

## Saint Martin of Tours Catholic Church A Century of Blessings 1921 - 2021

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## **MASS SCHEDULE**

SATURDAY: 5:00pm (Vigil)
SUNDAY: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am
and 5:00pm Mass

**DAILY MASS:** 

Monday through Friday: 8:30am Rosary before Mass: at 8:00am

CONFESSIONS: Friday (5:00pm - 6:00pm)
ADORATION: Friday (7:00pm - 8:30pm)

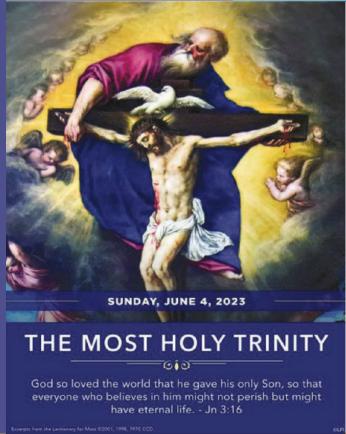
OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY through FRIDAY:
8:30 am- 4:30 pm
Closed for Lunch: 12:00 pm - 1:00pm

SAINT MARTIN ACADEMY

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Web: <a href="mailto:stmartinacademy.org">stmartinacademy.org</a>
Preschool through 8th Grade



#### **WELCOME!**

We warmly welcome all visitors to our parish, the heart of our Catholic faith-life in La Mesa since 1921. Thank you for joining us for Divine Worship. We hope you find ways to participate in our life in Christ through the various ministries we offer.

If you have been coming here but are not registered or if you just moved into the area, we invite you to join us as a member of our parish family, using the registration form below or stopping by the Parish Office. Your registration makes it possible for us to communicate with you and to plan and provide for your needs more effectively, especially Baptism or Marriage, as well as eligibility to serve as godparents or sponsors.

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City, State & Zip	email:	

### WELCOME TO SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITY

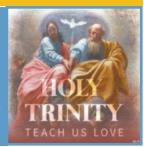
We invite you to be a "Sharing Member".

Register, Participate, and

Share your Gifts and Talents.

## June 4, 2023 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

On this Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we are reminded to encourage one another, and to show affection and support.



### This Sunday is Trinity Sunday

We ponder anew that God in His unity is a play of multiplicity: Lover, Beloved, and shared Love. Or, as we also proclaim, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. If we allow it, this mystery heals our temptation toward self-hatred and destruction. We all know how awful it is to look into the mirror and not know the person we see, or, equally bad, to know and hate who we see. Jesus, the Son of God, draws us into the dynamics of authentic self-knowledge and self-love. Perhaps we could ask the Holy Trinity this Sunday to teach us to truly look at ourselves and to properly love who we see looking back. — Father John Muir

#### **TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading:** "The LORD, the LORD, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity." (Ex 34:6)

**Psalm:** Glory and praise for ever! (Dn 3:52b) **Second Reading:** The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you (2 Cor 13:13) **Gospel Reading:** For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him (Jn 3:17)

#### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1-8;Ps 112; Mk 12:1-12 Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112; Mk 12:13-17 Wednesday: Tb 3:1-17; Ps 25; Mk 12:18-27 Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1-17; 8:4-9; Ps 128; Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Tb11:5-17; Ps 146; Mk 12:35-37 Saturday: Tb 12:1-20; Tb 13; Mk 12:38-44 Sunday: Dt 8:2-16; Ps 147; 1 Cor 10:16-17;

Jn 6:51-58

#### **KEEPING FAMILY RECORDS UP TO DATE!**

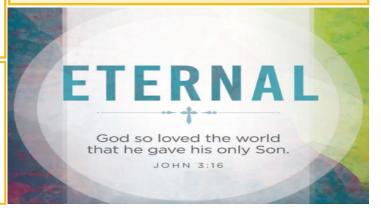
If any of your personal information has changed, please update it by making the changes in your offering envelope or calling the Parish Office at 619.465.5334. It is important that we keep our family records up to date.

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

"We cannot find God in noise or agitation. Within nature: trees, flowers and grass grow in silence. The stars, the moon, and the sun move in silence... In silence, He listens to us; in silence He speaks to our souls. In silence we are granted the privilege of listening to His voice. Silence of our eyes. Silence of our ears. Silence of our minds... In the silence of the heart, God will speak." Saint Mother Theresa of Calcutta.

The Children's Chapel is open Monday to Friday, from 10am to 3pm, for personal prayer and meditation before the Blessed Sacrament in the Tabernacle. Also, we will continue to gather in the Church every Friday from 7pm to closing with benediction at 830pm.

