

ST. MARY'S BY THE SEA

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday, 9am-12pm & 1pm-5pm

DAILY MASS

Monday-Saturday at 8:00am

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS

5:00pm

SUNDAY MASS

7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am & 12:00pm

ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Thursday, 9:00am - 3:00pm

With Divine Mercy, Rosary, Benediction

Every 1st Friday, 9:00am - 9:00pm

With Benediction

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 3:00pm-4:00pm



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.

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Reflections of the Week

Today we celebrate the great Solemnity of Corpus Christi—the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. It is a day when the Church invites us to contemplate the deep mystery and profound gift of the Eucharist—the source and summit of our Christian life.

In our first reading, we meet the mysterious figure of Melchizedek, king of Salem and priest of God Most High. He brings out bread and wine and blesses Abram with the very elements Christ will take up at the Last Supper, and through which He will offer His own Body and Blood. This brief scene is rich with meaning. Melchizedek appears suddenly, offering a sacred meal and a blessing. There is no context for his priesthood, yet he is honored as a priest forever, as Psalm 110 will later affirm: “You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek.”

In the second reading, Saint Paul hands on what was given to him: the account of the Last Supper. This is the moment when Jesus transforms the Passover meal into a new covenant—not sealed in the blood of lambs, but in His own blood. Jesus does not say, “This represents my body.” He says, “This is my body... this is my blood.” In the Eucharist, Christ gives Himself entirely. Each Mass is not a re-enactment, but a real sharing in His one sacrifice. We are nourished with real spiritual food - not mere bread and wine, but the very presence of Jesus Christ.

And in Luke’s Gospel, Jesus sees the crowds and has compassion on them. He teaches, heals, and then feeds them. The disciples see the problem—too many people, too little food. But Jesus sees an opportunity. With just five loaves and two fish, He blesses, breaks, and gives—and there is more than enough. Blessed, broken, given. It is the pattern of the Eucharist. It is the shape of Christ’s love. He takes the little we offer—our tiredness, our hunger, our doubts—and turns it into a feast. In this miracle, we see a sign of the Eucharist, which continues to multiply grace and unite the Church across the world.

The Eucharist is not just something we attend—it is something we become. We are to be Eucharistic people—blessed, broken, and given for others. In a world starving for meaning, community, and truth, the Eucharist is the answer. It is the real presence of God’s love. Let us approach it with reverence, receive it with joy, and live it with conviction.

Question of the Week

How can we, as followers of Christ, allow the Eucharist to transform our lives so that we are blessed, broken, and given for others?

—GIA Publications (adapted)



Rummage Sale



We will have our **Rummage Sale** on **July 11 & 12 (9:00am-2:00pm)**. So save the date and bring your items to be donated.

We will be **collecting** on the following dates: **July 5 (from 8:30am-5:00pm) & July 6, 7,**

8, & 9 (from 8:30am-4:00pm). 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. For large item drop-offs, please call **Jacky first** to see if we can accept it at **714-396-5761**. No TV’s, mattresses or furniture.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is an enrichment for married couples who value their relationship and desire a richer, fuller life together. It is also for priests and religious who want to strengthen their relationships with their church communities.

The next experience will be held at the **Heart of Jesus Retreat Center** on the **weekend of July 26 and 27**. Find out more at wwme.org.

I AM: A Beacon of Hope! Eucharistic Congress

We’re excited to announce that registration for the **I AM EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS** at **Christ Cathedral** on **October 17 & 18** is officially open! We invite you to step into this hope, encounter God, and discover His faithfulness and be renewed. The light of hope is calling—let it in. There will be an incredible lineup of speakers and events!

For more information and to register, please visit: RCBO.org/congress.



