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CATHOLIC
CHURCH

*The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ.
Mark 14:1*



*A Roman Catholic Parish
in the Diocese of San Diego*

- ✙ Spirituality
- ✙ Tradition
- ✙ Community

Mass Schedule

Saturday at 5:00pm
Sunday at 8:30am and 10:30am
Monday-Friday at 8:15am

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday-Friday, 6:30am-7:30pm

Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm

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TRIDUUM

Thursday, April 2, 6:00pm
Friday April 3, 12:00noon
and 7:00pm
Saturday, April 4, 8:00pm
Sunday, April 5, 6:30am,
8:30am, 10:30am, 10:45am

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord March 29, 2015

Pastor's Column

Rev. Michael Ratajczak
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Celebrating and Living the Paschal Mystery

Today we celebrate Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion and begin Holy Week. This week is the most sacred and the most important week of our liturgical year.

Through a continuous series of liturgies, we celebrate the suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus and the union of our daily sufferings, deaths, and resurrections to his. In this union we find the heart and foundation of our faith as Christians—the Paschal Mystery.

In the Paschal Mystery, we are mindful that the suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus continues to bring salvation to the world in and through our lives, through the willful union of our lives to his.

As we begin this Holy Week, I recommend and encourage you to read this book in the near future: *The Jesus I Never Knew* by Philip Yancey. This book will give you a fresh perspective on Jesus and make you think of him in ways that will be new to you.

All of the thoughts that follow are taken from Yancey's book and specifically from Chapter 10, *Death: The Final Week*.

Not only is the resurrection central to our faith, but also the death of Jesus is central! Death is not just the way leading to resurrection, but the death of Jesus is a focal point for our faith in and of itself. Our God allowed God to be killed. We have a God who, at a certain point in our human, planet Earth history, died! What is the meaning of this in terms of our faith?

Yancey says, "Of the biographies I have read, few devote more than ten percent of their pages to the subject's death—including biographies of men like Martin Luther King Jr. and Mahatma Gandhi, who died violent and politically significant deaths. The Gospels, though, devote nearly a third of their length to the climactic last week of Jesus' life. Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John saw death as the central mystery of Jesus."

What does this centrality of the death of Jesus teach us?

"In a sense, the paired thieves present the choice that all history has had to decide about the cross.

Do we look at Jesus' powerlessness as an example of God's impotence or as a proof of God's love?

The Romans, bred on power deities like Jupiter, could recognize little godlikeness in a crumpled corpse hanging on a tree.

Devout Jews, bred on stories of a power Jehovah, saw little to be admired in this god who died in weakness and in shame.

The cross redefines God as One who was willing to relinquish power for the sake of love.

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Jesus became, in Dorothy Solle's phrase, 'God's unilateral disarmament.'

Power, no matter how well intentioned, tends to cause suffering. Love, being vulnerable, absorbs it. In a point of convergence on a hill called Calvary, God renounced the one for the sake of the other."

The challenge of faith for us, in our day, is to follow the example of Jesus who in his humanity and divinity has shown us the way to eradicate evil from our world.


"M. Scott Peck writes, 'I cannot be anymore specific about the methodology of love than to quote these words of an old priest who spent many years in the battle: "There are dozens of ways to deal with evil and several ways to conquer it. All of them are facets of the truth that the only way to conquer evil is to let it be smothered within a willing, living human being. When it is absorbed there like blood in a sponge or a spear into one's heart, it loses its power and goes no further."

The healing of evil—scientifically or otherwise—can be accomplished only by the love of individuals. A willing sacrifice is required...I do not know how this occurs. But I know that it does."

May these reflections help us to enter into the spirit of Holy Week!

I encourage you to celebrate Jesus, not only on Easter Sunday, but join your Parish Family and participate in all the Triduum celebrations—Holy Thursday, Good Friday, the Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday.

These are our most sacred days. Take seriously the responsibility to make them holy and special for you and your family.



Lenten Reconciliation Services at Local Parishes

Date	Time	Parish
Mon, Mar. 30	6:30pm	St. Mark, San Marcos
Tue, Mar. 31	6:00pm	St. Peter, Fallbrook

Annual Lenten Collection

This collection supports the works of Catholic Relief Services, the Church in Africa, and the Church in Latin America. Envelopes were attached to the bulletin recently. You may return the envelopes any time this month. You may designate your contribution to the causes listed on the collection envelope. Please respond generously to this worthwhile annual collection. Thank you!

Vocations

Lent is a season to walk with Jesus in a special way in his Passion and death for our salvation. During this Season, listen for the voice of God. He may be asking you to continue this walk in a special way...with a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate, or vowed religious life. If you think you hear his call, explore the possibilities. Contact Deacon Tom at thomasgoeltz@aol.com or 760-727-8442. It never hurts to ask questions. They are great and challenging ways of life. May God bless and guide you all your days in whatever direction life takes you!

In Memoriam



Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Eleanor Martin-Spinney, who died on March 16. Her Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, April 11, at 11:00am at St. Thomas More. Please keep her family in your prayers.

Lois Garth, who died on March 22. Her Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, April 10, at 11:00am at St. Thomas More. Please keep her husband Len and her family in your prayers.

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Local Hospitals with Catholic Chaplains Available

If you or a loved one is in one of these hospitals and need the ministry of a Catholic priest, please contact the Chaplain's Office to make the arrangements.

Hospital	Chaplain's Office
Tri-City	760-940-7954
Palomar	442-281-1328
Scripps Encinitas	760-633-7784
Scripps Green	858-554-3698
Scripps Mercy	619-260-7020
UCSD Thornton	619-543-2103
Kaiser Zion	619-528-5188

Becoming Catholic

If you've been coming to Mass for a while, but are not Catholic, we invite you to look deeper into the Catholic faith. Come meet some faithful Catholics who love the Lord and would consider it a privilege to get to know you.

