



# I AM THE *Good Shepherd*

*St. Kilian Catholic Church*  
*4th Sunday of Easter. April 21, 2024*

Rev. Angelos Sebastian, Pastor  
Rev. Brandon Lopez, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Ben Nguyen, Parochial Vicar

Assisting Priests:  
Rev. Jim Dunning, Pastor Emeritus  
Rev. Miguel Batres, O. Praem.  
Rev. Jack Sewell

Deacon Bob Kelleher  
Deacon Mark Martin  
Deacon John Silberstein

#### WEEKDAY MASS

Monday-Friday: 6:30 am & 9:00 am  
Saturday: 8:00 am

#### WEEKEND MASS

4:30 pm Saturday Vigil  
Sunday 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 10:30am, 12:00 pm  
1:30 pm (*Spanish*) and 5:00 pm  
Melkite Liturgy: April 21 at 6:30pm

#### RECONCILIATION

8:45 am Saturday following Mass  
6:30 pm Wednesday

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Faith Formation Office: 949-586-4550 ~ Youth Ministry Office: 949-586-7803  
Quad-Parish School: St. Junipero Serra Catholic School ~ 23652 Antonio Pkwy, RSM, CA 92688 ~ 949-888-1990

**GLORIA:**

**Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

**FIRST READING: Acts 4:8-12**

Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said: "Leaders of the people and elders: If we are being examined today about a good deed done to a cripple, namely, by what means he was saved, then all of you and all the people of Israel should know that it was in the name of Jesus Christ the Nazorean whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead; in his name this man stands before you healed. *He is the stone rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone.* There is no salvation through anyone else, nor is there any other name under heaven given to the human race by which we are to be saved."

Lector: The Word of the Lord. **ALL: Thanks be to God.**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29**

**"The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone."**

- Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his mercy endures forever.  
It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in man.  
It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in princes.
- I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me and have been my savior.  
The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.  
By the Lord has this been done; it is wonderful in our eyes.
- Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; we bless you from the house of the Lord.  
I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me and have been my savior.  
Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his kindness endures forever.

**SECOND READING: 1 John 3:1-2**

Beloved:

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God. Yet so we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we shall be has not yet been revealed. We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

Lector: The Word of the Lord. **ALL: Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL: John 10:11-18**

Jesus said:

"I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep. I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd. This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own. I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again. This command I have received from my Father."

Priest/Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord. **ALL: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

**PROFESSION OF FAITH**

***I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (bow your head through "and became man") and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.***

**LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

**ALL:** *May the Lord accept this sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.*

**HOLY**

***Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.***

***Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna in the highest.***

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION**

***We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again. (OR)***

***Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free. (OR)***

***When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.***

**LAMB OF GOD**

***Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world. Have mercy on us.***

***Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world. Have mercy on us.***

***Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world. Grant us peace.***

**HOLY COMMUNION**

**Celebrant:** *Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.*

*Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.*

**ALL:** *Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.*

**PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL**

***Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray: and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into Hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.***

**Celebrant:** The Mass has ended. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

**ALL:** *Thanks be to God.*



# Welcome to our newly baptized!

Hayden Lowell Coetzee  
 Beau Kenzo Labrum  
 Liam Oliver Lipscomb  
 Harper Love Huynh Liwanag  
 Olivia Taylor Van Vleet  
 Lauren Vienna Villasenor  
 Isabelle Grace Yanes



# Look who's **99** !!!!



Happy Birthday to Josie Montes!  
 Born in 1925 in Cucamonga, California.  
 Josie was one of 10 children, growing up in Watts.  
 She is the mother of four children,  
 has seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.  
 A parishioner of St. Kilian for many years, Josie attends  
 daily Mass, and is a member of the St. Kilian Council of  
 Catholic Women. You can find her most days here as she  
 is part of several prayer groups. She loves to crochet!

