

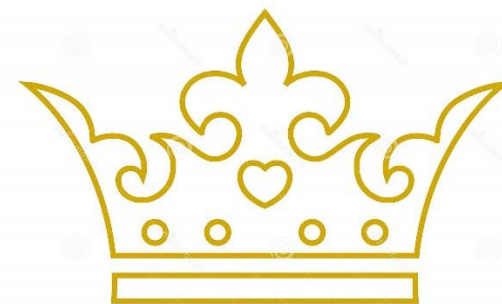
in such a way that they feel helped and healed.

Giving. The gift of giving is the special ability that God gives to certain members of the body of Christ to contribute their material resources to the work of the Lord with liberality and cheerfulness.

Leadership. The gift of leadership is the special ability that God gives to certain members of the body of Christ to set goals in accordance with God's purpose for the future and to communicate these goals to others in such a way that they voluntarily and harmoniously work together to accomplish these goals for the glory of God.

Mercy. The gift of mercy is the special ability that God gives to certain members of the body of Christ to feel genuine empathy and compassion for individuals (both Christian & non – Christian) who suffer distressing physical, mental, or emotional problems, and to translate that compassion into cheerfully done deeds which reflect Christ's love and alleviate the suffering.

- 4) The **Prayer Objectives** - using your own words, add these 5 prayer objectives each day
- For the discernment leading to the election and calling of a new Rector for All Saints
 - For the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the parish for the purpose of sharing of the Good News of Jesus Christ and gaining new disciples for the Body of Christ in the parish
 - S.B.S. - That all Episcopalians in our Diocese of San Diego would grow in their relationships with Jesus Christ through worship, learning and service to others
 - S.B.S. - That those in our parishes and missions and communities within the diocese whose lives would be enriched by the good news of Christ would hear that good news and accept it.
 - S.B.S. - That the mission of Jesus in our congregations would be empowered as we go out into our neighborhoods, meet the people who are there, become acquainted with their needs, hopes, and longings, and discern our own ministries of service there.
- 5) Finish each day by saying the Gloria Patri, making the sign of the cross.



All Saints' Parish

625 Pennsylvania Ave
San Diego

2019 Pentecost

Quadrena

The Year of the Search

June 5,6,7,8

A Quadrena is a 4-day prayer commitment, just as a Novena is a 9-day prayer objective. In both, it is the intention for an individual or a group of people to have a prayer objective, and by their daily commitment and focused prayers to pray their prayer in faith (James 1:1-8; 5:13-18) that it will be accomplished, in the Name of Jesus Christ and in the Will of God.

You simply add each of the following to your daily prayers, on your own. You can always invite another person or persons to meet with you to do the same. That's always more fun, and sometimes very profound. The Quadrena finishes with a fellowship liturgy of all who can attend, of Evening Prayer and Blessing with the Reserved Sacrament (Benediction), on Saturday, June 8, at 5:30 pm, in the Chapel.

For the 2019 Pentecost Quadrena, our Prayer Objectives have been expanded, at the request of the Bishop-elect, Rev. Susan Brown Snook ("S.B.S.").

1) Begin each day's Quadrena time with this daily petition:

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in us the fire of your love.

"You send forth your Spirit, and they are created. And so You renew the face of the earth." (Psalm 104:30 BCP)

O God, who by the light the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

2) Read through Romans 12 (*preferably using your own bible, or follow the link for an online presentation of the chapter*), either the entire chapter each day, or in the following sections:

June 5th: [Romans 12, verses 1 and 2](#)

June 6th: [Romans 12, verses 3 through 8](#)

June 7th: [Romans 12, verses 9 through 13](#)

June 8th: [Romans 12, verses 14 through 21](#)

3) Reflect on these Noted Ministries from Romans 12 regarding yourself ("Is this me?") in Ministry, **and Pray** your own prayer for these to be visibly brought forward by the Holy Spirit into our parish life:

June 5th: Prophecy and Ministry (Service)

June 6th: Teaching and Exhortation
(Encouragement)

June 7th: Giving

June 8th: Leading and Compassion (Mercy)

Prophecy. The gift of prophecy is the special ability that God gives to certain members of the body of Christ to receive and communicate an immediate message of God to His people through a divinely-anointed utterance.

Service. The gift of service is the special ability that God gives to certain members of the body of Christ to identify the unmet needs involved in a task related to God's work, and to make use of available resources to meet those needs and to help accomplish the desired results.

Teaching. The gift of teaching is the special ability that God gives to certain members of the body of Christ to communicate information relevant to the health and ministry of the body and its members in such a way that others will learn.

Exhortation. The gift of exhortation is the special ability that God gives to certain members of the body of Christ to minister words of comfort, consolation, encouragement, and counsel to other members of the body