



St. Pancratius

CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 14, 2025 | FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Pastor: Fr. Andrew Chung

Associate Pastor: Fr. Miguel A. Cabrera

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Sam & Teresa Montoya

Rectory

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Office Hours

Monday 12:00pm - 4:00pm
Tuesday-Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm
Saturday Closed
Sunday 8:00am - 1:30pm

Office of Family Ministries (Faith Formation)

Phone 562-634-6111 ext. 302

St. Pancratius Elementary School

Phone 562-634-6310
Principal Ms. Melina Ramirez
Website: www.stpanschool.org

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 6:30am
Saturday: 8am, 4:30pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 6:30am, 8am, 9:30am (*Español*) & 11am

Confessions

Saturday: 3:30-4:30pm
First Friday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Adoration

Monday-Friday 5:00pm-7:00pm

Rosary

Monday-Friday 6:15pm



"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life." - John 3:16

"Porque tanto amó Dios al mundo, que le entregó a su Hijo único, para que todo el que crea en él no perezca, sino que tenga vida eterna." - Juan 3:16



Stewardship of Treasure

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sunday Collection	Church	School	Family Ministries
August 3	\$10,733.00	\$10.00	\$160.00
August 10	\$9,973.31	\$241.00	\$82.00
August 17	\$12,303.07	\$123.00	\$50.00
August 24	\$11,859.53	\$443.00	\$288.00
August 31	\$10,491.11	\$101.00	\$25.00
Faith Direct Aug 4	\$12,259.00	\$400.00	\$245.00
Faith Direct Aug 15	\$8,390.00	\$235.00	\$70.00
Total Offertory	\$76,009.02	\$1,553.00	\$920.00
Goals for August	\$60,967.00	\$1,570.00	\$1,115.00

Thank you for your generosity

We also thank all those who contributed to this week's flower fund! Donations can be made directly to the parish. Please make sure to indicate it's for the flower fund.

Called to Renew Campaign Update

(as of 8/31/25):



Parish Goal: \$670,000.00
Total Pledged: \$1,793,299.96
Total Paid: \$938,246.70

***Per campaign policy:** Fifty percent of every dollar collected will be returned to the parish to be used for projects mentioned on their respective case statements. Once the goal is reached, the parish will receive 100% of each dollar collected above goal.

DID YOU KNOW?

Back to school season is a good time to re-fresh children on internet safety

Back-to-school season is an ideal time to refresh internet safety rules with the children in your care. For example, it is helpful to establish clear guidelines like what types of sites children can visit, apps they can download, and when they can have access to electronics. Families can also consider "blackout" periods that require disconnection – possibly during dinner and leading up to bedtime. Netsmartz (<https://www.missingkids.org/netsmartz>) offers resources for keeping children and teens safe online, please visit <https://www.missingkids.org/content/dam/netsmartz/downloadable/tipsheets/Protecting%20Your%20Kids%20Online%200.pdf> for more internet safety tips.

¿SABÍA USTED?

El regreso a clases es un buen momento para repasar con los niños la seguridad en Internet

El regreso a clases es el momento ideal para repasar las reglas de seguridad en Internet con los niños a su cargo. Por ejemplo, es útil establecer pautas claras sobre qué tipo de sitios pueden visitar los niños, qué aplicaciones pueden descargar y cuándo pueden acceder a los dispositivos digitales. Netsmartz (<https://www.missingkids.org/netsmartz/es/home>) ofrece recursos para mantener seguros a los niños y adolescentes en Internet. Visite <https://www.missingkids.org/content/dam/netsmartz/downloadable/tipsheets/Protecting%20Your%20Kids%20Online%200%20ES.pdf> para obtener más consejos sobre la seguridad en Internet.

Today's Gospel reminds us of God's great love for each of, a love so great that He sent His son not to condemn the world, but to save it, so that we might have eternal life.

Is there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of a job or an illness? Please leave a message for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul...we want to help!



Dear St. Pancratius Family,

In light of the Anniversary of 9/11 this past week and other tragic events in recent days, I would like to share with you the words the Late Pope Benedict prayed when he visited Ground Zero:

O God of love, compassion, and healing,
look on us, people of many different faiths and traditions, who gather today at this site,
the scene of incredible violence and pain.

