Thanksgiving Day
Bilingual Mass
Thursday, November 27 at 9:00am

As we begin this holiday season, we invite you to come and give thanks to God for his many blessings.

Wishing a Very Happy Thanksgiving Day!
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The Rectory will be closed Thursday & Friday.

MOTHER CABRINI CIRCLE
GIFT STORE
ADVENT CANDLES!
ADVENT WREATHS!
CHRISTMAS CARDS!

Stop by after Sunday morning Masses to see the beautiful selection of Christmas cards, Advent wreaths and Christmas gifts. You will find that very special gift for your loved ones. Give the gift of Faith, give a Catholic gift!

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
PARISH INFORMATION

PASTOR
Rev. Joseph P. Shea
Associate Pastor
Fr. Bill Nicholas
Priest in Residence
Fr. Jim Maher

DEACONS
Dn. Peter Wilson
Dn. Terry Reibenspies
Dn. Louis Fernandez
Dn. Edward Posvar

SACRAMENTS

ANOINTING OF THE SICK
Administered throughout the year. Please call the Rectory any time in case of serious illness or going into surgery.

BAPTISMS
English: 1st Sunday of the month
Spanish: 3rd Sunday of the month
By appointment; please call or visit the Rectory.

MARRIAGES
Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Please call or visit the Rectory.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION
FOR ADULTS (RCIA)
Julia Dobrucki • 915-4625

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with BENEDICTION

NOVENA
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Wednesdays at 6:00pm

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY
Dot Goerisch • 526-5640

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GROUP
Ched & Lumi Cruz
584-6160

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Joanne & Erwin Ilustrisimo
304-0753

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COUNCIL #5803
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581-0957

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HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION
Vigil: 5:30pm
Holy Day: 6:00am; 8:30am; 12:00pm; 5:30pm; 7:00pm (Spanish)

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HOURS
Monday to Friday: 8:00am—8:00pm
Saturday: 9:00am—5:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am—4:00pm

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May God bless you, Earl Todd

St. Rose of Lima Catholic School

SHOP & LOG RECEIPTS TO HELP OUR SCHOOL EARN UP TO $2,500!

IT’S EASY! Just shop at Simi Valley Town Center and turn in receipts Now thru April 30, 2015.

BRING YOUR RECEIPTS TO THE RECTORY.

You can also bring receipts to the Simi Valley Mall Guest Services office, located at the base of the tower in Center Court. (Open Mon.-Wed. 10am-8pm, Thurs.-Sat. 10am-9pm and Sunday 11am-7pm) Your receipt total is noted, credited to the school, and returned to you.

EARN 50 POINTS PER DOLLAR SPENT ON ALL PURCHASES MADE & LOGGED DURING BLACK FRIDAY WEEKEND (Nov. 28-30)
- TRIPLE POINTS for all Santa photo packages purchased and logged by December 31.
- TRIPLE POINTS for all purchases made and logged December 26 - January 15.

Earn 500 points when you attend the following events (just sign in at Guest Services!)
- Black Friday Shopping: Friday, Nov. 28, 8 am-9 pm
- Farmer’s Market: Fridays, 4:30-8:30 pm (12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26).
- Jazz Festivals: Fridays, 7:00-8:30 pm (12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26).
- Snow Day: Saturday, December 20, 9am-9pm (enjoy TONS of snow!)

PURCHASE A GIFT CARD & EARN 10X THE POINTS!
Purchase a Simi Valley Town Center Gift Card & earn 50 points per dollar spent.

Gift Cards available at Guest Services. SIGN UP FOR SHOP SMART EMAIL AND EARN POINTS!
Visit shoppingpartnership.com/simi valley and select Simi Valley Town Center to register for monthly email reminders and bonus point offers.

Save the Date!

