QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE MESSENGER

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Office: 619.445.2145

Website

www.queenofangels.org

Holy Sacrifice of The Mass

Saturday: 5:30 pm **Sunday**: 8:00 am & 10:30 am

<u>Daily Mass</u>

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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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 16, 2022

Envelopes Used 74

Envelope Collections \$ 3,641.00 Plate Collections \$ 437.00 TOTAL \$4,078.00

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

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS OCTOBER 22-30, 2022

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 **Monday**: Eph 4:32—5:8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/

Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/

Lk 13:31-35

Friday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16 **Saturday**: Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef/

Next Sunday: Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10

<u>DATE</u>		TIME	<u>INTENTION</u>
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
Monday,	Oct 24	7:30 am	Rosary
Tuesday,	Oct 25	8:00 am	Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday,	Oct 26	8:00 am	†Grace Yelvington
Thursday,	Oct 27	8:00 am	_
Friday,	Oct 28	8:00 am	†Steven Glick
Saturday,	Oct 29	5:30 pm	
Sunday,	Oct 30	8:00 am	†Tyler Gray
Sunday,	Oct 30	10:30 am	Jim Hill



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



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

Deployed Military Meagan Abad, LT Matthew D. Fuller, PV2 William W. Fuller II, PFC Edward R.M. Lopez, SSqt 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.



tian Initiation for Adults, will take place after the Sunday vember 1, is All Saints Day. We will continue to ob-10:30 AM Mass in the parish hall. If you are interested in serve this day by displaying our deceased loved ones'

learning more about, or joining the Catholic Church, or if you are photos in the church for remembrance during the an adult who has not received all of your sacraments, we look for- month of November. However because of space con-David at 619-445-2145 in the parish office.

Sunday. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call to bring the Gospel to all! Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Uganda, Philippines, and in remote regions of Latin America where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. The special collection at the Masses this weekend, October 22-23, will be for The Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Please be as generous as you can for this worthwhile cause.



All Souls' Novena If you wish to include your de- Craft Fair & Bake Sale The Our Lady of Grace Parish ceased loved ones in the All Souls' Day Novena, there are envelopes at the entrance to the church.

Please write the names of your loved ones on the envelope and drop it in the collection basket or bring it to the office. Deadline to return your envelope is October 28. The novena will start on Tuesday, November 1.



Adult Faith Formation/RCIA RCIA, the Rite of Chris- Commemoration of All Souls' Month Tuesday, No-



ward to seeing you there. For more information contact Father straints, we can only display those photos of deceased loved ones that have passed away in 2021-2022. If you have a photo of a loved one you wish to have displayed in the church, please make WORLD World Mission Sunday October 23, is World Mission a copy no larger than "4 x 6" and bring it to the parish office no later than Friday, October 28. For further information, please contact the parish office at 619.445.2145.

> Flocknote If you have not signed up for flock**note** Flocknote, please do so! It is the simplest way for you to stay up to date as changes come up during the week. Visit out webpage at queenofangels.org and click on the Flocknote link to sign up.

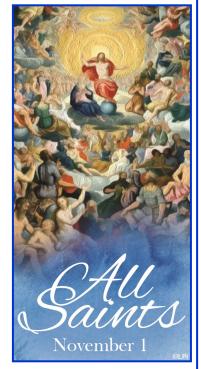
> Catholic Women's Club will hold its Annual Holiday Craft Fair and Bake Sale on Saturday, November 5, from 9 am—3 pm at the Parish Center and Patio Area, 2766 Navajo Road, El Cajon. Admission is free and there will be over 70 crafters featuring fashion apparel, home decor and artwork for the upcoming holidays. Freshly baked items as well as lunch will be available for purchase. For more information, call 619-980-6841.

All Saints' Day 2022

Please remember that Tuesday, **November 1**st, All Saints' Day, is a Holy Day of Obligation in the Catholic Church. All of the Faithful are expected to attend Mass on a Holy Day of Obligation except in cases of grave necessity. "Attending Mass the previous Sunday, which is a separate obligation, does not exempt one from observing the Holy Dav."

Queen of Angels will have two Masses on November 1st, at 8 AM and 6 PM. November 2nd, All Souls' Day, is not a Holy Day of Obligation, but it is observed, so daily Mass will take place at the usual time.

Additionally, FYI, the daily Mass schedule for October 31-November 6, 2022 will look like this:



Mon: Rosary: 7:30 AM Tues: Mass: 8 AM, 6 PM

Wed: Mass: 8 AM (All Souls' Day is NOT a Holy Day of Ob-

ligation, even if it's very popular like Ash Wednesday)

Thurs: Mass: 8 AM

Fri: First Friday-Exposition & Adoration: 10:30am-11:15am, followed by Benediction & Mass: 11:30 AM Sat: First Saturday-Rosary: 8:30 AM, Mass: 9 AM,

First Saturday Devotions: 9:30 AM, Adoration & Reconciliation: 4 PM, and Sunday Vigil: 5:30 PM

Sun: Mass: 8 AM & 10:30 AM

PASTOR'S PAGE

Friends,

I was recently reminded of the quote from G. K. Chesterton (found in *What's Wrong with the World*), where he writes, "The Christian ideal has not been tried and found wanting. It has been found difficult; and left untried."

