

ST. MARY'S BY THE SEA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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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.

Reflections of the Week

A little background will help put today's first reading in context. The Chosen People's exile in Babylon ended in 538 BCE, but when they returned home they found the temple had been destroyed and the city burned to the ground. Grief-stricken and hopeless, they mourned the loss of their holy city. But Isaiah sees it differently. He portrays Jerusalem as a nursing mother, comforting and restoring the health of its citizens, leading to a rebirth where prosperity flows like the bountiful milk she provides. Where the people see death and destruction, the LORD sees rebirth and rejoicing.

The cross manifests a similar contradiction. The cross was a symbol of ignominy and death. Even for Jesus, it was a sign of hardship and sacrifice. In encouraging his disciples to carry their crosses, he taught them to sacrifice their own desires for God's will and their neighbors' needs. But Jesus' victory over the cross adds a completely different meaning. It is through the cross that we are redeemed, that we are given eternal life. Paul goes so far as to say that he has no reason to boast of anything that he has done, but only of what Jesus did on the cross. His victory on the cross makes all things new. The world and all of us in it are a new creation.

But Jesus does not make it easy for his disciples. Instead of sending them out in a group so that some could just tag along, he sends them out two by two. He sends them with no money or change of clothes, making them dependent on the people they meet (and on God). He sends them "like lambs among wolves" (Luke 10:3). But he gives them all that they truly need: the power to build the kingdom in His Name. Jesus calls us to do the same. We can bring peace to a household with understanding and forgiveness. We can heal suffering with our presence and kindness. We can drive out the demons of hatred and discord, of injustice and oppression, by being the voice and hands of Christ in the world. Then may we rejoice as the disciples did, marveling at what we can accomplish in Jesus' name.

Question of the Week

How am I willing to labor this week to add to Jesus' harvest?

-GIA Publications

Weekly Collections

JUNE 29, 2025

REGULAR COLLECTION..... \$6,036.45

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

We always appreciate your Generosity!



Rummage Sale



We will have our **RUMMAGE SALE** on **July 11 & 12 (9:00am-2:00pm)**. We are still collecting this week: **July 6, 7, 8, & 9 from 8:30am-4:00pm**. And remember... we are **ONLY** 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.

Marian Days Diocesan Event

You are invited to attend the **4TH ANNUAL DIOCESAN EVENT OF MARIAN DAYS** on **Friday** and **Saturday, July 11 to 12** at **Christ Cathedral Campus in Garden Grove**. Free admission. Free parking. Free lunch and dinner. No registration required. Featuring Marian procession, praying the Rosary, 4 p.m to 5 p.m.; Closing Mass, 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., celebrated by our Auxiliary Bishop Timothy Freyer. Parents: While you attend the main program, your children can enjoy the Marian Days youth (under 18) and young adult (18 to 39) program with inspirational talks, activities, and fellowship. Visit melavangoc.com for the full schedule, parking map, speaker lineup and event highlights.

Second Collection

Next weekend, **July 12th & 13th**, we will have a special guest speaker and a **2ND COLLECTION** for the **MISSION CO-OP**. *Please be as generous as possible!*

The Reign of God is at Hand

Respect for everyone's right to life, beginning with the unborn from fertilization, and including all the disabled and terminally ill, is absolutely essential to peace. Peace is not lost when guns are fired or bombs dropped. Rather, peace is lost as soon as the human rights of even a single individual are violated. Our neighborhoods may seem "peaceful," but if an abortion clinic is operating in our midst, there is no peace, because the human rights of those unborn children are violated as they are dismembered. Moreover, anywhere in a nation where an unborn child is not protected is a place where there is not yet peace. We need to work vigorously to restore respect and protect every human life. The reign of God is at hand, and it is a Culture of Life.

-Priests for Life

Faith Formation Program 2025-26

We are now accepting registrations for the upcoming Faith Formation Program. **Please register as soon as possible. A \$20 late fee will be added after August 11th.**

FIRST COMMUNION YEAR 1: *For students at least 6 years old and will receive First Holy Communion in 2027.*

[Classes: Mondays 3:30-4:30pm Fee: \$100]

FIRST COMMUNION YEAR 2: *For students who completed year 1 and will receive First Holy Communion in 2026.*

[Classes: Tuesdays 3:30-4:45pm Fee: \$120]

POST-COMMUNION: *Students who have completed First Communion and are not in High School.*

[Classes: TBD Fee: \$100]

CONFIRMATION:

Year 1: High School Students

Year 2: High School Students who successfully completed Year 1 Confirmation

[Classes: Tuesdays 7:00-8:15pm Fee: \$150]

☞ Please note that our classes are for registered parishioners only.

PLEASE EITHER COME BY OUR PARISH OFFICE TO COMPLETE A FORM OR DOWNLOAD AN ONLINE FORM AND BRING IT INTO THE OFFICE. YOU AND YOUR CHILD WILL HAVE TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TO HAVE A BRIEF MEETING WITH US BEFORE SUBMITTING THE COMPLETED AND SIGNED FORM.

OCLIA Program for Adults

St. Mary's by the Sea will offer classes for adults who would like to become a practicing Catholic and receive the Sacraments of Baptism, and/or First Holy Communion, and Confirmation. The classes begin in **September** and are held on **Monday evenings from 7:00-8:20 pm** where you will prepare to receive the Sacraments in one year at the Easter Vigil. (This is for registered parishioners or people who live within our boundaries.) And of course, all Catholics are also welcome to join as a refresher course.

