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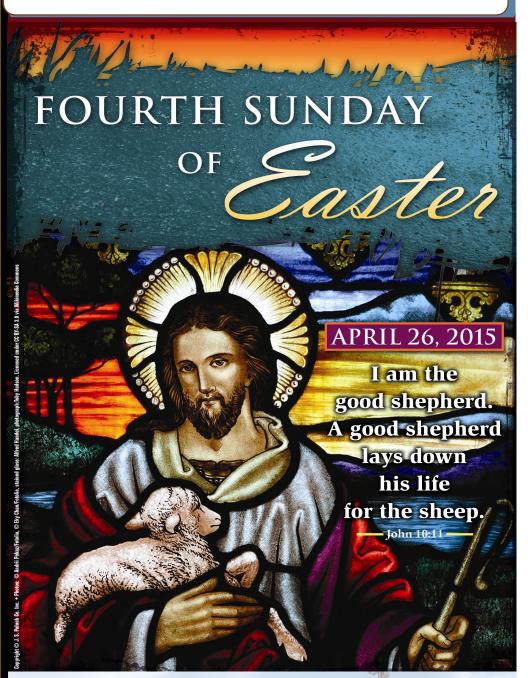
VISION & MISSION STATEMENTS

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.



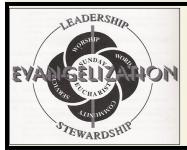
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MASS SCHEDULE Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00am & 5:00pm Saturday: 8:00am & 5:00pm (Sunday Vigil Mass)

ST. PEREGRINE DEVOTION ~ First Saturday of the Month after 8am Mass **RECONCILIATION / CONFESSIONS** ~ Saturday from 3:30pm to 4:30pm **BAPTISM** ~ Celebrated the 2nd Sunday of the month at 1:00pm. Please phone the Parish Office, either before or shortly after the birth of the child, to schedule a baptism. Parents and Godparents must attend a Baptismal Catechesis. **MARRIAGE** ~ Couples planning to be married should contact a Priest or a Deacon at least six months before scheduling a date for their wedding.

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THE PARISH AS ONE BODY

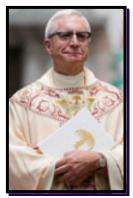
"If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? But as it is, God placed the parts, each one of them, in the body as he intended... The eye cannot say to the hand, 'I do not need you,' nor again the head to the feet, 'I do 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. "(1cor. 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.

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Page Three "We Remember, We Celebrate, We Belleve," April 26, 2015

A MESSAGE FROM FR. MIKE PONTARELLI, O.S.M.



It's been my long standing opinion that **Alice In Wonderland** should be read annually. It keeps one from going mad. I haven't read it yet this year! I suggest the **Annotated Alice**, notes by the logician Martin Gardner. Hump-ty Dumpty and Alice exchange a nifty argument over the use of words. Humpty insists in a rather scornful tone: "When I use a word, it means just what I choose it to mean – neither more nor less." Alice counters: "The question is, whether you **can** make words mean so many different things."

Making words mean what we choose them to mean causes a lot of difficulties, especially in matters of faith. I enjoy the post-Easter Scripture lessons so much precisely because they are so personal dealing with "minds open to understanding and hearts burning within" as Jesus opens himself to the first believers. The gospel lesson of Thomas the Apostle is so important; he was present with Jesus, the Master Teacher, for perhaps three years, day after day, city after city, and parable after parable. Yet Thomas initially had great difficulty with faith in the Resurrected Jesus. What could it mean? He had not yet encountered Jesus as the others had. He lets this difficulty be known when he tells those disciples: "Nope, not until I see and touch him. Your experiences are your experiences. I want my own." Perhaps Thomas was from Missouri: the Show ME state! This lesson of journey to faith contin-

ued last week. Some disciples were walking along, troubled to terrified. Jesus is with them, but they did not recognize Jesus as he appeared. He tells them: "Look at me, it is I. Ghosts are not like I am. Let's read the Scriptures with a new understanding, let's share a new meal, and let's gather as a new community. You are witnesses to these new things." Today, Jesus presents himself as a new kind of leader; a servant leader. The servant leader knows his followers as his followers know him. As you are loved, serve others.

