PASTOR/PÁRROCO/ CHÁNH XÚ

Rev. Dickens Remy

ASSOCIATE PASTOR/PASTOR ASOCIADO/PHÓ XÚ

Rev. Phien Van Pham

ENGLISH MASS

Monday-Saturday: 7:30 am Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm Sunday 7:30 am & 10:30 am

CONFESSIONS

3:00pm-4:00pm (located in the corner room in the back of the church)

MISA EN ESPANOL

Domingo 12:00pm & 5:00pm

Miércoles: 6:30pm

RECONCILIACION

Miércoles: 6:00pm (ubicado en la sala de la esquina en la parte trasera de la iglesia)

THÁNH LỄ CHIỀU THỨ BẦY

6:15 Pm

Thánh lễ chúa nhật: 9:00 Am

Thứ hai-thứ bẩy: 7:30 Am (tiếng anh)

Thứ năm: thánh lễ việt nam 6:30 Pm (thánh lễ kính lòng chúa thương xót)

Thứ sáu: thánh lễ việt nam 6:30 Pm

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XUNG TỘI THỨ BẦY

3:00 Pm-4:00 pm (tiếng anh) nằm trong căn phòng góc phía sau nhà thờ

OFFICE HOURS/ HORAS DE LA OFICINA/ GIÒ HÀNH CHÍNH

Monday/Lunes - Thursday/ Jueves: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Closed/Cerrado: 12:00-1:00 pm



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September 24, 2023



TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Seek the LORD while he may be found, call him while he is near. Let the scoundrel forsake his way, and the wicked his thoughts; let him turn to the LORD for mercy; to our God, who is generous in forgiving."

Is 55:6-7

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WEEKLY PRAYER

Sunday Readings



Reading 1: Is 55:6-9

"As high as the heavens are above the earth, so high are my ways above your ways and my thoughts above your thoughts."

Reading 2: Phil 1:20c-24, 27a

"Christ will be magnified in my body, whether by life or by death. For to me life is Christ, and death is gain."

Gospel: Mt 20:1-16a

"Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last."

Mass Intentions/Intenciones de Misa				
Saturday	Sept 23rd	4:30 pm – Miguel, Connie & Mike Sistos +		
Sunday	Sept 24th	7:30 am – Ruth Alferos- Birthday Int.		
Sunday	Sept 24th	9:00 am – Vietnamese Community		
Sunday	Sept 24th	10:30 am – Ignazio Busalacchi +		
Sunday	Sept 24th	12:00 pm – Fr. Henry Rodriguez +		
Monday	Sept 25th	7:30 am – Paul Borja +		
Tuesday	Sept 26th	7:30 am – Mary Ann Wilmoski +		
Wednesday	Sept 27th	7:30 am – Jose Borja Sr. +		
Thursday	Sept 28th	7:30 am – Boon-Ma Kong-u-ta +		
Friday	Sept 29th	7:30 am – Fr. Doan Van Lai +		
Saturday	Sept 30th	7:30 am – Mikki Garrido +		

Prayer Corner

~ Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel ~

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

~ Prayer to Saint Gabriel the Archangel ~

O blessed Archangel Gabriel, we beseech thee, do thou intercede for us at the throne of divine mercy in our present necessities, that as thou didst announce to Mary the mystery of the Incarnation, so through thy prayers and patronage in heaven we may obtain the benefits of the same, and sing the praise of God forever in the land of the living.

Amen.

~ Prayer to Saint Raphael the Archangel ~

O God who in Thy ineffable goodness hast rendered blessed Raphael the conductor of thy faithful in their journeys, we humbly implore Thee that we remember that it is never too may be conducted by him in the way of salvation, and experience his help in the maladies of our souls. Through Jesus Christ, Our Lord.

Amen.



WELCOME TO HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH!

We invite you to participate, share your talents, and register. Look to page five for information about registering.

Readings for the Week

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Lk 8:16-18

Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Lk Tuesday:

8:19-21

Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6 Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Jn 1:47-51 Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Lk 9:43b-

45

Saintly Feasts this Week

- Saint Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs Sept 26
- Saint Vincent De Paul, Priest Sept 27
- Saint Wenceslaus, Martyr Sept 28
- Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs - Sept 28
- Saints Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael Archangels - Sept 29
- Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church - Sept 30

Learn How to Pray the Rosary

The saying "Practice how you play" does not just apply to sports and academics but also to the life of a Catholic. One of the most important aspects of our faith is praying the rosary. Learning to meditate on the mysteries by understanding how

they relate to Jesus' timeline will help us create a more fruitful encounter with God with each bead we touch. So late to practice how to pray! Scan the code to learn today.



