

# ST. MARY'S BY THE SEA

R O M A N C A T H O L I C C H U R C H



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## MASS SCHEDULE: *(subject to change)*

SATURDAY EVENING VIGIL MASS: 5:00 P.M.

SUNDAY MASS: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 A.M. &  
12:00 NOON (LATIN TRIDENTINE MASS)

MONDAY THRU SATURDAY: 8:00 A.M.

HOLY DAYS: 5:30 P.M. ON EVE OF HOLY DAY;  
8:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M. ON HOLY DAY  
7:00 P.M. LATIN TRIDENTINE MASS

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAYS 3:00-4:30 P.M.  
AT OTHER TIMES UPON REQUEST

EUCHARISTIC DEVOTIONS: THURSDAYS -7:30 P.M.

## ADORATION HOURS:

THURSDAYS: 2:45 TO 7:30 P.M.

FIRST FRIDAYS: 24-HOUR ADORATION

BAPTISMS: THIRD SUNDAYS OF EACH MONTH AT 1:30 P.M.

BAPTISM CLASSES REQUIRED. THESE ARE HELD THE  
SATURDAY BEFORE THE BAPTISMS AT 9:00 A.M.

CALL THE RECTORY TO MAKE RESERVATIONS.

MARRIAGES: ARRANGEMENTS BY APPOINTMENT  
AT LEAST SIX MONTHS PRIOR TO THE MARRIAGE.

QUINCEAÑERAS: THREE MONTHS PRIOR



C.C.D. CLASSES: SEPTEMBER THROUGH MAY

R.C.I.A CLASSES: SEPTEMBER THROUGH APRIL –  
MONDAY EVENINGS. FROM 7:00 TO 8:00 P.M. IN THE  
FAMILY ROOM.

OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY - FRIDAY, 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

## Parish Ministries

Adoration & Devotion - The Lieblang Family

Altar Guild - Susan Hawley

Altar Servers - Sean Lieblang

Bereavement Committee - Nina Merlino

Extraordinary Ministers - Steve Byars

Knights of Columbus - George Wall

Lectors - Steve Byars

Legion of Mary - Joanne Peters

Ministry to the Sick - Deacon Glenn Erwin

Pro-Life-Jacky Roza

Director of Religious Education - Linda Gilbert

Retreats - Ann Erwin

Stewardship Committee - Steve Byars

St. Vincent de Paul Society - Felipa Chadwick

Ushers - Derrick Peront

Wedding/Quinceañeras Coordinator - Ginny Aragon

**Pastor's Corner**

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

This weekend begins our Ordinary Time with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary. The Church's color for Ordinary Time is green. It symbolizes hope and growth. I hope that all of us will continue to grow in Jesus' peace and love. The PSA kick off will begin on January 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>. I hope all of you will join me this year in responding with more pledges so we are able to replace our parking gates. Next weekend, you should begin receiving the PSA 2011 material in the mail. Please read these carefully and pray about it, and when you come to the weekend of 1/29 and 1/30, you will already know how much you can support our diocese and parish with. May the Holy Spirit guide each one of you as you make a good decision in your stewardship for the Lord.

The theme for this Second Sunday in Ordinary Time is **we need to recognize the goodness in others.**

**Isaiah 49:3, 5-6** – Some of the ideas from the first canticle of the Servant are repeated here, but several new ones are also added. Verses 5 and 6 confirm the mission to redeem Israel, but the Lord considers this to be too little, and so he entrusts the servant with the mission to be the light for the nations: the mission of the servant thus becomes of this person, who continues to be anonymous and mysterious, although many see in him the figure of Christ.

**1 Corinthians 1:1-3** – St. Paul reminds the Corinthians that they belong to a more universal reality. They are the Church of God who lives in Corinth, but they must not be separated as if the community of Corinth was using too much energy on their own problems, not seeing themselves as a wider Church.

**John 1:29-34** – The title of Lamb of God has many layers of meaning and all of them make reference to the symbolism of the name: The nomads could have images of a ram that protected the flock. Or there could be an association made to the traditions which believed that in the apocalyptic day of the Lord the ram of God would emerge. It would be the warrior Messiah who would liberate the people. In the Book of Revelation, John's reference to Jesus as the Lamb also echoes the Passover and the lamb taken in the place of Isaac for the sacrifice. In Isaiah there appears the Suffering Servant, as a lamb taken to the slaughter house to carry the burden of the sins of all. That gives us the image of liberation. In reading this Gospel, we need to ask these questions: **How does Christ come to you each day? Where do you recognize Him?** In short then, we need to recognize the goodness in each other, because Jesus Christ is the way, the truth and the life.

Your humble servant in Jesus Christ,  
Rev. Joseph Luan Nguyen

**2010 Tax Donation Letters**

If you are a registered parishioner and need a Tax Donation Letter for your 2010 tax return, please contact the Parish Office (714-536-6913, ext.112) with your name and Parish ID #, if known, to request one.

