

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

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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



READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS DECEMBER 6-14, 2025

Sunday: Is 11:1-10/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17 (see 7)/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12
Monday: Gn 3:9-15/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday: Is 40:1-11/Ps 96:1-2, 3 and 10ac, 11-12, 13/Mt 18:12-14
Wednesday: Is 40:25-31/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and 10/Mt 11:28-30
Thursday: Gn 3:9-15, 20/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38
Friday: Is 48:17-19/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Mt 11:16-19
Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16, 18-19/Mt 17:9a, 10-13
Next Sunday: Is 35:1-6a, 10/Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10/Jas 5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Saturday, Dec 6	9:00 AM	The Souls in Purgatory
Saturday, Dec 6	5:30 PM	Ryan Andreoli
Sunday, Dec 7	8:00 AM	The Souls in Purgatory
Sunday, Dec 7	10:30 AM	Cody & Kaitlyn Morgan
Monday, Dec 8	8:00 AM	†Bernadette Gross
Monday, Dec 8	6:00 PM	The Souls in Purgatory
Tuesday, Dec 9	8:00AM	Pope Leo XIV
Wednesday, Dec 10	8:00 AM	The Souls in Purgatory
Thursday, Dec 11	8:00 AM	Father David Exner
Friday, Dec 12	8:00 AM	The Souls in Purgatory
Saturday, Dec 13	5:30 PM	†Robert Petrich
Sunday, Dec 14	8:00 AM	The Unborn & their Mothers
Sunday, Dec 14	10:30 AM	An End to Human Trafficking

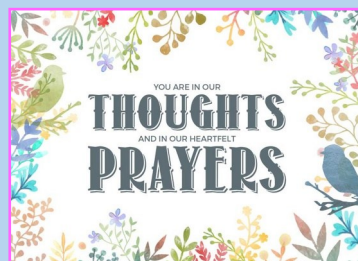
PRAYER REQUEST

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



Ryan Andreoli
Katie Clark
Nancy Clark
Tina Durante
Gary Kruger
Grace Grogg
June Hill
Ida House
Eugene Isaacs
Jason Laccone
James Meek
Silvia Medina
Marion Montgomery
Jerry Price
Kailyn & Charis Whaley

...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.

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Monthly ECPC Collection Please leave your donations after all the Masses this weekend, **December 6-7**, in the "**ECPC COLLECTION CHEST**" directly behind the church. You can access the chest any day of the week. Please remember to close the lid when you are finished, and **PLEASE** only leave maternity and baby clothing.



Feast of the Immaculate Conception Monday, **December 8**, is the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin and **IS** a Holy Day of Obligation. Join us as we celebrate Mass at 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM.



Knights of Columbus Attention fellow Knights: Our monthly Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, **December 9**, at 7:00 PM in the parish hall. All Knights are encouraged to attend.



Penance Service "Make straight His path" to your heart in a very real way by attending a special evening Advent Parish Penance Service here at Queen of Angels on **December 11** at 7 PM.



Queen of Angels High School Youth Group Our weekly meeting will be on Thursday, **December 11** from 6:00 PM — 8:30 PM in the parish hall. Open to all high school aged youth. SEE YOU THERE!



Adoration & Confession Please make note: In the month of December, Adoration & Confessions on Saturdays will begin at **3:30 PM**. Mark your calendars to remember and reflect this change.



Faith Formation Schedule Following is the schedule for classes during the Christmas holiday:

- Faith Formation & Confirmation:**
- December 14: Family of Faith-La Posada**
- December 21: No class**
- December 28: No class**
- January 4: Class resumes**



All Souls' Day Novena Commemoration Candles If you Purchased any All Souls' day Novena Commemoration Candles in memory and for remembrance of your deceased loved one(s), you may pick up your candle(s) & any original photos in the multi-purpose/donut room after ALL the Masses.

Queen of Angels Giving Tree November 29-December 28



This year we continue our Giving Tree practice with its home in the back of the church. Take an envelope off the Giving Tree and donate cash for Rancho Nazareth (Tecate) and Villa Anahuac, or monetary donations; cash or checks for Children of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, East County Pregnancy Care Center and Almsgiving for the Parish Poor.