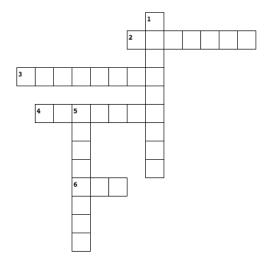
CATHOLIC FUN CORNER



Word Bank

1. forgiving				
5. first				
9. death				
13. landowner				
17. labor				

- 2. lord 6. wicked 10. life
- 14. wage 18. last
- 3. gain 7. flesh
- 11. mercy
- 15. heavens 19. disciples
- 4. forsake 8. laborers
- 12. fruitful
- 16. magnified 20. thoughts

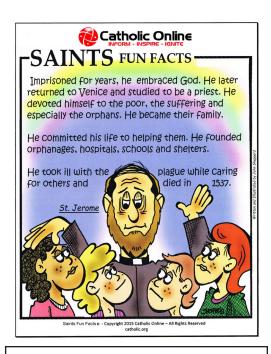


Across

- 2. A person that works
- 3. Where food grows
- 4. Book from the Gospel
- 6. The creator

Down

- 1. Person with land
- 5. What happens in the brain



POPE SAINT JOHN PAUL II'S CORNER/ RINCÓN DEL PAPA SAN JUAN PABLO II

"True holiness does not mean a flight from the world; rather, it lies in the effort to incarnate the Gospel in everyday life, in the family, at school and at work, and in social and political involvement."



"La verdadera santidad no significa huir del mundo; más bien, reside en el esfuerzo por encarnar el Evangelio en la vida cotidiana, en la familia, en la escuela y en el trabajo, y en la implicación social y política."



PLEASE CONTACT LINDA IN THE OFFICE.

PARISH COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hispanic Heritage Month in the U.S.

Happy National Hispanic Heritage Month! During this month, our nation celebrates the accomplishments and contributions of Hispanics and Latinos. From September 15 to October 15 we recognized the working hands, innovative minds, and creative hearts that improved all industries. Inventions like the world's first U.S. patent for a color television system, electronic translating gloves, and nachos are just some of the major contributions that improved our quality of life in the U.S. Despite these successes, this demographic simultaneously has a history of experiencing racial prejudice. Words like "Speak English", the stripping of children and youths during the Zoot Suit Riots of 1943, about 2 million forced deportations in the 1920s-30s, and the segregation in schools (Mendez v. Westminster Re-Enactment) are just some of the ways our nation used to tolerate discrimination based on race and ethnicity. This is the reason Hispanic Heritage Month reminds us to treat each other with the love that God treats his children no matter their origins. We honor the good to combat the evil of the past and the prejudice that still hides under the tongues of neighbors, maybe our own families, and the minds of people still clouded by hatred. Let us celebrate this month with the good things Hispanic and Latino icons have created!

Rosary For Peace

The 15 th Annual Rosary for Peace will be on Sunday Oct 8th at 2:00 in the Church. We will be praying for peace in our hearts, families, communities, nation, and the world. Come join your fellow parishioners for sacred children dances honoring our Blessed Mother, Crowning of the Blessed Mother, procession, Rosary in 3 languages and hymns, and Benediction. If you have any questions, please call Andy at (619) 919-5363. See you all there.

Coffee and Donuts



The Vietnamese Parent Group will be selling toasty hot coffee and scrumcious donuts in the hall from 7:30am-2:00pm on Sunday the 24th. Come support and grab a bite to eat for parish fellowship and community!

Place Your Announcement in the Bulletin!

Our bulletin is looking for content that features unqiue aspects of our parish or around the Diocese of San Diego. To add your annoucement or event, text the bulletin editor at (619)-710-9179 or email rosiep1399@gmail.com before Wednesdays at 11:59pm. Please provide all text and graphics.

Space is limited on a first come first serve basis and no guarantees.

