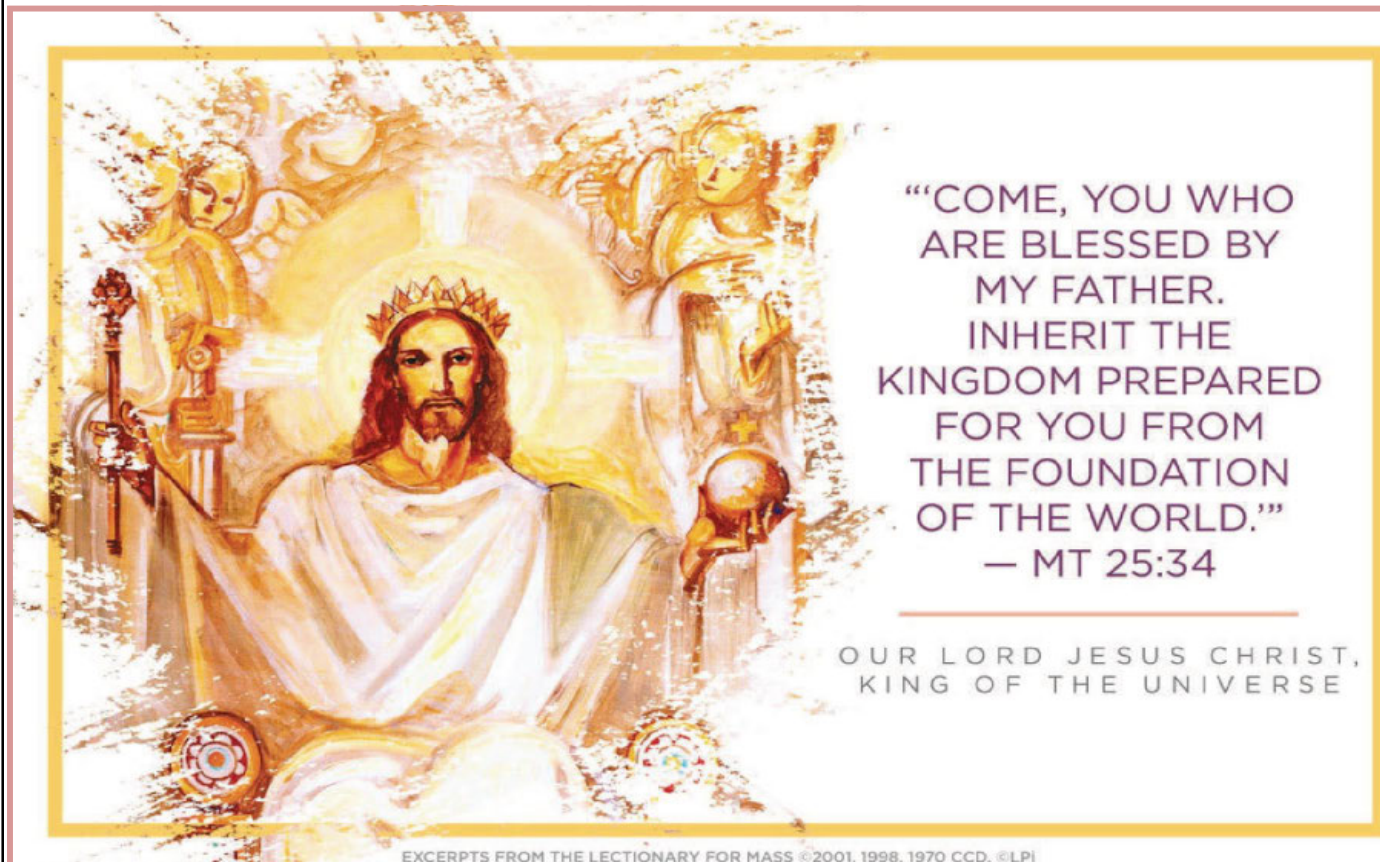


# ST. KIERAN PARISH

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## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

**SATURDAY:** 5:00 PM (Fulfills Sunday Obligation)  
**SUNDAY:** 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM  
**DAILY MASS:** 8:30 AM Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri.

