

SAINT GREGORY  
THE GREAT  
CATHOLIC CHURCH



**The Holy Family**

**The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom;  
and the favor of God was upon him. Lk 2:40**

**December 31, 2023**





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## **WELCOME TO ST. GREGORY THE GREAT CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**

**We are a vibrant, faithful, Eucharistic Community  
who bring people to Christ and send  
them out to transform the world.**

**PASTOR: Fr. Bart Landry, C.S.P.  
ASSOC PASTOR: Fr. Jerry Tully, C.S.P.  
PRESIDER: Fr. James Rafferty  
DEACONS: Ron H. Diem,  
Doug Pingel, Dom Guzzardo**

### **MASS TIMES**

**Weekdays: 8:00am**

**Weekends:**

**Saturday 5:00pm**

**Sunday 7:30am,**

**9:00am, (Signed for the deaf)**

**11:00am,**

**5:00pm (Youth Mass)**

### **SACRAMENTS & LITURGY**

**Reconciliation: Saturday 4-4:45pm**

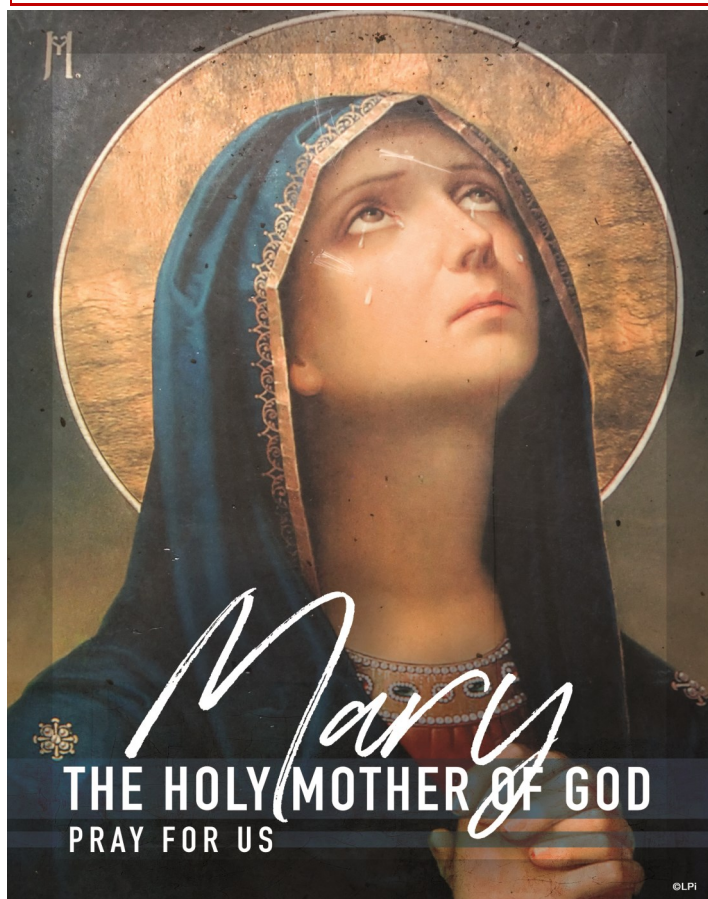
**And by appointment 858-653-3540**

**Adoration: Every 2nd and 4th**

**Thursday of the month (24 hours)**

**First Friday of Month Mass: Noon**

**Livestream Masses: [www.stgg.org](http://www.stgg.org)**



**Celebrate Mary,**

**The Mother of God**

**On January 1, 2024**

**At our 9:00am Mass**

**Take time to honor our  
Blessed Mother with great  
reverence and devotion**

**because she is**

**The Mother of God.**

**Mary is the model of perfect  
love and obedience to Christ.**

## SAVE THE DATE:

Saturday January 20th, 2024 from 8:00 am to 12:30 PM  
**MEN'S MORNING OF PRAYER AND REFLECTION**

**"An Attitude  
of Gratitude"**

Want to start the New Year off Spiritually with a deeper and closer relationship with God? The Connection 2 Christ Ministry and the Knights of Columbus will be hosting STGG's Men's Morning of Prayer and Reflection. Join us in the Parish Hall for Fellowship and to Pray, Sing, Share, and Reflect on how to grow a closer relationship with our Lord. For all Men of STGG Parish Community, 18 to 100+.

Sign-ups will be January 6-7, 2024 after all the Masses. For more information call Bill Carpenter at 858-922-3532 or email: [bill.carpenter58@yahoo.com](mailto:bill.carpenter58@yahoo.com).