PLEASE NOTE:

We can only accept CASH donations for the Rancho Nazareth (Tecate) and Villa Anahuac.

Halloween Candy Collection for Casa de los Pobres A great big THANK YOU to you the parishioners of Queen of Angels. Your donations of leftover Halloween candy and toothbrushes & toothpaste for the Christmas distribution at the Casa de los Pobres (House of the Poor) in Tijuana, Mexico was incredible! This special treat for those who have so little will mean so much to them at Christmas time.



Queen of Angels Women's Auxiliary Annual Christmas Bake Sale is Here!

After all Masses this weekend,
December 6 & 7

All parishioners are encouraged to donate a baked good which can be dropped off in the St. Lawrence; Multipurpose/Donut Room **before any Mass you attend on December 6 or 7.**

All proceeds will support and benefit our Diocese's Seminarians, January's Parish Woman's Retreat and other Auxiliary projects.

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD 2025 MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve Vigil
Wednesday, December 24
4:00 PM, 7:00 PM

Christmas
Thursday, December 25
9:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Mary, The Mother of God
Wednesday, December 31
4:00 PM
Thursday, January 1, 2026
9:00 AM



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Prepare the Way of the Lord by Preparing Your Heart

Experience God's loving forgiveness in this sacrament. There will be a Service of the Word followed by the opportunity for individual reception of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

In addition to the regularly scheduled confession times (Tues-Fri 7:30 AM, Sat 4 PM) here at Queen of Angels, there will also be several Advent penance services throughout the El Cajon deanery in the coming weeks:

(unless otherwise noted, all penance services begin at 7 PM)

Tuesday, Dec 9 – Our Lady of Grace (El Cajon)

Wednesday, Dec 10 – Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Lakeside) 10 AM

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Thursday, Dec 11 – **Queen of Angels (Alpine)**

Monday, Dec 15 – Guardian Angels (Santee)

Tuesday, Dec 16 – St. John of the Cross (Lemon Grove)

Wednesday, Dec 17 – St. Therese (San Diego)

Friday, Dec 19 – Holy Trinity (El Cajon)

Friday, Dec 19 – St. Tekakwitha (Lakeside/Barona)

You are Invited to
La Posada

Join us for Food,
Music, a Pinata
& More!

Sunday, December 14
after the 10:30 AM Mass

To add to the
festivities,
PLEASE bring
a dessert to
share with
others

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WELCOME TO QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITY

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.

Registration is required for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage and enrollment in our religious education programs.

Register, Participate, and Share your Gifts and Talents.

REGISTRATION FORM FOR "NEW" PARISHIONERS

Information: (Please cut and drop in the offering basket)

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Street Address _____ Cell Phone _____

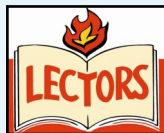
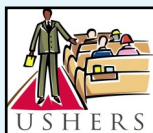
City, State & Zip _____ Email _____

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

We at Queen of Angels are always in need of more
Altar Servers, Communion Ministers, Lectors, Ushers
& Choir Members.

These volunteer positions are a vital and integral part of
celebrating Mass and are not only necessary but
rewarding as well.

If you can assist with any of these positions please
contact the parish office at 619.445.2145.
We will work with your availability to serve at the Mass
which you now attend.



Peace in the Womb Christmas Caroling

In the Christmas story, hope enters the world through the birth of a child even in midst of difficult circumstances. Please join us as we sing carols and share this Christmas hope where it is needed most....Planned Parenthood. As you know there can never be peace in the world, until there is peace in the womb!