*God bless you Josie!*

*Maddie ~  
 Thank you for your willingness to serve!*



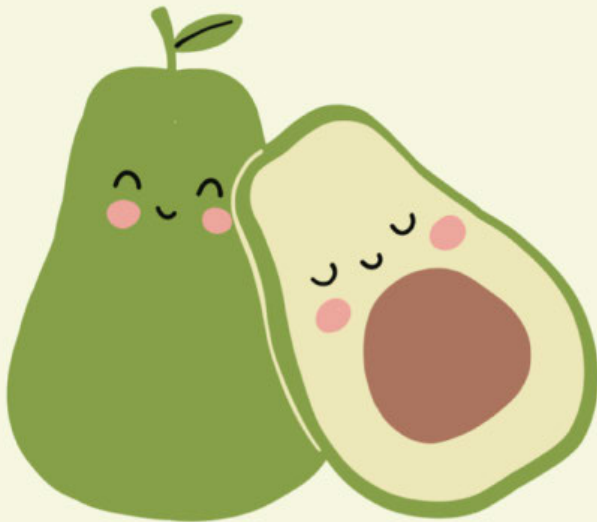
As St. Pope John Paul II has said,  
 "The altar server occupies a privileged place  
 in the liturgical celebration. The altar server  
 presents himself to a community and  
 experiences firsthand that Jesus Christ is  
 present and active in every liturgical act.

You are called in particular to be young  
 friends of Jesus. Be determined  
 to go deeper and to cultivate this friendship  
 with Him. You will discover that in Jesus you  
 have found a true friend for life."



# AVOCADOS FOR RETIRED PRIESTS

THIS WEEKEND  
after Mass  
JUST \$10 for 6 avocados  
...while supplies last!



## SAVE THE DATE for Vacation Bible School 2024!



July 15 - 19  
9:30a - 12:30p  
For children entering  
K through 5th grade in the Fall

Registration open  
at the end of April.

## Remembering Our Mothers

Mother's Day Novena Mass envelopes are available in the Parish Office and in the Church vestibule.

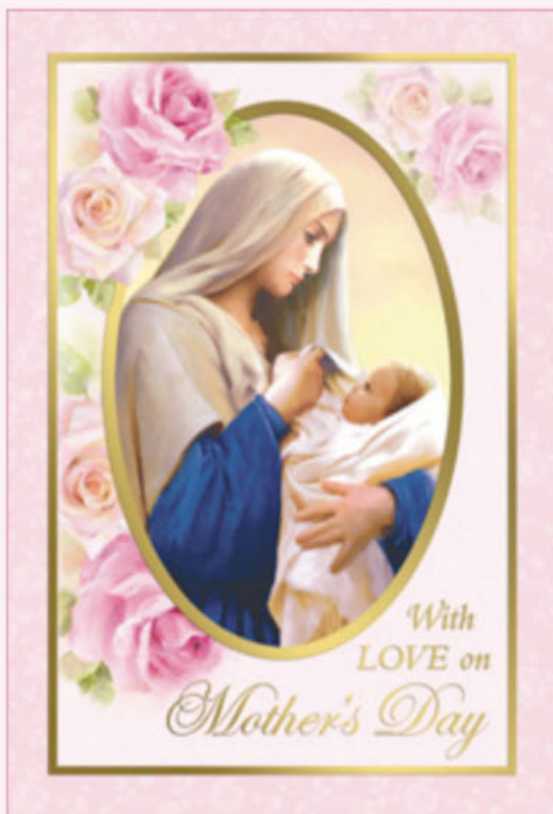
The first Mass will be offered on **Mother's Day — Sunday, May 12th**, and continue for the following eight days.

On the envelope, you have the opportunity to write the names of mothers, grandmothers, sisters, aunts, friends and other important women in your life, whether living or deceased, so that we may honor them over the nine-day Novena.

Just drop your envelope into the offertory basket or turn into the Parish Office. All of the envelopes will be placed in a basket at the Altar during the Novena of Masses.

We also have Novena cards available in the Parish Office to send to anyone you are praying for.

We are happy to include this Novena as part of our spiritual offering. Whether living or deceased, this prayerful gift is a wonderful way to honor our loved ones.



## Prayer Requests

Requests should be made by email to [office@stkilianchurch.org](mailto:office@stkilianchurch.org) by Monday to appear in the upcoming bulletin, and have permission for publication. Names will appear for four consecutive bulletins.

If you are interested in a Mass intention, please contact the office to schedule a Mass.

