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SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2026

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD  
CUT BRANCHES AND  
STREWED THEM ON  
**THE ROAD.**

MATTHEW 21:8

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Sunday:** 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:00pm

**Saturday:** 8:00am & 5:00pm (Sunday Vigil Mass)

**Weekdays:** 6:30am Adoration: First Tuesday of the Month

**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**

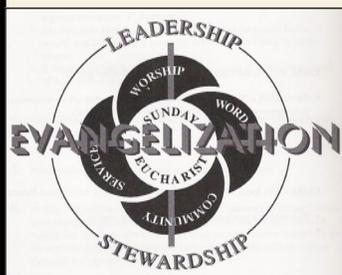
The vision of St. Juliana Falconieri Catholic Community is to live as a people of God with Christ at the center of our lives through liturgy, faith formation and community.

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

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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



### Parish Office Hours

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

*Dear brothers and sisters, good morning and welcome!*

Today I would like to revisit the second chapter of the Conciliar Constitution *Lumen gentium* (*LG*), devoted to the Church as the people of God.

The messianic people (*LG*, 9), receive from Christ the participation in the priestly, prophetic and kingly work office through which his salvific mission is carried out. The Council Fathers teach that the Lord Jesus, through the new and eternal Covenant, has established a kingdom of priests, constituting his disciples as a ‘royal priesthood’ (*1 Pet* 2:9; cf. *1 Pet* 2:5; *Rev* 1:6). This common priesthood of the faithful is given with Baptism, which enables us to worship God in spirit and truth, and to “confess before men the faith which they have received from God through the Church” (*LG*, 11). Furthermore, through the sacrament of Confirmation, all the baptized “are more perfectly bound to the Church ... and the Holy Spirit endows them with special strength so that they are more strictly obliged to spread and defend the faith, both by word and by deed, as true witnesses of Christ” (*ibid.*). This consecration is at the root of the common mission that unites the ordained ministries and the lay faithful.

In this regard, *Pope Francis* observed that, “Looking at the People of God is remembering that we all enter the Church as lay people. The first sacrament, which seals our identity forever, and of which we should always be proud, is Baptism. Through Baptism and by the anointing of the Holy Spirit, (the faithful) ‘are consecrated as a spiritual house and a holy priesthood’ (*LG*, 10), [so that] everyone forms the faithful Holy People of God” (*Letter to the President of the Pontifical Commission for Latin America*, 19 March 2016).

The exercise of the royal priesthood takes place in many ways, all aimed at our sanctification, first and foremost through participation in the offering of the Eucharist. Through prayer, asceticism and active charity, we thus bear witness to a life renewed by God’s grace (cf. *LG*, 10). As the Council summarizes, “it is through the sacraments and the exercise of the virtues that the sacred nature and organic structure of the priestly community is brought into operation” (*LG*, 11).

The Council Fathers then teach that the holy People of God also participate in the prophetic mission of Christ (cf. *LG*, 12). In this context, the important theme of the *sense of the faith* and the *consensus of the faithful* is introduced. The Doctrinal Commission of the Council specified that this *sensus fidei* “is like a faculty of the whole Church, by which she, in her faith, recognises the revelation handed down, distinguishing between true and false in matters of faith, and at the same time penetrates it more deeply and applies it more fully in life” (cf. *Acta Synodalia*, III/1, 199). The sense of faith therefore belongs to individual believers not in their own right, but as members of the People of God as a whole.

*Lumen gentium* focuses on this latter aspect, and places it in relation to the infallibility of the Church, to which that of the Roman Pontiff is inherent and by which it is served. “The entire body of the faithful, anointed as they are by the Holy One (c. *1 Jn* 2:20,27), cannot err in matters of belief. They manifest this special property by means of the whole peoples’ supernatural discernment in matters of faith when from the Bishops down to the last of the lay faithful they show universal agreement in matters of faith and morals” (*LG*, 12). The Church, therefore, as the communion of the faithful – which naturally includes the pastors – cannot err in matters of faith: the organ through which this truth is preserved, founded on the anointing of the Holy Spirit, is the *supernatural sense of faith* of the entire People of God, which is manifested in the *consensus of the faithful*. From this unity, which the Magisterium of the Church safeguards, it follows that every baptized person is an active agent of evangelization, called to bear consistent witness to Christ in accordance with the prophetic gift which the Lord bestows upon His whole Church.