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## Mass Intentions

**Dec 30-Jan 5, 2024**

<b>Sat.,</b> 5:00pm <b>(2)</b>	<b>Dec 30</b> Danny Harris † Ed and Estella Salvador SI
<b>Sun.,</b> 7:30am <b>(2)</b>	<b>Dec 31</b> Catalino and Zenaida DeLeon † The Murillo Family SI Eduardo Anacleto †
9:00am 11:00am 5:00pm	Mass for the People † Mass for the People †
<b>Mon.,</b> 9:00am <b>(1)</b>	<b>Jan 1</b> Mass for the People †
<b>Tues.,</b> 8:00am	<b>Jan 2</b> Mass for the People †
<b>Wed.,</b> 8:00am <b>(1)</b>	<b>Jan 3</b> James DeLa Fuente †
<b>Thurs.,</b> 8:00am <b>(1)</b>	<b>Jan 4</b> Mass for the People †
<b>Fri.,</b> 8:00am <b>(1)</b> Noon <b>(1)</b>	<b>Jan 5</b> Mass for the People † Mass for the People †



Please  
accept  
our  
heartfelt

condolences for the loss of  
your loved one:

**Jane Swift**

**MAY SHE REST IN GOD'S**

## Sick List

**Hank Evans, Danielle Americano,  
Marlon and Darwin Valera, Nicole  
Martorano, Anne Lintner,  
Tyler Gouslin, Bill Gouslin,  
Mark Turfler, Ron Nauman,  
John Sayavong**

### 7 DAY CANDLES

**For the Special Intentions of:**

**All Active Military  
Suzan Gottlieb  
Rebecca Amundson  
The Gouslin Family  
Marcel and Ann Schuller  
STGG Family Cancer  
Support Ministry  
Christina & Michael DiMattina**

### Prayers for our Military

We pray and give thanks for all  
those who have served or are  
actively serving, and their families.





**Knights of  
Columbus®**

The Knights of Columbus's monthly meeting will be on Jan 2th from 7-8:00pm, in the Parish Hall. All Knights and Candidates are invited.

Please plan to attend as many important items are to be discussed and/or voted on. Raffle to take place for all in attendance. For more info, reach out to Grand Knight Bill Carpenter [bill.carpenter58@yahoo.com](mailto:bill.carpenter58@yahoo.com) or 858-922-3632



**St. Gregory the Great Women's Book Club will be meeting on Monday, Jan 8th at 7:pm in the Nursery. Start the new year off by joining this fantastic group! For more info, click the link @ [www.stgg.org](http://www.stgg.org)**



**Thank you to the following families for donating Christmas Flowers for the Special Intentions and in honor of their Beloved Deceased:**

**Marion Schumka Patricia Cribbs**

**Nena Poblete Eli Darron**

**Ted & Lorraine Flora**

**Anastacia Fernandez**

**Margaret Lynn**



**“Glorious” – a word often used by Msgr. Micheal Gallagher to describe many wonderful and celebrated events.**

His Irish brogue, strong enough to fill a room and blue eyes soft enough to see through any heart needing to feel loved. Now back home in Ireland, on the farm where he grew up and surrounded by family, his niece reports that he has already been mischievous – “good form Micheal, good form”. He often walks down to his brothers’ house to watch Highland Games, Irish football, and hurling. He reports that it has been raining often and “fishing is not the best”. On those days, he turns to another one of his passions – reading. Friends have sent him new publications, books, and cooking magazines to keep him supplied with news and information from here in the States. With Christmas approaching, Monsignor asks us to continue praying for him – as he will continue to pray for all of us.

**What a blessing to know that halfway around the world, our beloved Irish priest continues to Pray for all of us.**





Welcome to  
our newest  
Parishioners  
and their  
family:  
We are so  
glad you are  
here!

Jean and Kaliris Roque  
Tyler and Christina Rudolph  
New? Click to Join  
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### **Sacrificial Giving:**

**Dec 17th, 2023**  
**Church: \$18,925.95**  
**Online : \$19,396.45**  
**\$38,322.45**

**Due to early bulletin submission, the  
collection total for December 24th will be  
posted in the Jan 7th bulletin.**

### **Parish Office Holiday Hours**



**Jan 1, 2024**  
**Office Closed**

### **Readings for the Week of:**

**Jan 1-7, 2024**

**Monday:** Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8  
(2a)/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 2:22-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab,  
3cd-4/Jn 1:19-28

**Wednesday:** 1 Jn 2:29—3:6/Ps 98:1,  
3cd-4, 5-6/Jn 1:29-34

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 3:7-10/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9/  
Jn 1:35-42

**Friday:** 1 Jn 3:11-21/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/  
Jn 1:43-51

**Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-  
15, 19-20/Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or  
3:23, 31-34, 36, 38

**Next Sunday:** Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8,  
10-11, 12-13/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12



**Cathedral Catholic High  
School invites 8th grade  
students to apply for the  
Don's Class of 2028.**

**Applications are available  
now, and due January 27,  
2024. Cathedral Catholic is hosting the  
Placement Test on January 27,  
2024. Visit the school's website  
at [www.cathedralcatholic.org](http://www.cathedralcatholic.org)  
for more information. We look forward  
to hearing from you.**





### Adult Confirmation Classes

Have you been Baptized and received First Communion but not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation?

