

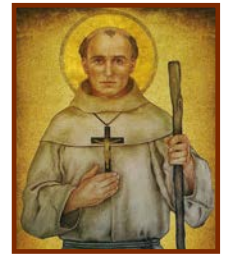
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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

5:30 p.m. Saturday— Congregational Singing
 7:00 a.m.
 8:00 a.m. Congregational Singing
 9:00 a.m. Folk Music in St. Francis Chapel
 10:00 a.m. Congregational Singing
 11:00 a.m. Congregational Singing
 11:00 a.m. Spanish in St. Francis Chapel
 12:00 noon Mission Choir
 5.30 p.m. Congregational Singing

WEEKDAY MASSES: 7:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 & 6:30 p.m.,
 or by appointment, please call the Parish Office.

ADORATION IN LA CAPILLA

First Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
First Saturday 7:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
 Call the Parish Office to volunteer.

BAPTISMS:

Please call the Parish Office at
 (619) 283-7319

MARRIAGES: Preparation with priest/
 deacon at least 9 months in advance.

NAZARETH SCHOOL: Principal
 Dr. Colleen Mauricio, (619) 641-7987

Mass Readings and Intentions

Sunday, November 18

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11;

Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

7am Parishioners **8am** John Resch

9am Mary Wackel

10am Christina Scarborough

11am Samuel Beamon

11amSp. Sally Lucero **12pm** Patricia Heinz

5:30pm John F. Sullivan

Monday, November 19

Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43

7am Patrick Williams **5:30pm** Leze Mihilli

Tuesday, November 20

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10

7am Felisa Barona **5:30pm** Fr. Nderвшaj

Wednesday, November 21

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28

7am da Rosa Family **5:30pm** Paola Alberdi

Thursday, November 22

St. Cecilia; Thanksgiving Day

Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44

Thanksgiving Day—Suggested:

Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

9am Duartina da Rosa

Friday, November 23

St. Clement I; St. Columban;

Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro

Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103,

111, 131; Lk 19:45-48

7am Daniel Collins **5:30pm** Dr. Edwin Yorobe

Saturday, November 24

St. Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions

Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;

Lk 20:27-40

7am Purita Temp **5:30pm** Manuel de Rosa

Sunday, November 25

Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8;

Jn 18:33b-37

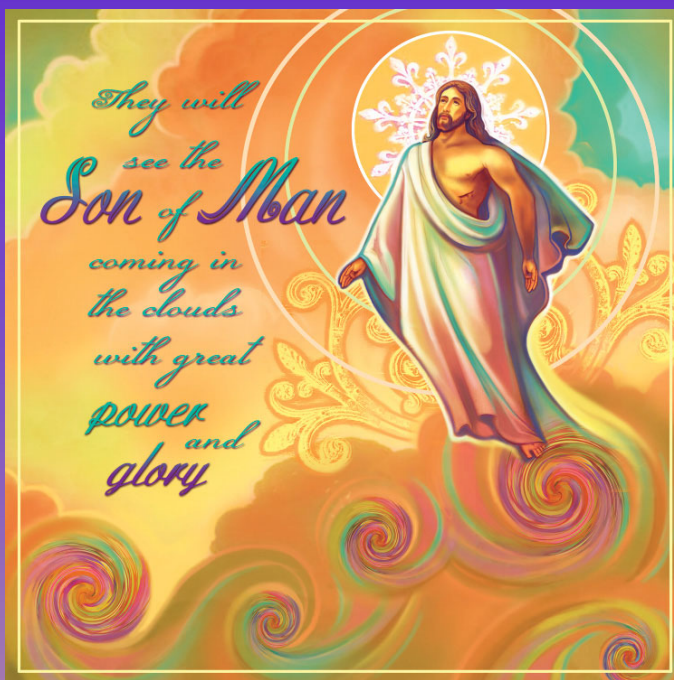
7am Victor Olson **8am** Victims of Trafficking

9am John Cooley **10am** Parishioners

11am Tricia Beverly **11amSp.** Guadalupe Sale

12pm Adoracion Eustaquio

5:30pm Rita Williams



ENCOURAGEMENT

This Sunday's Gospel is our final selection from Mark for this liturgical year. It is taken from the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem immediately preceding the account of his arrest and passion. In it Jesus gives his disciples hope to sustain them through his passion and death and any persecution or suffering that they would encounter after his resurrection.

The words from the book of Daniel also provided hope and encouragement to the people of Daniel's time. The encouragement in these scriptures is meant for us as well, for none of us will escape tribulation in our lives. Followers of Jesus will be able to endure suffering with joyful hope, knowing that Christ's love will lead us along the way of discipleship and give us eternal life with God.