Our Parish offers sessions that give you the opportunity to share with others the truths of the Catholic faith and the fellowship of our church family.

We invite you to learn what Catholics believe in an open and welcoming environment. These sessions also are opportunities for you to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church.

To find out how to get started, contact Kathleen Bell at 760-809-6526 or 80bell80@gmail.com.

A Way to Honor Our Dearly Departed Children

Recently we mourned the tenth anniversary of the loss of our son in the line of duty as a law enforcement officer. I have given a lot of thought to a way to honor him. I have spoken with many parents in our church community who have suffered the loss of a child and think I may have found a way for all of us to celebrate our children. There are many items in our permanent church and grounds waiting for sponsors. I thought that an olive tree would be perfect. Its branches are a symbol of love and peace—what better way to honor our children in heaven!

If you have lost a child and would like to donate towards the purchase of this olive tree, please contact Maureen Tutino at mtutino@sbcglobal.net or 760-598-8211 or Steve and Marilyn Lilly at stevellilly@cox.net or 760-598-3304 for further information. —*Maureen Tutino*

Readings for the Week Ahead

Sunday Year B; Weekday Year I
Readings online at www.usccb.org.

Sunday, March 29 (38)
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
Mark 11:1-10 or John 12:12-16
Isaiah 50:4-7
Psalm 22:8-9,17-20,23-24
Philippians 2:6-11
Mark 14:1-15:47

Monday, March 30 (257)
Isaiah 42:1-7
Psalm 27:1-3,13-14
John 12:1-11

Tuesday, March 31 (258)
Isaiah 49:1-6
Psalm 71:1-4a,5-6b,15,17
John 13:21-33,36-38

Wednesday, April 1 (259)
Isaiah 50:4-9a
Psalm 69:8-10,21-22,31,33-34
Matthew 26:14-25

Thursday, April 2 (39)
Mass of the Lord's Supper
Exodus 12:1-8,11-14
Psalm 116:12-13,15-16c,17-18
1 Corinthians 11:23-26
John 13:1-15

Friday, April 3 (40)
Passion of the Lord
Isaiah 52:13-53:12
Psalm 31:2,6,12-13,15-17,25
Hebrews 4:14-16;5:7-9
John 18:1-19:42

Saturday, April 4 (41)
Easter Vigil
Genesis 1:1-2:2
Genesis 22:1-18
Exodus 14:15-15:1
Isaiah 54:5-14
Isaiah 55:1-11
Baruch 3:9-15,32-4:4
Ezekiel 36:16-17a,18-28
Romans 6:3-11
Psalm 118:1-2,16-17,22-23
Mark 16:1-7

Sunday, April 5 (42)
The Resurrection of the Lord
Acts 10:34a,37-43
Psalm 118:1-2,16-17,22-23
1 Corinthians 5:6b-8
John 20:1-9

Prayer List (Call 760-758-4100 x102 to add a name for four weeks.)

- Changa Aguilera
- Ernie Aichele
- Mary Alexander
- Carrie Autrey
- Joshua Avery
- Jose Luis Barbosa
- Patricia Barbour
- Francie Barron
- Geraldine Barton
- Clarice Bednarz
- John Bennici
- Regina Bentz
- Lisa Berg
- Roseanne Berg
- Mary Betz
- Betty Jean Bielich
- Zane Breier
- Beth Brewer
- Janet Brown
- Sr. Maureen Brown
- Todd Brown
- Katie Browne
- Jack & Mary Bruzas
- Anita Buerger
- Tony Calderone
- Shelby Campbell
- Brianne Campos
- Aria Cappeluti
- Jorge Cartajena
- Donald Cashmore
- The Vaughn Clevenger Family
- Dolly Cole
- Carl & Dorothy Coleman
- James Coleman
- Steven Cresencia
- Lené Crowe
- Karen Flaharty Daley
- Beverly de Gelder
- Nick Del Sesto
- Hugo Delgado, Jr.
- Cassandra D'Ercole
- Christine DeSantis
- Cecilia DeSimone
- Carole Dillon
- Edward Dolnik
- Art & Dave Dossman
- The Dowling & Wozniak Families
- The Draper Family
- La Vonne Dumas
- Jerome Elbacha
- Carolyn Erickson Ey
- The Falconer Family
- Mateen Falli-Bell
- Victoria Lopez Fenton
- The Filipasic Family
- The Fiore Family
- Mary Fleming
- Ryan Flum
- Ernie Follis
- Eugene Franciscus
- Charles Edgar Franklin
- Kathryn Franklin
- Joe Freire
- The Greg French Family
- Brian Frink
- Jim Gallagher
- The Joe Garcia Family
- Kathy Gardner
- The Garth Family
- Jack & Marge Gillen
- Wendy Gonzales' Dad
- Rick Gonzalez
- Tillie Gonzalez
- George Gritt
- Luke Guenst
- Susan Hallahan
- Pat & Tom Hannon
- The Harker Family
- Dorothy Harrison
- Barbara Hatem
- Heidi Heaton
- Lilian Hills
- Samara Hook
- Susan Hori
- Tina Hunter
- The Hyde Family
- Iolanda Iacobelli
- Sam Johns
- Sue Johnston
- Ed Kalenda
- Laura Kater
- Dottie Kearney
- Paul Kennedy
- Connor Kerzie
- Peggy Kiernan
- Debbie Kinney
- Mark Kneisel
- Dewey Kolbo
- Tony Korwin
- Helen Kuhn
- Lillian Lachance
- The Lamelin Family
- Bart Landry
- The Lavis Family
- Brandon LeBlanc
- Jeremiah Lemus
- The Paul Leué Family
- The Lew Family
- Ashley Load
- Cassandra & Lauren Loretto
- Jack Lucarelli
- Joaquin Maldonado
- The Maldonado Family
- The Maldonado Trejo Family
- Norma Mangrubang
- Paige Mansell
- The Martin-Spinney Family
- Alexander Mathews
- Gloria Maupin
- Colleen McCall
- Virginia McConnell
- Bob McWilliams
- Joyce Meehan
- Kalei Mendiola
- Rita Mikridge
- Tom Miller
- Phyllis Minaya
- June Mitchell
- June Montgomery
- Nancy Moore
- Elizabeth Muehlbacher
- The Muleady Family
- Conrad Murphy
- Margie Myers
- Angela Nacional
- Melanie Nacional
- Fr. Jerry Nadine
- Nida Navarro
- Richard Obsitnik
- Kare O Dell
- Laura Paciorek Gloor
- Bernadette Padovan
- Ethan Palm
- Helen Pingtella
- The Post & Tonkovich Families
- Perry Postulka
- The Joe Prokop Family
- Bettie Provinse
- Kathy Quinn
- Barbara Ramm
- Evelyn Richards
- Jan Riley
- Connie Ringel
- Rita Ritchie
- Joel Rivera
- Lily Robinson
- Maria Rogers
- The Russo Family
- Rachel Sainc
- Michael Sampair
- Cindy Sanelli
- Linda Schmidt
- Joan Shea
- Elizabeth Shirzad
- Tom Simonson
- Madeline Snyder
- Nick Soltau
- Drew Spangler
- Darek, Vanessa, & Elba Spizewski
- Don St. Pierre
- Patricia St. Pierre
- Sybil Staples
- Mike Sterling
- Laura Bernard Stover, MD
- Pete Sullivan
- Julie Teare
- Tommy & Ginger Thompson
- Sarah Tillinghast
- William Tompson
- Stephen Toth, Jr.
- Olivia Trejo
- The Trejo/Beltran Family
- The Trejo/Maldonado/Uribe Family
- Maureen Tutino
- Ed Upson
- The Vasquez Family
- Martin Vertson
- Lucy Vienna
- Vanessa Vitiello
- Wilson Wanner
- Kevin Watson-Graff
- Jerry Wechsler
- The Wilmott Family
- Patricia Zavala
- Jeanne Zeltner

