

QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE MESSENGER

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Website

www.queenofangels.org

Holy Sacrifice of The Mass

Saturday: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am
& 10:30 am

Daily Mass

Tuesday-Friday: 8:00 am

Rosary

Monday-Friday: 7:30 am



Mary, Queen of Angels, Pray for Us!

First Friday Devotions to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Exposition/Confession: 10:00 am,
Mass 11:30 am

First Saturday Devotions to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Rosary: 8:30 am, Mass: 9:00 am

Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion

Wednesday: after 8:00 am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday: after 8:00 am Mass
until 9:30 am

Confession

Tuesday-Friday: 7:15 am,
Saturday: 4:00 pm,
or by appointment

Sacraments

Baptism, Holy Matrimony, & Funerals
Contact Fr. David

Clergy

Rev. David Exner: **Pastor**, frdexner@queenofangels.org

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Darlene Ames: **The Messenger**, bulletin@queenofangels.org

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The Mission of Queen of Angels Church is to:

Grow in our relationship with God through Jesus Christ.

Strengthen our faith by living and teaching the Gospel.

Serve God's People in our parish, our community, and our world.

If you're worried about an unplanned pregnancy, you may be experiencing a personal crisis full of concerns about your future. Pregnancy Care Clinic can assist you. www.unplannedparenthood.org, 619.442.4357

Reporting Sexual Abuse

Complaints about sexual abuse by a member of the clergy or by a parish or Catholic school employee or volunteer can be made by calling Mary Acosta at the Child and Youth Protection Office, Victims Assistance Coordinator, at 858.490.8353.

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STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT & TREASURE**October 9, 2022**

Envelopes Used	71
Envelope Collections	\$ 4,596.00
Plate Collections	\$ 540.00
TOTAL	\$ 5,136.00

Annual Catholic Appeal

Thank you to those who have made a pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal 2022 Collection. It is encouraging to see your commitment to our Parish and the Diocese. If you haven't done so, pledges may be placed in the collection or dropped off at the Parish Office.

To date we've raised 51% of our goal! Thank You.

PLEDGED: \$ 15,355.00 BALANCE: \$ 14,645.00 GOAL: \$ 30,000.00

2022 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL | DIOCESE OF SAN DIEGO

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS OCTOBER 15-23, 2022

Sunday: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/
2 Tm 3:14-4:2/Lk 18:1-8

Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5/
Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13,
17-18/Lk 10:1-9

Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/
Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19/
Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/
Lk 13:1-9

Next Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34:2-3, 17-18,
19, 23 [7a]/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14

DATE**TIME****INTENTION**

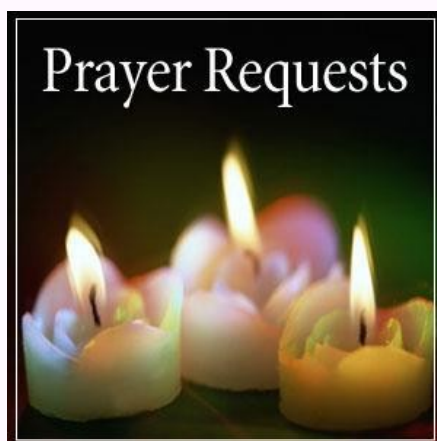
Saturday,	Oct 15	5:30 pm	Jocelyb B. Romero
Sunday,	Oct 16	8:00 am	†Edwin Piontek, Jr.
Sunday,	Oct 16	10:30 am	†Refugio Villa
Monday,	Oct 17	7:30 am	<i>Rosary</i>
Tuesday,	Oct 18	8:00 am	†Edmund Cordova
Wednesday,	Oct 19	8:00 am	Souls in Purgatory
Thursday,	Oct 20	8:00 am	
Friday,	Oct 21	8:00 am	
Saturday,	Oct 22	5:30 pm	†Virginia Bezoenik
Sunday,	Oct 23	8:00 am	Peter & Bernadette Mills
Sunday,	Oct 23	10:30 am	†Al Florence



*Continue to Keep in Your Prayers and Hearts those on
our Healing and Deployed Military Lists.*



*Kelly Barker
Bill Brundage
Vita Cano
Jim Easterling
Gene Fisher
Josephine Gonzalez
Bea Hammerstrand
Carmen Holt
Jim Nelson
Jacqueline Meyer
Joan Smith
Kailyn & Charis Whaley*

Deployed Military

**Meagan Abad, LT
Matthew D. Fuller, PV2
William W. Fuller II, PFC
Edward R.M. Lopez, SSgt
Rebekah Meyer, BM3(sw)
Jacob Tweed, HM3
Mattison Underhill, USN**



If you have a friend or relative who is serving in our military and is deployed or will be deployed, please contact Darlene at bulletin@queenofangels.org.

*Names remain listed for four weeks and can be renewed by contacting
Darlene Ames at bulletin@queenofangels.org.*

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Adult Faith Formation/RCIA RCIA, the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, will take place after the Sunday 10:30 AM Mass in the parish hall. If you are interested in learning more about, or joining the Catholic Church, or if you are an adult who has not received all of your sacraments, we look forward to seeing you there. For more information contact Father David at 619-445-2145 in the parish office.



