



**Established in 1906**

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday:  
4:00 pm Vigil

Sunday:  
9:00 am  
11:00 am en Español

Mon, Tues, Thurs:  
8:00 am

Wednesday 6:00 pm Español &  
Friday 6:00 pm

**RECONCILIATION**

Saturday:  
8:30 am to 9:30 am

**OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Thursday  
8:30 am - 5:30 pm  
(closed 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm)

Friday:  
8:30 am - 12:00 noon

Parochial Administrator  
**Rev. Victor C. Yakubu**

Parochial Vicar  
**Rev. Julius Kayiwa**

Parish Deacon  
**Deacon Francis Staab**

Parish Secretary  
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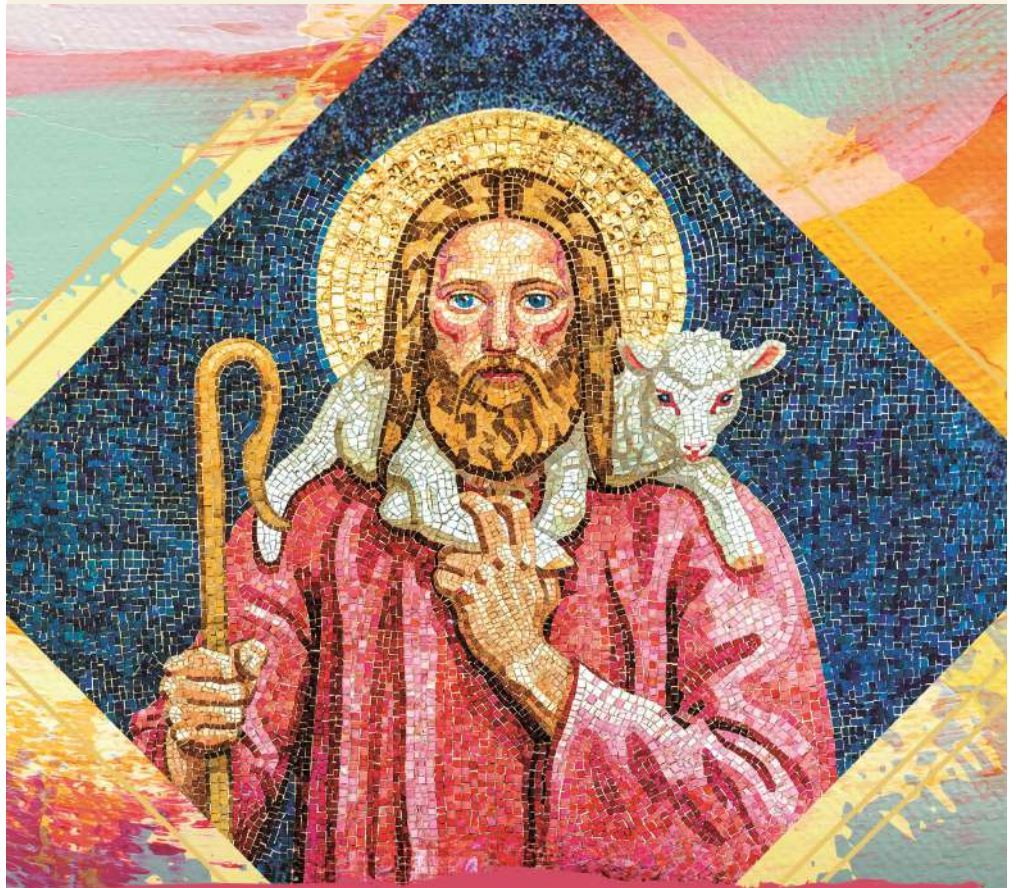
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**St. Mary Roman Catholic Church**  
Iglesia Católica Romana de Santa María



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**SUNDAY, April 21st, 2024**



**4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**“This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again.” - Jn 10:17**

