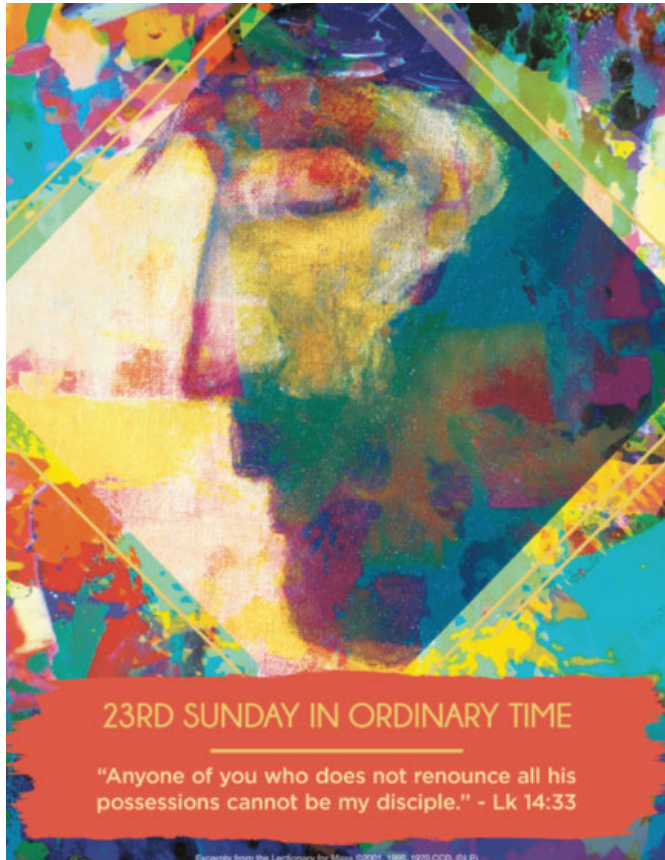




Welcome to St. Catherine of Alexandria Catholic Church

September 7, 2025

- *FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY MEETINGS, SEE PAGE 3.*
- *FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION ON PAGE 9 ABOUT VENDORS WANTED FOR THE 2ND ANNUAL ARTISAN AND CRAFT FAIR.*
- *BAG LADY INFORMATION ON PAGE 6.*
- *PRAY FOR OUR NEW DEACON, GERARDO VARGAS, AND AND HIS WIFE, MARIA ESTHER VARGAS, SEE PAGE 7.*

Our Address is:

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951-676-4403 or email
scatemecula@sbdioocese.org

Front Office Hours:

8:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Closed for lunch 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Confessions:

Saturdays at
2:30 p.m. AND
Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

Vigil 4:00 PM (English)
6:00 PM (Spanish)

Sunday

8:00 AM (English)
10:00 AM (English)
12:00 PM (English)
2:00 PM (Spanish)
5:00 PM (English)
5:00 PM (Korean Mass on
2nd & 4th Sundays-Di Leo Hall)

Weekday Mass Times

Monday through Friday
7:30 AM (English)
Thursday 6:30 PM (Spanish) & Adoration

Mission Statement

By promoting the teachings of Jesus, St. Catherine of Alexandria welcomes all people to share in our blessed sacraments to strengthen and inspire our faith, to bring all closer in relationship to Jesus and creating friendship and unity in ethnic groups and committees as we walk in His footsteps daily.

La declaración de la misión

Al promover las enseñanzas de Jesús, Santa Catalina de Alejandría da la bienvenida a todas las personas a compartir nuestros santos sacramentos para fortalecer e inspirar nuestra fe, para acercar a todos a Jesús y crear una amistad y unidad en grupos étnicos y comités mientras caminamos en sus pasos todos los días.



