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MASS TIMES:
SAT. 4:00 PM
SUN. 9:45 AM
**Spanish Mass/
Communion Service:**
SUN. 11:15 AM

Our Mission:
We, the family of
Annunciation Parish,
desire to build a
community of love
and service to our
community and those
in need as we bear
witness to the teaching
of Jesus Christ.

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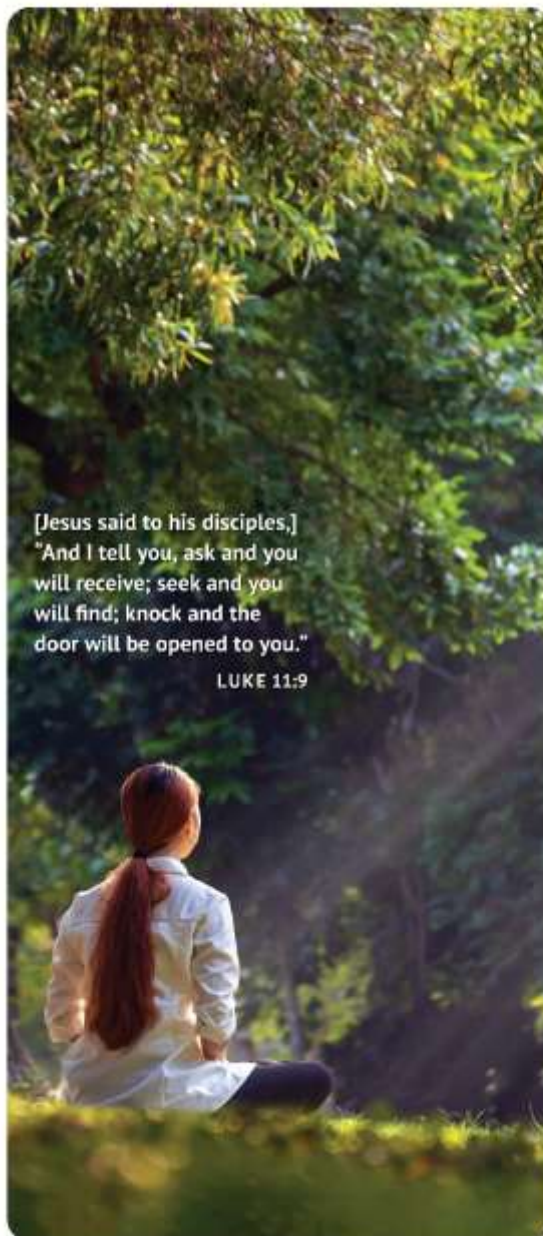
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RECONCILIATION:
Saturday 3:15 – 3:45 PM, and by appointment.

BAPTISMS:
By appointment. Contact Father Viviano

WEDDINGS:
Please contact at least 6 months in advance.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:
Please call any time, or by appointment.



[Jesus said to his disciples,]
"And I tell you, ask and you
will receive; seek and you
will find; knock and the
door will be opened to you."

LUKE 11:9

The Ways of Praying

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Consider how there are five levels of communication, each level taking us deeper into a relationship and what it means to be human. *One*, the greetings we offer as we pass: Good morning! How's it going? *Two*, a sharing of activities: what we did, what someone said. *Three*, an expression of ideas, as in what we think about raising children or our political opinions or why we believe there may be conflicts in the world. *Four*, revealing our feelings both positive and negative: feelings of love or gratitude or contentment as well as of being hurt or rejected or disappointed. *Five*, a sense of intense closeness and *being with*, perhaps even without speaking or using any words. Each level, then, takes us deeper into a shared relationship.

Consider, then, how ever-deepening prayer may follow that same pattern. *One*, memorized or rote prayer. *Two*, telling God what is on our mind, even though it is a one-sided conversation. *Three*, commonly called "meditation" but, more simply, thinking about God and life and our faith response, as in the musing that may follow spiritual reading. *Four*, often referred to as "praying our feelings," such as reflecting on our human emotions and what they might say about us, our faith, and how the journey of our faith life is unfolding. *Five*, a sense of simply *being with* God, even without words, and simply resting in that holy presence. Each level of prayer, then, leads us ever more into a shared relationship with our God. ●

Reflect

How do I pray? Should I ask for the grace to grow in my prayer life?