**4° DOMINGO DE PASCUA**

**“El Padre me ama porque doy mi vida para volverla a tomar”. - Jn 10, 17**

## Parish Mission Statement:

We the people of St. Mary Roman Catholic Church, Called by God,  
Approach the Father in Word and Sacrament, Live relationship with Jesus in Catholic  
Community, Seek the Called in the Love of the Holy Spirit

## MASS INTENTIONS, DAILY GOSPEL



### Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21 2024

Year B

<b>Sat. Apr. 20</b> <i>St. Martin I, Pope &amp; Martyr</i>	Jn. 10:11-18	4:00 p.m.		<b>Jeremy Rhizor</b> (Sharon Rhizor)
<b>Sun. Apr. 21</b> <i>4th Sunday of Easter</i>	Jn. 10:11-18	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	†	<b>People of the Parish</b> <b>Rachel Lopez</b> (Antonia Lopez)
<b>Mon. Apr. 22</b>	Jn. 10:1– 10	8:00 a.m.	†	<b>Marcia Rabaiotti</b> (Rina Rabaiotti)
<b>Tues. Apr. 23</b> <i>St. George, Martyr &amp; St. Adalbert, Bishop &amp; Martyr</i>	Jn. 10:22-30	8:00 a.m.	†	<b>Joseph Francaviglia</b> (Mary Francaviglia)
<b>Wed. Apr. 24</b> <i>St. Fidelis of Signaigen, Priest &amp; Martyr</i>	Jn. 12:44-50	6:00 p.m.	†	<b>Eric Craven</b> (Judith Funkhouser)
<b>Thurs. Apr. 25</b> <i>St. Mark, Evangelist</i>	Mk. 16:15-20	8:00 a.m.		<b>David &amp; Amelia Kent</b> (Anonymous)
<b>Fri. Apr. 26</b>	Jn. 14:1-6	6:00 p.m.		<b>Pam Weinmiester &amp; Family</b> (Toni Penfold)
<b>Sat. Apr. 27</b>	Jn. 15:1-8	4:00 p.m.	†	<b>Marilyn Fritz</b> (Darleen Williams)
<b>Sun. Apr. 28</b> <i>Fifth Sunday of Easter</i>	Jn. 15:1-8	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.		<b>People of the Parish</b> <b>Donna &amp; Joe Farner</b> (David Acuña)

Reflection for Fourth Sunday of Easter: Year B  
Fourth Sunday of Easter – April 21, 2024  
Fr. Matthew Duclos

*Readings: Acts 4:8–12 • Psalm 118:1, 8–9, 21–23, 26, 28, 29 • 1 John 3:1–2 • John 10:11–18* [bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/042124.cfm](http://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/042124.cfm)

I used to be a babysitter for several young children when I was a teenager. I took the certification classes, I knew basic first aid, I was comfortable with the parents, and I landed a few babysitting jobs and had the opportunity to earn a few dollars. And although I did indeed care about the children I babysat and we had some fun playing games, I obviously could never be a replacement for their parents. In that sense, I was the “hired man” to take care of the child.

This weekend is known as “Good Shepherd Sunday” because of the images in today’s Gospel. Jesus uses the terms “good shepherd” and “hired man” to clarify the relationship he has with his flock, a flock that includes you and me. Just as the babysitter is by no means a substitute for a parent, a hired man is no substitute for a good shepherd.

What’s the difference? In the babysitting situation, it’s the parent who has true love for the child, they’re raising the child, they have finances invested in the child, they’re educating the child. With a babysitter, although they certainly care for the child, there’s a limit to their involvement. They’re most likely not going to be there at the child’s wedding or dropping them off at college.

Jesus, depicted as the Good Shepherd, epitomizes the profound intimacy between the divine and human. His knowledge of his sheep extends far beyond mere acquaintance; it delves into the depths of our being, encompassing our joys and sorrows, our triumphs and struggles. This intimate knowledge echoes the divine intimacy shared within the Holy Trinity itself, where God the Father’s knowledge of Jesus the Son transcends mere awareness to a profound understanding of his essence. Likewise, Jesus intimately knows each one of us, from the intricate complexities of our hearts to the smallest details of our lives. His love for us surpasses our comprehension, embracing us in our entirety, flaws and all. In his unwavering devotion, Jesus desires nothing more than for us to remain within the safety of his flock, under his watchful care. His promise to never forsake us stands as a testament to his boundless love and mercy, offering solace and reassurance in the midst of life’s uncertainties.

