



St. Julie Billiard Parish

We truly welcome Christ revealed in every person!

October 15, 2020

My Dear Parishioners,

Yesterday, October 14, 2020, Bishop Cantu released a letter regarding the opening of our parishes and missions for indoor worship throughout the Diocese of San Jose (Please visit <https://stjulies-dsj.org> for his letter). This is indeed great news to all of us here at St. Julie Billiard Parish!

In his letter, Bishop Cantu emphasized that all parishes in our diocese will abide by the health orders of the county and the state *“by following capacity restrictions and mandating robust cleaning protocols, social distancing, and facial coverings.”*

Moving forward with this new mandate, Fr. Pedro and I, together with a team of volunteers in the parish, will start to prepare our church building. This will include the physical set-up inside the church, create schedule of Masses that will allow time for sanitation of our worship space between celebrations, training of ministers, and all other significant preparations that will make sure that our church building will be in-compliance with the county health orders and provide a safe environment for all of us for indoor worship. It is my utmost priority as your pastor to be mindful of the safety and care for the health of each parishioner who will be participating in our indoor Masses in the near future.

As these preparations are taking place, **we will continue to keep our current schedule and practices for our Outdoor (weekday and on Sundays) and Zoom Masses (details can be found in our parish website).**

Please know that after all the mandated protocols are covered, I will send another letter to inform you of our new guidelines for indoor Masses at St. Julie Billiard Parish.

I sincerely ask for your patience, understanding, collaboration, and more importantly, your prayers as we move forward towards celebrating Masses indoors.

St. Julie Billiard, Pray for us!

In the hearts of Jesus and Mary,

Fr. Angelo David
Pastor