

# St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Parish

August 2nd, 2020

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

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Third Annual St. Mary Magdalen Festival Screenshots from the Events -- Pages 1 & 3



See the beautiful performance of "Pan de Angeles en San Sixto" (Bread of Angels at St. Sixtus) by the Rivera Family of our sister parish in Mexicali: [tinyurl.com/SMM-Rivera](http://tinyurl.com/SMM-Rivera)



Ancient Magdala - Discovered in 2009  
Author Ann Regimbal revealed a recent archaeological discovery during her Gospel Reflections: [tinyurl.com/SMM-Regimbal](http://tinyurl.com/SMM-Regimbal)



Doña Maria Teresa Bastidas delivered news and greetings from Mexicali: [tinyurl.com/SMM-Bastidas](http://tinyurl.com/SMM-Bastidas)

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*We live the Gospel, and we care for others."*

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# The Kids' Bulletin

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In today's Gospel reading, Jesus turns five loaves and two fish into enough food for over 5000 people! On top of all that, they collected baskets full of leftovers.

*To find out how many baskets they filled, colour in only the loaves and fish that are marked with crosses.*

## The Transfiguration

August 6th is the Feast of the Transfiguration. Jesus took Peter, James and John up a mountain where He had a surprise for them.

How well do you know the story? Sort the pictures by putting the numbers 1 to 6 in the boxes.



# August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 — 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Collections for the week ending July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
07/26/2020	\$6,630.20	\$8,829.00	-\$2,198.80
Year-to-Date	\$250,450.22	\$276,041.00	-\$25,590.78

Thank you all for your sustaining donations.  
Do well in this time of upheaval.

## More Mary Magdalen Festival Highlights

### Zoom Conference with Alison Benders & Lisa Fullam of the JST



Parish children responded to the Chalk Art Challenge!



Andy Canepa, our Music Director, performed Ludwig van Beethoven's Sonata #26, Opus 81a in E<sup>b</sup> Major, for the Virtual Dinner Party on Sunday.

To watch: [tinyurl.com/SMM-2020Concert](https://tinyurl.com/SMM-2020Concert)

## Mass Intentions

Saturday	5:30	For the People of the Parish
Sunday	8:00	Intentions of Fr. Julian Gonzalez
	9:30	Joseph Lau Yun Sang RIP
	11:30	Intentions of Fr. Nicholas Glisson
Monday	8:30	Intentions of Roger Silloway
	5:30	Intentions of Dorothy Portner
Tuesday	5:30	Intentions of Will Silloway
Wednesday	8:30	Sean Cassidy RIP
Thursday	8:30	Michael Godinez RIP

## Peace & Justice Notes

*"The death penalty is inadmissible because it is an attack on the inviolability and dignity of the person."* (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2018)

Last month our federal government, under the direction of the President and Attorney General William Barr, executed three federal prisoners: **Daniel Lee Lewis, Wesley Ira Purley and Dustin Lee Honken**, whose last words were *"Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for me."*

These are **the first federal executions since 1983**, resumed at a time when many states are moving away from the death penalty—in fact, twenty U.S. states no longer permit it. The remaining states allow capital punishment, but only a few actively sentence and execute convicted prisoners. In 2019, Gov. Newsom ordered a moratorium on executions, although Californians recently (in 2012 & 2016) voted down two ballot measures to end capital punishment.

The execution of **Keith Dwayne Nelson** is scheduled for August 28<sup>th</sup>. Numerous state executions are scheduled through 2022. For more info:

[deathpenaltyinfo.org](https://deathpenaltyinfo.org) — [deathpenalty.org](https://deathpenalty.org)  
[catholicmobilizingnetwork.org](https://catholicmobilizingnetwork.org)

### 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Hiroshima and Nagasaki

Consider joining the **online rally on Thursday, August 6<sup>th</sup>** from 8:00 am to 9:30 am. A moment of silence will be observed at 8:15 am, when the first atomic bomb was used in war by the United States against the people of Hiroshima. [trivalleycares.org](https://trivalleycares.org)

## Scripture Readings for the Week

- 2<sup>nd</sup> 18<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
Isaiah 55:1-3 / Rom. 8:35-39 / Matt. 14:13-21
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Weekday  
Jeremiah 28:1-17 / Matthew 14:22-36
- 4<sup>th</sup> Memorial [St. John Vianney, Priest]  
Jeremiah 30:1-2, 12-22 / Matthew 14:22-36
- 5<sup>th</sup> Weekday [Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major]  
Jeremiah 31:1-7 / Matthew 15:21-28
- 6<sup>th</sup> Feast [TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD]  
Deuter. 7:9-14 / 2 Peter 1:16-19 / Matthew 17:1-9
- 7<sup>th</sup> Weekday [St. Sixtus II, Pope, & Companions; St. Cajetan]  
Nahum 2:1, 3:1-7 / Matthew 16:24-28
- 8<sup>th</sup> Memorial [St. Dominic, Founder of the Dominicans]  
Habakkuk 1:12-2:4 / Matthew 17:14-20

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