# SANTACLARADEASIS

May 11 & 12, 20<mark>24</mark> Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord



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# MASS SCHEDULE

#### Saturday | 5pm

#### Sunday

8am



5pm

Monday-Saturday | 8:30am

# RECONCILIATION

Saturdays | 3:30 pm

# OFFICE

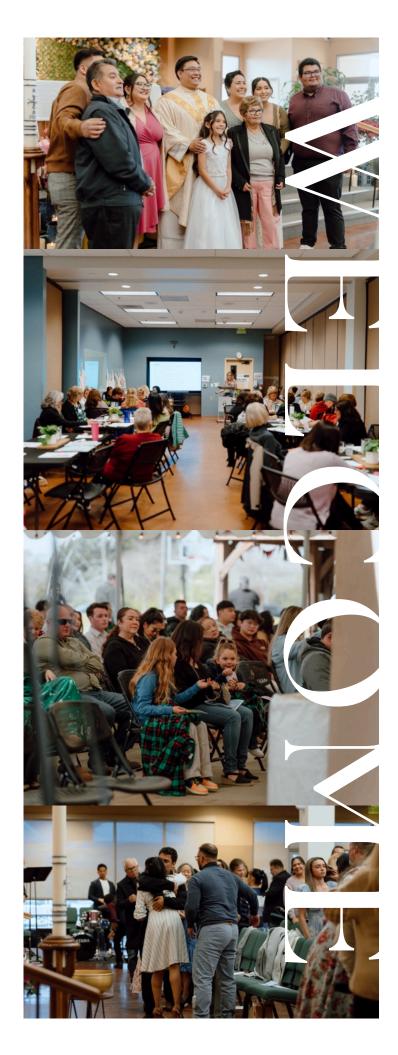
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# LIFE AT SCDA









### HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

Happy Mother's Day to all of our incredible moms here at SCDA. You are amazing and we are grateful for each and every one of you.

# EMBRACE: GRIEF & LOSS SUPPORT GROUP

Grief is experienced in so many ways—physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Being with other grievers can make your grief easier to carry. While every loss is unique, having the support of others who have experienced loss and understand your feelings can be comforting. EMBRACE is a safe environment where one can tell her/his story and express feelings freely, knowing that others will understand and be supportive. The next meeting will be on **May 15** at 6:30PM in the conference room. All are welcome!

# **5TH GRADERS @ MSM YOUTH NIGHT**

Attention 5th graders! Come and see what middle school ministry is all about!" Dinner, games & fellowship 6:30PM-8PM on Wednesday, **May 15**!

# MEN AWAKEN

Our group is rooted in the desire to grow in our everyday relationship with God. Men Awaken challenges each of use to be the best man, husband, father, friend, coworker and follower of Christ that we can be! We meet Thursday mornings as the sun rises and breakfast burritos and coffee will be served! Join us this Thursday, **May 16**, at 6AM.

### YOUNG ADULT MEET UP

Our College+ group meets every other Wednesday. We pray, we chat, we fellowship. Come and join the fun! Join us for our next Young Adult Meeting this Wednesday, **May 22**, from 8:30PM – 9:30PM.

# ADORATION IN SUMMER

**SAVE THE DATE!** Join your SCDA community for Adoration in Summer and a Night Under the Stars! We have 3 dates for you to save! **June 21, July 26, August 16** Adoration will be from 6PM – 7PM and after we will gather for to EAT at 7PM! The main course will be provided, but you are encouraged to bring *appetizers* and *wine* to share with friends. There will be a dessert truck and music!

# **STAY UP TO DATE!**

Want to stay up to date on what we have going on here at SCDA?



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# **READINGS** Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

# **READING 1**

In the first book, Theophilus, I dealt with all that Jesus did and taught until the day he was taken up, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. He presented himself alive to them by many proofs after he had suffered, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While meeting with them, he enjoined them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for "the promise of the Father about which you have heard me speak; for John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." When they had gathered together they asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" He answered them, "It is not for you to know the times or seasons that the Father has established by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." When he had said this, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight. While they were looking intently at the sky as he was going, suddenly two men dressed in white garments stood beside them. They said, "Men of Galilee, why are you standing there looking at the sky? This Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven will return in the same way as you have seen him going into heaven."