In contrast to the steadfast devotion of Jesus as the Good Shepherd, a hired man lacks the deep-rooted commitment that characterizes genuine care. When faced with adversity, the hired man’s allegiance falters, and he swiftly abandons his post, leaving the flock vulnerable to

danger. The Gospel passage vividly illustrates this as the hired man flees at the mere sight of a wolf, prioritizing self-preservation over the well-being of the flock. In such moments of crisis, the flock is left scattered, devoid of guidance and protection, gripped by fear and uncertainty. However, Jesus stands in stark contrast to this portrayal, exemplifying unwavering dedication and selflessness. Instead of retreating in the face of adversity, he remains steadfastly by our side, his voice resonating with reassurance and compassion. In times of fear, trouble, grief, or pain, Jesus does not shrink away; rather, he emerges as a beacon of hope and strength, leading us forward with unwavering love and guidance, ensuring that we never walk alone in the journey of life.

John’s letter confirms this relationship between us and God: “See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.” “Beloved, we are God’s children now . . .” What a gift! Being known as a child of God means that we feel the unconditional love of a parent despite the times when we might stray away from that relationship on account of our own sins. God does not abandon us in these moments; rather, he continually leads us back to the one flock with the one shepherd of Jesus Christ.

The relationship that Christ, portrayed as the Good Shepherd, shares with us, his beloved flock, transcends the confines of mere transactional exchanges. Unlike a hired hand whose commitment wanes when faced with adversity or challenge, Christ’s bond with us is characterized by an abundance of grace and unconditional love. His care for us extends far beyond the fulfillment of duties; it is rooted in the profound depths of divine compassion and selflessness. In every interaction, Christ embodies the essence of sacrificial love, tirelessly guiding and nurturing us with unwavering devotion. His presence in our lives serves as a testament to the boundless mercy and compassion that defines his character. As recipients of this immeasurable gift, we are enveloped in the warmth of his love, finding solace and security in his unwavering embrace. In embracing Christ as our Good Shepherd, we discover the true essence of love — a love that knows no bounds and endures through every trial and tribulation.

Let us rest assured in the knowledge that we are cherished and cared for, forever held in the tender embrace of our Good Shepherd.



## Sharing our Gifts

### What We Gave Back to God

April 14, 2024

Attendance: 642

Needed to meet weekly expenses	\$8,000.00
Plate Collection	\$9,377.89
Online Giving	\$ 708.11
Building Fund	\$ 96.50

#### March 2024

Monthly Operating Expense	\$39,239.14
Monthly Plate Collection	\$36,031.83
Deficit or Gain	-\$ 3,207.31

### Our Daily Bread

Thank you for your continued support of Our Daily Bread ministry. We have made and distributed 18,929 sandwiches year to date, and 344,414 since inception (September 2013).

**WE ARE IN NEED OF MONEY DONATIONS, FOR LICENSE, APRONS, HAIRNETS.** You may drop your donation off at the Parish Center.

**WE ARE IN DESPERATE NEED OF A CAPTAIN FOR TUESDAYS SANDWICH MAKING!**



If you are interested, please contact David Hunter at 714-726-6130. Thank you,

## Donate your Change

Be sure to pick up a special offering box or can at the back of the church. Write that it's for the building fund, your name and phone number on it before you turn it in.

All monies will go toward future building improvement projects in the parish campus.