So, a faith experience continues with each of us. We gather in faith, our hearts set on fire and our minds are open when we read Scriptures, when we share a sacred meal we get strength to proclaim the Lord, in the community gathered we are a people of faith-filled joy. Jesus does the gathering and the leading. In love he does the choosing and the forming a new people who are faithful to his name.

By "faith" let's mean the way we come to knowledge of God and Jesus. Faith is not theology yet it does not have existence without some interpretation. For all Thomas knew, those disciples could have a distorted experience of the Risen One.

Sometimes we have to make words do a lot of work. Faith must do a lot of work! Faith is the work of a relationship with the One who moves each of us to understand the Scriptures, share a meal, and enjoy new life in a community. Faith means trust Jesus the leader.

Personal faith, totally fascinating, utterly confusing. Our faith words mean a lot, especially when they mean a relationship with Jesus who leads us by the examples of service and love.

At the beginning of the Holy Thursday liturgy I announced that the collection taken that night would be used for the under-served in our community and that it would be shared with St. Philip Benizi Parish, our brother Servite parish in West Fullerton. Your generosity allowed us to send a check for \$1000.00 to serve the needy in that parish. Fr Donald Siple, OSM, pastor of St. Philip and I thank you for your on-going generosity.

The experience you have of Jesus must be the experience of the One who moves you to an experience you never thought possible.

Make it the tradition handed down by someone who is involved and passionate about his/her commitment to God, Jesus, and salvation. Thomas listened to the disciples; their testimony was that of passionate believers, convinced that they knew Jesus in a new way. The same is true for those disciples on their way to Emmaus. Their faith experience is personal knowledge.

So, faith is not primarily about a creed, a list of what it is that we believe. Faith is an intentional relationship with the Lord of Life.

'When I use a word,' Humpty Dumpty said, in rather a scornful tone, 'it means just what I choose it to mean — *neither more nor less.'*

'The question is,' said Alice, 'whether you can make words mean so many different things.'

'The question is,' said Humpty Dumpty, 'which is to be master — that's all.'

Alice was too much puzzled to say anything; so after a minute Humpty Dumpty began again. 'They've a temper, some of them — particularly verbs: they're the proudest — adjectives you can do anything with, but not verbs — however, I can manage the whole lot of them! Impenetrability! That's what I say!'

'Would you tell me please,' said Alice, 'what that means?'

'Now you talk like a reasonable child,' said Humpty Dumpty, looking very much pleased. 'I meant by "impenetrability" that we've had enough of that subject, and it would be just as well if you'd mention what you mean to do next, as I suppose you don't mean to stop here all the rest of your life.'

'That's a great deal to make one word mean,' Alice said in a thoughtful tone.

'When I make a word do a lot of work like that,' said Humpty Dumpty, 'I always pay it extra.'

