • San Diego

[featheringillmortuary.com](http://featheringillmortuary.com)

(619) 583-9511

**SUPPORT OUR  
ADVERTISERS!**



## ADT-Monitored Home Security

Get 24-Hour Protection  
From a Name You Can Trust

- Burglary
- Fire Safety
- Flood Detection
- Carbon Monoxide



Authorized  
Provider

SafeStreets

1-855-225-4251



**Jamul  
Veterinary Clinic**

**E.D. Katzer, D.V.M.  
S.P Sawyer, B.V.Sc.**

Boarding & Veterinary Care

**619-669-1666 • [Jamulvet.com](http://Jamulvet.com)**

13815 Hwy 94 • Jamul

We provide the  
RightCare,  
Quality in Home  
Care for your  
loved ones



In-home care is the perfect choice for those who  
want to remain independent but are challenged  
by activities of daily living.

## SERVICES WE PROVIDE:

- Safety Supervision • Family Respite Care
- Daily Health Reminders
- Meal Preparation
- Fall Prevention
- Laundry & Linens
- Light Exercise • Transportation
- Shopping & Errands • Light Housekeeping



In Home Care & Assistance

Licenses: MC437470225A

**Catholic Owned**

A global network where most offices are independently owned and operated.

525 W. Bradley Ave El Cajon CA 92020 x 619.937.2330

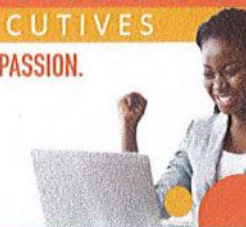
[www.homecare-sd.com](http://www.homecare-sd.com)

## WE'RE HIRING

**AD SALES EXECUTIVES**

**BE YOURSELF. BRING YOUR PASSION.  
WORK WITH PURPOSE.**

- Paid Training
- Some Travel
- Work-Life Balance
- Full-Time with Benefits
- Serve Your Community



Contact us at [careers@4lpi.com](mailto:careers@4lpi.com)  
[www.4lpi.com/careers](http://www.4lpi.com/careers)



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • [www.4lpi.com](http://www.4lpi.com)

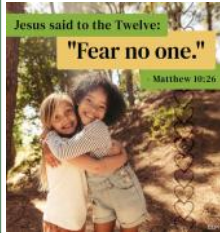
St. Pius X, Jamul, CA

A 4C 05-1824



## Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE



When I was in middle school, there were times I didn't want my fellow students to see my parents drop me off or pick me up in the school parking lot. I was embarrassed of my parents. Why? I have no idea. Maybe it was our station wagon. Or I didn't want to look like a little kid. But in retrospect that was a silly thing to do. I was a kid. And I had two parents who loved me and had built a wonderful family. I was afraid of the other kids' judgment. How silly! I should have been afraid of forgetting or downplaying my family, which is where my identity had its deep roots. This is a way to understand Jesus' words to his disciples this Sunday, when he says, **"Don't be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna."** Fear, in this sense, refers to where we find our deepest identity and our highest love. That's why Jesus says next that when we acknowledge him before others, he will acknowledge us before the Father. It doesn't mean we're brash or boastful. But rather we unhesitatingly and humbly embrace our identity as followers of Jesus and children of God the Father. After all, if we love who we are and where we come from, who cares what the other kids think about us?

— Father John Muir—

LPI

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

### The Necklace

I have a necklace that originally belonged to my great-grandmother. I don't really know much about the man who gave it to her, most of those details have been lost to time. But I know that he wanted to marry her, and that she refused, and it had something to do with religion — ultimately, he did not share her faith. And while I've certainly seen many interfaith couples have loving and successful marriages, in this particular case, my great-grandmother discerned that this would not be one of those marriages.

Like I said, I don't have many details about this man, but I know that she felt she couldn't marry him because it might jeopardize the souls of her children, and therefore the souls of their children, and their children after them — me. She turned him down because of me.

