



## St. Cornelius Catholic Church



### The Lord is kind and merciful!

#### Service Schedule

Monday	Mass - 5:00 pm
Tuesday	Mass - 5:00 pm
Wednesday	Mass - 5:00 pm
Thursday	Mass - 5:00 pm
Friday	Mass - 5:00 pm
Saturday	Rosary - 7:30 am Mass - 8:00 am Mass - 5:00 pm Vigil [Except Holy Saturday]
Sunday	Mass - 8:00 am Mass - 10:00 am Mass - 12:00 pm

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See our website for link to our YouTube channel.

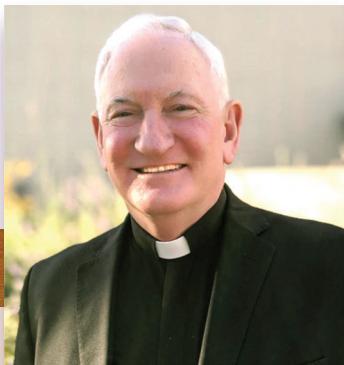
Confession [in the Confessional] : After Friday 5:00 Mass,  
Saturday 4-4:45, After all Sunday Masses,  
Confession also available by appointment, contact the Rectory



#### THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. - Jn 3:16-17

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## Pastor's Corner

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Today is Trinity Sunday: The Trinity is our central belief about God, that God is one in three, Father, Son and Spirit, a unity in diversity. It is a profound mystery that we know from Revelation that the ultimate reality, the ground of our being, is relational, a network of relationships flowing into one another. This means that we also are for relationships and that community is at the core of our being. Our culture pushes us to think in individualistic terms, but the Trinity calls us to our essentially communal nature.

All of the readings emphasize different aspects of the interrelationships of love that comprise God and characterize God's relationship with us. "God so loved the world that He sent his only son." We were baptized into that reality of the Trinity "in the name of the Father and of the son and of the Holy Spirit."

We begin and end all our prayers in the name of the Trinity in the sign of the cross and all our blessings invoke the same names.

Today we are presenting our pastoral council. Their pictures are in the vestibule, we have a wine & cheese reception after the 5.00 pm mass to meet and greet them. The Council members are Wade Perry (chairperson) Al Caceres, Magali Del Bueno, Erika Bradley, Jim & Beth Fink, Erick Fischer Jr, Michael Dermody, Ray Bachelder. Members are asked to serve a term of three years. We hope to add some more members in the near future.

The pastoral council is to work with the pastor on the direction and goals of the parish. The image I use is of the GPS - Where are we going and how will we get there.

Covid interrupted the work of the council as with so much else, so this is in the nature of a relaunch, though the Council did oversee the Synod listening and processing all the data from those gatherings.

The council operates as a discerning body guided by the spirit rather than as a council of representatives or a governing body. We try to represent different aspects of parish life, different ministries, ethnicities, ages etc, but the Council is charged with thinking for the whole parish and not representing a particular group or ministry. Please pray for the members in this important ministry.

Blessings,  
Fr. Jay



Office of Life,  
Justice & Peace  
Archdiocese of Los Angeles

Saturday, June 24th, 2023

### MEXICALI BORDER MISSION TRIP

Would you like to join Fr Jay and the archdiocesan task force on immigration on a mission trip to Mexicali? We'll be volunteering our time and efforts to help those in need. Space is limited, Call 213 637-7820 for more information and to reserve your spot. If you're not able to join us on the trip but still want to support our mission, donations are welcome! Every little bit helps and is greatly appreciated. Let's work together to make a positive impact on the world and show our support for those who need it the most!

[https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/34T0SEL3DV15S?ref\\_=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/34T0SEL3DV15S?ref_=wl_share)

#### Recommended Donations

New Underware  
New Socks  
Baseball Caps  
Personal Hygiene Products

Water toys  
Coloring Books  
Crayons  
Watercolors  
Outdoor games



## Liturgical Life

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# (PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

### We Bear the Name of the Lord

The name of the Lord is a curiously powerful thing. Say it deliberately, even in a group of people who are not particularly religious, and you'll know what I mean. There is a shift in the mood, a change in the atmosphere. When we utter the name of the Lord, He turns His head.

Once, in confession, I admitted to the sin of using the Lord's name in vain. "When you do that, tell God that you love him," advised the priest, who was wise enough to know that I would repeat this sin at some point. "You've said His name, after all. You have His attention."

We hear the name of the Lord, and we think of what it represents — John 3:16, salvation history summed up in a neat little sentence, the why and the how and the who of it all laid out before us. The Lord, so slow to anger that He offers us a million chances. The Lord, so rich in kindness and fidelity that He literally gave Himself to us that we might be saved.