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LITURGICAL ROLES

Saturday, July 26, 4:00 pm

Mass Coord: Mike & Regina Stock
Lector: Kristy Gump
Servers: Jerry Hoback
Song Leader: Larry Dahler
Greeters: Jim & Irene Hoback
Rosary: Russ Anderson
Gift Bearers: Steve & Brenda Hickman

Sunday, July 27, 9:45 am

Mass Coord: Eric Schroeter
Lector: Corynn Frank
Servers: Hezekiah Frank
Song Leader: JoAnn Bestgen
Greeters: Tricia Brauch & Barb McKinzie
Rosary: Charlie Roll
Gift Bearers: Kenneth & Bev Frank

Saturday, August 2, 4:00 pm

Mass Coord: Russ & Lisa Anderson
Lector: Dale Glenn
Servers: Russ Anderson
Song Leader: Larry Dahler
Greeters: Patty & Clif Sampson
Rosary: Joyce Ziehmer
Gift Bearers: Patty & Clif Sampson

Sunday, August 3, 9:45 am

Mass Coord: Elise Arnold
Lector: Kalie Hoskins
Servers: Scott Jobe
Song Leader: Bev Kleffner
Greeters: Mickie & Jake Bolinger
Rosary: Mary Lou Scheidt
Gift Bearers: Ryan & Lindsey Porter Family

VOCATIONS

Please pray for the men who are studying and discerning a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life. This week, please pray for:

Mr. Gage Neisen

SOULS IN PURGATORY PRAYER

Our Lord promised St. Gertrude the Great that 1000 souls would be released from purgatory each time this prayer is said devoutly.

Eternal Father,

I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal Church, those in my own home and within my family.

Amen.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for these and all who are in need of prayer.
Call the office to add or take someone off the list.

Betsy Bednor, Wyatt Schmidt, Bill Buntin, Alex McGill; Charles Smith (Tim Baker's uncle); Ashley Kaplan (daughter of Tricia Brauch); John Bestgen; Marian Dorn; Wallace Maynard; Jerry Hessefort (Pam Hill's uncle); Derrick Cleveland (Vickie Schroeder's nephew); Barbara & Charles Day (Barbara Brant's stepmom and father); David Wilde; Kaitlyn Schlup; Sharon Belt; Cory Bickel (Jim Hoback's nephew); Bill McConkey; Jacobo Garcia; Pam Block; Helen Heinen; Shawn Bax; Suzy Allee; Robert Garner; Glenda Williams; Lisa Anderson; Paula Volkmer; Tracy Davis; John Michael McCoy; J. Gattermeir; Sally Schepers; Janice Howard; Sharon (Imhoff) Dresel; Linda Reichel; Steve Gerlt; Mark Bardwell; Dylann Henley; Lanny Wingate; Jim Imhoff; Barb Glenn; Roger & Peggy Borgmeyer; Carol Baker; Amanda Imhoff; Gary Fleischmann; Barbara Reichl (mother of Bill Reichl); Louis Forck (grandson of Tim & Pauline Forck); Terry Carlson; Rachel Frank; Andrea Tilbury; Carol Rackers; Keith Connell; Alfred Rhodus,

THIS WEEK AT ANNUNCIATION

*Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 26

TMass 4:00 PM *Frank Haller

Sunday, July 27

TMass 9:45 AM *Loretta Brauner

Spanish 11:15 AM *Holy Souls in Purgatory

Monday, July 28

5:45 PM Prayer of the Holy Rosary

8:00 PM AA-ALNON

Tuesday, July 29

8:00 AM *Fr. Michael Penn

6:30 PM PSR Parent's Meeting

Wednesday, July 30

6:30 PM Bible Study

Thursday, July 31

8:00 AM *Emil & Agnes Bax

7:00 PM Holy Hour – Spanish

Friday, August 1

6 AM – 7 PM First Friday Adoration

Saturday, August 2

TMass 4:00 PM *Sister Leona Bax

Sunday, August 3

TMass 9:45 AM *Annunciation & St. Andrews Parishioners

Spanish 11:15 AM *Holy Souls in Purgatory

Breaking Free from Pornography

Matt Fradd is a national Catholic podcaster and speaker. He has developed a powerful online program to help one break free from pornography. The program is **Strive21**. You can access this program at **Strive21.com**

PARISH NEWS

Notice – If you have any items that you would like published in the bulletin, please send them by email to the Parish Office by 4pm on Wednesday. Thank you.



Rest in Peace Sister Zita Teikamp CDP
Sister Zita passed away with the Sisters of Divine Providence at Providence Heights in Allison Park Pennsylvania on July 15, 2025 at the age of 91. She had celebrated her 75th jubilee with her order just last year. Her funeral was Mon., July 21, 2025.
Sister Zita was part of our Annunciation parish from 1965-1980. She came to California in 1965 to serve our school as principal, but her ministry touched the lives of many of our parishioners in the fifteen years she served here.
Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

Attention all cursillistas... our next school of leaders is August 2, in Flanagan Hall at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. You will not want to miss this fun gathering of Cursillistas growing in their love for Christ and striving to follow His example of service. Beth Schroeder from Moberly will give a presentation on the strategy of the movement and Mike Hentges will present on humility and service. We will begin with a social gathering at 8:45am and the program beginning at 9:15am. We will close with a short visit to Blessed Sacrament promptly at 11am. Hope you can share part of your Saturday morning with this wonderful community of cursillistas.

Tim Imhoff has published a book titled, "The Legendary Story of Fr. Ferdinand Helias S.J. Mr. Imhoff has done extensive research for his book & compiled all the information gathered into this hardback edition. If you would like a copy, please call the parish office. The cost is \$50.