My great-grandmother never sold that necklace, not even when the Great Depression further reduced her financial circumstances. She kept it, and she gave it to her daughter, who gave it to her daughter, who gave it to me. The necklace is always given with a warning: there is something worse than being poor, worse than being scared, worse even than being desperate. Worse than all of these things is separation from God. When I wear this necklace, I think about my grandmother and this man she possibly loved a hundred years ago. I think of the many decisions we make every day — large and small, good and bad — that reverberate down through the generations in ways we cannot, at the time, imagine. I think of the God who knows every hair on my head.

*"And do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna."*

— Matthew 10:28

©LPI



Bertha Acevedo de Rodriguez  
Joe Solaas  
Karen Bennett  
Bill Gray  
Elman & Socorro  
Martinez  
Helen & Buriel Smith  
Esperanza Villa

Michael Fowler  
Jackie Connolly  
Stephen Sawyer  
Ciprie Powell  
Brittany Groom  
Hanna Jappaya  
Maya Flores  
Michael  
Jose Trujillo  
Kennedy Haytasingh  
Sandra Wachholtz  
Virginia Kuhle  
Alan & Armando de  
Guzman

Margaret Barnes  
Jose Angel Velarde  
Terry Nafso  
Fr. Jorge Ramirez  
Sara Allenbach  
Tom Kelly  
Rod Connole  
Sandy Wachholze  
Robert Smull  
Regina Coppola



**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.



### HEALING MASS

Every three months  
on the third Tuesday  
at 7:00pm

### Coffee & Donuts



All are invited to  
join us for Coffee,  
Donuts and  
Fellowship  
every Sunday

ADORATION

OF THE

BLESSED

Every Thursday

8:30am

5:00pm

Photo taken from an open door at

St. Pius X Jamul vestibule



DOM Jose Olivares [releducation@stpiusxjamul.com](mailto:releducation@stpiusxjamul.com)



### MOTHER MARY'S LADIES GUILD

Meets 2nd Thursday  
of the month at 6:00pm

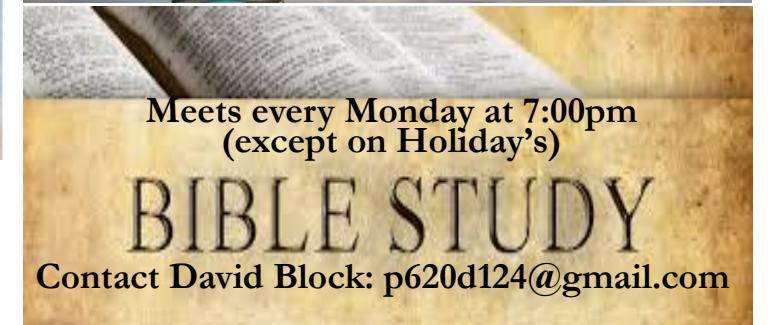
Contact Ana Knudsen:  
[ana.knudsen@cox.net](mailto:ana.knudsen@cox.net)



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

### BIBLE STUDY

Contact David Block: [p620d124@gmail.com](mailto: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