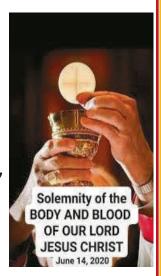
Everyone is invited and welcome to stay as long as time allows.





# CALLING 'ALL' OF THIS YEAR'S FIRST COMMUNICANTS

Fr. Elmer Mandac, our Pastor, is inviting ALL of this year's First Communicants to celebrate the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ at the Mass they will attend next Sunday, June 11. Wear your "First Communion" clothes to celebrate this wonderful feast.





## 2023 "LIVING OUR FAITH" ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Saint Martin of Tours Parish is pleased to participate in the 2023 "Living our Faith" Annual Catholic Appeal. This appeal supports charitable needs throughout the Diocese of San Diego. Your gifts make possible the work that impacts so many in our Diocese: Assistance for Catholic Education, Formation of new priests, Care of Retired Priests and Assistance for Catholic Charities. You can make your contribution on line at: giving.sdcatholic.org or by filling out the brochure cards that were mailed to your residence.

Our Response as Stewards:

<u>REFLECT:</u> On the many gifts you have received from God, including your financial blessings.

<u>PRAY:</u> about how God wants you to use the gifts He has given you.

RESPONSE: By supporting the mission. You give at your parish or online at giving.sdcatholic.org.

#### DIOCESAN MILLION MEALS EVENT

This year's Diocesan Million Meals Event will be

June 10 and 11: The diocese's deacons are inviting parish communities to participate the weekend of June 10 and 11 at Cathedral Catholic High School. The inaugural event last year was a great success, drawing more than 3,000



faithful who packed meals for hungry children in Tijuana and around the world. This year the goal is to pack 1.5 million meals and raise \$375,000. Parish teams, ministries, families and individuals can make an impact on a child's life —and they can have a ton of fun doing it. All are invited to join the Saint Martin's team on Saturday, June 10 from 12:30-3:00 PM. Please register at: https://tinyurl.com/SM-MME.

Please visit <u>sdcatholic.org/millionmeals</u> to register for alternate dates and shift times.

Please contact Deacon Al Rosker, at 619-465-5334 for all questions and additional information.

#### Childrens Faith Formation ...



Vacation Bible Camp is Coming to St. Martin of Tours

- July 10-14<sup>th</sup> Monday-Friday 9-12 Noon
- All children 4yrs 11 years (5<sup>th</sup> grade)

Register Online at www.saintmartinoftours.cc

This will be a week your children and family will Remember with a happy heart long after it's over. Register now!

Making St. Martins a place where families and children "want to be" while growing in faith!

Contact: Lisaz@saintmartinoftours.cc

#### 0.C.I.A.

"Order of Christian Initiation for Adults" Interested in becoming Catholic O.C.I.A. is the process by which adults enter the Catholic Church.



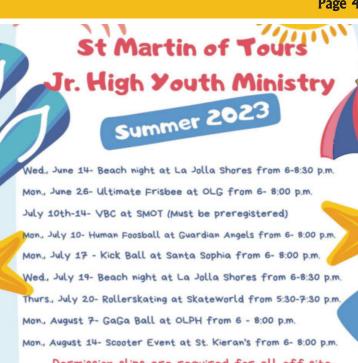
If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic. completing Sacraments or learning more about the Catholic Faith, this is

the process for you.

This is a spiritual journey, led by the Holy Spirit, which can lead to Full Initiation into the Catholic Church through Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. It is also a way to learn more about the Catholic Faith. One of the goals is to develop a personal relationship with God, accomplished through prayer, scripture and worship.

If you would like to be part of this Faith Journey to become Catholic, or to help facilitate the Journey, please contact Christine Davis at 619.465.5334 ext. 307 or

chris@saintmartinoftours.cc



Permission slips are required for all off-site activities! If you are signed up for the 2022-2023 Youth Group year you Will receive all permission slips via email before the event!