Stations of The Cross



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Bulletin

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tdo@sbdiocese.org
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Art & Env. Banners -John & Laura Johnson 951-303-1859
And Decorations-Jill Gonzales 951-471-2692
M3- Nick Ventrone 951-775-3739
Master of Ceremonies- Ryan Kleinvachter 951-694-8614
Hospitality/Greeters &
Ushers-Duane Wright 951-676-4403
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Family Healing 951-676-4403
(Service to the Divorced and Couples with Impediments to Receive Sacraments)

Outreach Programs

Birth Choice Crisis Pregnancy 951-296-3441
Rachel's Vineyard Dolores Dunphy 951-325-7702
(Post Abortion Healing
St. Vincent De Paul Help/Food Pantry 951 587-6752

Christian Life Ministries

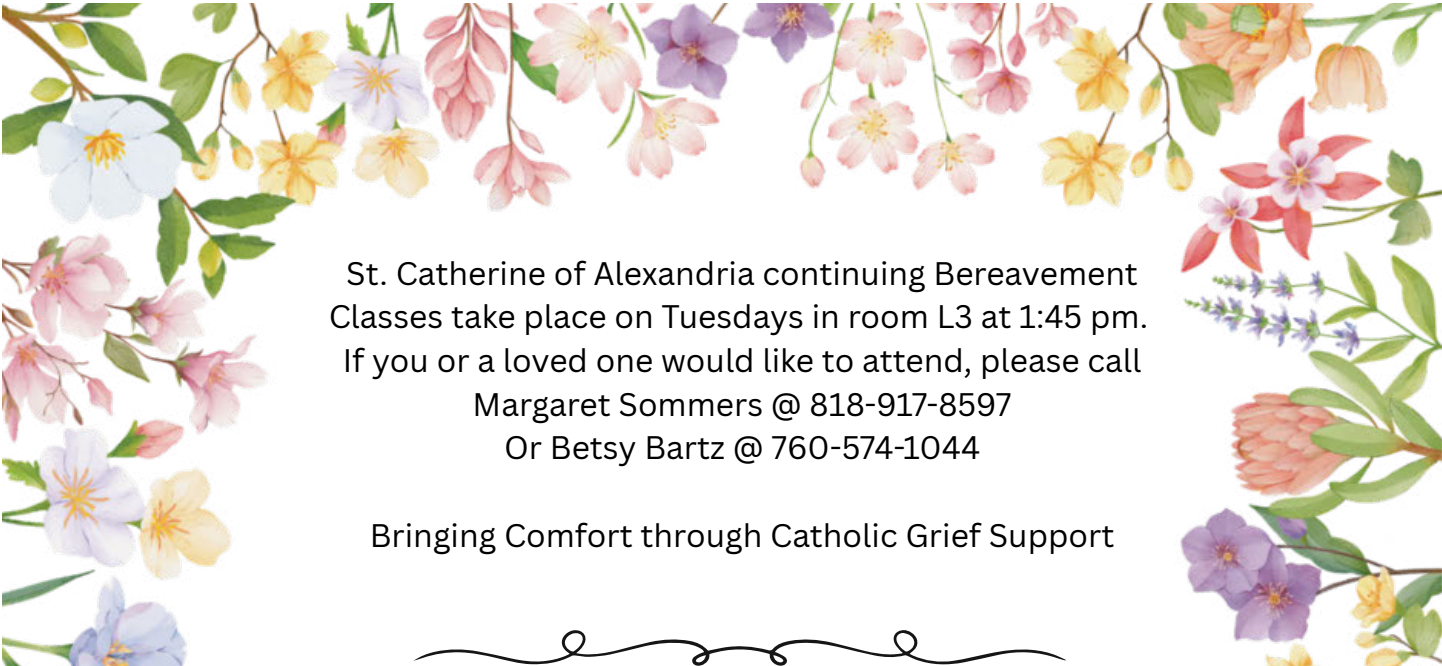
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Ministry for the Homebound- Fr. Emmanuel Azudiugwu
Rosary Makers- Julie Arias 951-676-4403
Pro Life- Paul Watkins 951-676-4403
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Faith Enrichment- Patrick Wolff 951-676 4403
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TO REPORT THE SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD by a priest, deacon,
employee or volunteer, call the free Sexual Misconduct Hotline
1-888-206-9090

PARA REPORTAR EL ABUSO SEXUAL DE UN MENOR por parte de un sacerdote,
diacono, empleado o voluntario, llame a la Línea Directa de Conducta Sexual
Inapropiada al
1-888-206-9090



St. Catherine of Alexandria continuing Bereavement
Classes take place on Tuesdays in room L3 at 1:45 pm.
If you or a loved one would like to attend, please call
Margaret Sommers @ 818-917-8597
Or Betsy Bartz @ 760-574-1044

