

June 26th, 2022 | 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

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 in good weather)

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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WEBSITE



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BAPTISM:

Preparation classes take place on the first Monday of the month. (No baptismal preparation classes in July & August.) 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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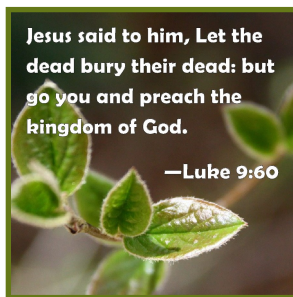
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Parish Calendar for June & July 2022

June 25 Saturday	Liturgy Committee Meeting 10:00 am, Rectory.
June 28 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Zoom. (Contact the parish for link.)
June 28 Tuesday	Centennial Committee Meeting 7:00 pm (Contact the parish, if interested!)
July 1 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15 - 10:15 am, Norton Hall.
July 1 Friday	Adoration/Benediction (Holy Hour) 6:05 pm, Church.
July 5 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Zoom. (Contact the parish for link.)
July 8 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15 - 10:15 am, Norton Hall.
July 12 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Zoom. (Contact the parish for link.)
July 12 Tuesday	Parish Pastoral Council (All are welcome.) 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Zoom—contact parish for Zoom link.
July 15 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15 - 10:15 am, Norton Hall.
July 15 Friday	Peace & Justice Meeting 4:00 - 5:00 pm, Norton Hall (or nearby outdoors).
July 19 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 2:00 - 3:00 pm, Zoom. (Contact the parish for link.)
July 22 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15 - 10:15 am, Norton Hall.
July 23 & 24 Sat. & Sun.	5 th Annual St. Mary Magdalen Festival Various events—See page 5 for details!



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feed my sheep"
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APPEAL



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Collection for the Week Ending June 19 th , 2022			
Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
06/19/2022	\$7,106.03	\$8,580.00	-\$1,473.97
Year-to-Date	\$223,152.64	\$230,920.00	-\$7,767.36
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Scripture Readings for the Week

26th **13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
1 Kings 19:16, 19-21 / Galatians 5:1, 13-18 / Luke 9:51-62

27th *Weekday [St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor]*
Amos 2:6-10, 13-16 / Matthew 8:18-22

28th *Memorial: St. Irenaeus, Bishop & Martyr*
Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12 / Matthew 8:23-27

29th **SOLEMNITY: STS. PETER & PAUL, APOSTLES**
Acts 12:1-11 / 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 / Matthew 16:13-19

30th *Weekday [First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church]*
Amos 7:10-17 / Matthew 9:1-8

1st *Weekday [St. Junípero Serra, Priest]*
Amos 8:4-6, 9-12 / Matthew 9:9-13

2nd *Weekday [Blessed Virgin Mary]*
Amos 9:11-15 / Matthew 9:14-17

Mass Intentions

Saturday	5:30	Intentions of Fr. Joel Thompson, SJ
Sunday	8:00	For the People of the Parish
	9:30	Fr. Oliver Powell RIP
	11:30	Joseph McWalters RIP
Monday	8:30	Librada Donor RIP
Tuesday	5:30	Intentions of Fr. Michael Carey, OP
	8:30	Intentions of Eamon Fitzgerald
Wednesday	5:30	Intentions of Martha Schendorf
	8:30	Intentions of the Donor
Thursday	5:30	Intentions of Luke & John Ernst
	8:30	Willard Tresses RIP
Friday	5:30	Claire McWalters RIP
	8:30	Intentions of Cat Nielsen
	5:30	Barbara ("Barb") Gamba RIP

Update on the McAllen, Texas, Respite Center for Refugees

Last year, our parish contributed generously to the **Rio Grande Valley Humanitarian Respite Center**, an outreach of **Catholic Charities of the Rio Grande Valley**. The Center is still helping immigrants who have been allowed to enter our country. Located in the border town of McAllen, Texas, the Respite Center is open seven days a week (including holidays), and provides the immigrants a place to rest, a warm meal, a shower, clean clothing, medicine, and supplies. When immigrants arrive, the center helps them to contact family members who can provide them with bus tickets (or other transportation) to reach their destination.



We can help in the following ways, via the website catholiccharitiesrgv.org.

- ◆ Click on the website's [Donate Now](#) button (see above), and you'll find a list of items needed, with an address provided for mailing.
- ◆ The center also has an [Amazon Wish List](#). Click on it, order the needed items, and Amazon will deliver them to the Respite Center.
- ◆ If you prefer to donate money, that also can be done on the catholiccharitiesrgv.org site.

Sister Norma Pimentel and all the volunteers are very grateful for your help!

