

# QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office: 619-445-2145  
www.queenofangels.org

## Office Hours

Monday - Thursday:  
9:00 am to 2:00 pm  
Friday: 9:00 am to Noon

## Holy Sacrifice of The Mass

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

## Daily Mass

Tuesday-Friday: 8:00 am

## Rosary

Monday-Friday: 7:30 am



Mary, Queen of Angels, pray for us!

## Confession

Tuesday-Friday: 7:30 am,  
Saturday: 4:00 pm,  
or by appointment

## Eucharistic Adoration

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

## First Friday Devotions

Adoration/Confession: 10:00 am  
Mass: 11:30 am

## First Saturday Devotions

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

## Baptism, Holy Matrimony & Funerals

Contact Fr. David

### Clergy

Rev. David Exner: **Pastor**, [frdexnerqofa@gmail.com](mailto:frdexnerqofa@gmail.com)

### Parish Office Staff

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Darlene Ames: **The Messenger**, [bulletinqofa@gmail.com](mailto:bulletinqofa@gmail.com)

**Parish Email:** [parishqofa@gmail.com](mailto:parishqofa@gmail.com)

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](http://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 858-0490-8353.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT & TREASURE**

**January 6-7, 2024**

Envelopes Used	71
Envelope Collections	\$ 6,083.02
Plate Collections	\$ 299.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 6,382.02</b>
December Online	\$ 5,432.62



**STEWARDS OF  
GOD'S INFLUENCE**

Time, Talents, Treasure and Testimony

**READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS JANUARY 13-21, 2024**

**Sunday:** 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4 7-8, 8-9, 10 (8a, 9a)/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42  
**Monday:** 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22  
**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28  
**Wednesday:** 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6  
**Thursday:** 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12  
**Friday:** 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19  
**Saturday:** 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21  
**Next Sunday:** Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>INTENTION</u>
Saturday, Jan 13	5:30 pm	Glenn D'Abreo
Sunday, Jan 14	8:00 am	†James Figueroa
Sunday, Jan 14	10:30 am	†Sara Herrera
Monday, Jan 15	8:00 am	Rosary
Tuesday, Jan 16	8:00 am	Richard (Dick) Nixon
Wednesday, Jan 17	8:00 am	†Bernadette Gross
Thursday, Jan 18	8:00 am	Enriqueta (Queta) Luquin
Friday, Jan 19	8:00 am	†Brian Ford
Saturday, Jan 20	5:30 pm	Celeste Woestman
Sunday, Jan 21	8:00 am	Chik Hylton
Sunday, Jan 21	10:30 am	†Nancy Silva

*Prayer Requests*

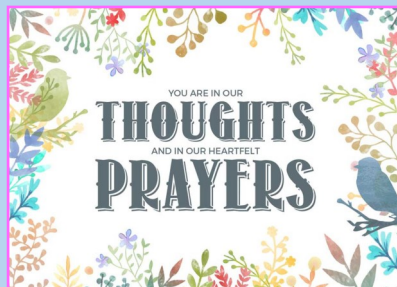
Continue to Keep in Your Prayers and Hearts those on our Healing and Deployed Military Lists.



Kelly Barker  
Bill Brundage  
Katie Clark  
Mike Gust  
Jim Hill  
Chik Hylton  
Carmen Holt  
Jason Laccone  
Steven McMeeken  
Jamie Perrin  
Becky Rangel  
Steve Rodkey

Joan Smith  
Kailyn & Charis Whaley  
Celeste Woestman

...may they find joy in the healing love of Christ.



Names remain listed for four weeks and can be renewed by contacting Darlene Ames at [bulletinqofa@gmail.com](mailto:bulletinqofa@gmail.com).

Deployed Military


Meagan Abad, LT  
Matthew D. Fuller, PV2  
William W. Fuller II, PFC  
Edward R.M. Lopez, SSgt  
David J. McIntyre, PFC  
Rebekah Meyer, BM2(sw)  
Nicholas Palstorm, E8  
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 [bulletinqofa@gmail.com](mailto:bulletinqofa@gmail.com).





## ANNOUNCEMENTS

 **Faith Formation** There will be no faith formation classes on **January 14** due to the observance of MLK Jr. holiday. Classes resume on January 21.


 **Please Note:** The parish office will be closed on Monday, **January 15**, in observance of Martin Luther King Day. We will re-open on Tuesday, **January 16**, at 9:00 AM.


 **Queen of Angels Women's Auxiliary ATTENTION** all ladies of the Parish. Our first meeting of the 2024 year will be on **January 24** at 5:30 PM in the parish hall. All women of the parish are welcome to join and there's no better time than the new year. So mark your calendar as we look forward to seeing you there!

