

Our Mission: At St. Juan Diego Catholic Church, we are a diverse community that strives to welcome everyone with dignity, respect and belonging by living the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Nuestra Misión: En la iglesia Católica de San Juan Diego, somos una comunidad diversa que se esfuerza por dar la bienvenida a todos con dignidad, respeto y pertenencia al vivir la Buen Nueva de Jesucristo.

Stewardship Moment

32 Sunday in Ordinary Time. Jesus' parable of the ten virgins, some prepared, others unprepared, is directed at those who profess to be believers in Christ and await his return. His teaching is not directed to unbelievers. The stewardship issue turns on spiritual preparedness for the Lord's return. Good stewards prepare for Christ's return daily, in their life of prayer, worship, and acts of compassion and generosity. A stewardship reflection for the week: Are we preparing ourselves for the Lord? Are we open to the Holy Spirit's work within us? Are we ready?

Un Momento de Corresponsabilidad

32 Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario. Jesús compara el reino del cielo con diez vírgenes que tomaron sus lámparas y salieron al encuentro del novio. Cinco de ellas eran necias, y cinco eran prudentes. Las necias no se prepararon para la espera, no se proveyeron de aceite extra. Las prudentes en cambio tomaron aceite extra, en caso de que la espera fuera más larga de lo esperado. Y la espera fue larga. Algunas de ellas, que se suponía que estuvieran esperando, no estaban preparadas para la espera, con desastrosas consecuencias. La advertencia es estar preparados para la espera. Nosotros esperamos el regreso del Señor. ¿Resistirán la espera nuestras "llamas"? ¿Resistirá nuestra pasión por el Señor? O, ¿se consumirá nuestra pasión por el Señor? Los buenos corresponsables saben que Jesús, el novio, llegará. Lo que ellos no saben es cuando ocurrirá el regreso. Ellos están entre las doncellas. Su fe debe ser suficientemente fuerte para resistir la espera. La pregunta de corresponsabilidad es: ¿qué estamos haciendo para mantener nuestras llamas encendidas? ¿Somos prudentes o necios?

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Wednesday

6:00 pm English

Thursday

12:00 pm English

Saturday

5:00 pm English

Sunday

8:30 am English

12:15 pm English

HORARIO DE MISA

Domingo

10:30 am Español

RECONCILIATION

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Wednesday/Miércoles

5:00-5:45 pm

Saturday/Sábado

3:30pm - 4:30

Mass Intention

If you would like to add a name to our Mass Intention, please email Jeny [here](#).

Intenciones

Si desea agregar un nombre a nuestras intenciones, envíe un correo electrónico a Jeny [aquí](#).

Infant Baptism Preparation in English

Parents wishing to have their infant children (less than 6 years old) baptized at St. Juan Diego are required to attend a Baptism Prep class. Godparents should also attend these preparation classes.

Monday, November 27th
at 7:00pm.

Please email Jeny [here](#) for more information.

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 6:30pm - 8:30pm
Following 6pm Daily Mass.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

Next weekend our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than 37 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more at www.usccb.org/cchd.

Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano

La próxima semana, nuestra colecta especial apoyará a la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano. Más de 37 millones de personas en los Estados Unidos viven en pobreza. Esta colecta financia programas que empoderan a las personas para identificar y tratar con los obstáculos que enfrentan mientras que trabajan para traer unos cambios permanentes y positivos a sus comunidades. Infórmense más en www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

SJD Retreats/Retiros de SJD

Our Parish is pleased to announce both Men's and Women's retreats in Spanish and English for 2024! Pick up a flyer in the Narthex or visit the Church website at <https://www.stjuandiego.org/womensretreats> or <https://www.stjuandiego.org/mensretreats> to learn more!

¡Nuestra Parroquia se complace en anunciar los retiros para hombres y mujeres en español e inglés para 2024! Recoja un folleto en el Narthex o visite el sitio web de la Iglesia en <https://www.stjuandiego.org/womensretreats> o <https://www.stjuandiego.org/mensretreats> para obtener más información.

"Earthquake Preparedness"

Sunday, November 12, 2023

1:30-3:00 PM



Parishioner, Norb Balon, has prepared a comprehensive, family friendly (children should come!), presentation of important steps we each should take, now, to prepare for an earthquake or other disaster!

Refreshments will be served!

