

QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Alpine, CA 91901
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

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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 858-0490-8353.

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

Our Annual Catholic Appeal enables us to fund our Pastoral Center ministry offices and programs that help our community members to live their faith. They include 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.

We ask you to prayerfully consider how the Lord is inviting you to give towards this year's appeal. Your continued generosity in support of our local Church is vital to the mission of the Universal Catholic Church.

"Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift..."

GOAL: \$23,411.00 PLEDGE: \$13,562.90 BALANCE: \$ 9,848.10

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS AUGUST 9-17, 2025

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 (12b)/
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/
Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8/Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12/
Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17/
Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/
Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/
1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11/
Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18 (14b)/
Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Saturday, Aug 9	5:30 PM	†Felipe Villa
Sunday, Aug 10	8:00 AM	†LouAnn Yelvington
Sunday, Aug 10	10:30 AM	†Thomas Seculoff
Monday, Aug 11	7:30 AM	Rosary
Tuesday, Aug 12	7:30 AM	Rosary
Wednesday, Aug 13	7:30 AM	Rosary
Thursday, Aug 14	7:30 AM	Rosary
Friday, Aug 15	8:00 AM	†Beverly Bohacek
Friday, Aug 15	6:00 PM	†Louie Mattar
Saturday, Aug 16	5:30 PM	†Joaquin Luquin
Sunday, Aug 17	8:00 AM	†George W. Smith
Sunday, Aug 17	10:30 AM	†Gilbert Thaddeus Gembacz

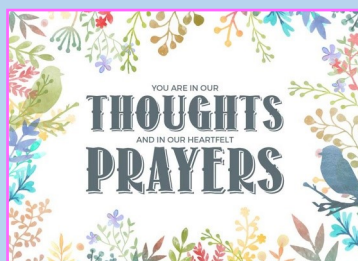
PRAYER REQUEST

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



Nonie Beach
Nancy Clark
Alice Duke
Nathan Farmer
Michael Figueroa
Mike Gust
June Hill
Eugene Isaacs
Marie Kerswell
Jason Laccone
Dale Lee
Steve Mc Meeken
James Meek
Jerry Price
Renee Schmiedeberg
Samuel Schwartz
Kailyn & Charis Whaley
Sheila Yagura

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

**Deployed Military**

Meagan Abad, LT
Matthew D. Fuller, PV2
William W. Fuller II, PFC
Nicholas Johnson LT
Edward R.M. Lopez, SSgt
David J. McIntyre, PFC
Nicholas Palstorm, E8
Joshua Rosson, PFC
Jacob Tweed, HM3



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.

Names remain listed for four weeks and can be renewed by contacting Darlene Ames at bulletinqofa@gmail.com.

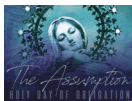
ANNOUNCEMENTS



Knights of Columbus There will be a Council meeting on Tuesday, **August 12**, at 7:00 PM in the parish hall. All Knights are encouraged to attend.



Please Take Note There will be NO morning Mass **August 12-14**. Please however consider joining us as we recite the rosary at 7:30 AM during these days.



Mark your Calendar Friday, **August 15** is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and IS a Holy Day of Obligation. Plan ahead so you can get to Mass at some point during the day. Mass will be celebrated at 8 AM with Adoration at 8:30 AM and 6 PM to help accommodate this.



OCIA For any adults who are interested in learning more about, or joining, the Catholic Church, or for those who want to complete their sacraments, the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) will begin on Sunday, **September 28** following the 1030 AM Mass. Please check the parish webpage to complete the inquiry form, and please contact Fr. David if you have any questions.

ASSUMPTION OF MARY

JOIN IN OUR LATEST BIBLE STUDY

Wisdom: God's Vision for Life

Seek Wisdom and Increase Your Sense of Peace.

Scripture and the Tradition of the Catholic Church provide an abundance of wisdom, though it can often be challenging to apply it to our lives. In this study, you will examine biblical wisdom as it relates to daily life. Drawing on the wisdom literature of the Bible—Proverbs, Wisdom, Sirach, and Ecclesiastes—this Study will teach you how to actively seek sound guidance and increase your sense of peace in navigating life.

DATES, TIMES, LOCATION

Beginning Thursday, September 11, 2025
from 6 PM-8 PM for 8 weeks in the parish hall.

COST/REGISTRATION

Registration is free.
\$22.95+tax+shipping for the Journal.

ascensionpress.com/products/wisdom-gods-vision-for-life-journal-1?

