

# St Pius X Catholic Church

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*Rev. Higinio Garcia, Pastor*

## 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)



## 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"Then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. But when these signs begin to happen, stand erect and raise your heads because your redemption is at hand." - Lk 21:27-28

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## 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

## First Sunday of Advent

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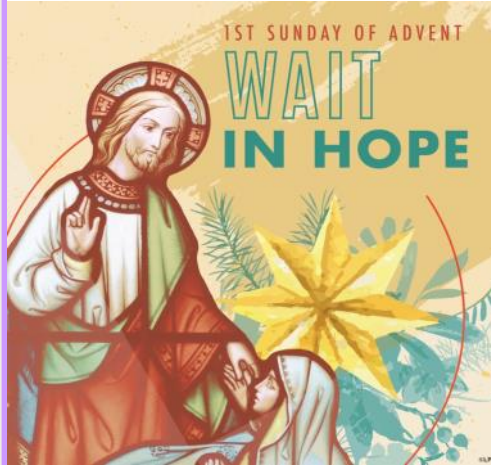
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# Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE



When I was a young priest, about one year after ordination, I was called to the hospital to anoint a dying mother of three young children. She had a painful, terminal cancer. After celebrating Last Rites with her, I said, "Don't be afraid." She looked me square in the eye from her hospital bed and said, "Oh Father, I am in a lot of pain, but I am not afraid. Something wonderful is about to happen." A few days later she died. Christians face the ending of our personal various "worlds" in a totally unique way. This first Sunday of Advent, Jesus says that when people see their world falling apart, they find themselves "fainting with fear and with foreboding of what is coming on the world" (Luke 21:26). In our fear, our natural response is to check out, to hide our heads in drunkenness, distraction, and false securities. But Jesus commands us to "look up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near." He then compares what's coming to a lovely summer in full bloom. That's what the cross and resurrection empower us to do, as strange as it may seem. Advent challenge: What world in your life is collapsing? A relationship, a dream, a work opportunity? Maybe you're troubled by a crumbling world in the political or economic sphere. Or maybe someone you love is seriously ill or dying. Name that world or worlds. Then pray: "Lord, help me to not faint with fear. Help me to raise my head and see your redemption coming." — Father John Muir

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## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

### Remembering Advent

It always makes me laugh a little, these apocalyptic Gospel readings that come at the beginning of Advent. What a funny juxtaposition — all of us stringing twinkle lights and wrapping presents, with Jesus thundering on about the end of the world. It's Christmas! Don't be a downer. Pour me some more eggnog and turn up the Nat King Cole. Well, except it's not Christmas. It's Advent. There's nothing wrong with the cultural accessories that have developed alongside this religious holiday. There's nothing wrong with the twinkle lights and the eggnog. But here's the thing: when Satan knows we're watching the front gate, he slips in the back door. And something I've found is that one back door he likes to use in my life is Cultural Christmas. I love Cultural Christmas. I tend to overdo Cultural Christmas. I overschedule, I overdecorate, I overgift. All this "over" leads to — you guessed it! — overwhelm. "The anxieties of daily life," as Jesus describes in today's Gospel, make my heart drowsy. My *spiritual* Christmas joy, time and time again, is diminished — all because I embrace Cultural Christmas and ignore Advent. Satan sneaks in with the twinkle lights and the Christmas carols and he snatches The Present like the nasty little Grinch he is. He photobombs my experience of the religious holidays with the anxieties I so willingly embrace because of the production that is Cultural Christmas. So, remember to rest this Advent, folks. Rest your heart. Rest your hands. Watch the back door *and* the front. Remember that this is the perfect time to be thinking about the state of your soul and not just the state of your house. (Even though, yes, I know, the guests are coming any minute.)

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## QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

**First Reading:** The prophet Jeremiah speaks of God's promise to save Jerusalem so all can "dwell safely" in the land. Where in your life do you feel the safest?  
**Second Reading:** In preparation for the return of Jesus, Paul prayed that the believers in Thessalonica would love one another and conduct themselves in a way pleasing to God. As we enter the season of Advent, what could you do to actively prepare for the return of Jesus?  
**Gospel:** Jesus forewarns his disciples not to let the daily anxieties of life distract them from the coming day of his return. Who helps you when you are overcome with anxiety?

