



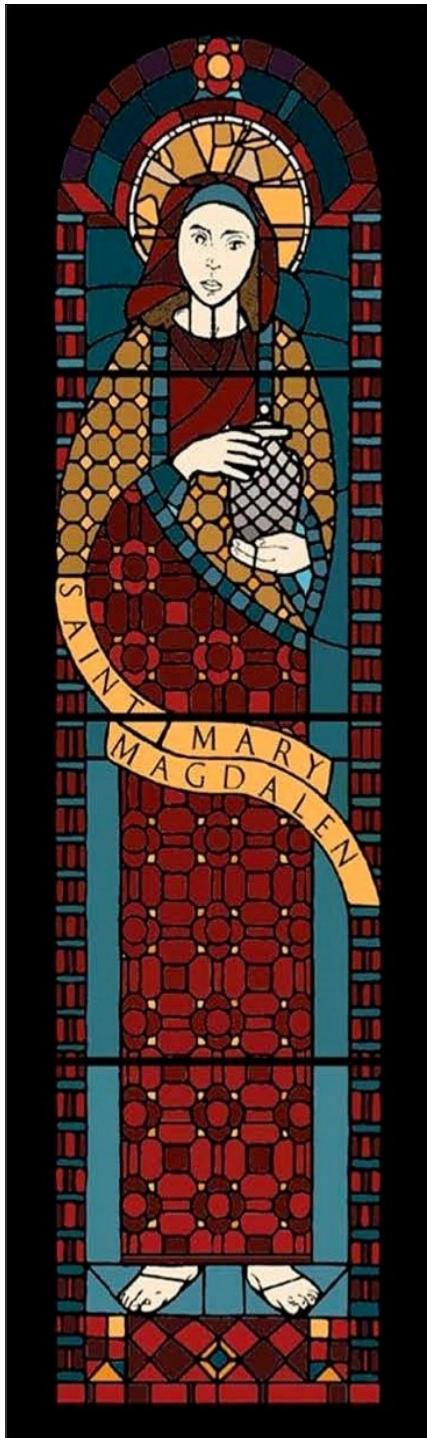
Saint Mary Magdalen Dominican Parish

February 12, 2017

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

"Together we share our faith in Jesus Christ. We live the Gospel, and we care for others."

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time. (The Kids' Bulletin is located on the back cover.)



DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Saturday: **8:00 a.m.**

Monday-Friday: **5:30 p.m.**

SUNDAY LITURGY

Saturday: **5:30 p.m.** Vigil Mass

Sunday: **8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.**

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Weekdays: **7:30 a.m. & 5:10 p.m.**

Saturday mornings: **7:30 a.m.**

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday

9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

(Office Closed: Noon-1:00 p.m.)

Friday

9:00 a.m.-Noon

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WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY!

We are delighted to have all of you here, especially our visitors!

All are welcome, and we hope you will find our parish a place where you grow spiritually, put faith into action, and encounter Jesus Christ.

St. Mary Magdalen Dominican Parish is a place where parishioners are encouraged to use their gifts as disciples of Jesus Christ.

We are pleased to announce that the Rosary immediately after Morning Mass Monday through Saturday is growing in numbers. You are welcome to attend right after the Morning Mass. Thank you!

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Calendar for February & March

