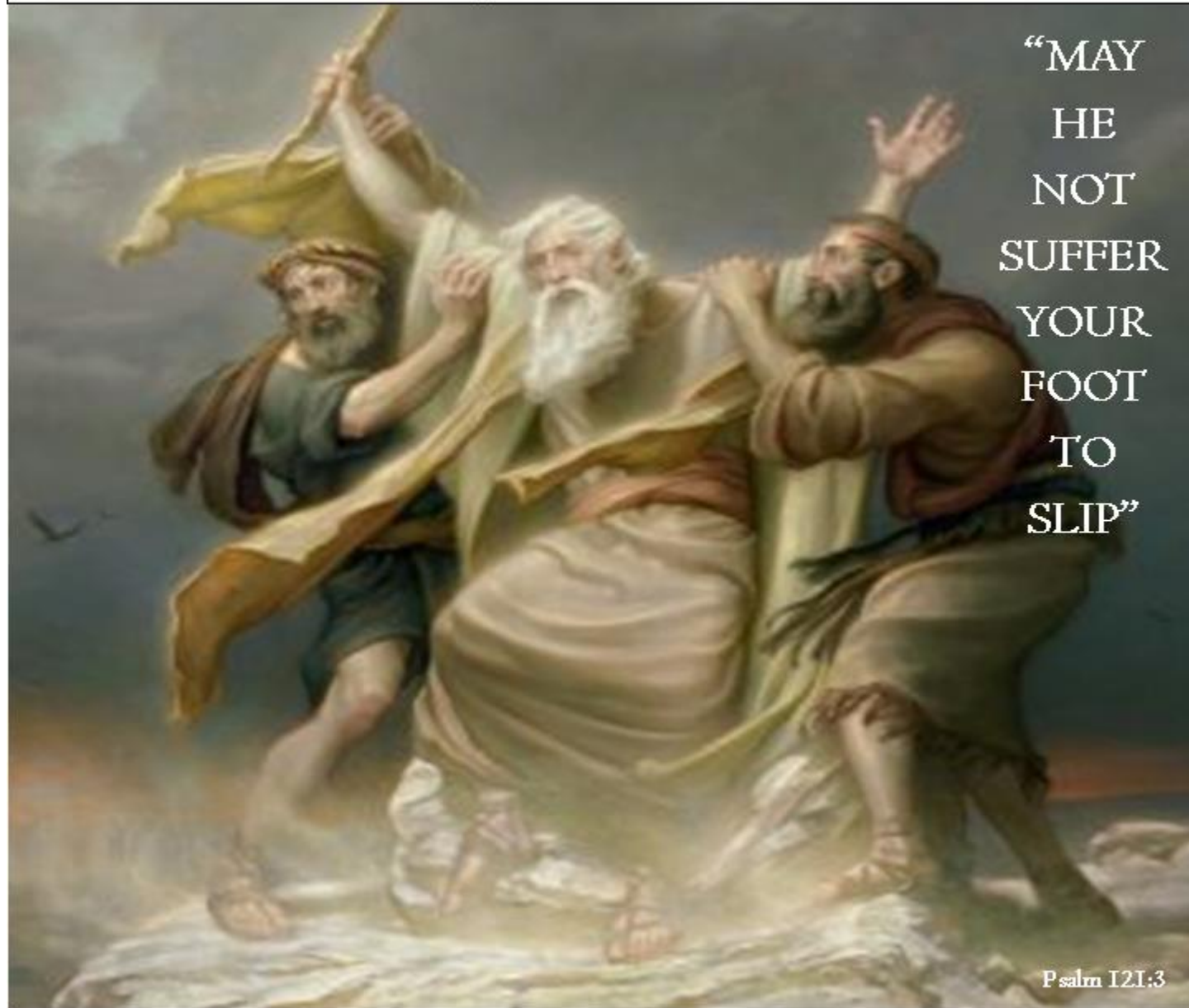


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Mass Schedule

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Saturday 5:00pm-Sunday 8:30am, 11:00am, & 12:30pm (Spanish)
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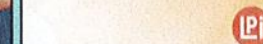
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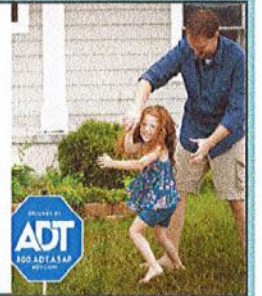


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Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE



