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WEEKDAY MASS
Monday–Friday | 8 am
Federal Holidays | 9 am

WEEKEND MASS
Saturday | 4:30 pm
Sunday | 8 am, 10 am, 5 pm

CONFESSION
Monday | 7:30–7:55 am
Note: No Confession on Federal Holidays
Saturday | 3:15–4 pm
Other | By Appointment

ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY
Chaplet: After Daily Mass

ADORATION IN CHAPEL
9 am–7 pm

OUR MISSION
To embrace the boundless love of Jesus through the work of our hands and the celebration of the Eucharist

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NEWS + EVENTS

Youth Thanksgiving Feast

November 22 | 6-7:30 pm
Sacred Heart Academy Youth Room

Sacred Heart's Youth Ministry team is rebuilding a middle school youth ministry and would love for your middle schooler to be part of it from the very beginning! To kick things off, they are hosting a Jr. High Thanksgiving Feast for all 6th, 7th, and 8th graders. Come hungry, leave grateful! The evening will include a delicious meal, a talk about what it really means to be thankful, and games and prizes. Please see the Sacred Heart website for details and to sign up.

Sacred Heart Children's Nativity Reenactment

Children of Sacred Heart Parish and Sacred Heart Academy Preschool ages 3-12 are invited to participate in a reenactment of the Nativity at the beginning of the 4 pm Mass on Christmas Eve. Children must attend a mandatory rehearsal on Sunday, December 22, from noon-3 pm, where they will be assigned roles and costumes, make a craft, have lunch together, and rehearse. Parents are welcome to stay and help. On December 24, children will rehearse at 3:30 pm, just before Mass. Please use the QR code to register.

Thanksgiving Meals for Homebound

Do you know someone who will be homebound this Thanksgiving? The Care of the Whole Person ministry is offering Thanksgiving meals and will deliver them.

PLEASE CONTACT JANICE TEIXEIRA AT TEIXEIRA@COX.NET OR 619.246.4955.

All Souls' Day Mass, Candlelight Procession and Dia de los Muertos: Thanks to the Planning Team for a Beautiful Evening!







Interfaith Thanksgiving Prayer Service

Sunday, November 22 | 7 pm
OB Joyful (formerly Water's Edge)

For the past two years, Fr. Billy has been part of a team of local Ocean Beach and Point Loma pastors who meet monthly to collaborate on how to best serve the community. Our Good Friday prayer walk has been a fruit of this collaboration, and we are excited to announce a new opportunity for our local faith communities to join together in prayer. Please join a Thanksgiving prayer service at OB Joyful, formerly known as Water's Edge, diagonally across the street from our own Sacred Heart, on Sunday, November 22 at 7 pm.

ARS Holiday Market Next Weekend

November 21-22 | After Masses
Sacred Heart Courtyard

Swing by the courtyard after next weekend's Masses for the ARS Holiday Market! You'll find unique gifts, and so much more. Each year, artists and crafters donate their time and materials, and the money raised allows the ARS to purchase needed items for Sacred Heart. Thanks for supporting this great cause!

Advent Books

With thanks to two generous parishioners who wish to remain anonymous, Advent and Christmas season books are available to us again this year. You'll find them in a basket in the church vestibule.

Thanksgiving Baskets Collection Final Week

We'll be collecting food until this Friday, November 20, and bins may be found in the church, parish office, and preschool. If you are able to donate a turkey, please call Pat Katka at 619.222.9648. Thanks for your donations and time!









Donut Sunday

Sacred Heart's Hospitality Ministry invites us all to enjoy donuts, coffee, and fellowship after the 8 am and 10 am Masses this Sunday.

Community Dinner

Tuesday, November 24 | 5–6 pm
Sacred Heart Church Hall

Our next community dinner will be served in the hall on Tuesday, November 24, from 5–6 pm. Dinners are served every second and fourth Tuesday of the month, from 5–6 pm. Volunteers are always welcome and appreciated. Please arrive at 3:30 pm if you'd like to help, and plan to stay until 6:30.

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT OCEANA FREE AT DROCEANA FREE@GMAIL.COM OR CHERYL ACCOMAZZO AT CHERYLACC @GMAIL. COM. MANY THANKS TO ALL INVOLVED IN THIS IMPORTANT MINISTRY.



Interfaith Shelter Opportunity

Week of February 20-27
St. Peter's by the Sea

The Interfaith Shelter Network is a local nonprofit, formed in 1986, when a group of churches organized together to shelter their unhoused neighbors throughout the winter months. Today, it includes churches throughout San Diego. St. Peter's by the Sea Lutheran Church, just down the road from us, is one of the host churches. This year they will host 10-15 people, including families living in their cars, for four weeks. They are asking for our help during their final week: February 20-27. Can you serve as a dinner host from 5-7 pm by sharing a dinner you've prepared? Are you able to step in as an overnight host to help ensure safety?