 **Holy Matrimony** Congratulations to **Thomas Cooney & Audrey Heady** who were married at Queen of Angels on December 22, 2023. May they always find peace and love in God's word.

 **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. Books are \$15.00 each.

**Don't Forget** If any of your personal information has changed please call the Parish Office at 619-445-2145 **DON'T FORGET** to let us know. We strive to keep our family records up-to-date and confidential.

**Flocknote** If you have not signed up for Flocknote, please do so! It is the simplest  **flocknote** way for you to stay up to date as changes come up during the week. Visit our webpage at [queenofangels.org](http://queenofangels.org) and click on the Flocknote link to sign up.

**Cold & Flue Season** In consideration and respect of all attending Mass, we ask that if you have even a slight cough or cold please refrain from attending service until your symptoms are gone. Thank you. 



*Please Join Us*  
for a day of spiritual interaction and reflection on  
*Saturday January 27, 2024,*  
*from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM*  
at  
*The First Annual Women of the Parish Retreat*  
*“Daughters of God”*

Sponsored by the  
**Queen of Angels Women's Auxiliary**

Registration is \$20 per person. Register after all Masses until January 21, 2024.  
For more information contact one of the Woman's Auxiliary Members after Mass.  
(A light breakfast and lunch will be provided)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



### ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2023

**PRAISE GOD!!** We reached our goal!!

Through your generosity, Queen of Angel's has reached our goal for the Annual Catholic Appeal assessment for 2023. Many thanks and God bless to all who pledged support and contributed to this year's campaign. ACA includes support for the following ministries:

The Pastoral Center ministry offices and programs that help our community members to live their faith. They include our schools and programs to support faith formation at all ages, to strengthen families, to promote a culture of life, to care for creation, to engage youth and young adults, to sustain our retired clergy and those preparing for the priesthood, and to extend a helping hand to the marginalized.

**GOAL: \$27,804.00 PLEDGED: \$ 28,229.48**

Funds raised over the goal will be returned to Queen of Angels!

### GOSPEL MEDITATION

January 14, 2024

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

As a priest, I'm amazed how happily married couples remember the tiniest details of their earliest encounters. They effortlessly report things like: "he wore a blue shirt," "we ordered brussels sprouts," "her hair was up in a bun," and "he spilled shrimp cocktail sauce at my family's open front door when it was ten degrees below zero," (that one's courtesy of my mom). We delight in remembering and speaking of when our new life of love began. The little details are glorious reminders that it's all real.

It's similar for John the Apostle. He tells us of the two disciples who followed Jesus into his house, "...they stayed with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon." Why does that tiny detail matter? Because that's the time of day when they encountered the love of Jesus the Messiah in their lives. Our religion is not primarily about abstract truths about God, no matter how true or sublime. It is about God meeting and saving us in our human nature. It's about a human relationship.

What was the time of day when you first recall encountering Christ and his Church? Who was there? What did you feel? How did things look and smell? What happened? Take some time to recall it in detail. For me, it was inside an old, rickety church on a hillside in Jerome, Arizona. It was about 9 PM on a Saturday evening. I was with my friends Jenny, Brad, and Laura. We were praying, singing, and laughing. When was it for you? Remembering the details isn't empty nostalgia. It reminds us now that God's love for us in our humanity is real.

— Father John Muir





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### **Bible Study**

#### **WHEN YOU PRAY: A CLEAR PATH TO A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD**



There is still time to join in the latest Bible Study which began on **January 9**. Meet in the Parish Hall on Tuesdays from 6pm-8pm.

You know prayer is important but still find it challenging. Perhaps it's hard to find time, or you're unsure what to do when you pray. Or maybe you feel discouraged by your weaknesses and your inability to overcome them.

If you have any of these feelings, you are not alone. Many of the saints struggled in prayer. They were like us. But each time they fell, they got up again and learned to rely more on God's grace.

What God did in the lives of countless saints, he wants to do in the lives of ordinary people like us. And that's what this study is about: the journey of prayer God wants to take us on.