We Were Meant for Each Other

One of the most beautiful teachings of the Catholic Church is that we were meant for each other and meant to live in community with other people. “The human person needs to live in society. Society is not for him an extraneous addition but a requirement of his nature. Through the exchange with others, mutual service and dialog with his brethren, man develops his potential; he thus responds to his vocation. (CCC 1879)”

Saint Mary's by the Sea's

Catholic Community cordially
invite you to join us for our

ANNUAL PROCESSION

on the

SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

TODAY - Sunday, June 22nd at 1:00 pm



The Council of Trent (1545 to 1563), declared that we must honor Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist **PUBLICLY** so that those who observed the faith of Catholics in the Most Holy Eucharist might be attracted to the Eucharistic Lord and believe in the Divinity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, present in this great Sacrament.

In keeping with this request, **today, after the Noon Mass (apx. 1:00 pm)**, we will have a **EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION** around the block singing hymns, reciting the rosary and ending with Benediction back in the Church.

All parishioners are encouraged to attend to honor Our Lord and give witness for Him to the world.

Our Lady at the Center Screening

The **Freed Theater** on the **Christ Cathedral campus** will be hosting two back-to-back screenings on **June 30** of "**Our Lady at the Center**," a documentary about the cathedral's **Our Lady of La Vang Shrine, Marian Gardens and the Marian apparition of La Vang.**

The showings will start at **6:30 p.m.** and **8:30 p.m.** Tickets are **\$20** and include light refreshments. Parking is free.

Visit **OurLadylattheCenter.com** to buy tickets to this film, presented by the Diocese of Orange and OLLV Foundation.



Weekly Collections

JUNE 15, 2025

UNIVERSAL CHURCH \$1,412.00

REGULAR COLLECTION..... \$6,333.50

VISITORS AND PARISHIONERS, PLEASE USE THE QR CODE TO MAKE ONLINE DONATIONS (EITHER ONE TIME OR REGULAR WEEKLY DONATIONS).

We always appreciate your Generosity!



This Week at St. Mary's By the Sea

5:00pm Mass for Steve and Danette Schaeper & Family (L)

Sunday, June 22 - Corpus Christi

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

7:30am Mass for John and Katherine Schlaerth and Family—Living & Deceased

9:00am Mass for Bill Volgarino (L)

10:30am Mass for the Kigano Family—Living and Deceased

12:00pm Mass for Our Priests, and the People of the Parish - Living and Deceased

Monday, June 23

8:00am Mass for Linda Alexander (L)

Tuesday, June 24

8:00am Mass for the soul of Bette Jo Reich (RIP)

Wednesday, June 25

8:00am Mass for the Filipppe and Lage Families—Living & Deceased

9:45am Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.

Thursday, June 26

8:00am Mass for Alai Takushi-Coffey (L)

4:00pm Food Bank for the needy (til 5:00pm)

6:00pm Stewardship Committee meeting

Friday, June 27

8:00am Mass for the soul of Lawrence Hosey (RIP)

9:00am Cenacles of Life

Saturday, June 28

8:00am Mass for Peter & Sasha Mograbi (L)

3:00pm Confessions (til 4:00pm)

5:00pm Mass for Our Priests, and the People of the Parish - Living and Deceased

Sunday, June 29

7:30am Mass for Ted Beresford (L)

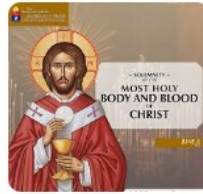
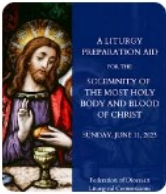
9:00am Mass for James & Shannon Kosai and Family (L)

10:30am Mass for the soul of Pablo Umali (RIP)

12:00pm Mass for Riko Cancel and Family (L)

12:00pm Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.

ST. MARY'S BY THE SEA CATHOLIC CHURCH



THE EUCHARIST TRANSFORMS US

We are deeply grateful for this Solemnity of the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. This sacred celebration invites us to reflect on how we may have missed—or taken for granted—the profound gift offered to us in the Eucharist, especially in the following ways:

Intimate Union with Christ: In Holy Communion, we are united personally with Jesus—body, blood, soul, and divinity. This sacred union transforms us, drawing us deeper into His life and love.

Spiritual Nourishment: Christ gives Himself as the bread of life, sustaining and strengthening us for the journey of faith.

