

# 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 & 12:00 pm  
English Masses

**ADORATION & BENEDICTION:**

Thursday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm &  
Every 1<sup>st</sup> 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."

## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

### Reflections of the Week

Because God is Father, Son, and Spirit—three persons in one God—God is inherently relational. Each relationship within the Trinity is unique: the relationship between Jesus and the Father differs from the relationship between Jesus and the Holy Spirit. When God created the world, He made humans in His own image, which means we too are relational beings. We have unique relationships with one another and with God. We imitate God when we treat others with love and mercy, as God treats us with love and mercy. But more profoundly, we reflect the relationships within the Trinity itself.

In Ancient Rome, abandoned infants faced uncertain futures, often being adopted as slaves rather than as children. When Saint Paul writes to the Romans about receiving a "Spirit of adoption," not a "spirit of slavery" (Romans 8:15), he highlights the contrast between two ways children could be integrated into a family. He emphasizes that those who have embraced Christianity can call God "Abba, Father!" (Romans 8:15), using the intimate term children would use for their fathers—whether birth fathers or adoptive fathers. The bond between the Roman Christians and God is one of love, akin to the bond between children and their parents.

This is our bond with God as well. We are bound to God with love, similar to the bonds we share with our parents, children, or spouses. These bonds of love mirror the relationships within the Trinity—Father, Son, and Spirit. When we were baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, we were united with all three persons of God. We are called to live out this bond, expressing it through love that connects us with others. United with those we love and those who love us, we form an ever-widening family, rooted in the eternal bonds of the Trinity.

### Question of the Week

Who is someone I am strongly bonded with? How is our bond suggestive of those of the Trinity? Who is someone I'm barely bonded with? How can I strengthen and nurture that bond?

-GLA Publications (adapted)

### Special Father's Day Offering



For this Father's Day (June 16<sup>th</sup>), 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 11<sup>th</sup>**, will be published in the Father's Day bulletin.

### *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**

**Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> 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, on **June 2<sup>nd</sup>**, 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 with Benediction back in the Church.

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

### **REHEARSAL**

**FOR ASSIGNED USHERS AND CANOPY BEARERS**

**FRIDAY, MAY 31<sup>ST</sup> @ 6:00 PM**

**IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH**



### Important Request

As many of you know, every **Thursday** we have **EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** from **9:00 am to 3:00 pm**, concluding with **BENEDICTION** (including praying the rosary and receiving a blessing) at **3:00 pm**.

During these hours, the **Blessed Sacrament** is **displayed in the monstrance** for adoration by the faithful. It is essential that we have attendees throughout this time of exposition. Recently, only a few dedicated individuals have continued to commit to spending a holy hour with Our Lord. To continue offering this sacred opportunity, **we need to increase attendance**.

If you can commit to a specific hour, please contact the **Office** at **(714) 536-6913** with your **name** and **phone number**. If you cannot commit to a specific time, then please just come whenever you are able.

Thank you for your devotion and support in maintaining this holy gift from God.

**Jesus is Coming to the Big Screen!**

See *Jesus Thirsts: The Miracle of the Eucharist* in theaters this **June 4, 5, and 6**. The movie will be in theaters nationwide and will play at **4pm & 7pm**.

For more information, go to: [Jesusthirstsfilm.com](http://Jesusthirstsfilm.com).

**NEARBY THEATERS:**

- ◆ **Cinemark Century Theater - Bella Terra Mall, H.B.**
- ◆ **Regal Theater - 9741 Chapman Ave., Garden Grove**
- ◆ **Regal Theater - Metro Point, Costa Mesa**
- ◆ **Regal Theater - Market Place, Irvine**
- ◆ **Regal Theater - Irvine Spectrum, Irvine**

Visit [FathomEvents.com](http://FathomEvents.com) to find additional theaters.

**Let Us Pray for the Sick...**

Tony Aragón-Sotelo	Paul Hayes	Michael Pezzaniti
Mike Banner	Jim & Paula Keating	Don Quinn
Ted Beresford	Lu Kelce	Debbie Ransom
Connie Bowles	Tiesha Kelley	Baby Asher Renteria
Lynn Briggs	James Kosai	Susan Rocio
Pamela Brown	Nam Le	Colleen Rowe
Stuart Campbell	Arturo Loya	Katie Stapleton
Miguel Ceballos	Theresa Martin	Colleen Stenglein
Rosie Clouse	Adam Mattocks	Sally-Ann Thomas
Dina DaSilva	Ken Mattocks	Ernesto Aragón-Trevino
Vicky Derieg	Dan McKelvie	Roberta Velasquez
Mary Dunthorne	Patricia McKenzie	Andrea Wall
Ann Erwin	Thomas Nester	Gavin Watkins
Al Griego	Rosalie Ocanas	Nancy Yaslik
Joanne Grootegoed	Joanne Peters	Sam Zappia

**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, T. Pace, J. Pendergrass, Capt. D. Tierney

**2024 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!**

# of Pledges	Amt. Pledged	Amt. Paid
81	\$64,916	\$52,714



**MAY 19, 2024**



Specials .....\$825.00  
 Regular Collection .....\$5,704.51

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

**This Week at St. Mary's by the Sea**

5:00 pm Vigil Mass for Debbie Sorensen (L)

**Sunday, May 26 - The Most Holy Trinity**

7:30 am Mass for Vicky Derieg (L)  
 9:00 am Mass for the soul of Ann Hobler (RIP)  
 10:30 am Mass for our Priests and the People of the Parish - Living & Deceased  
 12:00 pm Mass for the soul of Stella Dicillo (RIP)  
 12:00 pm Legion of Mary

**Monday, May 27 - Memorial Day**

**\*The Office is Closed**

8:00 am Mass for Diane Miller (L)

**Tuesday, May 28**

8:00 am Mass for Tom & Teresa Orr (L)

**Wednesday, May 29**

8:00 am Mass for the soul of Natalie Dinh (RIP)  
 9:30 am Legion of Mary meeting in Conf. Rm.

