



St. Columba Parish

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TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 16, 2026

Rev. Roldan Nuñez
Pastor

Rev. Joseph Min
Chaplain of Korean Ministry

PARISH OFFICE

Marlo Antonio, Business Manager
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Raechelle Manlapaz
Sacramental Records

Rectory Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday,
Thursday, & Friday
9:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.
Tuesday 9:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.
Closed weekends and holidays

ST. COLUMBA SCHOOL

www.stcolumbaschool.org
(858) 279-1882

Jimmy Davoren, Principal
Clarissa Carver, Preschool Director
(858) 279-0161

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Confirmation (*Children*)
Cathy Embalsado, Coordinator
stcolumbaconfirmation@gmail.com

O.C.I.A. (*Adult Formation*)
Jason Van Foeken, Coordinator
stcolumbasdrca@gmail.com

BAPTISMS

Deborah Whaling, Coordinator
stcolumbabaptism1@gmail.com

Become a member of the parish



In the first reading, the Lord calls his people to do what is right. He promises that all who do what is right and just, including foreigners, will be brought to his *holy mountain*. In the epistle, Paul says that he glories in his ministry to the Gentiles to make his race jealous *and thus save some of them*. In the Gospel, Jesus heals the daughter of the Canaanite woman, a Gentile.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, August 15

5:30 pm †Jose Trac

SUNDAY, August 16

7:30 am People of the Parish

9:30 am Birthday Intention of
Jerry Laduke

5:30 pm †George Francis Courser

MONDAY, August 17

7:00 am †Sue McGee

TUESDAY, August 18

7:00 am †Marion Montgomery

WEDNESDAY, August 19

7:00 am †Amalia Guerrero

THURSDAY, August 20

7:00 am Birthday Intention of
Jennifer Gordon

FRIDAY, August 21

8:15 am †Raul Arbesu

SATURDAY, August 22

8:00 am †Mike Fowler

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday:

8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. (Vigil)

Sunday:

7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Weekdays:

Monday - Thursday 7:00 a.m.

Friday 8:15 a.m.

Holy Days: As announced

MUSIC MINISTRY

Contemporary - Derek Embalsado
5:30 p.m. Sat./ Sun.

Traditional Choir - Mark Villas
7:30 a.m.

Spiritus - Hans Becker
9:30 a.m.

School Choir - Raechelle Manlapaz
5:30 p.m. Vigil (1st Saturdays
During School Year)

RECONCILIATION / CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Friday

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

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesday 5:15 p.m.

Mass & Fellowship every last Wed.

COLLECTION REPORT Sunday, August 9, 2026

Plate Collection:	\$1,184.00
Envelopes Collection:	\$2,940.00
Online Giving:	\$2,000.00

Thank you for your generosity!

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Remembering the Sick in our Prayers

Patricia Angley
Julia Patterson
Jan Conroy
Karl Becker
Mark Duda
Delores Janik

Angie Rebujo
Alfonso Mercado
Barbara Riner
Richard Vigil
Neda Lozo

Gaby Marver
Jorge Esquivel
Sylvia Kelly
Crystal Lovio
Kevin Munnelly

*Let us lift up in prayer all those among us who are ill
and those who have asked us for prayers.*

Please call or email the rectory to request a name be added to the list. The names will be on the list for a period of 30 days. If you wish the person to be on the list longer than one month, you will need to call the rectory to request that it be added again.

Confirmation Registration: 2026-2027 (2-Year Program)

Interested in having your child complete
the Confirmation Program and receive
their Sacrament of Confirmation?
Please contact the office or Cathy Embalsado.

Cathy Embalsado Email:
stcolumbaconfirmation@gmail.com

Classes will begin September 6, 2026

OCIA Registration: 2026-2027

In need of completing your sacraments?
Please contact the office or Jason Van Foeken
to join the OCIA Program.

Jason Van Foeken Email:
stcolumbasdcia@gmail.com

Classes will begin September 6, 2026

Moments with Fr. Dan

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

In the Gospel, a Canaanite woman approaches Jesus, begging for her daughter's healing. Initially, Jesus' response seems harsh, noting He was sent only to the lost sheep of Israel and comparing her request to throwing the children's food to dogs. Instead of turning away in anger or despair, she responds with striking humility and wit: "even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from their Master's table."

Moved by her absolute trust, Jesus explains, "O woman, great is your faith!" and heals her daughter instantly.

This encounter shatters cultural barriers and redefines the boundaries of God's Kingdom. The woman, an outsider by birth, teaches us the power of persistent, audacious prayer. She does not claim any right to the blessings; she simply appeals to the infinite abundance of God's mercy. Her faith recognizes that even a "scrap" of divine grace is more than enough to transform a life.

Today, this Gospel challenges us to examine our own persistence in prayer and our willingness to approach God with raw vulnerability, trusting that His mercy extends far beyond our boundaries.



Heal the World
ECOLOGICAL CONCERT

Featuring:
DIOCESE OF ILIGAN SINGING CLERGY
with **MOST REV. JOSE R. RAPADAS III, D.D.**

September 5, 2026 II 7:00PM
St. Columba Catholic Church
3327 Glencolum Dr San Diego CA 92123
\$25 presale tickets available until August 21.

Contact person:
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(858) 277-3863

Rev. Fr. Elijah Sansona Rev. Fr. Ronaldo Cantina Rev. Fr. Aldrin Ligue Rev. Fr. Alfonso Batiquin



Welcome BACK TO SCHOOL!

Aug. 16th
9:30 - 12:15

	9:30-10:30	Children's Mass with Father Dan
	10:30-11:15	Meet Fr. Dan and enjoy donuts with parishioners in the hall
	11:15-12:15	School supply drop off / Meet the Teacher

Meet the Teacher