Our school is celebrating 50 years of Catholic education. Please mark your calendars for Celebration Weekend:
April 25, 2015- Gala at Ronald Reagan Presidential Learning Center
April 26, 2015 - Mass, Reception, and Open House

We are currently seeking photos of the school, its construction, and early students. We are also looking for alumni. Please send any photos and alumni contact info to Teresa Runyon at alumni@srls.org. Questions: 732-5603

Handicapables Christmas Mass And Luncheon
Saturday, December 6
11:30am—1:30pm
St. Rose of Lima Parish

Please join us as we celebrate the birth of Our Lord, Jesus.
Mass at 11:30am, celebrant Fr. Joe Kammerer.
Lunch and entertainment to follow in the Hall.

For information call:
Joe and Jackie Kammerer 805-210-5176

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What Does Jesus Expect of Me?

Jesus calls you to follow him. Your life could be an adventure with God. St. Rose of Lima Parish extends a warm welcome to all who wish to join our Faith community for worship and fellowship. Come Feast on His Word, develop your Knowledge, and build a Family of Faith. If you are new to the area, or coming back Home, we invite you to make St. Rose of Lima your parish by calling the Rectory at 526-1732, or stop by during office hours or visit our website: www.StRoseSV.com

“A time to be born…” Ecc 3:2

Jude M. Bolognino, Adliene I. Campos Palomares, Juan P. Campos Palomares, Alejandra E. Morataya, Camila Morataya, Kristel A. Ramirez, Emily A. Saravia.

“A time to heal…” Ecc 3:3

And pray for one another.—James 5:13-18

Pray for those serving in the military.

“A time of war and a time of peace…” Ecc 3:8

Pray for those serving in the military.

“A time to die…” Ecc 3:2

Pray for the souls of all our beloved departed and their families especially…

Donald Joseph Nickels

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, November 22
8:30am Members of the Millennium Club (I)
5:00pm Geraldine Meehan (D)
7:00pm Fernando & August Mongalo (D)

SUNDAY, November 23
6:00am Concerta Stephenson (D)
7:00am Marth & T.O. Jack Hall (D)
9:00am Wayne A. Faist (D)
11:00am Mario Mercado (D)
(Sp) 1:00pm Miguel Osornio (D)
5:00pm Joseph Fasulo (I)

MONDAY, November 24
8:30am Estrella Tenorio (D)
5:30pm Laura Hall Wissing (I)

TUESDAY, November 25
8:30am Anthony Pitoscia (D)
5:30pm Rodolfo & Heidi (D)

WEDNESDAY, November 26
8:30am Adon & Carmelita de la Cruz (I)
5:30pm Souls in Purgatory

THURSDAY, November 27
9:00am Cancer Survivors (I)

FRIDAY, November 28
8:30am Antonio & Fernando La Riva (D)
5:30pm Rosic Rementilla (D)

SATURDAY, November 29
8:30am Members of the Millennium Club (I)
5:00pm Dr. Patrick Robbie (D)
7:00pm Martha Morales (D)

SUNDAY, November 30
6:00am Concerta Stephenson (D)
7:00am Gregory Beach (D)
9:00am Gaston Yturralde (D)
11:00am Iluminada Perida (D)
(Sp) 1:00pm Pablo Lucero (D)
5:00pm Homer Langley (D)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 21:20-28

Thanksgiving Day (suggested):
Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11 — 21:2; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a; Lk 21:29-33
Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36
Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; 1Cor 1:3-9; Mk 13:33-37
Ministries & Devotions

**ADORATION**

“1 Thirsts”

“I so ardently thirst to be loved by men in the Most Blessed Sacrament that this thirst devours me...”

We are very blessed to have 24 hr. Adoration here at St. Rose. Monday, 9:00am—Saturday, 3:00pm
We thank Fr. Shea, our Pastor, for giving us this great gift.

**Adorers are needed:**
Monday 2pm; Tuesday 3am & 2pm; Wednesday 2am;
Visitors and scheduled Adorers, please be sure to sign in.