**This Week at St. Mary's by the Sea**

**Sunday, January 16**

Masses at 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am & Tridentine Mass at 12 pm  
12:00 pm Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.  
**1:30 pm Baptisms**  
\*NO Confirmation Class\*

**Monday, January 17 – "Martin Luther King Day"**

8:00 am Daily Mass  
\*HOLIDAY – OFFICE CLOSED\*  
\*NO RCIA / NO CCD\*

**Tuesday, January 18**

8:00 am Daily Mass  
3:30-4:50 pm CCD - Level 3  
**7:00 pm Knights of Columbus meeting in F/R**

**Wednesday, January 19**

8:00 am Daily Mass  
9:15 am Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.  
3:30-4:50 pm CCD - Level 2 & Level 4/5  
**7:00 pm Pastoral Council meeting**

**Thursday, January 20**

8:00 am Daily Mass  
2:45-7:30 pm Adoration  
3:30-4:50 pm CCD - Level 6  
7:30-8:00 pm Benediction

**Friday, January 21**

8:00 am Daily Mass  
9:00 am Cenacles of Life prayer group (Church)  
**4:00 pm Bereavement Committee meeting**

**Saturday, January 22**

8:00 am Daily Mass  
3:00-4:30 pm Confession  
5:00 pm Vigil Mass – 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for the  
"Church in Latin America"

**Sunday, January 23**

Masses at 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am & Tridentine Mass at 12 pm  
\*2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for the "Church in Latin America"\*  
12:00 pm Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.  
**3:00-4:00 pm Altar Server Party in Family Room**  
4:30-6:00 pm Confirmation class resumes

***2<sup>nd</sup> Collection Next Weekend  
“The Church in Latin America”***

The **Church in Latin America** faces many difficult challenges. Powerful earthquakes devastated Haiti and Chile last year, creating lasting damage to the Church, while a significant loss of parishioners to migration and other faiths, the inability to support itself financially, and a lack of priests and religious to effectively minister to the large number of Catholics continue to trouble the region. Please help to keep faith. Be generous in next week’s Second Collection for the **Church in Latin America**.

***The 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Roe v. Wade***

In observance of the Supreme Court Decision Roe v. Wade, Bishop Brown invites the Catholic community, as well as all people of good will, to join together on **Saturday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>**, for a day of fasting, prayer and works of charity in a desire to restore a culture of life and a civilization of love to this country. There will be a **Rosary Vigil** in front of Planned Parenthood at 14372 Beach Blvd. in Westminster (*Park on Hazard, east of Beach*). Please join others at approximately **9:30 a.m.** to recite the Rosary to end abortion and pray for the children aborted at these sites. Your simple presence may encourage a mother to reconsider.

In addition, Bishop Cirilo Flores will preside at the **Evening Prayer to End Abortion** at **Holy Family Cathedral** at **7:00 p.m.** A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

***Registration for Adult Confirmation Class***

We are now accepting registrations for our Adult Confirmation Class. The classes will meet every **Wednesday** here at St. Mary’s from **6:00-7:00 p.m.**, beginning on **Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>** and ending on Pentecost Sunday (*June 12, 2011*), when the Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred here, at St. Mary’s by the Sea.

These classes are for adults only (*18 years and older*) who still need the Sacrament of Confirmation. A copy of your Baptism and First Communion certificate will be required at the first class.

If you would like to register or have any questions, please stop by or call the office, Monday through Friday from 9 am to 5 pm. The phone number is 714-536-6913, x-112.

***Thank You!***

The St. Vincent de Paul Society would like to thank everyone who responded to their call for Thanksgiving and Christmas donations. They were able to help numerous families during the holidays. God bless you!,

**Mission Statement**

*Jesus comes “to serve, not to be served”* (Mt. 20, 28)

*St. Mary’s by the Sea is a Catholic/Christian community of faith, hope, and love, journeying together in the spirit of hospitality, stewardship, respect, unity and charity, welcoming and serving all brothers and sisters in Christ, under the mantle of Our Lady.*

***Altar Server Recognition Awards***

All Altar Servers and their families are invited to join us next **Sunday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>** from **3:00-4:00 p.m.** in the **Family Room** as we celebrate and recognize each one of them. The Mass would not be complete without the Altar Servers assistance; therefore we would like to present them with a gift of appreciation to show our heartfelt thanks. Cake and drinks will be provided.

If there are any other boys who are interested in becoming an Altar Server, please feel free to attend with your families also. We look forward to meeting you!

***Martin Luther King Day***

The office will be closed this **Monday, January 17<sup>th</sup>**, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. There will also be NO CCD or RCIA class.

***Jest Kidding***

Three preachers began discussing the weaknesses of the flesh. “*I must confess,*” said the first, “*that I myself am not perfect. In my younger years, I swore like a trooper, and even now at times I use profane language.*”

Said the second, “*My recurring fault is alcohol. Of course, I imbibe very infrequently; but at times I am tempted beyond my powers.*”

“*Well, gentlemen,*” said the third, “*my besetting vice is gossip; and I can hardly wait to get out of here!*”

***Thank You For Your Generosity!***

*(The Parish’s regular expenses are \$5,000 to \$6,000 per week.)*

**January 9, 2011**

Altar Guild.....	\$40.00
St. Vincent de Paul.....	\$201.00
Specials.....	\$61.00
Christmas.....	\$42.00
CCD.....	\$50.00
Regular Collection.....	\$5,988.00

***(Please remember to use your envelopes.)***