

ANNUNCIATION CHURCH

1307 East Longden Avenue, Arcadia CA
www.annunciationchurch.net

LITURGIES

Saturday Evening Vigil

5:00 PM (English)

Sunday

8:00 AM (English)
10:00 AM (English)
12:00 PM (Español)
3:00 PM (Vietnamese)

Weekday Mass Schedule

8:30 AM

First Friday Schedule

8:30 AM Mass

Holy Days

Vigil: 7:00 PM
8:30 AM and 7:00 PM

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM
or by appointment



Pastor:

Rev. Freddie Chua

In Residence:

- Rev. Eugene Herbert (Pastor Emeritus)
- Msgr. Timothy O'Connell (Retired)



Sunday Readings

1st Reading:

Malachi 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10

2nd Reading:

1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9, 13

Gospel:

Matthew 23:1-12

**“Call no one on earth your father;
You have but one Father in heaven.
Do not be called “Master”; you
Have but one master, the Christ.”**

Matthew 23:9-10



31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 5, 2023

Parish Office

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Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

(Closed for lunch from 12:00—1:00 PM)

Office Manager: Ms. Christine Hunt Ext. 201

Receptionist: Mrs. Kathleen Trinaystich Ext. 202

For Baptism & Marriage inquiries, please contact the Parish Office

Office of Religious Education

Grades 1-8, Confirmation/Youth Ministry, Family Catechesis, Baptismal Preparation

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Pony Express Fun Fest This Weekend

It's finally here! Get your cowboy boots and hats on, and come on back to the Wild Wild West on Saturday, November 11th from 12pm-9pm for our Pony Express Fun Fest. We will be having at 11:30am for a Veterans Day Tribute in the Parish Hall.

This is your LAST WEEKEND to purchase Pre-Sale Food & Game tickets for the special price of 12 tickets for \$10. Food & Game tickets will be \$1 each ticket on day of. While you're at it, don't forget to purchase your raffle ticket for a chance to win the Grand Prize of \$2,000. Each Raffle Ticket is \$1.

Let's pony up, head'em up, move 'em out, and get ready for this hoedown! See you Saturday, November 11th!

Pony Express Fun Fest is from 12pm-9pm.



Look forward to our **LIVE ENTERTAINMENT** at the Pony Express Fun Fest on Saturday, November 11!

- ◆ 12:30pm - 1:30pm Wings of Heaven
- ◆ 2:00pm – 4:00pm Midnight Owls
- ◆ 4:30pm – 5:00pm Standage Family Band
- ◆ 5:00pm - 6:00pm DJ Matt
- ◆ 6:00pm – 8:00pm Radio Kingz
- ◆ 8:00pm - 9:00pm DJ Matt



Ready to bid on some **Silent Auction** items at the Pony Express Fun Fest? Make sure you visit the Silent Auction booth. Here are just a few things we're auctioning off. Silent Auction runs from 12pm-8:30pm on Saturday, November 11.

- ◆ Record Player with 2 records
- ◆ Henckels Premium Knife Set
- ◆ Women's Yoga Set
- ◆ Gardening Tools Set
- ◆ Coach Watch
- ◆ Michael Kors Purse
- ◆ KitchenAid Mixer
- ◆ Disney Resort Stay (5 day/4 night) - CA location not included
- ◆ And much, much more!



Christmas Play:

Auditions for "That Wonderful Night" will be held in the church on Tuesday, Nov. 28th from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Children of Annunciation parish (ages 5-18) are invited to audition for both speaking and non-speaking parts, as well as our singing choir. Teen and adult helpers are also needed backstage. This performance will take place at our Christmas Eve Family Mass at 4:00 p.m. We will have approximately 7 rehearsals on Tuesday nights and Saturday mornings. Please text Frances Luna at (626) 327-6147, Mark Lopez at (626) 417-8541 or Rita Renteria at (626) 673-9591 if you have any questions, or to sign up to audition to be a part of this annual tradition!

Audiciones e inscripciones para nuestro desfile aul de Nochebuena! Las audiciones de "Esa Maravillosa Noche" se llevarán a cabo en la iglesia el martes 28 de noviembre de 7:00 a 8:30 p.m. Los niños de la Parroquia de la Anunciación (de 5 a 18 años) están invitados a una audición para las partes orales y a inscribirse en en nuestro coro de canto y partes no orales. También se necesitan ayudantes adolescents y adultos detrás del escenario. Esta actuación tendrá lugar en Nochebuena antes de las 16:00 horas Misa familiar. Tedremos aproximadamente 7 ensayos. Texta a Frances Luna al (626) 327-6147 si tiene alguna pregunta y para inscribirse y hacer una audición para ser parte de esta Tradición Annual!



