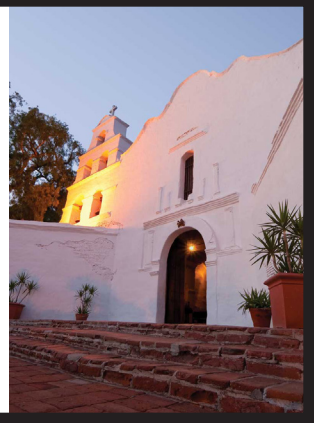




Old Mission Rotary

Meets Every Tuesday at noon at the
Best Western Seven Seas Hotel
Hotel Circle South
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Kitchens for Good

Our speaker on September 15th was Jennifer Gilmore who serves as the CEO for Kitchens for Good. Kitchens for Good breaks the cycles of food waste, poverty and hunger through innovative programs in workforce training, healthy food production, and social enterprise.

When people have a troubled past, or complex life circumstances, they're often labeled "unemployable." As a result, they feel stuck—powerless to escape a life of poverty. Kitchens for Good believes that all food has power and that all people have potential. They equip individuals with culinary and hospitality training, as well as the life skills they need to launch meaningful careers so they can move forward in life and make a positive impact on their communities. Not only do apprentices gain valuable training, they contribute to bettering their community by fighting

food waste and hunger. Apprentices prepare thousands of healthy meals for hungry San Diegans, using surplus and cosmetically imperfect produce from wholesalers and farmers.



Jennifer Gilmore's passion for hunger relief has been demonstrated by her work in food banking for more than a decade.

Life can be perfectly satisfying without major achievements.

-Alice Munro, short-story writer and Nobel Prize winner

Art Pratt Foundation of Old Mission Rotary Emilio Nares Foundation

On September 15th, the Art Pratt Foundation of Old Mission Rotary presented a grant of \$5588 to the Emilio Nares Foundation. The funds will be used to purchase an office printer.

When a young boy named Emilio was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL), his parents felt their world turned upside down. After Emilio passed away just before his sixth birthday, his parents honored his memory by creating the Emilio Nares Foundation (ENF) to help low-income underserved families meet basic needs while their children battle cancer. Their main service is transportation to and from hospital treatments in their vans with dedicated professional drivers.

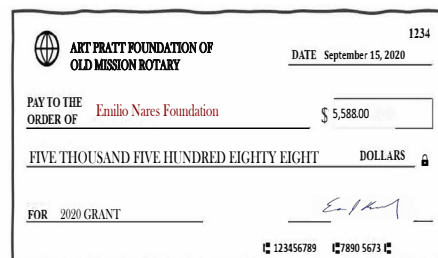


The Emilio Nares Foundation was created by the parents of young Emilio who passed away from cancer.

Program Calendar

Why not invite a friend to ZOOM with us?

- September 22nd- **Joanne Newgard & Reed Maltbie** of Doors of Change
- September 29th- **James Floros** CEO of The San Diego Food Bank



The CEO of the Emilio Nares Foundation, Karen Terra, accepted a grant from the Art Pratt Foundation to be used for an office printer.