Feb. 12 Sunday	Mission Dinner 6:00-8:00 pm, Parish Hall
Feb. 14 21 & 28	RCIA , Tuesdays from 7:00-9:00 pm, Norton Hall. rcia@marymagdalen.org
Feb. 15 & 22	SPRED , Wednesdays from 6:00 to 9:00 pm. in Norton Hall.
Feb. 16 & 23	Faith Studies: <u>"The Pivotal Players."</u> Thursdays 7:00-9:00 pm, Norton Hall
Feb. 25 Saturday	Fr. Cassian's Book Group 10:00-11:00 a.m., Conference Room
Feb. 25 Saturday	MARDI GRAS—Spring Auction & Raffle 6:30 pm, Parish Hall. Dinner & Hosted Bar
Feb. 26 Sunday	4th Sunday Dinner for the Poor Noon-4:30 pm, Parish Hall
Feb. 26 Sunday	Concert: Music Sources 5:00 pm, Church
Mar. 1st Wednesday	ASH WEDNESDAY Masses: 8:00, 5:30 & 7:30 pm
Mar. 8, 15 22, 29	SPRED , Wednesdays from 6:00 to 9:00 pm. in Norton Hall.
Mar. 2, 9 16, 23, 30	Faith Studies: <u>"The Pivotal Players."</u> Thursdays 7:00-9:00 pm, Norton Hall
Mar. 3, 10 17, 24, 31	Stations of the Cross + Soup Supper 6:00 Stations; 6:30 Supper in Norton Hall
March 6 Monday	School of the Madeleine BAND CONCERT 3:00 to 5:00 pm, Parish Hall
Mar. 7, 14 21 & 28	RCIA , Tuesdays from 7:00-9:00 pm, Norton Hall. rcia@marymagdalen.org
March 8 Wednesday	Interfaith Climate Action Committee 6:00-8:30 pm., Conference Room
March 10 Friday	Refugee Aid Committee , 4:00-5:00 pm, Conference Room
March 11 Saturday	Mission Lunch (Filipino Cuisine!) 11:30 a.m. {Fr. Miguel Rolland in person.}
March 11 Saturday	2nd Saturday Concert Series: Dinner: 6:30 pm; Concert: 7:30 pm
Mar. 12 Sunday	Concert: Music Sources 5:00 pm, Church
Mar. 19 Sunday	Concert: Voices of Music 7:30 pm, Church
Mar. 25 Saturday	Fr. Cassian's Book Group 10:00-11:00 a.m., Conference Room
Mar. 26 Sunday	4th Sunday Dinner for the Poor Noon-4:30 pm, Parish Hall

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PLATE COLLECTIONS

Sunday, February 5th \$12,837.10

Plate Collection: \$7,554.05

Special Gift: \$4,000.00

Previous Weeks' 2nd Collections:

Food for the Poor: \$1,118.05

Solemnity of Mary \$10.00

Parish School: \$60.00

St. Vincent de Paul: \$95.00

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday 5:30 Intentions of Kathleen Kirby

Sunday 8:00 Intentions of Steffen Richards

9:30 Pro Populo

Monday 5:30 Intentions of Angela Linge

Tuesday 5:30 Cynthia Puech RIP

Wednesday 5:30 Parishioners of St. Mary
Magdalen Parish

Thursday 5:30 Parishioners of St. Mary
Magdalen Parish

Friday 5:30 Richard Morland RIP

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday: [IS 58:7-10 / 1 COR 2:1-5 /](#)
[MT 5:13-16](#)

Monday: [GN 1:1-19 / MK 6:53-56](#)

Tuesday: [GN 1:20—2:4A / MK 7:1-13](#)

Wednesday: [GN 2:4B-9, 15-17 / MK 7:14-23](#)

Thursday: [GN 2:18-25 / MK 7:24-30](#)

Friday: [GN 3:1-8 / MK 7:31-37](#)

Saturday: [GN 3:9-24 / MK 8:1-10](#)



Temporary Prayer for Our New Pastor

Heavenly Father, eternal shepherd,
You govern your flock with unfailing care.

May the Holy Spirit, we pray,
guide Bishop Michael and all who assist him
in choosing the next pastor
of our beloved St. Mary Magdalen Parish.

Give us hearts filled with gratitude
as we prepare to say "goodbye"
to our Dominican friars.

Comfort us in our sorrow
and assuage our uncertainty.

Help us to warmly welcome our new pastor
and to be open to the blessings
you have in store for us,
which are beyond all we can ask for or imagine.

We make our prayer through
Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

V: Mary, Seat of Wisdom. R: Pray for us!

V: St. Francis de Sales. R: Pray for us!

V: St. Mary Magdalen. R: Pray for us!