We ask you in your goodness to give eternal light and peace to all who died here—
the heroic first-responders:
our fire fighters, police officers, emergency service workers, and Port Authority personnel,
along with all the innocent men and women who were victims of this tragedy
simply because their work or service brought them here on September 11, 2001.

We ask you, in your compassion
to bring healing to those
who, because of their presence here that day,
suffer from injuries and illness.
Heal, too, the pain of still-grieving families
and all who lost loved ones in this tragedy.
Give them strength to continue their lives with courage and hope.

We are mindful as well of those who suffered death, injury, and loss on the same day at the Pentagon and in Shanksville, Pennsylvania.
Our hearts are one with theirs as our prayer embraces their pain and suffering.

God of peace, bring your peace to our violent world:
peace in the hearts of all men and women
and peace among the nations of the earth.
Turn to your way of love those whose hearts and minds are consumed with hatred.

God of understanding,
overwhelmed by the magnitude of this tragedy,
we seek your light and guidance
as we confront such terrible events.
Grant that those whose lives were spared
may live so that the lives lost here
may not have been lost in vain.
Comfort and console us,
strengthen us in hope,
and give us the wisdom and courage
to work tirelessly for a world
where true peace and love reign
among nations and in the hearts of all.

- Pope Benedict XVI

In light of recent school shootings, such as Minneapolis and Colorado, and the assassination of Charlie Kirk, and the way people have responded to these tragedies, it is clear that the world has fallen into more darkness. May the last two paragraphs of this prayer serve as a reminder and our consolation that Christ is the light that the darkness can never overcome.

In Christ,

Father Miguel

Querida Familia de San Pancracio,

Con motivo del aniversario del 9/11 y otros trágicos sucesos de los últimos días, quisiera compartir con ustedes las palabras que pronunció el difunto Papa Benedicto XVI durante su visita a la Zona Cero:

Oh Dios de amor, compasión y sanación, mira a nosotros, personas de diferentes credos y tradiciones, que nos reunimos hoy en este lugar, escenario de increíble violencia y dolor.

Te pedimos, en tu bondad, que concedas luz y paz eterna a todos los que murieron aquí:
los heroicos socorristas: nuestros bomberos, policías, trabajadores de servicios de emergencia y personal de Port Authority,
junto con todos los hombres y mujeres inocentes que fueron víctimas de esta tragedia
simplemente porque su trabajo o servicio los trajo aquí el 11 de septiembre de 2001.

Te pedimos, en tu compasión,
que brindes sanación a quienes
por su presencia aquí ese día,
sufren lesiones y enfermedades.
Sana también el dolor de las familias que aún están de luto y de todos los que perdieron a sus seres queridos en esta tragedia.
Dales fuerza para continuar sus vidas con valentía y esperanza.

También recordamos a quienes sufrieron muerte, lesiones y pérdidas el mismo día en el Pentágono y en Shanksville, Pennsylvania.
Nuestros corazones se unen a los suyos al abrazar nuestra oración a su dolor y sufrimiento.

Dios de paz, trae tu paz a nuestro mundo violento:
paz en los corazones de todos los hombres y mujeres y paz entre las naciones de la tierra.
Convierte a tu camino de amor a quienes tienen el corazón y la mente consumidos por el odio.

Dios de comprensión,
abrumados por la magnitud de esta tragedia,
buscamos tu luz y guía
al enfrentar estos terribles acontecimientos.
Concede que quienes salvaron su vida
vivan de modo que las vidas perdidas aquí
no hayan sido en vano.
Consuélanos y confortanos,
 fortalécenos en la esperanza,
y danos la sabiduría y valentía
para trabajar incansablemente por un mundo
donde reinen la verdadera paz y el amor
entre las naciones y en los corazones de todos.

- Pope Benedict XVI

Debido a los recientes tiroteos en escuelas, como los de Minneapolis y Colorado, y el asesinato de Charlie Kirk, y la forma en que la gente ha respondido a estas tragedias, es evidente que el mundo se ha sumido en una mayor oscuridad. Que los dos últimos párrafos de esta oración nos sirvan de recordatorio y consuelo de que Cristo es la luz que la oscuridad jamás podrá vencer.

