

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



LEGACY PROJECT UPDATE

"WE CONTINUE TO GIVE!"

Dear Parishioners,

As of 2/15/2018, we have been over our goal of \$900,000 for the Legacy Project. ***THIS IS INCREDIBLE!*** And this is from just 18% of our 672 registered families (*imagine what we could accomplish if 100% of the parish took part!*) I truly want to thank all of you who have participated. I have always felt we had very generous parishioners here, and this confirmed it. And although some of you may not have been able to participate financially, I am sure we've been a recipient of your prayers. *Thank you and may God bless you all!*

# of Pledges	Total Pledged	Total Paid
(123)	\$476,556	\$345,554
+ money on hand:	+450,000	+450,000
Total Amount =	\$926,556	\$795,554

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Deacon Thomas Concitis

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



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

ADORATION HOURS:

THURSDAYS: 3:00 TO 7:30 P.M. (BLESSED SACRAMENT
IS EXPOSED & DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET RECITED AT 3 PM)
FIRST FRIDAYS: 12-HOUR ADORATION (9 A.M.-9 P.M.)

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

BAPTISM CLASSES REQUIRED. THESE ARE HELD THE
FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH FROM 7-9 P.M.

CALL THE RECTORY TO MAKE RESERVATIONS.

MARRIAGES: ARRANGEMENTS BY APPOINTMENT

AT LEAST SIX MONTHS PRIOR TO THE MARRIAGE.

R.C.I.A CLASSES: SEPTEMBER THROUGH APRIL –

MONDAY EVENINGS. FROM 7:00 TO 8:00 P.M. IN
FR. JOHNSON HALL

C.C.D. CLASSES: SEPTEMBER THROUGH MAY

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAYS 3:00-4:30 P.M.

OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY - FRIDAY 9 A.M.-12 P.M. / 1-5 P.M.

PARISH MINISTRIES

ADORATION & DEVOTION – THE LIEBLANG FAMILY
www.StMarysAdoration.blogspot.com

ALTAR GUILD

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE – NINA MERLINO

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS – MIKE BANNER

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – HANS ANTER

LECTORS – MIKE BANNER

LEGION OF MARY – JOANNE PETERS

PRO-LIFE – JACKY ROZA

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – LINDA GILBERT (DIRECTOR)

RETREATS – DIANE MILLER

SAFETY MINISTRY – TOM & SUSAN SIZLO

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE – MARY BANNER, IRENE CLAYPOOL

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY – FELIPA CHADWICK

USHERS – JOE MUNGARI

WEDDING COORDINATOR – GINNY ARAGÓN

WELCOME MINISTRY – AL GRIEGO, SHARON TRAN

Vision & Mission Statement

Our Vision: Be my Disciples. If not you, then who...

Our Mission: St. Mary's by the Sea, a Catholic community of faith, hope, and love, journeying together in the spirit of stewardship, unity, and charity, embracing all in Christ under the mantle of "Our Lady."

Reflections of the Week

Great Service

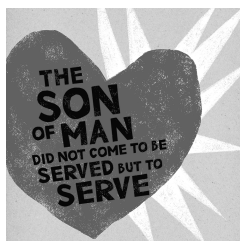
In Mark's Gospel, he has a short description of the Last Supper, without the washing of the disciples' feet found in the Gospel of John. Today's passage has a similar message. While James and John seem to be close friends of Jesus, they obviously have not learned what it means to follow him. But they think this is the time to ask for their share in the glory of Jesus' Kingdom.

Jesus doesn't make any promises of worldly glory, but He does promise a share in His suffering. When He goes on to remind them of how Gentiles rule over people, they probably thought He was going to let them do the same. Imagine their surprise when He told them that the greatest of them would be the ones who served the rest.

They still did not understand that Jesus had to suffer and die to complete his life mission. They probably did not know what Jesus meant about their being baptized in death as Jesus would. But then how many people today know that leadership is a form of service? Whether you are head of a family, or of a nation, you were given that authority by God. And God expects leaders to not only direct those under them, but inspire and encourage them to do better. Parents do more than correct their children: They also guide them, love them, protect them, and sometimes even let them learn from their mistakes.

This connection of leadership and service is all inclusive. A manager is called to help his employees do their jobs better, not by badgering, but by giving them the support they need. Government leaders are called to serve all constituents, not just the ones who donate to their election fund. Military leaders must support their troops with respect as well as discipline. God calls Church leaders in a special way to the service of their flock: to protect the weakest members, to give an example of Jesus' love to all, and to be open to the movement of the Holy Spirit in both clergy and laity. Anyone who lives a life of loving service can be "greatest" in the Kingdom of God.

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World Mission Sunday 2nd Collection - This Weekend

Today is **World Mission Sunday**. We celebrate this day by remembering the revitalizing mission at the heart of our Christian faith - to bring the Gospel to all! The **2nd Collection** today for the **Society for the Propagation of the Faith** ensures the work and service of the Mission Church, as it supports priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Please be as generous as possible.

