

# St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Parish



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

## WEEKEND MASSES

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

## DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday/Thursday/Saturday 8:30 am  
Monday/Wednesday/Friday 5:30 pm

## LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Monday – Saturday 8:00 am  
Mon./Wed./Friday 5:10 pm

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 to 5:00 pm  
(and by appointment)

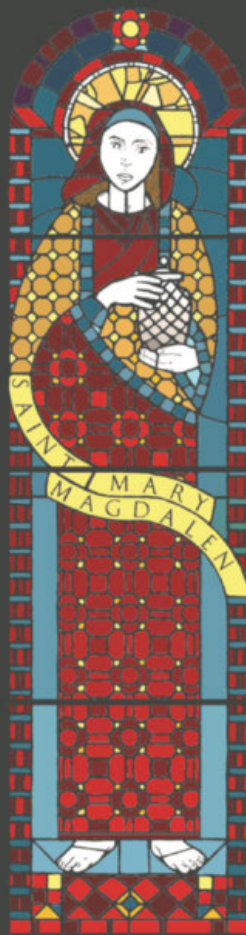
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*“Together we share our  
Faith in Jesus Christ.*

*We live the Gospel,  
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 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Mass, and by appointment.

## St. Mary Magdalen Parish Honored Hispanic Heritage Month

This past month, posters and banners of our 12 Honorees were displayed inside the church and on our fence. The biographies were written by students of the School and members of the parish Racial Equity Committee.

Go to [marymagdalen.org/hhm](http://marymagdalen.org/hhm) to read the bios (or click on the photo in the digital edition).

Last Sunday's 9:30 am Mass was bilingual, with the support of the Spanish Choir from St. Ambrose!



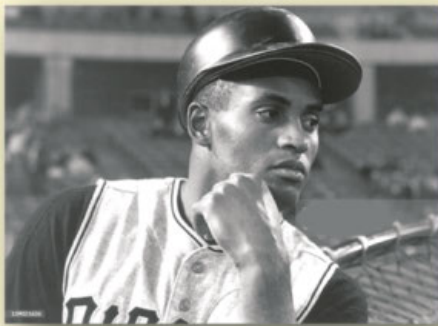
**Octaviano Larrazola**  
1859-1930



**Jovita Idár**  
1885 - 1946



**Ruben Salazar**  
1928-1970



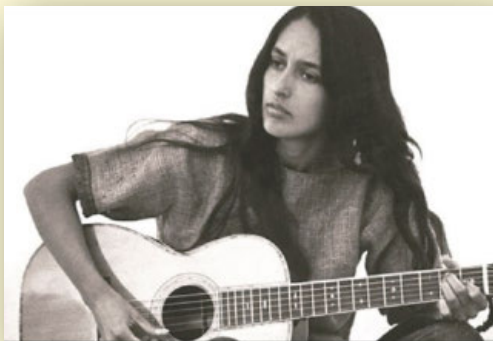
**Roberto Clemente**  
1934 - 1972



**Sylvia Mendez**  
1936 - present



**Armando Rendón**  
1939 - present



**Joan Baez**  
1941 - present



**Judy Baca**  
1946 - present



**Antonio Villaraigosa**  
1953 - present



**Justice Sonia Sotomayor**  
1954 - present



**Adriana Briscoe**  
1970 - present



**Lin-Manuel Miranda**  
1980 - present



# The Kids' Bulletin

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
October 22nd, 2023



*In today's Gospel reading, some men asked Jesus if it was right to pay tax. What did Jesus ask them to show Him? Connect the dots to find out!*

[thekidsbulletin.com](http://thekidsbulletin.com)

# Sing 2 the Lord...!

a math puzzle

Figure out the answers to the math questions and use the answers to find the right words to fill in the blanks in today's Psalm.



Sing to the \_\_\_\_\_ a new \_\_\_\_\_;  
 $4+4=$  \_\_\_\_\_  $1+4=$  \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord, all you \_\_\_\_\_.  
 $4+2=$  \_\_\_\_\_  $6+3=$  \_\_\_\_\_

Tell his \_\_\_\_\_ among the \_\_\_\_\_;  
 $3+4=$  \_\_\_\_\_  $1+1=$  \_\_\_\_\_

among all \_\_\_\_\_,  $2+1=$  \_\_\_\_\_

his wondrous \_\_\_\_\_,  $2+2=$  \_\_\_\_\_



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|-----------|---------|
| 2 nations | 6 sing  |
| 3 peoples | 7 glory |
| 4 deeds   | 8 Lord  |
| 5 song    | 9 lands |

## Notes from Fr. Nick

# Saints Simon & Jude

We know very little about Saints Simon and Jude. Both were Apostles, and they share October 28<sup>th</sup> as their feast day. Jesus chose them to proclaim the Good News and to receive others into his faith community through baptism. The description of their call from the Gospels indicates that they may have been members of Jesus' extended family.



There is an unreliable tradition that Simon and Jude ministered in Persia and Mesopotamia. Tradition also has it that they were martyred, and thus would have died at some time during the first century A.D. The Church honors these apostles by mentioning them in the First Eucharistic Prayer, or the "Roman Canon."

In addition, their names also give us some insight into their personalities. Simon was called "the Zealot". This attribute usually means that a person is strongly committed to a cause. We therefore might infer that he had great zeal for Christ and the Gospel. However, it is more likely that Simon was affiliated with a group

dedicated to the overthrow of the Roman government before joining Christ's followers.

