

Encounter Jesus, Be Disciples

MAY 21, 2017 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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One hundred and nine teens and adults were confirmed in the faith last Saturday by Bishop Robert Barron. Happy friends and families!

Fr. Patrick Mullen, Pastor

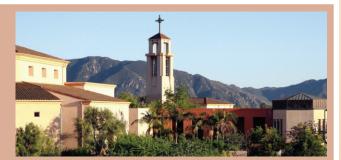
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Liturgies Monday - Friday 8:00am Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Saturday 3:45 - 4:45pm

Blessed Sacrament Chapel Hours Sunday - Friday 8:00am - 9:00pm Saturday 3:00pm - 9:00pm First Friday Adoration 2:00pm - 7:00pm



Parish Office Hours Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 7:00pm Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm Saturday 1:15pm - 6:15pm Sunday 8:00am - 1:00pm

Serra Center, Meagan Scott (805) 843-5420 serracenter@padreserra.org

St. Mary Magdalen School, TK-8 2534 Ventura Blvd., Camarillo, 93010 (805) 482-2611 www.smmschool.net

Fostering Care for Kids in Foster Care

Our parish is partnering with Ventura County Foster Kids' Faith in Motion program. Faith in Motion supports and cares for children in the foster care system from birth to transitioning young adults and their families. You can help! There are many ways to get involved:

- Prayer companion
- Business partner/mentor
- Donor
- Volunteer
- Respite caregiver

Come learn more at our information meeting: Wednesday, May 24 7:00pm San Miguel room

Questions: Teresa Runyon teresa@padreserra.org



Serra Seniors Luncheon Let's celebrate the start of summer! Wednesday, June 21

11:00am-2:00pm Serra Center

Enjoy a delicious lunch catered by Command Performance, silent auction, and entertainment by Tatjana All proceeds will benefit St. Vincent de Paul & Life Centers

Tickets are \$30 per person and available in the courtyard today or through Liz 389-0733, Donna 383-0074



Junipero Serra: The Making of a Saint The Journey from Padre to Saint and All the Bumps In Between

Monday, May 22 6:30pm doors open, refreshments 7:00pm presentation

Have you ever wondered what it takes to become a saint? Is there any hope for us ordinary people whose weaknesses and failings seem to get in the way of following the teachings and example of Jesus? What could we learn from the example of St. Junipero Serra?



Fr. Melvin Jurisich, OFM, will enlighten us about sainthood and holiness as he shares his experiences serving on the committee advocating the canonization of Junipero Serra. Director of Serra Retreat House in Malibu, Fr. Jurisich was also responsible for organizing St. Serra's canonization ceremony in Washington, D.C., in 2015.

Serra Center. No charge, RSVP: parish@padreserra.org Sponsored by the Adult Faith Formation Team



Pancake Breakfast ~ June 4 Celebrate Sunday with a delicious breakfast!

Our Boy Scout Troop is hosting an all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast fundraiser complete with raffle baskets and really fun silent auction items! Such as passes to the zoo, sport fishing, wine tasting, Magic Mountain and more! Menu: pancakes, sausage, fruit, juice, milk and coffee. \$5 per person ~ \$20 family of four or more. Proceeds help our young men attend Boy Scout Summer Camp.



GATHERING



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GLORIA

Glory to God (Mass of St. Ann) Ed Bolduc Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry to God in the high-est, Glo-ry! Glo-ry! and on o. earth peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, Lord God, heav-en - ly King, 0 we give you thanks for your great glo ry, God, al - might-y Fa - ther. Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son, God, Lord of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us; Lamb you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther, you take a - way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer; have mer-cy on For you us. a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the . o. in the Lord, with the Ho - ly Spir-it, you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. A - men. Ed Bolduc Text © 2010, ICEL Music © 2011, WLP **First Reading** Acts 8:5-8, 14-17 Second Reading 1 Peter 3:15-18 **Gospel Reading** John 14:15-21 **RESPONSORIAL PSALM** Psalm 66: Let All the Earth Marty Haugen, Gather #59 Let all the earth cry out in joy to the Lord!

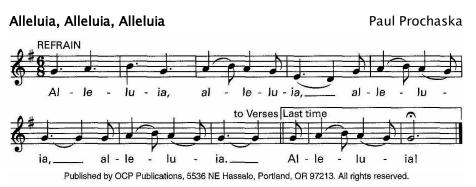
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"Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him."

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John 14:23

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



INTERCESSION RESPONSE

Prayer of the Faithful Donna Pena, Gather #349 O Lord, hear our prayer. Lord, hear us. O Lord, hear our prayer.