PARISH FINANCIAL CORNER

Offerings (Cash/Check-Weekend of September 16 & 17, 2023): \$ 9,587

Other Income Sources (Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals, Candles, etc): \$ 430

Online Giving (Debit/Credit Card-Week of September 10 thru September 16, 2023): \$ 291.25

Total Contributions: \$ 10,308.25

Scan the code to donate to Holy Spirit through our website. Thank you for your generosity!



Who is Nicholas Dunn?

Last weekend, Nicholas Dunn debuted on our bulletin as the new seminarian at Holy Spirit. Get to know more about Nicholas and his journey to the priesthood below:



"Hello! My name is Nicholas Dunn, and I'm very excited to join the Holy Spirit Parish community for Mass and fellowship this fall! I am twenty-one years old and a seminarian studying to become a priest here in the

Diocese of San Diego. As part of that study, we are sent to different parishes in the Diocese every year to get to know the people of the Diocese and for them to get to know us. This year, the Rector assigned me to Holy Spirit until the middle of December and then to a different parish after Christmas. I will be at two or three different Masses each weekend, so hopefully, I can meet everyone!

Despite being born in Orange County, I consider myself a San Diego native since I have spent most of my life in Oceanside. I am the oldest of six children. I began discerning the call to the priesthood during High School and realized that my life needed a real purpose. After much discernment, I applied and was accepted to the Seminary here in San Diego in 2021. I am now entering my third year as a seminarian, and God-willing, I expect to be ordained in 2027."

Independence Festival Highlights

A Mexican Independence Day festival was hosted by our Hispanic Community last Sunday in our parish parking lot. Days before the event parishioners took time after work and school to set up everything from food stations, to sound systems, and decorations such as the colorful tissue paper known as "papel picado". The day of the event was even busier as supporting families rushed to buy food after the Sunday masses. The food included enchiladas, crepes, quesabirrias, pozole, ice cream, tacos, nachos with meat, and much more. Performances from singers and dancers came to represent the artistic stylings of the Mexican culture as parishioners enjoyed their meals. Thank you to everyone who supported our festival and a special thank you to our Hispanic community for organizing yet again another great parish event! Continue reading our bulletin for upcoming events at Holy Spirit.:)

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Volunteer Opportunities

1. Holy Spirit Youth Group is searching for motivated Catholics to join their team to help prepare our Youth to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation!



Work Experience/Skills Acquired

- prepare class lectures
- management and leadership skills
- engage in public speaking (optional)
- organize fundraising events
- plan a retreat to Whispering Winds in Julian, CA
- communications and digital media initiatives
- -more

If interested please contact Tania Vidal (619)-905-6158 or Alma Casillas (619)-245-1978. No experience necessary!

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

There will not be RCIA classes for Monday September 25th or Oct 2nd. We look forward to resuming classes on Oct.9th. at 7:00pm. Please call the Parish office for assistance. Thank You!

Annual Catholic Appeal

social outreach programs.

Our 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal Assessment is \$18,000. Your contribution to this Diocesan Appeal helps provide assistance for Catholic Education, FaithFormation, Catholic Charities, and support for our retired Priests & Seminarians in the Diocese as well as many other

With your assistance, our parish will meet the goal and perhaps even surpass it. If you haven't already made a contribution to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal, you are strongly encouraged to contribute before December 31, 2023. Any overage paid will return to help the parish cover other expenses. We thank you in advance for your support.

- 2. Religious Education at Holy Spirit is taking volunteers to assist them in preparing children. grades 2 to 6, for the Sacrament of First Communion.! If you are looking for an opportunity to growth in your faith and instruct the fundamentals of the church's teachings, then this role is for you.
 - Training + materials given
- Gain teaching experience Please contact Mrs. Elodia at (619)-322-7332

Devotions/Oraciones

Our Mother of Perpetual Help (English) Every Tuesday after 7:30am Morning Mass in the

Church

Divine Mercy (Trilingual-English, Spanish, & Vietnamese) The Last Sunday of Every Month at 2:30PM Inside the Church

Devoción al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús (español) Todos los miércoles después de la misa en la tarde de las 6:30 p.m. en la iglesia