This study will follow right into; *Foundations of Faith*.
If you choose to purchase the journal and the study set together the link is:

ascensionpress.com/products/foundations-of-faith-a-journey-through-the-catechism-of-the-catholic-church-study-set

You are Invited to the

Queenship of Mary PARISH FESTIVAL

on

Sunday, August 24th
From 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM
in lower church parking lot

MENU:

Taco Cart, Mexican Drinks,
Water, Ice Cream/Popsicles
(All Food & Drinks are complimentary)
(4 pm-6:30 pm)

FEATURE ATTRACTIONS:

50/50 Raffle

Water Slide

(4 pm-6:30 pm)
(12 & under; Responsible Family Member must be present)

& the MAIN EVENT; a

DUNK TANK

featuring

FATHER DAVID!!

Ever been upset with Father?
Wondered what color his beard is when it gets wet?
Do priests walk on water?

PAY IT FORWARD,

Test your Throwing Accuracy
& **Make a Splash by dunking Father David**

(4 pm-6 pm or until
3 balls for \$5, 7 balls for \$10
(No Beanballs PLEASE!))

Mark your Calendars & See you There!!

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St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology

Sunday Bible Reflection

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wisdom 18:6–9
Psalm 33:1, 12, 18–22
Hebrews 11:1–2, 8–19
Luke 12:35–40

Faith of Our Fathers

We are born of the faith of our fathers, descending from a great cloud of witnesses whose faith is attested to on every page of Scripture (see Hebrews 12:1). We have been made His people, chosen for His own inheritance, as we sing in this Sunday's Psalm.

The Liturgy this week sings the praises of our fathers, recalling the defining moments in our “family history.” In the Epistle, we remember the calling of Abraham; in the First Reading we relive the night of the Exodus and the summons of the holy children of Israel.

Our fathers, we are told, trusted in the Word of God, put their faith in His oaths. They were convinced that what He promised, He would do.

None of them lived to see His promises made good. For it was not until Christ and His Church that Abraham's descendants were made as countless as the stars and sands (see Galatians 3:16–17, 29). It was not until His Last Supper and the Eucharist that “the sacrifice . . . the divine institution” of that first Passover was truly fulfilled.

And now we too await the final fulfillment of what God has promised us in Christ. As Jesus tells us in this week's Gospel, we should live with our loins girded—as the Israelites tightened their belts, cinched up their long robes and ate their Passover standing, vigilant and ready to do His will (see Exodus 12:11; 2 Kings 4:29).

The Lord will come at an hour we do not expect. He will knock on our door (see Revelation 3:20), inviting us to the wedding feast in the better homeland, the heavenly one that our fathers saw from afar, and which we begin to taste in each Eucharist.

As they did, we can wait with “sure knowledge,” His Word like a lamp lighting our path (see Psalm 119:105). Our God is faithful, and if we wait in faith, hope in His kindness, and love as we have been loved, we will receive His promised blessing and be delivered from death.



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WELCOME TO

QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

We warmly welcome all visitors to our parish, the heart of our Catholic Faith-life in Alpine since 1951. Thank you for joining us for Divine Worship. We hope you will find ways to participate in and support our parish life and mission by sharing your time, talent and treasure.

If you have been coming here but are not registered or if you just moved into the area, we invite you to join us a member of our parish family, using the registration form below or stopping by the Parish office. Your registration makes it possible for us to communicate with you and to plan and provide for your needs more effectively. All Catholic adults living in the parish and regularly participating in the Liturgy here are asked to register in the parish. Church attendance alone does not make you and your household registered members of our parish family. Registration is required for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage and enrollment in our religious education programs.

Register, Participate, and Share your Gifts and Talents.

To register, please fill out the form below or contact the office at 619-445-2145 during regular business hours.

REGISTRATION FORM FOR "NEW" PARISHIONERS

Information: (Please cut and drop in the offering basket or bring into the office)

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Street Address _____ Cell # _____

City, State & Zip _____ Email _____

(this registration form will be followed by an email to obtain more information)

WWMD?

WWJD bracelets were all the rage about 25 years ago in Christian circles. I've always wondered if a WWMD bracelet might not make just as much sense, and maybe more. What Would Mary Do?

I would argue that Mary was the most exemplary steward who ever lived. Her answer was always "Yes." Yes, Lord, I am Your handmaiden. Yes, I will visit Elizabeth, and help her in the last difficult months of pregnancy. Yes, I will bring my son up in the Mosaic law and present him at the Temple of Jerusalem. Yes, I will give him to the crowds and to public ministry. Yes, I will offer him on this Cross, if it is Your will.

Yes, yes, yes.

Well, I can't be like Mary, we think to ourselves. There's an intimidation factor with the Blessed Mother and Catholics sometimes — one that almost exceeds that of Christ. Perhaps it's because we are in awe of the fact that she was not divine in any way — she was a mere creation, like us — but somehow, she always had the courage to say yes. How could she do it, when we find it so hard?