Brendan wouldn't stop. He continued nagging his mom to let him have a little more time with his phone. He knew the rules but wanted to finish a game and text a few more friends. He begged, had a temper tantrum, pleaded, screamed, pouted, and used every means he could think of to get Mom to change her mind. Mom had a busy day and was tired. At first, she held her ground. Then, her son's persistence got the best of her, and she caved. "Brendan, you can have 30 more minutes and no more!" she retorted. Brendan's determination paid off. He won. Is this how it works with God too? If we want something enough and feel it is our due, does our persistence allow us to eventually get our way? Judging God by human standards, it would seem so. But is this the way God works? It gets a bit confusing when Jesus tells his disciples to "pray always without becoming weary" and then further tells them how God will "secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night." If we catch God at the right time, when he's having a weak moment, then our tenacity ought to pay off. What we want, we will get. Really? Sadly, the way many approach prayer suggests that this is precisely how it goes. Good parents set boundaries and offer proper discipline. They learn the art of being steadfast when presented with determined minds and wills. They know what is best and, at times, have to say "no." God is always there with His full attention and unconditional love showering itself upon us. God also knows what is best. And, as with any good parent, the one constant that is always available and never withheld is love. We can be as persistent and determined as we want if what we are seeking is God's love. We are never a bother and requests for God's love are never denied. This is the prayer of the heart. Desiring God alone and not only what we want God to do for us places this love relationship foremost in our minds, hearts, and souls. God is never bothered by this prayer. As we breathe in and exhale out, the Divine Life freely flows. ©LPi

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP Sparkling Holiness

As the seasons change, a lot of us like to clean out our homes and unload some of the junk we've acquired over the summer. One trendy approach to decluttering is the Marie Kondo method, named after the author who popularized it. Overly simplified, it's a process that compels you to go through your closets, your garage, your basement — all the places you collect the dreaded "stuff." As you do so, you hold up the items and ask yourself: "Does it spark joy?" It's a question that is bold in its simplicity. In answering, you're supposed to go with your gut. If it's a quick "Yes, it sparks joy," the item should be kept. If the answer is no, it gets tossed. There are people in life who will support our efforts to do God's will. There are those who will, as Paul says, "convince, reprimand, (and) encourage," unafraid of the reaction we give them. There are those who will shore up our defenses when the battle goes longer than we thought. The same goes for hobbies and pastimes. There are those that will ennoble our minds and bring us closer to God. And there are also those that will drain our funds and our free time, with nothing to show for it. During these autumn months, don't just declutter your basement in preparation for the hauling out of the Christmas ornaments. Take stock of the people and pursuits that make up your life. With each one, ask yourself: "Does it spark holiness?" If the answer is yes, thank God that our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. If the answer is no, maybe it's time to declutter.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



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

No Youth breakfast
White Elephant Sale
Sunday, October 16

Mass & Debbie Bradell pro life
talk at St. Martins & new baby
item drive
Sunday, October 23 5:00pm

Youth Breakfast
Sunday, October 30
7:30am-10:00am

The Haunted Amusement Park
Date & Time TBD

Calendar subject to change.

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



MOTHER MARY'S LADIES GUILD
Meets 2nd Thursday of the month
at 6:00pm
Contact Ana Knudsen at 619.741.2567



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



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

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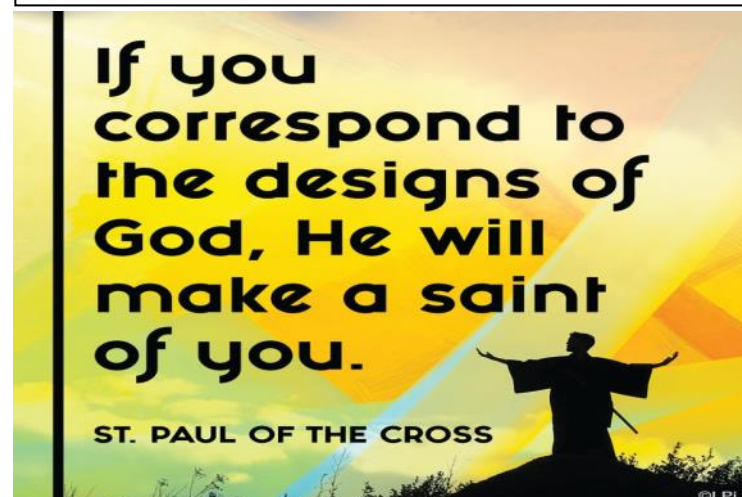


All are invited to Join us for
coffee, donuts and fellowship
every Sunday after 8:30 mass.



