

October 17th, 2021 | 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Parish



Rev. Nicholas Glisson, Pastor. The Most Reverend Michael Barber, SJ, Bishop – Diocese of Oakland

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:30 pm (Livestreamed)
Sunday 8:00, 9:30 (Garden Mass)
11:30 am

DAILY MASSES

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

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Monday – Saturday 8:00 am
Monday – Friday 5:15 pm

ROSARY

Monday – Saturday 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 to 5:00 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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and we care for others.”*

BAPTISM:

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

CONFIRMATION: Classes run from September through May; contact the office for more information.

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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The Kids' Bulletin

thekidsbulletin.com



Mark 10:35-45

Jesus said that whoever wishes to be the greatest must be the servant of all.

Colour in the picture to see who shows us how to serve best.

- Blue
- Skin Colour
- + Yellow
- ! Brown
- White
- x Red

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Isaiah 53 Word-Find



Try to find in the puzzle the words written in CAPITALS in today's first reading.

Use the leftover letters to fill in the blanks at the end!

The Lord was PLEAS
 to CRUSH him in INFIRMITY.

If he GIVES his life as an OFFERING for sin, he shall see his descendents in a long LIFE, and the will of the Lord will be accomplished through him.

Because of his AFFLICTION he shall see the LIGHT in FULLNESS of DAYS; through his SUFFERING, my SERVANT shall JUSTIFY many, and their GUILT he shall bear.


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Collection for the Week Ending October 10 th , 2021			
Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
10/10/2021	\$12,873.35	\$8,471.00	\$4,402.25
Year-to-Date	\$330,869.10	\$357,840.00	-\$26,970.90

We received a very generous catch-up donation!

Quarterly Report for Ministry Donations	
Total Collected – June/July/August	\$17,886.41
Food for the Poor	\$4,010.09
Mexicali Mission Support	\$795.00
Refugee Aid	\$760.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$1,685.60
School of the Madeleine	\$3,855.72
Capital Repair	\$6,780.00

Readings for the Week	
17 th	TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Isaiah 53:10-11 / Hebrews 4:14-16 / Mark 10:35-45
18 th	Feast: St. John the Evangelist Timothy 4:10-17 / Luke 10:1-9
19 th	Memorial: Sts. John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues, Martyrs Romans 5:12, 15-21 / Luke 12:35-38
20 th	Weekday [St. Paul of the Cross, Priest] Romans 6:12-18 / Luke 12:39-48
21 st	Weekday Romans 6:19-23 / Luke 12:49-53
22 nd	Weekday [St. John Paul II, Pope] Romans 7:18-25 / Luke 12:54-59
23 rd	Weekday [St. John of Capistrano; Blessed Virgin Mary] Romans 8:1-11 / Luke 13:1-9

Mass Intentions 	
Saturday	5:30 Emery Fleming RIP
Sunday	8:00 For the People of the Parish
	9:30 Nicholas Espejo RIP
	11:30 Ana Ye RIP
Monday	8:30 Intentions of Paul Smith
	5:30 Intentions of Sean Do
Tuesday	8:30 Intentions of Jonathan
	5:30 Intentions of the Lim Family
Wednesday	8:30 Intentions of Mary Emily Onglatco
	5:30 Simón Tapia-Urdaneta RIP
Thursday	8:30 Patricia & Jim Wagner RIP
	5:30 Meiko Wakamatsu RIP
Friday	8:30 Anton Betschart RIP
	5:30 Ricardo & Maria Paris RIP
Saturday	8:30 Larry & Emily Mannion RIP

Peace & Justice Notes

Immigration News – New administration, but same sadness for immigrants and asylum seekers, demonstrating the need for comprehensive immigration reform. The last major immigration law was passed in 1986, making it illegal to hire or recruit undocumented workers. Specific laws and executive orders have addressed focused issues since then, but Congress has enacted no comprehensive immigration reform.