Bringing Comfort through Catholic Grief Support



Readings for the week of September 7, 2025

Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17
(1)/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33
Monday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Ps 13:6ab,
6c/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23
Tuesday: Col 2:6-15/Ps 62:6-7, 9/Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday: Col 3:1-11/Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-
13ab/Lk 6:20-26
Thursday: Col 3:12-17/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk
6:27-38
Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8,
11/Lk 6:39-42
Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-
7/Lk 6:43-49
Next Sunday: Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-
37, 38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17

Observances for the week of September 7, 2025

Sunday: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Grandparents' Day
Monday: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday: St. Peter Claver, Priest
Wednesday:
Thursday: Patriot Day
Friday: The Most Holy Name of Mary
Saturday: St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church
Next Sunday: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Las lecturas de la semana del 7 de septiembre de 2025

Domingo: Sab 9, 13-19/Sal 89, 3-4. 5-6. 12-13. 14-17
(1)/Flm 9-10. 12-17/Lc 14, 25-33
Lunes: Miq 5, 1-4 o Rom 8, 28-30/Sal 12, 6. 6/Mt 1,
1-16. 18-23 o 1, 18-23
Martes: Col 2, 6-15/Sal 61, 6-7. 9/Lc 6, 12-19
Miércoles: Col 3, 1-11/Sal 144, 2-3. 10-11. 12-13/Lc 6,
20-26
Jueves: Col 3, 12-17/Sal 150, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Lc 6, 27-38
Viernes: 1 Tim 1, 1-2. 12-14/Sal 15, 1-2 y 5. 7-8. 11/Lc
6, 39-42
Sábado: 1 Tim 1, 15-17/Sal 112, 1-2. 3-4. 5 y 6-7/Lc 6,
43-49
Domingo siguiente: Nm 21, 4-9/Sal 77, 1-2. 34-35.
36-37. 38/Flp 2, 6-11/Jn 3, 13-17

**Las conmemoraciones de la semana del 7 de
septiembre de 2025**

Domingo: 23er Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, Día
de los abuelos (EEUU)
Lunes: La Natividad de la Santísima Virgen María
Martes: San Pedro Claver Corberó, sacerdote
Miércoles:
Jueves: Día de los patriotas (EEUU)
Viernes: El santísimo nombre de María
Sábado: San Juan Crisóstomo, obispo y doctor de
la Iglesia
Domingo siguiente: La exaltación de la santa cruz

Reach Out in Love

We are all called to be accountable to one another. As brothers and sisters in Jesus Christ, we have a responsibility to reach out in love when we see someone lost and to offer support when the need is the greatest. In that same regard, we must never stand between a loved one and him. Our goal when it comes to those we love is to lead them toward heaven and eternal life with the source of all love, Jesus Christ.

This is the “why” of our stewardship. Our generosity and giving of our very selves back to God need to bear witness to the transforming power of Jesus. It is easy to fall into the trap of loving someone so much that we place them before God. We make our human relationships the main thing and ultimately make decisions that keep our loved ones away from that which they need the most. If we truly love another, we will offer them the example of how we love God even more than them.

We live in a world where romantic and parental love are seen as the highest forms of affection. Stories are often told in books and on the screen of how nothing will keep someone from his or her beloved. Although we are called to love one another, we must never be trapped into the portrayal of love that comes from the world. We are gifts from God to one another, and like all other gifts given to us, we are accountable to God for that which He has given. If you can give a loved one back to God completely, then you are worthy of their love in the first place.



—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



Tiende la Mano con Amor

Todos estamos llamados a ser responsables el uno con el otro. Como hermanos y hermanas en Jesucristo, tenemos la responsabilidad de tender la mano con amor cuando vemos a alguien perdido y ofrecer nuestro apoyo cuando la necesidad es aun mayor. En ese mismo sentido, nunca debemos interponernos entre un ser amado y Él. Nuestro objetivo, cuando se trata de aquellos a quienes amamos, es guiarlos hacia el cielo y la vida eterna con la fuente de todo amor, Jesucristo.

Este es el "por qué" de nuestra corresponsabilidad. Nuestra generosidad y nuestra entrega a Dios deben dar testimonio del poder transformador de Jesús. Es fácil caer en la trampa de amar a alguien tanto que lo colocamos antes que a Dios. Hacemos de nuestras relaciones humanas lo más importante y, en última instancia, tomamos decisiones que mantienen a nuestros seres queridos alejados de lo que más necesitan. Si realmente amamos a los demás, les ofreceremos el ejemplo de cómo amamos a Dios incluso más que a ellos.