Calendar Highlights

More details at www.stmoside.org,
Schedule and Calendar

- Mar 28-29 Palm Sunday
- Mar 29 Liturgy of the Word for Children at 8:30am and 10:30am Masses
- Apr 2 Holy Thursday Mass at 6:00pm
- Apr 3 Good Friday Morning Prayer at 8:15am Liturgy at 12:00noon and 7:00pm Stations of the Cross at 3:00pm
- Apr 4 Holy Saturday Morning Prayer at 8:15am Easter Vigil at 8:00pm Easter Sunday Masses at 6:30am, 8:30am, 10:30am, and 10:45am Restaurant Fundraiser at BJ's
- Apr 7-8 Spring Sing Concert Restaurant Fundraiser at Nucci's
- Apr 22 Spirited Seniors Trip to California Science Center STM Gala
- May 1 Confirmation at 5:00pm Mass
- May 23 Parish Campout Vacation Bible Camp
- Jun 12-14
- Jun 22-26

Deployed Military

- Gunnery Sgt. Fernando Andrade, Jr.
- 1st Lt. Jeffrey Bauer, USMC
- PFC John Brandone
- Lt. Devon Czarzasty
- Corp. Willie Deel
- Chaplain Van Dinh
- Lance Corp. Brandon Doyle, USMC
- Capt. Branden M. Felker, USAF
- Patrick G. Felker, USN
- Grant Fischer
- MSGT Steve Gallegos, USMC
- Sgt. Alex Garcia
- Adolfo Granados, MD, U.S. Navy
- PFC Samuel Haro, US Army
- PFC Cody Madere
- Jeremiah Gabriel Nelson, USAF
- Thomas Kevin Nelson, US Navy
- Pvt. 2 Jess Phillips, US Army
- Nicole Rieger, US Navy
- Sr. Airman Robert Spear, USAF
- Sgt. Charles Watts, USMC

Pray for Women Religious

Please join us in praying for the women religious who serve in the Diocese of San Diego. They have been assigned to days of the year in alphabetical order.

March 30	Sr. KyungAh Chang, RSCJ
March 31	Sr. Abigail Chavez, SJS
April 1	Sr. Katia Chavez, SJS
April 2	Sr. Ancilla Chen, SSS
April 3	Sr. Justine C. Church, MMS
April 4	Sr. Lucy Cisneros, SJS
April 5	Sr. CarolAnn Clark, CJM

Mass Intentions
Saturday, March 28, 5:00pm Tony McCloskey ☩
Sunday, March 29, 8:30am Joan Rosa ☩
Sunday, March 29, 10:30am Rosary Leone ☩
Monday, March 30, 8:15am Douglass Price-Williams ☩
Tuesday, March 31, 8:15am Bernie Lanzrath ☩
Wednesday, April 1, 8:15am Dominic D'Agostini ☩
Thursday, April 2, 6:00pm For All Parishioners
Saturday, April 4, 8:00pm For All Parishioners
Sunday, April 5, 6:30am For All Parishioners
Sunday, April 5, 8:30am For All Parishioners
Sunday, April 5, 10:30am Maurine Shaughnessy ☩
Sunday, April 5, 10:45am For All Parishioners

Social Ministries & Outreach

Be a Supporter of Get On The Bus!

