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Mass Schedule

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

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

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Gospel Meditation SCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEP

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We can embrace and relish each moment of our lives as a sacred sacrament or nonchalantly and robotically attend to what life presents. We have our feet in two worlds. One is holy and sacred, and the other is profane and secular. Which one has the greater claim on us? To what do we devote most of our energy? We can easily be

consumed with the particular demands and essentials of daily life: family, work, obligations, and the like, that we don't really notice anything more than what is right before us. We become masters at "doing" and neglect our need to "savor." Jesus reminds his friends that "as it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. In those days before the flood, they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark. They did not know until the flood came and carried them all away." While certain things require our daily attention, we cannot become so consumed with them that we fail to see the larger picture of what is coming. For the Christian, Advent is the time to pause, reflect, and savor. It is a time to see life as a sacrament of the moment and not just an investment in secular interests, pleasures, and personal obligations. It is easy to get distracted, lazy, preoccupied, and tired. Apathy can quickly wreak havoc on the most dedicated of souls. Whatever we can do this Advent season to be more attentive, focused, alert, and watchful will serve us well. It will make us eager and well-prepared to meet our Lord when he comes. It is for certain that he will come. Who made me? What is my purpose? What will happen to me when I die? These are pivotal questions that, in life's busyness, we hardly find time to ask and answer. They define who we are, and the answers we provide serve as guideposts and anchors in the seas of our lives. Advent is the perfect time to make friends with our souls. It is a time to perk ourselves up, open our eyes, ears, and hearts and seek God's presence in the simple moments of our lives. God is with us. Ask God to grant you a deeper appreciation for His presence and the gift of attentiveness. ©LPi



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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Being Surprised by Christ

Some people hate surprise parties. There are those who are uncomfortable with a last-minute vacation or even an unexpected travel upgrade. If it wasn't part of the plan, it's a cause for consternation. There is a temptation to view these folks as curmudgeonly — sticks in the mud, obsessed with predictability. But I think if we're being honest, there's a little bit of the surprise-averse in all of us. Deep within the very heart of the element of surprise is a kernel of shock. And shock, in the moment, can feel similar to trauma. If we reflect on the most traumatic occurrences of our lives — a loss, an accident, a calamity — it is likely that we will say this: "It was the shock more than anything that got to me." Grief or fear, those feelings were overwhelming as well, but they came later. In the first moment, all we knew was we were going about our lives on one path until we were thrust on a different one and then the whole future changed. This is the natural rhythm of our life here on earth. We never know what is coming — which is to say, in a beautiful way, we always know what is coming. More importantly, we know Who is coming. Like the early riser who sets the "pre-alarm" (the one on which he knows he's going to hit snooze just to take the edge off the disappointment of waking up), we are always being given a heads-up in Scripture. From the earliest prophecies of the Messiah to Jesus' reminders in the Gospel to the very last words of Revelations, God has communicated to His stewards: You know the time. The time is now. We are called to constant vigilance, perpetual renewal, steadfast accountability. In the end, the coming of Christ may be the only event in history that was a surprise, but not a shock — and so it will only be beautiful, even for those

who hate surprise parties.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

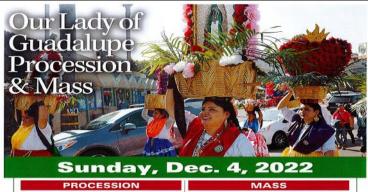
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WEEKLY STEWARSHIF				
November 20, 2022	November 20, 2022			
Envelope Giving	\$1,554.00			
Plate Giving	\$2,188.80			
Online Giving	\$948.39			
Total	\$4,691.19			
Weekly funds needed for church operations	\$5,000.00			
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12 p.m. Noon

Begins at Morley Field Sports Complex
Texas and Upas Streets, San Diego, 9210

Theme Cars
Folkloric Dancers
Parish Organizations

2 p.m.
Cardinal Robert W. McElroy
with Auxiliary Bishop Ramón Bejarano
St. Augustine High School Gym
350 Nutmeg Street, San Diego, CA 92104
Celebration after Mass with Mariachi and Food





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COLLECTION FOR NATIONAL NEEDS

This weekend has been designated for the 2022
Collection for National needs. Special envelopes
are available for the collection, which supports the Black
and Indian Missions, the Catholic Home Missions, the
Catholic Communication Campaign, the Catholic
Campaign for Human Development, and the Catholic
University of America.

11TH SAN DIEGO WALK FOR LIFE

Changing Hearts, Saving Lives: Join Cardinal McElroy and 2,000 faithful's to stand up for the lives of the unborn on Saturday, January 14, 8:30 a.m. at Waterfront Park, Downtown San Diego. Bring your loved ones with life-affirming posters and enjoy inspirational speakers, live music, exhibitors, and raffles. Go to www.sandiegowalkforlife.org.

REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE

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

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

The diocesan observance of the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be **Sunday, December 4**, beginning with a procession at 12:00 noon, departing from North Park's Morley Field Sports Complex, at Upas and Texas Street. The Eucharistic Celebration will be at 2 PM at Saint Augustine High School. Cardinal McElroy will be the main celebrant. For questions, please contact the Confederación Guadalupana chairperson, Lucia Gutierrez at (619) 565-0279.

BUILDING A BETTER MARRIAGE

Diocesan Marriage Enrichment Series: The Office for Family Life and Spirituality is inviting all couples of the diocese to attend one or more of their upcoming six-part series on an assortment of topics including healthy communication and conflict resolution, love languages, managing differences, cultivating the virtues, and learning to forgive. This series is open to ALL couples including those preparing for marriage, newlyweds, and more seasoned couples. Join us on Wednesday nights at 7 pm between January II and February I5 at the Pastoral Center (3888 Paducah Dr, San Diego 92117). What a great way to prepare for Valentine's Day! To register, please call 858-490-8256 or visit tinyurl.com/sdmarriageenrichment.

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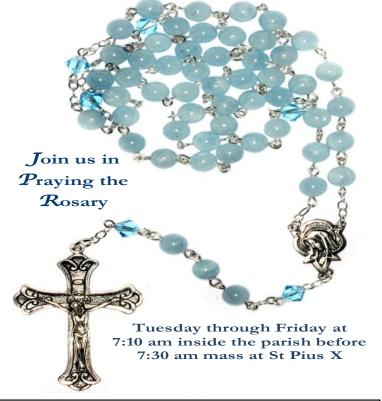
WHY DO WE DO THAT? Prophets

Question: The Church teaches that, through our baptism, we are made priest, prophet, and king like Christ. What does it mean for us to be prophets in the world today?

Answer: We are indeed sharers in the threefold mission of Christ. We live our "kingship" when we serve others in justice, work for the common good in society, and overcome sin in our own lives. Our "priestly" mission is lived when we unite our lives to Christ's sacrifice on the cross, offering them up as a gift of love. We are also called to be prophets. Our lives may not look like Isaiah and Jeremiah of old — and perhaps desert living and locust eating like St. John the Baptist might feel out of reach — but this doesn't nullify our invitation and obligation. As baptized Christians, we have accepted the Gospel in faith. We're also called to proclaim the Gospel as well. This may mean by giving Christ-centered advice to another person or defending truth when it's threatened. It also means living our faith in deeds. St. John Paul II writes that we are "called to allow the newness and the power of the Gospel to shine out every day in [our] family and social life" (On the Lay Members of Christ's Faithful, I4). A prophet points to a higher truth beyond himself or herself. We live prophetically when we treat others as Christ treated people and when we arrange our schedule to prioritize those to whom we have the greatest obligation, including our families, as well as the poor and vulnerable around us. We live prophetically when we think critically about the culture around us and we allow our faith to inform our public life. ©LPi

LIVE THE LITURGY

Whether it is the surgeon performing an operation or the pilot directing a flight, one expects them to be alert. When we entrust our lives to someone, we presume that they will attend to them with the utmost care and vigilance. If we have this expectation of others, why would we not have it of ourselves? Our lives are precious vessels on an eternal journey. We can only stay afloat and on the course because of God's love and mercy. It is easy to get distracted, lazy, preoccupied, and tired. Apathy can wreak havoc on the most dedicated of souls. God's word transforms all that it touches, even a lukewarm heart. Let us seek God's grace this Advent season so that we can walk more fully in His light. Then, finding ourselves more attentive, focused, alert, and watchful, we will be eager and well prepared to meet our Lord when He comes. Why would we not want to be ready, awake, and watchful for the One we have waited for so long? ©LPi



QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: The prophet Isaiah foresaw a time when all nations would unite in peace over their common belief and worship of Israel's God. What do you think a world totally at peace looks like?

Second Reading: Paul taught the believers in Rome that salvation and the end of time were closely connected. Thus, he encouraged avoiding immoral behavior such as drunkenness, promiscuity, envy, or jealousy. What motivates you to live a moral life?