Pastor's Corner

Ending Human Trafficking

This past Wednesday was the memorial of **St. Josephine Bakhita** (1869-1947) and the International Day of Prayer for the Victims of Human Trafficking. St. Josephine was kidnapped as a child in Darfour and sold into slavery and Italy. Once Josephine was freed, she became a Canossian sister and dedicated her life to sharing her testament of deliverance from slavery and comforting the poor and suffering. She was declared a saint in 2000.

On December 2, 2014 at the Casina Pio IV (headquarters of the Pontifical Academies of Sciences and Social Sciences), Catholic, Anglican, Muslim, Hindu, Buddhist, Jewish and Orthodox religious leaders signed a **Joint Declaration of Religious Leaders Against Modern Slavery** as a public statement of their commitment to work together in spiritual and practical action to eradicate this crime against humanity, and restore dignity and freedom to its victims. Before the signing of the Joint Declaration each religious leader described his or her motivations for adhering to this document.



Fr. Carl Schlichte, O.P.

Perhaps this was the first time that religious leaders came together, adding to their interreligious dialogue, to make a common statement to affirm that *the other is like you, that the other must be recognized as such, and that you must treat others as you would have them treat you*. You must love your neighbor as yourself. This means upholding and defending the true identity of human beings, which is compromised by the globalization of indifference whose gravest consequences can be seen in modern forms of slavery and human trafficking -- the systematic deprivation of a person's liberty, and abuse of his or her body, for example through mutilation or organ removal, for the purposes of commercial exploitation. Here is the text of declaration:

"We, the undersigned, are gathered here today for a historical initiative to inspire spiritual and practical action by all global faiths and people of good will everywhere to eradicate modern slavery across the world by 2020 and for all time.

"In the eyes of God each human being is a free person, whether girl, boy, woman or man, and is destined to exist for the good of all in equality and fraternity. Modern slavery, in terms of human trafficking, forced labour and prostitution, organ trafficking, and any relationship that fails to respect the fundamental conviction that all people are equal and have the same freedom and dignity, is a crime against humanity.

"We pledge ourselves here today to do all in our power, within our faith communities and beyond, to work together for the freedom of all those who are enslaved and trafficked so that their future may be restored. Today we have the opportunity, awareness, wisdom, innovation and technology to achieve this human and moral imperative."



Parish News & Events

Seeking Parishioners who Love to Iron!



Have you ever wondered why the **purificators** (the linen "napkins" used by the Eucharistic Ministers to wipe the chalice) and the **corporals** (the linen cloths on which the vessels of bread and wine rest during Mass) look so nice?



Every week for the past five years, one generous parishioner has singlehandedly been washing and ironing all our precious linens. The time has come for her to pass on this sacred task — perhaps to you?



If you're intrigued by this novel way of helping out our parish, please call the office at 526-4811, or email Fr. Carl at pastor@marymagdalen.org. Ideally this responsibility could be shared by two or more persons, thus lightening the task for all.

Mission Dinner TONIGHT at 6:00 pm!

Come share a potluck dinner and support poverty and justice-related causes.

The Mission Dinner is a time to eat, learn and support poverty and justice related causes both here at home and globally. We help support our sister parish in Mexicali, **Santa María de Guadalupe**, and also



the East Bay Sanctuary Covenant.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend our potluck dinner, to be held in Parish Hall tonight at 6:00 PM.

Peace & Social Justice Notes

A Call for Justice for Immigrant Youths

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) and Catholic Charities USA have come out strongly in support of immigrant youth. They recently sent a letter to members of Congress asking them to co-sponsor the BRIDGE Act (S.128 or H.R.496), a bipartisan effort to ensure that young people who came to the United States as children can maintain their eligibility to work and live in the U.S. so long as they meet certain requirements.

The USCCB Bishops urge us to join our voices to theirs, on this and on other issues. Sign up for their "action alerts" at www.justiceforimmigrants.org.