PARISH CALENDAR

Sun., Apr. 26	4th Sunday o	F EASTER	
	Coffee & Donuts (Kof C Hosts)		
OTHOM .	Sunday School		
BVY	Vocation Weeke	nd	
	Third World Gif	fts	
BUSICE S	Vision & Health	Screening	
Et al	8am	Special Needs (SHF)	
FR FOR VOCES	12:30pm Altar Se	erving Training	
© NCCV	2pm	Youth Band (Church)	
Mon., Apr. 27	7pm	Sr. Nadine ~ Pope Francis'	
		"The Joy of the Gospel" (SHF)	
	7:30pm	RCIA (St.J)	
Tues., Apr. 28	7pm	Rosary & Benediction	
	7pm	Men's Basketball (PC)	
	7:30pm	SCC (St.J)	
Wed., Apr. 29	8:30am	Stretchersize Class (SHF)	
	6рт	Faith Night	
	6рт	SCC for SRE Parents (St.J)	
	6pm	JHYM (SHF)	
	7pm	Spirit Group (Church)	
Thurs., Apr. 30	6pm	Newman Club (SHF)	
	6:30pm	Adult Confirmation Class (Office)	
	7:30pm	Youth Band (Church)	
	7:30pm	Choir (St.A)	
Fri., May 1	Feast of St. Pere		
	3pm	Stations of the Cross / DM	
	6:15pm	Zumba Class (SHF)	
Sat., May 2	7:30am	Men's Bastketball (PC)	
	8am	St. Peregrine Devotion & Mass	
Sun., May 3	5th Sunday o		
	K of C Pancake	Breakfast (PC)	
	Sunday School		
Happy Anniversary Deacon Gerhard!			
	8am	Special Needs (SHF)	
	2pm	Youth Band (Church)	
	4:30pm	HSYM	
	7pm	Choir Concert (Church)	

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Apr. 27	6:30am 8:00am	Genevieve Bissonette † Al Esser †
Tue., Apr. 28	6:30am 8:00am	Louisa Gutierrez † Al Esser †
Wed., Apr. 29	6:30pm 8:00am	Juan Corral † Al Esser †
Thurs., Apr. 30	6:30am 8:00pm	Jacqueline & Bill Schlater Greg Fontana †
Fri., May 1	6:30am 8:00pm	Joe Stapleton † Al Esser †
Sat., May 2	8:00am 5:00pm	Frank Legas † Barry & Catherine Taylor
Sun., May 3	7:30am 9:00am 11:00am 5:00pm	Parishioners of St. Juliana Al Esser † Al Esser † Nick Rath

PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE ILL AND IN NEED OF OUR LOVING SUPPORT IN THIS COMMUNITY especially Ricardo Corona,and all the names listed in our Book of Healing.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED, especially **Mary Louise Conrad**, **William Schmars** ...May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. **Amen**

SHARING OUR TREASURES

MARCH 2015 REPORT

Envelopes	\$ 53,927.00
Loose Collection	13,224.00
Electronic Giving	28,405.83
TOTAL MAR COLLECTIONS	\$ 95,556.83

July 2014 - Mar 2015 Budget \$ 803,852 July 2014 - Mar 2015 Actual \$ 769,424

This month 45 % of the 1512 active registered families used their envelopes or donated by electronic giving.

In addition to our regular collection, we thank all of you for your donations to the special collections:

Building Fund	\$ 3,990
School Support	\$ 2,237

Parish Co	enter L	oan Balance
March	2015	\$573,812
March	2014	\$654,675

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

The community of St. Juliana wish **Tom and Winnie Stokes**



best wishes as they prepare to celebrate the 40th day of their marriage next Sunday, May 3rd — May God continue to grace you

and bless your beautiful family!

ALTAR CARE MAY 1, 2015



Marian Coady Donna Dostalik Michele Tanaka Betty Weinstein



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MINISTRY NEWS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - NEWS

Apr 25	7:00 p.m.	3 rd Degree Ceremony
		St. Angela Merici Hall
May 3	7:30-1 p.m.	Gourmet Pancake Breakfast
May 5	9 am-9 pm	Day of Adoration
	7 – 7:45 pm	Rosary
	7:45 p.m.	Officers & Directors Mtg.
	9:00 p.m.	KC Fellowship (Room 1-2)
May 16	7:00 p.m.	Four-Act Magic Show
		Contact Brian Burley

PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Next Sunday, May 3rd from 8:00 - 11:00am

GOURMET BREAKFAST in the Parish Center. Back by popular demand, once again our

Knights will be cooking- all proceeds support the **Cal State University Fullerton**

Newman Club.

