

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

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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



The 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal "Advancing Our Mission"
Queen of Angels assessment for 2025 is \$23,411.00.
 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 each of you has."
 — 1 Peter 4:10
 If you cannot donate at this time, we ask you to pray for a successful 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal for our parish.

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS MAY 31-JUNE 8, 2025

Sunday: Acts 7:55-60/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26
 Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53
Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21/Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19
Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Saturday: *Morning:* Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20-25
Next Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Saturday, May 31	5:30 PM	Michael Gonzales
Sunday, Jun 1	8:00 AM	†Chik Hylton
Sunday, Jun 1	10:30 AM	LouAnn Yelvington
Monday, Jun 2	7:30 AM	Rosary
Tuesday, Jun 3	8:00 AM	Unborn & Their Mothers
Wednesday, Jun 4	8:00 AM	The Souls in Purgatory
Thursday, Jun 5	8:00 AM	Pope Leo XIV
Friday, Jun 6	11:30 AM	LouAnn Yelvington
Saturday, Jun 7	9:00 AM	The Souls in Purgatory
Saturday, Jun 7	5:30 PM	Charles & Delma Brealey
Sunday, Jun 8	8:00 AM	†Max Empizo
Sunday, Jun 8	10:30 AM	The Souls in Purgatory

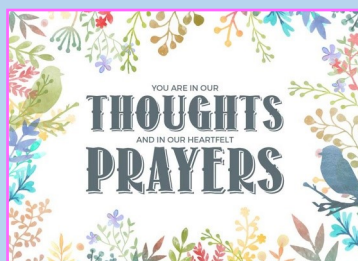
PRAYER REQUEST

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



Kelly Barker
 Nancy Clark
 Nathan Farmer
 Ana Garcia
 Mike Gust
 June Hill
 Eugene Isaacs
 Jason Laccone
 Katie Clark Larson
 Dale Lee
 Susan Lopez
 Steve McMeeken
 Therese More
 Sarah Rusinak
 Renee Schmiedeberg
 Pat Vacio
 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 ECPCC Collection Please leave your donations after all the Masses this weekend, **May 31-June 1**, in the "ECPCC COLLECTION CHEST" directly behind the church, near the back door of the multi-purpose room. You can access the chest any day of the week. Please remember to close the lid tightly when you are finished, and **PLEASE** only leave maternity and baby clothing. As always, thank you for your support!



Father's Day Novena Cards Remember Fathers, living or deceased, in our Novena of Masses for Mother's Day **June 15**. Please pick up a card at the front entrance of the church and return it to the office or drop it into the collection box.



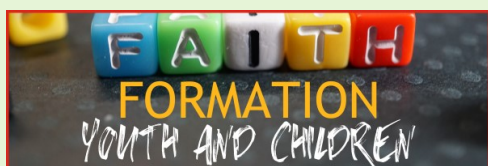
First Friday to Adore the Sacred Heart of Jesus-June 6

9:30 AM—Rosary
10:00 AM—Adoration/Reconciliation
11:30 AM—Mass



First Saturday Devotions to the Immaculate Heart of Mary— June 7

8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass



Registration for the 2025-2026 Year is officially OPEN!

Registration is done online. The link to registration can be found on the parish website

queenofangels.org

PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

Registration is **FREE** from now until the July 31, so sign up early and sign up **NOW** to avoid any charges!

After July 31 charges per child will occur.

As we continue to celebrate our
75th Anniversary
as a parish, you are invited to a



ITALIAN PARISH POTLUCK



hosted by the

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

on

Sunday, June 8th
after the 10:30 AM Mass
in the parish hall

In celebration of the

Feast of Pentecost

Main dishes will be supplied by the Woman's Auxiliary and the Parish, but we need volunteers to help provide

APPETIZERS/BREAD, SALADS, DESSERT & DRINKS

If you like to provide a food item or have any questions please stop by the table in the portico either before or after Mass to inquire and/or sign up.

See you there as Queen of Angels celebrates with great joy in the birth of the Catholic Church in the

Feast of Pentecost



(Don't forget to wear **red**!)

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Friends,

As we fast approach the conclusion of the Easter season, highlighted by the great feasts of the Ascension (celebrated this Sunday) and Pentecost (next Sunday), I would like to briefly turn to the topic of prayer. After Jesus ascended into heaven, his disciples returned to Jerusalem as he instructed them to do, where they spent the next nine days in prayer (incidentally: the first novena) before the Holy Spirit descended upon them on the day of Pentecost, in appearance like tongues of fire. As we consider the life and ministry of Jesus, we also recall that we are specifically told of several different times where Jesus prays, including a couple times when he spends the entire night in prayer: before choosing the twelve, before teaching his apostles how to pray, and a third time when his night-long vigil was cut short, in the Garden of Gethsemane. In his last supper discourse (Jn 14-17, which ends with Jesus praying for his all of his followers, including us), Jesus also tells his apostles that he is the vine and they are the branches, and that they must remain in him. All of this, which is just scratching the surface, is to say that it does not take a doctorate in theology to figure out that prayer is important, even essential.