## ***Brick Garden***

*We are continuing to take brick orders. This is a wonderful way to pay honor to someone you love or to be remembered as part of St. Mary history for years to come. Bricks are \$50 for a 4x8 and \$100 for a 8x8. Call the Parish Office for an order form or to place your order.*

*The brick garden is growing — don't miss the opportunity to be a part of it.*

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## Readings for the week of April 21, 2024

### Sunday:

Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 (22)/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

### Monday:

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

### Tuesday:

Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/  
Jn 10:22-30

### Wednesday:

Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/  
Jn 12:44-50

### Thursday:

1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/  
Mk 16:15-20

### Friday:

Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/  
Jn 14:1-6

### Saturday:

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/  
Jn 14:7-14

### Next Sunday:

Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32  
(26a)/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8



## Saint of the week

St. Paschal Baylón was a devout Spanish monk. In his vocation as a lay brother, he worked as a chef, porter, gardener, and official beggar. He often gave so much to the poor that his brothers tried to limit his generosity. Because of his devotion to the Blessed Sacrament, he is the Patron Saint of Eucharistic Congresses and Societies.

## Prayer of the Good Shepherd

Dear Lord,  
You are my Shepherd, a Good Shepherd, who leads in ways beyond my understanding. Guide me in the paths You would have me go.  
Amen.

## (PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

### The Good Shepherd and the Wolf

I remember very clearly the first movie I watched during my pregnancy with my eldest child. In this film, there is a scene where a young boy is kidnapped and shoved into the back of a van guarded by vicious dogs. His mother persists in trying to free him, even as the dogs snap at her. Their bared teeth and full-throated snarls don't slow her efforts in the slightest.

It wasn't a great movie or even a particularly great scene, but I'll never forget this scene. I'll never forget those dogs.

I had just learned that I was a mother a few days ago. The life growing deep within seemed to me as frail as a whispered secret, but I loved it powerfully. I worried constantly if the baby was safe and healthy. I agonized over signs — real or imagined — that could tell me if the poppyseed-sized child was thriving or failing.

I understood, for the first time in my life, why a woman would charge a pack of attack dogs without hesitation — not because she should, but because she has to.

She could choose not to fight, certainly. She could walk away. But why would she? A future without her son is so much more painful than any physical wound. She may fear for her life, but she fears a life without her child so much more.

The Good Shepherd discourse reveals to us the motivation behind God's actions throughout all of salvation history. From Adam to Noah to Abraham, all the way down to the time of the Messiah and beyond, He keeps trying to get us back. He keeps braving the attack dogs, time after time. He never stops. He never grows weary. And it baffles us: *what's in it for Him?* we wonder, because we are quicker to give up on ourselves than He is. *Why does He keep trying?*

He could choose not to fight, sure. But why would He? He doesn't want a future without us.

*"I will lay down my life for the sheep." — John 10:11*

*- Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman*

### Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

#### Question:

What is unique or different about the way Catholics read and are exposed to the Bible?

#### Answer:

Catholics are exposed to Scripture primarily through the Sunday readings from a book known as the *Lectionary*. The *Lectionary* is a book of selected passages from the Bible set in the context of a liturgical season, such as Advent, Lent, or ordinary time. There are four readings assigned to any Sunday: the first reading (usually from the Old Testament), the responsorial psalm, the second reading (usually from a New Testament letter), and the Gospel reading.

These readings together give them a new context. The selected readings relate to one another in a unique manner that is not present in the Bible text itself. In close proximity to each other, these readings now have the opportunity to converse with each other in a way that would have not been possible before. A homilist pays attention to all four readings, preparing a reflection that speaks of this conversation among the readings, enabling us to zero in on what this unique combination of God's word has to say to us this particular Sunday.

Next time you attend Sunday liturgy, try reading the Scripture ahead of time and see how this new relationship among the readings addresses and challenges you to be a better Christian here and now.

