

First Sunday of Advent—December 2, 2018

# *Saint John The Evangelist*

All are Welcome, All are Children of God, All are Made in the Image of God

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday** Closed  
**Tuesday** 9am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm  
**Wednesday** 9am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm  
**Thursday** 9am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm  
**Friday:** 9am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm  
**Saturday:** Closed  
**Sunday:** By Appointment Only

## SUNDAY MASS

Saturday :  
5:30 pm (Contemporary Music)

Sunday:  
8:30 am (Organ)  
10:30 am (Youth Choir)  
6:00 pm (Contemporary Music)

## DAILY MASS

Monday to Friday 5:30 p.m.

## PENANCE / RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:30-5:10 pm  
Or by appointment

## HOSPITALITY

Join us after the 8:30a and 10:30a Mass  
December 2, 9, 16 for Fellowship .



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**Mass Intentions**



Mass intentions are available from the sacristan or the office.

SAT	12/01	5:30 PM	Helen Stone+
			Jesus Valdepenas+
SUN	12/02	8:30 AM	People of St John
		10:30 AM	Eduardo Aguilar +
		6:00 PM	Maria Mendoza+
MON	12/03	5:30 PM	Kenneth Hunter
TUES	12/04	5:30 PM	Kenneth Hunter
WED	12/05	5:30 PM	Rudy Melicharek +
THURS	12/06	5:30 PM	Andrew Hillhouse+
FRI	12/07	5:30 PM	Eduardo Aguilar+
SAT	12/08	5:30 PM	Paul Olszewski+
SUN	12/09	8:30 AM	People of St John
		10:30 AM	Daniel Davis+
		6:00 PM	Eduardo Camargo+

**Are you registered in the parish?**

Registration helps us communicate with you and allows us to track your donations for tax purposes.

Registration forms are available at the candle desk in the church, at the office, and online at our website

**www.sjesandiego.org**

**Please Pray for.....**

Erin Dalton, Virgilio Marco, Juana Neri, Esther Boggess, Bertha Davis, Maryann Lawrence, Geraldine Lawler, Nestor Celestino, Joel Rivera, Grace Bologna, Juliette Ganchou, Maureen Tobin, Raymond Menchaca, Dianne Schnell, Alice Wilkinson, Allan Debillena, Jr., Fred Baumann

**May God bless all those who are ill and bring them healing and peace.**

**Young Adults Advent Series**



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Prayer and Reflection  
 Sunday evenings, December 2, 9, 16  
 7:00 p.m. in the Rose Room  
 (after the 6:00 p.m. Mass)

## Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration

Sunday Dec 9 Bilingual Mass 10:30am  
Followed by a Procession and Fiesta

Domingo, 9 de Diciembre  
Misa bilingüe 10:30a Seguido por una  
procesión y fiesta!



All are invited to celebrate as one parish community Our Lady of Guadalupe. Do so by bringing in a bouquet of Roses for Mary on Dec 9th

## Los Posada of Family, Life & Justice Novena Dec 15 to Dec 23, 2018

St John's will host the last day of the Diocesan Posada Novena

### December 23rd at 4pm

We will pray for Solidarity with our brothers and sisters whom have been marginalized.



*Respect for Life*  
*Immigration*  
*Divorce*  
*LGBT*

*Poverty*  
*Addiction*  
*Mental Health*  
*Family Life*

**Journey with Mary & Joseph in building Hope, Peace & Love in preparation for the Lord**

## Red Poinsettia Donations Accepted

Tis' the weeks before Christmas when all through our parish, elves are planning to prepare our Grand Hall for the beauty of Christmas.

St John the Evangelist offers parishioners the opportunity to remember their loved ones by donating **RED CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS** for our Christmas Environment. Your loved one's name will be printed in our Christmas Weeks bulletin. Please Pick up a registration form in the vestibule.



We will be accepting your poinsettia donations between December 15th to December 23rd. For questions or to help with the changing of our liturgical environment, please contact Jorge Mendoza at 619-291-1660. Thank you for your ongoing generosity!

# ADVENT



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O Come  
O Come  
Emmanuel



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**Catholic Worker and  
Dorothy Day  
lecture by  
Patrick Jordan**

former managing editor of Catholic Worker  
and former managing editor of Commonweal

Wednesday, December 5 at 5:00 p.m.  
Copley Library, Mother Rosalie Hill Reading  
Room. This lecture is in conjunction with  
"Love is the Measure: Photos of Dorothy  
Day and the Catholic Worker Movement" by  
Vivian Cherry. Photo exhibit, Joan B. Kroc  
Institute for Peace and Justice, Fine Art  
Galleries, Through December 14, 2018.

Lecture and exhibit open to the public!

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***Let us pray fervently that we will  
help others encounter anew  
Christ, our King, bringing the  
Gospel to the margins of society,  
that all might bear witness to Him  
before others.***



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**Advent Awakenings Series**

Please join us for "*Advent Awakenings*",  
a series based on the three-year cycle of the  
church. There will be four sessions corre-  
sponding with the Gospels of the four  
Sundays of Advent. Each session includes  
reflections, prayers, action responses,  
and song.

Please contact Cathy Nunez  
Parish office, 619-291-1660, to sign up.



**Annual Catholic Appeal**

Our parish assessment for 2018 is  
**\$17,000 of which we have collected  
\$11,965 leaving a balance of \$5035**

Any shortfall must be paid from the parish  
collection.

If you have not yet contributed please  
consider doing so. ACA giving brochures  
and envelopes are available at the church  
entrance and the office, or you may donate  
online at **[sdcatholic.org](http://sdcatholic.org)**

All donations tax deductible! Donate before  
December 31 for this tax year.



**Saint of the Day for December 2**

Blessed Rafal Chylinski

The sermons preached by Rafal were power-  
fully reinforced by the living sermon of his  
life. The Sacrament of Reconciliation can  
help us bring our daily choices into harmony  
with our words about Jesus' influence in our  
lives.

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