

ST. MARY'S BY THE SEA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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The Office is open from Monday through Thursday, 9am-12pm & 1-5pm.

SCHEDULE

DAILY MASS (Mon.-Sat.): 8:00 am

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS
5:00 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

7:30, 9:00 am & 10:30 am English
12:00 pm Latin Mass



ADORATION & BENEDICTION:

Thursday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm &
Every 1st Friday 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

PERSONAL PRAYER

Mon.-Thurs. 1:30-4:30 pm

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays: 3:00-4:00 pm



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

Just over a month ago, we encountered the powerful account of two disciples walking to their town of Emmaus, bewildered by the reports that Jesus' body was no longer in the tomb. They were joined by a stranger on the road, whom they did not recognize. It was only during the breaking of the bread that their eyes were opened, and they exclaimed, "Were not our hearts burning within us?" (Luke 24:32). This encounter holds a profound significance, as shortly after, the Holy Spirit manifested to the disciples as tongues of fire in the upper room. The purpose of this divine mission we are entrusted with is to ignite a fire within us, compelling us to witness and act upon the love and mercy of God every day.

We must understand that the way in which we express our testimony to the workings of the Spirit within us will vary, as the Apostle Paul eloquently states, "There are different workings, but the same God who produces all of them in everyone" (1 Corinthians 12:6). Though blessed with diverse gifts and called to different forms of service, we are united in serving the same God. In our communities there may be disagreements and divisions, however, we should recognize that our shared common ground surpasses our differences, for each one of us possesses the Holy Spirit within, endowing us with unique gifts that we express in our own distinctive ways.

According to the passage from John's Gospel, when Jesus first appeared to his disciples after his resurrection, he bestowed upon them two essential gifts: the Holy Spirit and peace. In that upper room, the disciples, overwhelmed by fear and uncertainty, locked themselves away, fearing persecution, grappling with the sorrow of Jesus' crucifixion, questioning the testimonies they had heard, burdened by guilt for abandoning their Lord, and anxious about what lay ahead. Thus, the first gift Jesus offered them was peace—a peace that calmed their minds and hearts. Subsequently, he presented them with another gift: a mission. He entrusted them with the task of bringing peace and mercy to the world. The peace and forgiveness they received, along with the Holy Spirit, were not meant to be confined within the locked room. As modern-day disciples, we too are called to carry forth the mantle of peace, mercy, and the Holy Spirit into the world.

In essence, all three readings converge to illuminate our purpose as followers of Christ. We are commissioned to be bearers of the flame, ignited by the Spirit, and driven by the peace bestowed upon us. Our mission is to witness to the love and mercy of God, transcending our differences and embracing the diverse gifts granted to each one of us.

Question of the Week

What gifts of the Holy Spirit do I recognize in myself? How can I use these gifts to bring Christ's peace and mercy to others?

-GLA Publications (adapted)

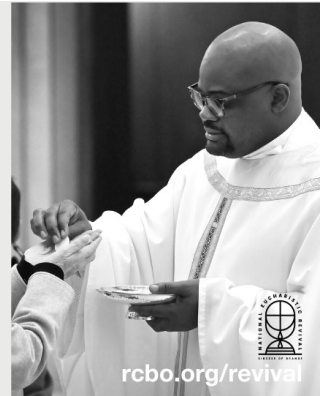
Memorial Day

Our Mass schedule on Memorial Day, May 29th, will be as usual - 8:00 am. In addition, there will be a Memorial Day Mass at **Good Shepherd Cemetery** (on Beach & Talbert) at 10:00am, with a special remembrance for our deceased veterans.

Please note that the **Office will be closed**.

“
Eucharist and Pentecost
together are the origin of
the Church..”

- CARDINAL JOSEPH RATZINGER



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Special Father's Day Offering



For this Father's Day (**June 18th**), please consider a monetary gift to honor a special father or other loved one in your life. If you would like to participate, please use one of the special "**Father's Day Offering**" envelopes located in the pews. Include the name of your father (or other special person) to be remembered and enclose your donation. You may put your envelope in the Collection Basket. All names received by **Tuesday, June 13th**, will be published in the Father's Day bulletin.

2023 Pastoral Services Appeal (PSA)

We express our heartfelt appreciation to the **79 families** who have pledged to support the mission of the Church by making a financial contribution to the 2023 Pastoral Services Appeal under the theme "Together we build up God's Kingdom." Their pledges have amounted to a remarkable **\$50,116**, with **\$43,576** already paid.