Each year around Mother's Day and Father's Day, hundreds of children and their caregivers board buses and travel from cities all over the State of California to visit their mothers or fathers in prison. This year 51 buses will travel to 9 prisons.. It costs about \$4,000 for each bus (monetary donations and in-kind gifts) to cover the cost of all the expenses for the children, caregivers, and bus charges.

"I appreciate all the love and support to have a wonder day with my Dad. It was almost two years since we saw each other but thanks to Get On The Bus, I got to see him"
—Daniela, age 11. (Excerpts from *Get on the Bus*, 2009).

An envelope for monetary donations and a flyer describing other ways you can help were included in the bulletin last week. Please note that we will begin receiving items for the children before Masses the weekends of April 11-12 and April 18-19

For more information, contact Sr. Maureen at 760-758-4100 x131 or maureenb@stmoside.org.

Project Linus Returns

The Project Linus Coffee and Workshop will be held Thursday, April 23, 10:00am-12:00noon. All interested parties are welcome! We will have Project Linus labels and measurement tags to attach to any finished blankets. It will be a fun time to get together! For more information, contact Mary Coxon at 760-599-8760.

STM Vehicle Donation Program

Do you have a vehicle you want to donate?
Call us, and we'll have it picked up operational or not!
You get the tax deduction!

We can accept vehicles without current registration and can file for replacement title if it has been lost.

As of March 11 we have netted \$53,352 from this program. Thank you donors!



**For more information, contact the Parish Office:
760-758-4100 x100 or parishoffice@stmoside.org**

STM Scrip News

Thanks to all who support the Scrip program! A percentage of every Scrip gift card purchased benefits our Parish Mortgage/Building Completion Fund. **Remember, Scrip is available for purchase FIVE ways:**

1. Online—visit stmoside.org/scrip.html and look for the slider with the ShopwithScrip logo for more info!
2. On the Plaza after weekend Masses
3. Monday-Friday during business hours in the Parish Office
4. Email at scrip@stmoside.org
5. Phone at 760-758-4100 x150

Orders may be picked up after Mass on the weekend or at the Parish Office during the week.

Marriage & Family Life

Moms & Kids—Are you a mom with infant thru school age children wanting to meet other moms in our Parish? Want to find a great way to meet friends for both you and your children? Join our dynamic and energetic Moms and Kids ministry. There are many events throughout the month posted on our private Facebook page. Join us! Contact Jen Abelson at jen.abelson@gmail.com.



Marriage Encounter—Do you have a good marriage but want a little jumpstart? Would you and your spouse like to rediscover and reconnect with each other? Then we invite you to attend a Marriage Encounter Weekend. Weekends take place in San Diego and other Southern California locations throughout the year. For more information, visit www.wvme.org or contact Eddie and Sheila Murphy at 760-295-0008.

Bishops' Letter on Marriage—God's Love, Our Love: "God established marriage so that man and woman could participate in his love and thus selflessly give themselves to each other in love. A man and a woman who by their act of consent are no longer two but one flesh (see Mt 19:6ff) render mutual help and service to each other through an intimate union of their persons and of their actions." To read the document go to <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.

Marriage Moments—Holy Week: "Marriage is a give-and-take experience, involving hurt and forgiveness, failure and sacrifice." (Follow the Way of Love) It's the Paschal Mystery of death and resurrection. By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net.

Parenting Pointers— "When your child marches to a different drummer, your main task is to support them when the culture may not." (Parenting Your Adult Child) This applies to gender identity, a special needs child, or simply one in crisis. Love them but don't pamper them. By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net.

For more information, visit [www.diocese-sdiego.org/Ministries/Marriage and Family Life](http://www.diocese-sdiego.org/Ministries/Marriage%20and%20Family%20Life) or call Jen Frost at 858-692-7438.

Young Adult Opportunities around the Diocese

Theology on Tap—Mondays in April at Off Shore Tavern, 2253 Morena Blvd., San Diego. Speaker and topics TBA.

For more information, visit www.yamsd.org.

Spirited Seniors Outing

The Spirited Seniors are traveling by coach to the California Science Center in Los Angeles on Wednesday, April 22, at 9:00am. For the cost of \$30 for members and \$35 for non-members, you will tour the Center's four amazing permanent exhibit galleries, including the Space Shuttle Endeavour exhibit, and experience the inspiring IMAX movie "Jerusalem 3-D." Lunch at the center is not included in the cost. Space is limited. The deadline for reservations is April 13. Please put your registration request and a check made payable to "STM Spirited Seniors" in an envelope marked "Spirited Seniors Science Center Tour" and return it to the offertory collection or Parish Office, box 12. For more information, contact Cheryl Rowland at 760-726-5578 or Judy Buoniconti at 760-758-5113.

Parish Events

Attention Men!

Year three of “That Man is You!—The Revelation of the Father” continues on Saturday, April 4, at 6:45am with the topic “Finding the Hidden Face of God in Others.”

For more information, contact Deacon John at 760-758-4100 x104 or johnf@stmoside.org.

Women’s Guild News

Thanks to those of you who so generously supported our bake sale by calling, baking, donating, and purchasing the wonderful variety of baked goods you brought, we had the best return ever from this bake sale fundraiser: over \$1,275. Your support means so much to us. May your goodness be returned in blessings. Thank you to Nancy Wozniak and Pat Wong for all your work in organizing and running it.

Those of us able to attend the Day of Recollection last week have truly been blessed. Many thanks to Pat Wong for all the preparations necessary for making the day such a success. Thanks also to the many members of the Spirited Seniors and the Women’s Guild who participated in the many tasks that went into making it happen.