### Those who are sick

Gretchen Schick  
Joe Farkas  
Herbert Sato  
Mark Prather  
Kyle Avila  
Russ Finnegan  
Bob Berschauer  
Berenice Lopez Garcia  
Angela Blair  
Carolina Rangel  
Michael Schnell  
Baby Ella Rosales  
Travis Andresen  
Robert Lambaren  
Audra Mazeika  
Travis Bonin  
Loretta Gautreaux  
Humberto Angel Campos  
Michael Pezzaniti  
Tania Hanlin  
Judith Heck  
Walter Bonam  
Pete Bonam  
Joyce Desharnais  
Carrie Noggle  
Casey Garritano  
Jose Carlos  
Irene Reyno  
Elizabeth Hernandez  
Bill Vasquez  
Adam Herron

### Those who have recently died

Connie Brown  
Raul Garcia, Sr.  
Christina Lejano  
Leonica Cristobal  
Mimi Ben Youssef  
Nick Emnas  
Eddie LaBounty  
David Concepcion  
Jim Esparza  
Eric Patrick Barnard  
Leonard Limtiaco  
Virginia Barrett  
Barbara Sahara  
Yoshie Sison  
  
Jesse Holadaway  
Zoe Hays  
Joseph Wilchinsky  
Virginia Matthews  
Chelsea Schlueter  
Bert Susanka  
Andrea Alonso  
Carol O'Connell

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE MEN AND WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY

**Afghanistan:** Zach Moreland, Stephen Bohanan, Renee Barrett, Clayton Lamb, Jordan Franco, Robert Charles Holmes Jr, Christopher Pappmichail  
**Bahrain:** Christine Cawayan, Richard Erk III  
**Colorado:** William Alarcon, William Radecki  
**Delaware:** Lorraine Bower  
**Djibouti, East Africa:** Andrew Hill  
**East Africa:** Daniel "Justin" Fowler  
**Florida:** Charles Madden IV  
**Georgia:** Reece Ludwig, John Richmond, Joseph Browne, Joey Castelli  
**Germany:** Brian Lewerts, Liz Rewerts  
**Hawaii:** Robert Ortiz, Renelyn Macapinlac  
**Idaho:** Lauren Elliott  
**Iraq:** Brett Conover  
**Japan:** Vince Ramos, Tyler Newton, Brad Cope, Jordan Tanap, Diego Walker  
**Libya:** Logan Currie  
**Los Angeles AFB:** Charles Salerno  
**Mediterranean Fleet:** Dylan Connor  
**Middle East:** Nikko Tanap  
**Mississippi:** Brendan Bohem  
**Montana:** Daniel Forrest  
**Okinawa:** Alfredo Samson Jr., Sean & Elizabeth Pham, James Pham  
**Pacific:** Theodore Bucierka, Scott Burbach  
**Romania:** Zachary Ensign  
**San Diego/Camp Pendleton:** Chris Diaz Rivera, David Rehnberg, Jacob Brandon, Mariel Bongolan  
**South Carolina:** Evan Colclough  
**South Korea:** Christopher Mathis, John Regan, Pascal Hernandez, Dylan Zanki  
**Texas:** Chase Alarcon, Miranda McElvogue, Chris Sheppard  
**United Arab Emirates:** Shannon Zintgraff  
**Utah:** Jason Hunt  
**Virginia:** Rey Tanap, Ryan Bohem, Vincent R. Paplia  
**Washington:** Sara Hunt, Ben Sheppard  
**Washington D.C.:** Victor G. Ray  
To include a family member's name serving our country, email [office@stkilianchurch.org](mailto:office@stkilianchurch.org)

**New Ministry starting April 30th  
Tuesdays 6-7pm in the Parish Center**

### The School of Community

is a weekly study and small group discussion of theology based on the lectures of Fr. Luigi Giussani, founder of the lay Catholic movement *Communion & Liberation* ([us.clonline.org](http://us.clonline.org))

These faith groups strive to understand the comparison between the Christian proposal and life, in order to verify how faith responds to human needs in every aspect of our world.

Contact [sondra.orts@gmail.com](mailto:sondra.orts@gmail.com) if you are interested in learning more about this ministry!

