

St Pius X Catholic Church



“Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. He instructed them to take nothing for the Journey but a walking stick—no food, no sack, no money in their belts.” MARK 6:7-8

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Gospel Meditation

ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE



Maybe the work is best left to the professionals. That's how many people view the preaching of the Gospel. That's the stuff priests, religious, deacons, lay ministers, and other professional Church people do. It has little to do with me. Well, that's not really true. The fact of the matter is that preaching the Gospel has everything to do

with you, with all of us who are baptized members of the Body of Christ. Nobody gets off the hook from that job. The question is, however, how do we do it? Well, there's a safe way, which many choose, to preach the Gospel — and the risky way. The safe way pretty much keeps the Gospel in church and around like-minded people. I say my prayers, go to Mass, contribute to the food pantry, tithe, and attend Bible Study. That pretty much covers the bases, right? Wrong. The risky way is the more challenging way and for many, the "road less traveled." Imagine those first disciples going out and into people's homes. They must have had some amazing conversations with folks about God's kingdom, changing their hearts, forgiving sins, and looking at the world differently. They must have met people who were hurting, exiled from their communities, neglected, lost, or living self-insulated lives in a society that served the rich and neglected the poor. While there were many who welcomed what they had to say and the conversations they had, there were others who no doubt rejected them and literally tossed them out on their ears! The Gospel, while being a message of joy and hope, is not always received well by those who are very comfortable keeping things as they are. The risky way involves example and conversation. We have to take the Gospel from church and carry it with us wherever we go. What kinds of conversations do we have with others? We interact with those closest to us, in our work, social circles, institutions, corporations, in politics, and beyond. Our conversations with others reveal a great deal about how we see things and what we consider important. If we are really interested in seeing God's vision for the world succeed, then we will talk about it. It will become a part of our everyday conversation and find its way into our interactions with others. How will we preserve the dignity of human life and encourage others to have a relationship with God? We must be the example, live value centered, virtuous lives, stand against injustice, combating racism, and learn ways to resolve conflicts without violence. If we are going to succeed going forward, we have to find a way to bring our prayer centered lives into the marketplace. Our conversations have to change. Not everyone wants to hear what the Gospel has to say. That's a risk God asks us to take. ©LPi

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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

What We Carry from Town to Town

In my experience, there are two kinds of people: the folks who kick off their shoes the second they walk through the door, and the ones who don't.

People can feel strongly about this on both sides. The main thrust of the Shoes-Off Brigade seems to be this: we track a lot of weird stuff on the soles of our feet. Little reminders of all the places we've been — whether it's a private home or a public bathroom — cling to our shoes long after we leave.

This same theory applies to our spiritual lives. As human beings and as disciples, we visit a lot of figurative towns and pick up a lot of figurative dust. Sinfulness. Shame. Defeat. Anger. Fear. Doubt. No matter how hard we try to keep free of it, these things have a way of attaching themselves to us, sometimes without us even noticing. We need to take a good look at what unhelpful and unconstructive baggage from our past we're tracking into our present and future encounters.

What is the "town" God is asking you to visit today in His name? Is it a tough conversation with a friend, a brief witness to a stranger in the checkout line, a call to be present to someone in your family? Before you go, remember, shake off the dust. Don't let a past disappointment constrain you. Don't allow yesterday's failures or burdens to keep you from the joy of today's witness, whatever form it might take.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