While we will be concentrating on Holy Week and Easter for the next few weeks we also need to remind you of our upcoming meeting on April 13. To be ready for the luncheon, we need to know how many will be attending. Please call Vera Bayliss with your reservation at 760-295-0059 or vbayliss@cox.net so she can prepare. This is one meeting you will not want to miss, as our program will be featuring a wonderful Fashion Show of hats and their historic role in the 20th Century by a well-known fashion expert! It will cover the Edwardian Era, Modern Times, The Glory Days, The New Look, and the End of an Era. It is just in time to inspire you to create or wear a hat for our “Mad Hatter’s Tea” on April 18. If you have not returned your table reservation for the tea yet, now is a good time to do it, before the Easter rush. Extra forms are available in the Parish Office.

At the next meeting the Nominating Committee’s search results for next year’s Slate of Officers for the 2015-2016 Board of Directors of the Women’s Guild will be announced.

May this truly be a Holy Week for all of us.

—Ann Buko, president

Catholic Widows and Widowers of North County

CWWNC meets the second Sunday of each month for a general meeting and potluck at 2:00pm. On the fourth Sunday of each month, we gather for Mass at various Parishes in North County followed by lunch. On Sunday, April 26, we will gather here at STM for the 10:30am Mass, followed by lunch at Nucci’s. Check the bulletin board on the lower level of the Parish Center for our calendar of events For more info. call Carol Kope at 760-726-0533 or Gerri Wilmott at 760-758-9949.

Rosary

A communal Rosary is prayed after every weekday Mass (Monday-Friday) in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Please join us!



Friday, May 1
4:30-9:30pm

*STM Social Event
of the Year!*

Happy Hour
at 4:30pm
kicks off our
fundraising event!



You’ll have time to check out our Raffle,
Silent and Live Auction items,
our *new and improved* Wheel of Fortune,
and prizes including: Stainless Steel BBQ,
Somerville Gas Fire Table,
Tequila Tasting Party, Beer and Pizza Party
One Week in Hawaii or Cabo San Lucas;
Wine, Scotch, and Margarita Baskets,
Staycation, Movies, Plays,
Restaurant Packages,
Pageant of the Masters in July and August,
Three Exquisite Diamonds, Golf Surprises, and more.



Dinner is served at 6:15pm, \$45/person until March 31.
(\$50/person if paid in April)

Vegetarian option available upon request

Plus reserve your spot for the **Pastor’s Dinner**
Sunday, July 19 ★ 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Green Dragon Tavern & Museum, Carlsbad

*A replica of Boston’s original Green Dragon Tavern
frequented by Sam Adams, Paul Revere, and others*

\$150/per person (\$75 tax deductible)

**For information, please contact Chris Smith
760-758-4100 x120 or chriss@stmoside.org**

Low Vision Seminar and Technology Fair

Thursday, April 30, 9:30am-2:30pm, Braille Institute, 4555 Executive Dr., San Diego. RSVP required, as space is limited. Snacks will be provided. Learn about the latest advances in macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy, and glaucoma, plus the benefits of magnification and accessible technology. To make a reservation or for more information, contact Ann Eriksson at 760-599-7151.

Liturgy & Music *Worship God*

Douglas Lynn
Director of Liturgy & Music
douglasl@stmoside.org; 760-758-4100 x140



John 12:15

Involvement Opportunity

Come and help transform our worship environment to welcome our Elect and Candidates as they celebrate the Initiation Rites!

Saturday, April 4

8:00am-12:00noon

Meet on the lower level

Contact Kathy Arciero at 951-454-1802 or karciero@hotmail.com for more information.

This activity is not suitable for small children.

High School Students needing volunteer hours will be most welcome!

Thank you!

Easter in a Time of Transition

We have scheduled a 10:45am Mass on the lower level on Easter Sunday.

We'd like our first-time visitors to enjoy the hospitality of a parking space. Please share a vehicle with a neighbor, bring your family in one car, and park by Ralph's if you can.

And remember, our Hospitality ministers will not be able to let you save seats. If your group has a large number of people who want to sit together, come early, come together, and worship together. Thank you!

Triduum | The Three Days

We celebrate **one great liturgy**, with our prayer flowing without interruption, from one celebration to the next.

Part 1: Mass of the Lord's Supper

Thursday 6:00pm

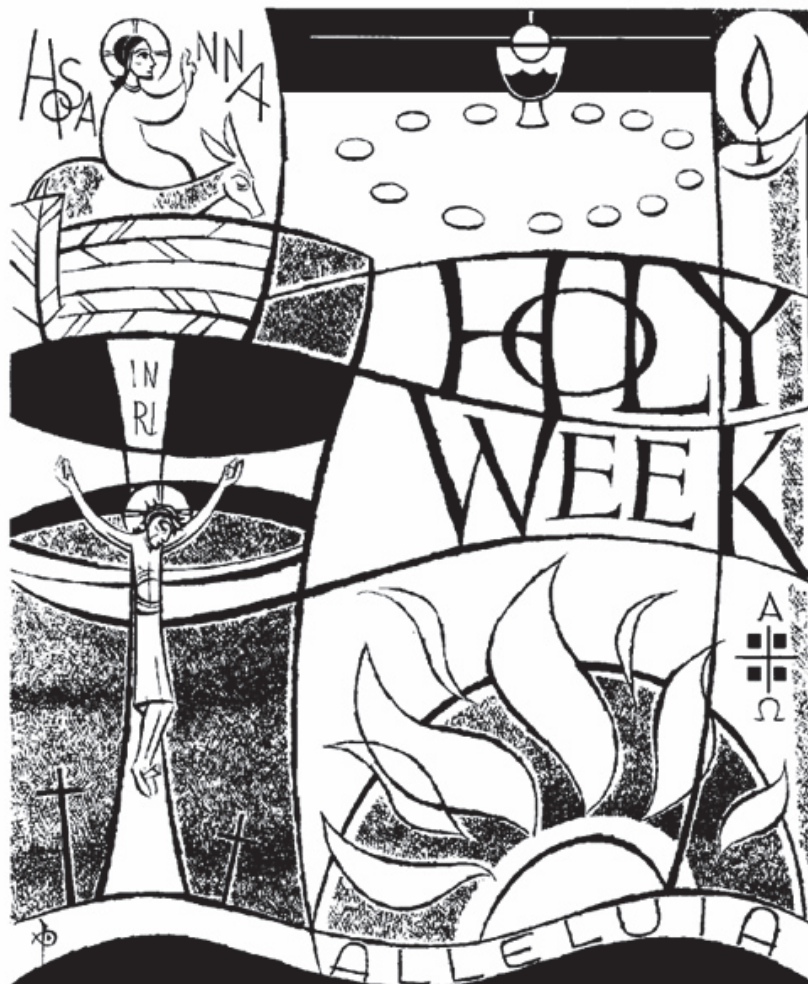
Part 2: Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