**Team Leaders**
12am-5am Theresa Wong 428-0942
6am-11am Cathy Sullivan 526-7628
12pm-5pm Anita Koller 526-9910
6pm-11pm Kathy and Frank Cross 501-8431

“One must observe the time set apart for prayer,...”
St. M. Faustina Kowalska —Divine Mercy in My Soul (147)

**Singing Adoration in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel**

**Tuesday**
3:00-3:30pm Divine Mercy
7:00-8:00pm Spanish Rosary

**Wednesday**
6:00pm Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena
7:00-8:00pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour and Benediction with Deacon Ed Posvar

**Friday**
3:00-4:30pm Divine Mercy Chaplet, Litany to the Sacred Heart and Stations of the Cross
6:00pm Family Novena in Honor of the Holy Infant Jesus of Prague
6:30-9:00pm Spanish Prayer Group
9:00-10:00pm Vietnamese Prayer Group

**DIVORCED, SEPARATED, WIDOWED MINISTRY**

We are a Christ-centered, self-help program.

We meet the 1st & 3rd Friday of the month in Room 11 of the school. 7:00-9:00pm.
All adults are welcome!
Talks by Dr. Bennett Annan

† Friday, Dec. 5 — “Setting Healthy Boundaries, Pt. 2”
† Friday, Dec. 19 — no meeting

Contact: Jean Jenners (JosephM34@sbcglobal.net), call 526-1732 or visit: www.StRoseSV.com/DSW.html

**The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will be offered next Sunday, November 30 at all the Masses.**

**Who should receive this sacrament?**

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is given to those who are seriously ill, advanced in age or prior to a serious operation.

Please remember to receive any Sacrament worthily...a person must be in the state of grace. If needed, please go to confession in preparation for this Sacrament. Also, this Sacrament is reserved for those who are chronically ill, have serious illness, or who are going into surgery soon, or who are senior citizens, or who struggle with drug or alcohol problems or battle extreme depression or other mental problems.

*Is anyone among you sick? Let him bring in the presbyters [priests] of the Church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the sick man, and the Lord will raise him up, and if he be in sins, they shall be forgiven him.* (James 5:14-15)

Oh, if only the suffering soul knew how it is loved by God, it would die of joy and excess of happiness! Some day, we will know the value of suffering, but then we will no longer be able to suffer. The present moment is ours (Diary 963).

St. Faustina

**FREEDOM IN OUR LIVES**

Do you suffer from loneliness, anger, depression, co-dependency, fear, hopelessness, anxiety, bad habits you want to change, hurts you can’t deal with, and are hung up with problems in your life? FREEDOM IN OUR LIVES, is a Faith-based Beatitudes program to help you realize how to let God’s healing power into your life. **We meet the 2nd & 4th Fridays of each month, in room 11** of St. Rose of Lima School. We gather at 6:30pm for dinner, and the meeting begins at 7:00pm. Please join us, bring your friends and relatives and gain a new perspective in your life.
SubRosa Time In Adoration, EVERY WEDNESDAY, Nov. 26: 9-10pm Dec. 3, 10, 17
*Join us as we spend silent time praying with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. +Come any time during the hour. +Email/message us for the code to get in.

SubRosa’s Thanksgiving Leftover Feast
Saturday, Nov. 29 @ 7:00pm
Join us as we celebrate Thanksgiving with all our leftover food! Leave a message for us for the address, and with the dish you’re bringing (it’s potluck!) Please RSVP and invite friends!

SubRosa Women’s Group, Tuesday, Dec. 2:
7-8:30pm
(Sisters of Notre Dame Center)
* We will be meeting ONCE A MONTH
*The group will be led in meditation and discernment by the Sisters of Notre Dame
*Join us for some great sister bonding time as we delve deeper into what it means to be women of God
*RSVP to let us know you’re coming!

~The SubRosa Team~
e: curious@subrosafamily.org
p:805-428-3755

Catholic Say What?? Have questions about the Catholic faith? What do Catholics actually believe? How can we prove that God exists? Join us as we learn how to defend our Catholic faith at 6:30PM in Room 8. Learn how to talk with atheists and non-Catholics about our faith. Bring your questions and your friends!