[ascensionpress.com/collections/when-you-pray-a-clear-path-to-a-deeper-relationship-with-god/products/when-you-pray-a-clear-path-to-a-deeper-relationship-with-god-set-with-digital-access:](https://ascensionpress.com/collections/when-you-pray-a-clear-path-to-a-deeper-relationship-with-god/products/when-you-pray-a-clear-path-to-a-deeper-relationship-with-god-set-with-digital-access)  
\$26.95 study set with digital access

[ascensionpress.com/collections/when-you-pray-a-clear-path-to-a-deeper-relationship-with-god:](https://ascensionpress.com/collections/when-you-pray-a-clear-path-to-a-deeper-relationship-with-god)  
\$24.95 study set only

### **Upcoming Bible Study**

#### **REVELATION, THE KINGDOM YET TO COME**



A 10 week course beginning **January 16** from 9am-11am in the Parish Hall

An intriguing eleven-session study program that shows how the kingdom established by Christ in his Church is intimately connected with the kingdom of heaven. In this study, presenter Jeff Cavins pulls back the veil on the rich symbolism present in Revelation. Discover what the mysterious figures and images of Revelation mean and see how Revelation is more than an apocalyptic vision of the "end times." Explore the Church's teaching on the second coming of Christ and the Last Judgment. Understand how God, the Divine Bridegroom, and the Church, his spotless bride, enter into a heavenly, holy, and mystical marriage every time we celebrate Mass.

[ascensionpress.com/collections/revelation-the-kingdom-yet-to-come/products/revelation-the-kingdom-yet-to-come-study-set-1](https://ascensionpress.com/collections/revelation-the-kingdom-yet-to-come/products/revelation-the-kingdom-yet-to-come-study-set-1) \$29.95 with digital access

[ascensionpress.com/products/copy-of-revelation-the-kingdom-yet-to-come-study-set](https://ascensionpress.com/products/copy-of-revelation-the-kingdom-yet-to-come-study-set) \$27.95 study set only

Note: (We will be using a video that the Church purchased about 10 years ago so if you buy a new study guide there may be some slight variations).



### **January 16-24, 2024**

9 Days for Life is an annual novena for the protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life.

On January 22, 1973, the Supreme Court legalized abortion throughout the United States in its companion decisions *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*. Since that time, millions of children have lost their lives, and millions of women and families have been wounded by abortion.

On June 24, 2022, the *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization* decision overturned *Roe v. Wade*, and we praise God for the great opportunity state and federal legislators now have to protect pre-born children. While God, in His mercy, ended the nearly fifty-year nationwide regime of abortion on demand, right now state and federal laws, in many instances, are still hostile to pre-born children. So, great prayer and advocacy is very needed.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), No. 373, designates January 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance, called the "Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn children."

Sign up to receive the daily prayers via email or text message!  
[www.usccb.org/resources/9-days-life-novena](http://www.usccb.org/resources/9-days-life-novena) or <https://www.respectlife.org/9-days-for-life>

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# week of prayer for christian unity 2024



The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (WPCU), **January 18-25, 2024**, is an ecumenical opportunity for Christians around the world to take part in an octave of prayer for visible unity. Through our observance of the WPCU, Christians move toward the fulfillment of Jesus' prayer to the Father "that they all may be one" (cf. John 17:21).

This year's theme is "You shall love the Lord your God ... and your neighbor as yourself." The theme highlights the call to charity, mercy and justice which is shared by all Christians as brothers and sisters in Christ.

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has published materials for use during the WPCU, including reflections for the week of prayer: [www.usccb.org/committees/ecumenical-interreligious-affairs/week-prayer-christian-unity-2024](http://www.usccb.org/committees/ecumenical-interreligious-affairs/week-prayer-christian-unity-2024).

Additionally, the Graymoor Ecumenical and Interreligious Institute has published sample prayers for the general intercessions which may be used during the week's liturgies: [geii.org/week\\_of\\_prayer\\_for\\_christian\\_unity/prayer\\_worship/sample\\_prayers.html](http://geii.org/week_of_prayer_for_christian_unity/prayer_worship/sample_prayers.html).



## National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

**English: 1-800-273-8255 Español: 1-800-628-9454**

**24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals in the United States.**

### Access & Crisis Line



**CRISIS LINE**

(888) 724 - 7240  
7 Days a Week 24 Hours a Day



**LIVE CHAT**

Available Mon-Fri (4pm -10pm)

**If there is an immediate danger to someone or a medical emergency, call 9-1-1**

**National Domestic Violence Hotline**

**Call 1.800.799.SAFE (7233)**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Father Joe's Villages Ladies Guild

FATHER JOE'S VILLAGES LADIES GUILD INVITES YOU TO UNLEASH YOUR SOUPER POWERS

## "A SOUPER BOWL OF CARING"

Monday, February 12, 2024

**St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church Parish Hall**  
**11451 Blue Cypress Drive, San Diego, CA 92131**

Join the annual Ladies Guild fundraiser for a fundraiser/soup and salad luncheon and auction, benefiting the children sheltering at Father Joe's Villages

\$60.00 per person ; Make checks payable to Village Ladies Guild, credit cards also accepted

Mail reservations by Jan.31 to Brenda Lane, 1205 Pacific Highway #902, San Diego, CA 92101

Further information contact: Margie Mills-margie.r.mills@gmail.com