## Parish News and Events

### *Parish Events This Week*

#### Monday, April 22

ODB	9:00am	Kitchen
JPC Mtg	5:30pm	Library

#### Tuesday, April 23

Matthew Bible	5:00pm	Library
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#### Wednesday, April 24

Rosary	10:00am	Library
JPC	6:45pm	Library
CERS	6:45pm	Rm. 1
CERS-Youth	6:45pm	Rm. 5,6,7

#### Thursday, April 25

R.E.	5:30pm	All Rooms
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#### Friday, April 26

Cleaning of Chapel	9:00am	Chapel
JPC	7:00pm	Library
CERS	6:45pm	Rm. 5,6,7 Kitchen

#### Saturday, April 27

Confessions	8:30am	Church
CERS Retreat	11:45am	Kitchen, Room 5,6,7

### CONGRATULATIONS!

To the Newly confirmed of our Parish



Daniela Aleman  
 Ethan Armendariz  
 Sebastian Cobian  
 Elena Collins  
 Owen De Niz Jimenes  
 Elliott Garcia  
 Maria Jimenes Garsia  
 Ariana Kamey  
 Rosa Linda Mejia  
 Annabel Mendoza  
 Jasmine Mendoza  
 Adelice Palmer  
 Amiele Papera  
 Natalia Quintana  
 Pedro Rios Soto  
 Diana Saucedo  
 Selina Torres  
 Sofia Torres Penaloza  
 America Vargas  
 Janiya Verdad  
 Jewel Westover  
 Summer Westover  
 Sage Williams



### First Saturday Devotion



Saturday,  
 May 4, 2024  
 2:30pm to 3:30pm  
 In the Chapel

## INTO THE FOLD

Thank you to all who participated in last weekend's  
**Into The Fold Reception.**

A special thank you to Amelia Kent, Ministries/  
Groups representatives and the ladies of the  
Into The Fold Ministry.

You guys rock!  
Our next reception: TBA

## Altar Flowers

Parishioners now have the opportunity to contribute to  
the altar flowers "in memory" or "in honor" of a loved  
one.

Donation is \$50, there are two bouquets for the altar.  
 It is your choice of donating for one or two. The  
 names will be published in the bulletin.

Thank you for your generosity.

## Parish News and Events

### REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO THE BAPTISM OF YOUR CHILD

In order to baptize your child in our parish, parent (s) please come to the Parish Office to obtain an outline, describing the necessary requirements — PRIOR to both the parents and godparents being scheduled to attend a required pre-baptism class:



#### Parents

1. Must be registered parishioner in our parish
2. Parent (s) must be baptized and submit a copy of their Confirmation certificate.
3. If the parents are married, provide a copy of their Catholic marriage
4. Parent(s) must provide a copy of their child's birth certificate.

#### Godparent (s) At Least One:

1. Must be a practicing Catholic, following the teachings of the Catholic faith.
2. The godparent must be baptized and submit a copy of their Confirmation (certificate is required).
3. The godparent, if married must provide a copy of their Catholic marriage certificate.

Only after receiving the required documentation, must the parent(s) and godparents (s) have attended the pre-baptism class, can the baptism of your child be scheduled.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please call the Parish Center Office (928) 377-3435.

Because of you, life doesn't stop.



**St. Mary Roman Catholic  
Church**

Friday, May 17  
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Parish Center  
302 East Spring St.

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More than 3.2 million Americans are affected by a bleeding disorder, including hemophilia and von Willebrand disease. Join Us and Give Blood to help those who rely on blood transfusions as part of their treatment.