Vivimos en un mundo donde los amores románticos y paternos son vistos como las formas más elevadas de afecto. A menudo, hay historias contadas en los libros y en la pantalla de cómo nada alejara a alguien de su ser amado. Aunque estamos llamados a amarnos los unos a los otros, nunca debemos atraparnos en la representación del amor que viene del mundo. Nosotros somos regalos de Dios los unos para los otros, y como todos los demás regalos que se nos son dados, somos responsables ante Dios por lo que Él nos ha dado. Si puedes devolverle a Dios un ser amado por completo, entonces desde el comienzo eres digno de su amor.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

OFFERING – AUGUST 31, 2025

SUNDAY COLLECTION	\$15,066
DROPPED OFF/MAILED TO OFFICE	\$ 986
ONLINE	\$ 7,772
TOTAL	\$23,824

WHETHER YOU DONATE IN PERSON AT MASS OR THE PARISH OFFICE, BY MAIL OR ONLINE, WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR CONTINUED FINANCIAL SUPPORT AND PRAYERS. OUR PARISH REMAINS ALIVE AND VIBRANT BECAUSE OF YOUR GENEROSITY OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE. MAY GOD BLESS EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU.



Please Prayerfully consider including
St. Catherine
of Alexandria, Temecula
in your Will or Trust

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### MY APOLOGIES!

This past weekend, our Bulletin inadvertently contained a clip art piece that included inappropriate material which does not reflect the values of our faith community and may have offended some in our congregation. As the Bulletin Editor, I take responsibility for this error and assure you, our parishioners, that such an error will not be repeated. I ask for your forgiveness and your prayers!

Mary Hitzeman



### DIOCESAN DEVELOPMENT FUND

#### CAMPAIGN PROGRESS

2025 DIOCESAN GOAL: \$114,100

DDF GIFTS RECEIVED: \$161,827 AS OF  
AUGUST 31 2025

WE ARE HAPPY TO REPORT THAT WE HAVE REACHED OUR ANNUAL GOAL OF CONTRIBUTING TO THE DIOCESE FOR 2025. GOING FORWARD, ALL CONTRIBUTIONS TO DDF WILL GO BACK TO OUR PARISH. THE SURPLUS FUND WILL BE USED FOR THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM, PMFP PARTICIPATION FOR VOLUNTEERS, YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES , NEW LANDSCAPING, FIXING THE AIR DUCTS IN THE L SHAPED BUILDING AND WAGNER BUILDING AND THE CONTINUED MAINTENANCE OF OUR PARISH AND BUILDINGS. WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT. YOUR GENEROSITY IS A BLESSING FOR OUR COMMUNITY.

## St. Catherine of Alexandria Women's Guild Fundraiser "The Bag Lady Boutique"



Ladies, it's time to clean out those closets and share the love! Purses, tote bags, belts, wallets, scarves, backpacks, and daypacks! We are inviting all the wonderful women of our parish (and your fabulous friends and family) to donate an item(s). We have already received some gorgeous finds, trust us, these bags are worth a peek!

### Three ways to donate by November 01, 2025

1. Bring your items to Church. There will be a drop-off area in the parking lot on the right side of church after 8:00am and 10:00am Sunday Masses.
2. Our WG Welcome Back Tea on September 18<sup>th</sup>.
3. Call to arrange a drop-off or pick up location with one of our WG Boutique Committee Members:  
Rita McCook: 949.793.2109      Barbara Dougherty: 951.551.1765  
Helen Simpson: 951.551.1765      Betsy Barts: 760.574.1044



Items not sold will be donated to our various charities



## The Bag Lady Boutique Shopping Day

"Open to all Parishioners"

Saturday, November 8, 2025 / DiLeo Hall, St. Catherine of Alexandria Church

Time: 10:00am – 2:00pm / Cash or Checks, Accepted

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Recaudación de Fondos del Gremio de Mujeres de Santa Catalina de Alejandria

## "Boutique de la Dama del Bolso"



Damas, es hora de limpiar sus closets y compartir el amor! Bolsas de mano, carteras, cintos, mochilas y bufandas! Estamos invitando a todas las mujeres maravillosas de nuestra parroquia y a sus amigas y familiares para donar uno o más de estos artículos. Los fondos se usarán para ayudar a la Iglesia y a otros centros de beneficencia.