Correction: The June 5th article about the Rio Grande Valley Humanitarian Respite Center incorrectly stated that the Center provides bus tickets for refugees to reach their next destination. The Center does **not** provide funds or tickets for transportation; they are paid for by the refugees' families and sponsors.

Notes from Fr. Nick

The Birth of John the Baptist

Only six more shopping months 'til Christmas! The feast of the Birth of John the Baptist is scheduled three months after the Annunciation, and so it conforms to the Biblical tradition (Luke 1:26) that he was born six months before Jesus. So why isn't it celebrated on June 25th, which would be exactly nine months before the Nativity? Suffice to say it has to do with vagaries in the way that the Romans counted.



Rogier van der Weyden, Naming of John the Baptist.
Staatliche Museen, Berlin.

The Baptism of John ranks as a Solemnity in the Church. Because it is near the summer solstice, the Church used it to supplant pagan feasts. In some countries, such as Sweden, traces of its pagan origins remain. There, the feast is similar to Halloween: children beg for candy and burn straw dolls, witches are rumored to roam free, and treasure is said to be found in enchanted places.

During the Christian era, the feast was a major time for celebration. Easter is long past and Christmas is far into the future. Summer fairs took place on the feast, and it was a major time for trading at markets. In an industrial world, we are not so much governed by seasons, and the feast has lost much of its significance, but it remains a bank holiday in parts of Europe.

John's birth parallels that of Isaac. His parents, Zechariah and Elizabeth, were beyond childbearing years, as were Abraham and Sarah. Zechariah was a priest and Abraham also offered sacrifices (he attempted to sacrifice his son!). Their children, both males, were to become great prophets. The parents received tidings of their births from angels; in Isaac's case, three mysterious visitors, in John (and Jesus') cases, from the archangel Gabriel.

During the days of summer, the Birth of John the Baptist reminds us that the Paschal Mystery continues and provides a spiritual reference point for a more relaxed time of the year.



Mary Magdalen Festival

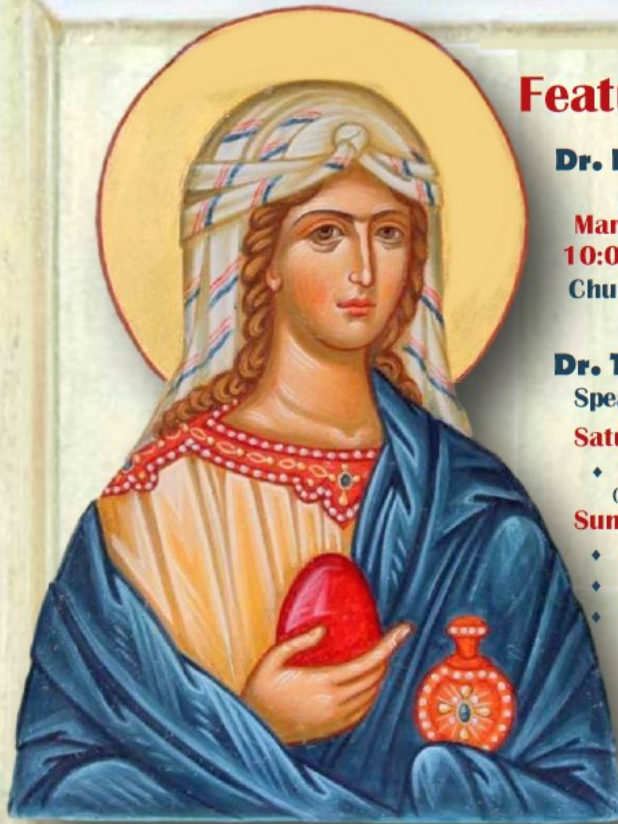
*High Tea
in the Parish Hall
Fundraiser
for the parish!*

*Save
the
Date*

*Saturday, July 23rd
1:00 pm
Parish Hall*

*Tickets: \$40
All profits go to support
St. Mary Magdalen Parish*

Fifth Annual St. Mary Magdalen Festival July 23rd & 24th, 2022



Featuring:

Dr. Lizette Larson-Miller
Keynote Speaker

Mary Magdalen Conference
10:00 am Saturday, July 23rd
Church (followed by a reception)

Dr. Tanisha Sparks
Speaker at all Masses

Saturday, July 23rd
♦ 5:30 pm, Church
(Livestreamed on Facebook & YouTube)

Sunday, July 24th
♦ 8:00 am, Church
♦ 9:30 am, Garden Mass
♦ 11:30 am, Church

High Tea
in the Parish Hall
1:00-3:00 pm
Saturday, July 23rd

Closing Event: Potluck Celebration in the Rectory
12:30 - 2:30 pm, Sunday, July 24th

The Rev. Canon Dr. Lizette Larson-Miller is the Huron Lawson Professor of Liturgy at Huron University College in London, Ontario. She has pastored churches in the U.S., Canada, and the Church of England. Her particular interests are late antiquity and early medieval liturgical history; rites and rituals with the sick, the dying, and the dead; as well as contemporary sacramental theology and sacramentality. She is the past president of *Societas Liturgica* and the *International Anglican Liturgical Consultation*. Dr. Larson-Miller holds two degrees in music, an M.A. in liturgical studies from St. John's University, and a Ph.D. in liturgical studies from the GTU in Berkeley. Her most recent book is *Sacramentality Renewed: Contemporary Conversations in Sacramental Theology*.