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

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WEEKLY STEWARSHIP	
October 09, 2022	
Envelope Giving	\$1,942.00
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Online Giving	\$819.70
Total	\$4,435.91
Weekly funds needed for church operations	\$5,000.00
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**IS GOD
CALLING
YOU TO
BECOME A
PRIEST?**

PROGRAM FOR PRIESTLY FORMATION EXPLORER DAY

Explorer Day provides men an opportunity to learn more about the priesthood and how to discern God's call

**NOVEMBER 12, 2022
8:30AM-3:30PM**

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RESPECT LIFE BILINGUAL MASS

October 23rd, 10:00 AM, St. John of the Cross Parish (8086 Broadway Avenue, Lemon Grove 91945). Join Cardinal McElroy and the community to pray for the legal protection of the unborn, celebrate the sanctity of human life, and reflect on our "Call to Serve Moms in Need." Please invite pregnant women for they will receive a special blessing. Visit: <https://sdccatholic.org/event/respect-life-mass/>

A CALL FOR FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

Participate in American democracy by voting on November 8th for candidates and legislations that protect the integrity of children, women, and families. The Church asks the faithful to make their election decisions with a properly formed conscience guided by Catholic Social Teaching. The Church also calls people to engage in political but civilized and compassionate conversations with members of their families, parishes and other communities. Find resources at <https://sdccatholic.org/election-faithful-citizenship-resources/>

EMERGENCY DISASTER FUND SPECIAL COLLECTION

Our parish is participating in a nation-wide special collection for Emergency Disaster Relief called for by the U.S. Catholic Bishops as a response to the recent hurricanes. Proceeds from the collection will help the Bishops' Emergency Disaster Fund to provide support for humanitarian assistance, long-term recovery and significant Church needs caused by recent calamities. Contributions can also be made [on our parish web site] or at www.sdccatholic.org, click on the blue Donations button.

LEARNING ABOUT THE PRIESTHOOD

On Saturday, November 12, the Diocese of San Diego is hosting an Explorer Day for those men who are interested in exploring a possible vocation to the priesthood. The day will be held at St. Francis Center on the campus of the University of San Diego (5998 Alcalá Park, San Diego 92110) from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. If living a life of service for Christ and the people of God is attractive to you, take advantage of the opportunity to attend this upcoming Explorer Day. Pick up an application at your parish office, or call Fr. Eric Tamayo at St. Francis Center at (619) 291-7446.



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.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? Ignatius of Antioch

Question: Who is Ignatius of Antioch and what example does he offer us in Christian living as we celebrate his feast day on October 17th?

Answer: As Bishop of Antioch (the modern day city of Antakya, Turkey), Ignatius witnessed to the faith during the reign of Emperor Trajan, who ruled from 98-117. Persecution of Christians broke out in Antioch, and Ignatius was captured and taken to Rome for martyrdom in the arena. In his journey to Rome over land and sea, Ignatius writes seven letters to various churches. These letters give powerful glimpses into the theology and practice of the early church, along with insights into the role of a bishop as pastoral leader. Ignatius is the first to use the term "Catholic Church" to refer to the various Christian communities of the Roman Empire. The best known of his letters is the one he wrote to the Romans. Ignatius addresses influential Christians who might be tempted to intercede on his behalf, thus sparing him from martyrdom. He advises them against it, being resolute in his desire to be the "wheat of God." Eucharistic links are most evident in his words. As Christ willingly offered himself as witness to God's total love, Ignatius, too, desired to be "food for the wild beasts," so that he could become "the pure bread of Christ." Eucharistic living was so crucial to Ignatius that he was willing to die in order to model himself on the Lord who willingly offered all. Reflect on how you can use Ignatius as a model in your own eucharistic life of faith. ©LPi



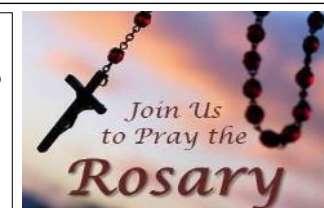
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Rosary

Tuesday through Friday at
7:10 am inside the parish before
7:30 am mass at St Pius X

LIVE THE LITURGY

Does God finally answer our persistent prayers to stop us from bothering Him? The thought that persistent prayer can be disturbing or upsetting to God does not ring true with the images of God as compassionate, understanding, merciful, and loving that our tradition conveys. Yet, Jesus tells his disciples to "pray always without becoming weary." Maybe the type of prayer necessary to endure the trials of discipleship and the challenges and criticisms of Christian teaching goes beyond words. We need to tend to the realities of human life. The persistent prayer of which Jesus speaks is the prayer of the heart. This contemplative, silent, loving prayer gives us the vision to see God in all things, especially in each human soul. Desiring God alone and not only what we want God to do for us places this love relationship foremost in our minds, hearts, and souls. As we breathe in and exhale out, the Divine Life flows. This alone can provide the strength of endurance to confront anything contrary to the truth of faith. ©LPi

