

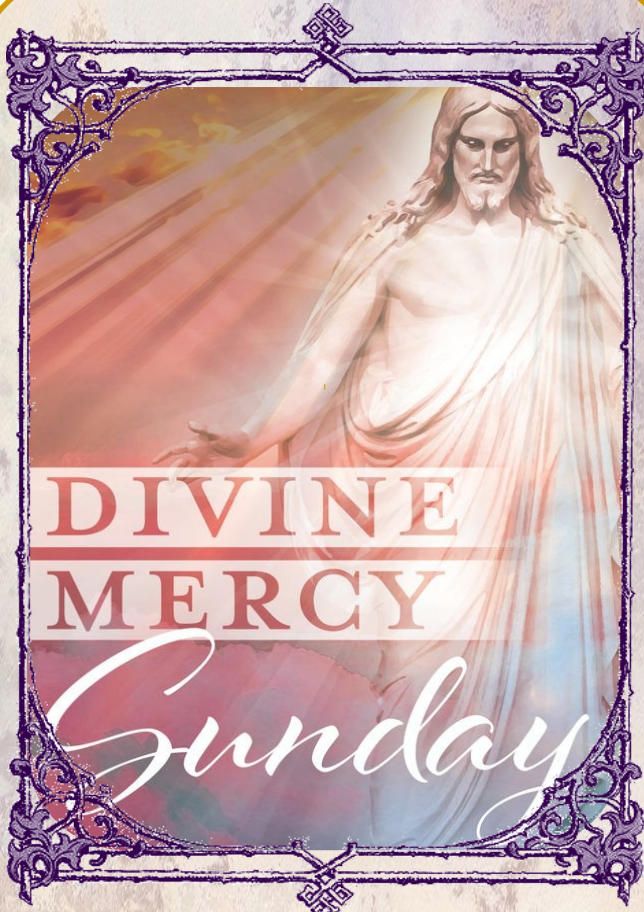


SAINT AGNES CHURCH

1140 EVERGREEN ST., SAN DIEGO, CA 92106

April 12, 2026

Second Sunday of Easter



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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday Closed.**

**Tues-Friday 9:30am-4:00pm
Closed for Lunch from Noon-1:00pm**

**SCHOOL OF RELIGION: (619) 840-4241
PARISH WEBSITE: www.saint-agnes.org**

Parish Schedule

MASS TIMES

**Saturday
4:30pm**

Vigil of Sunday

FIRST Saturday of the month ONLY-8:00am

Sunday

**8:00am-Live Streamed, 11:00am, 5:30pm
5:30pm-Bilingual Mass (Portuguese-English)
Last Sunday of the Month**

Daily

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday:
7:30am**

**Tuesday, Thursday:
5:30pm**

**ADORATION: Every Friday
8:00am-12:00pm
Every first Saturday,
8:30am-9:30 am.**

**CONFESSIONS: Saturday from
3:15pm-4:15pm
or by appointment only.**

**BAPTISM: Make arrangements three
months in advance.
Please call the Parish Office
at 619-223-2200.**

MARRIAGES: Please contact the Priest



OCIA
Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is already concluded and will resume in August of 2026. For more information please call the Parish Office at (619) 223-2200.



2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER

Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." - Jn 20:29

From the Desk of the Pastor

HE IS RISEN! ALLELUIA!

The Resurrection of Jesus calls us to celebrate victory forever. He is victorious over death, never to die again. He defeated the power of the ultimate enemy which is death. It is triumph over death. Love and life now triumph. He defeated death by the power of God's love, the only true power. His Resurrection reveals a love that will never die. Death has no power over Him anymore. His victory is the foundation of our faith. If Christ has not risen our faith is meaningless. Faith is that deep conviction that God is with us every step of the way. The word Easter means the East because the sun rises in the East bringing light, warmth and hope. Easter is the symbol for the rising Christ who is the true light of the world, the light that dispels darkness. We are Easter people because we share in the victory of Jesus. His Resurrection is our resurrection too. Death has no power over us anymore. Darkness and death do not have the last word. Death is not and can never be the end. God alone has the last and ultimate word. His love will ultimately prevail. Our God is a God of the living not of the dead. His love is stronger than death, greater than our betrayals, infidelities, guilt and failings. He will never give up on His creation. He is never tired of loving and forgiving us. No one can frustrate God's plan to save us.