Refugee Aid Committee meeting this Friday

This month's meeting of the Refugee Aid Committee is scheduled for this Friday, February 17th from 4:00 to 5:00 in the conference room of the rectory. All are welcome!

Did You Know that We Have A Sister Parish in Mexicali?

Our sister parish is called *Santa María de Guadalupe*, and its pastor is Dominican missionary [Fr. Miguel Rolland, O.P.](#) The group of parishioners who organize our support of this parish is called the “**Mission Dinner Community**,” and we meet one Sunday a month to enjoy a great meal and raise funds, not only for our sister parish, but for other global poverty and justice-related causes.

Come and enjoy our potluck gathering, and get interested in what God is doing in Mexicali! Our next meeting is on **Sunday, February 12th at 6:00 pm in Norton Hall**, and on **Saturday, March 11th** a Filipino Lunch will take place at 11:30 a.m. Fr. Miguel Rolland will be present in person!

Current fundraising goals for Santa María de Guadalupe include building climate-controlled classroom space for

students currently being catechized outdoors.



“Climate temps in Mexicali are either too hot or too cold,” Fr. Miguel writes, “and seldom ‘just right’. He explains that, “ideally, these new classrooms would be for other uses as well, such as homework club, community organizing, etc...”

The next meeting of the parish **Refugee Aid Committee** will take place on **Friday, February 10th, from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.** in the rectory conference room.
All are invited to attend!

World Day of the Sick

Bishop Barber invites all who are sick or ill, as well as family members, caregivers and healthcare providers, to observe this day at the Cathedral with him and many other priests, religious and laity from throughout the diocese.

Please join us at the **Cathedral** at **11:00 a.m.** on **February 11th** for this special opportunity to pray for healing and hope. This day will include *Mass, Anointing of the Sick, Blessing of Caregivers and Healthcare providers, distribution of holy water from Lourdes*, and a reception after the Mass. For more information, visit oakdiocese.org/WDS.

THIS AFTERNOON!

1st Sunday Dinner for the Poor & Homeless

Not planning to watch the Super Bowl? Then join us at our Dinner for the Poor and Homeless today. We set up and cook from noon to 1:00 pm; prepare to serve at 2:30 and clean up from 3:30 until closing. We can always use assistance cleaning up.



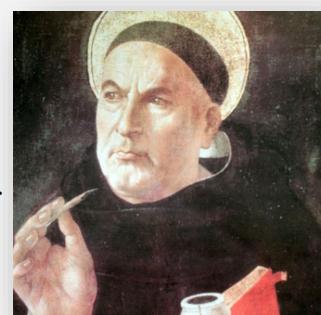
We count on the desserts you donate. Please bring them to the Parish Hall by 1:30 pm.

New to the Parish? The Parish Hall is located directly under the Church. Enter from the side stairs in the parking lot.



ENDOW FOR LENT

A new Endow study group is forming: **Aquinas for Beginners, Part 2.** (It's fine if you were not able to do Part 1 with us!) This study concentrates on **moral** as well as **theological virtues**. Aquinas defines for us what they are, what vices are opposed to them, and how we can strive to live lives of virtue. Once we know the difference virtue makes, we can set our minds and hearts to pursuing it.



The group will meet on **Fridays, 7:00 to 9:00 pm**, in the former convent space, beginning **March 3rd**. The group is capped at 12 women, so register early! Contact Kirby Hoberg at kannekimber@gmail.com for a registration link and any questions.

This year we have the additional opportunity to spend a half hour ‘Holy Hour’ in the convent chapel before the meeting (6:30-7:00pm).

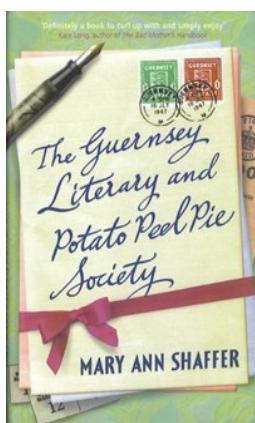
Let's have a great Lent together!