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## Events & News



### *Please pray for all who are sick or infirmed:*



*Michael Page, Linda Pinnick, Carol Krefl, Diane Schatz, Ray Martin, Rita Cownie,  
Mark Kucharek, Fr. Charlie Urnick, James Cleary, Angie Huizenga, Sandra Lyons, James Driscoll,  
Michael Barrett, Diane Seiler, Frankie Daiber, Fermin Esquibel, Joseph Matthews,  
Richard Potts, Mary Woodward, Toni Grzechowika, Ron Tuohey Sr., Richard Fernandez, Anthony Fernandez,  
Susan & Steve Richards, Ventura Villalobos, Jaime Fernandez, Susan Regino, Ellsie Taylor, Ryan Smith,  
Olivia Sanchez, Ann Peterson, Helena Hall, Gabriel Esquivel, Caitlin Amburgue, Peyton Mann, Jaime O'Niell,  
Art Penfold, Jerrod Wetzel, Teresa Stafford, Fernando Galvan Jr, Rocco DiConza, Rick Maiero,  
Alex Freiday, Jimmy Gifford, Josh Lazarski, Patrick & Jennifer Weinmiester, Katherine Tyler, Con Sanchez,  
Don & Pam Weinmiester, Bob Lucero, Susan Cowin, Carmen & Robert Clemente, Andrew Colton,  
Lupe Natividad, Jean Marie Hunt, Bill Glass, O'Niell Family, Jim Gunton, Joseph Matthews,  
Manuel Hernandez, Sabrey Byrd, Michele deLany, Larry Dye, Juan Acuña, Ernestine Stein, Patty George,  
Gary Arivzo, Alan Rodberg, Dylan Short, Ginny Carter, Marcheta Keller, Mert Glancy, Patricia Tellman,  
Vicky & Nestor Sanchez, Gloria Gallegos, Arturo Zamora, Dale Rodberg, Rodney Paul, William Kenney,  
Faye Scott, Billon Caponi, Bill Kothe, Roy Talbott, Becky Perry, Bob Comstock*



### **Please pray for all those who have died, especially;**

Sandy Kinsinger, Steve Garger  
Douglas Scroggins  
Josefina Williams, Danielle Torrance  
Beth Childs

## **Youth Bible Study**



Hey you! We are inviting all the youth ages 13-18 to join us on Wednesdays, from 7pm-8:15pm for our Youth Bible Study! Come and join us to learn more about your faith and the Word of God! Be sure to bring a bible and a notebook! For more information contact Mariela Balderrama @ (928) 279-4411.



## **Rosary Group**

Wednesday, at 10:00am  
in  
Parish Center: Rm.  
5,6,7

Come join and pray the rosary  
and social with fellow  
parishioners.

Catholic Charities MANA (Marines, Army, Navy, Air Force) House provides transitional housing for veterans. We provide a foundation for veterans currently or at-risk of experiencing homelessness, providing each one the opportunity to reclaim a life of self-sufficiency.

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"Open your mouth, judge justly, defend the needy and the poor." Proverbs 31:9

## ST. MARY CATHOLIC WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Invites all women 18 years old and up! **REVELATION – THE KINGDOM YET TO COME**

**\*\*Bible Study Begins Tuesday, September 5th @6:00PM-7:30PM\*\***

This Bible Study, through Ascension Press, is presented by video by Jeff Cavins. The workbook may be ordered through [ascensionpress.com](http://ascensionpress.com) (\$29.95, includes online access for one year). Please bring a Bible with you to our sessions. Our Fellowship meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month in the Parish Center Library.

### ST. MARY CATHOLIC WOMEN'S...

**Faith** – staying steadfast in our faith – no matter the adversities

**Evangelize** – the Good News about Jesus Christ to all

**Love** – Christian Love for one another – We are all made in the image of God.

**Learn** – Always learn something new about our faith. – There's so much to learn.

**Offer up our troubles/worries to the Lord.** – Trust in His infinite Mercy.

**Worship our Lord** through the sacrifice of the Mass and at Adoration.

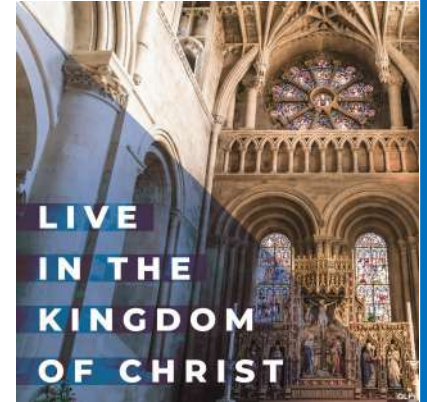
**Spirit** – Call on the Holy Spirit for guidance – in our thoughts, words, actions,

