

THE MESSENGER

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Holy Sacrifice of The Mass Saturday 5:30 pm Sunday 8:00 am & 10:30 am

> <u>Daily Mass</u> 8:00 am: M, W, Th, F

Holy Days Please see The Messenger



Mary, Queen of Angels, Pray for Us!

First Saturday to Honor the Immaculate Heart of Mary Mass 9:00 am

First Friday to Adore the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Exposition/Adoration 10:30 am-11:15 am (Benediction follows) Confessions 10:35 am-11:15 am Mass 11:30 am

Confession

Sat. 4:00 to 5:00 pm or by appointment

<u>Baptism</u> 4th Sunday of the Month Contact Fr. Timothy

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<u>The Mission of Queen of Angels Church is to:</u> 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.

Church is Handicapped Accessible

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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

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME & TALENT

April	4,	2021

Envelopes Used	66		
Envelope Collections	\$ 4,535.00		
Plate Collections	\$ 435.00		
TOTAL	\$ 4,970.00		

The 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal "*Renewing HOPE*", has begun. Oueen of Angels assessment for 2021 is \$30,000.

This is your opportunity to make possible the work that affects so many in our diocese: assistance to the poor, education of those who attend Catholic schools, formation of new priests and care for our retired priest, evangelization and accompaniment of Young Adults and the consoling presence of Christ for those imprisoned.

Thank you for your support as we participate in living the Church's mission to be a witness of compassion and mercy to those in need.

GOAL: \$30,000.00

PLEDGED: \$15,860.00 BALANCE: \$14,140.00

GOSPEL READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS APRIL 10-18, 2021

Sunday:	Jn 5:1-6
Monday:	Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday:	Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday:	Jn 3:16-21
Thursday:	Jn 3:31-36
Friday:	Jn 6:1-15
Saturday:	Jn 6:16-21
Next Sunday:	Jn 2:1-5a
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DATE Saturday. Apr 10 Sunday, Apr 11 Sunday, Apr 11 Monday, Apr 12 Tuesday, Apr 13 Apr 14 Wednesday, Thursday, Apr 15 Friday, Apr 16 Saturday, Apr 17 Sunday, Apr 18 Sunday, Apr 18

<u>TIME</u> 5:30 pm 8:00 am 10:30 am 8:00 am 8:00 am 8:00 am 5:30 pm 8:00 am 10:30 am

INTENTION

For the People Fr. Richard Heilman Hal Andreoli †Melissa Enwright *Rosary* †PJ Serna †Ann Houser †Melissa Enwright For the People Rev. William Peckman



Continue to Keep in Your Prayers and Hearts those on our Healing and Deployed Military Lists. Amen, I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray,



For Healing

Erika Allen Norman Banks Kelly Barker Karsen Beron Vita Cano Nela Contreras Luke Hayworth June Hill Joan Hoffman Carmen Holt June Kauffman Katie Larson Rufus Moore Evelyn Peoples Joan Smith Jackie Smith Victoria Thrift Jack Welch Kailyn & Charis Whaley Aimee Wolf



Amen, I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, It shall be granted to them by my heavenly father. Matthew 18:19

Deployed Military

LT Meagan Abad Rebekah Meyer, USN HM3 Jacob Tweed 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.

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<u>Religious Education Schedule</u> Following is the schedule for classes during the Easter holiday:

<u>1st-5th Grade:</u> April 11: Classes Resume <u>Jr/Sr High:</u> April 14: Class Resumes



<u>Church Visitation Hours</u> The Church will be open for personal prayer and visitation as follows: <u>Weekdays</u> - 8:00 am to 2:00 pm <u>Saturday</u> - 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm; (new time), Reconciliation is available at 4:00 pm.





IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT BIBLE STUDY



JESUS THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND THE LIFE

A Powerful Study on the Life of Jesus Christ

Every Thursday evening now-June 10 from 6pm-8pm

Class is free. Optional study guide is \$29.95 + shipping. Workbook can be purchased online at: ascensionpress.com/products/jesus-the-way-the-truth-and-the-life

For more information contact Bernadette Mills at 619-823-6558 or rdtoemmausad@gmail.com

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DIVINE	MERCY	SUNDAY

ASCENDED	AWAY	BELIEVE
CAME	CLOTHS	DISCIPLE
EVEN	FATHER	FIRST
FORGIVE	HAND	JESUS
KNOW	LAID	LINEN
LORD	LYING	MAGDALENE
MARY	OTHER	PETER
PLACE	RETAIN	SAID
STOOPED	TAKEN	THEN
TOMB	WEEK	WEEPING

PASTOR'S PAGE

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Naturally speaking, God is known by His perfections just as any artist is known by his works, so the Creator can be known by His creation [Rom 1:19]. From the creation of the universe we can see that God would have certain qualities or 'perfections'. There is what is called the *absolute perfections* of God, absolute meaning that only God can have them. The <u>absolute perfections of God</u> are five: 1) Self-Existence [not created]; 2) Simplicity [does not have parts]; 3) Infinity [unlimited]; 4) Eternal [always was and will be]; and 5) Immutable [does not change].