Queen of Angels Women's Auxiliary Ladies, Fall is a busy time for us. Please consider joining in on our next auxiliary meeting on Wednesday, October 26, at 5:30 PM in the parish hall. Joining us is a great way to help others, promote fellowship and meet “gals” from our parish.



Spiritual Rosary Books The Scriptural Rosary book is the modern version of the way the rosary was once prayed throughout Western Europe in the late Middle Ages. This book is for everyone as it helps one to keep thinking about the Mysteries of each decade of the Rosary, while reciting the rosary. The books are available in the office during normal business hours; M-F, 9 am—2 pm for \$15.00 each.



Craft Fair & Bake Sale The Our Lady of Grace Parish Catholic Women's Club will hold its Annual Holiday Craft Fair and Bake Sale on Saturday, **November 5**, from 9 am—3 pm at the Parish Center and Patio Area, 2766 Navajo Road, El Cajon. Admission is free and there will be over 70 crafters featuring fashion apparel, home decor and artwork for the upcoming holidays. Freshly baked items, fudge, peanut brittle, cakes, cookies, etc. will be available. Lunch will also be available. For more information, call 619-980-6841.

Do You Feel the Calling?

If so, why not consider start serving Queen of Angels. We are always in need of Altar Servers, Communion Ministers, Lectors and Ushers. Please help! We will work with your availability to serve at the Mass which you now attend. Please contact Jacob in the parish office at 619.445.2145 if you *feel the call*.



Next weekend is World Mission Sunday. The theme of this year's World Mission Day – “We cannot but speak about what we have seen and heard” (Acts 4:20), is a summons to each of us to “own” and to bring to others what we bear in our hearts. This mission has always been the hallmark of the Church, for “she exists to evangelize” (SAINT PAUL VI, *Evangelii Nuntiandi*, 14). Our life of faith grows weak, loses its prophetic power and its ability to awaken amazement and gratitude when we become isolated and withdraw into little groups. By its very nature, the life of faith calls for a growing openness to embracing everyone, everywhere.

On World Mission Day, which we celebrate each year on the penultimate Sunday of October, we recall with gratitude all those men and women who by their testimony of life help us to renew our baptismal commitment to be generous and joyful apostles of the Gospel. Let us remember especially all those who resolutely set out, leaving home and family behind, to bring the Gospel to all those places and people athirst for its saving message.

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will he be slow to answer them? I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?” - Lk 18:7-8

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PASTOR'S PAGE

Friends,

I recently watched a portion of an interview between Catholic apologist and evangelist Chris Stefanick and Father Ripperger, who is an exorcist. Based on the context the response given in this excerpt, I believe Father Ripperger had been asked if he had ever been afraid during an exorcism, and I was struck by his response as he related a story that happened to him:

“One time this one demon would not obey, so I just turned to God the Father, mentally, and I just said, ‘Punish him in a way he’s never been punished before.’ And there was a full blown preternatural manifestation right there. And the demon was screaming... The fear [I had] wasn’t in relationship to the demons, because they’re not really to be feared because they’re on a short leash. It’s what I was looking at, it’s the severity of God’s punishment for those who disobey Him and reject Him ... If that doesn’t strike the fear of God in you, nothing will, right? Literally looking, this is what hell looks like, so there was that fear [of God’s just judgment]... But in relationship to the demons, an experienced exorcist doesn’t have any fear. He’s cautious. You have to be careful. But there’s no fear because they can only do what Christ permits. And so you know they’re restricted, and you know that as long as you stay under Christ’s protection, which is basically staying in the lane that the Church has said to stay in, you’re not going to suffer any [from demons].”

After hearing this story, Chris Stefanick observed, “Faith and fear don’t coexist,” to which Father Ripperger replied, “No, they don’t.”

There is almost too much to talk about from this little conversation between these two men of faith. There is the story of the exorcism itself; there is the discussion of God’s justice and righteous judgment; there is the filial fear we ought to properly have towards God who is all good and deserving of all our love (the *only* fear we ought to have, incidentally); there is the consoling truth that the demonic is kept on a short leash by God and that we have nothing to fear from the evil one if we stay united to Christ; and there is the reminder that faith and fear don’t coexist – or in the words Sacred Scripture, “perfect love casts out fear” (1 Jn 4:18). Rather than attempt to unpack all of that myself, I simply offer it to you to think on and pray with, and I encourage you to take some time today or this week in your own personal prayer and see if the Lord wants to highlight any of those points, or even something else, with you from this brief conversation. The spiritual realm is very real, and we ignore it, and the lessons we can learn from it, at our own peril. But we can also receive great blessing from the Lord if we accept what He wants to show us and teach us through it.

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms,

Fr. David



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We give thanks to God for the recent overturning of Roe v. Wade by the Supreme Court, but the situation in California for the unborn has become even worse since then, as leftist pro-aborts have leaned into trying to make California an "abortion sanctuary" for other states. In some ways things are even more dire than before, so we are looking forward to our **40 Days for Life** campaign, which runs from **September 28-November 6**.

