

May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019 | Third Sunday of Easter, Year C

# St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Parish



Rev. Nicholas Glisson, Pastor. His Excellency, Michael Barber, SJ, Bishop – Diocese of Oakland

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:30 pm (Vigil)  
Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am

## DAILY MASSES

Monday – Saturday 8:00 am  
Monday – Friday 5:30 pm

## LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Monday – Saturday 7:30 am  
Monday – Friday 5:10 pm

## ROSARY

Monday – Saturday 8:30 am

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 pm  
(and by appointment)

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday  
9:00 am – 5:00 pm  
Closed for Lunch: Noon-1:00 pm  
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David Gomes, 2002

Jesus said to them, "Come, have breakfast." And none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they realized it was the Lord.

~ John 21:12

### BAPTISM:

Preparation classes take place on the first Monday of the month. Please call the parish office for more information.

**CONFIRMATION:** Classes take place semi-monthly in the convent after the 9:30 am Mass.

### MARRIAGE:

Please contact the pastor at least six months prior to the wedding.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** The Sacrament is offered at every 5th Sunday Mass, and by appointment.

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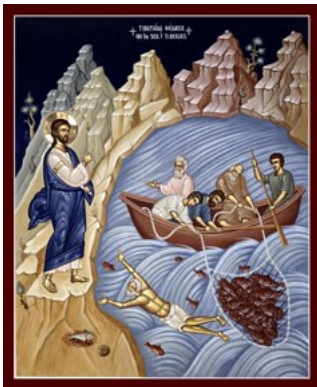
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## Parish Calendar: May 2019

May 4 Saturday	<b>Confirmation of our adolescent <i>Confirmandi</i></b> Vigil Mass, celebrated by Fr. George Mockel
May 4 & 5 Weekend	<b>Collection for the <a href="#">Berkeley Food Pantry</a></b> Drop off donations in either Vestibule
May 5 Sunday	<b><a href="#">1st Sunday Dinner for the Poor &amp; Homeless</a></b> 12:00 (set up); 3:00 pm (dinner), Parish Hall
May 5 Sunday	<b>CONCERT: <a href="#">Voci Women's Vocal Ensemble</a></b> 7:00 pm, Church. <i>Baltic "Northern Lights"</i>
May 6 Monday	<b><a href="#">St. Vincent de Paul Conference Meeting</a></b> 7:15 pm, Norton Hall. <i>All are welcome!</i>
May 7, 14 21 & 28	<b><a href="#">JustFaith Small Group Program</a></b> Tuesdays from 7:00-9:00 pm in Norton Hall
May 8, 15, 22, & 29	<b><a href="#">SPRED (Special Religious Education)</a></b> Wednesdays from 6:00-9:00 pm in Norton Hall
May 8, 15, 22, & 29	<b><a href="#">Mystagogia Class</a></b> (Neophytes & Newly Confirmed) 7:00 - 9:00 pm Wednesdays, Conference Room
May 9, 16, 23, & 30	<b><a href="#">Faith Studies - Psalms</a></b> Thursdays from 7:00 - 9:00 pm in Norton Hall
May 10 Friday	<b><a href="#">Refugee Aid Committee</a></b> 4:00 pm—5:00 pm, Norton Hall
May 11 Saturday	<b>Taizé Worship Service + Veneration of the Cross</b> 8:00-9:00 pm, Church. <i>(See page 5 for details.)</i>
May 12 Sunday	<b>CONCERT: <a href="#">Tactus Choral Concert</a></b> <i>(See page 5.)</i> 4:00 pm, Church. Renaissance & Modern Polyphony
May 14 Tuesday	<b>Parish Pastoral Council</b> 7:00 pm, Conference Room. <i>All are welcome!</i>
May 18 Saturday	<b>CONCERT: <a href="#">Flight of Fancy</a></b> [Recorders & viol] 7:30 pm, Church. [Andy Canepa, keyboards]
May 18 & 19	<b>Special Collection for Catholic Charities</b> <i>See also: <a href="http://marymagdalen.org/donate">marymagdalen.org/donate</a></i>
May 19 Sunday	<b><a href="#">Berkeley Crop Hunger Walk</a></b> 1:00 pm, Parish Parking Lot. <i>(See page 5 for details.)</i>
May 25 Saturday	<b>Celebration of Fr. Nick's 40th Anniversary of Ordination:</b> 6:30 pm, Dominican Garden
May 26 Sunday	<b>Mass of Thanksgiving for Fr. Nicholas Glisson</b> 11:00 am, Church.
May 26 Sunday	<b><a href="#">4th Sunday Dinner for the Poor &amp; Homeless</a></b> 12:00 (set up); 3:00 pm (dinner), Parish Hall
May 26 Sunday	<b>CONCERT: <a href="#">Music Sources</a></b> - Langballe & Martinez 5:00 pm, Church. <i>Music of 17th-century Denmark</i>