Senior Meeting:

Our Senior Group will meet on Monday, Nov. 6th from 11:30 to 1:30 p.m. in the front Conference Room of the Parish Office.

Attendees are asked to bring their own sandwich to this month's gathering.



SCRC Conference:

The Southern California Renewal Communities will present "The Life Beyond the Veil of Death" at St. Denis Parish Hall on Saturday, Nov. 25th from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Cost is \$20.00 per person through Nov. 20th, then \$25.00 thereafter. St. Denis Parish Hall is located at 2151 S. Diamond Bar Blvd. in Diamond Bar. Please call (818) 771-1361 to register or to ask questions.

Christian Service Center:

This year in November, we will be providing Thanksgiving funds for 160 families with residences, 4 homeless families and 90 homeless single adults. We are asking for your support to assure adequate funding to provide for our neighbors in need. Please make your donation by using the special envelope included in your monthly envelope package, or the blue envelope, being sure to check the box next to "Christian Service Center". Thank you very much!



Did You Know?

Assess your environment for safety

Safety awareness begins with paying attention to your surroundings. Mark your calendar or set a reminder on your phone to do periodic safety checks at home, in the office, and in places you and your children visit regularly. Safety risks could include dirty spaces, dangerous water heater settings, or structural risks like mold, stuck windows and blocked exits. For more information on assessing the safety of your spaces, read the VIRTUS article "Promoting Safety Awareness" at lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

Christmas Boutique:

Bishop Amat High School is hosting its first annual Christmas Boutique in the Msgr. Carroll Performing Arts Center **today, Nov. 5th through Wednesday, Nov. 8th** from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day. This is a great opportunity to find unique Christmas gifts and decorations—holiday baskets and home décor items will be offered. The Performing Arts Center is located at 14301 Fiargrove Ave. in La Puente (corner of Orange and Fairgrove Avenues).

Boy Scout News:

There is a Catholic-based Boy Scout Troop that meets on Thursdays at St Luke Church at 7:00 p.m. They are inviting boys aged 11-18 years old to join them. New members will receive \$100 credit toward summer camp 2024 or BSA 2024-2025 registration. Please contact either Tom Gomez (tgomez.troop167@gmail.com) or Ida Adisaputro (iadisaputro@yahoo.com) for information.



Mass Intentions

Monday, Nov. 6th

8:30 a.m. All Souls Novena

Tuesday, Nov. 7th

8:30 a.m. All Souls Novena

Wednesday, Nov. 8th

8:30 a.m. All Souls Novena

Thursday, Nov. 9th

8:30 a.m. All Souls Novena

Friday, Nov. 10th

8:30 a.m. All Souls Novena

Saturday, Nov. 11th Veterans Day

5:00 p.m. All Souls Novena

Sunday, Nov. 12th

8:00 a.m. RIP The Han Family Friends

10:00 a.m. S.I. Leo Evangelista

RIP Buensuceso Abadilla

George Murray

Jane Wittenauer

RIP Frances and Adna Saul

12:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 13th

8:30 a.m. RIP Daniel and Socorro Grecia

Tuesday, Nov. 14th

8:30 a.m. S.I. Nayda Aberdeen

Wednesday, Nov. 15th

8:30 a.m. RIP Petra and Lorenzo

Momblanco

Thursday, Nov. 16th

8:30 a.m. S.I. Claudia Stegmeier

Friday, Nov. 17th

8:30 a.m. RIP Rose Marie Yerro Tugnao

Saturday, Nov. 18th

5:00 p.m. S.I. The Parishioners of

Annunciation

Sunday, Nov. 19th

8:00 a.m. S.I. The Han Family

Cecile and Dzung Mai

RIP Maria K. Vu

Francisco Evangelista

S.I. The Parishioners of

Annunciation

10:00 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.



Position Opening In Parish Office:

Our Parish Office Manager will be retiring at the end of this calendar year, creating an opening for this full-time position. Responsibilities includes but not limited to: ensuring a smooth operation of the Parish Office, interacting with individuals who contact the office, composing the weekly church bulletin and petitions, assisting ministries requests for meeting rooms, events, etc., coordinating with the Archdiocese, insurance questions, Vicar for Clergy items, etc., initiating repair and maintenance of property by contacting external vendors. Requirements include: fully bi-lingual in English and Spanish, experience in dealing with the public, computer skills to include Microsoft 365 Office and Quickbooks, excellent organizational skills, trustworthiness and prioritization of workload. Education must include a high school degree at a minimum; some college preferred. Working hours are Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Ideally, this position will start in late December, but interviews are being scheduled now. If you would like additional information, please contact the Parish Office during business hours.