En Cristo,

Padre Miguel

Helping the Homeless

We will be providing food and clothing to our homeless brothers and sisters in Downtown LA on **Sunday, September 14, 2025**. If you would like to join us, please meet behind the rectory garage at 1:15 pm. If you have any questions, please contact George McCurdy 562-477-0485 or Mary McCurdy 562-477-7494. The Feed the Homeless Ministry at St. Pancratius is very grateful for all your support and kind donations each month.

FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, WE ONLY NEED DONATIONS OF:

- Hygiene Supplies (toothpaste, wash cloths, bars of soap, travel size shampoo, lotion, deodorant, hand sanitizer)
- Socks
- Towels
- Blankets
- Women's and Men's T-Shirts
- Women's & Men's Jeans

PLEASE NOTE: NO CHILDREN'S CLOTHES



Pray for Father Joe

Fr. Joe Greeley has recently been diagnosed with tongue cancer and will undergo surgery later this month. During his recovery, he will be unable to speak. If you would like to reach out with messages of support and encouragement,

you may contact him by email at joegreeley47@gmail.com. Let us lift him up in prayer, asking the Lord for healing, strength, and peace during this time.

Oremos por el Padre Joe

El Padre Joe Greeley fue diagnosticado recientemente con cáncer de lengua y será operado a finales de este mes. Durante su recuperación, no podrá hablar. Si desea enviarle mensajes de apoyo y ánimo, puede contactarlo por correo electrónico a joegreeley47@gmail.com. Oremos por él, pidiendo al Señor sanación, fortaleza y paz en estos momentos.

Pilgrim Image of Fatima

The Pilgrim Image of Our Lady of Fatima is available to visit the homes of our parishioners throughout the year. This is a beautiful opportunity to welcome Our Lady into your home and dedicate some time to prayer and reflection. To sign up, please contact Marlene De Vera (562-541-4796). Let us open our hearts and homes to Our Lady's message of peace and conversion.

Virgen Peregrina de Fatima

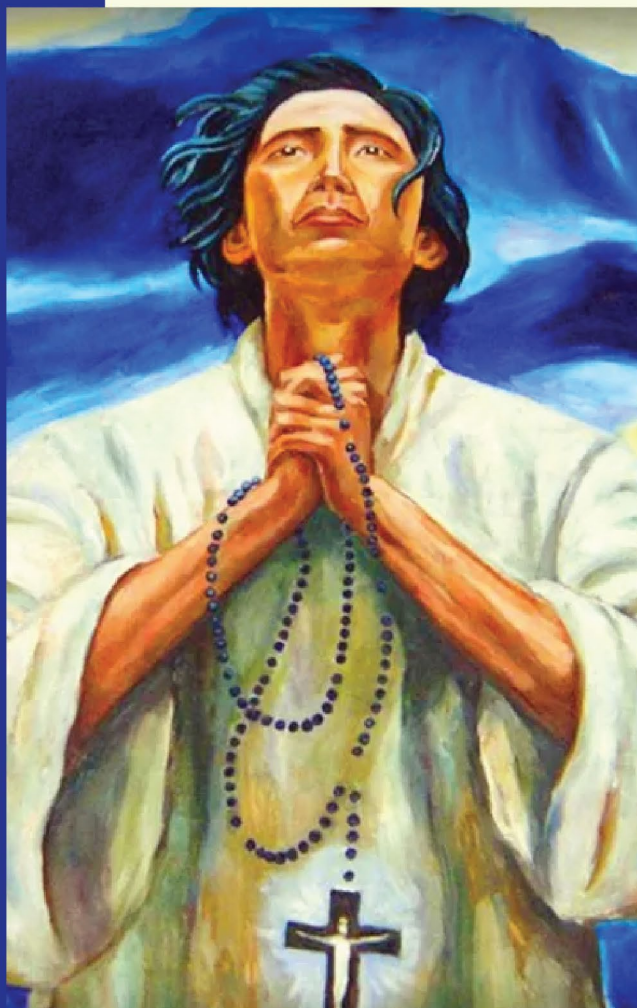
La Imagen Peregrina de Nuestra Señora de Fátima está disponible para visitar los hogares de nuestros feligreses durante todo el año. Esta es una hermosa oportunidad para recibir a la Virgen en su hogar y dedicar un tiempo a la oración y reflexión. Para inscribirse, simplemente anote su nombre en la lista ubicada en la entrada principal de la iglesia. Abramos nuestro corazón y hogar al mensaje de paz y conversión de Nuestra Señora.