Gospel: Jesus taught his disciples that no one knows when the Son of Man will return to earth, so "be prepared" at all times. As we begin the season of Advent, how might you be better prepared for welcoming Jesus into your life? ©LPi

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Sun: Is 2:1-5/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44

Mon: Is 4:2-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 8:5-

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Tues: Is 11:1-10/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17/Lk 10:21-24

Wed: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 4:18-22 Thur: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a/Mt

7:21, 24-27

Fri: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Mt 9:27-31

Sat: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 9:35—

10:1, 5a, 6-8



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. Michael Blastic, OFM
Monday: Rev. Msgr. William Bolger
Tuesday: Rev. Michael Booth
Wednesday: Rev. Peter Bosque
Thursday: Pope Francis
Friday: Cardinal Robert McElroy
Saturday: Bishop Ramon Bejarano

MASS Intentions

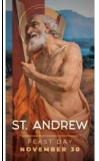
Nov 27	Sun	8:30am	For the Parishioners
Nov 27	Sun	11:00am	+Alfredo Juarez
Nov 27	Sun	12:30pm	+Mateo Castillo
Nov 28	Mon		No Mass
Nov 29	Tues	7:30am	+Sohela & Andrew Bazzi
Nov 30	Wed	7:30am	(SI) Theresa Mascarenas
Dec 01	Thur	7:30am	+John Gomez
Dec 02	Fri	7:00pm	For the Parishioners
Dec 03	Sat	9:00am	+Tom Kelly
Dec 03	Sat	5:00pm	+John Mc Invale



Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour of night when the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and not let his house be broken into. So too, you also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." — Mt. 24:43:44

Observances for the week of November 27, 2022

Wednesday: St. Andrew, Apostle Saturday: St. Francis Xavier, Priest



Saint Andrew | November 30

Saint Andrew was a fisherman in Galilee, along with his brother, Peter, when they were called by Jesus to leave their boat and become fishers of men. John's Gospel also places him as a follower of John the Baptist before he came to be one of Jesus' twelve

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Disciples. Beyond the scant references in the Gospels, not much is known of Saint Andrew's

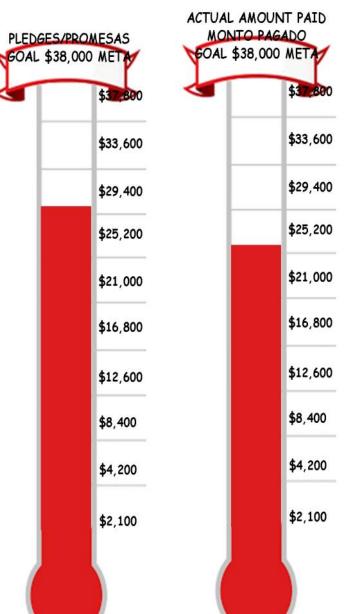
life. According to Christian tradition Saint Andrew, like many of his fellow Disciples, went out into Greece and Turkey to preach the Good News. A 4th century account of the saint's life tells of his martyrdom by crucifixion in Patras. Medieval accounts describe the cross used as

X-shaped because Andrew said he was not worthy to die on the same style of cross as Jesus. Famously, Saint Andrew is the patron Saint of Scotland, the country's flag bearing the X-shaped cross associated with him. Legends claim that the saint either traveled to Scotland to spread the Gospel or that his relics were brought there by St. Regulus who had a vision telling him to take the bones to the end of the earth. Regulus set out and was shipwrecked on the coast of Scotland. Today relics of St. Andrew which had been held by the Vatican are now at a shrine in Patras.

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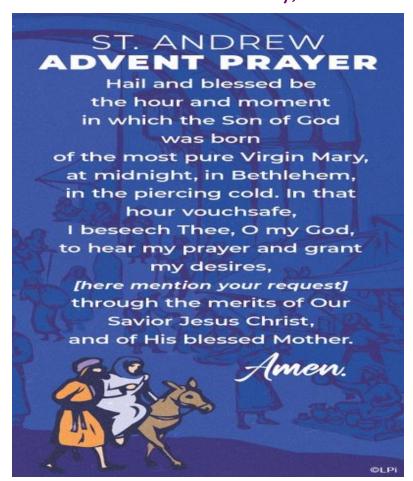
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We announce with great sadness the death of our fellow parishioner in Christ.

Patrícia Jane Nybo

October 30, 1941—November 5, 2022

Funeral Mass will be at St. Pius X Jamul on **Saturday**, **December 3**, 2022 at 10:30am.

"You left us beautiful memories your love is still my guide and though we cannot see you, you're always at our side".

Please bring:

Mother Mory's Ladies Guit

Thursday, December 8, 2022

Keenan Hall-5:00pm Rosary

A potluck dinner will be provided and a short meeting will follow prior to the cookie exchange.