Project Share is in need of volunteers to work the sales desk once a month on Thursdays & Saturdays. The shop is open 10 to 2. If interested, please call Vickie Schroeder at 913-669-2979.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Mass at Assumption Church in Cedron - September 27th, 4pm
Presentation by Tim Francis at Annunciation September 24th
St. Margaret of Antioch Osage Bend Picnic- August 3, 2025

HAPPENINGS IN THE PARISH

Holy Rosary – Every Monday evening at 5:45pm
Bible Study - Every Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM

PRAYER FOR A NEW BISHOP

O God, eternal shepherd,
who govern your flock with unfailing care,
grant in your boundless fatherly love
a pastor for your Church
who will please you by his holiness
and to us show watchful care.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of
the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS – July 2025

1 st week:	\$6,736.40	3 rd week:	\$8,407.00
2 nd week:	\$8,994.73	4 th week:	\$
5 th week:	\$		
Candles:	\$76.00	Missions Collection:	\$1,465.00
Stipends:	\$160.00		

Altar Flowers:

The flower arrangement this week is from Joyce Hagedorn in thanksgiving for the many blessings God has bestowed upon their family & friends.

PRAYER FOR THE RETURN OF NON-PRACTICING CATHOLICS

O Good Shepherd, you never cease to seek out the lost, to call home the stray, to comfort the frightened, and to bind up the wounded. I ask you to bring (names) back to the practice of the Faith, and to remove all obstacles that prevent them from receiving your abundant mercy, which flows sacramentally through the heart of your holy Church.

Through the intercession of Mary, the Mother of God, their Guardian Angels, their Patron Saints and the ever-prayerful St. Monica, may you pardon their sins and unshackle them from whatever hinders their freedom to come Home. For you, O Good Shepherd, have loved us to the end and offered yourself to the Father for the salvation of all. Amen.

July 27th Scripture & Reflection

I assure you: ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and it will be opened to you.

Luke 11:9

Prayer is a living relationship that demands trust and perseverance. Every time we pray, we are drawn deeper into the life of Trinity.

27 de julio de 2025

También les aseguro: pidan y se les dará, busquen y encontrarán, llamen y se les abrirá.

Lucas 11,9

La oración es una relación viva que exige confianza y perseverancia. Cada vez que oramos, somos atraídos más profundamente a la vida de la Trinidad.

Breaking the Silence of Abuse - As a diocese, we are committed to breaking the silence of abuse. When someone is reporting abuse, we must acknowledge their pain and how difficult it is to talk about it. False allegations are very rare. Our initial response to someone who is disclosing abuse for the first time must be compassionate. For those who need to report abuse, encourage them to contact our Victims Assistance Coordinator, Jacqueline Baldwin, (573-694-3199) and to make use of the appropriate State of Missouri hotline (1-800-392-3738) or the [Attorney General's clergy abuse online form](#). All of this information is also on our website, under the 'report abuse' tab. For those who want information or want to convey a message to Bishop McKnight, please encourage them to write to us at reportabuse@diojeffcity.org

Dear Padre,

Who wrote the Lord's Prayer? I know the Lord's Prayer comes from Scripture, but who composed it as we say it today?

When the disciples asked the Lord to teach them to pray, he taught them the prayer we know as the Our Father. Two versions of that prayer appear in the Gospels of Matthew and Luke. The version used in the Church's liturgies is derived from Matthew 6:9-13. In fact, citing St. Thomas Aquinas' *Summa Theologiae*, the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* calls the Lord's Prayer the "most perfect of prayers" (2774), teaching us not only what things to pray for in our prayer but also in what order, or priority, we should desire them. It is at the heart of every individual and communal prayer.

We pray the Our Father, bearing in mind and heart the intimate relationship we have with our God as sons and daughters by adoption through our baptism. The specific wording of our prayers is a work in progress. What we think of as the final wording is that which the Church has approved and makes the most sense for prayer as a community. What is most important is that the substance of the prayer reflects the same matter the Lord used in the prayer. ●



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Fr. Scott Katzenberger, CSSR / DearPadre.org

Do you have a question for the Padre?

Go to DearPadre.org to send your question and to learn more about *Dear Padre*.

A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Herein lies the novelty of Christian prayer! It is a dialogue between people who love each other, a dialogue based on trust, sustained by listening and open to a commitment to solidarity. It is the dialogue of a Son with his Father, a dialogue between children and their Father. This is Christian prayer.

ANGELUS, ROME,
JULY 28, 2019



PAUL HARRIS

Monday

July 28
Weekday
Ex 32:15-24, 30-34
Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday

July 29
Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus
Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28
Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday

July 30
Weekday
Ex 34:29-35
Mt 13:44-46

Thursday

July 31
St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest
Ex 40:16-21, 34-38
Mt 13:47-53

Friday

August 1
St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37
Mt 13:54-58

Saturday

August 2
Weekday
Lv 25:1, 8-17
Mt 14:1-12

Sunday

August 3
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23
Col 3:1-5, 9-11
Lk 12:13-21