We are delighted to announce that since we have met our diocesan goal, any additional payments we now receive will come straight back to us! We plan to utilize these funds to replace our sign at the corner of Orange Ave. and 10th Street by building a new monument sign.

To make your pledge, please use the special envelopes provided in the pew and return them in the Collection Basket or to the Office. You may also make your donation online at www.rcbo.org/psa-give-now. We welcome any and all contributions, big or small. Your support is crucial in enabling us to continue teaching, preaching, ministering and serving in the name of Jesus.

Adoration of the Most Sacred Heart

Throughout history, the human race has committed an innumerable number of sins against the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. So let us begin to atone for some of these offenses at Adoration during **12-Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** this **First Friday, June 2nd**, from **9am to 9pm**.

Thank you to all who have committed themselves to this program. Without your commitment, this would not be possible.

Corpus Christi Procession

On **June 11th** at **1:00 pm**, St. Mary's by the Sea will be having a **CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION** to publicly honor Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. We will process around the block singing hymns and end with Benediction in the Church. Please plan to attend in this second year of the Eucharistic Revival to honor Our Lord and be a witness for Him to the world.

The Letter: A Message for Our Earth

Pope Francis wrote an encyclical letter about climate change on May 24, 2015 (<https://rb.gy/ns41j>). This *Laudato Si'* letter inspired the 2022 documentary film *The Letter: A Message for Our Earth*.

The Letter tells the story of a journey to Rome of frontline leaders to discuss the encyclical letter *Laudato Si'* with Pope Francis. This exclusive dialogue with the Pope, included in the film, offers a revealing insight into the personal history of Pope Francis and stories never seen since he became the Bishop of Rome. Christ Cathedral recently had a showing of the film, however, for those who did not attend, you can still watch it online at: <http://www.theletterfilm.org/watch>.

The problem of climate change may seem overwhelming as an individual, but every small step makes a difference in our global effort toward Caring for Creation. No effort is too small.

Let Us Pray for the Sick...

Mike Banner	Chin Ha	Ken Mattocks
Bette Barilla	Nathan Hamby	Patricia McKenzie
Ted Beresford	Paul Hayes	Bill & Carolyn Myrter
Connie Bowles	Jody Hedlund	Thomas Nester
Lynn Briggs	Caleb Hill	Rosalie Ocanas
LaNell Ceballos	Diane Hoxsie	Joanne Peters
Marciano Ceballos	Keri Johnson	Debbie Ransom
George Christa	Paula Keating	Susan Rocio
Rosie Clouse	Lu Kelce	Colleen Rowe
Rose Delmer	Maurice Kramer	Roberta Sanchez
Vicky Dering	Roger Kunsaitis	Bob Spellmire
Helen Donnelly	Nam Le	Dan Truzzolino
Mary Dunthorne	Regina Lewis	Andrea Wall
Ann Erwin	Arturo Loya	Nancy Yaslik
Al Griego	Fr. Eamon Mackin	Sam Zappia
Griffin Family	Adam Mattocks	Maria Zelaya

For Those in the Armed Forces

J. Caico, D. Coffey, Sgt. R. Colbert, Sgt. L. Donovan & Team, T. Donovan, R. Hanrahan, S. Miller, T. Pace, J. Pendergrass, Capt. D. Tierney

This Week at St. Mary's by the Sea

- 5:00 pm Vigil Mass for Elizabeth Lee (L)
- 6:00 pm Youth & Young Adult Ministry in Hall (til 7:30pm)

Pentecost Sunday, May 28

- 7:30 am Mass for Teresa & Tom Orr (L)
- 9:00 am Mass for all Mothers - Living & Deceased
- 10:30 am Mass for the soul of Stephen Grijalva (RIP)
- 12:00 pm Latin Mass for Nellie Donohue (L)
- 12:00 pm Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.

Monday, May 29

***Memorial Day Holiday—Office Closed**

- 8:00 am Mass for Isabella Nagorski (L)

Tuesday, May 30

- 8:00 am Mass for the soul of Georgee Hesse (RIP)

Wednesday, May 31

- 8:00 am Mass for Sean Lieblang (L)
- 9:30 am Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.

