## St. Joseph Parish



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Dear Parish Family:

Welcome to the Fourth and final Sunday of Advent. Christmas is only 5 days away!!

During these days, the family gatherings provide opportunities to sit down and watch their favorite Christmas film. What's yours? A Survey by a Catholic media company ranked the top five films: 1. It's a Wonderful Life. 2. A Charlie Brown Christmas. 3. Miracle on 34<sup>th</sup> Street. 4. The Muppet Christmas Carol. 5. A Christmas Story. Frosty the Snowman received zero votes. My favorite did not make the list. There have been numerous adaptations of Charles Dickens "A Christmas Carol" dating all the way back to a silent version in 1913. My favorite was the 1951 British version of "A Christmas Carol" with Alistair Sim as Ebeneezer Scrooge. As your family snuggles up to watch your favorite, may it provide insight, nostalgia, and comfort. May the Christmas movies continue to reflect the themes of love, family, home, and the true spirit of Christmas!

This weekend I'm pleased to announce that Archbishop Gomez has assigned Deacon Joe Lumsdaine to serve as a Permanent Deacon among us. Deacon Joe and his wife Diane have been active here at Saint Joseph's for many months and have been involved in lectoring, teaching the Baptism classes, preaching, celebrating Baptisms and much more! They have told me how much they have felt welcomed by you, our Saint Joseph's family and we welcome Deacon Joe & Diane to their new home and ministry. Scroll down to see their photo and profile.

As you prayerfully discern your annual Christmas offering to your Parish family, thank you for your continued generosity to support our mission of proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

I'm excited to see you and greet your families at our Christmas Masses. As we celebrate the Incarnation of Jesus Christ, may His birth be a rebirth in our lives, community and world. I'm praying for you this Christmas!

Love and prayers in the name of the Child born among us,

Msgr. Kevin



We are pleased to announce that Deacon Joe Lumsdaine has been assigned by Archbishop Gomez to St. Joseph's as a permanent deacon to our parish effective December 14, 2025.

Deacon Joe was ordained in 2010 and was previously assigned to St. Dominic Savio Church in Bellflower. His wife Dianne was commissioned by Cardinal Mahoney as a Pastoral Associate assigned to St. Dominic Savio until her retirement in 2020. According to Deacon Joe, "Dianne and I have felt very welcomed at St. Joseph and are looking forward to being of service to the community as a deacon couple."

Both Deacon Joe and Dianne are retired lawyers. They have raised 4 children and now enjoy spending time with them and their 4 grandchildren. They also enjoy traveling to various parts of the world with family and friends. They live just up the freeway in Downey. They may be reached at <a href="mailto:deaconcouple@gmail.com">deaconcouple@gmail.com</a>.

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Thank you for being an active and faithful member of the Saint Joseph Catholic Church community.

As 2025 draws to a close, we kindly invite you to consider a year-end charitable gift to your parish. Your generous support demonstrates the special place Saint Joseph holds in your heart and directly sustains our mission:

- Forming and enriching parishioners in spirituality, worship, and education
- Sharing Christ's love through service to others

Every gift, no matter the size, makes a meaningful difference. Please consider making a one-time payment using ParishSoft, Parish Envelopes or the QR code below.

During this sacred season of Advent, we hold you and your family in our prayers and wish you a blessed and Merry Christmas.

Special Giving Opportunity If you are 70½ or older, you may be eligible to make a tax-free Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) directly from your IRA. Please consult your tax advisor for details.

With gratitude and Christmas joy,

Your St. Joseph Church Finance Council:

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#### **Weekly** Prayer

#### **Sunday's Readings**

#### First Reading:

Therefore the Lord himself will give you this sign: the virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall name him Emmanuel. (Isa 7:14)

#### Psalm:

Let the Lord enter; he is king of glory. (Ps 24)

#### Second Reading:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. (Rom 1:7)

#### Gospel:

"Joseph, son of David,

do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home.

For it is through the Holy Spirit

that this child has been conceived in her.

