

**THIRD SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME  
JANUARY 22, 2023**

314 Marine Ave.  
Balboa Island, CA  
92662

# St. John Vianney Chapel

## Sunday Eucharist

**Saturday (Sunday Vigil).....5:00 p.m.**

**Sunday.....8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.**

## Weekday Eucharist

Monday through Friday.....7:45 a.m.

Holy Days.....7:45 a.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Usually the fourth day of every month.

Check the bulletin for confirmation of date.

**Rosary** .....Monday through Friday 7:15 a.m.

## Parish Administration

**Rev. Kenneth A. Schmit, Administrator**

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**Rev. Msgr. Lawrence J. Baird, P.A., Retired**

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**Deacon Patrick Bartolic**

**Parish Secretary: Joanne Shaw (949) 673-3801**

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**St. Vincent de Paul Society (949) 673-3775 x7**

## Celebrations and Sacraments

Please call or email the parish office for details regarding:

Weddings, Funerals, and Baptisms (advance preparation required.)



### Bereavement Ministry

Alanna Psomas

### Eucharistic Ministers

Dick Dickson

### Knights of Columbus

Mark Oravitz

### Lectors

Carrie Young

### Director of Music

Lawrence Kolakowski

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### Respect Life

Peggie Parrott

### Ushers

Gary Jennison

### Wedding Coordinator

Diane Lewis

### Women's Guild

Leslie Gifford

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK January 23 through January 29

Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1-6; Mk 3:22-30,  
Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35  
Wednesday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2;  
Mk 16:15-18  
Thursday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10;  
Mk 4:21-35  
Friday: Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34  
Saturday: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-75; Mk 4:35-41  
Sunday: Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; Ps 146:6-10;  
1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12a

## THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS OF SAINTS AND OTHER OBSERVANCES

Monday: Day of Prayer for the Legal  
Protection of Unborn  
Children; St. Vincent;  
St. Marianne Cope  
Tuesday: St. Francis de Sales  
Wednesday: The Conversion of  
St. Paul;  
Thursday: Ss. Timothy and Titus  
Friday: St. Angela Merici  
Saturday: St. Thomas Aquinas



### *STATUE OF OUR LADY*

The Chapel's blessed Statue of Our Lady is being shared with families in our parish.

**Sherylle Chiu and Family hosted our Lady this week.**

Would you like to host our Blessed Mother in your home for a week and commit to pray at least one decade of the Rosary for the intentions of our priests and Chapel?

Text **ADRIANA FARFAN** at  
**(949) 400-9136.**

### *Mark your calendar...*

- January 30 - 13 Week Grief Share Ministry begins at OLMC
- February 17 -19 Women's Retreat at Sacred Heart Retreat House
- February 23 - SJV Guild's Day of Recollection at the Chapel
- March 14 - Balboa Island Concert Series
- March 15 - SJV Guild Retreat at St. Michael's Abbey

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**signup.FORMED.org**  
and enter parish zip code  
**92661** then choose **OLMC**,  
**Enter your name and email,**  
then **"sign in"**

### **Please note...**

Tax Donation Letters for parishioners who have contributed \$250.00 or more in 2022 to St. John Vianney are automatically mailed out by January 31, 2023. If you do not receive one by the end of the month or if you would like a donation letter regardless of the dollar amount for tax purposes please contact the Chapel office at (949) 673-3801.

As a reminder, your 2022 tax donation letter will NOT include any donations made through Faith Direct. Those totals will come under separate cover directly from Faith Direct.



### **Prayer to Begin the Day**

#### **Respect for Life Prayer**

O God, our eyes behold the beauty of your creation,  
and our ears catch the sounds of your power.

We hold our lives sacred because they are your gift.

Bring us to greater awareness of the sanctity of human life  
and to sorrow for the times we have ignored or offended it.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.