### **1st Sunday Dinner for the Poor & Homeless**

April has come and gone; may we ask for your help at this Sunday's **Dinner for the Poor and Homeless?**

We need volunteers at **Noon** to cook and set up, prepare to serve at **2:45 pm**, and to clean up the Kitchen and Parish Hall starting at **3:30 pm**. *It's always wonderful to see new volunteers arrive to help clean up.*



Our guests appreciate your delicious **desserts!**  
Please drop them off in the Parish Hall before 1:00 pm.

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## Collections: Week Ending April 28<sup>th</sup>

Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
04/28/2019	\$7,573.96	\$8,843.00	-\$1,269.06
EASTER [4/28]	\$1,960.00	\$20,500.00	-\$1,163.88
Year-to-Date:	\$167,377.99	\$161,988.00	+\$5,389.99

As you see, we are very close to making our Easter goal for the year. The Easter goal is within reach!

## Important Dates for 2019

Please note them on your Calendar.

- ◆ Celebration of the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Fr. Nick's Ordination to the Priesthood.  
Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, after the 5:30 pm Mass: Party  
Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am: Anniversary Mass
- ◆ St. Mary Magdalen Festival (Concerts & Talks)  
Friday-Saturday-Sunday, July 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup>.
- ◆ 2nd Annual Parish-School Picnic at Live Oak Park.  
Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, from 10:30 am to 3:00 pm.



The 2019 Bishop's Appeal has begun, and [the donation envelopes are finally in the pews](#). Please read the companion brochures, and prayerfully consider how best to donate. [oakdiocese.org/giving/bishops-appeal](http://oakdiocese.org/giving/bishops-appeal)

**REBUILD MY CHURCH**  
2019 BISHOP'S APPEAL

## Refugee Aid Committee: Same Time; New Location

The next St. Mary Magdalen Refugee Aid Committee Meeting will take place THIS FRIDAY, May 10<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00 to 5:00 pm.

We've outgrown the parish conference room! Our new location is Norton Hall (down from the parking lot). Please come and bring your ideas and your energy.

## Northern Lights

Sunday, May 5, 2019, 7:00 pm  
St. Mary Magdalen Church, Berkeley

Voci Women's Vocal Ensemble

Mitchell Covington, Artistic Director  
Edna Yeh, Assistant Conductor • Amy Belles, piano

Voci's performance here TODAY, May 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm will feature rich and rarely performed works for women's voices by 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> century composers from Sweden, Norway, Finland, Latvia and Estonia. Music for women's voices is being produced in these northern countries in abundance, with great diversity and exquisite quality.

Tickets: \$20 (\$15 Students)



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## Scripture Readings for the Week

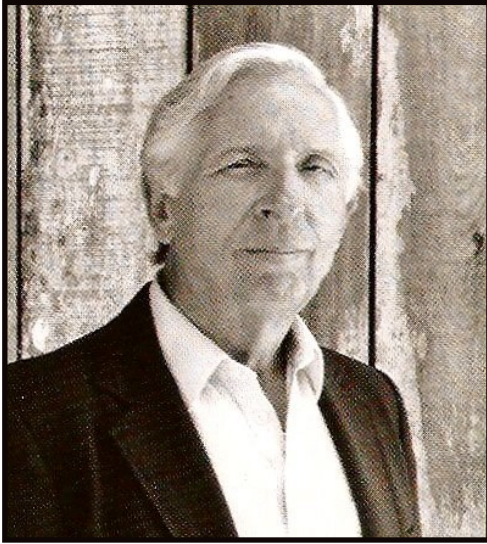
- 5<sup>th</sup> THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER  
Acts 5:27-41 / Revelation 5:11-14 / John 21:1-19
- 6<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday  
Acts 6:8-15 / John 6:22-29
- 7<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday  
Acts 7:51- 8:1a / John 6:30-35
- 8<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday  
Acts 8:1b-8 / John 6:35-40
- 9<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday  
Acts 8:26-40 / John 6:44-51
- 10<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday [Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest]  
Acts 9:1-20 / John 6:52-59
- 11<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday  
Acts 9:31-42 / John 6:60-69