For more info or to register please email: Helend@saintmartinoftours.cc Join the Remind group by texting @smotjhyg to 81010





### **CLERGY**

Rev. Fr. Elmer Mandac, Pastor Deacon Allen Rosker Rev. Jim Poulsen (Supply Priest - Retired) Rev. Alex Aquino (Supply Priest - Retired)

#### June 4 - June 11, 2023

Sat	5:00pm	Scott Laughter-Healing & Spec. Int.
Sun	7:00am 9:00am 11:00am	David Kissel† Mass for the People Frank Sardina†
	5:00pm	Jack Zolezzi†
Mon	8:30am	Fr. Elmer-Anniversary of Ordination  Deacon Al-Anniversary of Ordination
Tue	8:30am	Scott Laughter-Healing & Spec. Int.
Wed	8:30am	Pete Esteves-Birthday
Thurs	8:30am	Scott Laughter-Healing & Spec. Int.
Fri	8:30am	Maria & Michael Borja-Blessings
Sat	5:00pm	Audrey Kelly†
Sun	7:00am	Theresa Ghannam†
	9:00am	John Balistreri†
	11:00am	Estela Benson-Birthday

Remember in your Prayers...

Mass for the People

5:00pm

All expectant Mothers and John Pommer, Bernard Safir, Tanner Safir, Sloane Garcia, Adam Atrushi, Shuk Family, Robert Ferrez, Martha Chamberlain, Diana Houze, Estuardo Israel Rodriguez, Merv Patriarca, Alicia F. de Velez, Pastor Richard Burkey, Mariela Jimenez, Elvira Medina, Vickie Rosker, Walter "Chino" & Delia Urteaga, Leo Cruz, Cristina Ortal, Silvia Ivanovich, Michael Ruhl, Ricardo & Consuelo Soto, Lita Ventura, Alfredo Mojarro, Rita Bongard, Miguel Angel Badiola Jr., Maria Murrieta, Cindy Mendez, Tanya Mendez-Smith, Joseph Green Gonzalez, Vincent lagmin, Margaret Ruggiero, Larry Smith, and healing for all suffering from Covid-19... may they find joy in the healing love of Christ.

Names will remain listed for four weeks.

Please call the Parish Office at 619.465.5334

or email: info@saintmartinoftours.cc to add or

delete names on the list.

#### SACRAMENTS & MINISTRIES updated 02/28/23

#### ADORATION of the BLESED SACRAMENT:

Every Friday 7:00pm-8:30pm

First Friday of the Month following 8:30am Mass-Noon **ALTAR SERVERS:** Jaime Paredes, Coordinator 619-581-0686

Email: jfp523@yahoo.com

BAPTISM: Call Parish Office 619-465-5334 (Pre-baptism seminar required)
BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: Elvira Medina, Coordinator 619-465-5334
or Email: elvira@saintmartinoftours.cc (in office M/Tu/F)

BIBLE STUDY: Deacon Al Rosker, Coordinator 619-851-8578

Saturday 9:30am-11:00am Barry Hall Thursday 6:30pm-8:00pm are on Zoom

Jeff Seaman-Leader, jkseam@outlook.com

**BUILD-A-MIRACLE:** Jerry & MaryJo Crouch, Coordinators Email: jcrouch566@cox.net

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CONFIRMATION: Helen Deen, Youth Ministry Director 619-698-3180 or Email: helend@saintmartinoftours.cc

CULTURE OF LIFE: Cheri Hubka Sparhawk, Coordinator 619-459-3002

**EUCHARIST** to the HOMEBOUND:

Deacon Al Rosker, Coordinator 619-465-5334

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Toni Dimuzio, Coordinator 619-286-1877 or Email: ajdimuzio@cox.net

FAITH FORMATION: Lisa Zickert, Director 619-698-8434 or Email: lisaz@saintmartinoftours.cc (Ages: 4y-6y Grade)

FOOD ASSISTANCE: Richard Zasueta, Coordinator

619-726-7618 OPEN TUE-THU 10:00am-12:00pm

KNIGHT COLUMBUS: Chris Warner, Grand Knight 619-884-0532

Email: gkchriswarner14550@gmail.com

**LECTORS:** Donna Tripi, Coordinator Email: tripidonna@gmail.com **MEN'S MINISTRY:** Chris Bartel, Coordinator -That Man is You
619-971-7321 or Email: chrisbartelfenway@outlook.com

MUSIC MINISTRY: Frances Cavanaugh, Choir Director 619-490-9062 or Email: stmartinoftourschoir@gmail.com Saturday 5:00pm with Cantor & Organist Sunday 9:00am & 11:00am with Cantor & Organist

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults)
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Christine Davis, Director 619-465-5334, ext# 307 or Email: chris@saintmartinoftours.cc

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR FIRST EUCHARIST and RECONCILIATION:

Lisa Zickert, Faith Formation Director 619-698-8434 or Email: lisaz@saintmartinoftours.cc