Menu: Pancakes, Belgium Waffles, Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Juice, Milk and Coffee.

Tickets:\$7.00 / Under 12yrs. \$3.00

Please help support the Cal State University Fullerton campus Newman Club. Students will be outside the church following all masses this weekend selling tickets for the May 3, Deluxe Breakfast sponsored by the Knights of Columbus that will be held in the St. Juliana Parish Center to help support their campus effort to create a thriving Catholic community for Cal State Fullerton's Catholics! The Newman Club provides opportunities for service, faith formation, and fellowship on the CSUF Campus.

MAGIC SHOW

Saturday, May 16th 7:00pm

in the Parish Center. Adults \$20 / Children 12 and under \$15 Groups 10 or more \$15 each Tickets can be purchased at the door or by calling Brian Burley at 714-624-6348.

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

RESPECT LIFE MEETING

The parish Respect Life Group will meet on Wednesday, April 29 at 1:30 pm at the home of Barbara Legas (319 N. Ashford Pl.

Plan to buy your flowers and orchid corsages from us after all the Masses on Mother's Day...treat Mom to flowers!



Fullerton). We would like to welcome new people to our group, so please feel welcome to join us. At this meeting, we will be making preparations for our annual Mother's Day Flower Sale. If you are unable to attend this meeting, but can help with the flower preparations on Friday afternoon, May 8th or the bud vase flower arranging on Saturday morning, May 9th. Help is needed with the sales on Saturday evening May 9th and

Mother's Day, May 10th at church - please call Barbara Legas at 714-870-4214. Proceeds benefit the La Habra Life Center. WE DO NEED LOTS OF EXTRA HELP WITH THIS EVENT.





Sunday, May 3rd 7:00 pm

In celebration of the 50th Anniversary of

the Parish Community of St. Juliana Falconieri the St. Juliana Adult Choir presents

a special concert in the church

"The Song Everlasting"

a sacred cantata based on early American songs and hymns performed with professional chamber orchestra.

50 WEEKS OF PRAYER DURING OUR 50TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR

Know you are being prayed for this week, the 16th week of our 50 Weeks of Prayer!

Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Frumento Mr. & Mrs. Rudolph Fuchs Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Fuhrmann Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Fullerton Mr. & Mrs. Richard L Fumanti Mr. & Mrs. Harry Funk Mr. & Mrs. Richard Fusare Mr. & Mrs. Paul Gable Mr. & Mrs. Aaron Gaborro Mr. Dwayne Gabourel & Mrs. Roselle Capiralel Mr. & Mrs. Reynaldo Gaddi Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Gaetano Mr. & Mrs. Donald Gaffney Mr. & Mrs. Michael R. Gagna Mr. Mark Gagna Mr. & Mrs. Mark Gallagher Dr. Jack Galliher Mr. & Mrs. Matthew Galvan

- Mr. & Mrs. Ron Gamino
- Dr. & Mrs. Gerald Gannon Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Gapinski
- Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Gapinski
- Mr. Gabriel Garcia
- Mr. & Mrs. Art Garcia
- Mr. Jason Garcia & Ms. Kimberly Abido
- Mr. & Mrs. Gabriel Garcia
- Mr. and Mrs. Matt Garcia Mr. Tony Kemeny & Mrs.Teresa Garcia-Kemeny Ms. Terri Garza Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Gehringer Mr. & Mrs. Ted Gerish Mrs. Anna Mae Gerola

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THIS WEEK AT FAITH NIGHT (Children's Faith Formation - Grades 1-5)



Congratulations

...to all the school and faith formation children who received the Sacrament of 1st Holy Communion this weekend!

