QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE MESSENGER

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Holy Sacrifice of The Mass

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

Daily Mass Tuesday-Friday: 8:00 am

Rosary Monday-Friday: 7:30 am



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 10:30-11:15 am (Benediction follows) Confessions 10:35-11:15 am. Mass 11:30 am

Confession

Tuesday-Friday: 7:15-7:45 am, **Saturday**: 4:00-5:00 pm, or by appointment

Baptism

Contact Fr. David

Clergy

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The Mission of Queen of Angels Church is to:

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

July 11, 2021

Envelopes Used 74
Envelope Collections \$ 6,195.00
Plate Collections \$ 363.00

\$ 6,558.00

TOTAL

The 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal "Renewing HOPE", has begun. Queen 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: \$ 23,805.00 BALANCE: \$ 6,195.00

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS JULY 17-25. 2021

Sunday:	Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 [1]/				
3.6 1	Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34	DATE	<u>C</u>	TIME	INTENTION
Monday:	Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc,-2, 3-4, 5-6	Saturday,	Jul 17	5:30 pm	Diane Chapman
Tuesday:	[1b]/Mt 12:38-42 Ex 14:21—15:1/Ex 15:8-9, 10 and	Sunday,	Jul 18	8:00 am	For the People
ruesday.	12, 17 [1b]/Mt 12:46-50	Sunday,	Jul 18	10:30 am	Cynthia Silva
Wednesday:	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24,	Monday,	Jul 19	7:30 am	Rosary
_	25-26, 27-28 [24b]/Mt 13:1-9	Tuesday,	Jul 20	8:00 am	
Thursday:	Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2,	Wednesday,	Jul 21	8:00 am	
E. i I	3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [2]/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18	Thursday,	Jul 22	8:00 am	
Friday:	Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [cf. Jn 6:68c]/Mt 13:18-23	Friday,	Jul 23	8:00 am	Elizabeth Bodle
Saturday:	Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15	Saturday,	Jul 24	5:30 pm	
	[14a]/Mt 13:24-30	Sunday,	Jul 25	8:00 am	Stella Mares
Next Sunday	y: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18 [cf. 16]/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15	Sunday,	Jul 25	10:30 am	For the Pople



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 Thomas Arietta Norman Banks Kelly Barker Karsen Beron Carol Buchtner Vita Cano Nela Contreras Al Florance Luke Hayworth June Hill Chik Hylton Carmen Holt Andy Kresha Katie Larson Connie Maguire Rufus Moore Evelyn Peoples Joseph Queja Joan Smith Jackie Smith Victoria Thrift



Aimee Wolf Jane Yamamoto

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.

resume on Tuesday, July 27. We will however be reciting for the Tecate and ECPCC. Please leave your donation the rosary on those days at 7:30 am. This is an ideal time in the "TECATE TREASURE CHEST" directly behind

to mediate on the life of Jesus and call on Mary to offer our pray- the church, near the back door of the multi-purpose ers to God.



Friendly Reminder Please take note. There will be no Please Take Note Beginning the weekend of August morning weekday Mass beginning July 20-23. Mass will 7-8 Queen of Angels will resume its monthly collection room. Drive your car around to the back and it will be just a few steps away. You will be able to access the chest any day of the week. Just remember to close the lid when you are finished. PLEASE do not leave any clothing other than maternity and baby clothing for the ECPCC. Thanks for your support!



Due to the over-whelming "LIKES" of having Coffee & Donuts served after Sunday morning Masses recently, Queen of Angels would like to resume this social ministry of fellowship and gathering.

This however can only occur with volunteers. It takes less than 45 minutes of your time every few weeks to assist with this ministry. To volunteer and share your time and smiles, please contact Darlene Ames at 619-508-8443.



Saturday, July 24 at 8:30 am,

Queen of Angels will be re-painting the yellow stripes on the steps around the church due to fading.

We still however could use a few more painters. This job can easily be completed in a few hours depending on the number of volunteers. No painting skills are required. All supplies will be provided so all you do is show up, grubby cloths and all!

This is an excellent opportunity for teens wanting to get a jump on their service hours for the upcoming school year.

Please contact the church office at 619-445-2145 if you can lend your time or better yet, just show up. Gatorade, Water & Snacks will be available.



NOTICE FOR EMPLOYMENT

If you have office skills, want part-time employment of approximately 15 hours per week and would like to work in a friendly environment, please stop by the parish office for an employment application M-F, 9am-2pm. You may also email at pamela@queenofangels.org or call 619-445-2145 for more detailed information.



Knowledge of Microsoft software and good organizational skills are a plus.

PASTOR'S PAGE

Friends,

Our daily Mass readings this week recount the story of the Exodus of God's people Israel out of Egypt and their initial journey into the wilderness, where they are delivered from Pharaoh's army through the Red Sea and then receive God's law on Mount Sinai. These events highlight a very important, if somewhat hidden, message in this great story that has been told by many throughout the ages, even up to our present day, as seen (literally!) in Cecil DeMille's cinematic masterpiece, *The Ten Commandments*, and in the much more recent, but still masterful, animated feature, *Prince of Egypt*. Both of these films do an excellent job of placing a strong emphasis on the faith of Moses and his struggle to free his people from slavery, but they largely ignore the longer part of the story: what happens after the children of Israel make their way to the wilderness, which given how boring and repetitive most of that would have looked on the silver screen, should perhaps cause all of us to exhale in relief. Some things, such as a 40 year sojourn through the wilderness, should not be turned into a montage.