Pennies From Heaven



We are still collecting for "**Pennies From Heaven**" when we ask you to bring in all of your **loose change** (and bills) to support several Orange County pro-life organizations. This year the proceeds will benefit Horizon Pregnancy Clinic, Obria Medical Clinics, Mary's Path, Casa Teresa, Vietnamese Hot Line, Life Centers, and Precious Life Shelter. You may bring your donation **anytime during the month of October**, and put it in one of the containers near the Hall doors marked "**Pennies From Heaven**." You can also bring your donations to the Church office during a weekday.

Pray for the Dead (10) Masses Offered in Nov. for All Souls

All Souls envelopes are now available. Write the names of your deceased loved ones for whom you would like prayers said for, along with a donation, and put it in the collection basket. Throughout the month of November, (10) Masses will be celebrated for all of those designated souls.

2018 PSA Update

of Pledges: 65 / Pledged: \$59,270 / Paid: \$55,965

5 Week Course/Retreat

We have been invited by St. Bonaventure Parish (16400 Springdale St., H.B.) to join Fr. Ed Broom, OMV for a five week Mission - Total Consecration through the Mysteries of the Rosary.

The course/retreat starts with Mass on All Saints Day, Thursday, **November 1st at 7:00 pm**. It then continues Nov. 8, 15, 29 & Dec. 6, culminating in Consecration to Jesus Through Mary on Saturday, December 8th at 1:30 pm.

Register for the class at St.bon.legion@gmail.com.

Parish Faith Formation

OUR DUTY TO THE MISSIONS

Our support of the missions by prayer and sacrifice harks back to the very creation of mankind when Cain taunted God by asking Him, "*Am I my brother's keeper?*" The answer is yes. Our Lord, centuries later, verified the doctrine by instructing us that we must love our neighbor as ourselves.

We are all members of the human race. This human race is God's family, which makes us all brothers and sisters. We are all God's children, equal in His sight, possessing the same rights. No race is in His sight superior or inferior.

Groups of men have, as the history of the human race progressed, lorded it over other groups. Always, it is a case of those having the better advantage exploiting those who are less fortunate. How God's way is so very opposite! He is kind to us who are poor, merciful to us who are helpless. And he wants us to treat others likewise. The more unfortunate men are, spiritually or materially, the more need they have upon the generosity of those who are better off.

In a general way Christ, when He came into the world to become a man among men, elevated the human race into a more sublime sort of family - His Mystical Body. And as the cells and organs in the body are interdependent, so are the members of Christ's Mystical Body interdependent. They must function as a whole, mutually dependent upon one another, and assisting one another.

If a cinder falls into the eye, the finger is quick to assist in extracting the intruding object and relieving the pain. The finger does not say to the eye, "*Your sorry plight is your business. You remove the cinder yourself; I will not help you.*" Or, if the left hand is cut, the right hand will cleanse the wound and bind it up. The right hand does not say, "*I am the right hand and you are the left; we have nothing in common so take care of yourself.*"

So it is in the spirit. As in the physical body, it is also in the Mystical Body. Here, then, is the one reason why we must be concerned about the missions. We have here in America a double obligation for we are doubly blessed. Here is a point to ponder: Our Government requires us to pay taxes that it uses for questionable, sometimes immoral purposes. Why not give to the missions as much tax money as is allowed for feeding Christ's Mystical Body here on earth? We possess the Faith and we enjoy an abundance of material blessings beyond any nation on earth. It should be easy for us to see that we owe our millions of brothers and sisters in mission lands, who are spiritually bankrupt and materially poor, the double duty of prayer and alms.

-Catholic Quote. Vol. 81, No. 10

Magnificat Prayer Breakfast

Magnificat Prayer Breakfast welcomes former Hollywood actress, Sharon Lee Giganti for an inspirational story of how God's saving Word brought her out of the New Age deception and darkness and into the light of God's merciful healing and truth found in the Catholic Church.

It will be held **Saturday, Nov. 17th** from **9:30am-12:30pm**, at the **Embassy Suites Anaheim - South** (11767 Harbor Blvd., Garden Grove). Registration postmarked by Nov. 12 is \$28 per person; At the door - \$33 per person, and includes a full plated breakfast.

Visit www.magnificat-ministry.net for more info.

Christ Cathedral Docent Info Session

An information session for anyone interested in becoming a **volunteer docent at the Christ Cathedral Campus** will be held **Saturday, November 10, 2018** from **1:30-2:30 p.m.** in the **Tower of Hope**.

For more information or to RSVP, please contact **Trudy Mazzarella**, Director of Tour Ministry, at (714) 620-7916 or tmazzarella@christcathedralca.org.

Let Us Pray for the Sick...