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (CONFESSIONS):**  
Saturday's 4:15 PM—4:45 PM

### BAPTISMS

By appointment and meeting with the Pastor.

### MARRIAGE

Nine months notice and preparation are required.

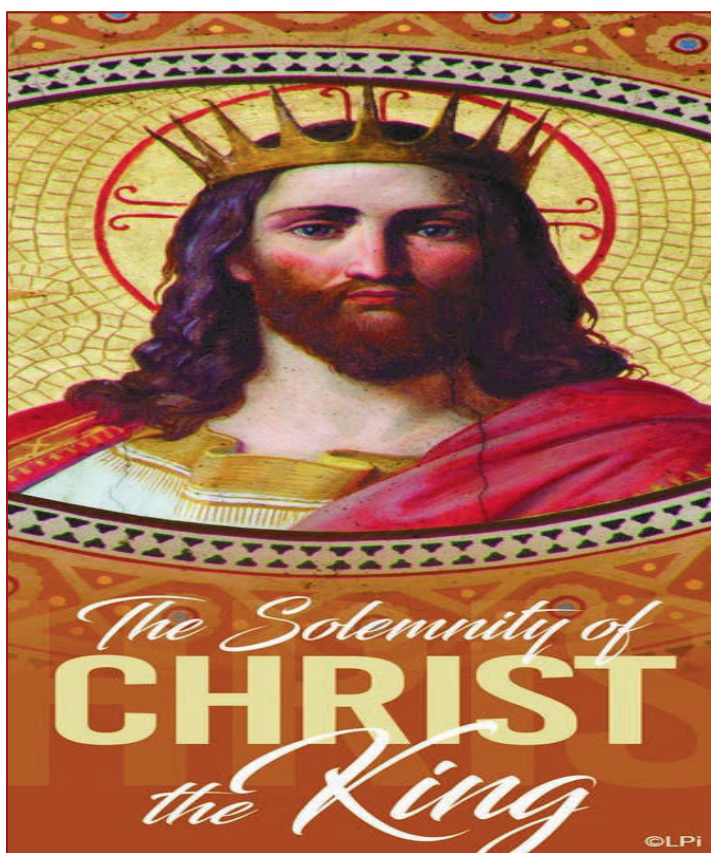
### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

8:30AM –3:30PM Mon., Tues, Thurs., Fri. & 8:30AM-12:30PM Wed.

## MEMBERSHIP IN THE PARISH

All Catholic adults living in the parish, and regularly participating in the Liturgy here, are asked to register in the parish. Church attendance alone does not make you and your household registered members of our parish family. Registration is required for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage and enrollment in our religious education programs. To register, please contact the parish office during regular business hours, register online or pick up a parish registration form which can be found in the pamphlet rack near the Reconciliation Room. Please complete the form and either deposit it with your offering in the collection at Sunday Mass, or mail it to the parish office.

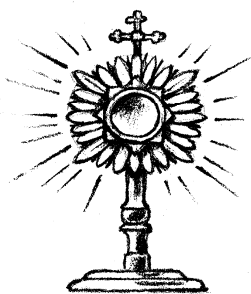
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**FIRST FRIDAY**  
**HOLY HOUR**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will follow daily Mass Friday, December 1st, concluding with Benediction.

Adoration  
of the  
Blessed Sacrament



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**FIRST SATURDAY  
ROSARY**

Join the Altar and Rosary Society on Saturday, December 2nd at 9am in Divine Mercy Hall to pray the Rosary.