Pope Francis proclaims 2021 Year of St. Joseph

July 2021 MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
ABBREVIATIONS: K of C - Knights of Columbus GOLF - Generations of Living Faith MMLG - Mother Mary's Ladies Guild Ordinary Time Knights of Columbus Breakfast after 8:30am Mass St. Vincent De Paul Sunday	Steubenville July 16-18 tentative * CLOSED * Offices closed for the Independence Day Holiday	K of C Meeting 7:00pm Youth Group 7:00pm Healing Mass 7:00pm	Grupo de Matrimonios 7:30pm-9:00pm Youth Group Beach Night 6:00pm-8:30pm Grupo de Matrimonios 7:30pm-9:00pm Misa de Sanación 7:00pm	Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm MMLG Meeting Keenan Hall 6:00pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm Hora Santa para Mujeres 7:30pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	First Friday Mass 7:00pm Youth Group Bon Fire 6:30pm-8:30pm	First Saturday Mass 9:00am Men's Fellowship 7:30am in person and zoom. Reconciliation 4:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm
Ordinary Time Youth Group Breakfast after 8:00am Mass	Bible Study Join us! 7:00pm Bible Study Join us! 7:00pm Bible Study Join us! 7:00pm	K of C Meeting 7:00pm Youth Group 7:00pm Healing Mass 7:00pm	Grupo de Matrimonios 7:30pm-9:00pm Misa de Sanación 7:00pm Grupo de Matrimonios 7:30pm-9:00pm	Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm MMLG Meeting Keenan Hall 6:00pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm Hora Santa para Mujeres 7:30pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	Youth Group Bon Fire 6:30pm-8:30pm	Men's Fellowship 7:30am in person and zoom. Reconciliation 4:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm
Ordinary Time Hispanic Breakfast After all Masses	Bible Study Join us! 7:00pm Bible Study Join us! 7:00pm Bible Study Join us! 7:00pm	K of C Meeting 7:00pm Youth Group 7:00pm Healing Mass 7:00pm	Grupo de Matrimonios 7:30pm-9:00pm Misa de Sanación 7:00pm Grupo de Matrimonios 7:30pm-9:00pm	Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm MMLG Meeting Keenan Hall 6:00pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm Hora Santa para Mujeres 7:30pm Adoration 8:30am - 5:00pm	Youth Group Bon Fire 6:30pm-8:30pm	Men's Fellowship 7:30am in person and zoom. Reconciliation 4:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm Reconciliation 4:00pm
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WEEKLY STEWARSHIP	
July 04, 2021	
Envelope Giving	\$1,073.00
Plate Giving	\$2,312.17
Online Giving	\$802.05
Total	\$4,187.22
Funds needed a week to meet operations	\$5,000.00
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Knights of Columbus
In person—1st Tuesday
of the month

Bible Study
In person & on Zoom
Every Monday
(except on Holidays)
7:00pm



Youth Group
Meet in person
Tuesdays
7:00pm

Mother Mary
Ladies Guild
Meet in person
1st Thursday
of the month



ADORATION
THURSDAYS
8:30am-5:00pm



THEOLOGY ON TAP IN JULY

All young adults ages 18-39 are invited to a Summer Theology on Tap event on **Thursday, July 29th from 7:00 pm -9:30 pm** at St. Michael parish in Paradise Hills, San Diego, with special guest speaker and Catholic Creative artist Clare McCallan. The cost is \$15 for entry which includes beverages and tacos.

PROTECT THE HYDE AMENDMENT!

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DISCERNING GIFTS: DO I HAVE WHAT IT TAKES? WORKSHOP FOR ALL PARISH MINISTERS – PRESENT & FUTURE

Come and learn more about how you can make a difference in sharing your gift of presence with your parish community on **Thursday, July 22nd** at the Diocesan Pastoral Center Chapel from 6:30 – 9:00 pm. We all have gifts of time, talent and treasure to share charitably and generously with others. Koren and Jessica Ruiz from Stewards of God will prayerfully lead us through a reflection of discerning our gifts. Do I have what it takes? The answer is Yes! Your parish community needs you as we continue the mission of evangelization in our parishes. \$10 donation. To register, please visit our website or call 858-490-8234.

REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE

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



WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Question: What kind of religious practices should we begin, once we marry, to help us practice our faith each day?

Answer: Your spiritual life as a couple is important. The sacrament of Marriage is a gift and a grace, but living it well isn't always easy! It requires intentionality and perseverance. Growing your spiritual life as a couple also requires a plan. Life can be incredibly busy. There's never "enough time" for everything we want to do. But we can live by our priorities. If we don't prioritize prayer, we'll find it slowly disappear from our lives. If you're not already praying individually, that's a good place to start. If your schedules are similar, take some quiet time at the same time to help hold each other accountable. Praying together is also important! You could start by looking at the religious practices of your family and of families around you that you respect. Talk with your spouse about the ones who make the deepest impression on you or were most meaningful when you were young. Think about what you want your future children to experience. Making faith a commitment now will mean it is engrained habit when you grow your family. Ultimately, these faith practices should help us grow in our love for God and for one another. ©LPi

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: The priest Amaziah was threatened by the visions of the Lord received by Amos that warned of Israel's destruction. Amos' defense is that he was chosen by God to prophesy. When has your faith been a threat to others?

Second Reading: Paul speaks of the abundance of blessings we receive from God as believers in Jesus Christ. Paul asserts these blessings make us "holy and without blemish" before God. To whom in your life should you share this message of hope and redemption?

Gospel: During his public ministry, Jesus commissioned the Twelve Apostles to evangelize by preaching repentance and healing the sick and demon possessed. What do you see as effective tools for evangelization today?



LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

God calls us to bring His Word to all corners of the earth. What does that mean for you and me? We are just simple and humble folks trying to find our way through the Gospel and our world. After all, we are not professional preachers but gentle servants. Jesus summons us to take his message on the road and bring it from the pew to the pavement. We cannot keep the joy of the Gospel to ourselves but must bring it into every aspect of our lives: our families, our schools, our work, our corporations, our politics, our social circles, and our philosophies. We cannot just accept the wisdom of the world as true and conduct our lives as if the Good News is a separate matter. They are one. Jesus never asked his friends to go and construct buildings where people could come to hear the truth. He asked them to go to their homes and meet them one on one, face to face. When the rubber meets the road and the message is challenging, rejection is quite possible. That's the litmus test for whether we're really doing what we have been asked. ©LPi

11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sunday Masses 8:30am 11:00am 12:30pm (Spanish)	Bible Study 7:00pm	Daily Mass 7:30am Youth Group 7:00pm	Daily Mass 7:30am	Daily Mass 7:30am Adoration 8:30am-5:00pm	Daily Mass 7:30am	Sunday Vigil 5:00pm
Please pray for: Rev. Peter Vu Lam	Please pray for: Rev. Bernardo Lara	Please pray for: Rev. Steven Larion	Please pray for: Rev. Martin Latiff, MC	Please pray for: Rev. Benjamin Le, SJ	Please pray for: Rev. Msgr. Roger Lechner	Please pray for: Rev. Gerard Lecomte, CJM
Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/Eph 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13	Ex 1:8-14, 22/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/Mt 10:34-11:1	Ex 2:1-15a/Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34/Mt 11:20-24	Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7/Mt 11:25-27	Ex 3:13-20/Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27/Mt 11:28-30	Ex 11:10-12:14/Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18/Mt 12:1-8	Ex 12:37-42/Ps 136:1 /Mt 12:14-21

MASS Intentions

Date	Day	Time	Intention
Jul 11	Sun	8:30am	+Eloisa Mascarenas
Jul 11	Sun	11:00am	+Jim Altomare
Jul 11	Sun	12:30pm	+Teresa Marcial
Jul 12	Mon		NO MASS
Jul 13	Tues	7:30am	(SI) Tom Mascarena & Family
Jul 14	Wed	7:30am	+Jay Reed
Jul 15	Thur	7:30am	For the Parishioners
Jul 16	Fri	7:30am	(SI) Jessie & Calvin Weddle
Jul 17	Sat	5:00pm	For the Parishioners



Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them. - Mk 6:7, 13

Observances for the week of July 11, 2021

Tuesday:	St. Henry
Wednesday:	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin
Thursday:	St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Friday:	Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Saturday:	BVM



July

14th(Wed.) **Beach Night/BBQ @ La Jolla Shores 6 -8:30 p.m. 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)

16-18th Steubenville Youth Conference (Location TBD) ALTERNATIVE TENTATIVE DATE

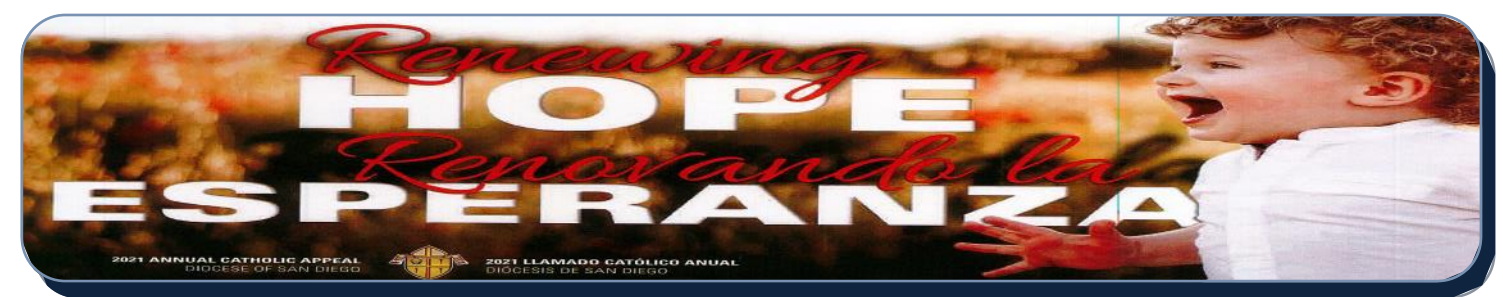
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