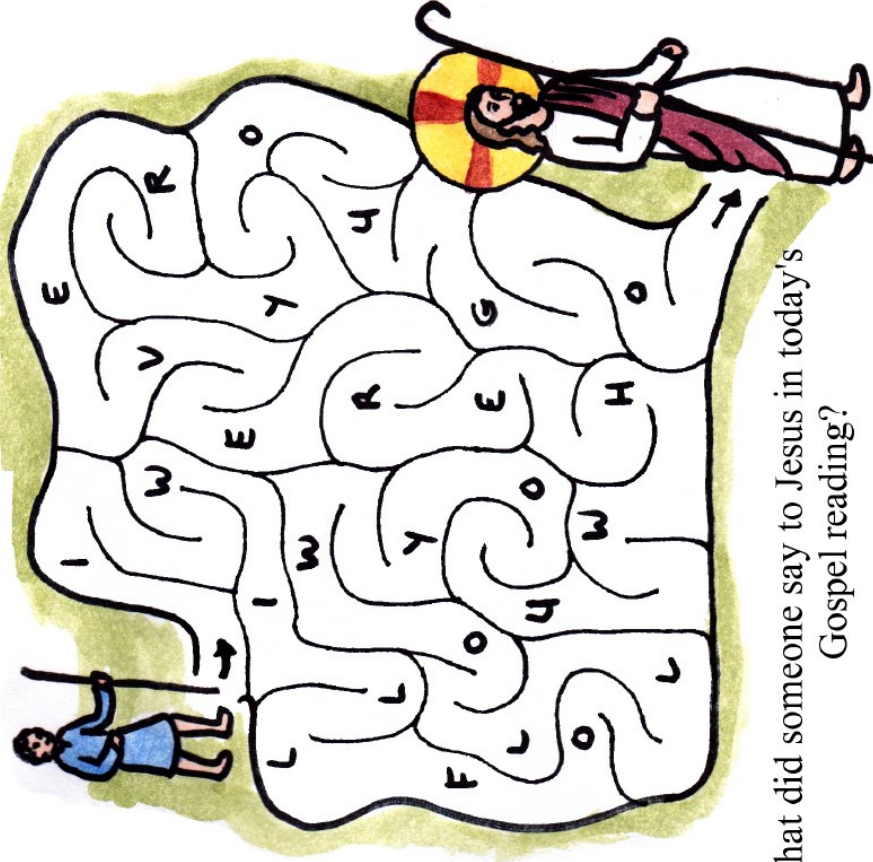
Dr. Tanisha Sparks is the Director of Finance & Administration for the Jesuit School of Theology in Berkeley. She is also a Global Minister for Tanisha Sparks Ministries, where she serves as Preacher, Guest Lecturer, Conference and Retreat Speaker, Counselor, and Business and Project Manager. She previously served as a youth minister at four churches in the East Bay. Dr. Sparks received her undergraduate and M.B.A. degrees from Holy Names University, her M.Div. from the American Baptist Seminary of the West, and her Doctorate in Ministry, Biblical Interpretation and Proclamation from the Candler School of Theology of Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia.

All Events Are In-Person!

The Kids' Bulletin

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 26th, 2022

Luke 9:51-62



What did someone say to Jesus in today's Gospel reading?

Use the letters in the maze to fill in the blanks and find out!

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Word-Find: I Will Follow You

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H M L E F O T N I R
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J O U R N E Y R O O N
E X R O W W H I M U E
S E Y J B E H I N D S
U S E T S L E R E S T
S S F O L L O W U S S



See if you can find all the words from today's Gospel that are written in CAPITALS. Use the leftover letters to fill in the blanks at the end.

As they were proceeding on their JOURNEY someone said to him, "I will follow you WHEREVER you go." Jesus ANSWERED him, "FOXES have DENS and birds of the air have NESTS, but the Son of Man has NOWHERE to REST his head."

