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Tuesday - Thursday
9:30am to 4:00pm

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PASTOR

Rev. Michael Pontarelli, O.S.M.

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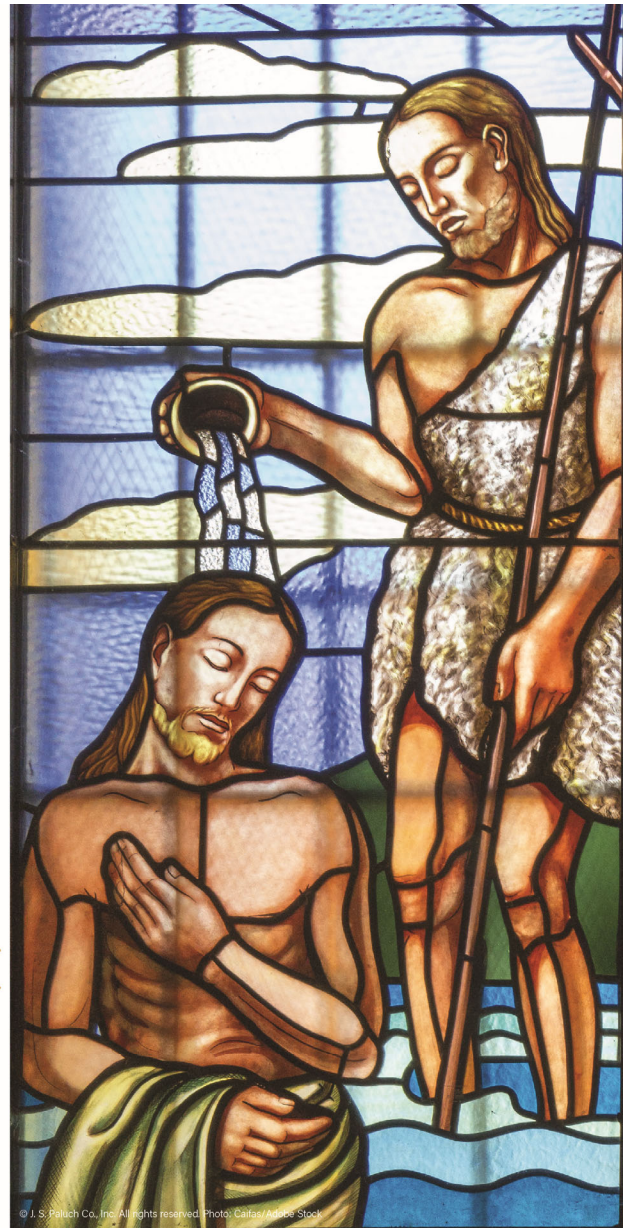
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A VOICE CAME
FROM HEAVEN,
"YOU ARE MY
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WITH YOU I AM
WELL PLEASED."

LUKE 3:22

THE
BAPTISM
OF THE
LORD

JANUARY 9, 2022



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00am, 5:00pm (hosted by Titan Catholic)
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.

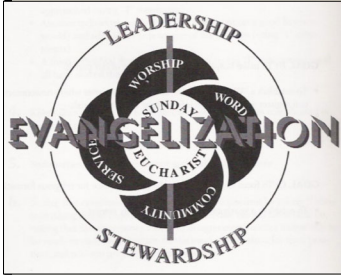
VISION & MISSION STATEMENTS

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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LITURGY

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Baptism	Fr. Michael Pontarelli
Weddings	Fr. Michael Pontarelli

FAITH FORMATION

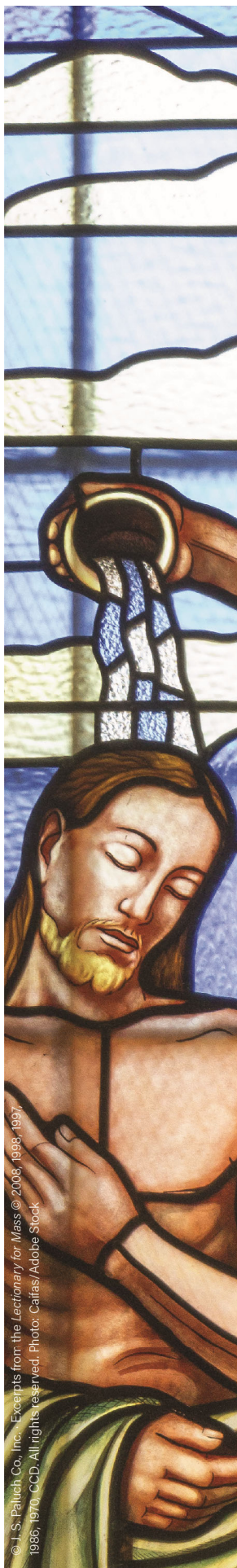
Children's Ministry	James Abowd
Middle School Youth Ministry	Gerrick Gamboa
Confirmation	Gerrick Gamboa
High School Youth Ministry	<u>Gerrick Gamboa</u>
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)	Deacon Tom Saenz



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A MODEL FOR OUR PRAYER LIFE

The Advent/Christmas cycle that began on November 28 ends with the Baptism of the Lord. We likely have an image in our minds (based on details from the Gospels and works of art) of what that scene looked like. We might wonder, “Who else was there and who wasn’t?” No disciples were present because Jesus had not yet begun his ministry. They would have to wait until the Transfiguration to hear a similar message. However, the three persons of the Blessed Trinity are accounted for: the Father (the voice from heaven), the Son Jesus, and the Holy Spirit. Interestingly, Luke alone notes that it was after Jesus had been baptized and while he was praying that the voice was heard. All of the Gospels show Jesus praying at turning points in his ministry; this is but the first example of Jesus’ need to root himself in prayer throughout his life—a model for us to follow.