When: Saturday December 13th,

10:30 AM – 11:30 AM

Where: Planned Parenthood -
1685 E. Main El Cajon



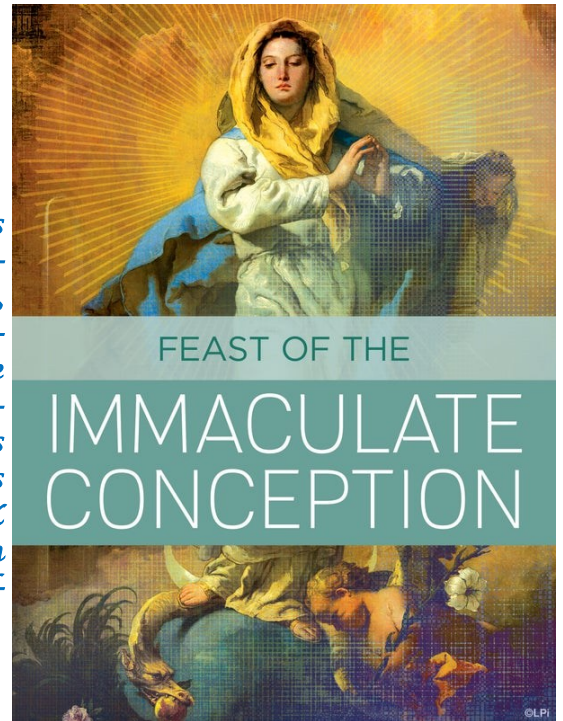
Please plan on joining us!

Be a part of bringing hope, joy, and light, to one of the darkest places on earth, in the hopes of saving lives and changing hearts!

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Immaculate Conception

"Immaculate Mary, your praises we sing!" December 8th is one of our feasts celebrating Mary - the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. From the beginnings of the Church, spiritual writers and theologians have acknowledged the innocence and holiness of Mary. St. Irenaeus called her the "new Eve." Both faced with the pure freedom to accept or reject God, Mary began with work of redemption with her yes to Christ! The Church began to celebrate the feast of Mary's conception in the early Middle Ages. In 1854, Pope Pius IX infallibly declared that Mary was free of original sin from the first moment of her conception. On this feast day, we celebrate the beauty and goodness of Our Lady!



Our Lady of Guadalupe

Question:

Is Our Lady of Guadalupe only a cultural devotion?

Answer:

You may be familiar with Our Lady of Guadalupe from devotions in Hispanic communities. There is a rich heritage originating in Mexico, the site of the apparition of Our Lady of Guadalupe. But Mary is for all of us! Our Lady of Guadalupe is, in fact, named the patroness of *all* the Americas, from the Chilean Patagonian mountains to the Arctic islands of Canada. After Mary appeared to St. Juan Diego as a young, mestizo woman, conversions to Catholicism began to grow exponentially throughout Latin America. Our Lady of Guadalupe has been meaningful to the Mexican people, and her image and devotions have been incorporated as broader symbols of culture.

This apparition inspires across lines of nationality and culture. Juan Diego, recipient of the apparition, was a poor laborer. The famous image of Our Lady of Guadalupe did not appear on silk or stone, but on the simple, natural woven fibers of Juan Diego's tunic. The apparition affirms the dignity of the poor and shows striking solidarity. Mary appeared as the people appeared. In the apparition, Mary is indeed radiant, with the sun behind her and a cloak of stars around her. But her dress is simple, and she is pregnant. This apparition also reminds us of the sanctity of life and the need for life's protection at all stages. Mary's moving words to Juan Diego are words for us all: *"Am I not here who am your mother? Are you not under my shadow and protection? Are you not in the folds of my mantle, in the crossing of my arms?"*

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DON'T FORGET TO COME OUT AND SUPPORT OUR **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** FOR THEIR **6TH ANNUAL CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT** ON **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13** IN THE CHURCH LOWER PARKING LOT.

FOOD AND DRINKS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AND THERE WILL BE A KIDS PLAY AREA WITH A BOUNCE HOUSE.
SEE YOU THERE!

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Poinsettia Memoriam



If you would like to have a poinsettia placed at the altar for Christmas in memory of a family member or friend, please complete the following form. You may return this form to the parish office or place it in the weekend collection basket.

(Please use one form per donation.) The suggested donation for each intention is \$15.00.

In memory of: _____
Donated by: _____

The names will be listed in memoriam at Christmas time.



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