But as I said, the book of Exodus hides an important message for us in plain sight. Because while Exodus is the story of the children of Israel in their journey from Egypt to the Promised Land, it is also OUR story, as individuals and as the Church! The children of Israel were enslaved in Egypt; we are enslaved to sin. God performs great signs and wonders before Pharaoh; Jesus performed great signs and wonders for us. The blood of the Passover lamb covered the doors of the Israelites, sparing them from God's judgment; the blood of Jesus, the true Passover Lamb, covers our hearts and cleanses us from sin so that we are spared from God's judgment. The Israelites escape the army of Pharaoh through the waters of the Red Sea; we escape the devil and his fallen angels and the fires of hell through the waters of baptism. God gave Moses the Law on Mount Sinai, written on stone tablets; Jesus writes the law of God on our hearts. God feeds his people with manna from heaven; Jesus feeds us with his own body and blood, which he himself calls the "living bread which comes down from heaven" (Jn 6:51). The Israelites wandered in the wilderness for 40 years (one generation) before crossing the River Jordan and entering the Promised Land; we journey through the wilderness of life, then we cross over the waters of death and enter into the homeland prepared for us by God. And how does God ask us to follow him as we journey through "the wilderness"? With and through the sacraments. Every single one of the seven sacraments is either foreshadowed or (in the case of marriage and the priesthood) explicitly referenced. Exodus is not just the ancient story of the children of Israel, it is OUR story! Each of us, as individuals and as the corporate body of Christ, the Church, have to undergo the same spiritual journey: out of Egypt, across the wilderness, and finally home to the Promised Land.

We should not be so quick to dismiss the Old Testament. While many the stories we find may not have as much direct relevance to our lives as Exodus does, each of them does connect us to the greater story arc of God's plan to redeem his people. Jesus Christ, the Church, and the sacraments are all on full display in Exodus, foreshadowed on almost every page as God tries to prepare us for the unfolding of his plan to save us. If we want to find him, we need only look through the proper lens.

Searching for Him with You,

Fr. David





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, 32, and Julia, 19. 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.

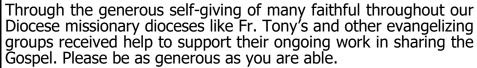
Unfortunately, Andrew was diagnosed with cancer in his second year of college and was forced to suspend his studies while he had surgery and went through chemotherapy for several months. After a very tough battle, the Lord called him home on September 22, 2019 at the age of 21. While Andrew's time at 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 will be available online at queenofangels.org. and in the parish office. Applications must be completed and POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 15th to be considered.



Next weekend, July 24-25, Fr. Tony Sebamalai, the Mission representative of the Diocese of Mannar, Sri Lanka will be sharing his work and faith experiences.

The diocese of Mannar has 30 years of history with three decades of civil war in the region. With its bitter experiences of the civil war, the diocese is presently trying to enter into a new era. It is trying to answer the needs of the post-civil era by taking care of the many single families, education and housing for orphans, caring for the elderly, rehabilitating the disabled, assisting with financial help for income generating project undertaken by our humanitarian unit based at the Bishop's. The war has destroyed nearly 80% of the diocesan infrastructure including Churches. Our mission in the diocese of Mannar is nothing but to visit the war affected people, to talk to them, and be with them caring, sharing, bearing, serving, rebuilding and working towards for a better life, a better tomorrow.









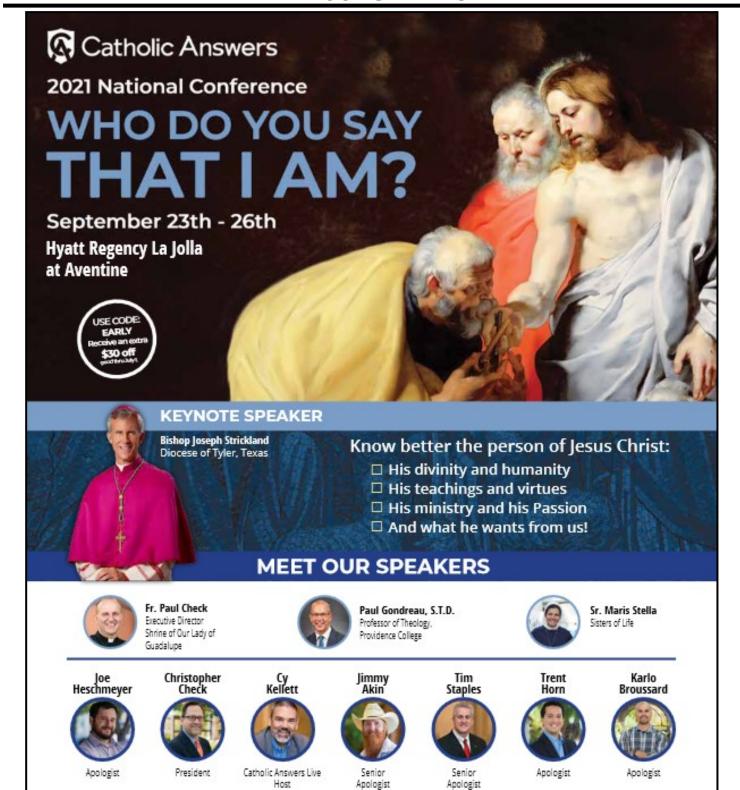


San Diego's first LOVE them BOTH billboard is up!!

Thanks to the generous donations of you the parishioners, over \$600 was raised to fund more pro-life billboards like this throughout San Diego County.

THANK YOU for your generosity!

The hope is that it will give pregnant woman in crisis information for pregnancy care center locations which will provide support towards choosing life for their baby.



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