



St. Pancratius

CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 6, 2026 | TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Pastor: Fr. Andrew Chung

Associate Pastor: Fr. Miguel A. Cabrera

Deacon Couples: Romeo & Priscilla (Baby) Ligot,
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 Mrs. Peggy Weber

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

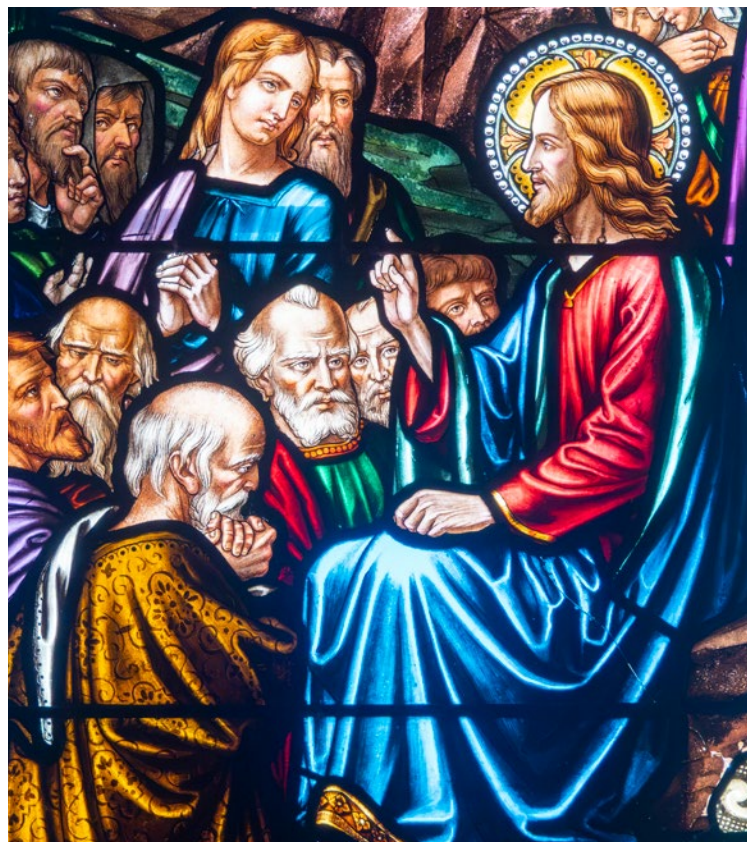
First Friday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Adoration

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

Rosary

Monday-Friday 6:15pm



"Amen, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." - Matthew 18:18

"Yo les aseguro que todo lo que aten en la tierra, quedará atado en el cielo, y todo lo que desaten en la tierra, quedará desatado en el cielo" - Mateo 18:18



Stewardship of Treasure

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sunday Collection	Church	School	Family Ministries
July 5	\$8,327.66	\$70.00	\$716.00
July 12	\$4,676.30	\$215.00	\$81.00
July 19	\$6,886.55	\$837.00	\$130.00
July 26	\$6,696.09	\$120.00	\$35.00
Online Giving	\$16,618.00	\$585.00	\$185.00
Total Offertory	\$43,204.06	\$1,827.00	\$1,147.00
Goals for July	\$39,000.00	\$1,600.00	\$1,600.00

Thank you for your generosity

BLUE BUILDING FUND ENVELOPES

We remain committed to building and maintaining a campus that reflects the many blessings God has bestowed upon us. To support these efforts, we have begun an initiative to strengthen our parish building fund. You will notice that the general green envelopes have been replaced with **BLUE BUILDING FUND** envelopes. They will also be added to the rotation of envelopes that are mailed to you. Contributions made through these envelopes will be designated specifically for parish improvements and maintenance, helping us continue both current and future projects.

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 08/31/26):



Parish Goal: \$670,000.00
Total Pledged: \$1,779,008.96
Total Paid: \$1,237,547.74

***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 safety tips

As your children head back to school, parents should begin laying the groundwork (if they haven't already) for open communication about the school's safety guidelines and policies. Talk to children about safe adults and keep lines of communication open about who they see and interact with, how they feel about their school days, and what they are learning. Remind children regularly that they should find a safe adult if they ever feel unsafe or uncomfortable in any situation. For more tips please visit <https://www.missingkids.org/education/back-to-school>.

¿SABÍA USTED?

Consejos de seguridad para el regreso a la escuela

Ahora que sus hijos vuelven a clases, los padres deben empezar a sentar las bases (si aún no lo han hecho) para mantener una comunicación abierta sobre las directrices y políticas de seguridad de su escuela. Hable con los niños sobre los adultos seguros y mantenga abiertas las líneas de comunicación sobre con quiénes se relacionan, cómo se sientan durante el día escolar y qué están aprendiendo. Recuérdeles regularmente que deben buscar a un adulto seguro si se sienten inseguros o incómodos en cualquier situación. Para más consejos visite <https://www.missingkids.org/education/back-to-school#espanol>

In today's Gospel, Jesus says:
 "...where two or three are gathered
 in my name, there am I in the midst
 of them."



Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we help them to know that indeed "God is in the midst of them."

Dear St. Pancratius Family,

It is with great joy that I share with all of you that Archbishop José Gomez will be with us on September 27 at 3:00 p.m. for a special Mass to dedicate our new altar and bless the various fixtures, statues, and improvements we have made to our sanctuary. This truly is a monumental moment in the life of our parish as we come together to celebrate the blessing of our newly renovated sanctuary. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us!

Our school year has begun successfully, and we are grateful for your continued support, especially through your participation in and sponsorship of our Fall Raffle. We are currently in the process of installing temporary portable air conditioning units in the classrooms. We have also completed painting the exterior of the school, repaving and painting the school patio, and remodeling much of the hall. Next week, we will be installing a new AV system in the hall, which will be a wonderful resource not only for our school but also for the parish and our many community gatherings.

Our First Communion and Confirmation programs are off to a great start, and OCIA will soon be following suit.

As the year continues to ramp up, we are excited not only about the physical improvements taking place throughout our parish and school, but even more so about the lives and hearts that will come to know Jesus and experience the love of God through the dedication of our volunteers, staff, and fellow parishioners.

I truly feel privileged and blessed to serve all of you alongside Fr. Miguel, our deacons, and our hardworking parish and school staff. Thank you for your continued prayers, support, and commitment to our St. Pancratius family.

May we continue to pray, serve, and work together—all for the greater glory of God!
In Christ,

Father Andrew

Estimada familia de San Pancracio:

Es una gran alegría compartir con todos ustedes que el Arzobispo José Gómez nos acompañará el 27 de septiembre a las 3:00 p. m. para una Misa especial con el fin de dedicar nuestro nuevo altar y bendecir los diversos elementos, imágenes y mejoras que hemos realizado en nuestro santuario. Este es verdaderamente un momento trascendental en la vida de nuestra parroquia, al reunirnos para celebrar la bendición de nuestro santuario recién renovado. ¡Por favor, marquen sus calendarios y planeen acompañarnos!

Nuestro año escolar ha comenzado con éxito y estamos agradecidos por su continuo apoyo, especialmente a través de su participación y patrocinio en nuestra Rifa de Otoño. Actualmente estamos en proceso de instalar unidades portátiles temporales de aire acondicionado en las aulas. También hemos terminado de pintar el exterior de la escuela, repavimentar y pintar el patio escolar, y remodelar gran parte del salón parroquial. La próxima semana instalaremos un nuevo sistema audiovisual en el salón, lo cual será un recurso maravilloso no solo para nuestra escuela, sino también para la parroquia y nuestras numerosas reuniones comunitarias.

Nuestros programas de Primera Comunión y Confirmación han tenido un excelente comienzo, y el OCIA pronto seguirá el mismo camino.

A medida que avanza el año, nos entusiasman no solo las mejoras físicas que se están llevando a cabo en nuestra parroquia y escuela, sino aún más las vidas y los corazones que llegarán a conocer a Jesús y a experimentar el amor de Dios gracias a la dedicación de nuestros voluntarios, el personal y los demás feligreses.

Realmente me siento privilegiado y bendecido de servirles a todos junto al Padre Miguel, nuestros diáconos y el dedicado personal de la parroquia y la escuela. Gracias por sus oraciones, apoyo y compromiso con nuestra familia de San Pancracio.

¡Sigamos orando, sirviendo y trabajando juntos, todo para la mayor gloria de Dios!

En Cristo,

Padre Andrew

Make Up Training

Altar Servers

Friday, Sept 11 at 7pm

For more information please contact
Chely: stpanresec@gmail.com

OCIA

(Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

AN INVITATION TO THOSE EXPLORING CATHOLICISM OR THOSE WANTING TO COMPLETE THEIR SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION
(Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation):

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW
SOMEONE WHO....

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Has never been baptized, or someone that has been baptized in a different Christian faith & is interested in learning about the Catholic faith?
- Has been baptized in the Catholic faith but has not been fully initiated into the Church by receiving the Sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation?

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) provides you with an opportunity to study and reflect on Sacred Scripture and Church teaching, to learn about Catholic tradition and practice, and to pray and worship with us. The Catholic Community of St. Pancratius OCIA team welcomes everyone who may be at this point in their spiritual journey. Classes will commence on Sunday, September 20, 2026.

For more information on this invitation, please [CLICK HERE](#) or visit the parish website to fill out the **Interest Form**.



Monday, September 7

There will only be one Mass at 9:00 a.m.
The Parish Office will be closed.

Lunes, 7 de septiembre

Solo habrá una misa a las 9:00 a.m.
La oficina parroquial estará cerrada.