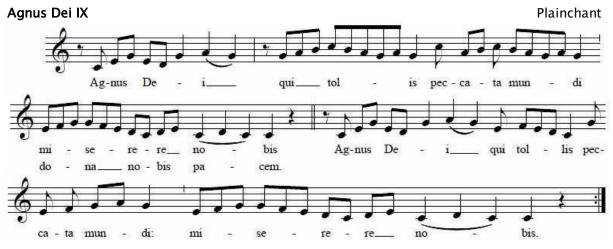
PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND GIFTS

You Are Mine 9:00 & 11:00—If Ye Love Me David Haas, Gather **#721** Thomas Tallis

EUCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS

"Mass of Creation" Holy, Holy, Holy Memorial Acclamation Amen

Marty Haugen Gather **#198** Gather **#199** Gather **#202**



Agnus Dei, quitolis peccata mundi / Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world *miserere nobis* / have mercy on us *dona nobis pacem* / grant us peace



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

COMMUNION SONGS

We Have Been Told	David Haas, Gather #784
Spirit of God	James E. Moore, Gather #554

SENDING FORTH



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Please return extra worship aids to exits; take home one bulletin. Thank you.

A Sabbatical Update

I thought I'd give you an update on my sabbatical, especially to put some people at rest over a concern. A surprising number of you have wondered if this sabbatical marked a transition for me to some other assignment. Please, put this worry to rest. I am coming back and expect to remain here at Padre Serra for years to come. I am going nowhere else. I love it here at Padre Serra. My life with you is very rich and satisfying. I love being your priest. I am aware of no discussion, anywhere in the archdiocese, of my being needed anywhere else. I think that my joint work between parish and seminary is appreciated. So please, waste none of your energy fretting. God-willing-and-the-creek-don't-rise, I will return the first weekend of Advent, where we will all, wearing purple, greet one another in Christ, to prepare for His return and Christmas.

A number of you thought I was leaving immediately, but I'll be here into July. My last weekend at the parish, before the sabbatical will be July 8th and 9th. The following weekend I will be at Serra Retreat House in Malibu with the parish couples' retreat, which I await with pleasure. The planning team have some great talks and it should be a wonderful time of grace.

I will officially be on sabbatical the very next day, on July 17th. I have a few days to pack and fly to Spain before classes begin in Spanish in Salamanca and then Barcelona. I will have two weeks in each city, where the average daily high is about 86° – I will be thinking of cool, Camarillo afternoon breezes! Those classes will continue until August 18th.

On August 19th I will travel to Irun, Spain, where I will begin my pilgrimage to Santiago by walking to my hotel room from the Puente de Santiago ("bridge of Santiago") over the Bidasoa River, which marks the border between Spain and France. It's a bit anticlimactic, walking past the train station and through the industrial part of town, but the next forty-two days will make up for it. I hope to post to the parish Facebook page, as Wi-Fi allows.

Here's where you come in. I would *love* to carry the prayers of your hearts with me as I go. Many of you passed on beautiful prayers to me before I went to Portugal, and every time I came to a shrine or church I would stop and pray through several of them. I felt deeply connected with you, through those prayers, and look forward to doing the same. Please, consider what your hearts longings are, and send them to me in an email (frpatrick@padreserra.org). I have already received a few intentions, often for family healing. I promise to pray for *whatever* you send me, by name. If you would like to send me anonymous prayers, that will also be fine. Just leave a phone message with my assistant, Barbara, and she'll see to it that they are included.

I have made definite plans to continue my pilgrimage from Santiago to Valencia and then to Mallorca where our own St. Junipero Serra was born, in Petra, and first worked, in Palma. I will have a few days there to consider his life and my own growth in holiness. We walk in Serra's footsteps here in Camarillo. It will be my joy to walk in them in the place of his birth.

As you can probably guess, I'm hugely excited by these months ahead!

Siempre adelante!

Fr. Patrick

Fr. Patrick Pastor



Women's Silent Retreat ~ June 9-11 Mater Dolorosa Retreat Center, Sierra Madre *The Crucified One is No Stranger*

We will explore the question we all ask many times: Is God truly present in our lives? Not just in the beautiful and graced moments, but even in the broken and dark places? Register today in the courtyard or online: https://passionist.org/category/mater-dolorosapassionistretreat-center Questions: Eileen Richards 558-4291



Families

Pancake Breakfast! ~ **June 4** Enjoy breakfast and support our boy scouts! See page 2 for details!