She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus,

because he will save his people from their sins." (Mt 1:20-21)

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### Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Sometimes we want God's instructions to be clear and precise — like the angel in Joseph's dream. But Joseph's understanding was only as strong as his devotion to God's will. If we give our lives to God as Joseph did, we will know what he asks of us.

#### Observances for the week of December 21, 2025

Sunday: 4th Sunday of Advent

Tuesday: St. John of Kanty, Priest

Wednesday: Christmas Eve

Thursday: The Nativity of the Lord
Friday: St. Stephen, First Martyr

Saturday: St. John, Apostle and Evangelist

Next Sunday: The Holy Family



#### Devotions, Explained!

Las Posadas is a Mexican tradition which recreates the Holy Family's search for lodging in Bethlehem. This nine-day devotion anticipates the birth of Jesus Christ, who seeks refuge in the heart of every man and woman.

#### Prayer for Advent - Miracles

Dear God,

You are in the miracle business. I still believe that You can move mountains and separate seas. Break into every unknown and astound us with Your goodness and grace.

Amen.

#### Worship & Meditation

### Readings for the week of December 21, 2025

#### Sunday:

Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 (7c, 10b)/ Rom 1:1-7/Mt 1:18-24

#### Monday:

1 Sm 1:24-28/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/ Lk 1:46-56

#### Tuesday:

Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/Lk 1:57-66

#### Wednesday:

Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Lk 1:67-79

#### Thursday:

Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29 (2a)/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25

Night: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13 (Lk 2:11)/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14

Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/Ti 3:4-7/ Lk 2:15-20

Day: Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 (3c)/ Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14

#### Friday:

Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22

#### Saturday:

1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Jn 20:1a, 2-8

#### **Next Sunday:**

Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 (see 1)/ Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Mt 2:13-15, 19-23

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#### **Gospel Meditation**

#### **Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture**

A priest friend recently told me a remarkable story. One of his cousins reported having a vivid dream in which an angel told him the family needed to exhume their grandmother's body from a cemetery in New York and return it to her birthplace in Romania. She had been dead nearly ten years. As you might expect, the family thought it was, well, crazy. But astonishingly they exhumed her body. It was incorrupt, showing no signs of decomposition. That experience sparked healing, faith, and reconciliation throughout the family.

In this Sunday's Gospel, Joseph also receives a dream. He's confused, afraid. But in the quiet of sleep, God speaks: "Do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home" (Matthew 1:20). When he wakes, Joseph acts. He doesn't overanalyze or dismiss the message. He trusts, and acts.

God still speaks — not necessarily through literal dreams but through those deeper intuitions of the heart. St. Ignatius of Loyola taught that God's voice draws us into peace, courage, and love. But we have to listen to it. Advent is a time for stillness. As we prepare for Christ's coming, we're invited to enter that quiet space where God's voice can be heard.

When and how do you become most receptive to God? Is it in silence? In prayer? In nature? At Mass? This week, go there. Be still. Listen. And like Joseph, have the courage to act on what God shows you.

- Father John Muir

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2025 | FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Season of Hope and Wonder celebration! Your presence and joy made the evening truly special.

May the hope and wonder of the season stay with you throughout the holidays and into the New Year!



DISCOVER THE MESSAGES

GOD HAS FOR YOU THROUGH

### The Prophets

A 10-PART BIBLE STUDY FEATURING
THOMAS SMITH



Dates - Times - Location

Starting January 14th at 9:00am in the PLC with Sr. Eva

Cost - Registration

Study Guide - \$20 Email sreva@stjosephlb.org

For More Information

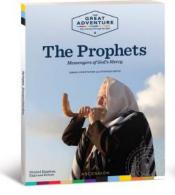
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God sent prophets at critical times to call the people back to their covenant relationship with him. Prophets proclaimed the consequences of continued sin, called people to repentance, and declared God's faithful love. They also spoke of the future to shed light on current events and to reveal God's plans and purposes.

In *The Prophets: Messengers of God's Mercy*, discover how God is constantly calling you to a deeper relationship with him, as well as the ways you are called to be the voice of God to others.