Friday Noon and 7:00pm

Part 3: The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

Saturday 8:00pm

How many are willing, Lord?



Holy Week Music



APRIL 2
Holy Thursday

6:00pm

Praise Team
Sanctuary Choir
Tower Bells

APRIL 3
Good Friday

12:00noon

Cantor

7:00pm

Sanctuary Choir



APRIL 4
Easter Vigil

8:00pm

Cappella Choir
Praise Team
Sanctuary Choir
Tower Bells



APRIL 5
Easter Sunday

6:30am

Cantor

8:30am

Sanctuary Choir
Tower Bells
RBVHS Brass

10:30am

Praise Team

10:45am

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Faith Formation

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Family Faith Formation

FAITH FORMATION NEWS...

This past Sunday our 4th and 5th grade RE.A.CH classes used their amazing acting skills to tell the story of the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River.



Our EDGE Teen Leaders helped teach the Passion of Christ by performing the Living Stations of the Cross.



Thanks to everyone who worked so hard to make this happen!!

Adult Faith Formation

Session 3 on the New Testament

Continues on April 15

Do You Want to Know the Bible Better?

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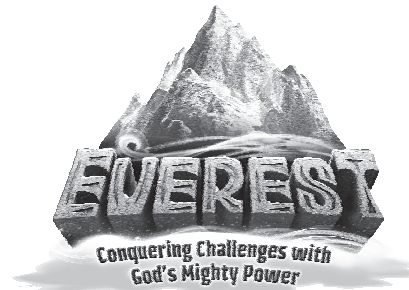
Wednesday mornings
9:00-11:00am

This is the foundational study in the Bible Study Series that has helped hundreds of thousands of Catholics learn to read the Bible.

VBS Items Needed

- Easy Ups for Shade
- Artificial Christmas Trees
- Large Paper Bags
- Solid Color Fabric
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- Food Donations

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SCHOLARSHIPS NEEDED!

Are you able to financially help an STM teen going to the Steubenville Conference? Can you help make this life changing experience happen for our teens?

Contact Debbie in the Faith Formation Office for more information.

Stewardship & Development

Serve God's People

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TOWERS OF FAITH

Future Support & Estate Planning Options

Towers of Faith is a movement that has arisen due to the visionary leadership and generosity of several of our Parishioners. We stress that this is not about the gift amount, but rather the love and thought behind the gift.

These individuals (*several anonymous*) have included STM in their estate planning. This helps to ensure their ongoing support and a legacy for our Parish. *Towers of Faith* is a valuable portion of our future support.



Examples of the various future planning vehicles are:

**Designated Beneficiary Accounts,
 Last Will and Testament, Living Trust, Life Insurance,
 Stocks and Bonds, Real Estate, and Endowments.**

Parishioners who have already included STM in their estate plans are *Towers of Faith* participants. If you are interested, please contact us. Your participation is most welcome and appreciated!

Chris Smith at 760-758-4100 x120, or chriss@stmoside.org.

Collection for Week of March 21/22, 2015

Number of Registered Households	1,134
Offertory	\$14,266.97
Offertory (Loose Collection)	\$969.00
Children's Envelopes	\$0.00
Total	\$15,235.97

Mortgage/Building Completion Fund Income

September 15, 2014 to February 28, 2015

Mortgage Offering Collected	\$254,490.91
Less Administrative Costs	\$12,498.00
Payment toward Parish Reserves (10%)	\$24,199.29
Payment toward Mortgage	\$217,793.62
Mortgage Payment Due	\$239,695.05
Overage/(Shortfall)	(\$21,901.43)

Memorial Items \$99,641.00

Please continue to support the
 Mortgage/Building Completion Fund!

Called to Be Merciful—Annual Catholic Appeal

Assessment:	\$48,000
Collected to Date:	\$31,763
Families Pledged:	190
Average Pledge:	\$167.17



You can help! Visit stmoside.org and select Item 6 for more info.

Christian Stewardship Almsgiving Covers Many Things

The act of giving can be compared with throwing a stone into the water. The stone splashes into the water and sinks . . . a thing done. Yet, the effect of that single act ripples out in circles around us, touching first one person and then another.

The need to share love and laughter and human fellowship is within all of us. We communicate our love with acts of giving and sharing. It is a simple matter to do this within the circle of family and friends, and we do it as a matter of course. We don't often forget a birthday or anniversary or Christmas present.

But it is more difficult to give our time, our energy, and our possessions beyond this immediate circle. We live in a world of need. Sometimes we can show our concern directly to those who have needed us in our communities.