- 3 to 5 dozen (or 1 batch) of your favorite homemade Cookies, Bars, Fudge, Candies, Sweets
 - A Platter/Container to take cookies home.

This is a really fun evening and we look forward to seeing new ladies from our Parish Community



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.

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES 2022 (27 Nov-24 Dec 2022)

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St. Pius X, Jamul	1-Dec-22	7:00pm
Holy Trinity, El Cajon	5-Dec-22	7:00pm
Queen of Angels, Alpine	5-Dec-22	7:00pm
Santa Sophia, Spring Valley	6-Dec-22	7:00pm
St. John of the Cross, Lemon Grove	9-Dec-22	7:00pm
St. Martin of Tours, La Mesa	12-Dec-22	7:00pm
St. Therese, San Diego	13-Dec-22	7:00pm
Guardian Angels, Santee	14-Dec-22	7:00pm
St. Luke, El Cajon	15-Dec-22	7:00pm
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lakeside	19-Dec-22	10:00am
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lakeside	19-Dec-22	7:00pm
Our Lady of Grace, El Cajon	20-Dec-22	7:00pm





December 16, 2022 7:00pm

Dinner will be provided after Mass at no cost, just asking everyone to bring a dessert to share.

Everyone is invited!



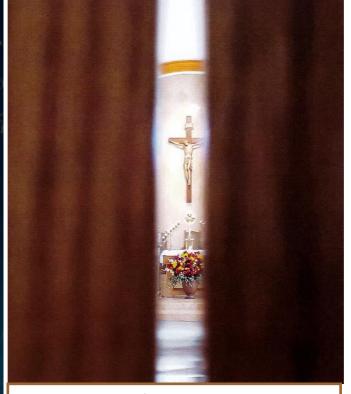


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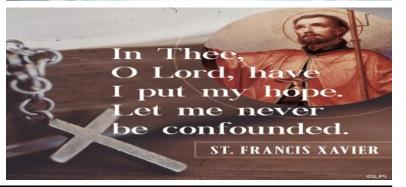


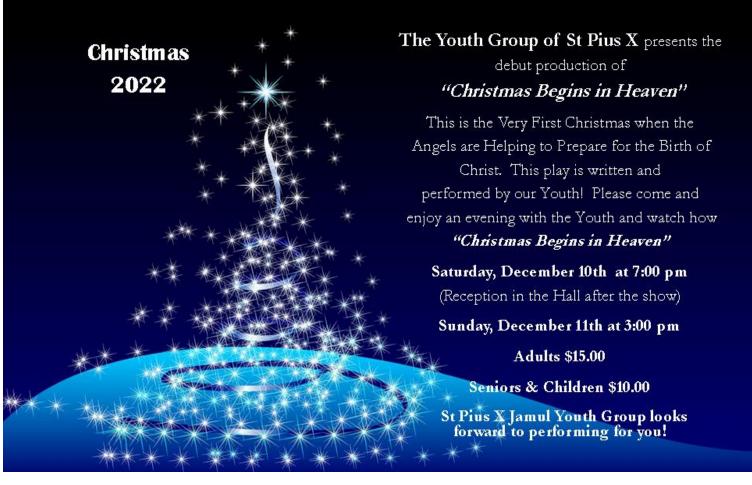
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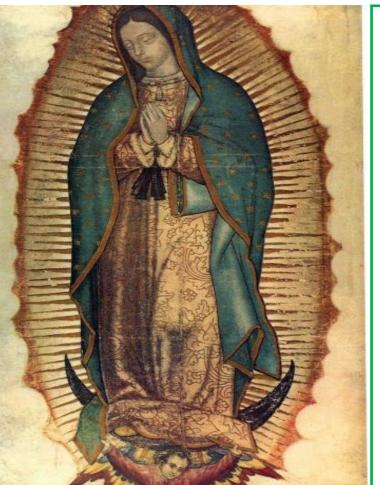
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Our Lady of Guadalupe

VIGIL MASS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11, 10:00PM

MAÑANITAS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 5:00AM

MASS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 6:00AM

(No 7:30am Mass)



St. Pius X Jamul Adult Christmas Party will be held in the Keenan Hall.

Saturday, December 3, 2022

6:00pm Happy Hour 7:00pm Dinner

Followed by an opportunity drawing and dancing. Tickets (non-refundable) can be purchased at the parish office or If you plan on attending, there will be a sign-up sheet located in the vestibule and you can pay at the door on December 3. Signing up is needed to determine how much food must be purchased. Last day to sign up will be November 30.

\$35.00/Couple \$20.00/Single \$15.00/Seniors

There will be a beautiful garden statue of the Blessed Mother with raffle tickets available for \$10.00.