## Mass Intentions

Sunday	8:00	Emily Mannion RIP
	9:30	Martin Ngouana RIP
	11:00	For the People of the Parish
Monday	8:00	Intentions of Fr. David Bello, OP
	5:30	Intentions of Laura Morland
Tuesday	8:00	Paul Burhans RIP
	5:30	Intentions of Margaret Doherty
Wednesday	8:00	Intentions of Neil Fitzgerald
Thursday	8:00	Maria Reyes RIP
	5:30	Pave Brailo RIP
Friday	8:00	Intentions of Oscar Guillen

Notes from Fr. Nick

## James Thomas Glisson, Jr., *Requiescat in Pace*



My father, James T. Glisson, Jr., died on Thursday, April 25th, after a long decline. He was 92. Dad was born near his childhood home in Cross Creek, Florida, on March 15, 1927. While he was a world traveler, he lived near Cross Creek all his life. As a child, his club feet were corrected at the Shriner's Hospital in Greenville, South Carolina, over a period of nine years. Later he was agile enough to enter the United States Army Air Corps during WWII. Dad was an avid pilot and sailor all his life.

Following service and prompted by his neighbor, friend and Pulitzer Prize winning novelist, Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings, my father pursued a career as an artist. He branched out many times from this profession, but art was always at the center of what he did: banking, advertising, manufactured houses, and consulting in Mexico, Argentina, and Germany. He also wrote two books and a play.

Although he later adopted the Catholic faith of his family, Dad remained a life-long member of the Masonic Lodge in gratitude for their generosity in straightening his feet so he could walk. He worked with local lodges and was benefactor to their hospital in Greenville.

James T. ("JT") Glisson married Patricia Apone on September 20, 1950, and had five children. He is survived by his wife of 67 years; sons Nicholas; J. Thomas, III; Steven; and daughter, Jeannie Glisson-Cruthers. My brother Will died three years ago. Dad had three grandchildren: James Thomas, IV; Nathaniel; and Fiona.

Funeral plans are pending. Likely in a couple of weeks, after we receive his cremains, my family will meet in Florida, where I will celebrate Dad's funeral at Holy Faith Church in Gainesville. He will be buried in our family plot in Citra, Florida.

Dad was always a demanding person who often could be combative. These tendencies may have served him well in business and in creative work, but unfortunately, as his dementia progressed, my family and I had to make decisions for his welfare that he did not like. This put a serious emotional strain on us in the last several months.

To me, caring for my father brought to light the challenge of living out the Fourth Commandment: "*Honor your father and mother.*" Most of my life I had assumed that this commandment was directed at children being obedient to their parents. In the last few months I've realized that the real import of the Fourth Commandment is respecting one's aging parent while seeing primarily to their welfare. Doing this prayerfully while having to say "no" to my father's wishes was a moral dilemma with no happy resolution. While I don't regret my decisions, I will never feel completely at ease with some of the choices I had to make.

I hope my long-term memories of Dad will be of a man who took us on adventures most people are only able to watch on television. He taught us to draw, paint and sculpt well enough that two of my brothers made it their careers, and he gave us a sense of responsibility for the greater good and a practice of our faith with a critical and committed conscience.

## Parish News

### Berkeley CROP Walk 2019

Please stop by the tables after Mass **this weekend** and sign up for this year's CROP Walk, which begins and ends in our parish parking lot! It will take place on Sunday May 19<sup>th</sup>, at 1:00 pm. **You may donate now at [crophungerwalk.org/berkeleyca](http://crophungerwalk.org/berkeleyca). (Scroll down to the St. Mary Magdalen link.)**

Sponsored by the Church World Service soon after WWII, the *CROP Walk* aims to provide food for hungry people *and* to raise awareness about hunger in our communities and around the world. These walks have raised millions of dollars over the years. If you would like more information, or can volunteer in any way to support our parish's participation, please call or email *Maureen Wesolowski* at (510) 524-4006, or [mswesolowski@gmail.com](mailto:mswesolowski@gmail.com).

### Taizé Worship Service: Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 pm



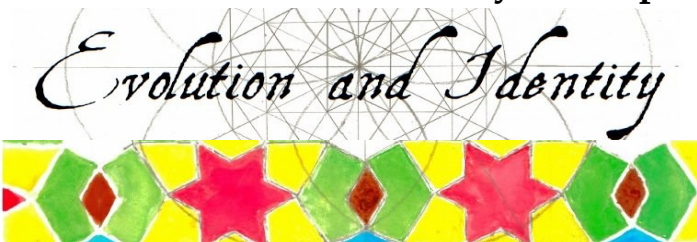
The **Taizé worship service** is an ecumenical form of meditative prayer. Short verses of Taizé chants are repeated as a form of meditation. In addition, there are readings, prayer intercessions and moments of silence for personal reflection.