Parish News & Events (continued)

BOOK GROUP MEETING ON FEBRUARY 25th

Fr. Cassian's Book Group's fifth meeting will discuss *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society* on Saturday, February 25th at 10:00 a.m. in the conference room.

Read the book and come join our growing group!



Bicycles Wanted

Bikes are needed for low-income workers who need a cheap, reliable form of transportation. If you have a bicycle available for donation, please phone Monica Grycz at 526-0637. Helmets and bike locks would also be appreciated!

To submit an article to this **Bulletin**, please email bulletin@marymagdalen.org.

No pre-formatting is required!

Final deadline: **Noon on Monday**.

Complaints or suggestions gratefully accepted.

Marriage Help through Retrouvaille

Retrouvaille (*a French word that means "rediscovery," pronounced re-troo-vai*) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you, too.



The Retrouvaille Program consists of a weekend experience combined with a series of 6 to 12 post-weekend sessions over three months. For confidential information, or to register for the upcoming program, call (510) 265-4118 or send an email to

Oakland@RetroCA.com. You may also visit their website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

The next program will take place during the weekend of **February 24-25-26, 2017**.

Ministries at St. Mary Magdalen



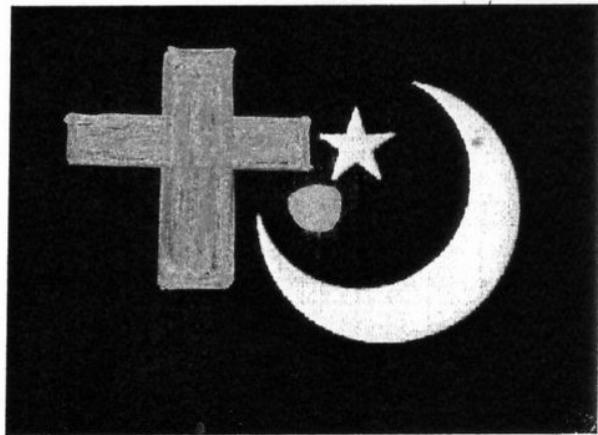
- Adult Education and Formation
- Art & Environment
- Baptism Preparation
- Berkeley Food Pantry
- Eucharistic Minister to the Homebound
- Eucharistic Ministers at Mass
- Lectors (Readers) at Mass
- Altar Servers at Mass
- Ushers at Mass
- Faith Studies
- Funeral Reception Committee
- Girl Scouts

- Boy Scouts
- Holiday Outreach
- Mission Dinner Community
- Music (9:30 & 11:00 a.m. Choirs)
- RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
- RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation of Children)
- St. Vincent de Paul
- Social Justice Committee
- Refugee Aid Committee
- Sunday Dinners for the Poor and Homeless
- Young Adults at Mary Magdalen (YAMMs)
- ENDOW

If you are interested in volunteering for any of these ministries, please contact the parish office at 510.526.4811, or send an email to Fr. Carl at pastor@marymagdalen.org.

Newman Nonviolent Peacemaking Group, the Student Service Group at Newman Hall, and the Muslim Student Alliance present:

Living Our Faith: A Dialogue With Scholars and Students



February 18, 2017, 7-9pm

Dr. Ali Ataie

Professor, Zaytuna College

Sr. Marianne Farina, C.S.C.

Professor, Dominican School of Philosophy and Theology

For more information, please visit:

<https://facebook.com/events/1223605227732284/> or <https://goo.gl/OLw8x8>

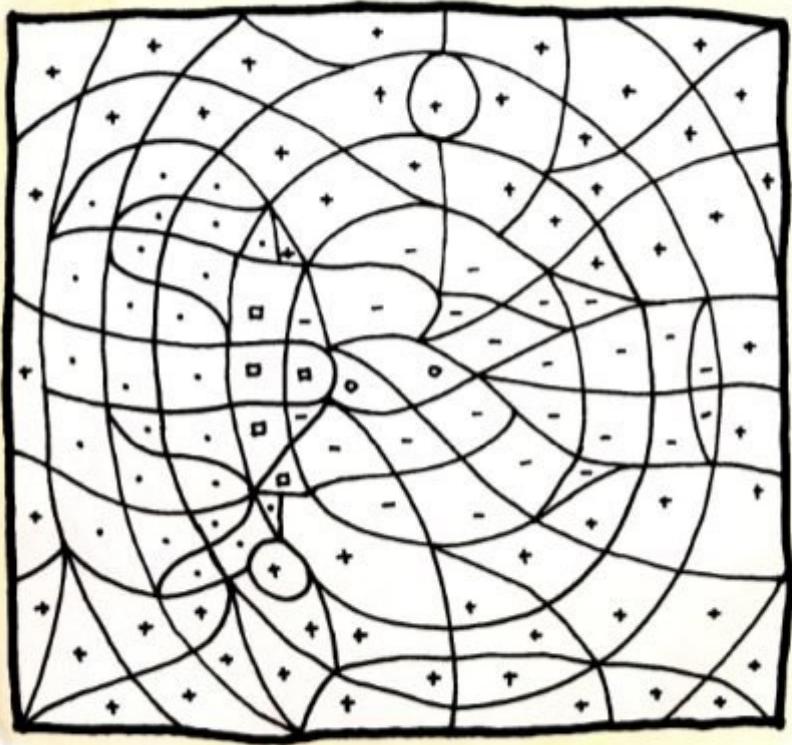
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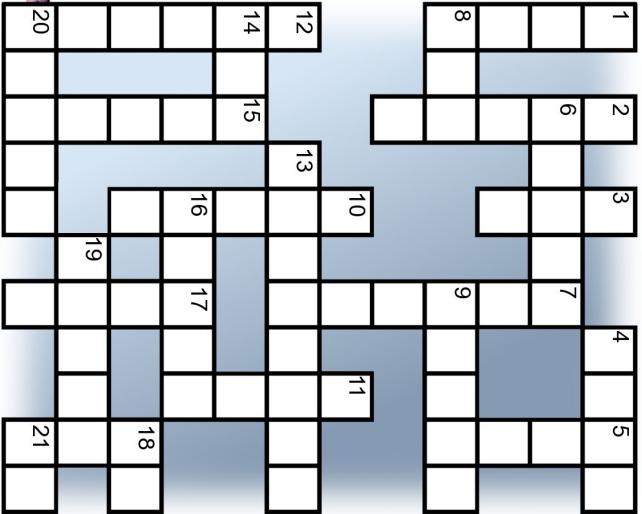
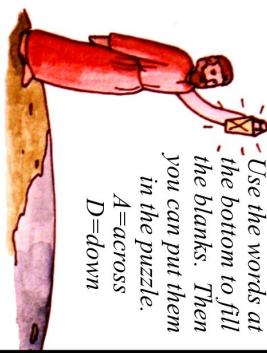
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The Kids' Bulletin

Sunday February 9, 2014



Salt and Light Cross-Word Puzzle



_____ 2D _____ 5D to his disciples: "You are the _____ 11D of the _____ 6A But if salt _____ 15D its _____ 20A with what can it be seasoned? It is no longer _____ 17D for anything but _____ 21A be thrown out and trampled underfoot. _____ 8A _____ 3D the light of the _____ 10D A _____ 1D set on a _____ 13A cannot be _____ 7D Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel _____ 12D; it is _____ 18D on a lampstand, where it gives _____ 16A to _____ 14A in the _____ 19A Just _____ 18A your light _____ 4A shine before others, that they may see your good _____ 9A and glorify your heavenly Father."

*What did Jesus tell us we should be like?
Colour in the spaces according to the code to find out!*

- blue
- brown
- white
- red
- orange

MUST JESUS MOUNTAIN CITY LIGHT
SAID DEEDS BASKET EARTH WORLD
GOOD HOUSE HIDDEN YOU SET ALL
SALT TASTE LOSES ARE SO TO