**Holiness** – Goal for all Christians for the graces towards holiness.

**Inspired by the Holy Spirit** to trust God, to do His will, to share our gifts for His glory and praise

**Pray** – Praying every day makes Jesus the center of our lives.

Come, join our Fellowship! – Email Rina, [caterinar1986@gmail.com](mailto:caterinar1986@gmail.com)



### Prayers for Ernesto Balderrama, Jr



We, the Balderrama family, (Ernesto, Sonia and children), would like to ask for your prayers for our son, Ernesto Balderrama, Jr...aka - Junior, 17 yrs. old. He has grown up in St. Mary. He received all his Sacraments of Initiation here. He was an altar server since 2015. He was a member of the CERS group since 2021 and more recently, was helping his sister, Mariela, with the Wednesday evening Youth Bible study group. He graduated from Lee Williams HS in May 2023 and has decided to dedicate some time to strengthen and learn more about his faith. He left on August 4, 2023, to join Christ of the Desert House of Formation, in Palmdale, CA. He will be on his formation journey for nine months, with other young adults, all of whom have chosen to live by the virtues of obedience, poverty, and chastity.

After the formation period, he will discern if he would like to make his promise to become a Missionary Servant of the Word for one year, serving in whatever mission he is sent to here in the United

States. We ask for prayers from our St. Mary community to help Junior stay strong and not feel lonely, as this is the first time he will be away from his family and community for so long. Prayers to help him stay focused during this formation period and guard against all temptation, not only for him, but for all the young people who are on the same journey as him, sacrificing a part of their young lives to follow Jesus. They have chosen to leave the many temptations of the secular world and follow Jesus out into the desert to pray and meditate on what God is calling them to do. Pray and make sacrifices as well for more teenagers and young adults to open their hearts and hear and answer God's calling. We are responsible for faith formation of the youth of our Church. Let us not abandon them in their time of spiritual needs. There is a spiritual warfare going on now and let us not lose our children to it.

Thank you so much and may God bless you all and guard you from all evil.

" Whomever has known God cannot be silent. " ~ Father Luigi Butera

"Quien ha conocido a Dios no puede callar."

## Jail Ministry

Looking for volunteer to take over this ministry as Rita and I will no longer be able to do so. Contact Ray Martin at 251-233-9490 or Rita Martin at 928-404-3257 for more information. Thanks and God Bless.

## Blessed Carlo Acutis



Blessed Carlo Acutis London, May 3, 1991 - Milan, October 12, 2006

## Eucharistic Miracles Video Series

Produced by St. Mary's Church based on the work of Blessed Carlo Acutis' web pages.

Search on YouTube with: @kevindavis3985 then click on the Guadalupe Image to go to the ever-expanding PLAYLIST of Videos.



### Join our newest Video project!

This is an open invitation to all parishioners to tell YOUR inspiring, religious-based, personal story to the built-in YouTube audience of 52,000+ views and 500 subscribers that St. Mary's Church has developed thru the Carlo Acutis project. We have people anxious for YOUR inspiring story. YouTube is even in China! We will Guarantee your anonymity if you want. We can even disguise your voice! Back out at the last minute if you must- You have control. Kevin Davis 508-622-6289

Thanks to the Balderrama family, in particular to Sonia & Mariela for their translations and narrations for the 4 Spanish Eucharistic Miracle YouTube videos. Gracias a la familia Balderrama, en particular a Sonia y Mariela, por sus traducciones y narraciones de los 4 videos de YouTube del Milagro Eucaristico en Español.



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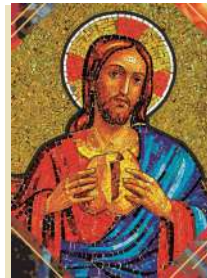
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To learn more about Joining Hearts or to donate, call 602-230-4910 or visit us at [CatholicCharitiesAZ.org](http://CatholicCharitiesAZ.org). "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you" Jeremiah 1:5



## First Fridays Devotion

Fridays  
5:00pm

In the Chapel



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