Aurora Aragón	David Harris	Joanne Peters
Natie Arellano	Rusty Hawley	Jackie Pinault
Bette Barilla	Paul Hayes	Jim Pisani
Cary Benoit	Anita Hepp	Debbie Ransom
Kathi Britton	Diane Hoxsie	Susan Rocio
Hugh Cahil	Shelly Jones	Amy Rosenberg
Colleen Campbell	Stephen Kirkpatrick	Bill Sammon
Earline Campbell	Roger Kunsaitis	Nate Sheffield
Peggy Carrasco	Angie Lewis	Elfriede Shipman
Rodrigo Castro	Fr. Eamon Mackin	Flora Simpson
Samuel Chavez	Doris McDonald	Bob Sizlo
George Christa	Patricia McKenzie	Linda Sparks
Rosemarie Clouse	Nina Merlino	Bob Spellmire
Dan Derieg	Lucy Mira	Dan Stenglein
Helen Donnelly	Nathan Mora	Linda Stickles
Ann Erwin	Albert Myrter	Mary Trout
Glen Evans	Steven Myrter	Andrea Wall
Al Griego	Marilyn Novak	George Zin
Nathan Hamby	Gloria Pagenkopp	

for the Deceased & those in the Armed Forces

Weekly Offering



Thank You For Your Generosity!

Operating Expenses are \$5,500 - \$6,500 per week

October 14, 2018

Altar Guild	\$20.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$135.00
Building Fund	\$25.00
Specials.....	\$419.00
Emergency Disaster Collection.....	\$1,622.11
Regular	\$6,691.93

Please remember to use your envelopes.

2019 Traditional Latin Mass Calendars

If you would like to purchase a Traditional Latin Mass Calendar for 2019, please leave a message for **Judith Clark** by calling the **Office** at **(714) 536-6913, x-112**. She will be placing an order mid November, with delivery in early-December.

These Traditional Catholic Calendars are in full color with a Special Guide, Summary of Truths of the Catholic Faith, Prayers and Psalms Section and Patron Saints - useful to all Catholics.

Stewardship Corner

What a nice turn out for our **POTLUCK AND MONTHLY MEETING** Friday night. Great ideas were shared for the upcoming event, **STEWARDSHIP WEEKEND Nov. 10-11**. Details next weekend for your volunteering opportunities.

➤ And... we plan to stay connected and aware of the needs of fellow parishioners and fellow Stewards, if not in person, then in our prayers? There is such power in prayers.... so, Mary B will send out a list of those who are welcoming your prayers and **let Rene know if you're interested in helping in other ways...** maybe to transport our friends who cannot drive themselves to doctor appointments or bring a meal to someone... a smaller version of COWS?

➤ Since there's no OKTOBERFEST at St. Mary's this year, we thought that it would be fun to meet this **Thursday night, Nov. 25th**, and still celebrate OKTOBERFEST.... At **OLD WORLD**. *Would you like to join us for dinner and of course the chicken dance?* For reservations, time and meeting details, **contact Rene** at **(714) 330-3765**. There's free admission Thursday night, buy your own food and drink, while we all enjoy a live Oomph-pah-pah band in a German atmosphere with music, brats and a beer garden together!

➤ Shout out for a **great job** by those who are helping with Masses each weekend during construction. It's a wonderful thing you're doing to keep the coffee and doughnut tradition alive as well as helping direct people to the different seating arrangements and facilities. 😊

May God bless our Pope, our Parish, our Priests, our families, and us. Amen. 🙏

What is a Christian steward?

"One who receives God's gifts gratefully, cherishes and tends them in a responsible and accountable manner, shares them in justice and love with others, and returns them with increase to the Lord."

(American Bishops Pastoral Letter).

This Week at St. Mary's by the Sea

5:00 pm Mass for the People of the Parish
Living & Deceased

World Mission Sunday 2nd Collection

Sunday, October 21

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7:30 am Mass for Charles Griffith (L)

9:00 am Mass for Ellen Myer (L)

10:30 am Mass for Carolyn Theesfold (L)

12:00 pm Latin Mass for the soul of Skip Shutt
(RIP)

12:30 pm Legion of Mary weekly meeting

Monday, October 22

8:00 am Mass for the soul of Matthew Paone
(RIP)

Tuesday, October 23

8:00 am Mass for Theu Pham (L)

3:00 pm Saint Vincent de Paul meeting

Wednesday, October 24

8:00 am Mass for David Andrew Merlino (L)

9:15 am Legion of Mary weekly meeting

6:30 pm Lectionary Scripture Study Group in C/R

Thursday, October 25

8:00 am Mass for the soul of Skip Shutt (RIP)

3:00-7:30pm Blessed Sacrament Exposed

7:30 pm Benediction

Friday, October 26

8:00 am Mass for Dena Childress (L)

9:00 am Cenacles of Life

Saturday, October 27

8:00 am Mass for Richard & Kelly Nye (RIP)

3:00 pm Confessions

5:00 pm Mass for the soul of Alex Yaslik (RIP)

Sunday, October 28

7:30 am Mass for the souls of Maria Lieu &
Peter Truong Tran (RIP)

9:00 am Mass for the People of the Parish
Living & Deceased

10:30 am Mass for the soul of Robert Stephen
O'Bryan (RIP)

12:00 pm Latin Mass for the soul of Shannon
Fountain (RIP)

12:30 pm Legion of Mary weekly meeting