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE AT 619.224.2746 OR PARISHOFFICE@SACRED HEARTOB.ORG IF YOU CAN HELP.

GIVING

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Go to our secure online giving site:

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Or scan this QR code. Click on the "Contribute to Sacred Heart" button. You can make a one-time donation, or you can sign up to give weekly. Thank you for your continued support and faithful giving. Many Blessings,

—FR. BILLY

You can also donate the car you no longer need to Sacred Heart

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MEDITATIONS



Readings for the Week

Sunday

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Monday

Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday

Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday

Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 19:41-44

Friday

Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday

Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40



Gospel Meditation

Matthew 25:14-30

A friend once took his young adult son to the casino for his birthday. He handed him $100 and said, "Let's have a great time." The son, a graduate student with limited money, quietly pocketed the money and refused to play. "I don't want to lose it," he said. But he missed the point: the money was not really his to pocket; it was his father's invitation to share an experience together.

God sees our gifts a bit like this. In Jesus' parable, a servant buries his master's talent and explains: "Master, I knew you were a demanding person...so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground" (Matthew 25:24-25). The master condemns him not for failure but for refusing to risk. The servant's fear distorts his image of the master and leads to a small, loveless response. No love, no risk. No risk, no relationship

How easily we fall into this trap! We treat God's gifts as fragile possessions rather than invitations. We play it safe, avoid risk, and tell ourselves we are wise and God is cruel. But Jesus praises those who trust the Master's goodness enough to act boldly. They are not reckless but confident enough in their Master to risk their gifts for Him.

So, what is my interior story about God right now? Is it marked by generosity, adventure, and trust? Or by fear, caution, and suspicion? That hidden narrative shapes everything. Because love, by its nature, always takes risks with, and for, the beloved.

— Father John Muir
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Recognizing Our Military

LCDR Jesse Ray Doiron, USN
LTJG Sutter Grune, USN
USS Howard (DDG 83) Sailors
Capt. Silas Huff, U.S. Army
USS Minnesota (SSN 783) Crew
Company 27 USNA Class of 2026
Company S1 Texas A&M Corps of Cadets
Company 2D Cal Poly Maritime Academy

IF YOU HAVE A LOVED ONE SERVING IN THE MILITARY WHO IS IN NEED OF PRAYERS OR ON SPECIAL DEPLOYMENT, YOU MAY CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT 619.224.2746 TO HAVE HIM OR HER ADDED TO THIS PRAYER LIST.

Please give the military member's name, rank, branch of service, and if deployed, length of deployment. Remember to call the office when your loved one has returned home.

Adoration

Sacred Heart Church Chapel Behind the Altar | 9 am–7 pm

If you would like a code to the chapel door, please contact Janice Teixeira at 619.246.4955 or teixeira@cox.net.



Need Prayers?

Submit your prayer request to www.bit.ly/ineedprayers. Sacred Heart Prayer Warriors are ready to pray for you!

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 14
4:30 pm | Dr. Louie Linarelli †

Sunday, November 15
8 am | Adeline Madruga
10 am | Mass for Parishioners
5 pm | George and Lorena Hornby †

Monday, November 16
8 am | Finn Renard

Tuesday, November 17
8 am | Thomas Beckman †

Wednesday, November 18
8 am | Manuel and Isabel da Luz †

Thursday, November 19
8 am | Taylor Anthony Bell †

Friday, November 20
8 am | Frank and Patty Barrancotto †

Saturday, November 21
4:30 pm | Mary, Joaquin, and Bibiana Medina †

Sunday, November 22
8 am | Andrés Crosthwaite †
10 am | Fr. Charles Eis †
5 pm | Mass for Parishioners

Our Lady of Lourdes Home Visit



Sacred Heart's twelve-inch statue of Our Lady of Lourdes is available for private prayer devotion in your home for up to 2 weeks.

PLEASE CONTACT JUNE SPROSTY AT PRAYERMINISTRY@SACREDHEARTOB.ORG TO RESERVE AND BE BLESSED BY OUR HOLY MOTHER.



Remember in Your Prayers

Daphinne Accomazzo
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NAMES WILL REMAIN ON OUR PRAYER LIST FOR 30 DAYS AND MAY BE RENEWED BY CONTACTING THE PARISH OFFICE AT 619.224.2746 OR PARISHOFFICE@SACREDHEARTOB.ORG.

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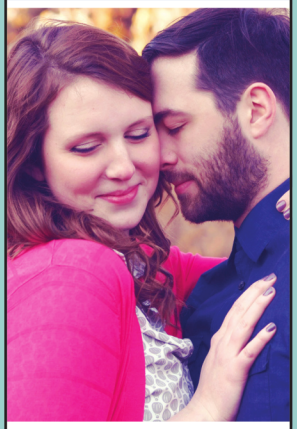
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