

ST. MARY'S BY THE SEA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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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

When God descended from the heavens and spoke to Moses, expressing the divine essence, the words chosen were not merely descriptions of unparalleled qualities like "omnipotent," "all-knowing," or "almighty," although those words would be accurate. However, they would fall short in capturing the fullness of God's being. Instead, God used words that emphasized relationship: "merciful," "gracious," "slow to anger," "rich in kindness and fidelity" (Exodus 34:6). God is inherently relational, not only with all of creation but also within the eternal relationship of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. God has always existed in profound relationship, as three persons united as one God.

The mystery of the Trinity surpasses our limited human intelligence and perspective; it is a mystery that we cannot fully comprehend. This is not surprising or disheartening, as a God who could be completely explained would be smaller than our intelligence. The Trinity reflects the vastness and complexity of God's nature, inviting us to marvel at the depths of divine existence and relationship.

Throughout the Old Testament, God repeatedly forgave the Chosen People despite their unfaithfulness, their numerous instances of turning away from God, and their inherent sinfulness. Jesus embodies this infinite mercy bestowed upon us by God in two profound ways. Firstly, through the Incarnation, the Son entered into our human experience, sharing in our humanity. Secondly, Jesus willingly offered himself on the cross, redeeming us from our sins. Our God is a forgiving God who extends boundless mercy.

This forgiveness is not distant or impersonal; it is deeply intimate and personal. Jesus, as portrayed in the Gospels, acquainted himself with sinners, gaining a profound understanding of their struggles and shortcomings. Through this intimate knowledge, Jesus loved sinners more deeply, leading to genuine and true forgiveness. We would do well to follow this example, striving to know and understand others intimately, fostering love that leads to authentic forgiveness.

Question of the Week

What concrete actions can I take to be a more forgiving person? Can I overcome my insistence that those whom I forgive be deserving of it?

-GLA Publications (adapted)

Corpus Christi Procession

Next Sunday, **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.

During the procession, the consecrated host will be displayed in a monstrance and carried by Fr. Quang. The faithful follow the procession, singing hymns, as the Eucharist is carried around the block.

Participation in a Corpus Christi procession is important for several reasons: 1) It serves as a public witness allowing Catholics to publicly profess their faith and devotion to the Eucharist. 2) It provides an opportunity for Catholics to express their love and adoration for Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. 3) It brings together the local Catholic community, fostering a sense of unity and shared faith. & 4) It serves as a form of evangelization, inviting others who may witness it to maybe learn more about the Catholic faith and the significance of the Eucharist. 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.

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.

Special Intentions of Pope Francis For June 2023

For the abolition of torture

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

2023 Pastoral Services Appeal (PSA)

THANK YOU! Since we have surpassed our Diocesan goal of \$40,000, any additional donations we receive from this point on will be returned right back to us. Thank you for your generosity, and God bless!

PLEASE MAKE YOUR PSA PLEDGE TODAY!

<u># of Pledges</u>	<u>Amt. Pledged</u>	<u>Amt. Paid</u>
82	\$51,256	\$44,741



“By the power of the Holy Spirit, the transformation of the bread into the body of Christ takes place.”

- St John Damascene

Priests Retreat

All the priests of the Diocese of Orange will be on a retreat this week from June 5-9. Even though Fr. Quang will not be here to celebrate the 8am morning Mass Tuesday through Friday, we are blessed to have Fr. Pascal who will fill in for him.

Please pray for all the priests who will be attending the retreat.

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Pour out your grace upon them, renew their zeal for their vocation, and grant them wisdom and discernment. May their time of reflection bring about deep conversion and strengthen their ministry. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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.

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 Derieg	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 the soul of Jane Luszc (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

Monday, June 5

8:00 am Mass for the Noves Dela-pina Family—
 Living & Deceased

Tuesday, June 6

8:00 am Mass for the soul of Pat Sullivan (RIP)

Wednesday, June 7

8:00 am Mass for the soul of Michael Jerome
 O'Sullivan (RIP)
9:30 am Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.

