

**PASTOR/PÁRROCO/
CHÁNH XƯ**

Rev. Dickens Remy

**ASSOCIATE PASTOR/PASTOR
ASOCIADO/PHÓ XƯ**

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 BẢY

6:15 Pm

Thánh lễ chúa nhật:
9:00 Am

Thứ hai-thứ bảy:
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

XÙNG TỘI THỨ BẢY

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

**OFFICE HOURS/
HORAS DE LA OFICINA/ GIỜ
HÀNH CHÍNH**

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

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

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

IGLESIA CATOLICA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO | GIÁO XỨ CHÚA THÁNH LINH

2725 55th Street, San Diego, CA 92105

December 24, 2023



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT /CHRISTMAS EVE

“The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. Therefore the child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God.”

- From the Gospel of Lk 1:26-38 -

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WEEKLY PRAYER

Sunday Readings

Reading 1: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16

“It was I who took you from the pasture and from the care of the flock “to be commander of my people Israel. I have been with you wherever you went, and I have destroyed all your enemies before you.”

Reading 2: Rom 16:25-27

“To him who can strengthen you, according to my gospel and the proclamation of Jesus Christ-”

Gospel: Lk 1:26-38

“Mary said, “Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word.”



WELCOME TO HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH!

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

Mass Intentions/Intenciones de Misa

Saturday	December 23rd	4:30 pm – Miguel, Connie & Dennis Sisto +
Sunday	December 24th	7:30 am – Ismael Garrido +
Sunday	December 24th	9:00 am – Vietnamese Community
Sunday	December 24th	10:30 am – Ricardo & Francisco Alferos +
Sunday	December 24th	12:00 pm – Jose Veano – Special Intention
Monday	December 25th	7:30 am – Paul Borja + 9:00 am- Vietnamese Community 10:30 Peggy Barragan – Special Intention 12:00 Ethan Gomez – Special Intention
Tuesday	December 26th	7:30 am – Josie Galvez +
Wednesday	December 27th	7:30 am – Guadalupe Ogo + Jose Sanchez +
Thursday	December 28th	7:30 am- Maria & Luis Garrido +
Friday	December 29th	7:30 am Holy Spirit Community
Saturday	December 30th	7:30 am - Holy Spirit Community

Readings for the Week

Monday	Is 52:7-10; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18
Tuesday	Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Mt 10:17-22
Wednesday	1 Jn 1:1-4; Jn 20:1a and 2-8
Thursday	1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Mt 2:13-18
Friday	1 Jn 2:3-11; Lk 2:22-35
Saturday	1 Jn 2:12-17; Lk 2:36-40

Saintly Feasts of the Week

Dec. 26

Saint Stephen, the First Martyr

Dec. 27

Saint John the Apostle and Evangelist

Dec. 28

Holy Innocents, Martyrs

Dec. 29

Saint Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr



Prayer Corner

Christmas Prayer - Pope Saint John Paul

“And you, Mary, the Virgin of expectation and fulfilment, who hold the secret of Christmas, make us able to recognize in the Child whom you hold in your arms the heralded Saviour, who brings hope and peace to all. With you we worship him and trustingly say: we need You, Redeemer of man, You who know the hopes and fears of our hearts. Come and stay with us, Lord! May the joy of your Nativity reach to the farthest ends of the universe!”

*“God never tires of reaching out to man; even if he often encounters an attitude of misunderstanding and diffidence, if not of “obstinate opposition”
- Pope Benedict XVI*

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Merry Christmas

On Monday morning, the savior of mankind will be born and millions over the world will sing and rejoice because of the gift from heaven. We can light our last purple candle to conclude the Advent season, called the “Angel’s Candle”, symbolizing love. This candle represents the love of God by sending his only son to save all from sin. The theme of love can be seen in the homes of many this weekend as we will be surrounded by loved ones, hopefully unplugging from our busy lives, and expressing gratitude for one other. The significance of family gatherings goes far back to a town in Bethlehem where the holy family welcomed their firstborn son. Mary and Joseph of Nazareth loved God so immensely that they cast their doubts aside to complete his will even if the plan was filled with uncertainties. If you think about it, God’s plan would have sounded insane to a couple in this generation. That is what makes Saint Joseph and Mother Mary so special and is the reason we ask for their intercession as Catholics. Joseph married a pregnant virgin and led his family to Bethlehem, “When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home.” (Matt 1:24) Mary accepted that the Holy Spirit made it possible for her to conceive and even birthed in the most humbling of circumstances, “She wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger because there was no room for them in the inn.” (Lk 2:7) Love requires sacrifice and in their case, a sacrifice of the familiar for the unknown. The holy family reminds us that we too should live with unwavering faith in God when we are called to perform difficult tasks. Confronting such tasks is possible when we follow the ways of the Advent wreath by upholding God’s examples of Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love. If a reason is ever needed for why we must keep Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love in our hearts, then let Mary and Joseph’s story be that reason. Let the new season bring us much happiness as we learn to place our trust in God’s hands. Rejoice and sing Hallelujah for the light of the world has arrived. Merry Christmas!