This is a beautiful if also convicting thing to ponder, for how often do we simply give up on trying to live the Gospel of Jesus? Think of some of the more challenging things that Jesus calls us to do. "Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you" (Mt 5:44). "[You] must deny yourself, take up your cross daily, and follow me. For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will save it" (Lk 9:23-24). "If the world hates you, know that it hated me before it hated you" (Jn 15:18). "Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you as well. Do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself." (Mt 6:33-34a). "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but

only he who does the will of my Father in heaven" (Mt 7:21). "If you would be perfect, go, sell your possessions, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me" (Mt 19:21). "Whatever you did to the least of these my brothers, you did it to me" (Mt 25:40). Or one of my favorites: "A new commandment I give you, love one another; even as I have loved you, so you also should love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another" (Jn 13:34-35). And that's just scratching the surface! The Gospels are replete with moments where Jesus challenges us to live a far greater and holier life than most of us imagine we are capable of doing, and certainly beyond what we would ordinarily choose for ourselves.

So here's a spiritual gut check (or challenge, if you prefer) for us today: what teachings of Christ found in Sacred Scripture do I struggle with? What are the areas of my life where I imagine that I know better than the Christ and His Church? Are there areas in my life where I purposely circumvent or ignore Church teaching? Where do I need to try to live out "the Christian ideal," as Chesterton called it, no matter how difficult it is? How is Jesus calling me to live out the radical nature of the Gospel in a profound and mysterious way? And – here's the big one – am I willing to follow Jesus into that space, wherever it is, trusting that he wouldn't call me there if it wasn't for my good and if he didn't also plan to help me once I'm there?

The Gospel has always been challenging, both to those who are threatened by it (we're looking at you, Caesars of Rome and world leaders throughout history), but also to us who are called to live it as we strive to follow after our Master, Teacher, Savior, and Friend. The challenge, as always, is to persevere, but although it is difficult, it is not impossible, and it is always worth it in the end. As we hear Paul say in our second reading today in his letter to Timothy, "I have fought the good fight; I have finished the race; I have kept the faith" (2 Tim 4:7). Let it not be said of us that we found the Gospel difficult and simply gave up trying to live it. Don't be afraid! Just follow him.

Striving for the Ideal,

Fr. David

Whatever happens, conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ.

Philippians 1:27



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**.

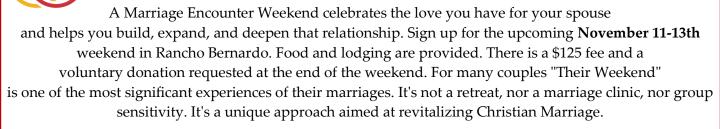
Along with our neighboring parishes, we will be manning the sidewalk outside the Planned Parenthood in El Cajon on Tuesdays. There are plenty of Tuesdays still available so don't hesitate to sign up. A sign-up sheet can be found by the main entrance of the church.

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





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.

PRO-LIFE RESOURCES

Birthline San Diego - 858.270.2491 National Life Center - 800.848.5683 Culture of Life Family Services - 619.692.4401 College Area Pregnancy Serv. "CAPS"- 619.337.8080

POST ABORTION HEALING & RECONCILIATION

Rachel's Hope

858.581.3022 - www.rachelshope.org



The Ignatian Volunteer Corps is Recruiting!

The Ignatian Volunteer Corps is an organization of retired men and women who want to use their time and talents to help others. IVC volunteers commit to one or two days per week to work directly with organizations that address the issues that affect the poor. IVC volunteers gather monthly to prayerfully reflect on their apostolic work and discover the deeper meaning of the service they do.

For additional info call Curran Gaughan, IVC Director — San Diego at 858-822-9814 or e-mail cgaughan@ivcusa.org.

Thanks to all of our parishioners who supported the Knights of Columbus 3rd Annual Cornhole Tournament.

A good time was had by all. The competition was fierce and congratulations to the winning 1st and 2nd Place Teams.

Thank You and See You All Again Next Year! Queen of Angels Knights of Columbus











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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General Nov. 8, 2022

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"Hello, is this Father O'Malley?"
"It is"

"This is the IRS. Can you help us?"
"I can."

"Do you know a Ted Houlihan?" "I do."

"Is he a member of your congregation?"
"He is."

"Did he donate \$10,000 to the church?"
"He will."





A big shout out of THANKS to Alpine Fence and their team of professionals who so graciously came out and fixed our Entrance Gate.

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thank you!

"Good will come to those who are generous and lend freely, who conduct their affairs with justice." Psalms 112:5