April 29th Regular classes -

Regular classes - 6:00pm to 7:15pm

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY Grades 6th, 7th and 8th

April 29th Meet in the SHF room 6:00—7:15pm

<u>H</u>IGH <u>S</u>CHOOL <u>Y</u>OUTH <u>M</u>INISTRY

May 3rd - 6:15pm to 8pm 1st Year; 5pm Youth Mass May 17th - 6:15pm to 8om 2nd Year; 5pm Youth Mass



May 21st - Confirmation Rehearsal with Sponsors (Mandatory)

May 23rd - 10am Sacrament of Confirmation w/Bishop Vann

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Parents, mark your calendars now!!



We've started set-up for our base camp!

Summer VBS is underway. We need adults and teens (incoming 2015-16 class 7th graders and older) to make our expedition a success!

For more info about VBS in general, please call the Parish Office714-879-1965.

Registration begins in May. Watch future bulletins for more info.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS



This Sunday, April 26th

The purpose of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations is to publically fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). As a climax to a prayer that is continually offered throughout the Church, it affirms the primacy of faith and grace in all that concerns vocations to the priesthood and to the consecrated life. While appreciating all vocations, the Church concentrates its attention this day on voca-

tions to the ordained ministries (priesthood and diaconate), to the Religious life in all its forms (male and female, contemplative and apostolic), to societies of apostolic life, to secular institutes in their diversity of services and membership, and to the missionary life, in the particular sense of mission "ad gentes".

This year marks the 51st Anniversary of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY

Dear St. Juliana Family,

Our parish is of **urgent need of additional Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers** at all the masses, **ESPECIALLY AT THE SUNDAY 5:00 P.M. MASS.**

This spiritual ministry witnesses the **Real Presence of Christ** in the action of sharing in the **Eucharistic meal** of Christ's sacrifice by assisting the priest in bringing the sacrament of the **Body and Blood of Christ** to the people of God at Mass.

We are also in need for additional Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers for the Sick and Homebound.

If you are interested to join this ministry, please call the church office at 1-714-879-1965 or Deacon Gerhard Stadel at 1-714-870-5714.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

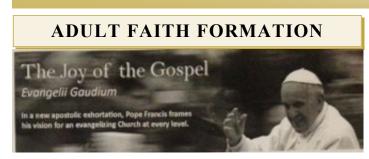
Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10
Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30
Acts 12:24-13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8;Jn 12:44-50
Acts 13:13-25: Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; Jn 13:16-20
Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
or (for the memorial) Gn $1:26 - 2:3$ or
Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14,
16; Mt 13:54-58
Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14
Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-28, 30-32;
1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

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GOSPEI



Presented by: Sr. Nadine McGuinness, CSJ, examines Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation, *Evangelii Gaudium,*

"The Joy of the Gospel"

2 more Monday evenings

April 27th and May 4th

7:00pm

in the Parish Center.

For more information call the Parish Office, 714-879-1965.

SERVITE CRUCIFIX

Every week a family or individual will be invited to take the *Crucifix* home and pray for vocations to the priesthood and Religious Life, especially in our Servite Family.

To schedule, please call Pat Riehl at 714-992-4036 or the Parish Office (714) 879-1965.

- April 26 Heather and Dave Lazaro
- May 3 Rick and Nancy Celio
- May 10 Donna Dostalik
- May 17 Rochelle and Roland Paquin



May 24 - Jacqueline Mahrley and James Maaske

MARY'S JOURNEY

April 25. 2015 The McKenna family, 5pm Saturday

Families take Mary's statue for a week and pray the rosary together each night.

If you are interested in signing up for a week, please contact Nina Visconti, 714-624-4799 or NinaVisconti11@gmail.com.



Mary's Journey has joined the Knights of Columbus to a Holy Hour from 6pm to 7pm on the first Tuesday of each month. Be a part of a growing devotion to spend one hour with Our Lord. Take this time to grow closer in a deeper relationship. A special heart to heart session, our Lord is never outdone in generosity.

For more information and registration, call Nina Visconti, (714) 624-4799 or email: <u>Nina.Visconti11@gmail.com</u>.

8TH GRADE RETREAT



Our 8th grade students enjoyed an in-house retreat—away from their studies for a day and enjoying each others company!