Coffee and Donuts Announcement

There will be NO Coffee and Donuts Sale this Sunday because it falls on Christmas Eve. Thank you and we will see you at the next sale in 2024!



Musicians who serve the church at prayer are not merely employees or volunteers. They are ministers who share the faith, serve the community, and express the love of God and neighbor through music. (49, Sing to the Lord, Music in Divine Worship)

HOLY SPIRIT MUSIC MINISTRY NEEDS ACCOMPANISTS

Do you read music? Are you looking for a way to use your gifts in service to the parish?

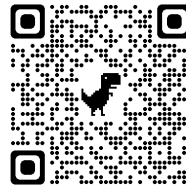
Pianists are needed to help cover our Masses, especially on weekends. Our current ministers will train and mentor all those interested in becoming a part of this vital ministry. Please see any of our music group leaders or call the parish office at 619-262-2435.

PARISH FINANCIAL CORNER

Offerings (Cash/Check): \$8,195

Other Income Sources (Baptisms, Candles, Funerals, and Marriages): \$ 1,048

Online Giving (Debit/Credit Card &



Bank Account-December 10 through December 16, 2023): \$ 248.69

Total Offerings for the Parish:
\$9,491.69



Christmas Eve Mass Times (Sunday, December 24, 2023)

Regular Sunday Mass Schedule

La Vigilia de Navidad (Domingo, el 24 de diciembre de 2023)
Horario Normal Dominical

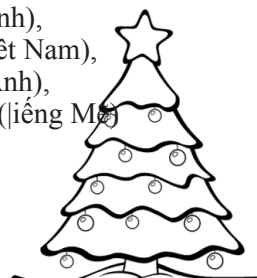
Thánh Lễ Đêm Vọng Giáng Sinh
Chúa Nhật,
ngày 24 tháng 12 năm 2023
Chương Trình Thánh Lễ Chúa Nhật
như Thường Lễ

Christmas Day Mass Times (Monday, December 25, 2023)

7:30 am (English), 9:00 am (Vietnamese),
10:30 am (English)
12:00 pm (Spanish)

La Natividad del Señor
(Lunes, el 25 de diciembre de 2023)
7:30 am (Inglés), 9:00 am (Vietnamita),
10:30 am (Inglés),
12:00 pm (Español)

Thánh Lễ Giáng Sinh
thứ 2, ngày 25 tháng 12 năm 2023
7 giờ 30 sáng (Tiếng Anh),
9 giờ 00 sáng (Thánh Lễ Việt Nam),
10 giờ 30 sáng (Tiếng Anh),
12 giờ 00 trưa và 5 giờ chiều (Tiếng Anh)



PARISH RESOURCES

FUN CORNER

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Ally	Angel	Bethlehem	Bows	Candles	Cards	Carols
Chimney	Christie	christmas	Coal	Dancer	Dancing	Dasher
Debbie	December	Decoration	Eggnog	Elves	Faith	Flo
Garland	Gingerbread	Grinch	Holiday	Holly	Hope	Icicles
Jolly	Kringle	Liz	Mistletoe	Nativity	noel	Nutcrackers
Ornament	Poinsettia	Prancer	Reindeer	Santa	Scrooge	Silver bells
Sleigh	Snowman	star	Stockings	Three Kings	Tinsel	Toys
tree	Trimings	Vacation	Vixen	Wise Men	Workshop	wreath

Place Your Announcement in the Bulletin!

Our bulletin is looking for content that features unique aspects of our parish or around the Diocese of San Diego. To add your announcement 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.



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



Sacraments and Ministries/ Sacramentos y Ministerios

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 Biblia.....	Ignacio 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 Coram 1-(858)-566-3993
Knights of Columbus.....	Duc Tran (858)-414-0898

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@sdccatholic.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@sdccatholic.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.