### Tres Formas de donar hasta el 1 de noviembre, 2025:

1. Traiga su donación a la Iglesia. Habrá un ~~lugar~~ designado en el estacionamiento a la derecha de la Iglesia después de las misas de 8 y 10 de la mañana.
2. Tráigalo a nuestra Fiesta de Te de Bienvenida el 18 de ~~septiembre~~.
3. Llámenos y nos ponemos de acuerdo para recoger su donación Con una de nuestros miembros del Comité:  
Rita McCook: 949.793.2109      Barbara Dougherty: 951.551.1765  
Helen Simpson: 951.551.1765      Betsy Barts: 760.574.1044



Artículos que no se vendan serán donados a varios centros de beneficencia



## Día de Compras de la Boutique de la Dama del Bolso

sábado, 8 de noviembre del 2025 / Salón Di Leo

Iglesia de Santa Catalina de Alejandria

Hora: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm / Se aceptan cheques y efectivo

¡Abierto para toda la parroquia!



Deacon Gerardo and his wife, Maria Esther Vargas, have been active parishioners at St. Catherine of Alexandria for 17 years.

El diácono Gerardo y su esposa, María Esther Vargas, han sido feligreses activos en Santa Catalina de Alejandría durante 17 años.



On August 23, 2025, nine men were ordained as Permanent Deacons by Bishop Alberto Rojas at Sacred Heart Parish in Rancho Cucamonga .

St. Catherine of Alexandria congratulates and is pleased to welcome Deacon Gerardo Vargas to be counted among our beloved deacons. In the above picture, he is the last person on the right.

El 23 de agosto de 2025, nueve hombres fueron ordenados como diáconos permanentes por el obispo Alberto Rojas en la parroquia del Sagrado Corazón en Rancho Cucamonga. Santa Catalina de Alejandría felicita y se complace en dar la bienvenida al diácono Gerardo Vargas para que sea contado entre nuestros queridos diáconos. En la foto de arriba, él es la última persona a la izquierda.

## PRAYER REQUESTS FOR THE REPOSE OF SOULS PETICIONES DE ORACION POR EL DESCANSO DE LAS ALMAS

THE VICTIMS IN GAZA  
FRANK CLATANOF  
ROSALBA ARAMBURO  
CYNTHIA RUDIO  
SHTERO SARAMBELIEV  
SEVERIANO DINOSO  
LARRY WILSON  
GUALBERTO NIEVES  
LOURDES NEIVES  
SILVERIO DINOSO  
DIONISIA DINOSO

JENN VOSS  
WALTER WHITAKER II  
STEVE HAFlich  
EDGAR CONSTANTINO

Once our prayer request lists become full, we remove all the names and start a new list. If you or a loved one were on the previous list and still wish to be included on this list, please let Mary in the front office know. The number is 951-676-8136

[mhitzeman@sbdiocese.org](mailto:mhitzeman@sbdiocese.org).

Una vez que nuestras listas de peticiones de oracion se llenan, eliminamos todos los nombres y comenzamos una nueva lista. Si usted o un ser querido estaba en la lista anterior y aun desea ser incluido en esta lista, informeselo Mary en la oficina principal. El numero es 951-676-8136 [mhitzeman@sbdiocese.org](mailto:mhitzeman@sbdiocese.org)

### Prayer Requests for Healing

#### Peticiones de oracion por sanacion

|                   |                       |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Mary Cool         | Darcie Donohue        |
| Melanie Kuehnel   | Nicole Hargreaves     |
| Bob Meade         | Pedro Valencia        |
| Frozen Risher     | Jose Valencia         |
| Mike Risher       | Deborah VanDeusen     |
| Pablo Vallin      | Raj Thulsiraj         |
| Ana M. Thulsiraj  | Pablo Orosco          |
| Vanessa Thulsiraj | George Ochoa          |
| Julian Ochoa      | Jesus Valencia        |
| Judy Ciora        | Ma. Christina Mercano |
| Frank Mangiapane  | Lina Magiapane        |
| Andres Mercano    | Rosalina Mercano      |
| Rolando Mercano   | Maria Metcalfe        |
| Marita Galura     | Gregory Golas         |
| Rebecca Solaire   | Justin Wilga          |