Faith Formation Registration ~ Now open

Find registration forms and information on-line at www.padreserra.org, I Want to Learn or stop by the parish office and talk with the friendly people. This is for all kids, age 3 through grade 12!! Help your kids grow to know, love and serve Jesus!

Padre Serra Summer Camp ~ June 26-29

More info and sign up forms on our website at www.padreserra.org, I Want to Learn or in the parish office.

Children

Spark! ~ May 22 and 24

This week those children, who have come to the table of the Lord for the first time, will share about their experience. Remembering a wonderful year as we share yummy treats.

Three:Sixteen ~ May 24

Middle School Ministry ~ This week: sharing the best parts of Jr. High. Come join the fun!

High School Teens

4:12 (pronounced four one two) ~ May 24

This week eighth graders will be special guests, and experience what 4:12 is all about. Meet Brett and the peer leaders for youth ministry in San Juan Capistrano room. It's going to be a fun night!

Confirmation Y2 ~ May 21

Mystagogia gathering, teens will share their experience of being sealed in the Spirit. Certificates will be distributed at this session.

Confirmation Y1 ~ May 23

Sponsor and Candidate Coffee House Night! Bring your sponsor to church for an inspiring, working meeting! 7:30 to 9:00pm, courtyard and church.

Adults

Cancer Support Group ~ May 23

Embracing Your Journey provides hope, empowerment, love and prayer in a comforting atmosphere of encouragement. It is a safe environment for people touched by cancer to connect with others in a productive and spiritual way. Meets 4th Tuesday, 7:00pm. Lou Ann 551-8014.

Caregivers Support Group ~ May 23

Caritas offers support to those who are caring for an aging parent, relative, or spouse. Meets 4th Tuesday, 7:00pm. Patricia Sentianin sentclan@gmail.com.

Men's Ministry ~ May 31

All men are invited to attend *Illuman* next Wednesday, 7:00pm in the San Miguel room. *Illuman* is a male spirituality group; format designed to help guys become better, more authentic men.

Pancake Breakfast ~ June 4

Help our Boy Scouts get to camp. Enjoy an all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast fundraiser after all morning masses. $5 \text{ per person} \sim 20$ family of four or more.

Blood Drive ~ June 11

Sunday 8:15am-12:30pm, San Juan Capistrano room. Register today: www.blood4life.org sponsor code 8112 or call 543-4290.

Writers Group ~ Fridays

We gather. We pray. We write. 10:00am-12:00pm, San Fernando Room. Learn more: www.padreserra.org >I want to grow>writers group. Come anytime!

In the Community

Stress in Your Marriage?

Retrouvaille is a peer marriage ministry that conducts weekend programs to rediscover a loving marriage relationship for couples that feel alone, bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Info/dates: 6006@retrouvaille.org, www.retrouvaille.org.

Beginning Experience ~ June 9-11

This retreat weekend for divorced, separated or widowed persons is to help move from the darkness of grief into the light of a "new beginning" with renewed hope and coping skills. Holy Spirit Retreat Center, Encino. Info/register: Brenda (818) 352-5265 (English).

Our Giving — Time, Talent and Treasure

Volunteer! It takes a parish!

We grow in our sense of belonging when we pitch in and work sideby-side. There are so many tasks, large and small, to care for our more than 60 ministries, busy front office, countless activities and 12 acre campus. Come share your talents.

This week: Help needed with hospitality at our May 24 meeting. Please email teresa@padreserra.org.

Memorial & Honorarium Gifts for Building Fund



Make a donation of any amount to this program, now in its sixth year, to honor your loved ones, living and deceased. We send the family a card acknowledging the donor. No amounts are ever disclosed. Donations remain at Padre Serra. For more information, please call Georgene Boyd at 484-9831.

Becoming Catholic ~ RCIA



Have you been attending church with your spouse, even raised your children Catholic, but never took that step to inquire about becoming Catholic yourself? Perhaps you just want to learn more about your spouse's faith. We have a casual group for people in your situation. Contact Catherine Shadduck: catherine@padreserra.org or (805) 482-6417 ext 331.

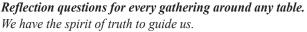
Other Notes

Office Closed ~ May 29

Memorial Day observance in honor of our fallen brothers and sisters.



Faith Sharing



Listening to the Word: John 14:15-21

What words or phrases in today's reading touch my heart and mind? What feeling(s) do I have after hearing the promises of Jesus? Looking into My Life

Jesus promised us that the Holy Spirit would remain with us always. When have I experienced the Spirit? Which one of the promises in today's Gospel gives me the most hope?