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Communion for the Sick and Homebound—If you or a family member are ill and unable to attend Mass and would like one of our *Lay Ministers to the Sick & Homebound* to bring you Communion, please contact the parish office. If you feel called to this ministry, please inquire at the parish office for information and training.

Events this week at the Mission . . .

Monday, 11/19 . . . Martha and Mary Guild, Mission Church, 9:30am
Centering Prayer, California Room, 7pm

Tuesday, 11/20 . . . Spanish Group Marion Prayer, California Room, 6pm
Mission Folk Choir Practice, St. Francis, 6:15pm

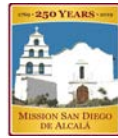
Wednesday, 11/21 . Young Adults Adoration, Mission Church, 6:00pm
Young Adults Bible Study, Fr. Serra, 6:15pm
Columbiettes Meeting, La Sala, 7:00pm

Thursday, 11/22 . . . Thanksgiving Day, Parish Office is closed

Friday, 11/23 Parish Office is closed, Gift Shop is open.

Saturday, 11/24 . . . Lectors Practice, Mission Church, 9am

2019 Jubilee Corner



Volunteers will be at the Courtyard doors this weekend selling 250th Anniversary items; T-shirts, bags, and jewelry. Join us in supporting the activities of 2019.

Jubilee Steering Committee: Fr. Peter M. Escalante, Chairperson; Janet Bartel, Culture; Carol Gamara, Education; Linda Hewett, Spiritual; Rachel Peniche, Sponsorships; Becky Tallarida, Social; Veronica Meyers, Treasurer; Blanche Cumiskey Walsh, Volunteers. You can contact any committee member by emailing 250jubilee@missionsandiego.org.

Thanksgiving Day Liturgy—Thursday, November 22—9:00am

Each year our Thanksgiving Day Mass provides Mission parishioners and friends an opportunity to gather and express our gratitude to God for his many graces and blessings. This year we will celebrate “The Gift of our Faith.” Please read the flyer insert for more details on how you can participate. There will be one Mass Thanksgiving Day at 9am.

Last Saturday was a great success as we met with our Liturgical Ministries; Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, and Ushers, for a morning of reflection. Thank you to all those who worked to make it a very powerful retreat. And “Thank you” to our Columbiettes who set up refreshments which were enjoyed by all.

And speaking of the Columbiettes, they were very successful with their Dudley Bread Sales. Over 200 loaves of fresh Dudley Bread were sold to happy parishioners that didn’t have to make the drive to get their bread! Well done Charlene and committee.

Angel Giving Tree—This year our annual tree will supply toys for needy families through our sister parish, Holy Family in Linda Vista. Trees will be in the entrance to St. Francis Chapel and the rear of the Mission Church, beginning **Sunday, November 25**. Everyone is invited to take an angel from the tree and purchase a gift for a needy child. The dates to return gifts will be December 2 and 9, which will allow time to wrap and distribute to Holy Family. This is a Social Action Committee sponsored project.

COLLECTION FOR NATIONAL NEEDS: This weekend has been designated for the **2018 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.

COLECTA PARA NECESIDADES NACIONALES: Este fin de semana se ha designado para la “Colecta del 2018 para Necesidades Nacionales.” Hay sobres especiales para esta colecta que ayuda a sostener a las Misiones para Negros e Indios, las Misiones Católicas Domésticas, la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano, la Campaña para la Comunicación Católica, y la Universidad Católica de América.

The Priests, Deacon and Parish Staff wish you all a happy and blessed **Thanksgiving Holiday**.



The Parish Office will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 22/23.

The **Mission Gift Shop** will be closed Thursday, November 22, Thanksgiving Day, and open Friday, November 23.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION in LA CAPILLA

1st Friday, **Dec. 7**, 9 am—5 pm

1st Saturday, **Dec. 8**, 7:30—9:30 am

Jesus asked His Apostles, “Can you spend one hour with Me?” Is He asking you that question? **Call the Parish Office to volunteer.**

**Benediction—Friday, December 7
5pm—Mission Church**

Welcome New Parishioners

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Anderson

Ms. Karla Ferrer

Mr. Jason Jimena

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Rickling

Mr. and Mrs. Julio Silva

Mr. Ian – James Vitaga

Registration Forms are available in the Gift Shop or our Web Site.

Loose Change Collection December 1/2

All loose change placed in the collection basket that weekend will be sent to the

Children of the Immaculate Heart, a home for girls who have been victims of trafficking.

Thank you also for your donations of food, diapers, paper products.

What's Happening at the Mission and around the Diocese . . .