**Thursday, May 30**

8:00 am Mass for Sister Pauline (L)  
**9:00 am Adoration with the Blessed Sacrament exposed (til 3:00 pm)**  
 4:00 pm Food Bank for the needy (til 5:00 pm)

**Friday, May 31**

8:00 am Mass for Michelle McKinish (L)  
 9:00 am Cenacles of Life  
**6:00 pm Rehearsal for Corpus Christi (Assigned Ushers & Canopy Bearers)**

**Saturday, June 1**

8:00 am Mass for the Nagorski Family (L)  
**3:00 pm Confessions (til 4:00 pm)**  
 5:00 pm Vigil Mass for our Priests and the People of the Parish - Living & Deceased  
**6:00 pm Youth & Young Adult Group meeting in Hall**

**Sunday, June 2 - Corpus Christi**

7:30 am Mass for the soul of John Donnelly (RIP)  
 9:00 am Mass for the soul of Janice Frahm (RIP)  
 10:30 am Mass for Sasha, Peter & Karima Mograbi (L)  
 12:00 pm Mass for Teresa Humble (L)  
 12:00 pm Legion of Mary  
**1:00 pm Corpus Christi Procession (right after the Noon Mass)**

## Office of Faith Formation

### ORDINARY TIME

After 50 days of Easter, singing Alleluia and celebrating Christ who has risen from the dead, we are now in Ordinary Time, marked by the lively green color. How unique is Ordinary Time anyway? It is a time for growth and maturation. Imagine the passage of time as a seed sprouting new life. A steady, quiet process gradually brings forth life. By immersing ourselves in the mystery of Christ's pivotal moments—Advent, Christmas, Lent, and Easter—we are inspired to live extraordinarily the Ordinary Time liturgical season, which we are currently in. Which of the above seasons inspires your Ordinary Time days? The youth and young adults of our parish are actively engaging in exploring more about the Catholic beliefs as they strive to find greater meaning to each day's pursuit of holiness.



### **Next Youth & Young Adult Ministry** **Saturday, June 1, 3:30pm-5pm**

JOIN US for sweet snacks, faith-filled friendships, games and inspiration to flourish in FAITH as a family. We will provide snacks.

Our interactive new media evangelization planning starts at 2pm. Please let us know if you plan on coming [emailsisterc@yahoo.com](mailto:emailsisterc@yahoo.com)

### **GO to Prayer – ON to ONE**

It is so difficult to focus on deepening our inner life in God unless we intentionally set aside at least a day to do so. Our next retreat is on the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Immaculate Heart of Mary, Gentle Heart of St. Joseph at Mt. Holy Cross Retreat Center in North Tustin. Contact two weeks prior at our parish or [emailsisterc@yahoo.com](mailto:emailsisterc@yahoo.com). We will send you an RSVP with details.



## Stewardship Corner



### DEAR STEWARDS . . .

➤ Happy Sunday! *Thank you to everyone* who volunteered their help last Saturday at the **LADIES TEA**. It was such a beautiful event and everyone enjoyed a delicious luncheon with a variety of teas. And thank you Connie B. for your hard work cooking so many items!

➤ At our **STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING** last Thursday, a number of items were discussed. The first was the **CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION** to be held on **Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> after the 12:00 pm Mass**. All parishioners should make an effort to participate in it to show our love for Jesus in the Sacrament. For those of you who volunteered to help, there is a rehearsal on **Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 pm** in front of the Church.

➤ Next up was our **RUMMAGE SALE** to be held on **June 21 & 22** this year, with collecting to begin on **June 15<sup>th</sup>**. We need a lot of volunteers to accomplish this huge job, but our members are the best at this!

➤ We continue to invite you to join us for **ADORATION** every **THURSDAY** at **12pm** and **FIRST FRIDAYS** at **1pm**. Set some time aside to spend with Jesus.

➤ Remember your fellow Stewards, parishioners, family, friends, and neighbors who are navigating personal or health challenges and need your prayers. 🙏 They hold great strength and comfort for those in need.

## Marian Gardens at Christ Cathedral

Discover the **MARIAN GARDENS** at **Christ Cathedral** on **May 29<sup>th</sup>** as it is unveiled with an Opening Mass and Blessing beginning at **5:15 pm** in front of the **Our Lady of La Vang Shrine**. With an open architectural design, this sacred sanctuary features five stunning Cast Glass Sacred Art panels, each depicting a Luminous Mystery of the rosary.

The Mass is open to the public but all people that have completed the RSVP form on their website will receive preferred seating. Visit [www.ollyfoundation.org/our-events](http://www.ollyfoundation.org/our-events) to learn more.

## The Eucharistic Miracles of the World

**Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church** in **Westminster** is hosting an exhibition of the Vatican **EXHIBIT OF THE EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES** from **May 30 to June 6**. Please stop by and learn more about the Eucharistic Miracles of the world! The exhibition also has guided tours in English, Vietnamese and Spanish. Please call (714) 892-4489 for times.

For further information about the exhibit, please visit [www.miracolieucaistici.org](http://www.miracolieucaistici.org).