But the name of the Lord is more than that. It is not just a symbol, it is an invitation. I think of Moses clutching the commandments, beseeching the Lord: "Come with us. Forgive us. Receive us as your own." The Lord accompanies us down the mountain. We bear the name of the Lord into the world with us wherever we go.

I have to ask myself: do I do that name justice?

*"Blessed is your holy and glorious name, praiseworthy and exalted above all for all ages."*  
— Daniel 3:52

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

### Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

#### Question:

We live in a country that upholds the separation of Church and state. What is the role of Catholics in society?

#### Answer:

The role of the Church in the world has taken different forms over time, but the theme is the same. Be disciples in it! As the lay faithful — that is, not vowed priest or religious — we are called to live and love in the circumstances of our daily lives. St. John Paul II wrote a document about the laity. In it he wrote, "In their situation in the world God manifests His plan and communicates to them their particular vocation of seeking the Kingdom of God by engaging in temporal affairs and by ordering them according to the plan of God" (On the Lay Members of Christ's Faithful, 15).

God wants us in the hospitals, the board rooms, the law offices, the food pantries, and the little league games! We are to engage in the affairs of the world. But when we're there, we should live the plan of God. We need to respect those around us, engage in just business and legal practices, and love our children. We should care for the earth, use our money wisely, and get to know our neighbors. We must advocate for social policies that respect human dignity and human freedom. No matter our state in life, we are invited to build the kingdom of God!



# Prayer

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## MASS INTENTIONS

Please join us in praying with these families.

Sunday 6/4 8:00 am † Antonio Mortel

- 10:00 am † Gonzalez Family
- † Mercedes Gonzalez
- † Judy Klenk
- † John Murray
- 12:00 pm † James Collins
- † Ann McGuirk
- † Janice Krantz
- † John J. Hogan

Monday 6/5 5:00 pm † Thomas P. Callahan

- † Avelino Aguilar
- † All Souls in the Purgatory

Tuesday 6/6 5:00 pm SI Bill, Kathy, & Sandi Terrio

- † Jeff Grimin
- † Juanito & Juanita Espiritu

Wednesday 6/7 5:00 pm SI Fr. Michael Reardon

- † Rolly Espiritu
- † Sid Diaz

Thursday 6/8 5:00 pm † Chessie Netka

- † Patricia Wilson
- † Greta Bowermaster

Friday 6/9 5:00 pm SI Espiritu Family  
SI Camagong Family

Saturday 6/10 8:00 am I Jocelyn Espiritu

5:00 pm B Sr. Brenda Mc C  
† Avelino Aguilar

Sunday 6/11 8:00 am B Nicholas Santos

10:00 am † Adelaida Vitug  
† John Murray  
† Antonio Mortel

12:00 pm † LaRae Boone  
† John J. Hogan



SI Special Intention B Birthday H Health I Illness  
T Thanksgiving † Rest in Peace A Anniversary

## Prayers for the Sick

Please remember these loved ones  
in Prayer

Catalina Villegas	Nancy Gallagher
Joseph Randazzo	Kathleen Shelley
Joanna Rebolo	Nicholas Ganem
Jennifer Cabrera Correa	Mark Butler
Ruby Robles	Pauline Dugan
Christine D'Angelo	Gene Dugan
Jerry Shultz	Allen Hardin
Aurora Tadic	Anna Marie
Alvaro Saldarriaga	Mike Hoff
Jean Marmion	Nick Hanten
Christine D'Angelo	Manny Palanca
Samuel Louise	Henrietta Gardea
Emma Martinez	Seulata Fetua

If you would like a loved one or yourself included, please submit via the form on our website [stcorneliuslb.org](http://stcorneliuslb.org)



# Community

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**Faith and Fiction - St. Cornelius Book Discussion Group.** The next meeting will be held Monday, June 19th in the Parish Center at 3:30. The book that will be discussed is The Scarlet Letter by Nathaniel Hawthorne. All are welcome to join.

**St. Vincent De Paul** - Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity - As we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity we also realize the mystery of how much God loves and cares for us each day. Believing in this our lives can then overflow in thanksgiving and praise. Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul poor box or green envelope will help the poor to believe in the mystery of God's love for them.

**Women together in Prayer** - May meetings - Thursday and 6/8 In the Chapel of the Parish Center.

Women coming together connecting to their faith through prayer, scripture, song, reflection, community, tears and laughter. One of the great things about praying is that it reflects the heart of God. A woman's strength and beauty root her in Christ's character. When a woman prays, something wonderful happens. Prayer changes things and people. Light snacks and refreshment will be available. For any questions, please contact Janet Uy (562) 922-0096

**YLI – a Catholic Women's Organization** - Faith must be an active experience! We are offering a way for women, 14 and older, to have a faith-filled place to meet and do all the following and more.... We pray We support our seminarians. We socialize, laugh, and eat together. We do good works to further specific and special causes. We take care of each other whenever there is a need. We are God's instruments to find more women like YOU to join us. YLI meets at St. Cornelius on the second Tuesday of the month in the small hall at 6:30 pm. We invite you to come find out more about this vibrant organization filled with charity and love. YLI has existed since 1887 when 3 young Catholic women got together to help a friend in need. We are now 6,000 women strong in 4 western states. Please come meet some amazing women who work very hard to support our church and make the world a better place. Become a member and experience a more active faith! For more information contact Colleen Smith 562-427-5745 or Stacy McCombs 562-547-5450. Next meeting June 13th.