- ◆ In September 2021, nearly 15,000 Haitians arrived near Del Rio, Texas seeking asylum in the U.S. The Biden administration did not allow them to seek protection (their right under U.S. law), instead beginning a process of mass expulsions to Haiti.
- ◆ The Biden administration failed to issue more than 200,000 permanent resident visas (“green cards”) that were allotted in fiscal year 2021 for immigrants sponsored by U.S. employers or family members. [However, the closure of some embassies and consulates due to Covid-19 contributed to unused visas.]
- ◆ Senate Parliamentarian Elizabeth MacDonough rejected two proposals to provide permanent status for certain undocumented people in budget reconciliation, but negotiations continue as Senate leadership seeks a potential path forward.
- ◆ The American Immigration Council and the American Immigration Lawyers Association – through their joint initiative, the **Immigration Justice Campaign** – continued to call on the federal government to consider the release of immigration detainees, with the provision of community-based support services as needed.

Source: the American Immigration Council
americanimmigrationcouncil.org

Barefoot Chamber Concerts Return THIS FRIDAY! 6:30 p.m. October 15th in the Parish Hall



Enjoy a recital of music by J.S. Bach, played by Andy Canepa (harpsichord) and Peter Hallifax (viola da gamba).



Variable price tickets!

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Notes from Fr. Nick

First Responders

Mass for First Responders



When I was in grade school, the nuns taught us that whenever we heard a siren, we should say a prayer, because a siren signaled that somebody was in trouble and needed help. I didn't think about it at the time, but the siren also signaled that help was on the way. Alarming as sirens (and red or blue flashing lights) may be, they remind us that there are people who dedicate their lives to the times when other people need help most; times when life is out of control, times when they must rely on the dedication and care of others to sort out what are often life-and-death moments.

First Responders are trained to deal with people when they are not at their best. They must confront those who are overwhelmed with emotion, unable to communicate what is wrong, or are unwilling to cooperate with the help they need. Their work requires that they maintain composure and good judgment at precisely the moments when composure and good judgment break down.

No matter how well they are trained, the stress exacts an emotional toll on these professionals. In the twenty years since the attack on September 11, 2001, First Responders have been under particular stress: mass shootings are epidemic, wildfires rage on account of global warming, the pandemic has increased the difficulty of their work, the nation is more polarized. Maybe worst of all, like priests, a few bad members of their own ranks have cast suspicion on all of them. First Responders need to know that we support them not only through our taxes and cooperation, but also with our prayers and care for them.

During the Liturgies next weekend (October 23rd & 24th), we will bless all active and retired firefighters, police, deputies, ambulance technicians, and emergency room workers. Please invite any of your friends or neighbors who are First Responders to join us for the blessing. It's an opportunity for us as a commu-

nity to acknowledge and pray for those on whom we rely when we are most in need. Our prayers go with them as they go about their work. We pray that they are not hurt as they enter harm's way and that they find satisfaction in their vital vocation.

Whenever you hear a siren, pray for the person who is in trouble, for it surely signals someone is in extreme need. But, also pray for the people who staff the ambulances, police cruisers, fire trucks, helicopters and emergency rooms. Whether they are aware of it or not, our prayers go with them. Not only because these workers need to be physically, emotionally and spiritually fit when we need them, but also because they deserve the grace of God for their dedication and love of those whom they serve.



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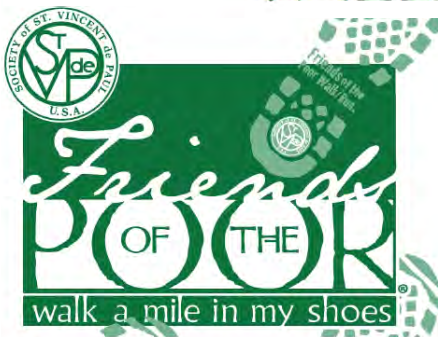


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WALK FOR THE POOR



This year our parish St. Vincent de Paul Conference is holding our own

Friends of the Poor Walk!

Come join us at Berryman Plaza on Saturday, October 23rd by 11:00 am.

Expect a call from our parish Walk for the Poor Leader, Monique Duax.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!

St. Mary Magdalen Church
2001 Berryman Street
—Start from Berryman Plaza—
11:00 am to Noon
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