Thursday, June 8

***NO Adoration Today**

8:00 am Mass for the soul of Nina Merlino (RIP)

Friday, June 9

8:00 am Mass for the soul of Effa Nottke (RIP)
 9:00 am Cenacles of Life
7:00 pm Knights of Columbus meeting in Hall

Saturday, June 10

8:00 am Mass for the Maldonado Family (L)
3:00 pm Confessions (til 4pm)
 5:00 pm Vigil Mass for Ron & Laura Friendt (L)

Sunday, June 11

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

***Pancake Breakfast after all morning Masses**

****1:00 PM - CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION**

7:30 am Mass for the souls of Maria Lieu & Peter
 Truong Tran (RIP)
 9:00 am Mass for All the Priests in the Orange
 Diocese
 10:30 am Mass for All Souls
 12:00 pm Latin Mass for our Priests, and the People of
 the Parish - Living & Deceased
12:00 pm Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.



MAY 28, 2023

St. Vincent de Paul.....\$105.00
Specials\$245.00
Regular Collection\$5,754.11

Thank you very much for supporting your Church!

Office of Faith Formation

HOLY TRINITY

When speaking with his disciples before his Passion, Jesus directed the gaze of their hearts towards this truth: "In my Father's house there are many rooms...and when I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also" (John 14:2-3). "I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you...If a man loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him" (John 14:18, 23). Jesus reveals to his disciples the Father's desire never to leave us orphaned without love and eternal joy and refuge—and so, he comes to us, he makes his home among us (c.f., John 1:14). On this special day, let us honor the Blessed Holy Trinity with all our heart and soul. Let us sing for joy that first and foremost, GOD of the universe, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit loves us and we are meant to inherit not just the goodness here on earth but eternity in complete fulfillment and happiness that shall never pass away.



YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY
SATURDAY, 5PM VIGIL MASS, GATHER TIL 7:30PM
All Catholics & non-Catholics invited!
NEXT EVENT IS JUNE 24

FAITH FORMATION 2023-2024
REGISTRATION HAS STARTED ALREADY!

First class will begin on September 25 and 26.
Early registration will help us prepare to launch our new year of faith formation. Please go to our parish website or visit our parish office. Please do not wait until the last minute.

Diocese of Orange Statement Regarding Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence

The Diocese of Orange issued the following statement regarding Anaheim Mayor Ashleigh Aitken's invitation to the Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence as her special guest to the upcoming Angels baseball team's Pride Night:

"The decision to openly embrace a group whose demeaning behavior is anti-Catholic and anti-Christian is misguided and disrespectful to the sisters of the Catholic Church who minister in Orange County and selflessly dedicate their lives to God's underserved people. We cannot condone any actions that have historically shown such high levels of disregard for the sincerely held beliefs of the faithful."

Stewardship Corner



HELLO STEWARDS!

God bless all of you who have committed yourselves to help run the events here at St. Mary's by the Sea Parish; whether it's just for a couple of our events throughout the year, or the ones who can always be counted on to be there for the majority of our events (you know who you are ☺). Because of YOU, everything can be counted on to run smoothly, (with maybe only a couple of hiccups!) lol! Seriously, though, you are our driving force and the backbone of St. Mary's by the Sea. Fr. Quang is extremely grateful to every one of you. Thank you for always being there!

➤ Since last week's column was written before we actually had our **STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING**, much was discussed that wasn't able to be included in the last bulletin. With regard to the **RUMMAGE SALE**, this has been scheduled for **7/21-22**. This is such a **BIG EVENT**, and we will also need help collecting items the Saturday through Wednesday prior, setting up the parking lot on Thursday, and cleaning up on Saturday. A really good incentive was given to all members who are able to volunteer for this (and many of you already have). If you missed the meeting, then you might want to ask one of your fellow members who attended what this incentive is. And by the way, that was an **excellent** turn-out at the meeting! Thank you to all who attended!

➤ Next Sunday, 6/11, is the **CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION** at **1:00pm**. Let's try to have all members of the **STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE** participate and show our deep love for Jesus in the Sacrament.

➤ Following that, we have the **PARISH PICNIC** on **8/12**. Many of you have already signed-up for this event—**fantastic!** If anyone else would like to volunteer, please contact **Mary** or **Debbie**.

➤ Once again, we invite you to join us for **ADORATION** every **THURSDAY** at **12 pm** and **FIRST FRIDAYS** at **1pm**. Please come and spend this time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament during our time slots or whenever your schedule allows.

➤ 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! 🙏



*Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, June 11th
after the **7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 am** Masses



Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

*Please see the enclosed flyer