But some needs are too great or too complex or are in areas beyond our reach for any one person to meet. And so, we give some of our time, efforts, and money to the voluntary charitable organizations whose work interests us.

But always a question nags at us. How much should we give? Are we giving to the right things? Should we be giving more to some and less to others? These are good questions that any good steward must answer.

But, there is nothing uniquely Christian in answering these questions. Giving is a Christian's hang-up when we ask, can we, through our giving, say God so loved the world that he gave his only Son so that all men may know what it means to be truly human? Can we affirm, through our giving, that if any person be in Christ, he or she is recreated?



The nationally known liturgist, Gabe Huck, writes: "Almsgiving is the deeds we can do to remake the world, or, rather to restore it. It has to do with time and space, with money and goods. It is about the wholeness of things and people, the right relationship of those who dwell on earth to the earth and to each other. It aims to right the wrong distribution caused by greed or power or whatever else. It ignores neither the world nor what is in front of one's face."

—Stewardship, March 2015, Parish Publishing, LLC (with permission)

**The Jesuits still recall their rector's many
 exhortations. "Our vocation asks
 that we be pastors of large flocks,
 not stokers of a few preferred sheep."**

—Cardinal Bergoglio (pre-Pope Francis)

Memorial Item Donations Available

Pipe Organ	\$850,000
Memorial Garden & Reflection Garden	
Landscape Concrete Walkways	\$80,000
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Melrose Landscape Slope	\$15,000
Building Accent Lighting & Pole Fixtures	\$14,000
Drinking Fountains	\$2,500
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Sound and Video Mixing Board	\$12,000
Video Screen (Motorized 21-foot)	\$9,000
Sound System Base Speaker	\$8,000
Sound System Cabling	\$5,000
Overflow Parking Lot Mulch	\$3,500

Memorial Item Donations Partial

Pew Seating for the Church (1,000) 798 available	\$300/each
Daily Mass Chapel and Choir Chairs (200) 108 available	\$300/each
Memorial Garden & Reflection Garden	
Olive Trees in 7-foot boxes (10) 3 available	\$1,400/each

03/23/15

Memorials are a way of honoring those whom we love, whether they are living or deceased. Often, memorials are made for a special intention or in thanksgiving for a variety of blessings received from God.

Our Parish Campus will be a living memorial. All who help in building it will leave something to the community itself that will be used by generations to come. The good they do is not interred with them, but will remain to share in the divine activity of God here on earth.

Listed above are items still available for adoption.

All contributions will be recognized in a special memorial to be displayed in our Parish Memorial Garden.

For more information or to adopt an item, contact Chris Smith
760-758-4100 x120 or chriss@stmoside.org



For more information on our progress, visit our website, stmoside.org, and click on New Construction.

A Closer Look Tours Continue

For more information, please contact Chris Smith at chriss@stmoside.org or 760-758-4100 x120.

News & Information from the Larger Church

Palm Sunday Concert: *We the Living—A Requiem*—Sunday, March 29, 3:00pm, United Methodist Church of Vista, 490 S. Melrose Dr., Vista. A beautiful work with words inspired by Lincoln's Gettysburg address, was composed by noted church music composer Alfred Fedak and features choir, harp, organ, and orchestra. Free-will offering.

Franciscan Vision Series: Francis of Assisi A Life Changed by Encounters—Thursday, April 16, 7:00pm, Clare Chapel, San Luis Rey Retreat Center, 4050 Mission Ave., Oceanside. For more information, contact Gabriela Billings at 760-547-1800 x204 or gbillings@fst.edu.

Students for Life of America (SFLA) Event-in-a-Box—help provide student leaders with after-abortion healing resources that they can share and promote with their group on campus. Sponsor a resource box for \$25 by visiting

<https://abortionchangesyou.wufoo.com/forms/s16k5ivy0rwkz6r/>. For more information, visit

<http://college.studentsforlife.org/2015/03/09/april-event-in-a-box-abortion-changes-you/>

The Oceanside 24 Hour Relay for Life Event—April 18, 10:00am to 10:00am April 19 at Mira Costa College in Oceanside. This is a 24 hour walk to raise money for cancer research, celebrate our survivors, and remember loved ones lost to this dreadful disease.

Support Shoppportunity—Catholic Charities Thrift Store—Item donations appreciated. For more information, contact Yolanda Ungo, Program Manager, 760-631-2819.

Catholic Charities Food Resource Center Has Volunteer Opportunities for YOU!—Drivers, Daily Food Packers, Intake Workers, and Calfresh (food stamp) Advocate. For information call Marco Lemus at 760-631-4792.

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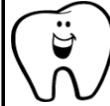
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We impact the lives of those imprisoned in 27 different prisons, jails, and detention facilities, housing over 25,000 inmates. This includes eight sheriff’s jails, five juvenile detention facilities, three state prisons, and four federal detention facilities. Many of these inmates are hungry to deepen their relationship with God.

We merely become the conduits, or channels, of the Holy Spirit.

Our diocese supports twelve chaplains to say Mass, administer the sacraments, and visit inmates individually. We provide assistance to 300 Catholic volunteers to conduct scripture, prayer, and discussion services. More than 60% of our volunteers have never volunteered for anything else in the Church.

This ministry of compassion, hope, and love is possible thanks to the support of the Annual Catholic Appeal. This is our special opportunity to transform lives on a person-to-person level.

For I was in prison,
and you visited me.

Matthew 25:36



Youth Ministry



The Office for Youth Ministry serves parishes in our diocese so that they may cultivate the gifts and talents of young people, and empower them to be leaders in the Church and community. One of the ways in which we do this is through Camp Emmaus. This five-day leadership camp is intergenerational, community oriented, and led by the talents of the young people that participate. Our goal is to give these young leaders an opportunity to lead in a supportive community of faith, so that they may be able to go back to their parishes and serve effectively. One parish youth ministry coordinator said, “Camp Emmaus has been a wonderful tool for my parish’s youth leaders. They learn how to strengthen their leadership skills and most of all our teens and young adults leave the camp more confident and motivated to share their faith with others.”