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Monday, April 22, 2024

6:30 am Fr. Mark Beird †  
 9:00 am Alfonsa & Emanuel Hionodache †

### Tuesday, April 23, 2024

6:30 am Don C. Hanson †  
 9:00 am Warren Proulx †

### Wednesday, April 24, 2024

6:30 am Kayleigh Anne Kwek †  
 9:00 am Pat Giorgi †

### Thursday, April 25, 2024

6:30 am Richard Bernat †  
 9:00 am Intention of Ziad Alaeddin

### Friday, April 26, 2024

6:30 am Ron Fisher †  
 9:00 am Elizabeth Won †

### Saturday, April 27, 2024

8:00 am Joel G. Itac †  
 4:30 pm John Lester, Elizabeth Neely,  
 Thomas Fenton, Walter Mieszerski,  
 Ronald Bauchiero, David Weathers and  
 Vera Robledo †  
 Intentions of Bert Susanka,  
 Martha Chambers and Nicholas Eberle

### Sunday, April 28, 2024

7:00 am Parishioners of St. Kilian  
 8:30 am David McKenzie †  
 10:30 am Lisa Lavanchy †  
 12:00 pm Patty Vera †  
 1:30 pm Elizabeth Martinez, Cinthia Kawile,  
 Tita Kawile, Amalia Orozco, Polo Martinez,  
 Celia & Timmy Sica, Leila Fawas,  
 Rosalba & Louis Quijano and  
 Ruth & Guillermo Hoffman †  
 Intentions of Gloria Cardenas  
 5:00 pm Mitch Pickering †

## Weekly Offering

April 13/14, 2024

Cash/Checks	\$ 17,050
EFT*	14,886
<b>Weekly Total</b>	<b>\$ 31,936</b>

\*Online offertory donations  
 from April 9-15, 2024

Scan the QR code and set  
 up online giving — it's easy!  
 Or call the Parish Office  
 to set it up 949-586-4440.  
 Thank you for  
 your donations!



## Weekly Readings

### Week of April 22

Monday	Acts 11:1-18 Psalm 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 John 10:1-10
Tuesday	Acts 11:19-26 Psalm 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 John 10:22-30
Wednesday	Acts 12:24-13:5a Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8 John 12:44-50
Thursday	1 Peter 5:5b-14 Psalm 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17 Mark 16:15-20
Friday	Acts 13:26-33 Psalm 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab John 14:1-6
Saturday	Acts 13:44-52 Psalm 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 John 14:7-14
Sunday	Acts 9:26-31 Psalm 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 1 John 3:18-24 John 15:1-8

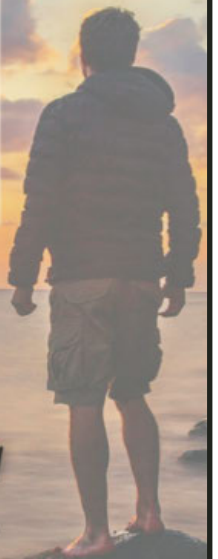
## FOR MEN ONLY: INTO THE BREACH

"Into the Breach" is a 12-week video series that strives to answer what it means to be a Catholic Man today. In this dynamic series you will hear from speakers like former MLB player Mike Sweeney, Fr. Mike Schmitz, former NFL player Matt Birk, and more.

**THIS SERIES STARTED APRIL 20,  
 BUT FEEL FREE TO COME TO ANY  
 SESSION - NO REGISTRATION  
 NECESSARY!**

**SATURDAYS 7AM - 8AM  
 IN THE UPSTAIRS HALL**

CONTACT NICK BRAUN WITH QUESTIONS  
 NBRAUN@STKILIANCHURCH.ORG



# HOLY HOUR

Every Friday  
in the Church  
7pm to 8pm



Matthew 26:40

"could you not keep watch with me for one hour?"



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST!

**Sunday,  
APRIL 28  
7 am to noon**

**\$10 per person  
Includes:  
pancakes  
eggs  
bacon  
fruit  
juice and coffee!**



**Pre-sale tickets for sale after  
Morning Masses on April 21,  
or at the door on April 28.**

The St. Kilian Council of Catholic Women  
invites you to their annual...