XLT: Emily Wilson  Friday, December 5: Come experience praise and worship before the Blessed Sacrament at 7pm in the church! This event is required for all confirmation students! Our speaker and musician is Emily Wilson who has sung at multiple Steubenville Conferences, retreats, and Life Teen camps.

Pancake Breakfast! Sunday, December 7: Join us Sunday morning after the 7am, 9am and 11am Masses for a delicious breakfast.

TGIF Fundraiser! Wednesday, December 10: Come support Youth Ministry by going out to dinner at TGIF! Grab a flier and head over; 20% of your meal gets donated to us!

The Summit - Jr. High! Thursday, December 11: All Jr. High are invited to our meeting at 7pm -8pm to learn about the source and summit of our Catholic faith!

Call the YM Office for more information at 526-8181.

OPUS DEI - Living the Advent Season
All women are invited to an Evening of Recollection on Monday, December 1, at St. Paschal Baylon Church in Thousand Oaks. Sponsored by Opus Dei, the event will begin at 7p.m. and conclude at 9p.m. with refreshments. There will be two meditations, a talk, and time for confession and personal prayer. Spiritual books suitable for gift giving will be available to purchase. For more information, please call Marisa Schoeffer at 818-517-0951.

Marie Callender’s Pies
Boy Scout Troop 605 and Venture Crew 9605 will be selling Marie Callender’s pies. Order your pies and save the drive to Camarillo or Chatsworth. Delivery is available for a small fee. The troop/crew will be on the patio after Mass:

Sunday: November 23 from 6:15am-12:15pm and 4:45pm-6:15pm.
Pie pick up dates: Tuesday, November 25 from 1-8pm and Wednesday, November 26 from 7am-2pm.

Questions?, please call Kathi Quinn at 791-3377.
ST. ROSE OF LIMA SCHOOL STUDENT NON-ISCRIMINATION POLICY

The school, mindful of its mission to be a witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students regardless of race, color or national and/or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, disability, sex or national and/or ethnic origin in the administration of educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs, although certain athletic leagues and other programs may limit participation and some archdiocesan schools operate as single sex schools.

While the school does not discriminate against students with special needs, a full range services may not always be available to them. Decisions concerning the admission and continued enrollment of a student in the school are based upon the student’s emotional, academic and physical abilities and the resources available to the school in meeting the student’s needs.

WWW.SRLS.ORG

RELIGIOUS ED & ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation

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Please call ahead for office hours or to make an appointment. We appreciate your patience!

If your child ages 7-17 has not yet been Baptized, received First Holy Communion, or been Confirmed and you would like information about the process please call 526-5513.

- Attention Confirmation Students: Upcoming service opportunities Pro-Life Rosary Dec. 6. If you worked the Dream Cuisine, make sure to submit your Service Reflection to the Office. Call the office for more information 526-5513.

- Attention ALL Parents of Students: The next mandatory Parent Class on “The Mass” is Sunday January 11, 2015 at 9:45am in the Parish Hall.

JOB OPENING: The R. E. Office is looking for a Part-Time (25 hours per week), Bi-Lingual Administrative Assistant. For more information, or to apply, please call our office at 526-5513.

BIBLE STUDY WITH FR. BILL

This week, both our Tuesday and Saturday classes will discuss John, Chapter 6. Both sessions meet immediately after the 8:30 Mass in the East side of the church. Everyone is welcome and attendance at prior sessions is not necessary. For additional information or comments, please call Annette Lercel 584-3533.

The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic

by Matthew Kelly

Do you want to be a stronger, more active Faith-filled Catholic? A discussion group book review is held Thursdays at 7pm at the School, Room #8. Facilitated by Neil Fanning with assistance from Deacon Terry Reibenspies. For more information call Neil: 805-217-4300.

Continuing Adult Faith Formation

December 1 – Eucharist

Classes are the first Monday of each month at 7pm in room 9.
¿Sabia Usted?