It would take more space than I have here to really dive into the richness of being connected to Christ the vine, so instead, as we celebrate the Ascension this weekend, I would like to instead encourage everyone to spend the days between now and Pentecost in prayer. I don't mean that you need to spend 20 hours a day trying to contemplate the mysteries of God or else you've failed, but let's follow the example of the very first Christians, our older brothers and sisters in the faith, who spent those days praying for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. In particular, if there is something in your life that maybe you have hesitated to talk to God about, or to ask Him for, especially in regards to the spiritual life or growing in holiness, ASK HIM. Ask the Holy Spirit for an outpouring of every grace that you need to become a saint, to become a better spouse and parent, to find your vocation, to grow in virtue, to overcome a habitual sin, to heal from a wound in your past, whatever it is that is weighing heavily on your heart, but ask Him! Pray, and be audacious when you do! And if you're not sure what to ask for, tell Him that, and then ask Him to give you whatever gift He wants to receive. While we must remember to never treat prayer like a vending machine – I do not put in a dollar, pick exactly what I want, and then throw a tantrum when it isn't exactly what I expected, when I expected it – we should boldly approach the throne of grace (cf. Heb 4:16), recognizing that we are not slaves, but beloved children. Pray for an outpouring grace in your life and your family, and be assured of my prayers during these days leading up to Pentecost for you; and when you have a moment, please also pray for me.

With great hope and expectation,

Fr. David

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Queen of Angels Council #10118

Andrew Tompkins Memorial College Scholarship Award



Andrew Joseph Tompkins was born to Diana and Paul Tompkins on Easter Sunday, April 12, 1998. He is survived by two sisters, Marion and Julia. He received the sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion, and Confirmation at our family parish, Queen of Angels Church in Alpine, California. He was very active in our parish as a member of the children's choir, a long-time altar server, a member of the 412 Church Youth Ministry Group, and he attended the Steubenville Youth Conferences throughout his high school years.

Andrew graduated from Granite Hills High School in 2016 and attended the University of La Verne (ULV) on an academic scholarship to study business marketing. He received the Knights of Columbus scholarship award for the two years he attended ULV and was grateful to the Knights Council for the financial support. Andrew had a passion for learning. He was an Honor Student and an accomplished swimmer and diver in high school and college.

Unfortunately, Andrew was diagnosed with cancer in his second year of college and was forced to suspend his studies while he had surgery and went through chemotherapy for several months. After a very tough battle, the Lord called him home on September 22, 2019 at the age of 21. While Andrew's time at ULV was short, he completed enough units to receive his Associate of Arts degree (posthumous). He was a natural born student and loved school and university life. He would be honored to know that this scholarship fund is now named after him. Indeed, his family is honored that Andrew's memory will live on through all students who go off to college with big hopes and dreams and remain strong in the Catholic faith.

The Knight of Columbus will once again be awarding scholarships to practicing Catholics and members of Queen of Angels Parish. Applicants must be a senior in a Catholic, Public, Charter or accredited Home High School or a full-time student at an accredited College or Trade School. Applications are available online at queenofangels.org.

Applications must be completed and **POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN JULY 31ST, 2025 to be considered.**

**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.**



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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS COMING!

July 28-August 1, 2025

9:00am—12:00pm

For children entering Kindergarten through 8th Grade

**To Register Your Child,
Please Visit**

the Queen of Angels website at queenofangels.org
and click on "TRUE NORTH"

Space is limited.
(Payment guarantees placement).

For any questions or more information contact
Rebecca in the parish office at 619-445-2145
during normal business hours.

(The TRUE NORTH Program focuses on helping kids discover
their true direction through faith in Jesus.)

In celebration of our **75th Anniversary**
as a parish, we will be hosting a variety of parish events
throughout the remainder of the calendar year.

Dates to Remember

June 8: Parish Italian Pentecost Potluck

August 24-25: Queenship of Mary Weekend
(BIG Celebration)

September 21: Exaltation of the Cross,
Blessing of Catechist & Ministers

Please note that the 75th Anniversary envelopes by
the church entrances are for if you would like to
donate to this specifically. Please also stay posted
for further updates and information on these parish
celebrations.



*On May 18, the Ladies Auxiliary
hosted a record turnout for the last
Family of Faith Formation breakfast
for the year.*

*The children, parents, and ladies
enjoyed the food and the community
spirit of everyone coming together in
sharing God's word and love.*

*Enjoy your Summer and
See You Next Year!!*



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Pope Appoints Bishop of San Diego

Pope Leo XIV has appointed Most Rev. Michael Pham, auxiliary bishop of San Diego and diocesan administrator, as the seventh Bishop of San Diego on May 22nd. He is the nation's first Vietnamese American bishop.

Bishop Pham has served our diocese since his priestly ordination in 1999 and has held several leadership posts since then. He was named auxiliary bishop in 2023, served as Vicar for Clergy, and most recently was elected diocesan administrator. Pray for the newest shepherd of our Diocese, Bishop Michael Pham.

We rejoice his appointment!

"With profound gratitude and blessing, I receive my appointment to be the seventh Bishop of the Diocese of San Diego. I cannot express enough how grateful I am to God for blessing me with graces to serve God's people. I am deeply thankful to Pope Leo XIV who entrusted me with this portion of the Lord's vineyard. It brings an added sense of awe as I am a son to this diocese. It is an honor to serve 'my home,' where I received my call and vocation to the priesthood more than 31 years ago. My priestly ministry has been greatly nurtured and enriched all these years. "The Good Shepherd knows His sheep, and they know Him. I find great joy and hope in these words, as I assume my new role as bishop, shepherd, and brother to a wonderful community of bishops, priests, religious men and women, deacons, and lay leaders who have ministered alongside me all these years. I look forward to continuing the mission of our diocese as we embrace the call to be a synodal church where we listen, dialogue, and advance forward with a grateful heart."

United in Christ,
Most Rev. Michael Pham