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ENROLLMENT/TOUR INFORMATION FOR ST. JULIANA FALCONIERI SCHOOL IN FULLERTON

WE BELIEVE THE BEST WAY TO REALLY GET TO KNOW ST. JULIANA FALCONIERI IS TO VISIT OUR SCHOOL!

Tours are designed to give you answers to your specific questions about education at St. Juliana Falconieri, while doing a walk-through of the campus you will be able visit our science lab, art lab, technology lab,

library and so much more. Our school administrators are available during your visit to meet with you as well.

School tours will take place at 9:00am each Tuesday morning.



Appointments are not required...just come to the office by 9:00am any Tuesday to join in.

If you are interested or have questions, please contact the School Office at (714) 871-2829 or the school website <u>www.stjulianaschool.org</u> for additional information.

VOCATION ESSAY CONTEST

St. Juliana Vocation Committee sponsored an essay contest, the subject of which was Pope Francis. Sixth, seventh and eighth grade students were asked to read about the 10 things (sounding remarkably like "New Year's resolutions") Pope Francis asked Vatican employees to do in 2015. Each student was then asked to write a letter to Pope Francis, addressing 3 of the 10 'resolutions' and how he/she could apply each to his/her own life.

Today, the Committee is pleased to highlight the 1st Place essay for 8^{th} grade, written by Alessandra Santiago. **Congratulations Alessandra**! (The 1st place essay for each of 6^{th} and 7^{th} grade will be published in the May 3^{rd} and May 10^{th} Sunday bulletins.)

Dear Pope Francis,

I am deeply grateful for being given the opportunity to write this letter to you. My name is Alessandra Santiago and I am 13 years old. I live in the state of California, which is in the United States of America. I attend St. Juliana Falconieri School, which is a private Catholic school. Everyday I learn what it truly means to be a Catholic, and I am writing to you because I have recently been reflecting on your teachings. Your words and actions strengthen, encourage, and challenge me to become a better Catholic.

"Take care of your spiritual life, your relationship with God, because this is the backbone of everything we do and everything we are." This encouraging quote reminds me that God is the focus and most important thing in my life. God is the reason I can live out the amazing gift of life. By going to a Catholic school, I am constantly reminded to strengthen my relationship with God. Everyday I try to become closer to God, while facing obstacles such as acceptance and faith. I also tend to notice signs that God is watching out for me and wants the best for me. You strengthen me to become closer to God, become a better person, and help others find a strong need for God in their own lives. The result of all people having an unbreakable bond with God is a strong, lively Church with the goal to live eternally with God in Heaven. I have a great sense of gratitude toward God for giving me a wonderful life and a chance to live it with Him.

"Take care of your relationships with others, transforming your faith into life and your words into good works, especially on behalf of the needy." Having people that love and care for me makes life extra special, and I want to make them feel the same way by showing them how valuable my relationships with them are to me. As Catholics, we are called to spread values of faith, hope, and love. I believe that love is the most important out of these three because nothing has meaning without love. If a relationship is not connected with love, then it is not a true, valuable relationship. I'm not a very social person, and this makes it hard to show people how much I really care for them. I know in my heart, as does God, that I'll never let anyone down, especially those who need me the most. God is all-loving and I believe God works through me to spread love by creating amazing relationships. You encourage me to use my faith and talents to help those who are poor in spirit, in need of love, and spiritually challenged. God gives us amazing people in our life for a reason, but we must realize the true love in each person. We must find God in all people.