Thursdays, November 29—December 20 at 7-8:30pm in La Sala. **NO CLASS THANKSGIVING DAY.** Sister Mary Kiely is hosting a 7-week Bishop Robert Barron video study on “The Mass” which began November 8. Walk through the Liturgy with Bishop Barron and be transformed through insights on this most privileged and intimate encounter with our Lord Jesus Christ. See how the Mass brings us out of the fallen world and into the heavenly realm, how it resonates with a call from God and a response from his people, the Church and most importantly, how we are intimately joined with the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus through the Holy Eucharist. This course will help you understand how to fully, consciously, and actively participate in the source and summit of the Christian life.

Senior Men’s Group—The group meets for lunch the 3rd Wednesday of each month. Lunch takes place at various restaurants in the nearby area. If you would like to join this ministry, call **Pete Corrao at (619) 582-9386**. All senior men are welcome.

SAVE THE DATE - The 250th Anniversary of Mission San Diego de Alcalá will include the revival of the Old Mission Cup Golf Tournament to be held on **April 26, 2019** at Admiral Baker Golf Course. It will feature a best ball scramble tournament on the North Course, land that was originally part of the Old Mission. The entry fee will be \$100 per person (\$360 a foursome) and includes the use of a golf cart (for 2), a continental breakfast on the patio, a putting contest, various special contests on the course and golf prizes. The tournament will commence at 12:00, preceded by an introduction ceremony and blessing and registration on the patio outside the Golf Shop. Registration and continental breakfast will begin at 10:00. Putting contest will be available throughout the registration pre-tournament period. Following the tournament, there will be a tournament celebration dinner at the Mission. More information email joejanbart@aol.com.

Martha and Mary Guild, This Guild meets Mondays at 10am in the Mission church. They begin with coffee and prayer and then do light cleaning to the pews, kneelers, railings and sanctuary. Men and women are welcome to join. If dusting is not your choice come join us for coffee, prayer and socializing. Call Karen Rebelo (858) 277-6243 or Janet Bartel (858) 560-9312 for information.

250th Jubilee Mission Bus Tour Pilgrimage—Great News! Fr. Billy Zondler is going on the Bus Tour! Please call Marion Kelley at (858) 277-2971 to make a reservation. The price is \$1,499 per person, double occupancy, and they leave the Mission Church **May 14, 2019**. Marion will give you the details.

Centering Prayer is a method of silent prayer in which we experience God’s presence within us. This method of prayer is both a discipline and a relationship with God. The focus of this prayer is a deepening of our relationship with the Living Christ. We meet every **Monday evening from 7:00 - 8:15pm in the California Room** of the St. Francis Center. If you are new to Centering Prayer, come 15 minutes early to learn the simple method of Centering Prayer. For more information please contact Ardy at (858) 279-7278. All are welcome.

Simbang Gabi at Mission San Diego de Alcalá —Nine (9) nights of Filipino traditional Masses to celebrate the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. Saturday, **Dec. 15** and Sunday, **Dec. 16**. Mass will be at 5:30pm in the Mission Church; Monday, **Dec. 17** through Friday, **Dec. 21**, Mass will be at 6:30pm in St. Francis Chapel. Saturday, **Dec. 22**, and Sunday, **Dec. 23**, Mass will be at 5:30pm in the Mission Church. On the ninth day, Sunday, **Dec. 23**, before the Mass, there will be a luncheon from 12:30-4:30pm in La Sala. Want to be involved? Call Emma Pearlman (619) 200-5374.


Ushers Needed - *Welcome one another, then, as Christ welcomed you, for the glory of God. – Romans 15:7.* Hospitality meant something to Jesus, it was more than common custom; hospitality showed respect for the visitor, it demonstrated the humility of the host. It avoided the temptation to sneer at the less fortunate or the less moral. Do you have the heart of an **Usher**? It is not just taking up the collection, it is being part of a team here at the Mission that enjoys serving. Feel called to this ministry? Call Cecil Boyd (619) 203-4309 or the Parish Office to start helping at your favorite Mass.

NOVEMBER 6—DECEMBER 11, TUESDAYS 6:15-7:45pm Register NOW for an Inspirational Marian Retreat! If you are looking for a simple way to be spiritually renewed, develop a deeper relationship with Our Merciful Savior, and grow in holiness, join us for the Mission’s “33 Days to Morning Glory” Marian Retreat. We meet Tuesday nights in the California Room. The retreat lasts 6 weeks. This is a DVD Retreat led by Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC. Register and order your participant packet online from this link <https://goo.gl/qib1cD> For more information contact Ronaldo Palacios at (202) 210-2072 or rjpalacios65@gmail.com.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed for Sharp Memorial—Each one of us have gifts that are given to us by God. Please prayerfully consider your gifts and how you are being called to use them. Contact Mica Togami at mica.togami@sharp.com or call (858) 939-4709 if you feel called to this very special and rewarding ministry.