Well, God certainly lavished on Mary extraordinary graces. Her lack of original sin liberated her to conform her will to God's.

But God is impatient to give us, too, all the graces we need to be a steward in the example of Mary. He's waiting for us simply to ask. Just as in Adam we died, so in Christ — through Mary — we live.

What can we say yes to today, in Mary's example?

~ Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

ANNOUNCEMENTS**BENEATH THE SURFACE**

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Mini reflection: We all love a message about The Right Thing To Do. We all love when a priest or a nun or any Catholic with a microphone gets up and talks about the truth. We rise to our feet and applaud. And then, too often, we take a deep breath and walk to our car and forget all about it — because we think they were talking to someone else.

Are You Talking To Me?

Last summer I was at the National Eucharistic Congress when Fr. Mike Schmitz delivered an impassioned call to repentance in his keynote address during an evening revival session. The crowd received his message with great enthusiasm. Their applause and the cheers shook the Lucas Oil Stadium.

The next night, Sr. Josephine Garrett took the stage and, in her address, got into the nitty-gritty of what it means to be a disciple, what it means to live repentance — or, as she so beautifully put it, to embrace the hunger.

And in doing so, she called back to the previous night's thunderous approval of Fr. Mike's message.

"When I heard you clapping when Father said we need repentance, I was worried you thought he was talking about your neighbor's repentance," she said. "He is not."

In other words: he's talking about your repentance.

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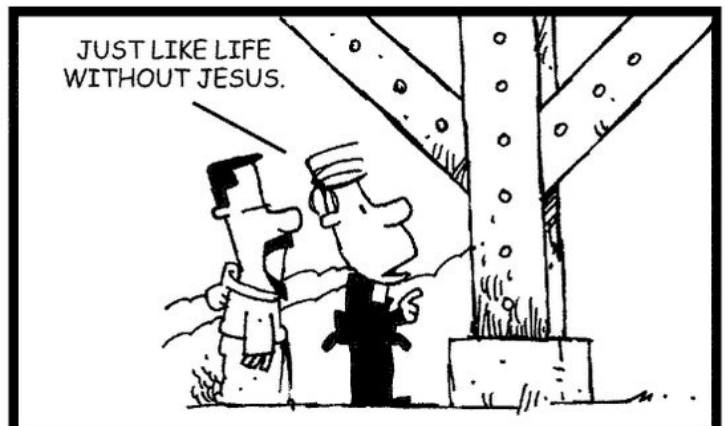
And then, too often, we take a deep breath and walk to our car and forget all about it — because we think they were talking to someone else. You know...the others. The ones who need to hear it. The ones who aren't being vigilant.

In today's Gospel, Peter asks Jesus, "Is this parable [of the absent master] meant for us, or for everyone?" (Luke 12:41). And Jesus answers him with a question. In so many words, he says this: "Do you want it to be for you? Are you ready to hear it?"

Whoever we are. Wherever we're from. Whatever our life looks like. However we pray. He's talking to us.

Are we ready to hear him?

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14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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HelpOurMarriage.org **RETROUVAILLE** A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Retrouvaille—Marriage Help

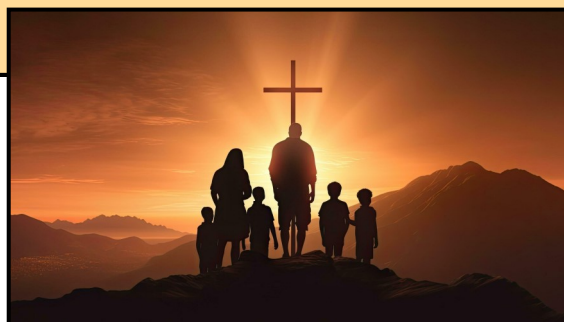
Retrouvaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It helps a husband and a wife rediscover or reawaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together.

The next Retrouvaille Weekend for couples is
September 26-28, 2025.

For more info, or to register, call (951) 259-9474 or visit
HelpOurMarriage-sandiego.org.

*"The family is such a beautiful gift of God -
the place where we first learn that we are
made for greater things, to love and to be
loved."*

-St. Teresa of Calcutta



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Sunday, August 31st 2025
11am-5pm Free entrance & parking

(2) \$500 Grand Prize
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Beer Garden, Vendors, Kid's Games,
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Labor Day Sunday

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Catholic Church & School

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A Marriage Mystagogy

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Growing in your marriage is truly a lifelong
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tools to help you in your marriage today.

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THE MONTH

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COUPLES OF ALL AGES
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