Jude was also called Thaddeus, which means "courageous." This could be a reference to his zeal for the early Church, or it may refer to the tone of a short Epistle attributed to him in the New Testament. This Epistle warns against people who have infiltrated a church and are creating dissension. The author tells his followers to be charitable but wary.

Although most of their lives' work has been lost to history, we honor Simon and Jude as men chosen by Christ to proclaim the Gospel and who gave their lives for it.

## Lecture by Professor Gina Hens-Piazza on the Readings of Advent



Photos: Catie Cariaga Nakamura

On Thursday, October 12th; Norton Hall was filled with priests, parishioners, and students from the Jesuit School of Theology to hear renowned Biblical scholar **Professor Gina Hens-Piazza, Ph.D.**, break open the upcoming Advent Readings. Although her talk was aimed at those who will be preaching this December, her thoughtful insights were enlightening to all. Click here for the video: [tinyurl.com/SMM-Hens-Piazza](https://tinyurl.com/SMM-Hens-Piazza)

Many thanks to parishioner **Mary Blyskal**, who provided a sumptuous repast for the lucky attendees!



# Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A ~ October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

## Weekly Collection Report for October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
10/15/2023	\$5,924.60	\$8,980.00	\$3,055.40
Year-to-Date	\$341,208.93	\$390,180.00	-\$48,971.07
<i>Thank you for your donations.</i>			

## Parish Symposium on the Big Bang



Mark your calendars for our Symposium on Saturday, Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am in the church, when parishioner **Peter Hess, Ph.D.**, co-author of *Catholicism and Science*, will discuss:

*“The Big Bang, the Genome, and the Communion of Saints: What is the Christian Hope?”*

## Scripture Readings for the Week

22<sup>nd</sup> TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
Isaiah 45:1, 4-6 / 1 Thes. 1:1-5 / Matthew 22:15-21

23<sup>rd</sup> Weekday [Saint John of Capistrano, Priest]  
Romans 4:20-25 / Luke 12:13-21

24<sup>th</sup> Weekday [Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop]  
Romans 5:12, 15-21 / Luke 12:35-38

25<sup>th</sup> Weekday  
Romans 6:12-18 / Luke 12:39-48

26<sup>th</sup> Weekday  
Romans 6:19-23 / Luke 12:49-53

27<sup>th</sup> Weekday  
Romans 7:18-25 / Luke 12:54-59

28<sup>th</sup> FEAST: SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES  
Ephesians 2:19-22 / Luke 6:12-16

## Mass Intentions



Saturday 5:30 Intentions of the Burhans Family and the Burhans Family RIP

Sunday 8:00 Victor Espejo RIP and intentions of Yolando Espejo

9:30 For the People of the Parish

11:30 Intentions of Diane Dodds

Monday 5:30 Theodore Pilz RIP

Tuesday 8:30 Teresa Nguyen Xuan Loan RIP

Wednesday 5:30 Nam Sing Lao RIP

Thursday 8:30 Intentions of M.E. O'Connor

Friday 5:30 Alberto Lao RIP

Saturday 8:30 Intentions of the Botor Bea Family

## Parish Calendar through October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023

October 20 Friday	Pray the Rosary for Peace in the World 3:00 pm, Church.
October 21 Saturday	CONCERT: Healing Muses <a href="http://healingmuses.org">healingmuses.org</a> 7:30 pm, Church. <i>Autumn Celebration of Music</i>
October 22 Sunday	Monthly Family Liturgy 9:30 am Mass w/ Children's Liturgy of the Word
October 24 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel Zoom link: 2:00 - 3:00 pm, <a href="http://tinyurl.com/SMM-GospelGroup">tinyurl.com/SMM-GospelGroup</a>
October 24 Tuesday	Laudato Si' Series: Dr. Mary McGann, RSCJ 7:00 pm, Parish Hall
October 24 Tuesday	RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation) 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Parish Hall.
October 25 Wednesday	Meeting of SPRED Catechism 6:00 pm, Norton Hall
October 25 Wednesday	Bible & Faith Studies: <i>The Prophets</i> 7:00 - 8:30 pm, Parish Hall.
October 27 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15 am, Norton Hall. (All are welcome!)
October 28/29 Weekend	School of the Madeleine FALL FESTIVAL Playground, Parish Hall... (All are welcome!)
October 28/29 Weekend	Sacrament of the Sick at the end of all Masses 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday

The Madeleine PA *Laudato Si'* Speaker Series presents  
“Bringing the Food System Home,” facilitated by  
Dr. Mary McGann, RSJC

Join us on Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, for a talk facilitated by Dr. Mary McGann, Professor of Liturgical Studies at the Jesuit School of Theology in Berkeley.

Dr. McGann will lead us through an examination of the food system and our participation in it.

From the importance of edible schoolyards to the spirituality of eating, Dr. McGann will provide parents, educators, and community members with tangible ways to institute greater awareness of how we engage with the food system, and ways we may adapt our daily habits.



From left: Dr. Mary McGann with Madeleine students Jack and Electra Riches

Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 to 8:30 pm  
Parish Hall & via Zoom

Questions? Please connect with the Parents' Association Board at [MADPABoard@gmail.com](mailto:MADPABoard@gmail.com), or the Speaker Series Chair, Dr. Kate Barush, at [kbarush@scu.edu](mailto:kbarush@scu.edu).

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