*May Crowning Mass and Brunch  
Friday, May 10*

Join us at the 9am Mass, followed by the crowning of our Blessed Mother statue and a decade of the Holy Rosary. Bring a single flower for this occasion. Brunch will follow in the Hall: breakfast sliders, country potatoes, sausage, bacon, fruit, pastries and beverages. The cost is \$25 payable to SKCCW by 5/5. Mail to: Mary Curtis, 27932 Windsor, MV 92692 Questions call Mary at 949-400-1968 Our speaker will be Carol Glasgow, director of a new ministry called "Friendly Visitor Ministry."

Sorry, no walk ins!

### ST. KILIAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

**Huntington Library and Gardens  
in San Marino**

**THURSDAY, MAY 2nd - 8:30am to 4:30pm**

One of the world's great research libraries with millions of items and stunning art and gardens  
Walk around and feel free to see what you want to see!

There are places for you to get your lunch.

The cost is \$50 made out to St KCCW.

Please contact Wendy Leonard at 949 768-4158 or email 4Wendy2read@gmail.com



**THE HUNTINGTON**  
Library, Art Museum, and Botanical Gardens



### PASTORAL SERVICES APPEAL

We are called to support the outreach ministries of our Diocese, also known as the *Pastoral Services Appeal* or *PSA*. Contributions to the PSA are used to support various programs and ministries that further the mission of our Catholic faith, such as Catholic Education, Catholic Charities of Orange County, Seminarian Formation, Vocations, the Permanent Diaconate, Priest Retirement, and more. Envelopes can be found in the pews, and donations can also be made from our website. As always, thank you for your generosity!





# ST. KILIAN YOUTH

Attention all students entering 9th - 12th grade in the Fall - Registration is now open for our high school SKY summer retreat in Catalina - Join us June 7th-9th! Here are the EDGE and SKY schedules for this coming week...ALL ARE WELCOME, so bring a friend! Follow us on Facebook and Instagram @stkyouth to stay in the loop.

## EDGE: MIDDLE SCHOOLERS

April schedule for EDGE (6th-8th Grade Ministry)

- 23rd: Game Night
- 30th: Dia del Niño



## SKY: HIGH SCHOOLERS

April schedule for SKY (9th-12th Grade Ministry)

- 24th: Shark Tank

## CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

Registration for 24-25 Confirmation 1 is open! If you have an 8th grader right now, get them signed up so they can be ready to start after beginning high school! Those going into Year 2 do not need to re-register.

## YOUTH CONFIRMATION CLASSES

YEAR 1 candidates

This year is complete! Details about your 2nd year of Confirmation is on the website.

YEAR 2 candidates

April 21st Final Session 10: Evangelization

## CONFIRMATION MASS

FRIDAY, MAY 3 at 5pm

Celebrant is Bishop Thanh Thai Nguyen

**REHEARSAL AND DINNER**  
for CANDIDATES & SPONSORS

Thursday, May 2 at 6pm

Questions? 949-586-7803 or  
confirmation@stkilianchurch.org

# SKY SUMMER RETREAT

GRADES 9TH-12TH

June 7th-9th on Catalina Island

To learn more and sign up:



# YOUTH CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!



It's time to get ready for next year's Confirmation Class, registration is open!

All 9th, 10th, and 11th graders are welcome to sign up for the two-year program to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

You can find details, the schedule, and register on the Confirmation page of the parish website (hit the QR Code below). Please contact Matt Jennerson at 949-586-7803 or confirmation@stkilianchurch.org for more information.

This is only for 1st year students. 2nd year students need not apply again. We are already expecting you!



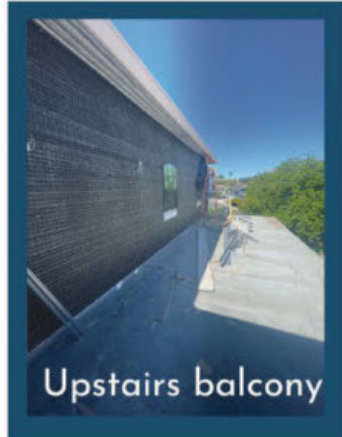
# Construction Progress

Now that the rain has slowed down (we think!), and the roofs are sealed, more work can begin inside the houses! Hoping to be complete in July.