## Respect life Ministry

### JUNE MONTH ONE

**Developing Baby Spiritual Adoption Program**  
“My heart started beating today!” During this first amazing month of life, the baby grows to 10,000 times his size at conception. He is totally dependent upon his mother. Between mother and child lies the vital organ called the placenta. Here vessels from mother and baby intertwine without joining, highlighting this newly formed relationship – mutual, nourishing and deeply connected. By the third week the baby’s tiny heart begins to beat. Pray that the Lord of Life might move the heart of the baby’s mother to give him the most precious gift of all -- the gift of life.

### Spiritual Adoption

Jesus, Mary and Joseph  
I love you very much.  
I beg you to spare the life  
of the unborn child that I  
have spiritually adopted who is  
in danger of abortion.  
-- Bishop Fulton J. Sheen

Baby's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(choose a name)

Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(9 months from today)





# Ministry

## Did you know? June 3-4 || Review swimming safety rules

If your children will be cooling off at local pools or the beach this summer, it is time to review some basic water safety rules. Make sure your children have been taught the basics of swimming and water survival skills and review those skills before you send them off. When you go to pools or the beach, consider appointing a rotating water watcher — an adult in charge of watching the water to make sure all the children are safe at all times. For more tips, visit <https://www.safekids.org/tip/swimming-safety-tips>.



## Bible Study Exploring the Gospel of Matthew Led by Fr. Jay

Last Session is Monday 6/5  
at 7:00 pm in the Small Hall

### Stewardship Report Week of 05/21

In-person Collection	\$11,412
E-giving (adj bi-weekly)	\$2,809
Total	\$14,221
Versus Budget	\$1,221

## Clergy and Parish Office

Parish Office, M-F 9:30 to 5:30

Weekends 9:00am to 2:00pm

Father Jay Cunnane - Pastor

Father George Reynolds - Associate Pastor

Deacon Joe Hamamoto

Deacon Rich Boucher

Linda Ramirez - Receptionist

Maria Carbonara - Media & Projects

Erik Landesfeind - Business Manager

Nancy Hayes - School Principal

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## Ministries and Fellowship Groups

Altar Servers	Al & Pilar Caceres	562.326.9768
Bereavement	Nancy Himes	562.928.2474
Book Club	Katy Ellis	562.607.1100
Caring Hands	Rachel Landesfeind	562.421.8966
Cub Scouts	Matt Siebert	562.756.7873
Choirs	Joe Patolo	562.421.8966
Cursillo	Dn Joe Hamamoto	562.572.3425
Eucharistic Ministers/ Lectors	Michele Bradley	562.964.4140
Hospital Ministry	Frank Schmidt	562.225.7571
Knights of Columbus	Victor Magana	562.420.3214
Lazarus Project	Rose Letson	562.755.0862
People for Others PFO	Jenny Davidoff	562.234.7043
Transportation	Sean Gunning	562.209.3051
RCIA	Lorraine Moreno	562.421.8966
Religious Education	Cristy Hull	562.362.6561
Respect Life	Jean Campos	562.421.8966
St. Vincent de Paul	Judith Martinez	
Safeguard the Children	Claudia Meza	562.421.8011
Ushers	Parish Office	562.421.8966
Weddings	Michael Moretine	562.420.4565
Quinceaneras	Maria Carbonara	562.421.8966
Youth Ministry & Confirmation	Maria Eugenia Cortez	562.421.8966
Y.L.I.	Luis Lopez	562.420.7613
	Colleen Smith or Stacy McCombs	562.427-5745 562.547-5450



## Paint & Date

Saturday June 24th from 7-9pm  
at the St. Cornelius Pavilion

Support our Young Adults  
Ministry for their trip to  
Lisbon, Portugal this summer  
for World Youth Day!



\$75 for two people, and \$50 for one person  
Appetizers, two glasses of wine, paint supplies, and  
a guided paint tutorial with an art instructor.



St. Cornelius Young Adults invite you to

## SAVE the DATE

World Youth Day  
Gala

July 8  
6pm to 10pm

Tickets  
One seat \$100  
Two seats \$160  
Table (8 seats) \$600



Congratulations Class of 2023  
St. Cornelius School 8th Grade Graduation

