ST. JOHN VIANNEY CHAPEL

314 Marine Avenue • Balboa Island, CA 92662-1206 ***msgr.lbaird@olmc.net*** **Church: (949) 675-2221**
Office: (949) 673-3775 x1 Office Fax: (949) 673-3801 Office Hours: 9 a.m. - Noon and 1 - 4 p.m.
Web site: ***www.olmc.net***
Administrator: Reverend Monsignor Lawrence J. Baird, P.A.

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
NOVEMBER 27, 2016

Sunday Eucharist
Saturday Vigil ……....5:00 p.m.

Sunday…..8:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m.
and 10:00 a.m.
Weekday Eucharist
Monday through Friday…..7:45 a.m.
Holy Day Eucharist
Holy Day……..…..…7:45 a.m.
Rosary
Monday through Friday…..7:15 a.m.
Eucharistic Adoration
The fourth day of every month unless the fourth day falls on Sunday or a national holiday.
Sacrament of the Sick
In the event of a serious illness or a medical emergency, Monsignor Baird should be contacted immediately so that the Sacraments of the Church may be celebrated.
Funerals
At the death of a loved one, please notify Monsignor Baird so that a date and time for the Funeral Liturgy may be arranged.
Sacrament of Matrimony
Registration and preparation are required. Please contact the parish office six months in advance of desired wedding date. At least one member of the engaged couple must be a practicing Catholic and a member of the Chapel at least one year prior to the wedding date.
Baptisms
Baptisms are *usually* scheduled for the first Sunday of every month. Sacramental preparation is requested for parents and Godparents. A Godparent must be a practicing and confirmed Catholic and, if married, married in the Church.
Communion to the Sick
Please call the parish office to arrange.

Altar Servers
Julie Kelly
Bereavement Ministry
Alanna Psomas
Eucharistic Ministers
Dick Dickson
Knights of Columbus
Jeff Graass
Lectors
Carrie Young
Money Counters
Larry Di Sano
Music
Lawrence Kolakowski, Director
Respect Life
Linda Chaix
Ushers
Gary Jennison
Wedding Coordinator
Diane Lewis
Women's Guild
Joan Dickenson

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

First Reading — All the peoples shall stream toward the LORD's house.
(Isaiah 2:1-5)

Psalm — Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.
(Psalm 122)

Second Reading — It is the hour to cast off the dark and clothe ourselves in the light.
(Romans 13:11-14)

Gospel — Stay awake! Be prepared! The Son of Man will come when you least expect.
(Matthew 24:37-44)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK NOVEMBER 28 - DECEMBER 4

Monday:	Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday:	Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday:	Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
Thursday:	Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday:	Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
Saturday:	Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8
Sunday:	Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

Monsignor's Message

In response to your generosity for **ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES, USA (AMS)** a check in the amount of **$3,713.00** was sent to the Diocese of Orange.

MONSIGNOR BAIRD

ENGLISH TOFFEE SALE SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

The ***Founders Guild of Casa Teresa*** will be selling locally-made English Toffee after all Sunday Masses next weekend.

Proceeds will benefit the women and babies of Casa Teresa and the Emergency Maternity Shelter.

SPIN CHRISTMAS WREATHS DECEMBER 3 - 4

Ordered wreaths will be distributed next weekend.

ST. JOHN VIANNEY CHAPEL CHRISTMAS PARTY

O what fun …

Come one, come all to the St. John Vianney Christmas party On Sunday, December 11 At the Balboa Yacht Club From 5:30 - 9:00 P.M.

Special performance by the Carmelite Sisters

Please see flyer for details
Any further questions, please contact LISA ZIMMERMANN lisa@zmrmn.com / (949) 702-0854

"ADOPT A FAMILY FOR CHRISTMAS PROGRAM" DECEMBER 3 - 4

Thank you to all those who signed up last weekend to adopt a family for Christmas. We still have families that need to be adopted. If you are interested or have any questions, please call **RICHELE LOWERY** at *(949) 631-2107* or **LOUISE WINDERS** at *(949) 673-4242*.

Remember to bring all wrapped and labeled gifts to *O'Donnell Hall* at **OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH** no later than **SATURDAY** and **SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3** and **4,** between the hours of **8:30 A.M. and 6 P.M.**

"As mariners are guided into port by the shining of a star, so Christians are guided to heaven by Mary."
- Saint Thomas Aquinas

The OLMC **Monthly Speakers Series 2016** *and the Notre Dame Club of Orange County, are co-sponsoring a* UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME
HESBURGH LECTURE SERIES PRESENTATION

"Our Lady of Guadalupe: Faith and Tradition"

With guest speaker:

Timothy M. Matovina, Ph.D.
Professor Theology
Executive Director, Institute for Latino Studies
University of Notre Dame

The **Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe** in Mexico City is the most visited pilgrimage site in the Western hemisphere. **Saint John Paul II** acclaimed **Guadalupe** as the **patroness of the Americas**. This presentation examines the ever-expanding **influence** of Guadalupe in both the **Church** and **society**.

Mark your calendars...

Thursday evening ..... December 8
7:30 - 9:00 PM ..... O'Donnell Hall
All Parishioners Invited ..... Open to the Public
No Admission Charge ..... Free-will offering at the Door

For more information, contact Greg Kelley, OLMC Director of Adult Education and Faith Formation at **(949) 645-4540**

HOLIDAY CONCERT
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6

The **Holiday Concert** features a medley of piano, strings and vocalists presenting your favorite holiday music along with selections from the Nutcracker Suite and begins at **7 p.m.**

Tickets are $20 for adults and $10 for children under 12 and are available for purchase at Island Home Décor on Marine Avenue.

MATTHEW KELLY IS COMING
UCI BREN CENTER
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 (6:00 P.M. - 10:30 P.M.)

Do you feel stuck in a rut either physically, emotionally, intellectually or spiritually? Do you want to make changes in your life but you aren't sure where to start? Are you searching for clarity about who you are, what you are here for, what matters most, and what matters least?

Join America's bestselling Catholic author, **MATTHEW KELLY**, and special musical guest, **ELIOT MORRIS**, for ***"Living Every Day with Passion and Purpose"***. Matthew will inspire you!

To purchase your tickets, visit *DynamicCatholic.com/Irvine* or call **Dynamic Catholic** at *(859) 980-7900*.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	***First Sunday of Advent***
Wednesday:	***St. Andrew***
Thursday:	***World AIDS Awareness Day***
Friday:	***First Friday***
Saturday:	***St. Francis Xavier; First Saturday***

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8

Masses at the **Chapel** will be celebrated at **7:45 a.m.**

Masses at **OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH** will be celebrated on **Wednesday, December 7, at 5:30 p.m.** and **Thursday, December 8, at 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.**

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
Working to End Poverty and Injustice in the United States

NATIONAL NEEDS COLLECTION

Thank you for your contributions to the collection for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)!**

Through CCHD and its beneficiaries, we demonstrate Catholic social teaching and carry out Jesus' mission to "bring glad tidings to the poor … to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free." (Lk 4:18)

MAGNIFICAT PRAYER BREAKFAST
EMBASSY SUITES
ANAHEIM - SOUTH
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

The speaker will be worship leader and inspirational speaker, **SUSAN POTVIN.** Her topic is "*Sing to God … A Father to the Fatherless*"! Join everyone at **9:30 a.m.** for the powerful story of how God's grace helped Susan overcome a sense of failure and an orphan spirit.

Flyers are available at the entrance of the Chapel.