ON THE CUSP OF A NEW CREATION

It was on the Fourth Sunday of Advent this past December that we first heard of the two cousins, John and Jesus, meeting. Then it was in the womb of their mothers, Elizabeth and Mary. Now the cousins meet again on the shore of the Jordan River. John is already well known—so much so that people had begun to wonder if he was the long-awaited Messiah. Jesus, on the other hand, is about to begin his ministry. One could say that Jesus entered the waters of the Jordan as a private person and came out of them as a public one. The voice from heaven left no doubt about that. As we come to the end of the Christmas season our readings echo Isaiah and Titus (see Advent and Christmas Day readings) and together with today’s Psalm 104 they point us to Pentecost. We are on the cusp of a new creation.

JOHN THE BAPTIST: PATRON SAINT OF LITURGICAL MINISTERS?

John the Baptist was what we might call today a “social influencer.” People paid attention to what he had to say. And what he said affected the choices people made. Yet today’s Gospel reminds us of John the Baptist’s ultimate goal: “One mightier than I is coming.” The Baptizer walks the fine line between drawing attention to himself with his fiery preaching and then re-directing that attention to Jesus, the “beloved Son.” John the Baptist could be considered the “patron saint” of those who minister as lectors, extraordinary ministers of the eucharist, cantors, greeters, acolytes, and musicians. Isn’t John’s teaching a good goal for a liturgical (or any!) minister? Rooted in the graces of their own baptism, ministers must be skilled and confident enough to draw people’s attention (or, at least, not turn them off!) and then gradually re-focus that attention on Jesus. It is a dynamic and awesome responsibility.

TODAY’S READINGS

Isaiah 40:1–5, 9–11
Psalm 104:1b–2, 3–4, 24–25,
27–28, 29–30
Titus 2:11–14; 3:4–7
Luke 3:15–16, 21–22

Mass Intentions

Intentions for the week of 1/8/22 thru 1/15/22

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May God bless your stewardship to our parish community!

Fr. Michael Pontarelli, O.S.M.

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- When to keep your child home





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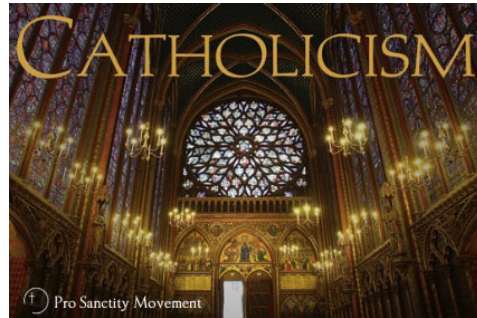
Presenter: Fr. Alfred S. Baca
Director,
Office for Evangelization &
Faith Formation
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For more information contact us at adultfaithformation@christcathedralparish.org.

Please join the Pro Sanctity Movement to deepen your faith and experience Bishop Robert Barron's thematic presentation series on the Catholic Faith. The **ten-week series begins Jan. 12 on Wednesdays from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.** at the Pro Sanctity Center, 205 S. Pine Drive Fullerton, CA 92833.

Please register by **Jan. 9**. Contact Joan via email or at (714) 449-0511 or text: 833-205-6600. The cost is \$10 per person.

The Pro Sanctity Movement is an international lay movement with the mission of promoting the universal call to holiness by helping people grow in their relationship with God through spiritual formation, retreats, faith-sharing groups and spiritual direction. The Pro Sanctity Movement is open to all vocational states of life: priests, consecrated and laity. The Apostolic Oblates are consecrated women who support and spread the message of Pro Sanctity.



SAVE THE DATE

Ephphata! "BE OPENED"

"He took him off by himself away from the crowd....then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!" (that is, "Be opened!") And [immediately] the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly."

Mark 7: 33-35

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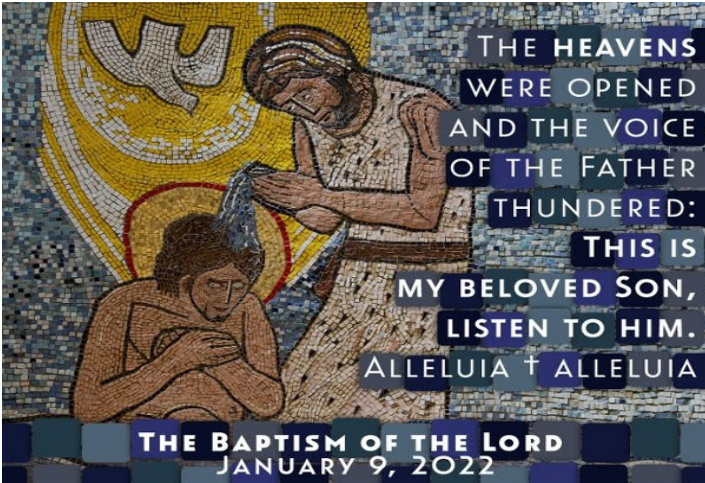
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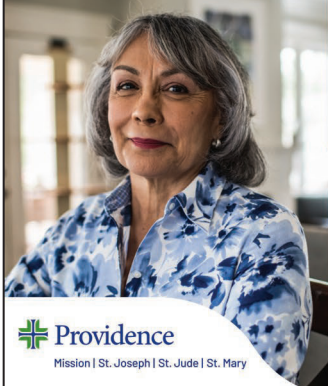


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