## Retired Priests' Home



Kitchen

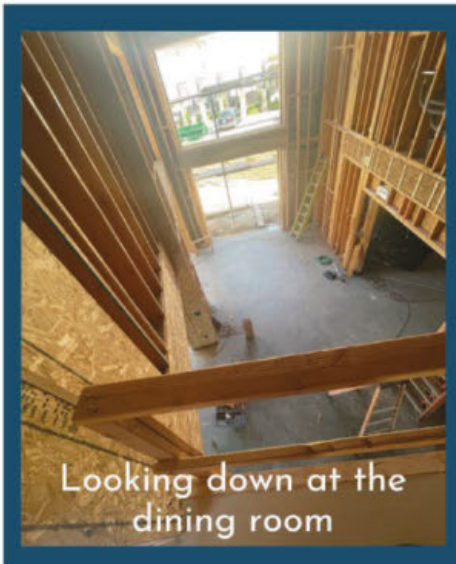


Upstairs balcony



New front doors

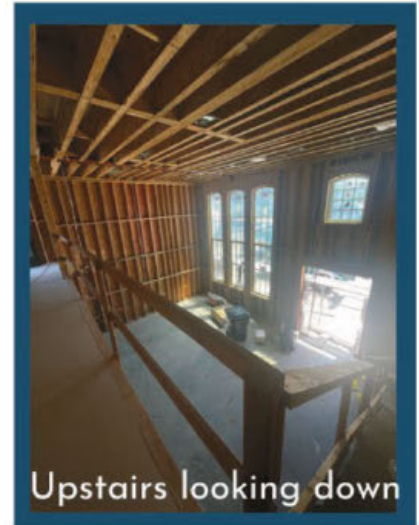
## Rectory



Looking down at the dining room



Living room

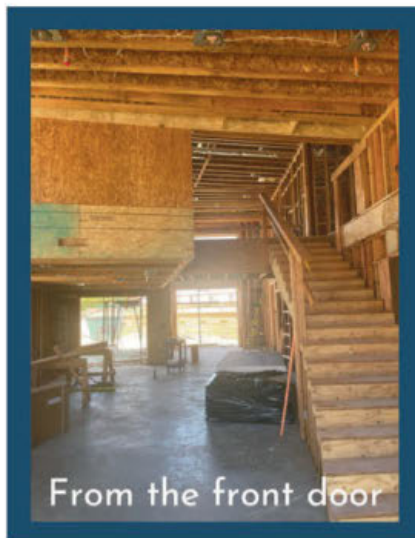


Upstairs looking down

## More Rectory



Front door



From the front door



From the dining room



Iglesia Católica  
de San Kilian

21 de Abril 2024

## MISAS

Sagrada Misa Dominical  
en español a la 1:30 pm

Lunes - Viernes  
6:30am y 9:00am en  
ingles, tendremos  
exposición al Santísimo  
de 7am a 8:55am

Sábado  
8:00am en ingles

## CONFESIONES

En español e inglés  
los sábados por la  
mañana después de la  
Misa de las 8:00am

## BAUTISMOS

Bautismos en Español,  
si está interesado en  
bautizar a su hijo por  
favor llame a la  
oficina.

## ADOLECENTES

EDGE (Grados 6 a 8)  
es todos los Martes de  
6:30pm a 8:00pm

SKY (High School)  
es todos los miércoles  
de 7:00pm a 8:30pm

# Noticias EN EL HORARIO....

## Confirmación para Jovenes

La inscripción para las clases de confirmación ya está abierta, visite nuestra página web para obtener más información o visite la oficina parroquial para registrarse en persona.



## Escuela bíblica de vacaciones



Agende su calendario, La semana de Escuela bíblica de vacaciones será del 15 Julio 19, vea el boletín en las próximas semanas para más información.

## Recordando a Nuestra Madre

Los sobres para la Misa de la Novena del Día de la Madre están disponibles en la Oficina Parroquial y en el vestíbulo de la Iglesia.