ST. PANCRATIUS
CATHOLIC CHURCH

SAN *Lorenzo Ruiz*

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NOVENA: SEPTEMBER 17 - 25

September 17	6:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Guadalupe Patio Area
September 18	6:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Guadalupe Patio Area
September 19	6:00 p.m.	Family Ministries Center
September 20	3:00 p.m.	Church
September 21	3:00 p.m.	Church
September 22	6:00 p.m.	Family Ministries Center
September 23	6:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Guadalupe Patio Area
September 24	6:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Guadalupe Patio Area
September 25	6:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Guadalupe Patio Area

FEAST DAY: SEPTEMBER 26

Mass at 6:00 p.m.

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS
MSGR. DANIEL KIELTY COUNCIL



\$25

**INCLUDES LUNCH
& PROGRAM**



RSVP BY SEPT. 12 to
GREG BARLOW

562-303-2553

or
BARDILLO@GMAIL.COM

Checks payable to
Knights of Columbus Council 10140
or Zelle to Tom Bray at 951-756-3738

2025 PAST GRAND KNIGHTS LUNCHEON & COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS

SUNDAY, SEPT. 21 | 1 PM

RICCI'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT, 16601 Bellflower Blvd, Bellflower

OUR HONOREES

3 tireless volunteers
serving St. Pancratius
parish & the
Knights of Columbus



LISA HORVATH



PAMELA ENGO



SHARON BAKER

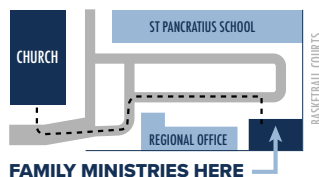
ST PANCRATIUS SEPTEMBER SCHEDULE

CHURCH CLOSED DURING
THE WEEK DUE TO RENOVATIONS

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

6:30AM MASS

MOVED TO THE
FAMILY MINISTRIES
CENTER
(No Livestream)



ADORATION

STARTING SEPTEMBER 8TH FROM 5PM - 7PM

MONDAYS in the Family Ministries Center

TUESDAYS - Canceled

WEDNESDAYS - Canceled

THURSDAYS - Canceled

FRIDAYS in the Family Ministries Center



SAN PANCRACIO HORARIO DE SEPTIEMBRE

IGLESIA CERRADA DURANTE LA SEMANA
DEBIDO A RENOVACIONES

LUNES A VIERNES

MISA 6:30AM

SERÁ EN AL CENTRO
DE MINISTERIOS
FAMILIARES
(No transmisión en vivo)



ADORACIÓN

A PARTIR DEL 8 DE SEPTIEMBRE DE 5PM-7PM

LUNES en el Centro de Ministerios Familiares

MARTES - Cancelado

MIÉRCOLES - Cancelado

JUEVES - Cancelado

VIERNES en el Centro de Ministerios Familiares

SATURDAY & SUNDAY MASSES IN THE CHURCH

SÁBADO Y DOMINGO MISAS EN LA IGLESIA

From St. Cyprian's Church:

FOREVER Changed

Grieving the Loss of Someone You Love

St. Cyprian's Bereavement Ministry is offering a compassionate six-week program for individuals who have experienced the loss of a loved one. This supportive group provides a safe and welcoming environment to explore the many aspects of grief, share personal stories, express emotions, foster meaningful connections, and begin to rediscover hope.



Starting October 4th
Saturdays 9am-Noon



Parish Center

Space Limited!