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THE YEAR OF PRAYER

**HEALING MASS**  
 Next Healing Mass  
 Tuesday, February 19, 2025  
 At 7:00 pm

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

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

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**  
 Every Saturday at 4:00 pm  
 or by Appointment

**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.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**  
 Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month  
 at 6:30pm  
 Contact Olga McInvale at 619.468.9269

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

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

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

Our gratitude to  
*The Knights of Columbus*  
 for the generous donation of  
*Altar flowers for our Parish*  
 for the month of *December 2024*

DOM Jose Olivares reeducation@stpiusxjamul.com  
 Religious Education Office Hours  
 Monday & Tuesday 9:00am–1:00pm  
 Saturday & Sunday 8:00am–2:00pm  
**Faith FORMATION**

**MOTHER MARY'S LADIES GUILD**  
 Meets 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:00pm  
 Contact Ana Knudsen:  
 ana.knudsen@cox.net

**BIBLE STUDY**  
 Meets every Monday at 7:00pm  
 (except on Holiday's)  
 Contact David Block:  
 p620d124@gmail.com

Come and join the men of the parish to make new friends and get to know your brothers in Christ.  
**Men's MINISTRY**  
 Meets First Saturday of the month at 7:30 am–9:00am

**Knights of Columbus**  
 Meets 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm  
 Grand Knight—Joe Leos  
 Deputy Grand Knight—Patrick Galluzzo

*"In the quiet corners of service, women and men religious have dedicated their lives to others. Your donations help us honor their lifelong devotion with the care they so richly deserve."*  
Sister Olivia Bellegante, OSF, 92, center

## Retirement Fund for Religious

Please give to those who have given a lifetime.

**Our aging religious need your help.** Like those pictured here, more than 24,000 senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have dedicated their lives to service—praying, teaching, and caring for those in need—usually, for little to no pay. Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. Your donation is crucial and can help bridge this gap, providing critical support for their essential care, medicine, and daily needs. Please give back to those who have given a lifetime.

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Sister Olivia Bellegante, OSF, 92;  
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# LIFE IS A RIGHT, NOT AN OPTION

**January 18, 2025**  
8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**WALK LED BY**  
**CARDINAL ROBERT W. MCELROY**

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**Ramona Treviño**  
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## THE YEAR OF PRAYER



**Daily Prayer for Vocations**  
*Jesus, Lord of the harvest, Look with love on this portion of your vineyard. Bless the Diocese of San Diego with more priests to shepherd your people, Priests with hearts like your own.*  
*Amen*

**Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.**

Sunday: Pope Francis  
Monday: Cardinal Robert McElroy  
Tuesday: Bishop Ramon Bejarano  
Wednesday: Bishop Michael Pham  
Thursday: Bishop Felipe Pulido  
Friday: Rev. William Dillard  
Saturday: Rev. Minh Do

**Observances for the week of December 01 2024**

Sunday: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent  
Tuesday: St. Francis Xavier, Priest  
Wednesday: St. John Damascene, Priest and Doctor of the Church  
Friday: St. Nicholas, Bishop  
Saturday: St. Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

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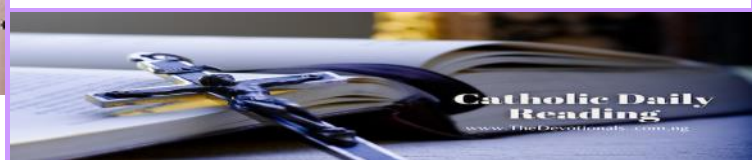


December	01	Sunday	8:30am	For the Parishioners
December	01	Sunday	11:00am	+ John Mc Invale + Jose Medina
December	01	Sunday	12:30pm	+ Rachael Martinez
December	02	Monday		N O M A S S
December	03	Tuesday	7:30am	For the Parishioners
December	04	Wednesday	7:30am	For the Parishioners
December	05	Thursday	9:00am	For the Parishioners
December	06	Friday	7:00pm	+ Jose Medina + Rachael Martinez
December	07	Saturday	9:00 am	For the Parishioners
December	07	Saturday	5:00 pm	For the Parishioners

**WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP**  
**November 24, 2024**

Envelope Giving	\$801.00
Plate Giving	\$1,940.00
Online Giving	\$921.40
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,662.40</b>
<b>Weekly funds needed for church operations</b>	<b>\$5,895.00</b>
<b>Overage/Deficit</b>	<b>-( \$2,232.60)</b>