Adoration Chapel/ Horario De la Capilla De Adoración

7:30a.m.-10:00a.m. 7 days a week/7 días a la semana



Daily Prayer For Priests

O Jesus,
I pray for your faithful and fervent priests;
For your unfaithful and tepid priests;
For your priests laboring at home or
abroad in distant mission fields.
For your tempted priests;
For your lonely and desolate priests;
For your young nicests; For your lonely and desolate priests;
For your young priests;
For your young priests;
For your dying priests;
For the souls of your priests in Purgatory.
But above all, I recommend to you
the priests dearest to me:
The priests who baptized me;
The priests who absolved me from my sins;
The priests whose Masses I assisted and who gave me
Your Body and Blood in Holy Communion;
The priests who taught and instructed me;
All the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way
(especially. (especially......).
O Jesus, keep them all close to your heart,
And bless them abundantly in time and in Eternity.
Amen By St. Therese of Lisieux

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." (1 Thess. 5:12, 13, NIV)

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

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September 2023						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Pope Francis	2 Cardinal Robert McElroy
3 Bishop Ramon Bejarano	4 Bishop-Elect Michael Pham	5 Bishop-Elect Felipe Pulido	6 Rev. Andres Ernesto Torres, CJM	7 Rev. Christopher Tozzi	8 Rev. Michael Tran	9 Rev. Corey Tufford
10 Rev. Gerard Tully, C.S.P.	11 Rev. Matthias Tumulty, OFM	12 Rev. Edwin Tutor	13 Rev. Derek Twilliger	14 Rev. Ulysses Ubalde	15 Rev. Bethrand Ujunwa	16 Rev. Jose Arturo Uribe
17 Rev. Danilo Valdepenas	18 Rev. Jesus Valenzuela Alcantar, FSSP	19 Rev. Matthew Vasquez	20 Rev. Albino Vecina, CRSP	21 Rev. Romeo Velos	22 Rev. Nelson Vencilao	23 Rev. Thomas Verber, OSA
24 Rev. Mario Vesga	25 Rev. Manuel Villareal	26 Rev. Maxime Villenueve, OSA	27 Rev. Cávana Wallace	28 Rev. Raymundus Wea, SVD	29 Rev. Robert White	30 Rev. Michael White, CSSp

PARISH RESOURCES

Sacraments and Ministries/ Sacramentos y Ministerios

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Sacrament of Baptism	Patty Sierra (619) 850-6109
Sacrament of Holy Eucharist/First Communion	(619) 262-2435 ext. 210
Sacrament of Reconciliation	(619)-262-2435 or Saturdays at 3:00pm
Sacrament of Confirmation	Tania Vidal (619) 905-6158
Sacrament of Marriage	(619) 262-2435
Quinceañeras	Patty Sierra (619) 850-6109
Educacion Religiosa	Erica Manjarrez (619)-957-5937
RICA y BibliaIgnacio Echeveria (619)	900-8986 y Jesus Cabrera (619) 408-7079
Monaguillos	Alma Gastelum (619) 787-1188
Encuentros de Conversion	Jesus Lopez (619) 977-4268
Matrimonios	(619) 384-8460 o (619) 382-5771
Vietnamese Religious Education	Mr. Lee Do (619)-261-5556
RCIA	Steve Coram1-(858)-566-3993

Reporting Abuse/Denunciar Abuso

If you or someone you know has been a victim of harassment or sexual abuse by a priest or staff member please call (858) 490-8353 or email misconduct@sdcatholic.org for help. For more information on this matter: safeinourdiocese.org/.

Si usted o alguien que conoce ha sido víctima de acoso o abuso sexual por parte de un sacerdote o miembro del personal, llame al (858) 490-8353 o envíe un correo electrónico a misconduct@sdcatholic.org para obtener ayuda. Para más información sobre este asunto: safeinourdiocese.org/.

Join our parish today by registering in the Office or online: holyspiritsd.org/join-our-parish/.

Anointing of the Sick

In case of an emergency, please call 619-952-5963 or email linda@holyspiritsd.org, please provide your name, and phone number, and the reason for your call. If you are at the hospital, please call the Chaplain on site for anointing.

Unción De Los Enfermos

En caso de emergencia, llame a 619-952-5963 o envíe un correo electrónico a linda@ holyspiritsd.org, proporcione

su nombre, número de teléfono y el motivo de su llamada. Si está en el hospital, llame al Capellán en el lugar para la unción.

LET'S CATCH UP WITH OUR DIOCESE!