Job Opening at FPRC:

Foothills Pregnancy Resource Center has an opening for a Clinic Nurse Manager. You will work directly with clients and provide medical services on behalf of the organization, with oversight by an offsite medical doctor. Please contact FPRC at (626) 358-2122 directly for additional information or submit your resume and one-page cover letter to: Ms. Lori Berg, Executive Director, at: lberg@foothillsprc.org.

Open House at Santa Teresita:

Come experience the joy of Santa Teresita! They will be hosting an Open House in their Assisted Living quarters on Sunday, Nov. 12 from 11:15 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Tour their Assisted Living Community, learn more about the services offered and view the floor plans at Good Shepherd and Cristo Rey Cottage. Please contact them at (626)734-2102, or via e-mail at: rceadmissions@santateresita-inc.com. They are located at 819 Buena Vista Street in Duarte.

Scrip is on sale following the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m Masses every Sunday and in the Parish Office during business hours.



Last Week's Offertory Collections

Oct. 29, 2023: \$ 5,472.00

Last Year: \$ 5,339.00

Online Giving: \$ 1,530.00

TOGETHER IN MISSION - 2023

Parish Goal: \$ 46,635.00

Amount Pledged: \$ 59,565.31

Amount Paid: \$ 56,383.85

Difference OVER Amount Paid

\$ 9,748.85

ONLINE GIVING

Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.
2 Corinthians 9:7

Make your online donation here.



PONY EXPRESSES



FUN FEST

NOVEMBER 11, 2023

12PM-9PM

with a special dedication to our Veterans at 11:30 am

FOOD ♦ GAMES ♦ LIVE MUSIC
RAFFLES ♦ AUCTIONS
BEER & WINE

Annunciation Church

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Hosted by Annunciation Youth Ministry
 For More Information Contact
 Religious Education Office
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Please Pray For:

Jean Kusnierz,
 Mark Brown,
 and
 all who are ill



*Lord,
 Protect Them*

**Navy
 Army
 Marines
 Air Force
 Coast Guard
 Border Control**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, Nov. 5th	Monday, Nov. 6th	Tuesday, Nov. 7th	Wednesday, Nov. 8th	Thursday, Nov. 9th	Friday, Nov. 10th Veterans Day (Observed)	Saturday, Nov. 11th Veterans Day
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 8:30 am (B1,C1,C2) Confirmation Classes * 8:30 am (B2) 10:00 am Choir * 10:00 am (CH) Dismissal * 11:00 am (H,HK) FAITH Formation * 12:00 pm (OC1,B1,C1,C2) Eucharistic Youth * 12:00 pm (OC1,OC2) Sacred Heart/Mary Group * 2:00 pm (H,HK) Viet. All Souls Feast 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 11:30 am (OC1) Senior Group * 2:00 pm (OC1) Bereavement Meeting * 4:00 pm (OC1) Rosary Prayer Group * 5:30 pm (CH) Grupo de Oración * 6:00 pm (OC2) Spanish Youth Prayer Group * 7:00 pm (OC1) Spanish Adult Formation * 7:00 pm (H,HK) REMA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 9:15 am (PC) Meditation Group * 10:00 am (H,HK) Pearl GP Day Setup * 6:00 pm (B2) 10:00am Choir * 6:30 pm (OC2,OC5,OC7,OK) Spanish Bible Study * 7:00 pm (B1,C1) Family Catechesis * 7:00 pm (OC1) Pastoral Council 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 10:00 am (H,HK) Pearl GP Day Setup * 5:00 pm (B2) 8:00 Choir * 6:00 pm (B2) 10:00 Choir * 7:00 pm (OC1) Divine Mercy Prayer Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 7:00 am (H,HK) Pearl GP Day * No R.E. or Y.M. * 3:00 pm (H,HK,B1,C1,C2, SPL) Pony Express Fun Fest Setup * 6:00 pm (B2) 12:00 pm Choir * 6:30 pm (OC1) Pastorela Play Practice * 7:00 pm (B2) Intercession Prayer Ministry Chorus Practice 	<p>All Offices Closed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 8:00 am (H,HK,B1,C1,C2 ,SPL) Pony Express Fun Fest Setup * 7:00 pm (OC1) Encuentro Matrimonial 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 12:00 pm (H,HK,B1,C1,C2, SPL) Pony Express Fun Fest * 5:00 pm (OC1,OC2,OK) Couples for Christ
<p>KEY B1,C1, C2- Meeting Room B2 - Music Room CH - Church H - Hall HK - Hall Kitchen ORE - Religious Education Office</p>						<p>OC1, OC2 - Office Conference Room OK - Office Kitchen PC - Parish Chapel RP - Rectory Patio</p>