La Arquidiócesis implementa políticas estrictas para la seguridad de los niños

La Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles ha implementado políticas y procedimientos rigurosos para garantizar que nuestras parroquias y escuelas ofrezcan un ambiente seguro para todos los niños y jóvenes. Estos incluyen: Cero tolerancia; Pautas para adultos que son empleados o voluntarios en programas con menores; Pautas sobre los “límites de contacto” de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles para jóvenes de “junior high” y “high school” que son empleados o voluntarios con niños o jóvenes; y Procedimientos para el cumplimiento de la Ley de Megan. Para ver éstas y otras políticas visite www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting.

Did you Know?

Archdiocese implements strict policies for children’s safety

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles has implemented rigorous policies and procedures to provide a safe environment in our parishes and parish schools for all children and young people. These include: Zero Tolerance; Guidelines for adults working or volunteering with minors; Archdiocese of Los Angeles boundary guidelines for junior high and high school youth working or volunteering with children or youth; and Megan’s Law compliance procedures. To view these and other policies visit: http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Today Sunday, November 23

Life at the poverty line leaves nearly 40 million Americans hanging on for dear life—hanging on to feed their families and to keep a roof over their heads. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development supports self-help projects of people working together to break the cycle of poverty. You can make the difference. Be part of the numbers that care—give generously to CCHD in today’s Collection.

Rejoice in the Lord.

Your salvation is near at hand!

Advent Evening Reflection

Sponsored by Kindred Hearts Ministries
Presenter: Sister Regina Robbins, SND

December 3 @ 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Notre Dame Center – Sisters of Notre Dame
1776 Hendrix Avenue, Thousand Oaks
Limited Space.

Contact for Reservation by Nov. 26:
Sister Marie Paul Grech, SND
MGrech@SNDca.org (805)496-3243 ext. 460

HAPPY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!

11/17 Carol ♥ Juan Sanchez-Chen (57)
11/23 Lucia ♥ Antonio Badilla (40)
11/24: Rita ♥ Richard Landon (58)
11/30: Jean ♥ Don Tschirhart (57)

"Marriage is a covenant by which a man and a woman establish between themselves a partnership of the whole of life and which is ordered by its nature to the good of the spouses and the procreation and education of offspring," and which "has been raised by Christ the Lord to the dignity of a Sacrament between the baptized."

If you would like to have your anniversary acknowledged in the bulletin in the month of December, please call the rectory.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

In conjunction with RadiateLA, please help represent our parish on January 17, 2015 for OneLife LA, the first-ever large-scale event celebrating the beauty and dignity of every human life from conception to natural death. 10:00am at The Kiosko at La Placita Olvera in downtown L.A. For more information and FREE registration, visit www.OneLifeLA.org.

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Sisters of Notre Dame 5K Nun Run

Saturday January 31, 2015 at 8:00am at La Reina High School in Thousand Oaks

REGISTER, DONATE or VOLUNTEER at www.sndca.org/nunrun. Participants will receive a free t-shirt, pancake breakfast, prizes and more. All proceeds benefit the Sisters of Notre Dame Life and Ministry Fund.

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**EL REBAÑO DE JESÚS**

Las ovejas son animales que necesitan mucha atención. No son muy inteligentes. Especialmente en un clima como el de Israel, morirían rápidamente a causa de predadores, hambre o por su lentitud. La imagen bíblica de nosotros como el rebaño del Señor no es halagadora porque solamente con la vigilancia constante del pastor cuidadoso el rebaño puede sobrevivir.

La institución de la fiesta de Cristo Rey fue motivada por la intención de llevar el mundo a Cristo como el único poder de este mundo; y también de hacer volver el rebaño dispersado por las tantas fuerzas negativas del creciente mundo industrial y científico, desgarrado por la guerra, del siglo veinte. Mientras celebramos a Cristo Rey, es muy apropiado entender que el Cristo Pastor nos cuida ahora y va a estar presente en el momento de la separación de buenos y malos en el juicio final. Como el Evangelio ilustra bien, nuestro propio destino está determinado por nuestro servicio como pastores al resto del rebaño.  