Our Prayer Life



Pray for Our Sick

Donald Benn, Rose Boog, Eric Bordagaray, Laura Cabral, Tony Canzano, Bryan Case, Kim Christy, Jerry Cullen, Jerry DeVillers, Kevin Fitzpatrick, Connie Flores, Nick Folino, Chris Gambler, Jennifer Henderson, Robert Henson, Jeffrey Karch, Bill Kirkpatrick, Julio Limon, Norberto Lopez, Ailish McAlorum, Gene Merlino, Jeanne Nelson, Vitaliano Niegas, Belinda Peres, John Phillips, Benita Ramirez, Simone Ramirez, Dorothy Reason, Michael Ann Rockenstein, Cliff Salonga, Arceli Sarino, Annette Scheid, Terry Sellers, Angela Shadduck, Jacob Silerio, Dorothy Simmons, Jon Tabakman, Ellen Tyree, Christopher Williams and Connie Williams. (*Names are refreshed monthly.*)

Remember Our Dead

Prayers and sympathy to family and friends of those who have died recently:

Henry Baele, RIP Beloved husband of Jane Baele Carl Maiello, RIP Louis Peduto, RIP *May they enjoy peace in their life with Christ Jesus.*

Prayer Opportunities

Daily Readings: www.usccb.org Morning Prayer: Monday – Friday 7:45am, Church Rosary: Monday – Friday 8:30am, Church Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Wednesdays 6:30pm, Church Centering Prayer: Wednesdays 6:45pm, Brides Room Adoration: First Fridays 2:00pm-7:00pm, Chapel Prayer Chain: prayers anytime

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Congratulations to our children receiving their first Holy Communion this weekend!

Madison Abellera, Cruz Aparicio, Andrew Arellano, Sophia Arreola, Meliya Arzu, Abigail Baldwin, Natalie Ana Ballesteros, Jacob Barroquillo, Grace Barry, Jack Barry, Lola Bauer, Brianna Berlingeri, Chloe Berlingeri, Kiera Boggs, Nicole Bonzato, Bridget Borchard, Landon Boucher, Madison Boucher, Aidan Ricky Bravo, Scarlett Judith Brent, Phoebe Brown, Wyatt Brown,

Kayla Casey, Natalia Casey, Eduardo Castaneda Jr., Addison Corcoran, Gavin Cordisco, Ian Corsetti, Rosamaria Cortez, Maximus Covarrubias, Naomi Davies, Evan Dela Paz, Hannah Devera, Julianna Digiglio, Audrey Dilay, Dawson English, Paige English, Layla Fausset, Victoria-Rose Fernandez, Santiago Garcia, Mary Graham, Travis Grodin, Lucas Guillen, Nicholas Guillen, Nico Guillen, Lucy Gutierrez, Sophia Gutierrez, Jeanette Harris, Jasenya Hernandez, Courtney Hogan, Maeve Hoolmaa, Kate Janowicz, Samuel Knight, Ava Kogel, Noah Kwolek, Mariah Lemus, Camila Lesky, Clarissa Lesky, Gabriele Lesky, Marabelle Lippold, Thomas LoMonaco, Olivia Lopez, Cooper Loth, Keegan Loth, Dylan Love, Kayleen Luna, Patrick Lynch IV, Aaliyah Maestas, Natalie Mansour, Kimberly Marsh,

Isabella Martinez, Johanna Martinez, Elijah Medina, Erin Molina, Jonathan Montijo, Ethan Needham, Matthew Needham, Jack Norton, Valeria Orozco, Sophia Ozuna, Carissa Padilla, Miranda Perdomo, Tabatha Perdomo, Austin Phenix, Michal Pilarczyk, Marina Pinuelas, Windsor Quiambao, Kate Ramsey, Zada Reis, Bella Riddell, Aiyana Riley, Addyssen Rodriguez, Meilinn Ronquillo, Leah Ruiz, Isabella Adelsperger-Russo, Hannah Saenz, Steven Samac, Alicia Sanchez, Nicel Satumbaga, Reagan Schrader, Katelyn Scully, Madison Shirk, Callum Smith, Ryan Soliz, Kayla Stempel, Abby Stephenson, Kenneth Sugiyama, Mary Claire Sugiyama, Tyler Svenson, Tyler Tennessen, Brandon Velasco, Michael Velasquez Jr., Carlie Villasenor, Annabelle Waggoner, Dillon Ward and Mia Zarate.