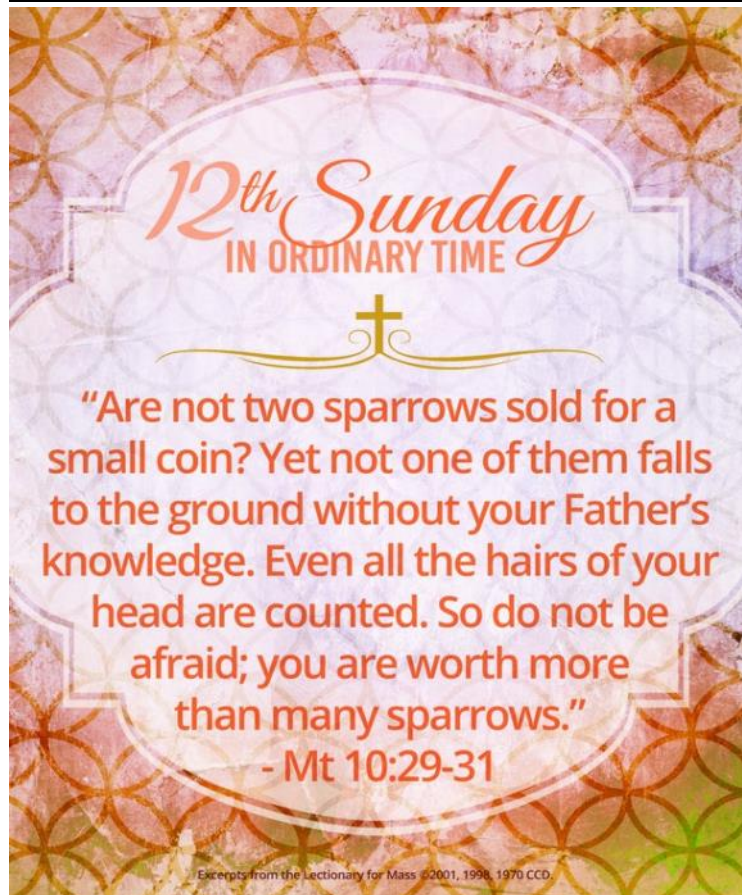
Knights of  
Columbus

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

Grand Knight—Joe Coppola  
Deputy Grand Knight-Jose Franco



WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP	
June 18, 2023	
Envelope Giving	\$1,203.00
Plate Giving	\$1,928.25
Online Giving	\$720.92
Total	\$3,852.17
Weekly funds needed for church operations	\$5,000.00
Overage/Deficit	-(1,147.83)



## QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

**First Reading:** We hear how the prophet Jeremiah turned to God when he felt alone and attacked. What do you need to pray to God for this week?

**Second Reading:** Paul taught that through the grace of God, Christ reversed the sin of Adam, which brought death to all. When have you felt God's grace in your life?

**Gospel:** Jesus encourages his disciples not to be afraid. What are some fears you have that you could turn over to God?

©LPi

## WHY DO WE DO THAT?

**Question:** What is Lectio Divina, and how is it associated with the Benedictine Monastic tradition, whose founder, St. Benedict, we honor on July 11?

**Answer:** Benedict desired his monks to live in community, praying the Liturgy of the Hours together, contemplating sacred texts, and doing manual labor. The monks developed a technique to facilitate a spiritual and devotional reading of the Bible known as *Lectio Divina*, the holy reading of a text. This method encourages the reader to hear the biblical text with an open heart and focus on whatever God wants to highlight and then apply it to daily life. There are variations on *Lectio Divina*, but essentially, the technique consists of a three-step process of reflection. When the reflection is done with a group, the responses are shared by all the participants. Once the text is selected, it is read meditatively, and the following are then explored: a word or phrase that attracts you; how and where the content of this reading touches your life today; what you believe that God wants you to do during this coming week (month, year, lifetime). Thanks to Benedict, the Christian community has been gifted with this special way of entering into the biblical text. This week, use the *Lectio Divina* process on one of the readings for the coming Sunday and make a note of the life connections you are making. How is this reflection on the biblical text drawing you closer to God and others?

©LPi


## LIVE THE LITURGY

Christ promises to acknowledge us before his Father if we will acknowledge him. In what ways are we called to acknowledge Christ today? In what ways are we tempted to deny him, to distance ourselves from him?