At the service **this Saturday**, everyone will have the opportunity to venerate the cross, especially ordered for this momentous occasion.

**All are welcome and no experience is necessary!  
Please feel free to invite family and friends.**

Questions? Leave a message at the parish office for Taizé leader *M. Emily Onglatco*, a longtime parishioner who has been attending Taizé services for decades.

### Tactus Concert: Next Sunday at 4:00 pm



Choral concert featuring polyphony by Renaissance masters (including **Orlando di Lasso** and **Tomás Luis de Victoria**), with poetry, lute, and organ interludes, plus original new works by members of the choir.  
**Tickets: \$15 at door, or through [eventbrite.com](http://eventbrite.com).**

## Peace & Social Justice

**Today May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2:30-4:00 pm:** Hear "*Stories of Resistance: Root Causes of Migration*" from the Bay Area interfaith delegation who visited Honduras last month and met with organizations advocating for the rights of migrants. Rev. Deborah Lee and others will help us understand the local factors that are forcing migrants to flee, and share stories of inspiration and hope. **Location:** Buena Vista United Methodist Church, 2311 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda.

**Stand Up For Immigrants:** Join the next interfaith vigil on **Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 am -12:30 pm** at 630 Sansome Street (Federal Immigration Court), San Francisco. This is a time and space for the interfaith community and people of conscience to demonstrate support for immigrant communities. Join others in prayer and song; meet and hear the testimony of immigrants and asylum seekers; bear witness to the government's actions towards our refugee community; and welcome the stranger!

**End Deportations:** Join *Mothers Against Deportations* outside the California State Capitol Building, 1315 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Sacramento on **Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm**. Participants will demand that Governor Gavin Newsom stand with Southeast Asian refugee families. An unprecedented number of Cambodian American immigrants have been recently detained for decades-old convictions, and face deportation to a country many of them have never known as they fled their homeland during the Khmer Rouge era. Organizers include Asian Prison Support Committee (ASPC), Advancing Justice-Asian Law Caucus, and Center for Empowering Refugees and Immigrants (CERI). For more information go to [tinyurl.com/PardonRefugees-Sac](http://tinyurl.com/PardonRefugees-Sac).

**Volunteer:** If you are interested in more ways to support immigrants and asylum seekers, contact parishioner Sally Smith ([qthbe@hotmail.com](mailto:qthbe@hotmail.com)) about opportunities at *Refugee Transitions* ([reftrans.org](http://reftrans.org)).

Come help Fr. Nick celebrate his  
**40 Years of Priesthood !**

**Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 pm, Dominican Garden**

To register, contact the Parish Office: 510-526-4811  
email [parish@marymagdalen.org](mailto:parish@marymagdalen.org)

Or... sign up with Carolyn Tune at Coffee Hour

## Saint Mary Magdalen Vigil Mass ~ Part II

Photos: Samuel Leung, Parishioner & Choir Accompanist



Deacon Jonathan led the procession into the church.



Carol Carman read from St. Paul's *Epistle to the Romans*.



Fr. Nick plunged the Paschal candle into the baptismal font; Fr. Nick was assisted by Altar Server Jeremy Banks-Altekruse. Confirmand Charlie Altekruse and Elect Alison Olsen (*visible at far left and far right of photo*) observed.



The Godparents & Sponsors supported the *Confirmandi* while Fr. Nick read from the Rite of Confirmation.