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, September 13

#### 4:00pm

|              |                         |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| Amy Bateman  | Frank Scalise           |
| Louise Sunga | Edgar Allen Constantino |

#### 6:00pm

|                       |                |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Celia Sanchez Nicolas | Gerardo Alzate |
| Lilia Garcia          | Abundia Cruz   |

### Sunday, September 14

#### 8:00am

|                                     |                    |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Rosa Isela Lopez & Martiano Machado |                    |
| Deacon Dennis Malkowski             |                    |
| Flores Family                       | Sarambeliev Family |

#### 10:00 am

|                           |                    |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Ladislao & Simplica Jacob | Marvin Whitaker II |
| Ralphie Guerrero          | Virgilio Liwawag   |

#### 12:00pm

|                           |                       |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Guadalupe Alcala          | Eduardo Alcayaga      |
| Consuelo Delacruz Manipon | Dcn. Dennis Malkowski |

#### 2:00pm

Las Almas del Purgatorio

#### 5:00pm

|                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Marvin Whitaker II | Lucila H. Molinos  |
| Rick S. Molinos    | Giot S. Concepcion |
| Juanita Manalo     |                    |

### Monday, September 15

#### 7:30am

|                 |                        |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| Gloria DeGuzman | Isabella M. Concepcion |
| Leonar Oquendo  | Alejandro Concepcion   |

### Tuesday, September 16

#### 7:30am

|                     |                      |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| Emilio Escalante    | Grace Ann Reyes      |
| Clara Barrera Rocha | Ida Venditti Mililli |

### Wednesday, September 17

#### 7:30am

|                  |                       |
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| Capt. Jose Vales | Dcn. Dennis Malkowski |
| Rosa Dungca      |                       |

### Thursday, September 18

#### 7:30am

|              |                |
|--------------|----------------|
| Jose Lopez   | Marjorie Izgar |
| Justin Wilga |                |

#### 6:30pm

Intenciones de los feligreses

### Friday, September 19

#### 7:30 am

|               |                |
|---------------|----------------|
| Bernie Datoc  | Jacob Zuniga   |
| Olivia Flores | Sean Dougherty |



# Vendors Wanted

Looking for Small Businesses, Local  
Artisans and Home Crafters to  
sell your wares at our

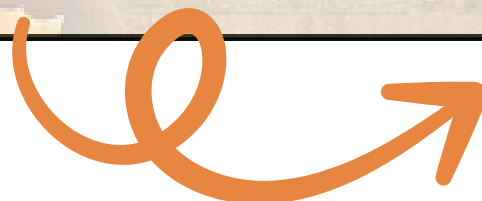
*2nd Annual Artisan & Craft Fair.*

Sunday, October 19, 2025.

Please contact the church office or  
Cindy Evans at (619) 587-4310/  
cgevans11@yahoo.com for more  
information.

Registration deadline: September 26, 2025.

Vendor fees just reduced!! \$50 per booth.



# Faith Formation



## Formation sessions begin this week!

Dear Altar Servers,  
We want to thank you for attending our training on Saturday, August 23rd. Your time, dedication, and desire to serve the Lord are a great blessing to our community.

Through your participation, we continue to grow as a team and learn the importance of serving with love, respect, and joy in God's house.

Thank you again for your availability and commitment! May the Lord multiply your generosity and always strengthen you in this beautiful ministry.

If you were not able to attend the training but want to serve as an Altar Server, please contact Aida at 951 225-6203 or [abaltazar@sbdiocese.org](mailto:abaltazar@sbdiocese.org)

### A look at

### what's ahead!

- September 7th – Children's Liturgy of the Word (10am & 2pm Masses)
- Sept 8th: OCIA for Adults (begins at 6:30pm)
- Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>: Faith Formation Sessions (begins at 6pm)
- Sept. 14<sup>th</sup>: OCIA (10am Mass) & Children's Liturgy of the Word (10am & 2pm Masses)
- Sept 15th: OCIA for Adults (begins at 6:30pm)
- Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>: Faith Formation Sessions (begins at 6pm)
- Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> OCIA (10am Mass) & Children's Liturgy of the Word (10am & 2pm Masses)
- Sept 22<sup>nd</sup>: OCIA for Adults (begins at 6:30pm)
- Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> : Faith Formation Sessions (begins at 6pm)
- Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> OCIA (10am Mass) & Children's Liturgy of the Word (10am & 2pm Masses)
- Sept 29<sup>th</sup> OCIA for Adults (begins at 6:30pm)
- Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> - Oct. 1: No Faith Formation Sessions