# READING 2

Brothers and sisters: May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, give you a Spirit of wisdom and revelation resulting in knowledge of him. May the eyes of your hearts be enlightened, that you may know what is the hope that belongs to his call, what are the riches of glory in his inheritance among the holy ones, and what is the surpassing greatness of his power for us who believe, in accord with the exercise of his great might, which he worked in Christ, raising him from the dead and seating him at his right hand in the heavens, far above every principality, authority, power, and dominion, and every name that is named not only in this age but also in the one to come. And he put all things beneath his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, which is his body, the fullness of the one who fills all things in every way.

# GOSPEL

Jesus said to his disciples: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved; whoever does not believe will be condemned. These signs will accompany those who believe: in my name they will drive out demons, they will speak new languages. They will pick up serpents with their hands, and if they drink any deadly thing, it will not harm them. They will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover." So then the Lord Jesus, after he spoke to them, was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God. But they went forth and preached everywhere, while the Lord worked with them and confirmed the word through accompanying signs.

# REFLECTION

#### Mk 16:15-20

Eph 1:17-23

# Acts 1:1-11

Gathering: <u>HE IS EXALTED</u>

Twila Paris  $\ensuremath{\mathbb{C}}$  1985 Straightway Music / Mountain Spring Music

1. He is exalted the King is exalted on high / I will praise Him / He is exalted forever exalted and I / will praise His name.

He is the Lord / forever His truth shall reign / Heaven and earth / rejoice in His holy name / He is exalted the King is exalted on high!

#### Responsorial Psalm: PSALM 47

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God mounts His throne to shouts of joy / a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

#### **Profession of Faith : The Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages, God from God, light from light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### Preparation of the Gifts: <u>AVE MARIA</u>

Franz Schubert (The Hail Mary Prayer)

#### **ONE SACRIFICE OF CHRIST**

Rick Modlin & Robert Feduccia © 2013 Spirit & Song

1. One sacrifice of Christ / one throne above the heavens / Christ has risen as He said / and will come to wake the dead / Christ will return to set us free / One sacrifice of love / one message for the nations / Jesus suffered died and rose / and ascended to the throne / Christ will return to save the world.

2. One gaze we lift above / where Love was drawn to heaven / We stand watchful through the night / for our King to come in light / heirs to the glory of the Lamb / One mighty Word of truth / Christ did arise in triumph / Now He sits upon the throne / God's right hand is He alone / Christ reigns in splendor over all.

3. One banquet richly set / for all God's holy people / We will dine in joy and peace / and our song will never cease / praising the Lamb upon the throne / One shout of joy we raise / one voice in exaltation / For in glory Christ has gone / and in hope we now are drawn / to one sacrifice of Christ / one sacrifice of Christ.

#### Communion: IN THIS PLACE

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1. We are all hungry people / we need shelter and strength / We are one in our hurting / we are one in our pain / In our suffering and sadness / we are saved by the grace / of the power and the Spirit / that is here in this place.

#### We are gathered at table / as one in the Lord / We are gathered as people / who are living the Word / Our hearts and our spirits / are nurtured by grace / It is Jesus who fills us / He is here in this place.

2. All our lives are a mystery / we see not where they lead / We are asked now to trust you / and we know we must believe / As our feet become Christ's feet / we go forth with the grace / of the power and the Spirit / that is here in this place.

3. Though the world may tell us / to look at ourselves / we reach out to another / where suffering dwells / As our hands become Christ's hands / we are healed by the grace / of the power and the Spirit / that is here in this place.

4. In the bread that is broken / is the Christ that restores / As we take now receive him / we find love evermore / As the bread becomes Body / we are filled with the grace / of the power and the Spirit / that is here in this place.

#### SEND ME

Brandon Lake, Jenn Johnson & Kari Jobe © 2020 Brandon Lake Music

1. If it's bandaging the broken / or washing filthy feet / Here I am Lord / send me / If it's loving one another / even when we don't agree / Here I am Lord / send me.

2. If I'm poor or if I'm wealthy / I'll serve You just the same / Here I am Lord / send me / On the mountain or the valley / I will choose to praise / Here I am Lord / send me.

