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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Thursday
9:30am to 5:30pm

SCHOOL

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PASTOR

Rev. Michael Pontarelli, O.S.M.

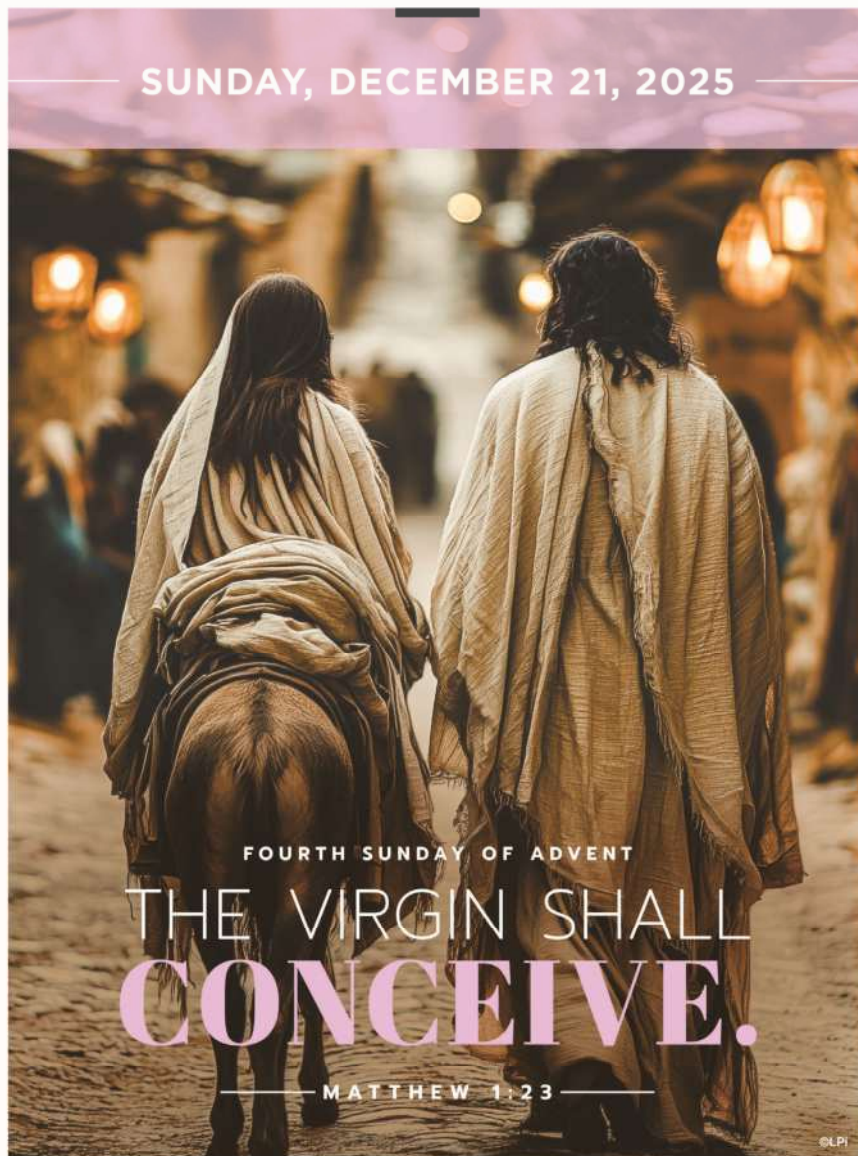
VISITING PRIESTS

Rev. David Robinson, SJ
Rev. John Montejano
Rev Chinnu O.S.M
Rev. Tim Donovan
Msgr. Kerry Beaulieu

DEACONS

Tom Saenz
Darrell Miller

For an electronic version of the bulletin visit:
<https://www.stjulianachurch.org/apps/>



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:00pm
Saturday: 8:00am & 5:00pm (Sunday Vigil Mass)

ST. PEREGRINE DEVOTION ~ First Saturday of the Month after 8am Mass

RECONCILIATION / CONFESSIONS ~ Saturday from 3:30pm to 4:30pm

BAPTISM ~ Please phone the Parish Office.

MARRIAGE ~ Couples planning to be married should contact the Pastor, Fr. Michael Pontarelli, O.S.M., at least six months before scheduling a date for their wedding.

VISION & MISSION STATEMENTS

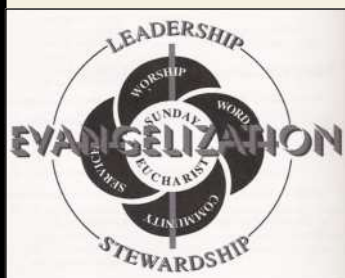
The vision of St. Juliana Falconieri Catholic Community is to live as a people of God with Christ at the center of our lives through liturgy, faith formation and community.

Our mission is to be a welcoming family dedicated to proclaiming the gospel, celebrating the Sacraments, educating, serving, and providing opportunity for all to enrich their faith.