"Watch out for anger that can lead to vengeance; for laziness that leads to existential euthanasia; for pointing the finger at others, which leads to pride; and for complaining continually, which leads to desperation." Anger, laziness, pride, and desperation are common feelings when I'm in hard situations. This quote reminds me of the consequences of acting in these ways. You challenge me to avoid these feelings with forgiveness, faith, humility, and acceptance. I must forgive others for their wrongdoings, have strong faith to live the life I am called to live, show humility for my strengths and others' weaknesses, and accept the hardships in life. I find it hard to forgive when I've been badly hurt and easy to procrastinate when there is work that needs to be done, but you teach me that I must live an optimistic and faithful life devoted to God. When I lose my path, and sin, God always directs me back to Him



either through the people I meet, or in my own thoughts. You encourage me to have a more positive outlook on life. God never gives me a task I can't handle. I might not always notice it, but there are greater positives in life than the hardships I face.

Pope Francis, your encouraging words teach me how to strengthen my relationship with God and challenge me to become a better Catholic. You've made me realize how many amazing things I can do as a Catholic, and I am deeply thankful for that. You are such a wonderful role model for all Catholics and I aspire to become an amazing person like you. Thank you for taking the time to read my letter. God Bless.

Sincerely, Alessandra Santiago

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50TH ANNIVERSARY VISION, HEALTH & WELLNESS SCREENING THIS <u>SUNDAY</u>, APRIL 26TH ~ 8AM TO 1PM /



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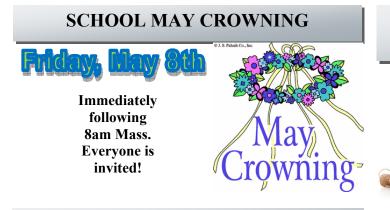
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Free Vision, Health and Wellness Screening Event

It's FREE! THERE IS A WHOLE TEAM OF DOCTORS & INTERNS WITH US. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS HEALTH SCREENING!



Got any old eyeglasses you'd like to donate? Bring them to the screening or to the Parish Office. They will be collected and taken on a Mission Trip for people in 3rd World Countries who need glasses.



SCHOOL JOG-A-THON



Students will be running with all their heart! **Thursday, May 7, 2015** For more info, or how to donate to the jog-a-thon, contact Yolanda Moreno at yolycm@msn.com or Mayte Ornelas at mayterios7@aol.com

5TH ANNUAL "WINES OF SUMMER" MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Saturday, May 30, 2015 - 6pm

Join us in the Parish Center for a FREE Vision, Health

> and Wellness

Screening!

Executive Chef Dawn Parks of Wild Thyme Catering and Wine Importer Greg Koslosky from Envoyer Fine Wines, work in tandem to produce an elegant 5-course food and wine pairing that will educate even the most seasoned palate. This event offers an incredible value and opportunity to purchase wines that drink well above their price point.

At this event, you sit comfortably with your friends and each course is served to you with a specific wine pairing.

You will also enjoy fresh baked bread from the OC Baking Co. which will be paired with the lavish Olive Oils and Balsamic Vinegars from Taste It! in Fullerton.

Wines will be available for purchase at the event, with future delivery. Special Event Only pricing will be offered and Envoyer Fine Wines Donates 10% of the proceeds from all wine purchases to the St. Juliana Falconieri community.

Please Note That Advanced Ticket Purchase is Required as Seating is Limited.

To buy tickets go to http://falconwine.brownpapertickets.com.

LOCAL AND PARISH EVENTS

50TH ANNIVERSARY COOKBOOK WE NEED YOUR RECIPES...

SHARE YOUR FAVORITES!

We BELIEVE you'd like to **CELEBRATE** by **REMEMBERING** your favorite recipes in our St. Juliana 50th Anniversary Cookbook.

It would be wonderful if everyone would participate - and it is easy.

You may submit recipes one of three ways: 1. Go to: morriscookbooks.com Click on: typensave Click on: Login Input user name: stjcookbook Input password: pepper620

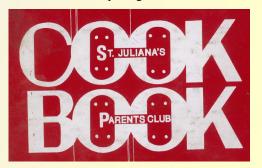
Then follow the instructions on how to submit your recipe.

Once you've submitted your recipe, please email your contact information to betsybigley@mac.com.