**St. John Vianney Guild's  
Annual Retreat at  
St. Michael's Abbey  
Wednesday, March 15, 2023  
9:00 am - 3:30 pm  
Cost: \$40.00**

A wonderful opportunity for all women to attend a one day Lenten Retreat at St. Michael's Abbey in beautiful Silverado Canyon.

Morning refreshments provided along with coffee, tea, and water throughout the day. **Please bring your own lunch. Please make your reservation by sending your check to:**

**Nancy Bushnell  
98 White Cap Lane,  
Newport Coast, CA 92657**

Carpooling is encouraged. For directions and any questions please call Nancy Bushnell at (949) 683-0873 or Carole Crowley at (949) 230-1219.



**HAVE YOU NEVER RECEIVED THE  
SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION?**

If you are a **baptized** Catholic over the age of 18 and, for any reason have not received the **Sacrament of Confirmation**, this may be the perfect time to seriously think about **completing your Sacraments**.

**Weekly Preparation Classes** for the **Sacraments of Confirmation and/or Holy Eucharist** for **Catholic Adults** begin on **Tuesday evening, February 14**, and continue through **Tuesday, May 9 (7:30-9:00 PM)** at OLMC in O'Donnell Hall. The Sacraments will be received at the **Vigil of Pentecost Mass on Saturday, May 27**.

Classes are also open to any adult interested in a refresher course in the basic teachings of the Catholic church.

Pre-registration is necessary by calling the OLMC Parish Office at **(949) 673-3775 (Ext 3)**.

For more information, contact, **Greg Kelley**, Director of Adult Faith Formation, at **(949) 645-4540** or **nbolmc@aol.com**



**GriefShare Ministry  
is coming to  
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church.**

GriefShare is a grief support and sharing group providing help and encouragement for those who have lost a loved one. If you are 18 or older and grieving the loss of a family member or loved one, GriefShare is a welcoming space of support and community. No one can ever fully understand the weight that you bear when you lose a loved one but having a community of people around you who can relate and journey with you through this process is important.

OLMC GriefShare Ministry will meet **weekly, for 13 weeks, beginning on Monday, January 30th from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Downstairs in O'Donnell Hall. There is no charge and you do not have to attend all sessions.**

If you are interested please call the St. John Vianney Chapel office at (949) 673-3801 or the Our Lady of Mt. Carmel office at (949) 673-3775 ext. 3 to register.



**MASS FOR THE PROTECTION OF  
UNBORN CHILDREN**

**Tomorrow evening, January 23**, beginning at **7:00 PM** in the **Arboretum**, on the Christ Cathedral Campus.

Principal Celebrant: **Bishop Kevin Vann.**



**WOMEN'S RETREAT**

All ladies are invited to a retreat the weekend of February 17 - 19, 2023 with the **Carmelite Sisters** at the **Sacred Heart Retreat House in Alhambra**. Please register on line at: **[www.sacredheartretreathouse.com](http://www.sacredheartretreathouse.com)**

For more information contact Jill Wondries at: **[wonjill8@yahoo.com](mailto:wonjill8@yahoo.com)**



**SAVE THE DATE!!**

**Day of Recollection at  
St. John Vianney Chapel  
Thursday, February 23**

**GOD'S LOVING CARE**

Two readings today refer to the northeast region of ancient Israel: "the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali." Upon hearing these names, some of us might consult maps and determine exactly where these regions lie. Others might let the unfamiliar names drift by unnoticed. If no maps are handy—but we don't want to ignore the references completely—consider this: we might not know the latitude and longitude of Zebulun and Naphtali, but God does. We praise God for watching over every inch of land and sea, caring perfectly for each creature on the planet. While Isaiah celebrates the depth of God's care with "abundant joy and great rejoicing," Saint Paul begs us to remember how the Lord shows this loving care: through the cross. In today's Gospel, Jesus calls Peter, James, and John to follow him. We follow too, confident that God accompanies us, wherever we are.