DATE

October 8th

1:00-3:00 PM

LOCATION

Diocese of San Diego Pastoral Center 3888 Paducah Drive San Diego, CA 92117

ACTIVITIES

- -Family-friendly with activities for kids! -Each family gets a milkweed plant to take home
- -Ecological education booths
- -Tree blessing at 2PM

REGISTRATION

bit.ly/FOSF23



40 Days for Life, Fall Campaign— Message from the Diocese

"The Catholic Community from the Diocese of San Diego joins millions of people around the world to pray and fast during the 40 Days for Life, Fall Campaign. This campaign is a continuous peaceful prayer vigil for 40 days in front of abortion facilities with the aim to provide recourses to pregnant women in crisis and save babies from abortion.

WHO PARTICIPATES

Courageous people who believe in the value of life and the value of family, such as pastors, priests, deacons, Culture of Life Parish Coordinators and their team members, and advocates of life.

WAYS TO PARTICIPATE

Sign up for vigil hours by visiting your local location. Invite parishioners, friends and family member to sign up for vigil hours. Promote the 40 Days for Life in social media. Offer the Mass, rosary and sacrifices during the campaign for all mothers and their unborn children.

There are seven praying locations in San Diego."

For a list of prayer locations and more: sdcatholic.org/event/40-days-for-life-campaign/.

REFLECT THROUGH THE GOSPEL

This weekend marks the Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time and in the Gospel, we contemplate the saying, "the last will be first, and the first will be last." The Book of Matthew tells us the story of a landowner who went in search of laborers to tend to his vineyard. He hired many at different times of the day depending on when he would find them. When the time came to give them their wages, the laborers who worked since the early hours complained about receiving the same wage as those who worked for a shorter amount of time and not in the hot sun. The landowner then replied, "My friend, I am not cheating you. Did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage?" and "Are you envious because I am generous?' Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last." What does this mean as it applies to our daily lives? The phrase calls to one of the seven deadly sins known as envy. To be envious is to be jealous of, covet, or desire something vou do not have. We are instructed to not covet our neighbor's belongings in the commandments because by doing so we are focused on the material possessions that distract us from a virtuous life. That life is to be centered on God and the good works we can do to reflect his love. Envy has been found to be the destruction of goodness within humans through history and the biblical story of Cain and Able. God calls us to combat envy with the virtue of charity which can be shown through generosity and servitude. Being a servant to others means putting ourselves last as Jesus Christ put himself humbly last through miracles, washing the disciple's feet, and laying his life down for us. This parable reminds us to put ourselves last so that we may be first in the eyes of God. God Bless!



Mt 20:1-16a

Este fin de semana se celebra el Vigésimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario y en el Evangelio contemplamos el dicho: "los últimos serán los primeros, y los primeros serán los últimos". El Libro de Mateo nos cuenta la historia de un terrateniente que fue en busca de trabajadores para cuidar su viña. Contrató a muchos en diferentes momentos del día dependiendo de cuándo los encontraría. Cuando llegó el momento de darles su salario, los trabajadores que trabajaban desde tempranas horas se quejaron de recibir el mismo salario que los que trabajaron por menos tiempo y no bajo el sol abrasador. El terrateniente respondió entonces: "Amigo mío, no te estoy engañando. ¿No estuvo de acuerdo conmigo en el salario diario habitual? y "¿Tienes envidia porque soy generoso?". Así, los últimos serán los primeros y los primeros serán los últimos". ¿Qué significa esto en lo que se refiere a nuestra vida diaria? La frase invoca uno de los siete pecados capitales conocidos como envidia. Tener envidia es tener celos, codiciar o desear algo que no se tiene. En los mandamientos se nos instruye a no codiciar las pertenencias de nuestro prójimo porque al hacerlo nos centramos en las posesiones materiales que nos distraen de una vida virtuosa. Esa vida debe estar centrada en Dios y en las buenas obras que podemos hacer para reflejar su amor. Se ha descubierto que la envidia es la destrucción de la bondad dentro de los humanos a través de la historia y la historia bíblica de Caín y Able. Dios nos llama a combatir la envidia con la virtud de la caridad que se puede demostrar a través de la generosidad y la servidumbre. Ser siervo de los demás significa ponernos en último lugar, como Jesucristo se puso humildemente en último lugar mediante los milagros, lavando los pies del discípulo y dando su vida por nosotros. Esta parábola nos recuerda que debemos ponernos en último lugar para poder ser los primeros a los ojos de Dios. ¡Dios los bendiga!