Participation in Divine Life: Through the Eucharist, we are invited into the very life of the Trinity—a mystery the Church Fathers described as *divinization*, or becoming more like God.

Becoming One Body in Christ: Communion is not just a personal encounter, but a communal one, binding us together as one Body in Christ.

Foretaste of Eternal Life: In the Eucharist, we experience a glimpse of the heavenly banquet, a preview of the eternal union with God that awaits us.

PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF THE EUCHARIST



O Mary, teach us the life of adoration. Teach us to find, as you did, all mysteries and all graces in the Eucharist, to live the Gospel over again, and to read it in the Eucharistic Life of Jesus!

O Mary, blessed is the Fruit of your womb, pray for us always. Amen.

SUMMER VIP : Virtual -Interactive -Pilgrimage
Tuesday 8/5 & 8/12@5:15pm-7pm
 RSVP today by calling/messaging our parish office

SUMMER YOUTH & FAITH

Next YOUTH/Young Adult Gathering will be on
Tuesday, July 8 at 7pm-8:15pm.
 Let us know if you can come.



Faith
Formation
Registration

"As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love...[that] my joy may be in you and your joy may be complete." (John 15: 9, 11)

Let us make an effort to learn and love our Catholic faith all the more! Our Faith Formation Program is accepting registrations NOW. Please come by our office to pick up a form or go online to download a copy. We'd love to hear from you!
 (For families registered at St. Mary's)

Stewardship Corner



HELLO STEWARDS!

Happy Sunday! TODAY is our CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION at 1:00 pm. We are celebrating and honoring the Body and Blood of Christ, which is at the heart of our faith and worship. We process around the neighborhood displaying the Holy Eucharist, recognizing that Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is a gift from our Heavenly Father who redeems mankind, forgives our sins, and reconciles us to God. Come and join our celebration in honor of Jesus. We hope everyone can attend!

➤ Our next **MEETING** is this **Thursday, June 26th at 6:00 pm** in the **Hall**. Please plan to attend. We have lots to discuss since our next event, the annual **RUMMAGE SALE**, will be held very soon on **July 11 and 12**. There are **many volunteer needs and opportunities**, beginning on **July 5**. We will send additional info by email for those of you who are not able to attend. And thank you to everyone who has already signed up.

➤ This month is dedicated to the **Sacred Heart of Jesus**. We invite you to spend time honoring Jesus and His Sacred Heart in **ADORATION** on **Thursdays at 12pm and 1pm** every **1st Friday**. Please try to visit **JESUS IN THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** during our time slots or whenever your schedule allows.

➤ Please continue to pray for fellow Stewards, parishioners, family, friends, and neighbors who are in need of prayer. Your prayers are powerful! **Never forget that you are loved and appreciated!**

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).



Let Us Pray for the Sick



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| Tracy Andonian | Cindy Friendt | Don Quinn |
| Tony Aragón-Sotelo | Al Griego | Debbie Ransom |
| Mike Banner | Ivan Gulmesoff | Tim Ransom |
| Frank Barrera | Paul Hayes | Jimmy Ritcey |
| Ted Beresford | Jim & Paula Keating | Susan Rocio |
| Rowyn Bolinger | James Kosai | Colleen Rowe |
| Connie Bowles | Nam Le | Yvonne Ruiz |
| Devin Briggs | Arturo Loya | Daniela Smith |
| Pamela Brown | Susan Mastroianni | Carol Summerfield |
| Rosie Clouse | Dan McKelvie | Ernesto Aragón- |
| Vicky Derieg | Patricia McKenzie | Trevino |
| Bryan Donnelly | Tracy Murray | Roberta Velasquez |
| Ann Erwin | Erin Nakamoto | Andrea Wall |
| Rachel Ferrarie | Thomas Nester | John Waldron |
| Molly Flaherty | Rosalie Ocanas | Baby Brooks Webb |
| Nancy Friedman | Derrick Peront | Nancy Yaslik |

For Those in the Armed Forces

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