The Knights of Columbus and MMLG will lead the rosary for everyone who would like to participate every 5th Sunday of the month. Remember our Blessed Mother's promise to those who pray the Rosary - "I promise my special protection and greatest graces to all those who shall recite the Rosary". Pray the Rosary with the Knights and the Ladies Guild. This month it will be on **Sunday, October 30, 2022 at 8:00am.**



**ADORATION
of the
BLESSED
SACRAMENT**

**THURSDAYS
8:30AM—5:00PM**



QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: Moses had to depend upon his brother Aaron and his associate, Hur, to help defeat the Amalekites in battle. Who among your friends or family helps you to grow in your faith?

Second Reading: Paul teaches Timothy that sacred Scripture is a tool for teaching, correction, and training. Do you have a favorite passage or story from Scripture?

Gospel: Jesus uses the parable of the persistent widow to teach the disciples about the importance of diligence in prayer. What does prayer look like for you? ©LPi



Sunday: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/2 Tm 3:14—4:2/Lk 18:1-8
Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Lk 10:1-9
Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19/Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 12:54-




Pray for Priests and Vocations “Now we ask you to respect those who work hard among you. Hold them in the highest regard in love because of their work.”
Sunday: Rev. Edwin Tutor
Monday: Rev. Derek Twilliger
Tuesday: Rev. Jose Arturo Uribe
Wednesday: Rev. Danilo Valdepenas
Thursday: Rev. Albino Vecina, CRSP
Friday: Rev. Romeo Velos, CS
Saturday: Rev. Nelson Vencilao

MASS Intentions

Oct 16	Sun	8:30am	For the Parishioner
Oct 16	Sun	11:00am	For the Parishioner
Oct 16	Sun	12:30pm	For the Parishioner
Oct 17	Mon		No Mass
Oct 18	Tues	7:30am	For the Parishioner
Oct 19	Wed	7:30am	For the Parishioner
Oct 20	Thur	7:30am	For the Parishioner
Oct 21	Fri	7:30am	For the Parishioner
Oct 22	Sat	5:00pm	For the Parishioner

Observances for the week of October 16, 2022		
Sunday:	St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin	
Monday:	St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr	
Tuesday:	St. Luke, Evangelist	
Wednesday:	Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs	
Thursday:	St. Paul of the Cross, Priest	
Saturday:	St. John Paul II, Pope	

“A widow in that town used to come to him and say, ‘Render a just decision for me against my adversary.’ For a long time the judge was unwilling, but eventually he thought, ‘because this widow keeps bothering me I shall deliver a just decision for her lest she finally come and strike me.’” — Lk 18:3-4b, 5



Saint Luke | October 18

Saint Luke, sometimes called The Evangelist, is the author of the third Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles and a physician. There is some debate about how he came to Christianity, though many believe he was a gentile convert. Tradition holds him to be a native of Antioch, Syria, possibly a slave. Most of what we know of Luke comes from Scripture, he was an eloquent and proficient writer, penning with accuracy the events he recounted. He is viewed as one of the best historical sources of the time. Luke was a close companion of Paul’s, joining him at Troas about year 51 and going with him to Macedonia and Philippi. Their paths diverged and met again as they journeyed to spread the Good News. Luke remained with Paul until the latter was martyred in Rome. Saint Luke’s Gospel is viewed as one of social justice, giving special attention to the poor. He also emphasizes gentiles hearing the message of Christ. It is the only Gospel with Mary’s Magnificat, and spends the most time illuminating the lives of the other women around Jesus. Accounts of Luke’s death are conflicting, some say he was martyred shortly after Paul others that he lived a long life completing his Gospel in Greece and dying at 84. He is the patron saint of physicians.

THE YEAR OF GRACE

The *Sacrifice of the Mass* will be Offered for the Repose Souls of Our Deceased Brother Knights on October 30, 2022 at 8:30 am.

Gil Agundez

Remi Alvarez

Dave Ames

Greg Barker

Monsignor Robert Callahan

Victor Carillo

Dick Connelly

Ken Fisher

Don Forbes

Ken Fritz



In Memoriam of OUR DECEASED BROTHERS

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Micky Johnson

Bob Lay

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Frank Tannehill

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Lou Torretto

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