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El 23 de noviembre de 1927, un pelotón de soldados conducía al jesuita mexicano Miguel Agustín Pro Juárez al paredón de fusilamiento. Uno de ellos le susurraba “perdóneme”. Miguel le respondió que no sólo lo perdonaba, sino que le daba las gracias por darle la oportunidad de dar testimonio de su fe derramando su sangre por Cristo. Días antes había sido arrestado y acusado de intento de asesinato contra el presidente mexicano Álvaro Obregón. En realidad su delito era el de bautizar niños, bendecir matrimonios, llevar la comunión a los enfermos y escuchar la confesión de los arrepentidos.

Miguelito nació en 1891 y entró al noviciado jesuita en 1914, al mismo tiempo que el gobierno mexicano comenzaba una persecución en contra de la Iglesia. Debido a esta situación, Miguel tuvo que hacer su formación religiosa fuera de México. Apenas pudo, regresó a su nación como sacerdote e hizo su pastoral a escondidas, sabiendo muy bien que podía ser martirizado.

Miguel decía a sus amigos que al morir iría al cielo y si se encontraba con santos resecos, bailaría un jarabe tapatío hasta hacerles sonreír para Cristo Rey.

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---Serving Those in Need---

Me gustaría dar las gracias a todas las personas de Santa Rosa de Lima que han apoyado nuestro programa este año pasado. Actualmente estamos apoyando a 100-120 familias por semana. Al acercarnos al final del año nos estamos preparando para la celebración de Acción de Gracias y Navidad. Estamos en necesidad de los siguientes elementos: la mezcla para el relleno de pavo, “gravy”, elote enlatado y verduras mixtas, etc. También trabajaremos con los Caballeros de Colón para colectar juguetes para la fiesta de Navidad de los niños.

Que Dios los bendiga, Earl Todd

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All-star Mike Sweeney speaks to 5000 young adults about his own experience of living his Catholic Faith from when he was a high school jock, through his time in Major League baseball. With humor and humility, he shares the circumstances that led him to completely center his life on God, and how the Lord wants to personally be involved in your life, too. Mike relates how pivotal choices led to his amazing ride with Christ.

A Catholic Bible and a “Catechism of the Catholic Church” are a must for every Catholic home! (Available in our gift shop.)

God gives us His word in the Bible, and the Magisterial Teachings of the Catholic Church provide us with direction to follow it. Another way to be a well-informed and a vibrant Catholic is to visit the USCCB website listed below where you will find a wealth of practical information.

USCCB.org/beliefs-and-teachings/how-we-teach/new-evangelization/toolkit/index.cfm

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Advent Parish Mission

An opportunity to get away for an hour from the hustle & bustle of the holiday season.

**Sunday, December 14 - Wednesday, December 17**

7:00pm—8:00pm

Come join Fr. Paul Nicholson, a well-known missionary preacher, for a four-session Advent Parish Mission here at the St. Rose of Lima.

**Sunday, December 14 - “Chosen, Not Frozen!”**

“We aren’t made to stand in the barn all day ... the extraordinary grace of a Parish Mission is a fire to get us going.”

**Monday, December 15 - “The Burdens We Carry”**

“Don’t go through life carrying burdens that God never meant for you to carry! Come to Mission and lay those things at the foot of the Mission Cross.”

**Tuesday, December 16 - “Don’t Be A Stubborn Donkey!”**

“Is anger controlling you? Find the easiest method ever to reset your surly, cranky self!

**Wednesday, December 17 - “Happiness Is A Job Well Done!”**

“Be the donkey who saves Christmas forever!”

**Apostolic Blessing** with a **Plenary Indulgence** at the conclusion of the final evening’s talk for everyone who took part in the Mission.

(* Fr. Paul will hear confessions after each evening session until midnight).

**Wednesday, December 17: 6:00am-6:30am for men only**

“Let St. Joseph Be the Dad You Never Had!”