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THE PARISH AS ONE BODY

*"If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be?
If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be?
But as it is, God placed the parts, each one of them, in the body as he intended...
The eye cannot say to the hand, 'I do not need you,'
nor again the head to the feet, 'I do not need you.'
Indeed, the parts of the body that seem to be weaker are all the more necessary.
Now you are Christ's body, and individually parts of it."* (1 Cor. 12:17-25)



The Seven Essential Elements of Parish Life constantly interrelate, each nurturing and supporting the other with the communal celebration of Sunday Eucharist at the center.

LEADERSHIP

Pastor	Rev. Michael Pontarelli, O.S.M. ciaopadre@hotmail.com	714-322-5862
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Safe Environment	Vicki Delaney	714-853-1194
School Administrator	Jilllian Jimenez	714-853-1191
Administrative Assistant	Griselda Jauregui	714-879-1965

SACRAMENTS

Baptism	Fr. Michael Pontarelli
Wedding	Fr. Michael Pontarelli

FAITH FORMATION

Children's Ministry	James Abowd
Middle School Youth Ministry	Kris Tran
Confirmation	Kris Tran
High School Youth Ministry	Kris Tran
OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)	Deacon Tom Saenz
Small Faith Communities	James Abowd

LITURGY

Altar Servers	Doris Donovan	714-393-3741
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	Jeanette Duarte	
Music Director	Todd Helm toddwhelm@gmail.com	714-349-6507
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	Rebecca Lott	
	Dave Bigley	
	Ralph Webb	
Funerals	Ken & Barbara Boucher	714-742-0996
Bereavement	Linda Kelley & Barbara Frobenius	

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Parish Office Hours

**Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
9:30am - 5:30pm**

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)

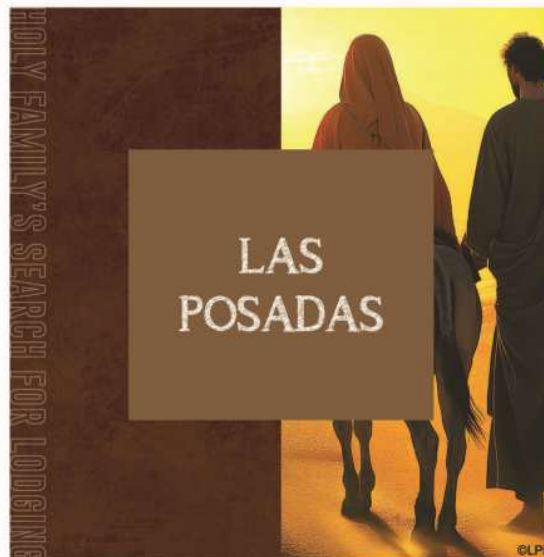
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

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.

Funeral Announcements

None to announce

Mass Intentions

Intentions for the weeks of 12/21/25 thru 12/27/25
 Parishioners of St. Juliana Church & Catholic School
 John T. McNally, Happy Heavenly Birthday!
 Joyce Brock, RIP
 Javier Valencia, RIP
 Marie Carmen Sardan, RIP
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 James Davis, RIP
 Anita T. Lorca & Elvira J. Gonzalez, RIP
 Dennis Legill, RIP
 Theresa Koepfer
 Jim Kinnane
 Bob Dalh, RIP
 Romulo Sebastian Buncio Jr., RIP

Parish Calendar

Subject	Start Date	Start Time	Location
Coffee and Donuts	12/21/2025	7:00 AM	Parish Center - Gym
Becoming Catholic and Adult Confirmation	12/21/2025	10:00 AM	Room #1 Seven Holy Founders
Group Gathering	12/21/2025	11:15 AM	Room #1 Seven Holy Founders
Youth Group	12/21/2025	3:00 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Winter Sports - Gym	12/22/2025	2:30 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Winter Sports - Outside Courts	12/22/2025	2:30 PM	Outside Basketball Courts
Future Priars Basketball Practice	12/22/2025	6:00 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Winter Sports - Gym	12/23/2025	2:30 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Winter Sports - Outside Courts	12/23/2025	2:30 PM	Outside Basketball Courts
Winter Sports - Outside Courts	12/24/2025	2:30 PM	Outside Basketball Courts
Winter Sports - Gym	12/25/2025	2:30 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Winter Sports - Outside Courts	12/25/2025	2:30 PM	Outside Basketball Courts
VolleyBall Fellowship	12/25/2025	8:00 PM	Parish Center - Gym

Advent Penance Services

December 3 - Our Lady of Guadalupe

December 10 - St. Mary

December 15 - St. Justin Martyr

December 16 - St. Plus V

December 17 - St. Anthony Claret

December 18 - St. Boniface

December 22 - St. Philip Benizi

All services start at 7:00 PM



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"For where two or three have gathered together in My name, I am there in their midst." Mt 18:20



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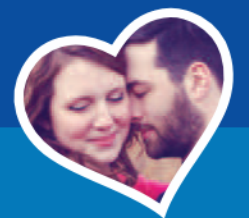
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