**PARISH'S HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, November 27, 2023**

8:30	AM	Helen Agnes Waldenberg †
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**TUESDAY, November 28, 2023**

8:30	AM	Barbara Caster †
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**WEDNESDAY, November 29, 2023**

8:30	AM	Souls in Purgatory
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**FRIDAY, December 1, 2023**

8:30	AM	Victims of War
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**SATURDAY, December 2, 2023**

5:00	PM	Michael and Lorraine Finch
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**SUNDAY, December 3, 2023**

8:00	AM	Sick Parishioners
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10:00	AM	Pro Populo
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**WWWA ADVENT  
REFLECTION**

*Light that enters the darkness*

In sunny Southern California, we're accustomed to blue skies and mild days. We may even expect the same weather in our spiritual lives! But what happens when our expectations fail? What happens when we are struggling, and suffering, and searching? During Advent, we wait in darkness for the light of Christ. Could our "dark days" be the times we actually draw closer to Christ? During this season of preparation and anticipation, we need not fear the dark. Contemplating the life of Our Blessed Mother, Dawn will share how we can open our hearts to His grace while we wait.

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29TH**  
**ST. THERESA SOCIAL CENTER**  
**TIME: 6:30-8:30 PM**  
**6016 CAMINO RICO,**  
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December 16, 2023  
10am - 12:30 PM  
Starts & Ends @ St. Patrick's Church  
Lunch Provided  
Free Will Offering



**5th Annual Augustinian Advent Pilgrimage**

Learn more and sign up at [moderncatholicpilgrim.com/advent](http://moderncatholicpilgrim.com/advent)



No classes this Sunday.

Classes will be held in December on the 3rd, 10th and 17th.

For questions or attendance, please contact Nathalie Horning at [saintkyouthministry@gmail.com](mailto:saintkyouthministry@gmail.com)

## December High School Youth Events

**Sunday, 3rd ~ Youth Group DROP IN! 11AM-12:30PM** in St. Mary's Youth Room.

**Sunday, 10th ~ Praise and Worship Night** at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Lakeside from 6:30PM-8:30PM.

**Tuesday, 12th ~ Christmas Carols and Hot Chocolate** at Good Samaritan Rest Home. The best way to spread Christmas cheer is singing loud for all to hear! From 6PM—7:45PM.

## December Middle School Deanery Events

**COOKIE BAKING & DECORATING**

DECEMBER 1ST 6:30-8PM AT ST. KIERAN, EL CAJON

WE ASK THAT EVERYONE BRING A SMALL ITEM FOR A HOMELESS OUTREACH SUCH AS A BEANIE, SOCKS, GLOVES, RAIN PANTHO ETC. WE WILL HAVE PIZZA, SNACKS AND DRINKS AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE

**CHRISTMAS CAROLING**

DECEMBER 12TH 6:00-7:45PM AT GOOD SAMARITAN REST HOME, 1515 JAMACHA WY. EL CAJON

WE WILL BE CAROLING FROM 6-7:15PM FOLLOWED BY A TAILGATE AFTER WITH HOT CHOCOLATE PROVIDED.

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*Be creative!* **VIDEO CONTEST** *Have fun!*

Get involved in the [San Diego Walk for Life](#) by participating in our video contest

**Categories: Family, Youth & Young Adult, and Open Submission**

Your video should answer one or more of these questions:

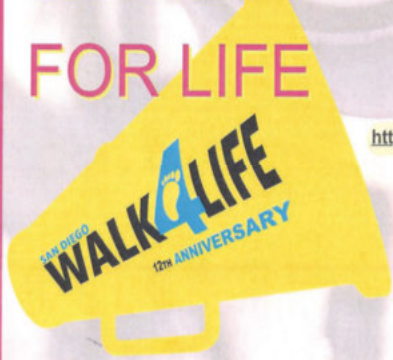

- How are we a witness for life in the community?
- Why is it important to act as a witness for life?
- How can we continue to cultivate a culture of life?

Videos should be no more than 1 minute long.  
There will be prizes for the winner and runner up in each category.  
Top videos will be shown at the SDWL on January 13, 2024.

**WITNESS FOR LIFE**

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE**  
**December 4, 2023**

Details & Entry Form  
<https://forms.office.com/r/MqPpP9980z>

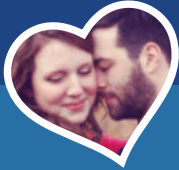



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