Helping the Homeless

IMPORTANT UPDATE:

Effective immediately, we are NO longer able to accept clothing donations for the "Helping the Homeless" Ministry. We kindly ask that you do not leave clothing donations at the Parish Office or on parish property. Due to limited storage space and our inability to process these items, any clothing donations left after this notice will be discarded. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

NEW MEETING LOCATION

We will be providing food and hygiene kits to our homeless brothers and sisters in Downtown LA on Sunday, September 13. If you would like to join us, please meet by the FAMILY MINISTRIES CENTER at 1:15 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact George McCurdy 562-477-0485 or Mary McCurdy 562-477-7494.

VIRTUS Sessions

Protecting God's Children

(3 Hour Session, English)

Saturday, September 19

8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Parish Hall

Keeping the Promise Alive

(1.5 Hour Recertification, English)

Tuesday, September 22

6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Parish Hall

Minors are NOT allowed at any of these sessions. Please arrive at least 10 minutes before the scheduled start time to check-in.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to register for a VIRTUS Session

Serious Illness Group

Join us on

Monday, September 14th at 6:30pm

All are welcome (including spouses, care-givers, friends & relatives).

We encourage you to bring a poem, scripture reading or anything that brings you comfort. These faith-based meetings are held at the Tanner Residence: 5530 Wagner Ave, Lakewood.

Please Contact Diane if you have any questions: 562-896-2405.



MOVIMIENTO FAMILIAR CRISTIANO

ARQUIDIÓCESIS DE LOS ÁNGELES

Pláticas Prematrimoniales



DOMINGO,

**13 DE SEPTIEMBRE
2026**



DOMINGO,

**4 DE OCTUBRE
2026**



PARA MAYOR INFORMACIÓN:

Daniel y Socorro Salas



(213) 587-2216

Secretaría de Apostolado Externo



www.mfc-losangeles.org



St. Pancratius School Annual Fall Raffle

Saturday, October 17, 2026



Sponsor the 2026 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 27, 2026. 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.**



Pilgrim Guadalupe

The Pilgrim Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe 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 compassion and hope.

Guadalupe Peregrina

La Imagen Peregrina de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe 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 o comuníquese con Marlene De Vera (562-541-4796). Abramos nuestro corazón y hogar al mensaje de esperanza y compasión de Nuestra Señora.

Tuition Assistance for a Catholic Education



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INTO THE BREACH



BIBLE STUDY FOR MEN

- One Monday per month at 7:00 p.m.
- Location: Family Ministries Center
- Sessions will be led by Fr. Miguel Cabrera

Into the Breach is a 12-episode video series and study guide developed by the Knights of Columbus, inspired by Bishop Thomas J. Olmsted's apostolic exhortation, designed to help Catholic men embrace authentic masculinity, deepen their faith, and engage in spiritual battle. The series covers themes like masculinity, brotherhood, leadership, fatherhood, prayer, and the sacraments.

~~June 15, 2026~~
~~July 27, 2026~~
~~Aug. 17, 2026~~
Sept. 21, 2026
Oct. 19, 2026
Nov 16, 2026
Dec. 21, 2026
Jan. 18, 2027
Feb. 15, 2027
March 15, 2027
April 19, 2027
May 17, 2027

Movimiento Familiar Cristiano



Las parejas están cordialmente invitadas a unirse al **Movimiento Familiar Cristiano (MFC)**, un ministerio que promueve los valores cristianos y la dignidad humana en la familia.

El MFC ofrece un programa organizado y espacio para fomentar matrimonios mas unidos, mayor comprension entre padres e hijos, promoviendo valores en la familia y en la comunidad.

Se reúne cada quince días en pequeños grupos (5-6 parejas) con un estudio guiado por una pareja facilitadora y sobre varios temas distintos.

Descubran cómo pueden fortalecer juntos su vida matrimonial y familiar!

**Las inscripciones abren en agosto
y el programa inicia en Septiembre**

Para mas informacion, comunicarse con
Angel y Marcela Perez
El: (213) 835-8254 | Ella: (213) 835-8252
Email: mfcsanpancracio@gmail.com

O ¡Escanea aquí para
compartir su
información y nos
pondremos en contacto!



Red Robin® will give

**20% OF FOOD SALES*
BACK TO**

ST. PANCRATIUS SCHOOL

**Show this flyer or simply mention the fundraiser to
your server to have your sales counted.**

FUNDRAISER DETAILS

112 Lakewood Center Mall, Lakewood, CA 90712

September 24, 2026*

If ordering online, please follow these instructions:

- 1** Start your order at redrobin.com/order and select the restaurant above.
- 2** In the menu, go to the category labeled "Fundraisers (To-Go Only)" and click on that item.
- 3** Click the "add" button, and then "add to bag."
- 4** Add your meal items and check out.
- 5** Arrive at Red Robin, come in, say hi, grab your food and be on your way! If your location has curbside pick-up, we can bring it to your car too!

*Fundraiser during restaurant operating hours. Visit redrobin.com and find this location to view hours. Donation based on all eligible net dine-in and to-go food sales only. Excludes sales from catering (at select locations), 3rd party ordering and delivery sites, alcohol, gift cards, retail, tax and gratuity. Offer void if flyer is distributed in or near the restaurant during fundraiser day & hours.

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