#### If I'm known by how I love / let my life reflect how much I love You / I love You / And before You even ask / oh my answer will be yes / 'cause I love You / I love You.

3. If the truth cuts like an arrow / I will say it anyway /

'cause here I am Lord / send me / If it's means that they'll reject me / Lord I will still obey / Here I am Lord / send me.

4. When I'm standing in Your glory / I'll be glad I chose to say / Here I am Lord send me / Well done good and faithful / I live to hear You say / Here I am Lord / send me.

#### \*Recessional: BE LIFTED HIGH

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1. Your voice is over the water / Your voice is over the seas / Your voice is mighty in power and wisdom and love and charity / The heavens thunder Your glory / The heavens testify / The heavens shine in the darkness for all of the nations a holy light.

#### And You will be / (exalted) / And You will be / (lifted high) / And You will be / our Savior forever and ever Our God be glorified!

2. You have made us your chosen / You have set us apart / You have poured out your spirit and started a fire within our hearts. (2x)

(*Bridge*): Can I get an Amen / Can I get a witness / Can I get an Amen / Can I get a witness / You will be exalted / You will be lifted high /You will be exalted / You will be lifted high!

# YOUTH REMINDERS

HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY

TUES 630PM

#### NO HSM HANG OUT THIS WEEK!

MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY

WED 630PM

MSM YOUTH NIGHT | MAY 15 630PM - 8PM

UPCOMING EVENTS

SOON

ATTENTION 5TH GRADERS! COME AND SEE WHAT MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY IS ALL ABOUT!" DINNER, GAMES & FELLOWSHIP 6:30PM-8PM ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 15!

**STEUBENVILLE 2024 | JULY 12–14 | TUSCON, AZ** \*OPEN TO GRADUATING 8–12 GRADERS \***WE HAVE A FEW SPOTS LEFT** ~ SCAN THE QR CODE ON THE BOTTOM RIGHT TO REGISTER

YM SUMMER CALENDAR | SCAN THE QR CODE ON THE BOTTOM RIGHT TO VIEW OUR UPCOMING SUMMER EVENTS!









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# homecoming noun

SCAN HERE TO GIVE TO OUR PSA



home com ing

hōm-kə-miŋ

- 1 : a return home
- 2 : the return of a group of people usually on a special occasion to a place formerly frequented or regarded as home









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# Home is a place you grow up wanting to leave but grow old wanting to return.

SCDA nurtured my vocation as a Seminarian, taught me how to serve as a Deacon, lifted me up in prayer as a Priest, and supported me as I returned home as your Shepherd. Every time I drive up our holy hilltop of Assisi in Yorba Linda and arrive at SCDA, it stirs up the joyous emotions of homecoming. This is my dream for SCDA: no matter where life takes us, our families will always experience the feeling of homecoming at SCDA.

SCDA is special. There is no place like it. It is not a place you accidentally stumble upon. It is an intentional choice. Once you experience SCDA, the infectious energy encourages your return, and the emotions inspire you to invite others. The light guides you home, the warmth keeps you here. SCDA is a place where strangers become friends, where sinners strive to become saints, where families choose to call home. SCDA is not an obligation. SCDA is an opportunity. Every Saturday Evening and Sunday, we celebrate homecoming at SCDA.

SCDA relies on your generous PSA donation so that we can continue to build our Church made of living stones, and move closer to building our permanent Church. From the bottom of my heart, thank you for supporting and choosing SCDA. Let us proudly drive around town with our SCDA Car Magnet as a reminder that SCDA is home. Life takes you to unexpected places but love always brings you back home.

-Fr. Michael D. Nguyen





# SCDA MARRIAGE RETREAT

#### AUGUST 2-4, 2024 TOMMY BAHAMA MIRAMONTE RESORT & SPA, INDIAN WELLS

Join our SCDA community for an intentional weekend focused on God and your marriage. This weekend is an opportunity to rejuvenate your relationship with your spouse through mini sessions and quality time together.

This weekend includes 2 nights in a luxury king room, Saturday dinner, resort fees, exclusive retreat materials, and fabulous snacks. Cost per couple is \$730.

\*Financial assistance is available if needed\*



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