The Resurrection of Jesus is the resurrection for all humanity because He is the head of all humanity. Where the head goes, the body follows. His Resurrection is our hope and our Christian hope is not an empty hope but a confident hope because He defeated evil, sin and death forever. The Church is the physical presence of Christ in our tormented world today where we have culture of death and globalization of indifference. Therefore, as we celebrate this great celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus, we are called to be partners of God, to be life givers and responsible stewards of creation. We are called to continue His work restoring goodness in ourselves, in others and in creation. It is a call to change and change radically. We are called to live fearless lives and bring harmony, peace, joy and love into the world. Happy Easter!



- Monday, April 13**
7:30am †James & Lulu Lira
- Tuesday, April 14**
5:30pm †The living & Deceased Members of the Dellenbach, Keltner, Ferreira & Silva Families
- Wednesday, April 15**
7:30am †Brenda Lucas & Julio Simoes
- Thursday, April 16**
5:30pm †Alvaro Ferreira
- Friday, April 17**
7:30pm †Eddie & Marie Melo
- Saturday, April 18**
4:30pm †Arnold Neves Jr.
- Sunday, April 19**
8:00am †Manuel & Maria Neves
11:00am Crowning Mass-Giaquinto Family
5:30pm †Jose Vitorino Silva



Mass Intentions for the Week

March 29, 2026

Sunday Collection	AMOUNT
Envelope	\$ 3,896.25
Online Giving	\$ 896.90
Total	\$ 4,793.15
Parish Development Fund: 3/29/2026	
PDF	\$ 215.00
PDF Online Giving	\$ 17.50
Total	\$ 232.50
Holy Thursday Collection 4/2	\$ 209.20
Good Friday Collection 4/3	\$ 493.00

Your generous donations to the Parish Development Fund (PDF) help support the upkeep and maintenance of our church and outlying buildings. PDF is also used for basic furniture and equipment needs to run the parish.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun 4/12	Mon 4/13	Tues 4/14	Wed 4/15	Thurs 4/16	Fri 4/17	Sat 4/18
<u>Easter Masses</u> 8:00am-Live Streamed, 11:00am, 5:30pm	<u>Mass</u> 7:30am	<u>Mass</u> 5:30pm	<u>Mass</u> 7:30am Vocation Rosary 7:05am	<u>Mass</u> 5:30pm	<u>Friday Mass</u> 7:30am	<u>Mass</u> 4:30pm



**In Celebration of the
First Weekly Coronation
April 19, 2026**

*In tribute to the Divino Espirito Santo
and Queen Saint Isabel of Portugal
for the 115th Festa do Espirito Santo*

Mr. & Mrs. Rocco Giaquinto and Family
Cordially invite you to join their family
in the celebration of Mass
In honor and devotion to the Holly Spirit
and Queen Saint Isabel of Portugal

Queen Kennedy Rose da Luz
Lady Bree Lynn Cerney
Lady Illeana Nicole Cruz

WE ARE CALLED
to transform and change!



Saint Agnes Book Club

The St Agnes Book Club Choice
for March 2026 is:

Waiting for A Miracle:
One Mother's Journey to Unshakeable Faith
By Cyndis Peterson, M.D.

We will meet on Wednesday
evening, March 18, 2026
at 7:00 p.m. and/or
Thursday morning,
March 19, 2026 at
10 a.m. in the Parish Center.
All are welcome!

The Portuguese Historical Center (PHC) is proud to announce that four (4) Scholastic Scholarships will be awarded in 2026. Each scholarship has unique eligibility requirements, so applicants are encouraged to review them carefully before applying. Applications can be downloaded by going to PHCSanDiego.com. Completed applications must be submitted no later than June 30, 2026.

2026 **APPLY NOW**

PHC Scholastic Scholarships

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- MARIA "ZECA" RODRIGUES MEMORIAL - \$1,000

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COMMODITIES

The next food distribution
will be in the Parish
Teen Center on:

Thursday, April 23, 2026, 8:30-10:00
Food Distribution needs more volunteers to help
distribute food to families on the 4th Thursday
of each month from 7:00 AM- 10:00 AM.



Baptism News



The next baptism workshops
will be on Tuesday, **May 5th**
at 7:30pm, in the school behind the church.
Please call Jeanette Finete at 619-224-7562
a week before the class to
confirm your attendance.

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month: In 2025, more than 525,000 children were victims of abuse and neglect. In addition to that, there was an "alarming" spike in AI-related child sexual exploitation reports soaring from 6,835 to over 440,000 according to the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children. Please help prevent child abuse in our families and communities and bring hope and healing to harmed children and families. Learn more this month about ways to recognize the signs of abuse and take action including prayer, by joining our campaign on all Diocesan social media sites, #sandiegochildabuseprotection2026 and at sd catholic.org/child-and-youth-protection/.

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