Vibrant and comprehensive youth ministry programs help teens practice and experience their faith in a personal and meaningful way. A young person needs to be mentored into a parish community by caring and supporting adults. Youth ministers lead this effort through their work and dedication. The Office for Youth Ministry supports the formation and certification of Coordinators of Youth Ministry through programs and workshops in the areas of Catechesis, Social Justice, Prayer and Worship, Pastoral Care, and the Fundamental Principles of Ministry with Young People.

Your contribution to the Annual Appeal will ensure that efforts like these will continue to serve our Young Church. We are forming a new generation of leaders to serve the Church in the Diocese of San Diego.



St. Thomas More
Annual Catholic Appeal
UPDATE

Assessment: \$48,000
Collected to Date: \$31,763
Families Pledged: 190
Average Pledge: \$167.17

You can help!

Use the pledge card you received in the mail, pick one up at the information table on the plaza after weekend Masses, or contribute online at www.diocese-sdiego.org, Donations

Join us for our 3rd annual Butter Lamb Workshop!



Saturday April 4 at 10:00am

(stay for the Easter Basket Blessing at 11:00am)

We're doing it again! This Easter, join us to create a lamb made of butter for your Easter table. Jesus is our Pascal Lamb, and using your lamb as a centerpiece reminds us of this.

Bring: (1) two sticks of **VERY COLD butter**, (2) a **small cooler** to keep the butter cold, (3) a **sharp paring knife**, (4) a **small plate** for your lamb to sit on, and (5) if you have one, a **garlic press**. **Parsley** makes a great bed for your lamb to sit on!



Easter and the Blessing of Food



In earlier times, meat and dairy products were excluded from the daily diet during the entire season of the Great Fast (Lent).

As the end of the strict fast approached, the people showed their joy and gratitude by taking their food to church to be blessed and eaten after the Easter Liturgy.

As we celebrate the Pasch, a feast of new life, we bless the food sustaining our physical life. Thus this custom has its meaning even today and, so we are encouraged to observe this ritual for our time.

The foods traditionally blessed for Easter can be reduced to three categories:

1. Easter bread;
2. Meat products, like ham, stuffed veal, suckling pig or lamb, sausage, bacon;
3. Dairy products, like butter, cheese, eggs (including your butter lamb!).

We will celebrate a Blessing of Easter Foods this year on Holy Saturday, April 4, at 11:00am on the lower level of the Parish Center.

Everyone is invited to come with an "Easter Basket of Food" and to partake in this ancient tradition and blessing.

TRIDUUM

I encourage you to celebrate Jesus, not only on Easter Sunday, but join your Parish Family and participate in all the Triduum celebrations—Holy Thursday, Good Friday, the Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday.

These are our most sacred days. Take seriously the responsibility to make them holy and special for you and your family.

F. A. Burke

**Celebration of the Lord's Supper
Thursday, April 2, 6:00pm**

Morning Prayer
Friday, April 3, 8:15am

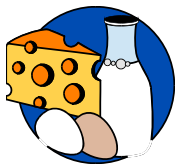
**Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Friday, April 3, 12:00noon and 7:00pm**

Morning Prayer
Saturday, April 4, 8:15am


Butter Lamb Workshop
Blessing of Easter Food

**Easter Vigil of the Holy Night
Saturday, April 4, 8:00pm**

**The Resurrection of the Lord
Sunday, April 5, 6:30am, 8:30am,
10:30am, and 10:45am**



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 8:15 AM-Mass 1:30 PM-Spirited Seniors Board 6:30 PM-Guys & Girls Book Study 7:00 PM-Praise Team	2 Holy Thursday Parish Office and Chapel Closed 6:00 PM-Mass 7:45 PM-Holy Thursday Home Dinners	3 Good Friday Parish Office and Chapel Closed 8:15 AM-Morning Prayer 9:15 AM-Communion Service (Emeritus at Carlsbad) 12:00 PM-Good Friday Liturgy 3:00 PM-Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM-Good Friday Liturgy	4 Holy Saturday 6:45 AM-That Man is You 8:30 AM-Morning Prayer 10:00 AM-Learn How to Make a Butter Lamb 11:00 AM-Easter Food Blessing 8:00 PM-Mass
5 Easter 6:30 AM-Mass 8:30 AM-Mass 10:30 AM-Mass 10:45 AM-Mass	6 Parish Office and Chapel Closed 8:15 AM-Mass 10:00 AM-Moms and Kids (Oak Riparian Park) 7:00 PM-High School Youth Group	7 Restaurant Fundraiser at BJ's ,Carlsbad 8:00 AM-Walking Ministry 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 10:00 AM-Women's Guild Board Meeting 4:00 PM-Handbell Quartet 5:45 PM-Handbell Quartet 7:00 PM-Tower Bells 7:00 PM-Knights of Columbus	8 Restaurant Fundraiser at BJ's ,Carlsbad 8:15 AM-Mass 2:00 PM-Adult CPR 6:30 PM-Guys & Girls Book Study 7:00 PM-Praise Team	9 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Communion Service (Merrill Gardens) 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 1:00 PM-Centering Prayer 7:00 PM-Sanctuary Choir 9:00 PM-Cappella Choir	10 8:15 AM-Mass 7:00 PM-Men's Fellowship	11 6:45 AM-That Man is You 4:00 PM-Reconciliation 2nd Sunday of Easter 5:00 PM-Mass
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