**LIVE THE LITURGY**  
Jesus tells us to "be vigilant at all times." Advent is a time of watchfulness. Things are moving and shifting and changing — in our souls, in heaven, on earth. It's a time of great consequence. Great trial. Great hope. So, look to Jesus.  
He is coming. ©LPI



**Readings for the December 01, 2024**

Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14 (1b)/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36  
Monday: Is 2:1-5/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 8:5-11  
Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17/Lk 10:21-24  
Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Mt 15:29-37  
Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a/Mt 7:21, 24-27  
Friday: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Mt 9:27-31  
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8

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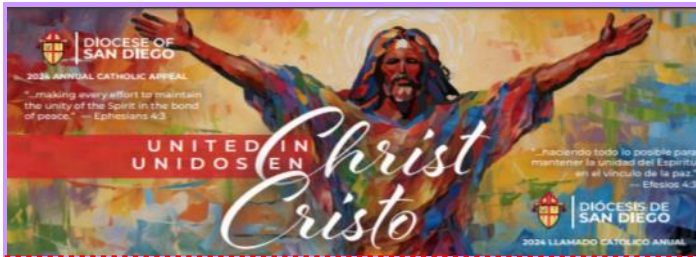
**WHY DO WE DO THAT**  
**Question:** What's the story behind the Advent wreath?  
**Answer:** Each season in the liturgical calendar comes with its own local and regional rituals. During the Advent season, wreathes adorn church sanctuaries and family dining room tables. You may have said Advent wreath prayers in childhood or taken a turn lighting the candles. The Advent wreath is full of symbolism about Christ and his coming at Christmas. The wreath is made of evergreen boughs, reminding us that the life of grace doesn't falter with the changing seasons. It always remains fresh and new. Similarly, a circular wreath reminds us of the eternal, never-ending nature of God's love. Candles remind us that Christ is the light of the world, the One who "shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it." We use four candles to represent each week of Advent. Traditionally they come in the liturgical colors of the season. Purple has historically represented penance and sacrifice. We see the same color for the season of Lent. On the third Sunday of Advent, however, we light a rose color. The priest will wear rose vestments at Mass. This is Gaudete Sunday. *Gaudete* means "rejoice" in Latin. On the third Sunday of Advent, we're roughly halfway through the season. The Church chooses the midpoint to remind us to celebrate in the midst of our anticipation! Whatever the color and whatever the day, the Advent wreath is a beautiful practice to focus our attention on Christ's coming at Christmas.

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**Our Goal: \$34,232.00**

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**DECEMBER/DICIEMBRE**

3<sup>rd</sup> 6:30 PM Youth Meeting in Youth Room  
6<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM Cookie Baking Service Project @St. Lukes'  
10<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM Youth Meeting Caroling?  
13<sup>th</sup> 6:00 PM Bingo  
15<sup>th</sup> 7:30 AM Youth Breakfast  
17<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM Youth Meeting in Youth Room  
22<sup>nd</sup> 8:30 AM Youth Mass/Gift Shop Open  
24<sup>th</sup> 6:30 PM No youth

3 6:30 PM Reunión de jóvenes en el Salón Juvenil  
6 6:30 PM Proyecto de Horneo de Galletas @St. Luke  
10 or 12 6:30 PM Reunión de jóvenes Caroling?  
13 6:00-9:00 PM Recaudación de Fondos Bingo  
15 7:30 AM Desayuno preparado por el grupo de Jóvenes  
17 6:30 PM Reunión de jóvenes en el Salón Juvenil  
22 8:30 AM Misa de Jóvenes/Tienda de regalos abierta  
24 6:30 PM No Reunión de jóvenes

**Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!**

**Feliz Navidad y próspero año nuevo!**

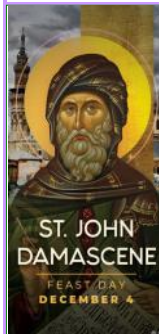
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**YOUTH CALENDAR**

**FALL 2024**



**St. John Damascene Feast Day December 4**

(676 -749) was the son of the chief of the revenue department in the city of Damascus. Through his father, he received a classical and theological education and attempted to follow in his footsteps by serving in a government position. However, the Lord was calling him to a different life, and a few years later he resigned from his position and went to the Monastery of St. Sabas, where he wrote books and composed hymns along with his adopted brother, Cosmas. St. John Damascene is best known for his writings against the iconoclasts, who opposed the veneration of images; his treatise, Exposition of the Orthodox Faith, a summary of the Greek Fathers; and his work as a poet, one of the two greatest of the Eastern Church. His devotion to the Blessed Mother and his sermons on her feasts are well known. ©LPI

