

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND
BLOOD OF CHRIST
JUNE 22, 2025**

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: The first Monday of every month.
(Check the bulletin for confirmation of date and time.)

RosaryMonday through Friday 7:15 a.m.

For Mass times while traveling, visit: www.masstimes.org

Parish Administration

Rev. Msgr. Douglas Cook, J.C.L, Pastor

Rev. Gabriel Atidoo, Parochial Vicar

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

Rev. Louis Hager, O. Praem

Deacon Patrick Bartolic

Parish Secretary: Joanne Shaw (949) 673-3801

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St. Vincent de Paul Society (949) 673-3775 ext.7

Celebrations and Sacraments

**Please call or email the parish office for details regarding:
Weddings, Funerals, and Baptisms (advance preparation required.)**



Eucharistic Ministers

Dick Dickson

Knights of Columbus

Chuck Baur

Lectors

Carrie Young

Director of Music

Dr. Olga Spriggs

Ushers

Gary Jennison

Wedding Coordinator

Diane Lewis

SJV Guild President

Mary Vanis

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
June 23 through June 29

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

Monday: Gn 12:1-9 Ps 33:12-13, 18-20,22 Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday: Is 49:1-6 Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15 Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80
Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18 Ps 105:1-4,6-9 Mt 7:15-20
Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 Ps 106:1b-5 Mt 7:21-29
Friday: Ez 34:11-16 Ps 23:1-6 Rom 5:5b-11 Lk 15:3-7
Saturday: Gn 18:1-15 Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55 Mt 8:5-17
Sunday: Acts 12:1-11 Ps 34:20-9 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 Mt 16:13-19

Tuesday 6/24 - The Nativity of St.
John the Baptist

Thursday 6/26 - Msgr. Cook's Birthday

Friday 6/27 - The Most Sacred Heart
of Jesus

Saturday 6/28 - The Immaculate Heart
of the Blessed Virgin Mary;
St. Irenaeus, Bishop,
Martyr & Doctor of the Church



STATUE OF OUR LADY
The Blessed Statue of Our Lady
is being shared with families in our
Chapel.

**Otilia Chen
hosted
Our Lady this week.**

Would you like to host our
Blessed Mother in your home for a
week and commit to praying the ro-
sary daily and offer one decade for
the intentions of our priests and
Chapel? **Text Adriana Farfan at:**
(949) 400-9136 or email her at
afarfan@pacificsir.com

Mark your calendar...

July 4 - Independence Day
(Chapel office closed)

July 25 - BIIA Summer Concert in the
park on Agate Ave. at 6:00 pm

Do you know... (answer on next page)
Who is called the patron saint of mis-
sions even though she never left her
convent?

Rest in Peace



*Connie
Clara*



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

The Holy Sacrifice of
the Mass may be offered for many
reasons, including the repose of
the soul of a loved one, the inten-
tions of living persons in need, up-
on the occasions of someone's
birthday or anniversary, and in
thanksgiving for blessings re-
ceived.

An offering is traditionally in-
cluded with the request for Mass
intentions. Mass cards are availa-
ble to give to the person for whom
the Mass is offered or their family.

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at (949) 673-3801 or email:
jshaw@olmc.net**

**RECENTLY BAPTIZED
at
ST. JOHN VIANNEY
CHAPEL**



**Marie
Elizabeth
McBride**



SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST: JUNE 24

There are only three "biological" birth-days celebrated in the Church's annual Liturgical calendar: (1) Jesus on December 25, nine months after the feast of the Annunciation-Incarnation on March 25; (2) the Blessed Virgin Mary on September 8, nine months after the feast of the Immaculate Conception on December 8; and (3) St. John the Baptist on June 24, six months before the birth of Jesus. Otherwise saints' feast days are normally celebrated on the day of their death, their "birthday" into eternal life.

St. Augustine found the date (near the summer solstice) appropriate, for after the birth of John, daylight begins to grow shorter, whereas after Jesus' birth, (near the winter solstice) it begins to increase. It was John the Baptist referring to Jesus, the Light of the world, who stated: "*He must increase, but I must decrease.*" (John 3:30):

John was a contemporary of his cousin, Jesus. John was known for evangelization and his baptizing of Our Lord. John was born through the intercession of God to his elderly parents, Zachariah and Elizabeth, who were otherwise too old to bear children.

According to Scriptures, the Angel Gabriel visited Elizabeth and Zachariah to tell them they would have a son and that they should name him John. Zachariah was skeptical and for this he was rendered mute until the time his son was born and named John, in fulfillment of God's will. When Elizabeth was six months pregnant with John, she was visited by Mary, and John "leapt in her womb," revealing to Elizabeth that the Child Mary was carrying was to be the Son of God.

John began public ministry around 30 AD, and attracted large crowds. When Jesus came to him to be baptized, John recognized Him and said, "It is I who need baptism from You." John instructed his followers to turn to Christ, calling Him the "Lamb of God" and these people were among the first Christians.



Do you know someone who is unable to attend Mass?

Please let us know about any sick and homebound parishioners who would like to have a visit from Msgr. Cook or Fr. Gabriel and/or receive Holy Communion at home.

Please call the Chapel office at (949) 673-3801 and provide us with their contact information.



Join us for coffee and donuts on the patio after the 8:00 am & 9:30 am Masses every Sunday.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DRIVE

The Balboa Council of the Knights of Columbus' Annual Fundraising Drive for the **Intellectually Disabled** is taking place **this weekend of June 21 and 22.**

After each Mass, the Knights will be accepting donations which directly benefit **Re-Creation Camp**, a residential camp program, in operation since 1978, for adults and special needs children in Orange County. The camp provides participants opportunities for fun, social interaction and spiritual growth while providing a respite for parents and caregivers.



ARE YOU, OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW, INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC – OR WOULD YOU LIKE A REFRESHER COURSE IN THE FAITH?

If you've ever had an interest in joining the Catholic Church or were never Confirmed and would like to prepare for the reception of Baptism, Profession of Faith, Confirmation, **and/or** Holy Eucharist at the 2026 Easter Vigil Mass next April or would like a refresher course in the basic teachings of the Church, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel is offering a series of weekly classes beginning on Wednesday **September 3, 2025**, from 7:00 to 8:30 PM. The process is called **OCIA** or the **Order of Christian Initiation for Adults**, formerly called **RCIA**.

For more information and any questions about the program, contact Director of OLMC Adult Education and Faith Formation, **Greg Kelley**, at **(949) 645-4540**.



OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL BLOOD DRIVE

In O'Donnell Hall on Saturday, **July 26**, from **9:00 AM–3:00 PM**. Walk-ins are welcome but if you would like to set an appointment please visit: **sandiegobloodbank.org/donate**



Summer Travels?

When your vacation takes you away from Mass on the island, eGiving lets you continue to support Saint John Vianney. You can sign up from your computer, smartphone or tablet, and set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift. Sign up today by visiting: **www.faith.direct/ca864**. Thank you for your continued support of our Chapel.

Answer to question on previous page: St. Therese of Lisieux. (In addition, St. Francis Xavier is also considered a patron saint of missions due in part for his extensive travels and work in Asia.)