©LPi



## REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE

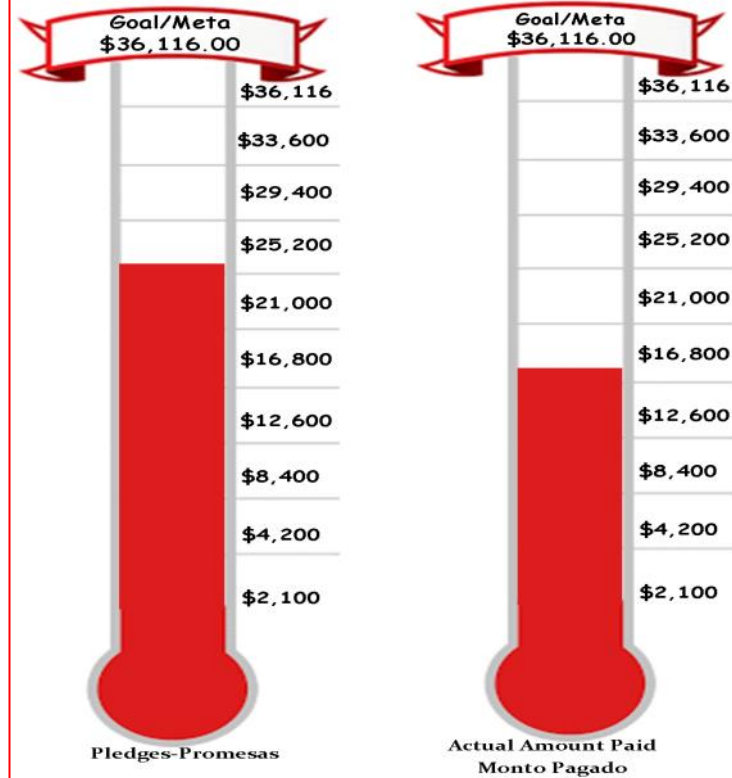
 Reporting allegations of sexual misconduct: The diocese of San Diego treats all allegations of sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel seriously and deals with them in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To report sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel, including abuse, please call Mary Acosta, Victim Assistance Coordinator, (858) 490-8353, email [misconduct@sdcatholic.org](mailto:misconduct@sdcatholic.org), or visit [www.safeinourdiocese.org](http://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](http://stpiusxjamul.flocknote.com)

*Holy Hour  
of Adoration*

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.



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
Rob & Cheryl Brown	Antoine	Tomas & Carmen
Eugene & Karen	Desmond & Rose	Chavez
Bennett	Fonseca	Fernando & Aide
John & Mary Collura	Joseph & Linda	Arredondo
Maria Juarez	Coppola	David & Paula Block
Robert & Kimberly	Arnold & Isabel	Ernest & Eileen Briesse
Perry	Gerhardstein	Terry & Carmen
Wilhelm & Marilyn	Barbara Boes	Carroll
Rills	Dennis Minayrd	Len & Cyndie Dasho
Rick & Roseann	David & Shannon	Jose & Alma Olivarez
Rinear	McCracken	Paul & Linda Wargo
Laura Schneider	Richard and Chelita	Cesar & Adriana
Rodney Snow	Flores	García
Al & Lisa Martinez	William and Julie	
Karen Wozney-	Gray	
Gutierrez	Silverio & Sandra	
Joseph Toland	Chavez	
Phyllis J Antoine	Victor & Elena	
Elman & Socorro	Ortega	
Martinez	Bob & Marty Fowler	
Tom & Christine	Othon & Maria	
Wilson	Grijalva	
Paul Ziegler	Anita Aguilar	

Please help our  
Parish reach our  
ACA goal by  
turning in your  
pledge.

Please help our  
Parish reach our  
ACA goal by  
turning in your  
pledge.





Readings for the week of June 25 2023		
Sunday:	Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35 (14c)/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33	
Monday:	Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22/Mt 7:1-5	
Tuesday:	Gn 13:2, 5-18/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Mt 7:6, 12-14	
Wednesday:	Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 7:15-20	
Thursday:	Vigil:Acts3:1-10/Ps19:2-3, 4-5/Gal1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/ Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2Tm4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19	
Friday:	Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mt 8:1-4	
Saturday:	Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55/Mt 8:5-17	

Observances for the week of June 25 2023		
Tuesday:	St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	
Wednesday:	Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr	
Thursday:	Sts. Peter And Paul, Apostles	
Friday:	The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church	
Saturday:	St. Junipero Serra, Priest	©LPi