Along with our neighboring parishes, we will be manning the sidewalk outside the Planned Parenthood in El Cajon on Tuesdays. There are plenty of Tuesdays still available so don't hesitate to sign up. A sign-up sheet can be found by the main entrance of the church.

Please keep our state, our leaders, and especially the unborn and their mothers in prayer!

Please contact Patricia at hansenpat@msn.com or 619-445-3822 to sign up or for more information.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

*A Weekend of Discovery,
a Lifetime of Love.*



A Marriage Encounter Weekend celebrates the love you have for your spouse and helps you

build, expand, and deepen that relationship. Sign up for the upcoming **November 11-13th** weekend in Rancho Bernardo. Food and lodging are provided. There is a \$125 fee and a voluntary donation requested at the end of the weekend. For many couples "Their Weekend" is one of the most significant experiences of their marriages. It's not a retreat, nor a marriage clinic, nor group sensitivity. It's a unique approach aimed at revitalizing Christian Marriage.

For more information or to sign up, visit wwme-sandiego.org or call 760-659-9102 .

PLEASE NOTE: No couple is ever denied the chance to renew their marriage because they are facing financial difficulties. This concern should not influence your decision to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend.

Why did the unemployed man get excited while reading the Bible?

He thought he saw a Job!



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**IS GOD
CALLING
YOU TO
BECOME A
PRIEST?**



PROGRAM FOR PRIESTLY FORMATION
EXPLORER DAY

Explorer Day provides men an
opportunity to learn more about the
priesthood and how to discern God's
call

NOVEMBER 12, 2022

8:30AM-3:30PM

**TO REGISTER
CONTACT YOUR
PARISH PRIEST**

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT FR ERIC TAMAYO
619-291-7446 ETAMAYO@SDCATHOLIC.ORG

EXPLORER DAY

Throughout the year, the seminarians host opportunities to come and see what life is like when discerning the call to the priesthood. These days are called Explorer Days.

Explorer Day is a six-hour discernment experience for men interested in the priesthood. It includes Mass & other common prayer, presentations from priests, and an opportunity to ask questions and discuss topics such as: What is a priest? What does a priest do? What is the preparation process like? What are some of the rewards and challenges of priestly ministry? How does a man know if God is calling him to the priesthood?

Pre-registration is Required for this event.



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The poster features a silhouette of a person holding a child against a sunset background. The text 'Respect Life' is in a large, elegant script, and 'MASS' is in bold, black, sans-serif capital letters. Below this, it says 'PRAY WITH CARDINAL ROBERT MCELROY FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN'. A small image of a green apple is visible. The bottom section is white with gold crosses and contains the text 'CALLED TO SERVE MOMS IN NEED', 'SUNDAY, OCT 23, 2022', '10:00 AM', 'ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS PARISH', '8086 BROADWAY AVENUE, LEMON GROVE 91945', and 'BILINGUAL MASS'. At the bottom left is the Diocese of San Diego logo, and at the bottom right are contact details: 'ECASILLAS@SDCATHOLIC.ORG', '(858) 490-8324', and 'HTTPS://SDCATHOLIC.ORG/'.

Respect Life
MASS

PRAY WITH CARDINAL ROBERT MCELROY
FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN

**CALLED TO SERVE
MOMS IN NEED**

**SUNDAY, OCT 23, 2022
10:00 AM**

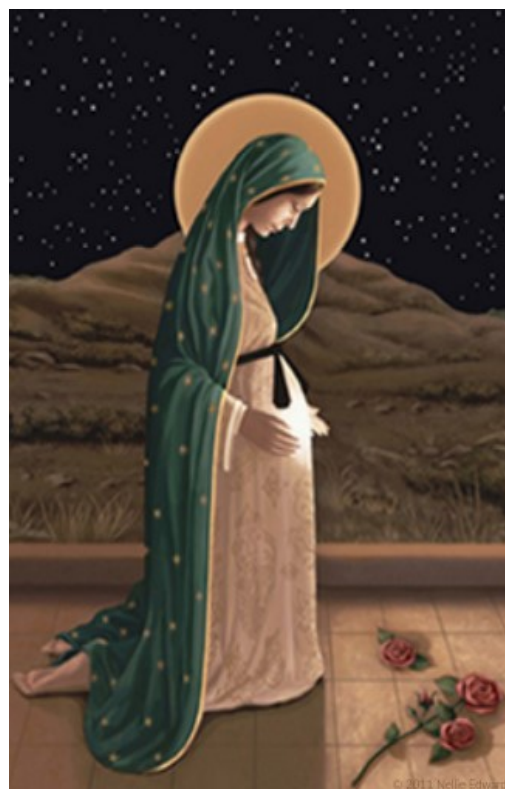
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Respect Life Month



O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.

Guide us as we strive to make our parish communities places of welcome and assistance for mothers in need. Help us become instruments of God's love and compassion.

Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and a civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life.
Amen.