I love this study! ... Now we know where they were when they said it, why they said it. Thomas was so clear. He illuminated it so well that it was easy to understand.

-Celesta D.





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THE CRUSADES,
THE INQUISITION,
"THE DARK AGES",
THE GALILEO AFFAIR,



### WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?



Do you know your family history? The history of the Church is the story of our family. It is the epic story of our ancestors in the Faith – the heroic men and women who shaped civilization and spread the Gospel throughout the world. Knowing this story is crucial to our identity as Catholics. Just as we would uncover exciting and interesting stories of our ancestors through the study of our family genealogy, we can uncover our Catholic past through the study of Church history.

Many in our society misunderstand and even attack our Church for the supposed misdeeds of the past. Topics such as the Crusades, the "Inquisition", and Galileo are used in an attempt to discredit the Church and her role in the world. What is the truth concerning these events and persons? How can you answer the objections?

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#### **Dates, Time, Location**

Starting January 15th at 7:00pm on Zoom

#### Registration

Study Guide - \$20 Email: mike@stjosephlb.org Call: 562-370-0769

#### For More Information

Email mike@stjosephlb.org or call 562-370-0769

#### **About Steve Weidenkopf**



Steve Weidenkopf has a gift for making Catholic Church history come alive for any audience. He currently serves as a lecturer in Church History for the Notre Dame Graduate School of Christendom College.

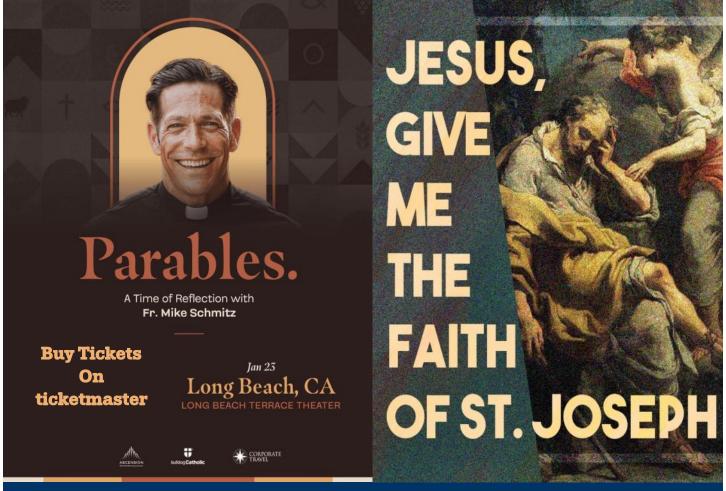
#### Ask yourself these questions -



- Do you feel that there is something missing from your life?
- Are you struggling to find clarity and purpose in a busy world?
- Would you like to meet more people in the parish?
- Would you like to strengthen your faith?
- Do you want to be a better version of yourself?

You're invited to experience a weekend like no other right here at St. Joseph Church! A weekend filled with spiritual renewal and Christian fellowship. Learn how to become a better version of yourself as you uncover the path to true happiness. This is the best gift you can give yourself! Sign Up Now!

Please visit our parish website for more information and to sign up. www.stjosephlb.org/welcome-Christ-renews/





"Whenever we encounter another person in love, we learn something new about God."

-Pope Francis

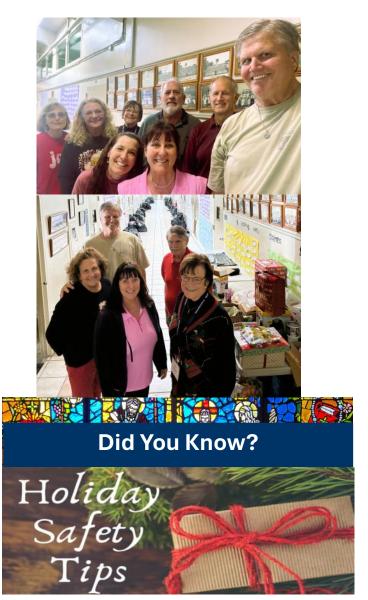
#### **Christmas Food and Gifts**

THANK YOU to everyone that contributed to our Christmas Present Drive Dec. 13-14! We collected over <u>400 gifts</u> for the 200 children of our 80-parish community supported families! 58 teens received \$40 gift cards. Our family adopters provided 116 children from 35 ADDITIONAL families.