Indeed, the Holy Spirit, who comes to us from the Risen Christ, “distributes special graces among the faithful of every rank. By these gifts He makes them fit and ready to undertake the various tasks and offices which contribute toward the renewal and building up of the Church” (*LG*, 12). A particular demonstration of this charismatic vitality is offered by consecrated life, which continually germinates and flourishes through the work of grace. Ecclesial associations, too, are a shining example of the variety and fruitfulness of spiritual fruits for the edification of the People of God.

## Funeral Announcements

### Funeral

Deceased Name: Manuel (Manny) Lomeli

Date of Death:

3/8/26

Date of Birth: 11/18/1938      Age: 87

### Funeral Arrangements

Funeral Mass Location: St. Juliana Falconieri

Funeral Date: Monday, April 6, 2026

Funeral Time: 10:00 am

Funeral Presider: Fr. Michael Pontarelli

## Mass Intentions

Intentions for the week of 03/29/26-04/04/26

Parishioners of St. Juliana Church & Catholic School

Ana Maria Tablas, RIP

Emilia Valenzuela, Health & Wellbeing

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry

Mario Gomez, RIP

Manuel P. Reynoso, RIP

Colleen Hohn, RIP

## Parish Calendar

Subject	Start Date	Start Time	Location
Coffee and Donuts hosted by School - 4th grade <b>CANCELED</b>	3/29/2026	7:00 AM	Parish Center - Gym
Becoming Catholic and Adult Confirmation	3/29/2026	12:00 PM	Room #1 Seven Holy Fo
After School Performing Arts	3/30/2026	2:30 PM	Room #1 Seven Holy Fo
Spring Sports - Gym	3/30/2026	2:30 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Spring Sports - Field	3/30/2026	2:30 PM	Lawn Field
Spring Sports - Gym	3/31/2026	2:30 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Spring Sports - Field	3/31/2026	2:30 PM	Lawn Field
6th grade Walk Through	4/1/2026	8:00 AM	Parish Center - Gym
After School Performing Arts	4/1/2026	2:30 PM	Room #1 Seven Holy Fo
Spring Sports - Gym	4/1/2026	2:30 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Spring Sports - Field	4/1/2026	2:30 PM	Lawn Field
YLGI Monthly meeting	4/1/2026	6:00 PM	Parish Center - Gym
Men's Fellowship and Prayer Group	4/1/2026	7:00 PM	Room #1 Seven Holy Fo

## Sharing Our Treasure February 2026

### Sunday & Holy Day Collections

	Feb Actual 2026	Feb. Budget 2026
<b>Income</b>	107,585	139,521
<b>expenses</b>	100,072	127,606
	7513	11,915

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<b>Building Fund</b>	<b>\$ 1,172</b>
<b>School Support</b>	<b>\$ 1,616</b>

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**Saturday May 16, 2026**  
**3:00 - 6:00 pm**  
St. Joseph Center Gardens  
440 S. Batavia Street, Orange, CA



# HOLY WEEK

Holy  
Thursday  
April 2

6:30 AM  
Morning Prayer

7:00 PM  
Mass of the  
Lord's Supper

Good  
Friday  
April 3

6:30 AM  
Morning Prayer

1:00 PM  
Our Lord's Passion,  
Veneration of the Cross  
and Communion

Holy  
Saturday  
April 4

8:00 AM  
Morning Prayer

7:00 PM  
Easter Vigil

Easter  
Sunday  
April 5

7:30 AM  
9:00 AM

11:00 AM

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

6:30 PM in the Church

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MARCH 6<sup>TH</sup> - ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

MARCH 13<sup>TH</sup> - EUCHARISTIC MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION

MARCH 20<sup>TH</sup> - LECTORS

MARCH 27<sup>TH</sup> - MOTHERHOOD OF MARY

# Prayer Requests



# Prayer Warriors For Those In Need

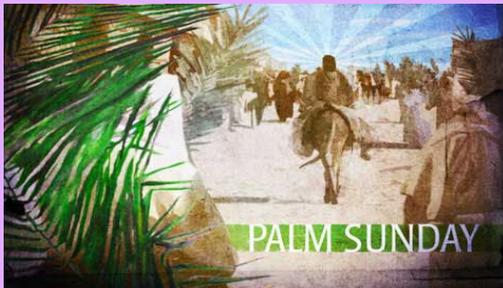


## St. Joseph Table – Palm Sunday

Join us for our annual St. Joseph Table hosted by CIAO (Catholic Italians and Others). Enjoy a wonderful selection of specialty Italian desserts, all handmade by members of our community — including fresh cannoli and other traditional favorites.

The St. Joseph Table will be available after all morning Masses on Palm Sunday, in front of the Parish Center.

Proceeds will benefit St. Juliana School.



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