DECEMBER 14, 15, 16 and 21, 22, 23 4:00-8:00 PM Tickets \$14.99 Adult, \$9.99 Child “Imagine walking at dusk with a hot chocolate in hand, in the cool of a December evening surrounded by brilliantly lit trees, magical cottages, and Santa’s workshop...Experience the magic at **Noah Homes** for the **Enchanted Village**: A brand new festival of trees & lights in San Diego. **Noah Homes** is a 501c(3) nonprofit that has served adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities since 1983. We now have 90 residents and 10 homes, and work to achieve our goal of maximizing each individual’s independence in a community environment that fosters dignity and respect, as well as personal and spiritual growth. Our **Enchanted Village** will be an opportunity for us to share our Noah Homes community with San Diego, and to employ some of our residents! For more information on the event, contact information, volunteer opportunities, or to purchase tickets, please visit www.NoahHomes.org/EnchantedVillage.”

Thank you to all the volunteers who participated in the **Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Campaign**, a fundraising event to raise money for individuals with intellectual disabilities. Members of our **Knights of Columbus Council #9498 and the Columbiettes, our Ladies Auxiliary**, combined with the strong show of support from our clergy and parishioners, made this event a huge success! A local foundation will match our collection of just over \$1,500, for a total **donation to Noah Homes of \$3,000**. Every penny, dime and dollar helped us to make this contribution. A sincere thank you to everyone who helped!



Volunteering is a good way to stay healthy and active. The Mission has many opportunities. Best ones to start with are the Gift Shop and Docent Program. Call Rhonda (619.281.8449) or Janet (858.560.9312) to get started today.

Directory of Ministries and Groups

250th ANNIVERSARY 250jubilee@missionsandiego.org
ALTAR LINENS GUILD Peggy Stolberg (619) 203-5871
ALTAR SERVERS Dean Gipson (858) 761-1073
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CANTORS Justine Lee (619) 972-7380
CENTERING PRAYER Ardy Woodmansee (858) 279-7278
DOCENTS Janet Bartel (858) 560-9312
FESTIVAL OF THE BELLS Misty Suposs (619) 985-2114
FINANCE COUNCIL Cheryl Doss (619) 279-6138
9 AM FOLK CHOIR Molly Nocon (619) 890-7607
GIFT SHOP/VISITOR CENTER Rhonda Sosa (619) 281-8449
HOSPITAL OUTREACH Carmen Falcon (619) 916-8476
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS . . . GK Ernesto Guzman (619) 890-0021
COLUMBIETTES (Auxiliary) Lisa Worthington (619) 871-7044
LECTORS Virginia McCarron (818) 519-1769
MARTHA AND MARY GUILD Karen Rebelo (858) 277-6243
MENTAL HEALTH MINISTRY
 Spanish-speaking—Laura Alcaraz (619) 855-0017
MISSION-AIRES Sylvia Benitez (619) 449-4345
MOTHERS OF FAITH sdmissionmothers@gmail.com
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PARISH OFFICE (619) 283-7319
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RCIA/ADULT FORMATION Fr. Bill Springer (619) 283-7319
SENIOR MEN’S GROUP (MMC) Pete Corrao (619) 582-9386
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SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE . . . Mike Peddecord (619) 286-9625
TASTE OF THE MISSION Becky Tallarida (619) 300-2965
USHERS/HOSPITALITY Cecil Boyd (619) 203-4309
WEDDINGS Call the Parish Office to begin the process
YOUNG ADULTS Ximena Olea (619) 750-8417
YOUNG MARRIED COUPLES KellyTriggs@yahoo.com
YOUTH MINISTRY (Sr High) V. J. Brion (619) 640-0481

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Happy Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving Day Eulogy

Thursday, November 22, 2019
9:00am at Mission San Diego de Alcalá

“Let us pray that the Lord gives us the grace to envisage a world in which no one must ever again die of hunger. And asking for this grace, I give you my blessing.” —Pope Francis, September 12, 2013

Each year our Thanksgiving Day Mass provides Mission parishioners and friends an opportunity to gather and express our gratitude to God for his many graces and blessings. It is also an occasion to share our abundance with our sisters and brothers in need.

This year we will be celebrating, “The Gift of Our Faith.”

You are invited to attend and participate by:

1. Bringing non-perishable food items for holiday baskets for the needy. You will be asked to bring your food donations to the Altar at the Offertory of the Mass. Cash donations are also welcome.
2. Bringing your bread and/or wine for your own Thanksgiving table and receive a special blessing during the Mass.

There will be only one Mass on Thanksgiving Day at 9:00am.