Along with four or more generous boxes

of food, over 200 parishioners delivered these this weekend to our assisted families. Over 1,500 lbs. of food was provided by way of \$7,000 in Skip-a-Meal donations and our school's food drive. Please be especially mindful of Skip-a-Meal donations during the holiday season when our needs are greatest. **Essential Home Furnishings**: Our holiday distributions provided feedback of many essential home furnishing needs: refrigerator repairs, beds, tables, dressers, heaters, imminent loss of utility service, etc. We have begun to address these. Are you able to help us in this urgent ministry? For many fulfilling ways to serve, please call Tim Clark (562) 431-4385.

Jan. 17-18: Homeless Kit Drive: Provide daily necessities to people experiencing homelessness. Shopping lists will be available Jan. 10.



### Check Christmas presents for button batteries and other hazards

Many parents will be spending the next few days assembling (and reassembling) their children's gifts, and it's important to be on the lookout for potential hazards, including button batteries and small parts. A couple of safety tips include following age guidance and other safety information on toy packaging; getting safety gear, including helmets, for scooters and other riding toys; and keeping small balls and toys with small parts away from children younger than age 3. For more information, visit cpsc.gov/Safety-Education-Centers/Holiday-Safety.

# Senior Group



St. Joseph Seniors Announcement (Ages 55+)

Great news! Our St. Joseph Seniors meetings are returning to the Hall (St. Joseph Center) beginning Monday, January 12, 2026.

New Meeting Time: 10:00 AM – 1:30 PM **2026 Dues:** \$20 (to be collected at the January 12 meeting)

Our first gathering will be a warm "welcome back" and an opportunity to reconnect and meet new members.

- 50/50 drawing tickets will be available for purchase
- President **Donna Luciene** will share plans for the new year
- No games this first meeting
- Bingo & other games resume Feb. 9th (Only one meeting will be held in January due to the Book Fair in the hall on January 26.)

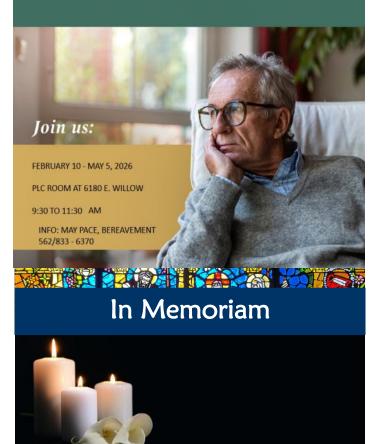
**Lunch:** Pizza will be served Coffee and tea will be available

We look forward to seeing all our returning members—and many new ones too!

If you have questions, please contact **Marilyn North** at **(562) 519-0154**.

Thank you, and we'll see you on January 12 at 10:00 AM!

# Grief Share Grieving the death of a loved one?



#### **Dolores Pollock**

Funeral Mass at St. Joseph Monday December 22nd at 11:00am

#### **Michael Bergstrom**

Funeral Mass at St. Joseph Church Tuesday, December 30th at 10:30 am

#### **Elizabeth Kier**

Funeral Mass at St. Joseph Church Saturday, January 3rd at 10:00 am

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

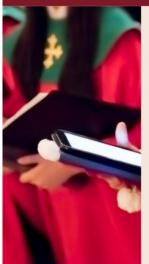
May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

~Amen~

### 'Tis the Season for Christmas Music!

#### Christmas Music Schedule

Get into the holiday spirit with our choir leading classic and contemporary Christmas song: Full schedule below.



#### Christmas Eve

**4 pm Mass:** (courtyard) will be led by Vivian, Edward & Gia

6 pm Mass: (church) will be led by members of the 12:30pm contemporary band.