June 25 Sun	8:30am	+ Joseph DiPanfilo
June 25 Sun	11:00am	+ Bernarda Abbate + Natale Abbate
June 25 Sun	12:30pm	For the Parishioners
June 26 Mon		NO MASS
June 27 Tue	7:30am	For the Parishioners
June 28 Wed	7:30am	+ Alfredo Juarez
June 29 Thu	7:30am	For the Parishioners
June 30 Fri	7:30am	+ Beverly La Fontaine
July 1 Sat	9:00am	+ John McInvale
July 1 Sat	5:00pm	(SI) Francis Gray



## 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. Agustin Opalalic  
Monday: Very Rev. Bruce Orsborn  
Tuesday Rev. Michael Ortiz  
Wednesday: Rev. Claro Ortiz  
Thursday: Rev. George Ortiz-Guzman  
Friday: Rev. Stephanos Pedrano, OSB



ST. IRENAEUS —JUNE 28—  
Can you imagine sitting at the feast of the Apostles? St. Irenaeus was born in Asia Minor -- now Turkey -- and was tutored in Christianity by St. Polycarp, himself a disciple of St. John the Evangelist. Irenaeus caught the missionary zeal and became a priest sent to Gaul (modern day France). Following a persecution by the pagan Roman emperor Marcus Aurelius, Irenaeus replaced the martyred bishop in the region. His trials were not over, however. The heretical sect of Gnosticism spread to Gaul. Gnostics proclaimed a secret, spiritual knowledge available only to a few. Irenaeus researched the Gnostic texts and exposed the falsehoods they taught, such as denying the divinity of Christ. His book Against Heresies is still being published today, over 1800 years after his death. May St. Irenaeus intercede for our own quests for greater understanding!

©LPi

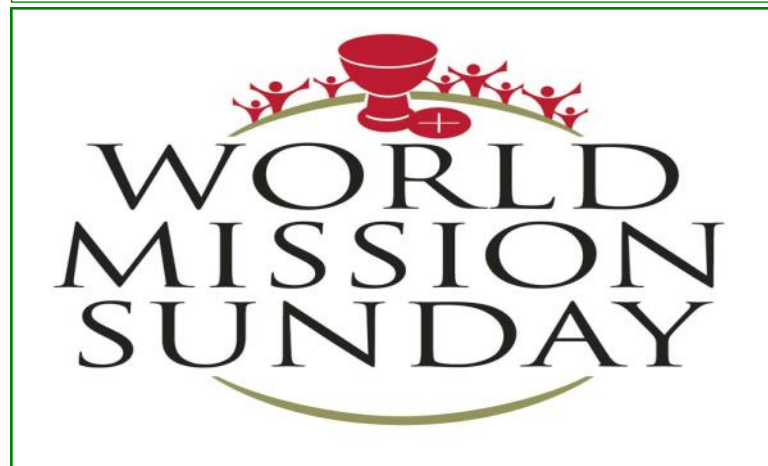


## St Pius X Jamul Youth Ministry Calendar June 2023

Subject to Change

- 25 Sunday 9:30-11:30 Car Wash
- 27 Tuesday 6:30 PM Youth Gathering in Youth Room (Fun, Religion and Snacks)-The Chosen

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



## World Youth Day 2023

HELP SEND ST. PIUS X YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS SPONSOR A PILGRIM



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!

We announce with great sadness the death of our fellow parishioner in Christ.

**Robert Myron Smull**  
October 28, 1943 –June 12, 2023

Please join us in celebrating Robert at

St Pius X Catholic Church, Jamul  
Thursday, June 29, 2023  
Funeral Mass at 11:00 am,

followed by gravesite services at  
Glen Abbey Memorial Park located at  
3838 Bonita Rd in Bonita CA.

Celebration of Life  
Smull Residence on July 2, 2023 at 3:00 pm  
2882 Pioneer Way, Jamul CA 91935