ST. PANCRATIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Pan Youth Ministry Bible Study & Fellowship

MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL ARE WELCOMED!

Wednesday's 5:00pm - 6:00pm

LOCATION: FAMILY MINISTRY CENTER

**FOOD &
BEER**

**COSTUME
CONTEST**

**GRAND
RAFFLE**

PTO PRESENTS

FALL FEST

**TRUNK OR
TREAT**

OKTOBERFEST

**ST. PANCRATIUS
SCHOOL CAMPUS**
3601 SAINT PANCRATIUS PL.
LAKEWOOD, CA 90712



SATURDAY, OCT. 18
4:00 PM - 9:30 PM
(COSTUME CONTEST AT 5:30PM)
(TRUNK OR TREAT 6:30PM-8:30PM)

St. Pancratius Parish School 2025 Fall Raffle

A decorative swirl of autumn leaves in shades of yellow, orange, and red, starting from the top right and curving down towards the left, framing the title.

It's that time again! St. Pancratius School is having its annual Fall Raffle.

Ways you can help:

- 1) Purchase raffle tickets after the Sunday morning masses on Sunday, September 28th and Sunday, October 5th.**
- 2) Have a business or a family sponsor our Fall Raffle to help defray our event costs. Pick up a flyer by the church doors or download a copy of the sponsorship flyer on our school website at www.stpanschool.org.**

Drawing will be held on Saturday, October 18th at St. Pancratius School during our Trunk or Treat event. Tickets are \$2.00 each or \$50.00 for a book.

Thank you for your support!

Grand Prize \$3,000.00 Cash

2nd Prize \$1,500.00 Cash

3rd Prize \$1,000.00 Cash

4th Prize \$500.00 Cash

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St. Pancratius School Annual Fall Raffle

Saturday, October 18, 2025



Sponsor the 2025 Fall Raffle!

St. Pancratius School is asking for your help to make this year's annual Fall Raffle event our best ever! Please show your parish and community spirit by sponsoring our event! Both businesses and families are welcome to sponsor our event. All sponsors names will be placed on a banner, to be displayed on our school grounds. Deadline for sponsors to be placed on our banner is Sunday, September 28, 2025. All proceeds go to St. Pancratius School.

Please choose from one of the following levels:



Green Leaf
Level
\$100



Red Leaf
Level
\$500



Gold Leaf
Level
\$1000

St. Pancratius School Sponsorship Form

Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Business or Family Name: _____

Indicate Level: ☐ **Green Leaf (\$100)** ☐ **Red Leaf (\$500)** ☐ **Gold Leaf (\$1000)**

Logo Provided: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, email logo in PEG or PNG form to: asaldana@stpanschool.org

I have enclosed my check for \$_____ made payable to: **St. Pancratius School.**



ST. PANCRATIUS PARISH SCHOOL



Voted Lakewood's
Best Elementary
School!

We are now accepting applications for the

2025 -2026 school year.

Please call the school office at
(562) 634-6310 if you are interested in
enrollment or a campus tour.

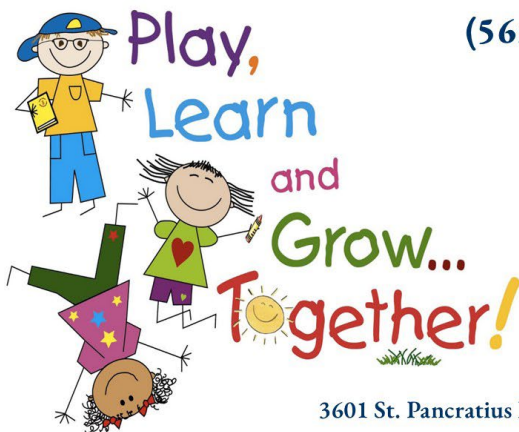
Small Class Sizes

Stem Lab

Spanish, Music, PE

Christ Centered Curriculum

Financial Aid Available



3601 St. Pancratius Place Lakewood, CA 90712 www.stpanschool.org

Tuition Assistance for a Catholic Education



**Your student could be eligible
for a tuition award!**

A TK-8th Grade School. Ask us about the
New Enrollment Initiative today!



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