8:15 pm Concert in the Church: will be performed by 10:30 am choir. We will offer a series of beautiful Christmas Octavos intermingled with traditional Christmas Caroling.

**9 pm Mass:** (church) will be led by 10:30 am choir

#### **Christmas Day:**

**9 am Mass:** (church) will be led by Vivian, Leah & Aria

10:30 am Mass: (church) will be led by Vivian

All are welcome to join us in celebrating the joy of Christmas. We look forward to seeing you there!

### Jesus the Servant

FOR THE SON OF MAN DID NOT COME TO BE SERVED BUT TO SERVE AND TO GIVE HIS LIFE AS A RANSOM FOR MANY. - MARK 10:45

Virtual Diaconate Formation
Information Day



Sunday, January 11, 2026 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. via Zoom

Presentación en español disponible

To register please scan the QR Code and complete the registration form, or email NGDubon@la-archdiocese.org

Para registrarse, escanee el Código QR y llene la solicitud, o envié correo electrónico a NGDubon@la-archdiocese.org

Allow us to accompany you in the discernment of a possible vocation to the diaconate.

Permítanos acompañarlo en el discernimiento a una posible vocación al diaconado.



### Book Club



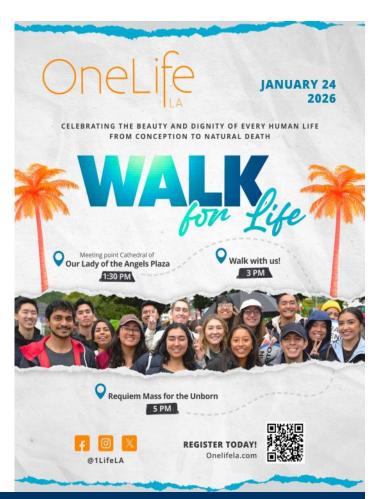
Our next Book Club meeting is **Wednesday, February 11th** at 7pm on Zoom

The Memory Library by Kate Storey

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by Kate Storey

All are welcome. For more info, email agoodlife@msn.com





#### St. Joseph AlphaK-4

### Basketball

#### Alpha-K thru 4th Grade

It's time for St. Joseph's 24th Annual Basketball League for Alpha-K through 4<sup>th</sup> grade. The league is open to all St. Joseph families, parishioners, and friends. This is an instructional league where everyone plays.

There will be at least three divisions: AK/Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade, and 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade. All teams will be co-ed. (*Please Note: Player friend requests will be considered but cannot be guaranteed*).

#### Quick Notes:

- 6 games Saturday mornings In the Gym!! January 10th February 14th.
- Practice 30 min prior to each game, game runs 30 min.
- Registration fee \$80 (includes 6 games, picture, trophy, season-end pizza party)
- Registration fee can be paid via check or zelle. A registration form must be turned in with either form of payment.
- Jerseys from prior years can be used or new jerseys can be purchased for \$40
- Volunteer Coaches Needed!
- Registration can be turned in via backpack mail, form & payment due by FRIDAY DEC. 19th

Parishioners and community members may turn in their registration to the school office or drop in mail slot.

If you do not receive a confirmation email within a week, then assume your registration was not received and send an email to: stjosephbasketball23@gmail.com.

If you have any questions please call Megan Forsyth 562-706-4442 or email at stjosephbasketball23@gmail.com

We are very excited for the upcoming basketball season!

Thank you,

Megan Forsyth



#### ST. JOSEPH AK-4 BASKETBALL LEAGUE

#### 2026 Registration and Parent Permission Form

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Mary Anne Silvestri

Frank McKown

#### **Mass Schedule**

**Saturday Vigil** 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday Mass on the Grass Outdoors** 8:30 a.m.

> **Indoor Mass** 10:30 a.m.

12:30 p.m.

Daily Mass (M-W) 8:00 a.m.

#### Reconciliation

**Saturdays** 3:45-4:30 p.m.

#### **Adoration**

**First Fridays** 8:00-9:00 a.m. **Third Tuesdays** 7:00-8:00 p.m.



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Meditation

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