Have a question for the faith formation team?  
Call or text our Google Line at 951 387-5794



Follow us on Instagram @scaym41875



# SAINT OF THE WEEK

## Saint Robert Bellarmine



**Feast Day:** September 17

**Patronage:** Catechists and canon lawyers

**Life:** Born in 1542 in Montepulciano, Italy; joined the Society of Jesus (Jesuits) at age 18.

**Scholarship:** Brilliant theologian and Scripture scholar.

**Defender of the Faith:** Played a key role in the Counter-Reformation, writing works that clarified and defended Catholic teaching against Protestant objections.

**Catechism:** Authored a small catechism that became widely used for teaching the faith.

**Doctor of the Church:** Proclaimed in 1931 for his contributions to theology and catechesis.

**Inspiration:** A model of using intellect and wisdom in service of the Church, while living a life of humility and prayer.

## Faith Formation Families Caring for Others Corner!



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Fecha: 15 de septiembre

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Hora: 6:00 p.m. a 7:30 p.m.

Lugar: Salón DiLeo Hall

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## During the Jubilee Year

### Confessions

- Every Saturday at 2:30
- Wednesdays 4-5pm

### Adoration Every Friday

- 1st Friday of the Month with the Divine Mercy Chaplet from 8am-12pm
- All other Fridays- Adoration following the Daily Mass in Silence until 10am

**St. Catherine of Alexandria is a designated Pilgrim Site.**

**Durante el Año Jubilar a partir del 1 de febrero de 2025**

Confesiones: Todos los sábados a las 2:30 PM, Los miércoles de 4:00 PM a 5:00 PM

Adoración: Todos los viernes. Primer viernes del mes con la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia de 8:00 AM a 12:00 PM

Todos los demás viernes: Adoración en silencio después de la Misa diaria hasta las 10:00 AM

**We continue to share a weekly section from Spes non Confundit, Pope Francis' latest document. Continue reading to deepen your reflection and understanding!**

Source: [https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/bulls/documents/20240509\\_spes-non-confundit\\_bolla-giubileo2025.html](https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/bulls/documents/20240509_spes-non-confundit_bolla-giubileo2025.html)

**14. The elderly, who frequently feel lonely and abandoned, also deserve signs of hope. Esteem for the treasure that they are, their life experiences, their accumulated wisdom and the contribution that they can still make, is incumbent on the Christian community and civil society, which are called to cooperate in strengthening the covenant between generations.**

**Here I would also mention grandparents, who represent the passing on of faith and wisdom to the younger generation. May they find support in the gratitude of their children and the love of their grandchildren, who discover in them their roots and a source of understanding and encouragement.**

**14. Signos de esperanza merecen los ancianos, que a menudo experimentan soledad y sentimientos de abandono. Valorar el tesoro que son, sus experiencias de vida, la sabiduría que tienen y el aporte que son capaces de ofrecer, es un compromiso para la comunidad cristiana y para la sociedad civil, llamadas a trabajar juntas por la alianza entre las generaciones.**

**Dirijo un recuerdo particular a los abuelos y a las abuelas, que representan la transmisión de la fe y la sabiduría de la vida a las generaciones más jóvenes. Que sean sostenidos por la gratitud de los hijos y el amor de los nietos, que encuentran en ellos arraigo, comprensión y aliento.**

# WHY register?

By registering in a parish, you show your desire to be a part of our Catholic faith community. Registering is important. Census numbers (numbers of registered parishioners) help determine the number and kind of Masses and programs, the number of priests, obligations to the Diocese, and so on.

This time of year, we are getting many requests for a signature from our Pastor on a form in order for you to be a godparent for someone else's child or a sponsor for someone who is being confirmed. In order for us to be diligent in signing these forms, we need to check our records as to your attendance. Also, being registered and active is necessary to receive a discounted fee for Faith Formation or for weddings.

**THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT:** because our parish is so large, the only way for us to verify that you are attending Mass and an active member is for you to turn in your envelope with your parish registration number on it. It can be empty, \$1.00 or \$1,000,000—we just need to know that you are joining us.

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