

## December 14th Third Sunday of Advent (Rose)

**Sunday Proper, "Gaudete", NO Gloria, 2<sup>nd</sup> of Immaculate Conception, Octave, Credo, Preface of the Holy Trinity, Benedicamus Domino**

Coffee and Sweets after the 7:30am Mass

**5 Decade Rosary** recited weekdays at 8 AM when no Mass is available

Mon	15	Octave of the Immaculate Conception
Tue	16	St. Eusebius, B, M
Wed	17	Ember Wednesday 3:00 PM Holy Hour of Reparation
Thu	18	Ferial Day
Fri	19	<b>Mass 8:15 AM</b> Ember Day
Sat	20	<b>Mass 8:00 AM</b> Ember Day Confessions 4:00 PM

**Rosary Rally** is Saturday January 3<sup>rd</sup>, in the Chapel at Noon.

**Dinner Dance on Saturday, January 17th!** See the flyer on the doors!

### **Death Remembrances December**

Margaret Her, Debra Selway, Elzetta Mikulski, Neil & Frances Lunetta, Elva Banuelos, Lucia Bonello, Margie Schrantz, Tom Padberg, Fr. Truong Diep, Anne Michuta, Bernadette Lipps, Carl Heinz, Fr. Harry Marchosky, Harry Cwodzinski, Lawrence Heiner, Irene Ehert, Emile Goubert, Fr. Victor Soroka, Alice Robinson, Maury Bergeron, Herb & Chris Schurter

### **Death Remembrances January**

Anthony Ignozzitto, Robert Enerson, John Williams, Sr. Anastasia, Josephine Glenn, Helen Massie, Antonius van der Putten, Helen Sullivan, Cathleen Speer, Kathryn Starbuck, Andrew Dawn, Angie Thoreson, Cathy Lipsky, Ruth Johnson, Frank Rusinas, Edwin Altemeier, Dr. Anthony McDermott, Joan O'Neill, Sharon Condon, Mary Kaminski, Fr. Philip Bourret, David Shandley, Michael Soto, Carl Karcher, Warren Merboth, Dolores Netzel, Joseph Hubbard, Josefina Montoya, Helen Paige, Gertie Polinski, Arthur Garabedian, Connie Ridino, Tamara Brien, Joe Partise, Joyce Wilson, Ernie Feeney, Bob Wilcox, Frank Callaghan, Mary Wasz, Wilma Arriaga

### **Parish Illness and other Prayer Intentions**

Julie Frausto, Teresa Sammon, Greg Hubbard, Rosa Gonzalez, Hiroko Yoder, Michelle Gonzalez, Teresa Perez, Cindy Le Chiem, Andrea Williams-Soto, Fr. Arabadjis, Dorothy Neff, Noah Crostic, Nancy Lewis, Joseph Pleier, Jaime Soto, Camilla and Isabella Codeceira, Homer Sweeney, Ida Ramirez, Peggy Perez, All Priests

(renewable monthly please e-mail OLHCbulletin@yahoo.com)

# Our Lady Help of Christians Chapel Padre Pio Academy

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Garden Grove, CA 92841

School Office: 714-530-6840

(Please direct all correspondence and church business here)



**Masses** Sunday 7:30 & 10:00

**Always** check website [ourladyhelpofchristians.us](http://ourladyhelpofchristians.us) for most current schedule

**15 Decade Rosary** recited weekdays at 8am when no Mass is available

**Confession** All Masses typically preceded by substantial time for confession, which must end 10 minutes before Mass begins. Out of consideration for others, please don't use the confessional for lengthy counseling. Be brief. Be blunt. Be gone!

**Streamed Mass** <https://www.ourladyhelpofchristians.us> Select Mass Stream & Subscribe (Televised Mass located in Father Schell Hall)

**Saint Patrick's Mission - Northridge** Mass is temporarily unavailable at this location

**Sacramental Planning:** (626) 447-1752

**Emergency Contact ONLY:** (626) 355-0845

**To Modern Catholics** We are what you once were. We believe what you once believed. We worship as you once worshiped. If we are wrong now, you were wrong then. If you were right then, we are right now.

**December 14, 2025**  
**Third Sunday of Advent "Gaudete"**

**Modesty in Church** Out of respect to our Lord, we beg all to appear in church modestly dressed. No shorts allowed. Ladies heads must be covered, no slacks or pants, low cut or sleeveless tops. Your cooperation is evidence of your love for our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament and respect for the House of God.

**Communion Fast** Holy Communion may be received only by Catholics believing themselves to be in the state of Sanctifying Grace, who are observing at least one hour fast prior to reception of the Sacrament. We are urged, however, to observe the fast from midnight, or, at least for three hours. While always welcome, non-Catholics and those who do not accept the traditional teachings of the Church in matters of faith and morals, are NOT to receive Communion at this Mass. To receive Holy Communion do so in silence- do not say Amen.