Now is the perfect time to complete the Sacrament of Initiation into the Catholic Church. As you are confirmed, you will receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit to live in a fuller relationship with God, the Church and one another.

**Classes to prepare you for Confirmation will begin Tuesday, February 13 at 7:00-8:30pm in the Nursery room and will continue for 6 weeks during the season of Lent.**

Confirmation will be held on Sunday, May 19th at 5:00pm.

For information, please contact Sergio & Eileen Vargas at (858) 484-9425 or [s1v.in.sd@gmail.com](mailto:s1v.in.sd@gmail.com) for email.

**BLESSINGS  
ON OUR  
NEW YEAR**

### FROM OUR LADY OF ANGELS



The Sister Parish Outreach Ministry would like to thank the parish for its tremendous generosity during our **Thanksgiving Food Drive**. Your outpouring of donations provided complete meals for 226 families at Our Lady of Angels parish. What a gift you are for those in need. May God Bless you all abundantly.

The ministry is also humbled by the generosity of our parish during our **Adopt-A-Family Christmas Drive**. Your donations provided Christmas gifts to 100 families, 176 adults, and 241 children. Thank you for sharing your blessings!

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# St. Gregory The Great Catholic School's Kindergarten Information Night



**SAVE THE DATE!**

**Wednesday, January 17, 2024 @ 5:30pm**

Enjoy an evening with Principal, Erin Zwahlen, and the Kindergarten Staff as they present and answer questions about the Kindergarten Program at St. Gregory the Great Catholic School.

The meeting will address the following topics:

How to Transition from Pre-School  
The Admission Process  
Educating the Whole Child  
Spiritual Development  
Academic Program  
Music and Art Instruction  
STEM Lab  
Extracurricular Programs and Student Services

We look forward to meeting you all.

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If you have any questions, please contact the school at 858-397-1290