La primera misa se ofrecerá el domingo 12 de Mayo, Día de la Madre, y continuará durante los ocho días siguientes. En el sobre, tiene la oportunidad de escribir los nombres de madres, abuelas, hermanas, tías y otras mujeres importantes en su vida, vivas o fallecidas, para que podamos honrarlas durante la novena de nueve días. Simplemente deje su sobre en la oficina Parroquial.



## ¡Venta de aguacates!



Las ganancias son destinadas para apoyar el Fondo de Jubilación de Sacerdotes de la Diócesis. El costo es sólo \$10 por seis deliciosos aguacates.

## Pancake Breakfast

Apoye a los Caballeros de Colon en la venta de desayuno "Pancake Breakfast" el 28 de Abril, de 7 am a 12 del mediodía. Disfrute de dos panqueques, tocino, huevo, fruta y bebida (café o jugo) por \$10 ¡Los esperamos!



# SCHEDULE *at a glance*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>APRIL 21</b></p> <p>10:30 Mass Children's Liturgy of the Word</p> <p>6pm to 8pm Confirmation Year 2 Class</p> <p>6:30pm Melkite Liturgy</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>9:30am Cornerstone Bible Study meeting</p> <p>6pm Rosary &amp; Chaplet</p> <p>7pm Adult Confirmation Session #7</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>10am-12pm Food Pantry</p> <p>6:30pm Lector Rehearsal</p> <p>6:30pm <b>EDGE</b></p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>9:30am Families of Nazareth</p> <p>5pm Walking with Moms in Need meeting</p> <p>6:30pm Confessions</p> <p>7pm RCIA</p> <p>7pm <b>SKY</b></p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>9:30am Prayer Shawl Ministry</p> <p>1:30pm Bethany</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>9am-12:30pm Food Pantry</p> <p><b>M</b> 9am MOPS &amp; MomsNext</p> <p>7pm Holy Hour</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>7am Into the Breach Men's Formation Series</p> <p>8:45am Confessions</p> <p>10a to 12p First Communion Retreat</p>
<p><b>28</b></p> <p> 7am to 12pm Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast</p> <p>10:30 Mass Children's Liturgy of the Word</p> <p>10:30 Mass RCIA for Children &amp; Class</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>9:30am Cornerstone Bible Study meeting</p> <p>6pm Rosary &amp; Chaplet</p> <p>7pm Adult Confirmation Session #8</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>10am-12pm Food Pantry</p> <p>6pm School of Community Faith Group</p> <p>6:30pm <b>EDGE</b></p>	<p><b>MAY 1</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>9:30am Families of Nazareth</p> <p>6:30pm Confessions</p> <p>7pm RCIA</p> <p>7pm <b>SKY</b></p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>7 - 9am Adoration</p> <p>9:30am Prayer Shawl Ministry</p> <p>1:30pm Bethany</p> <p>6pm Confirmation Rehearsal and Dinner</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>24-hour Adoration</p> <p> 9am-12:30pm Food Pantry</p> <p><b>5pm</b> Youth Confirmation Mass with Bishop Nguyen</p>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p>7am Into the Breach Men's Formation Series</p> <p>8:45am Confessions</p>

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# Children's Liturgy of the Word

Fourth Sunday of Easter - April 21, 2024

Liturgical Color: **WHITE**

**Parents:** We invite you to spend some time discussing this weekend's readings with your children. By helping them understand God's word, you will help build a strong foundation of faith!

*Theme: Jesus takes care of us, like a good shepherd.*

## Reading (Acts 4:8-12)

In today's first reading, Peter has been arrested for preaching the Good News and for curing a man in Jesus' name. Listen to how Peter defends his actions.

## Gospel (John 10:11-18)

In the Gospel, Jesus tells us that he loves and cares for us as much as a good shepherd cares for his sheep.

## Discussion

- In Jesus' time, a shepherd lived outdoors, day and night, to keep his sheep safe. What are some things we do to take care of our pets?
- A shepherd made sure all the sheep were safe in a cave or pen at night. How do we care for our pets so that they are safe at night?
- How do you think the sheep felt about the shepherd?
- How is Jesus like a shepherd to all of us?
- How can we help everyone be part of Jesus' flock?

## PUZZLE

Help this lamb find his way into the sheep pen with Jesus.



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