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**RESPECTING BOUNDARIES IN MINISTERIAL RELATIONSHIPS—SEXUAL MISCONDUCT**

Preventing - Responding - Reporting

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**ADVENT**



**LOCAL ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES**

Advent 2024	Date	Time
St. John of the Cross, Lemon Grove	Monday, December 2	7:00 PM
St. Martin of Tours, La Mesa	Tuesday, December 3	7:00 PM
St. Pius X, Jamul	Wednesday, December 4	7:00 PM
Queen of Angels, Alpine	Thursday, December 5	7:00 PM
Our Lady of Grace, El Cajon	Monday, December 9	7:00 PM
Santa Sophia, Spring Valley	Tuesday, December 10	7:00 PM
St. Therese, San Diego	Wednesday, December 11	7:00 PM
St. Luke, El Cajon	Thursday, December 12	7:00 PM
Holy Trinity, El Cajon	Friday, December 13	7:00 PM
Guardian Angels, Santee	Monday, December 16	7:00 PM
St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Lakeside/Barona	Tuesday, December 17	7:00 PM
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lakeside	Wednesday, December 18	10:00 AM
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lakeside	Wednesday, December 18	7:00 PM

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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

**In re The Roman Catholic Bishop of San Diego Case No. 24-02202**

**Notice of Deadline for Filing Claims: FEBRUARY 3, 2025**

**YOU MAY HAVE A SEXUAL ABUSE CLAIM OR OTHER CLAIM AGAINST THE DIOCESE OF SAN DIEGO**

On June 17, 2024, The Roman Catholic Bishop of San Diego, sometimes referred to as The Diocese of San Diego (“Debtor”) filed for protection under chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code (the “Bankruptcy Code”).

**If you were sexually abused by any person connected with Debtor, you must file a claim so as to be received by February 3, 2025, or otherwise you will be forever barred, estopped, and enjoined from asserting such claim against the Debtor. Even if you have already filed a lawsuit against Debtor alleging abuse you must still file a claim to maintain and/or preserve your rights.**

**Claims based on acts or omissions of the Debtor that occurred before June 17, 2024, must be filed on or before February 3, 2025, even if such claims are not now fixed, liquidated, or certain or did not mature or become fixed, liquidated, or certain before June 17, 2024.**

For more information on how to obtain and file a proof of claim form and associated documents, please visit <https://www.donlinrecano.com/rcbsd>, or contact Donlin Recano, the Debtor's claims agent, via email at [rcbsdinfo@drc.equiniti.com](mailto:rcbsdinfo@drc.equiniti.com) or by phone at 1-866-521-4424, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern Time), Monday through Friday.

# POSADA

Spanish

You are invited to our traditional  
Christmas Posada

Friday, December 20 at 7:00 pm

Keenan Hall

Enjoy a night of Christmas caroling, a  
delicious dinner, sweets and piñatas

Dinner is free. If you wish to bring  
desserts to share, they  
will be greatly appreciated

*All are invited!*

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\$30 per dozen / por docena

- Pork—red or green
- Puerco—rojos o verdes
- Jalapeño strips w/chese
- Beef—Came

Place your orders using this form, in the office  
or online - Ordene en esta forma, en la oficina  
o por internet.

Sorry, no same day orders

Perdón, no habrá pedidos del mismo día.



Tamale Order/Orden para tamales

Nombre:

Tel:

Email:

Pay at the time of order. Last day to order is December 4.

Pague al tiempo de ordenar. Último día para ordenar es el 4 de Diciembre.

Delivery date/Fecha de entrega 12/08/24 11:00 am—2:00 pm

Tamale/Tamales	Dozen/Docenas	Total
Beef/Res		
Cheese with Jalapeno Strips Rajas con queso		
Pork with green sauce Puerco con salsa verde		
Pork with red sauce Puerco con salsa roja		
		Total enclosed/Total incluido

## OUR LADY of Guadalupe

VIGIL  
Wednesday, December 11  
at 10:00 PM

MASS  
Thursday, December 12  
at 7:00 PM



**Culture of Life Family Services**

## Open House

Saturday  
December 7, 2024  
11 AM - 2 PM

362 W. Mission Avenue Suite 101  
Escondido 92025

Sing carols with  
Canticle Students

**Canticle**

Family Event \* Caroling \* Refreshments  
Craft \* St. Nicholas & Tour the Facility  
Contact Melissa: msanchez@colfs.org

Join us for a festive Open House on Saturday, December 7th!