Adoration	David Rowe	619-985-2215	Ministry of Mothers	Cynthia Kurose	858-859-0517
Altar Linens	Maria Quitugua	858-663-4135	Music Ministry	John Chicca	858-653-3583
Altar Servers	Greg Wisniew	619-922-1529	New Parishioner Orientation	Rich Abrom	858-603-9640
Audio-Visual Ministry	John Chicca	858-653-3583		Peggy Abrom	858-414-7629
Baptism Seminars	Tom & Joni Deiters	858-740-8965	Our Lady of Fatima Devotion	Carolyn Standifer	858-536-1113
Bible Study	Dennis Poirier	858-243-2455	Outreach for Nazareth Orphanage	Adrian Lopez	619-787-3565
Blood Drive	Alan Muir	858-695-1633	Parish Tours	Deacon Ron Diem	858- 653-3582
Boy Scout Troup #616	Paul Honeycutt	858-692-1112	Prayer Wheel	Matt Gaynor	858-344-2165
Boy Scout Troup #664	Michelle Wakefield	619-804-0102	Prayers & Squares	Pat Kikendall	858-771-1167
Boy Scout Female Troup #226	Paula Trubitt	858-566-9231		Mary Hoeger	858-888-5285
Build-A-Miracle	Chris & Julianne North	619-992-0845	RCIA	Deacon Dom Guzzardo	858- 751-4785
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Bella Luna	858-653-3594	Relevant Radio	Greg Lettau	858-663-6978
Communion to the Homebound	Paulette Deniston	619-857-5443	Respect for Life / Social Justice	Maria Manyari	858-549-2812
Computer Help Ministry	Michael Yang	619-607-0875	Rosary Cenacle	MaryAnne Dunlop	858-880-2265
Confirmation Preparation-Adult	Sergio and Eileen Vargas	858-484-9425		Lucie Hoge	858-357-1843
Confirmation Preparation-Youth	Vinny Kyamko-Yap	858-653-3591	Rosary Makers	Mary Ann Quinto	619-252-7874
Connection to Christ Small Groups	Deacon Ron Diem	858-653-3582	STGG Food Share	Joe Kloberdanz	858-449-6246
Cooking Group	Margaret Byrne	858-549-3375	Sister Parish Outreach	Angie McAllister	858-395-5916
Cub Scouts	Stephanie Karpow	858-776-2808		Bill McAllister	858-790-4068
Cursillo	Frank & Paulette Deniston	619-857-5473	Special Needs Ministry	Erin Zwahlen	619-540-0676
Daily Mass Ministry	Jenny Quimpo	619-972-9719	St. Vincent/Meals for Homeless	Margie Mills	619-733-7410
Divine Dining	Mark & Gail Russell	619-972-1457	Vacation Bible School	Bella Luna	858-653-3594
Divine Mercy Cenacle	Melanie Giolitto	858-254-3122	Wedding Ministry	Judy Roitz	858- 653-3584
	Carolyn Standifer	858-536-1113	Women's Book Club	Kate Schemensky	858-748-5227
Donuts & Coffee	Kim Witham	619-508-1999	Women's Friendship Circle	Debbie Malone	858-663-5230
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Greg Tom	858-271-9490		Pam Klevesahl	858-748-7733
Faith Formation-Adult	Deacon Ron Diem	858-653-3582	Young Adult Ministry	Bella Luna	858-653-3594
Faith Formation-Children	Bella Luna	858-653-3594	Youth Ministry	Vinny Kyamko-Yap	858- 653-3591
Faith Formation-Middle School	Bella Luna	858-653-3594			
Family Cancer Support	Megan Clark	773-405-7151			
	Mary Brewer	858-395-2547			
Filipino-American	Hermie Moscoso	858-603-0397			
Gala	Lynn Bautista-Barroso	858-380-7728			
Gardening Ministry	Mike Yang	619-607-0875	Pastor	Fr. Bart Landry, C.S.P.	858-653-3540
Greeters & Ushers	John Brown	858-525-5710	Assoc. Pastor	Fr. Jerry Tully, C.S.P.	858-653-3593
Health & Safety Ministry	Linda Mulvain	858-248-0040	Deacon	Ron Diem	858-653-3582
Helping Hands	Margaret Byrne	858-549-3375	Chief Steward	Michael KIELTY	858 -271-1004
Kitchen Coordinator	Pat Rasmussen	858-774-8381	Financial Council	Gene Fantano	858-335-2253
Knights of Columbus	Bill Carpenter	858-922-3532	Parish Development	Maria Sittmann	619- 846-4706
Lector	Larry Nuffer	858-442-0091	Communications	TBD	858-653-3540
Liturgical Environment:	TBD	858-653-3540	Catholic School	Erin Zwahlen	58- 397-129
Liturgical Scheduling	Greg Tom	858-271-9490	Christian Formation	Ken Marra	858-442-3871
Marriage Encounter	Parish Office	858-653-3540	Groups & Organizations	Marla Garvey	858- 689-8449
Martha's Ministry	Caroline Yandell	858-653-3540	Liturgy	Cheryl Magnier	858-271-7250
Mental Health Ministry	Elizabeth Balmert	858-549-9122		Greg Tom	858-271-9490
Military Friendship & Support	Ryan Lawrenz	850-384-3269	Parish Life	Matt Gaynor	858-344-2165
Ministry of Consolation	Judy Riotz	858-653-3584	Parish Outreach	Mike Harris	858-829-3191
Ministry Fair	Bill and Maureen Carpenter	858-922-8860	Parish-wide Involvement	Bill and Maureen Carpenter	858 -922-8860
			Business Manager/Bookkeeper	Loretta Neag	858-653-3590
			Stewardship/Webmaster	Nichol Swift	858-653-3546

## PASTORAL STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL (PSC)

## PARISH STAFF

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858-397-1291

### Support Staff

Becky Walton, *Off Manager* 858-397-1290

### Instructional Aides:/\*Extended Daycare Staff

\*Debbie Howard, Jill Saffee, \*Sybil Samuel  
Karla Trujillo, Jennifer Freeman, Jill Ilko,  
Amy Suter

### Pre -School 2 Yr. Old Program:

Miss Erica, Miss Anastasia

### Pre -School 3Yr. Old Program: Miss Irene

### Pre -School 4 Yr. Old /Pre-K Program:

Miss Melanie, Ms. Elyssa

### Elementary Grades/Kindergarten-5th Grades

Michelle Langley, *Kindergarten*

Cindi Silady, *Grade 1*

Melissa Fugitt, *Grade 2*

Angela Hutter, *Grade 3*

Christina Defensor, *Grade 4*

Maryann Maletta, *Grade 5*

Debbie Solomon, *P.E. K-8*

Frank Amador, *Music, K-8 and Stem 3-8*

Sinead Quinn, *Spanish 6, 7, 8 and*

*Learning Supp K-8*

### Middle School

Jena Olalia, *Home Rm. 6, History 6-8,*

Kelli Lawrenz, *Home Rm. 7, Religion 6-8,*

*Tech Coordinator*

Erin Hellbusch, *Home Rm. 8, Literature 6-8*

Dan Phillips, *Math, Math Site Leader*

Camille Girard, *Science 6-8, GSDSEF Coach,*

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