SCOUTS BSA (Cubs and Troup): Mitzi Elsten

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SOCIAL SENIORS GROUP: Pat Kramm, President 619-469-3976

WEDDINGS: Parish Office at 619-465-5334

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**WOMEN OF FAITH:** MaryMargaret Kissel, Coordinator 619-698-4845

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Walking With Purpose 619-698-8434
or Email: lisaz@saintmartinoftours.cc

YOUTH MINISTRY: Helen Deen, Director 619-698-3180 or Email: helend@saintmartinoftours.cc
Junior High (7th and 8th Grade)
High School (9th and 12th Grade)



**Knights of Columbus News** 

The proceeds of our coffee and doughnuts on June 11 will be donated to Birthline. A group that provides life-affirming support and resources to help

pregnant women and families. This is a very important event for us Knights, please come to the hall for fellowship and make a donation.

SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, July 15 will be our annual Pasta Dinner for the Support of our Seminarians. Last year, with your generosity, we were able to donate \$500 each to help them with their personal needs. Thanks to your support, our Council was awarded a special recognition from our CA State KofC. Thank you, again, we could not have accomplished this without you. Please keep this date in your calendar. We will start selling tickets in a few weeks.

## SAN DIEGO YOUNG ADULT AND ADULT COMMUNITY

Please go to <a href="www.sandiegocac.org">www.sandiegocac.org</a>, to learn more about activities and a social network for adult Catholics: College Age, Young Adults (20s & 30s), Adults (40s & 50s) and Active Adults 60+.

## PRAYING THE ROSARY 5:30pm Monday - Friday

At the start of the pandemic, we began praying the Rosary on Zoom.

Our Rosary Community has grown since, including others from outside our Parish family!

JOIN US via link on our parish website

www.stmartinoftoursparish.org or Zoom link: https://zoom.us/j/6194655334

### Our Gifts to God and Parish

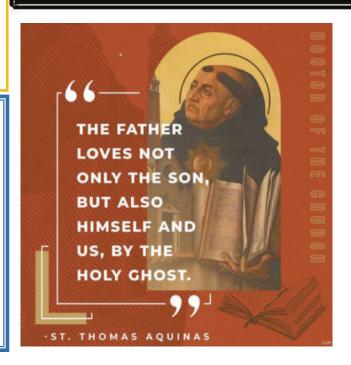
We are grateful to you for your presence, your participation, and your financial support of St. Martin of Tours Catholic Parish.

## May 27-28, 2023

Sunday Plate Collection: \$3,085.00 Sunday Envelope Collection: \$5,439.00 Weekly Sunday Mail-in Env: \$1,635.00 E-Giving (May 22-28): \$1,997.61 TOTAL SUNDAY COLLECTIONS: \$12,156.61

Our church uses Vanco Payment Solutions for secure online giving. Donate by visiting our website at: <a href="https://www.stmartinoftoursparish.org">www.stmartinoftoursparish.org</a> or by scanning the QR code with your smartphone camera! It's the easiest & most secure way to give to our church and it's ministries!

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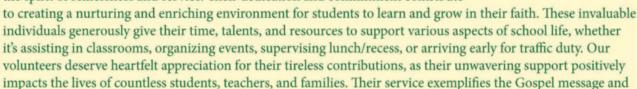


ST. MARTIN OF TOURS ACADEMY & PRESCHOOL US DEPT. OF EDUCATION GREEN RIBBON SCHOOL 2022 STMARTINACADEMY.ORG

JUNE 4, 2023

### A Thank you to SMA Volunteers

Catholic school volunteers play a crucial role in Catholic education, embodying the spirit of selflessness and service. Their dedication and commitment contribute





strengthens the mission of Catholic education, nurturing the next generation of compassionate and socially responsible individuals. Volunteers enjoyed a beverage from Hot Bev's Coffee and Tea and had time to relax and unwind while looking back on the school year.

"You make a living by what you get. You make a life by what you give." ~Winston Churchill

### Congratulations

Quinn Suzuki was chosen as a classroom winner for the 2023 8th Grade Serra Essay Contest. The award was presented at the Diocese of San Diego Pastoral Center. Quinn is pictured with Leticia Oseguera, Superintendent of Schools.

Read Quinn's essay on SMA's website under Alumni.





## More End of Year Thank you's!

Students were treated to Mahalo Shaved Ice and free dress as a Walkathon fundraising thank you!







As a thank you for their leadership, Student Council (both incoming and outgoing) enjoyed a unique field trip to In N Out Burger where they had the chance to tour behind the scenes and eat some tasty food!













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