Bring your loved ones to celebrate the season with caroling, delicious refreshments, and crafts for the whole family. Meet St. Nicholas and enjoy a guided tour of our COLFS facility. We can't wait to celebrate with you!

## IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

### INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN

December 9, Holiday of Obligation  
Mass at 7:00 PM

**Culture of Life Family Services**

JOIN US AT THE CHRISTMAS OF LIGHT AND LIFE!

## Christmas of Light and Life

"Witnesses to HOPE"

LIGHT and LIFE 70x7 MOBILE ULTRASOUND INITIATIVE  
benefiting  
70x7 • Cars For Babies • Adopting Our Local PRCs

We would love to have You Join Us!

Friday, DECEMBER 6, 2024

**ST. THERESE OF CARMEL CHURCH**  
4355 Del Mar Trails Road, San Diego, CA 92130

Celebration of Holy Mass with Auxiliary Bishop Joseph Coffey	4:30 PM
Registration/Social Hour	5:30 PM
Dinner and Silent Auction	6:00 PM
Live Auction	6:30 PM
PRC Partner Updates	7:00 PM
Keynote Presentation and Appeal	7:15 PM
Closing Prayer	8:00 PM

Tickets: \$80 • Early Bird Table for 8: \$600 (by Nov. 16, 2024)

For Updates please visit: [www.kofcbringlight.org](http://www.kofcbringlight.org)

Help the Knights Bring More Light...  
Light and Life will be Providing Funding  
for Two New State-of-the-Art Ultrasound  
Machines for COLFS!

For updates & to purchase tickets please visit: [www.kofcbringlight.org](http://www.kofcbringlight.org)  
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Auxiliary Bishop Joseph Coffey  
KEYNOTE SPEAKER  
Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese  
for the Military Services

Father Chris Tozzi  
HOST of Light and Life  
Pastor, St. Therese of Carmel

Stephen Beusler  
MASTER OF CEREMONIES  
Co-Founder, Light and Life

Pierre Charnasson  
Christmas of Light and Life Benefit  
AUCTIONEER

Greg Anthony  
Christmas of Light and Life  
MASTER OF CEREMONIES  
Co-Founder, Light and Life

## Annual Christmas Party

St. Pius X Adult Christmas Party

Will be held in Keenan Hall

Saturday, December 14, 2024

6:00 pm Happy Hour

7:00 pm Dinner

Followed by opportunity drawing & dancing. MMLG & Knights of Columbus will be hosting. Tickets can be purchased at the parish office, or paid at the door

**\$40 per couple,  
\$25 individual, 20 Seniors**

Please sign up by December 11!  
Must be signed up to pay at the door.

Sign-up sheet in vestibule



# Cookie exchange

## Mother Mary's Ladies Guild

Thursday, December 12, 2024

Keenan Hall-5:00pm Rosary

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

### Please bring:

- 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

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# The Giving TREE

Please take a red card from the tree

Please return the red card and a gift card to the parish office

Thank you for your generosity

God Bless you!



**¡El Arbolito de la Caridad!**

Por favor llévese una tarjetita roja del arbolito

Por favor regrese la tarjetita roja y una tarjeta de regalo a la oficina parroquia!

Muchas gracias por su generosidad

¡Que Dios les bendiga!

## Lighting the Way to Christ

Handog ay Ilaw  
Patungo kay Kristo

# Simbang Gabi



### DIOCESAN VIGIL AND COMMISSIONING MASS

Cardinal Robert McElroy, main celebrant,  
with Auxiliary Bishops Bejarano, Pham and Pulido

**Dec. 14, 2024 • 6:30 p.m.**  
**St. Mary Church**

1170 South Broadway, Escondido  
Everyone is invited to join the Filipino Catholic community for this beautiful celebration that lights the way to the birth of our Savior.

Simbang Gabi Masses begin in many parishes across the diocese starting on Dec. 15.



Schedule of Masses at [sdcatholic.org/simbangabi2024](http://sdcatholic.org/simbangabi2024)