**Confession Procedure** Begin your confession with "BLESS me Father for I have sinned", when you have received your penance, immediately begin your Act of Contrition.

**Mass Requests** For the living, dead or special intentions- \$20 stipend per Mass, intention box located on the wall in the gift shop.

**Chapel Etiquette** Food, drink, cell phones and matches are not allowed. Please use the butane lighters to light the votive candles. When the Blessed Sacrament is exposed, genuflect on both knees and bow. Otherwise, genuflect with the RIGHT knee touching the floor.

**OLHC** is an independent Traditional Chapel. We maintain no association whatsoever with Kentucky Resistance.

**No unapproved literature** may be left on the premises. It will be discarded.

**Need something blessed?** The first Sunday of each month. The next blessing will be January 4th, please be there to pick up your item, it will not be held.

**Lost and Found** Please remember to identify your Missals and prayer books for a safe return. If you find something left in the pews, please return it to the lost and found bin in the bookstore to find its rightful owner. If you have lost something, check the bin, still can't find it, e-mail [olhcbulletin@yahoo.com](mailto:olhcbulletin@yahoo.com) or put a note in the collection basket with your item and contact information.

**Have you Registered?** To register and receive offering envelopes, see the sign-up in the gift shop.

**Checks Payable to** OLHC or Our Lady Help of Christians. Please DO NOT seal envelopes with scotch tape or stickers. By request, Venmo is also available for donations.



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### **Useful Links**

**[fsspx.org](http://fsspx.org)** - Find a Mass Worldwide – scroll down

**[Traditionalcatholic.co](http://Traditionalcatholic.co)** - Spanish & English Traditional Catholic Books (Audio, PDF, Kindle, etc.)

**[ksmk.org](http://ksmk.org)** - Catholic Radio Station

**[thanhlemisa.wordpress.com](http://thanhlemisa.wordpress.com)** - Vietnamese/Latin Missal

**[Warroom.org](http://Warroom.org)** - search: Archbishop Vigano

## **Padre Pio Academy News**

**Celebrating 42 Years of Catholic Tradition in Education**

[www.padrepio-academy.org](http://www.padrepio-academy.org) email: [ppioacademy@gmail.com](mailto:ppioacademy@gmail.com)

**You are invited to a very special Padre Pio Academy Christmas Program!** It's just our small way of thanking YOU for helping US! Performances will be this Thursday, December 18 at 1:00 and 7:00PM in Father Schell Hall. Here's what to expect: "The First Christmas" presented by Kindergarten and 1st Grade. An abbreviated rendition of the real story of the first Christmas, also featuring Christmas carols performed by the students.

"Flakes - The Musical" starring 2nd and 3rd Students. A *chilling* story of a very cold north wind accompanied by a frightful blizzard, when suddenly, snowflakes take center stage. Suddenly a snowplow pulls in filled with delightful Snirts who help the smallest Snowflake to prove, once again, that no two snowflakes are alike.

"The Little Match Girl" (Hans Christian Andersen) featuring 4th, 5th and 6th Grades. As the poem is recited, our Little Match Girl braves poverty and cold as she reminisces about all the good times that have gone by.

"Christmas Special Delivery" with all our Junior High Students. Ah, Christmas might be in the air, but the local mailman is having a tough time getting in the spirit of things because of all the packages he has to deliver. BUT, a miracle is on the way in the bulky package he delivers to the homeless shelter!

"High - A Christmas Crisis" starring the PPA High School Students. The bus passengers discover they must join together in the Spirit of Christmas to attempt to repair their broken-down bus if they want to resume the Christmas journey.

Everyone is welcome! There is no cover charge! See you there!

**Our Lady Help of Christians Calendars for 2026** are still available in the Giftshop. If you don't see them just YELL!!! Only \$5 each; traces the entire liturgical year in detail, what a great gift! At this price, you just can't be without!

**Last chance to help the St. Philomena Center "Adopt-A Family-Food-Drive"** for poor Catholic families in Brazil on Christmas Day! A \$40 donation brings a roasted chicken with pounds and pounds of extras! Envelopes and flyers are in the Giftshop; mail or drop in the collection.

con't: **"In the course of time**, He who had been conceived in this holy womb came forth from it without inflicting pain, leaving it intact and undefiled. He who was born according to His divinity like a ray of light which emanated from the Father, conferred luminous qualities upon His humanity, so that He came forth from His Mother as a ray of light passes through glass. Here we see a marvelous paradox: flesh with the qualities of God and God with the characteristics of the flesh; divinity and humanity joined together; a God born of the Father but no mother, and a Man born of the Mother, but no father. Here we behold the intimate union of the created with the uncreated. As St. John expresses it: 'The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us (and we saw His glory, the glory as it were of the only begotten of the Father) full of grace and truth.'" ~ Fray Luis de Leon O.S.