It is interesting to see that these absolute perfections of God are found in the Divine Revelation of the Old and New Testaments. For instance, in the book of Exodus [3:13]: "But," said Moses to God, "when I go to the Israelites and say to them, `The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' if they ask me, `What is his name?' what am I to tell them?" God replied, "I AM Who AM." Then He added, "This is what you shall tell the Israelites: I AM (YAHWEH) sent me to you." Here, God reveals Himself to Moses as the "Eternal Present"; that is, as eternal, immutable, and infinite. So we have an incidence (among many) where Divine Revelation (Faith) is 100% in compliance with nature (reason). This agrees with The Church's official stance that faith and reason cannot contradict one another.

In addition to the absolute perfections of God, which only God can have as God, there are also what are called <u>the relative</u> <u>perfections of God</u>. Relative, meaning that these are qualities or 'perfections' which are manifested in His relation to creatures through analogy. So, we share in these perfections as we share in a participation with God through nature, and above all grace. Now, of the relative perfections of God, it is impossible for one to know all the perfections found in the Being of God that we participate in, however, there are chiefly five: 1) Wisdom, (e.g. Omnipotence); 2) Goodness; 3) Providence, e.g. God as Cause of all things; 4) Justice; and 5) Mercy, (e.g. Patience & Love).

Interestingly enough, again, as in the absolute perfections of God, we find in Sacred Scripture a correspondence. For instance, Our Lord tells us directly and explicitly of the importance of seeking the Creator in created things, through these perfections of God. Jesus speaks of this directly: *"Be Ye perfect as your Heavenly Father is Perfect."* (Mt 5:48). What should be most important for the Christian is that among all these relative perfections, Our Lord Jesus singles out one – one – as the fountainhead from which flows all that comes to us in this life, and which God wishes to be praised for all eternity. This perfection is the mercy of God. Hence Jesus states: *"Be Ye therefore merciful, as your Father also is Merciful."* (LK 6:36). This is following from the Old Testament Revelation of the Nature of God as a Being that is Mercy Itself. In The Book of Exodus it says:

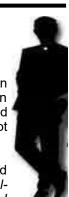
Having come down in a cloud, the LORD stood with him (Moses) there and proclaimed Nis name, "LORD." Thus the LORD passed before Moses and cried out, "The LORD, the LORD, a <u>merciful</u> and gracious God, <u>slow to anger</u> and <u>rich in kindness</u> and <u>fidelity</u>, <u>continuing his kindness</u> for a thousand generations, and <u>forgiving</u> wickedness and crime and sin "And Moses at once bowed down to the ground in worship. [Ex 34:5-8]

So we have another incidence (among many) where Divine Revelation (Faith) is 100% in compliance with nature (reason).

In every book of the Bible – both Old and New Testaments – the Mercy of God is mentioned *repeatedly*, but most often, and most eloquently, in the Book of Psalms. In the total number of 150 Psalms there are 55 Psalms especially praising this divine perfection, and in Psalm 135 each verse repeats as its refrain, "*l*/*for His Mercy endures forever*". In the Bible as a whole there are over four hundred passages in which the Mercy of God is given direct praise; in the Book of Psalms, there are a hundred and thirty; and in innumerable other texts His Mercy is hymned indirectly.

In fact, in the Old Testament, God was approached through what was called the '*propitiatory*' or "*mercy seat*", which was the golden covering of *the Ark of the Covenant*, regarded as the resting place or throne of God [Heb 9:5]. In the New Testament Jesus makes mercy the very hallmark of the Christian:

"You have heard that it was said, 'You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.' But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven; for he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust. For if you love those who love you, what reward have you? ¼You, therefore, must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect." [Mt 5:43ff]



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We can obviously see therefore that the Mercy of God – and the mercy of the Christian – is to be extended to all people *unconditionally*, not just Christians or to those who do good for us. Finally, we see that The Church reinforces the words of Christ in the teaching that ALL CHRITIANS are called to the height of perfection in what is referred to as the Universal call to Holiness (perfection):

"All Christians in any state or walk of life are called to the fullness of Christian life and to the perfection of charity." [*Lumen Gentium* 40] All are called to holiness: "Be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect." CCC 2013

So let us strive for the Christian perfection of charity and be merciful as our Heavenly Father is Merciful to all.

(Based upon the book of Father Michael Sopoko, S.T.D. "The Mercy of God in His Works")

Divine Sunday Blessings,

Father Tim



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East County Young Adults Monthly Night of Worship

Wednesday, April 14th at 5 pm—7 pm Santa Sophia 9800 San Juan St. Spring Valley, CA

San Diego Catholic Night of Adoration

Thursday, April 15th Mary, Star of the Sea, La Jolla 7713 Girard Ave La Jolla, CA 92037

Join East County Young Adults for an evening of Adoration & Confession. Special Mass for Racial Healing

> Thursday, April 15th at 6:30 pm Good Shepherd Parish 8200 Gold Coast Dr. San Diego, CA

Join Bishop McElroy and Auxiliary Bishop Dolan to pray with and for our Asian & Pacific Islander Brothers and Sisters and for the dignity of all people as children of God.

*Mass will be held outdoors. Please bring your own chair. COVID guidelines will be enforced.

Office for Life, Peace & Justice Earth Day Mass

> Saturday, April 17th at 2 pm St. James Parish 625 S Nardo Ave. Solana Beach, CA

Join Bishop McElroy to thank our Creator for all of His gifts.

*Mass will be held indoors. COVID guidelines will be followed.

If you have any questions regarding any of our upcoming events or would like assistance in finding a young adult group please reach out to us! We are here for you! Call 858.490.8260

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We are grateful to all those who made a donation and

helped decorate our parish with Spring Flowers for Easter



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