Weekly Parish Schedule

To have a Mass offered for anyone, please call Jeny in the parish office. Suggested donation \$10
Please make your checks payable to **St. Juan Diego Parish**

Date	Mass Times
Saturday, Nov. 11, 2023	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm Reconciliation/Reconciliación 5:00 pm English Mass ♥ Alyxia Warner ✠ Carol Swoboda
Sunday, Nov. 12, 2023 Domingo 12 de noviembre	8:30 am English Mass Veterans and all who served our country 10:30 am Misa en Español Comunidad de San Juan Diego 12:15 pm English Mass All Father
Monday, Nov. 13, 2023	6:00 pm Daily Mass ♥ Nhung Wooley
Tuesday, Nov. 14 2023	6:00 pm Daily Mass Veterans and all who served our country
Wednesday, Nov. 15, 2023	6:00 pm Daily Mass ♥ Juliana Asero
Thursday, Nov. 16, 2023	12:00 pm Daily Mass Le Kim Ngan
Saturday, Nov. 18, 2023	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm Reconciliation/Reconciliación 5:00 pm English Mass
Sunday, Nov. 19, 2023 Domingo 19 de noviembre	8:30 am English Mass 10:30 am Misa en Español 12:15 pm English Mass

			
Thank you for supporting our Parish!			
Nov 4/5 Attendance		1375
Collection Basket	\$5,614.31	
Electronically/by mail	\$14,875.41	
Projected weekly need	\$ 12,385	
			

Scripture Readings

Nov 11/12

First Reading
Wisdom 6:12-16

Second Reading
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Gospel
Matthew 25:1-13

Lecturas

12 de noviembre

Primera Lectura
Sabiduría 6, 12-16

Segunda Lectura
1 Tesalonicenses 4, 13-18

Evangelio
Mateo 25, 1-13

Social Justice Mass Intention

You are invited to attend and pray on Sunday, Nov. 12. The Mass intention is for: **Veterans and all who served our country.**

"There are around 19 million U.S. veterans as of 2019 according to data from the Department of Veterans Affairs, representing less than 10% of the total U.S. adult population." <https://www.pewresearch.org/fact-tank/2017/11/10/the-changing-face-of-americas-veteran-population/>

Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever. Amen. <https://www.usccb.org/resources/prayer-veterans-day>

Intenciones del Ministerio de Justicia Social

Está invitado a asistir y orar en la misa del domingo 12 de noviembre. La intención de la misa es por: **Veteranas y todas las que sirvieron a nuestro país.**

"Hay alrededor de 19 millones de veteranos estadounidenses en 2019, según datos del Departamento de Asuntos de Veteranos, lo que representa menos del 10% de la población adulta total de Estados Unidos". <https://www.pewresearch.org/fact-tank/2017/11/10/the-changing-face-of-americas-veteran-population/>
Señor Dios, Padre Todopoderoso, creador de la humanidad y autor de la paz, como nosotros Siempre conscientes del costo que se paga por la libertad que poseemos, te pedimos que bendigas a los miembros de nuestras fuerzas armadas. Dale coraje, esperanza y fuerza. Que ellos siempre experimenten tu apoyo firme, amor gentil y sanación compasiva. Sé su poder y protector, llevándolos de las tinieblas a la luz. A ti sea toda la gloria, el honor y la alabanza, ahora y por siempre. Amén. <https://www.usccb.org/resources/prayer-veterans-day>



Volunteers Needed

Sunday Hospitality needs volunteers at the 12:15 pm mass. Contact Jeanne Sabbe jeannesabbe@comcast.net or 503-645-6167, if interested.



Rincón de la Creación

¡Nuevo programa de recolección de restos de comida!

Los miembros de la comunidad en el condado urbano no incorporado de Washington ahora pueden incluir restos de comida en sus carros rodantes para desechos de jardín. A partir del 1 de octubre, todas las áreas urbanas y ciudades del condado de Washington, excepto los bancos, ofrecerán el servicio de recolección de compostaje de restos de comida a viviendas unifamiliares.