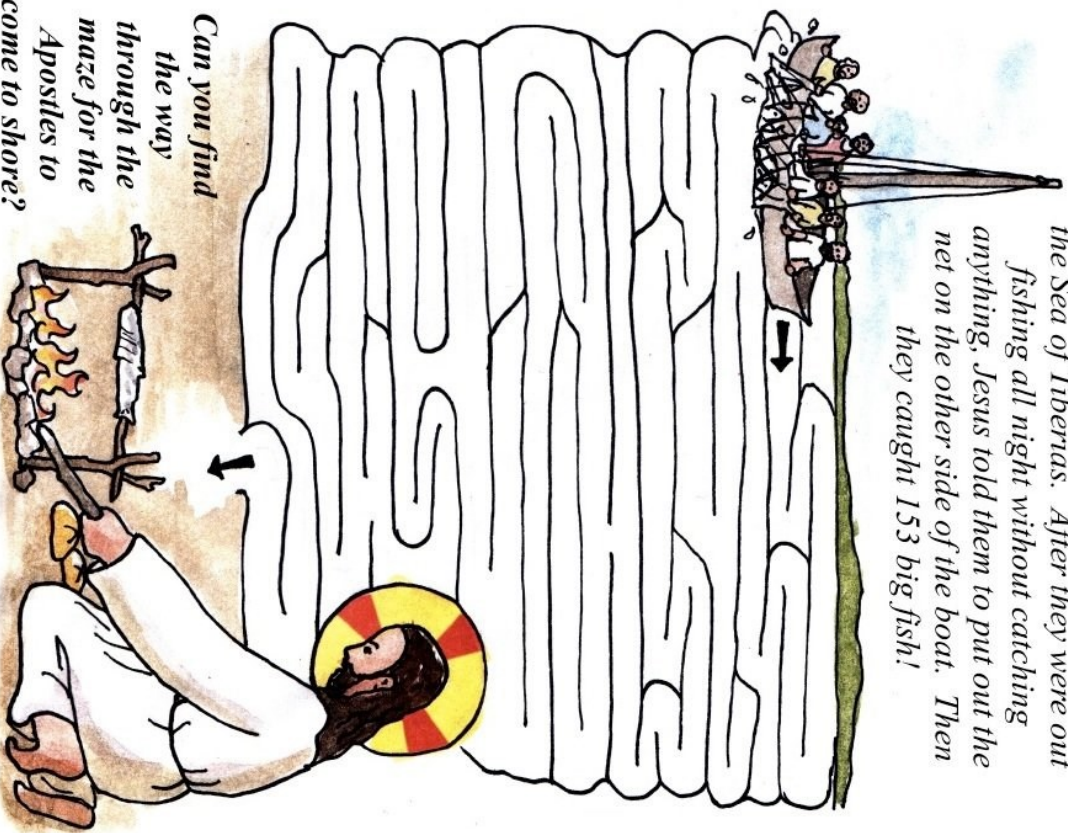
The newly-baptized and confirmed posed after the ceremony: Baby Isabella De Bernardo D'Anna, Adults Jolie Ann Ayco, Alison Olsen, Amanda Fukutome, Charlie Altekruse and Nensi Brailo.

Photos of Holy Week: [tinyurl.com/SMMHolyWeek2019](https://tinyurl.com/SMMHolyWeek2019) / Easter Vigil & Sunday: [tinyurl.com/SMMEaster2019](https://tinyurl.com/SMMEaster2019)

# The Kids' Bulletin

## Third Sunday of Easter

The third time that the Apostles saw Jesus after He rose from the dead was at the Sea of Tiberias. After they were out fishing all night without catching anything, Jesus told them to put out the net on the other side of the boat. Then they caught 153 big fish!



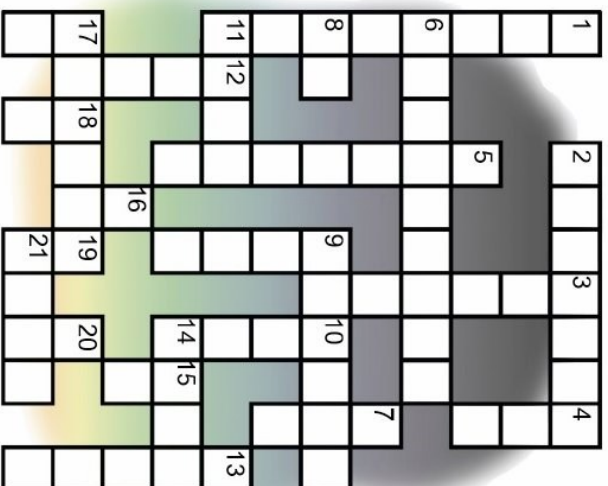
Can you find the way through the maze for the Apostles to come to shore?

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## Psalms 30 Cross-Word

Use the words from the list to fill in the blanks in the Psalm and the puzzle.

ANGER      GOD  
HELPER     DAWN  
WEEPING   LET  
REJOICING AT  
OVER        LORD  
PRAISE     BE  
HOLY        TO  
FOREVER    ON  
MOMENT    ME  
GIVE        IN  
MOURNING MY  
INTO



I will extol you, 10D for you drew me clear and did not 7D 17D enemies rejoice 21A me.  
O Lord, you brought 18D up from the netherworld; You preserved me from among those going down 12D the pit.

Sing 3D to the Lord, you his faithful ones, and 11A thanks 19D his 9D name.  
For his 13D lasts but a 17A; 17A  
A lifetime, his good will.

15D nightfall 2A enters 8A  
But with the 14A, 14A 6A.

Hear, O Lord, and have pity 16D me;  
O Lord, 20D my 9A.  
You changed my 1D into dancing;  
O Lord my 4D, 4D 5D I will give you thanks.

