Weekend of September 28

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary

Time

Barona:

Mass: Tuesday through Friday. Rosary at 7:45

AM, Mass at 8:00 AM. @ Shrine

Saturday: 5:00 PM mass

Sunday: Sunday 8:00 AM.@ church **Confessions:** By appointment only

Adoration: 1st Fri. of the month (8:00 AM).

<u>Viejas:</u>

Sunday: Sunday, 10:30 AM. @ Church Confessions: By appointment only.

Svcuan:

Sunday: Sunday Mass 12:30 noon @ the

Church

Confessions: By appointment only

PLEASE PRAY FOR....

Michele Nikas Beaman, John Nikas, Joyce Martinez, Dustin Lutze, Sam Halabo, Lisa Smallwood, Eleanor Davis Wallace, Robert and Margie Cruz, Mary Begay, Tonito Arcangel, Juliet Ray, George Arviso, Rose Ramos, Zita Haygood, Lilly Gautreaux, Mark Noriega, Jim Hughes, Laurie Boedicker, Aspen Sergin, Robert Laurel, Janet Vilareal, Paolo Espiritu, Kevin Bethsayag, Tyre Nichols, Jeanette Garcia, Mike Banegas, Bennett Zerrudo, Carol Richardson, Jeff Ashii, Rosario and Paul Estepa, Haley Price, Mark Marquez, Lulu Cabinatan, Michael Martinez, Fr. Earl Henley, MSC, Rudy Duerro, Don Speer, Meta Roubedeaux, Eileen Hansotte, DJ LaChappa, Michael McKnight, Lulu Cabinatan, Donald Lee, Gabriel Marquez, Sr., Joseph Kardian, Bear Cuero, Frances Banegas, Diane Robetkey, Ed Sloan, Cindy McAllister, Flora Keldani and Gene Cortez, Antonio Sunga, Paul Castello, Robert Kuhl, Joyce Rottenberg, Johnny Valencic, Kelly Bonde, Lucinda Thompson, Eva Walters, Spud Brown, Joseph Villaverde, Edna Gomez, Verta Tuck, Jack Ramirez, Rudy Duero, John Holsbo,

Pat Wooley

Please check prayer list and add names as desired.



Retrouvaille Offering Hope for Troubled Marriages

Not willing to let go of your marriage? Many couples continue to struggle, but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope. Retrouvaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It

UPCOMING EVENTS

assists a husband and a wife to re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brough them together.

For more information, visit helpourmarriagesandiego.org.

Sunday Mass is livestreamed @ 8:00 AM, Barona. Just go on Facebook under Herman Manuel



<u>Sunday, October 5</u> – Children's Mass at all reservations.

Sat. Oct 18 and Sun., Oct 19 - World

Mission Sunday collection.
Every year the global Church celebrates missions during the month of October. This celebration a powerful reminder of our shared responsibility to proclaim the Gospel to all nations. It is a day when Catholics around the world unite in prayer and solidarity to support the missionary work of the Church. The theme for this year "Missionaries of Hope among the Peoples" invites us to live our faith and our baptism called to be missionary disciples wherever we find ourselves.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/OCIA

Youth: Barona K-8th (with Alyssa Parada): FRIDAYS at 4:00 PM

Sacramental Education for youth who are pursuing confirmation and Adult classes:

ADULT OCIA ages 18 and older (with Judy Robinson at Barona): **Wednesday** - 6:00 PM

Sunday- BARONA (with Mark Price): 9:00 AM

Sunday - VIEJAS (with Mark Price): 11:30 AM

PASTOR'S CORNER

Seeing the Lazarus at Our Door Reflection on the 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Sunday's Gospel (Luke 16:19–31) brings us the powerful parable of the rich man and Lazarus. The story is sobering: a wealthy man, clothed in luxury, feasts daily while a poor man, Lazarus, lies at his door, longing for scraps. In the end, the roles are reversed: Lazarus is carried to Abraham's side, while the rich man is left in torment.

At its heart, this is not just about wealth and poverty—it is about blindness. The rich man never truly *saw* Lazarus. He walked past him day after day, perhaps stepping over him, but never opened his heart. Jesus is warning us: spiritual blindness leads to eternal separation.

Our communities know what it means to be overlooked. Many Native peoples, immigrants, and those on the margins have long felt unseen or unheard. This Gospel challenges us to be different—to notice, to care, to cross the road toward the one in need. When we see each other as brothers and sisters, God's kingdom begins to break through right here among us.

Like the rich man, we too have received blessings. The question is not whether we have much or little, but how we use what God has given us. Do our choices bring healing, dignity, and hope? Or do they close our eyes and hearts to the cries around us?

A PRAYER

Loving God,

You open our eyes to the poor and our ears to the cry of the suffering.
Help us never to walk past those who need us.

Make us generous in spirit, merciful in heart,

and faithful in using what You have given us to build Your kingdom. May we recognize Christ in the Lazarus at our door,

and may we one day share together the joy of Your eternal banquet. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Who do you identify with – the rich man or Lazarus? Choose to notice others and to reach out to those in need. Support those who serve the poor.

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