La participación en la recogida de restos de comida es opcional y sencilla. Los horarios de recogida actuales seguirán siendo los mismos. Los miembros de la comunidad pueden recolectar restos de comida en recipientes que ya tienen, como recipientes de plástico o recipientes para comida para llevar, o pueden comprar un balde de cocina. Incluya todos los alimentos como carne cruda, cáscaras de huevo, sobras de cocina y sobras no consumidas. Vacíe el contenedor de la cocina en el carrito rodante para desechos del jardín cada pocos días y lave el contenedor con regularidad para evitar olores y plagas. Obtenga más información aquí:

<https://www.washingtoncountyor.gov/swr/compost-home>



Creation Corner

New Food Scrap Collection Program!

Community members in urban unincorporated Washington County can now include food scraps in their yard debris roll carts. As of October 1, all urban areas and cities in Washington County, except Banks, will offer food scraps composting collection service to single-family homes.

Participation in food scraps collection is optional and easy. Current collection schedules will remain the same. Community members can collect food scraps in containers they already have, like plastic tubs or takeout containers, or they can buy a kitchen pail. Include all food like raw meat, eggshells, kitchen scraps and uneaten leftovers. Empty the kitchen container into the yard debris roll cart every few days and wash the container regularly to prevent odors and pests.

Learn more here: <https://www.washingtoncountyor.gov/swr/compost-home>



NATIONAL ADOPTION AWARENESS MONTH

November is **NATIONAL ADOPTION AWARENESS MONTH**. If you would like to find out more about adoption, contact Choice Adoption at 541-801-0930/choiceadoptions.org.

To read an adoption story, go to usccb.org/resources/adoption-love-story

PETITION TO ST. JOSEPH

St. Joseph, You know the yearning in the hearts of married couples pursuing adoption.

They have so much love to give and wish to share that love with a child.

As you took Mary and Jesus into your home at Nazareth, may the grace of parenthood also be granted for such as these.

We beg your intercession before the Father.

St. Joseph, foster-father of Jesus, pray for us.

"Heavenly Father...If it be your will, bless those who are pursuing adoption, ...and send them a child to love." www.usccb.org

SVdP Food Pantry

Knowing that we find the face of Christ in the poor, during the month of October, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to serve 117 families which included 285 adults and 180 children, and providing 8,835 pounds in food.

We ask for your help. Please consider donating to this weekend's collection with either a grocery or monetary gift. Thank you!

Colecta de Comida SVdP

Sabiendo que encontramos el rostro de Cristo en los pobres, durante el mes de octubre, a través de sus donaciones, la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl pudo atender a 117 familias que incluían 285 adultos y 180 niños, y aportando 8,835 libras en alimentos. .

Le pedimos su ayuda. Considere hacer una donación para la colección de este fin de semana, ya sea con un obsequio monetario o de comestibles. ¡Gracias!

National Vocation Awareness Week

National Vocation Awareness Week (NVAW) is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promote vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations.

NVAW began in 1976 when the US Bishops designated the 28th Sunday of the year for NVAW. In 1997, this celebration was moved to coincide with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, in January. It has since been moved to the first full week in November.

We also encourage visiting the Vocations portion of the SJD website for additional links to various resources online for better understanding a vocation and processes for determining how each of us are called.

If you are interested in taking part in the SJD Vocations Ministry, please contact John Brewer at jbrewer@vincio.com.

Pregnancy Help: To help pregnant moms in our own community, please go to: <https://www.ollparish.com/love-others/#Respect-Life> click on "Pregnancy Services"

Healing After Abortion: If you are suffering after abortion, experience a Rachel's Vineyard healing weekend sponsored by Project Aurora. Call www.project-aurora.org or contact Lori at 541-350-7859/Info@project-aurora.org.

Upcoming Events in the Archdiocese

12/2 St Pius X Knights of Columbus Pro-Life Rosary at St Pius X Catholic Church, 1280 NW Saltzman Rd, Portland, immediately after the 8:15 AM Mass in the main church hall. Prayers to our Blessed Mother Mary to seek her intercession by praying the Rosary to end abortion, protect the unborn, uphold dignity of all human life from conception to natural death and advance world peace and justice.



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Office Hours/Horarios de Oficina:
Tues. & Thurs. /Martes & Jueves: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm,
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Sunday/Domingo: 8:00 am - 12:30 pm
www.stjuandiego.org

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry / Despensa de Alimentos

503-985-6046
Monday/Lunes: 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
Friday/Viernes: 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Prayer Chain

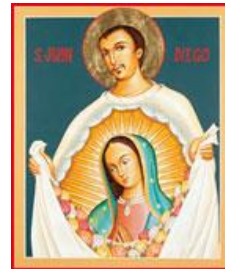
Our Prayer chain is immediate, short-term support. To submit a prayer request please send an email to: sjdprayerchain@googlegroups.com.