2. Email or phone in your recipe to Betsy Bigley: <u>betsybigley@mac.com</u> or call Betsy at 714-447-1756, and she will submit it for you.

3. You can drop your recipe off at the Parish Office.

> All recipes are subject to edit. Send in as many as you'd like. One recipe is guaranteed.





THIRD WORLD GIFTS & HANDARTS WITH US AFTER ALL MASSES THIS WEEKEND!

Third World Gifts & Handarts will be having a sale of fair trade products, including those of Homeboy Industries/Homegirl Catering, following our Vigil Mass on Saturday, April 25 and all masses on Sunday, April 26. Since their founding at a parish in Anaheim in 1975, they have continuously operated as a year-round, nonprofit marketing service for impoverished artisans in many developing nations and in low-income areas of the United States. This assistance directly supports the survival of thousands of artisans and food producers, as well as their families. They operate a gift shop in Orange and can be reached at 714/464-0556.

During their visit, you may bring these donations for their ongoing collection drive for Catholic missions serving the poor in Mexico, and low-income Native Americans in northern Arizona: clothing, blankets and linens (freshly laundered, please); school supplies; new backpacks; hygiene products, baby items; housewares and nutritious foods. Thank you!

ST. VINCENT de PAUL - Spring news

St. Vincent de Paul began 2015 with a commitment to enhance services for our dear neighbors and friends in need. To do this we now collaborate with St. Philip's and St. Mary's Conferences to share ideas, recruit children earlier in spring for summer camp and Vacation Bible School and open the Food Pantry the fourth Saturday of each month.

Food Pantry Saturday Hours began this Saturday April 25! Would you like to participate?

Have you always wanted to help at the Pantry but could not make it on Thursday mornings? Now is your chance to be involved. Feed your soul as you help your neighbors in need!

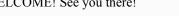
Bilingual (Spanish/English) talent is helpful but not required. Visit the Pantry on the fourth Saturday of the month or any Thursday (holidays excepting) between 9:00-11:00 a.m. See the action and excitement in person. Visitors are not obliged to join! For additional information, you may call Paul Durning at 714-671-1667.

Shelf Stocking is in progress. High demand items include:

Peanut butter, canned tuna or chicken, canned fruits, canned vegetables, Cereal, beans, pasta, rice, diapers and baby wipes (are in short supply).

ROSARY FESTIVAL OF ARTS THURSDAY MAY 21ST

Rosary HS proudly presents its annual art show open house in the Karcher Center at Rosary H.S. from 6 to 9pm on Thursday, May 21st. RHS, a leader in high school art, will be showcasing student art in ceramics, photography, drawing, painting, computer graphics and more! There will also be performances by the schools various vocal and dance groups. Sound and lighting by Servite H.S. ...AND IT'S ALL FREE!!! Please come and enjoy the work of our students many of whom are St. Juliana grads! ALL ARE WELCOME! See you there!





Magnificat Prayer Breakfast proudly presents Michael and Lourdes Carroll, God's holy and humble servants, transformed through the union of Christ in their marriage and by His Divine Mercy. Join us for this truly inspirational testimony, "Touched by God's Mercy and Healed by His Love!"

Embassy Suites, (Anaheim-South)Garden Grove. Cost \$28.00. For more info go to

MOTHER'S DAY CARDS

Spiritual bouquet Mother's Day Prayer Cards will be available soon. Contact the Parish Office if you have any questions . Ryan T. Cunningham Patrick Gilwee Kasey Condon Phillip P. Sanchez Jason Romeo Peter Chavez Edward Gonzales Christopher Simonds Anthony Garcia Brian Krause Frankie J. Flores Johnny Kohaut

Tyler Ricardo Tucker Mazon Luke McArthur Larry Guillen Zach Galeener Eric Davis Steven Bonello



Please pray for the following members of our community presently serving in the military and for their families:



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