PLEASE EITHER COME BY OUR PARISH OFFICE TO COMPLETE A FORM OR DOWNLOAD AN ONLINE FORM AND EMAIL IT TO: EMAILSISTERC@YAHOO.COM.

Special Intentions of Pope Leo XIV **For July 2025**

For formation in discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

This Week at St. Mary's By the Sea

5:00pm Mass for the souls of Ron & Laura Friendt (RIP)

Sunday, July 6

***8:30am-4:00pm: Collect Items for RUMMAGE SALE**

7:30am Mass for Our Priests, and the People of the Parish - Living and Deceased

9:00am Mass for the souls of Federico & Norma Ramos (RIP)

10:30am Mass for Raymond, Ruby, Raul & Ruth Reyes (L)

12:00pm Mass for Karen Escobar (L)

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

Monday, July 7

***8:30am-4:00pm: Collect Items for RUMMAGE SALE**

8:00am Mass for the soul of Michael Jerome O'Sullivan (RIP)

Tuesday, July 8

***8:30am-4:00pm: Collect Items for RUMMAGE SALE**

8:00am Mass for the soul of Fabiola De Vargas (RIP)

7:00pm Youth & Young Adults meeting

Wednesday, July 9

***8:30am-4:00pm: Collect Items for RUMMAGE SALE**

8:00am Mass for Dean & Mary Lohuis (L)

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

Thursday, July 10

***2:00pm: Set-Up for RUMMAGE SALE in parking lot**

8:00am Mass for Bryan Donnelly (L)

9:00am Adoration with the Blessed Sacrament Exposed (til 3:00pm) and Benediction

Friday, July 11

***9am-2pm: RUMMAGE SALE**

8:00am Mass for the soul of Claudine Hastings (RIP)

9:00am Cenacles of Life

Saturday, July 12

***9am-2pm: RUMMAGE SALE**

8:00am Mass for the Fitzpatrick Family (L)

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

5:00pm Mass for the souls of Fred & Margaret Ponce (RIP)

***2nd** Collection for Mission Co-Op

Sunday, July 13

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7:30am Mass for the soul of Thomas Brunson (RIP)

9:00am Mass for Nicholas Campbell (L)

10:30am Mass for Our Priests, and the People of the Parish - Living and Deceased

12:00pm Mass for Ruth Zelaya (L)

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

1:30pm Baptism



REJOICE...YOUR NAME IS IN HEAVEN

1. Detachment from all sin, even venial
2. Sacramental confession + Holy Communion + One Our Father for the intentions of the pope

Jesus: "Rejoice not that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven." We are in Jubilee Year marking the 2,025th anniversary of the Incarnation of Christ. During this time, we are given unique opportunities to receive special graces and obtain plenary indulgences so that *more names will be written* in heaven! We have three local pilgrimage sites in our diocese which we can visit **VERY DAY** to obtain this spiritual gift for our loved ones or for ourselves. Requirements include also the above. Our parish is hosting our own Jubilee Trip, a unique community spiritual renewal event to visit two holy door sites and you are invited!

Saturday, August 23, 2025, 8:30am– 3:30pm

Mass at the Cathedral Crypt and concludes at the historic Mission Basilica San Juan Capistrano. Bus & food provided.

RSVP in person, by phone or officesmbs@gmail.com



VIP: Virtual Interactive Pilgrimage Tuesday 8/5 & 8/12@5:15pm-7pm

RSVP today by calling or messaging our parish office for a special virtual immersion prayer experience as we explore the four major basilicas in Rome. This evening includes **community dinner, interactive pilgrimage, prayer and reflection**, guiding us deeper into the graces of the **Jubilee Year of Hope**. Don't miss this meaningful journey of faith and fellowship right *in our parish hall*.

SUMMER YOUTH & FAITH GATHERING

Youth & Young' Adults, Please RSVP for
This Tuesday, July 8, 7pm-8:30pm



FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION OPEN

"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) **Our Faith Formation Program is accepting registrations. 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 registered parishioners)

Stewardship Corner



HELLO STEWARDS!

Happy Sunday! We hope y'all have had a safe and enjoyable holiday weekend! ➤ In case you missed it, our **RUMMAGE SALE** is **this weekend (July 11 & 12)**! We have begun accepting donations and will continue to do so through **Thursday (July 10)**. We appreciate everyone who is already helping and those who have signed up to help this week. Please contact us or just show up if you would like to help but haven't signed up yet.

➤ Our next event is the **PARISH PICNIC (August 16)**. Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to help with this. We can use all the help we can get for **both events** but the **RUMMAGE SALE**, in particular requires **LOTS of help**. We will send additional info via email. In the meantime, **please contact us if you would like to help**. If you haven't already done so, please check out our Facebook page (www.rv.by/d0jbv7) to view pics from events as they are posted.

➤ Once again, we invite you to spend time with Jesus in **ADORATION** on **Thursdays** at **12pm** and on **First Fridays** at **1pm**. 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



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-Trevino
Vicky Derieg	Patricia McKenzie	Robert Velasquez
Bryan Donnelly	Tracy Murray	Andrea Wall
Ann Erwin	Erin Nakamoto	John Waldron
Rachel Ferrarie	Thomas Nester	Baby Brooks Webb
Molly Flaherty	Rosalie Ocanas	Nancy Yaslik
Nancy Friedman	Derrick Peront	

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