Thursday, June 1

- 8:00 am Mass for the soul of Gilbert Ramirez, Sr. (RIP)

Friday, June 2

- 8:00 am Mass for the soul of Christopher Hendricks (RIP)
- 9:00 am First Friday 12-Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction (til 9pm)
- 9:00 am Cenacles of Life

Saturday, June 3

- 8:00 am Mass for Bethany Orr (L)
- 3:00 pm Confessions (til 4pm)
- 5:00 pm Vigil Mass for the soul of Jane Luszcz (RIP)

Sunday, June 4 - The Most Holy Trinity

- 7:30 am Mass for Susan Griffith (L)
- 9:00 am Mass for Mike Tegardine (L)
- 10:30 am Mass for our Priests, and the People of the Parish - Living & Deceased
- 12:00 pm Latin Mass for the Escobar Family (L)
- 12:00 pm Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.
- 3:00 pm Baptism

Office of Faith Formation

PENTECOST & ITS EFFECTS

Happy Birthday everyone! At every Pentecost, we celebrate the founding of our Catholic Church because the Holy Spirit gave life to it at the first Pentecost! Here are some testimonies of how the Holy Spirit was present and had enkindled the hearts of the faithful here at our parish through our faith formation program. Here are the graces bestowed on these young people and their top spiritual experience over the past year.

Abraham – *The importance of treating people justly and fairly.*

Diego – *Forgiveness of sins is possible because Jesus gave Himself for us and taken upon Himself our sins.*

Jesse – *The Eucharist is the center of our faith because everything revolves around it.*

Lea – *God's Word is so accessible ...the use of parables makes God's message easier to understand... like the story of the mustard seeds.*

Summer – *We act on God's word... by putting into practice God's word; we participate in His design for the world.*

SUCCULENTS & SOUL CARE

A Hands-On Approach

Tuesday, June 13 @ 5pm-6pm



Whether or not you enjoy gardening or arts and crafts, come and join us for an evening of potting your own succulent. This reflective experience will unveil deeper the beauty of caring for your body, mind and especially—your soul, which is the temple of

the Holy Spirit. **RSVP by June 5** by calling our Office or drop us a note indicating your attendance. (\$5 donation welcomed)



YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

SATURDAY, 5PM VIGIL MASS, THEN GATHER TIL 7:30PM

All Catholics & non-Catholics invited!

NEXT EVENT IS JUNE 24

FAITH FORMATION 2023-2024

REGISTRATION STARTS IN JUNE

First class will begin on September 25 and 26. **Early registration will help** us prepare well to launch our new year of faith formation. See next week's bulletin for more information.

Stewardship Corner



HELLO STEWARDS!

*Thank you to everyone who attended our **STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING** this past Thursday.* A lot of details were discussed about the **RUMMAGE SALE**, which has been scheduled for **7/21-22**. This is such a **BIG EVENT!** We also need help collecting items the Saturday through Wednesday prior, setting up the parking lot on Thursday and cleaning up on Saturday. Look for more emails with detailed information. **Lots of help is needed**, so rest up!

➤ Following that, we have the **PARISH PICNIC** on **8/12**. Please contact **Debbie** or **Mary** if you would like to assist with these events. Please contact **Beverly T.** if you would like more info about the **EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL**.

➤ Once again, we invite you to join us for **ADORATION** every **THURSDAY** at **12 pm** and **FIRST FRIDAYS** at **1pm** (specifically this **FIRST FRIDAY, June 2nd**). Please come and spend this time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament during our time slots or whenever your schedule allows. In addition, on **June 11th**, there will be a procession held for Corpus Christi at **1:00pm**. We should all try to attend this to give honor to the Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Let us be the witness we should be for all others.

➤ And as always, we ask that you continue to pray for fellow Stewards, parishioners, family, friends, and neighbors who are encountering personal challenges. Your prayers are powerful and needed! Always remember that you are loved and appreciated! 🙏

Save the Date (& Items)!

We will have our **Rummage Sale** this year on **July 21 & 22**. So save the date and start saving your items to be donated. We will be **collecting** on the following dates: **July 15, 16, 17, 18 & 19**. Times for collection will be given as the date gets closer. And remember... we will **ONLY** be accepting nice, sellable, boutique-style items. We won't have time to fix, match or clean anything, so please use your best judgement when bringing us something. Also, no TV's, electronics, telephones, computers, laptops, CD players or radios.



MAY 21, 2023

Building Fund	\$138.00
Specials	\$480.00
Regular Collection	\$6,838.39

Thank you very much for supporting your Church!