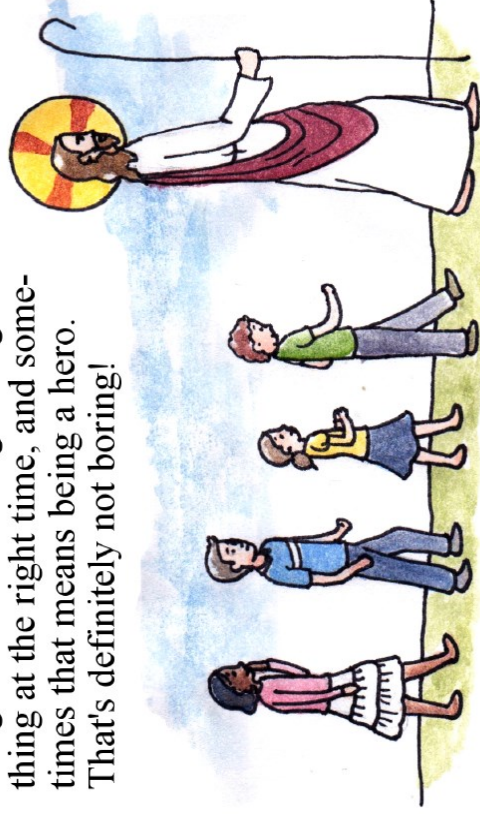
And to another he said, "FOLLOW me." But he replied, "Lord, let me go FIRST and bury my FATHER." But he answered HIM, "Let the dead BURY their DEAD. But you, go and PROCLAIM the KINGDOM of God." And ANOTHER said, "I will follow YOU, Lord, but first let me say FAREWELL to my FAMILY at HOME." To him JESUS said, "No one who SETS a hand to the PLOW and looks to what was left BEHIND is fit for the kingdom of God."

Follow Jesus

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus asks some people to leave everything behind and follow Him. God is actually asking all of us to follow Him! Does that mean that we have to start wandering from town to town preaching? No! It means that we should try to become holy like Jesus.

God calls everyone to be holy. Some people become holy as priests or religious sisters or brothers, but those are not the only ways to become holy. Kids, married people and single people can all live out God's plan for holiness by doing His will every day.

You might think at first that being holy sounds boring, but it's not! Holiness means being like God. It means using the gifts God gave you to do good things. It means doing the right thing at the right time, and sometimes that means being a hero. That's definitely not boring!



Answer to maze on front: I will follow you wherever you go.
Answer to Word-Find: I will follow Jesus

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Saint Paul the Apostle

June 29



SAUL WAS A JEW WHO WAS ALSO A ROMAN CITIZEN. HE WAS BORN AROUND THE TIME OF OUR LORD, AND WAS TRAINED AS A TENT MAKER.



SAUL WAS A PHARISEE AND APPROVED OF THE KILLING OF THE CHRISTIANS. HE WAS AT THE MARTYRDOM OF STEPHEN.



THEN ONE DAY HE FELL OFF HIS HORSE WHEN HE HAD A VISION OF THE RISEN JESUS.



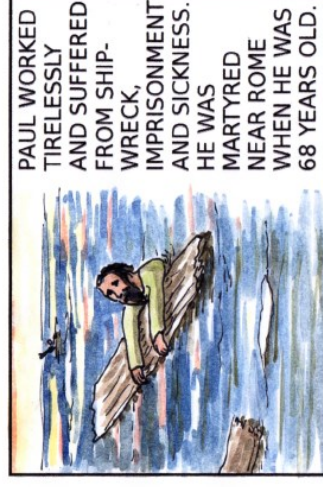
SAUL, WHOSE ROMAN NAME WAS PAUL, BECAME A CHRISTIAN AND WAS BAPTIZED.



HE BEGAN TO TRAVEL AND PREACH TO THE GENTILES ABOUT JESUS



PAUL WROTE LETTERS TO THE NEW CHRISTIANS. MANY OF THESE ARE PART OF THE BIBLE.



PAUL WORKED TIRELESSLY AND SUFFERED FROM SHIP-WRECK, IMPRISONMENT AND SICKNESS. HE WAS MARTYRED NEAR ROME WHEN HE WAS 68 YEARS OLD.

SAINT PAUL IS CALLED "THE APOSTLE TO THE GENTILES." BEFORE HE BEGAN TO TEACH THE PAGANS, MANY PEOPLE BELIEVED THAT ONLY THE JEWS COULD BE SAVED FROM THEIR SINS AND GO TO HEAVEN. BUT SAINT PAUL KNEW THAT GOD WANTED EVERYONE TO BE PART OF HIS CHURCH.

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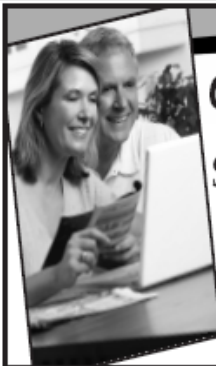
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