Cadena de Oración

Nuestra cadena de Oración es apoyo inmediato, a corto plazo. Para enviar una solicitud, envíe un correo electrónico a: sjdprayerchain@googlegroups.com.

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The Knights of Columbus Council 15729 will be selling and delivering Christmas trees this 2023 season! The combined sale will serve St. Pius X, St. Juan Diego and St. Thomas More parishes. Nobles and Grand Firs will be available in 6' to 9' heights and \$62 to \$99 price ranges. Some prices are the same as last year, others (typically the largest) have increased slightly. The Knights will deliver for free. There is a \$15 fee for those with a stand who need a tree setup.

A note.. 100% of the profit of your purchase will be donated by the Knights of Council 15729 to causes that align with Catholic beliefs and the support of our local communities.

There are multiple ways to order your tree:

- Complete an Order Form (6 Easy steps)
 - Mail to KOC 15729, address on Order Form
 - Drop off at SJDP, SPX or STMP Parish Offices
- Request an Order Form at trees@sjdknights.org (deliver form as per above)
- Order online @ <https://sjd-kofc-15729.square.site/> (best, simplest, pay online)
- Email trees@sjdknights.org and request the KOC Coordinator call you to place your order over the phone with a credit card.

There are 4 delivery dates:

Saturday Nov. 25th after 9:00 AM

Saturday December 2nd after 9:00 AM

Saturday December 9th after 9:00 AM

Saturday December 16th after 9:00 AM

Note: No orders can be taken after Wednesday December 13th.

Wednesday of each week will generally be the order cutoff for tree delivery for each Saturday. Order Forms will be picked up each Wednesday or Thursday afternoon from each parish office by the KOC Tree Coordinator.

Payment (with Order Form, non-web purchases): Check or credit cards are accepted. Please leave the completed order form with your check at your Parish Office. For those paying with credit/debit cards, please leave a phone number on the Order Form and the KOC Tree Coordinator will call you for this information in confidence. For any questions, or to place your order via email, please email the coordinator at trees@sjdknights.org

We thank you for your support of the Knight of Columbus, and we pray that you have a safe, blessed and peaceful Advent season.

Please note that the Knights will employ all necessary safety during delivery and setups (distancing, masks, gloves, sanitizers) if requested, and we strongly advise any health vulnerable tree customers to do the same if personal interaction is involved. If you would like a tree, but are concerned about any safety aspect, please don't hesitate to reach out and let us know via email at trees@sjdknights.org.

Fresh Cut NOBLE and GRAND Fir Christmas Trees



Delivered to Your Home

Zip codes - **97229, 97124, 97005, 97006, 97221, 97225, 97210, 97239, 97201**

Noble Fir: Beautiful, spruce-like appearance with evenly spaced branches. Best tree for heavier ornaments.

Grand Fir: Thickly foliated with a full and festive fragrance. Pre-sheared into a perfectly conical shape.

Instructions: 6 EASY Steps below

1. **Circle ONE Delivery Date below:**

Sat, Nov 25th
(9am - 2 pm)

Sat, Dec 2nd
(9am - 2 pm)

Sat, Dec 9th
(9am - 2 pm)

Sat, Dec 16th
(9am - 2 pm)

Please Note: Last delivery is Dec 16th. Last Date to place an order is by December 13th.

2. **√ Check ONE Tree type & size below:**

Grand

___ 6-7 ft. @ \$62

___ 7-8 ft. @ \$69

Noble

___ 6-7 ft. @ \$67

___ 7-8 ft. @ \$85

___ 8-9 ft. @ \$99

3. **√ Check if you want KOC setup option**

___ Set up with your stand + Add \$15 to total

4. **\$\$ Total your Order**

Add tree price \$ _____

\$15 setup (\$0 if you setup) \$ _____

Grand Total \$ _____




5. **Payment (√ check one):** **Check** ___ **Cash** ___ **Card** ___

6. **Complete order details below** (or email for information or for card orders):

Name _____ Phone _____ Cell _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Email Address: _____

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