

St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Parish



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Masses this Ash Wednesday: 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 5:30 pm

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)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday
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1:00 pm – 5:00 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.



In Memoriam: Jillian Hopewell

The daughter of longtime parishioner Eleanor Hopewell lost her battle with cancer in December. Jillian's work at Migrant Clinicians Network supported the education of thousands of clinicians across the country, allowing them to meet the health needs of their migrant and immigrant patients. "Her unique superpowers were her sincerity, empathy, and open heartedness. She left behind hundreds of colleagues who call her a friend, and many close colleagues that she amassed over her 28 years at the Network."

Eleanor, former head of parish Art & Environment, has moved to New Mexico with her husband Philip. Contact the office for their address.

Today is Scout Sunday!

Scouts from Troops 24, 42, and Junior Troop 32694 will be in uniform at this Sunday's 9:30 am Mass, a few serving as Lectors and Cross-Bearers.

After Mass, consider purchasing Girl Scout Cookies from Junior Troop 32694 (made up mostly of Madeleine 5th graders). Thanks in advance for supporting our Scouts!



Ash Wednesday Day of Prayer

The Parched Land Will Rejoice and Blossom. (Isaiah 35: 1-2)



Date: February 14, 2024
Time: 9:30 am—2:00 pm
Location: Mission San José Dominican Motherhouse Wellness Room
Cost: \$40 (includes lunch)
RSVP by February 12, 2024

Join us for a quiet day of prayer as we enter into the season of Lent. The day includes contemplative prayer, Eucharist with distribution of ashes, a simple, silent lunch, and personal time to reflect, journal and share. Walk the Holy Ground of our Motherhouse, including the meditation garden, labyrinth, olive groves and chapel.

Sister Jane Garrison is a Mission San Jose Dominican and retired certified Chaplain of the National Association of Catholic Chaplains. Sister Jane has served as chaplain in several hospitals in the Bay Area and retired from being a hospice chaplain in Santa Clara County. She has given multiple presentations on various spiritual and medical topics in the community at large, and recently facilitated grief workshops for two parishes in the San Jose Diocese. Prior to her ministry in the medical field, Sister Jane was an elementary/secondary teacher in the schools staffed by the Dominican Sisters.



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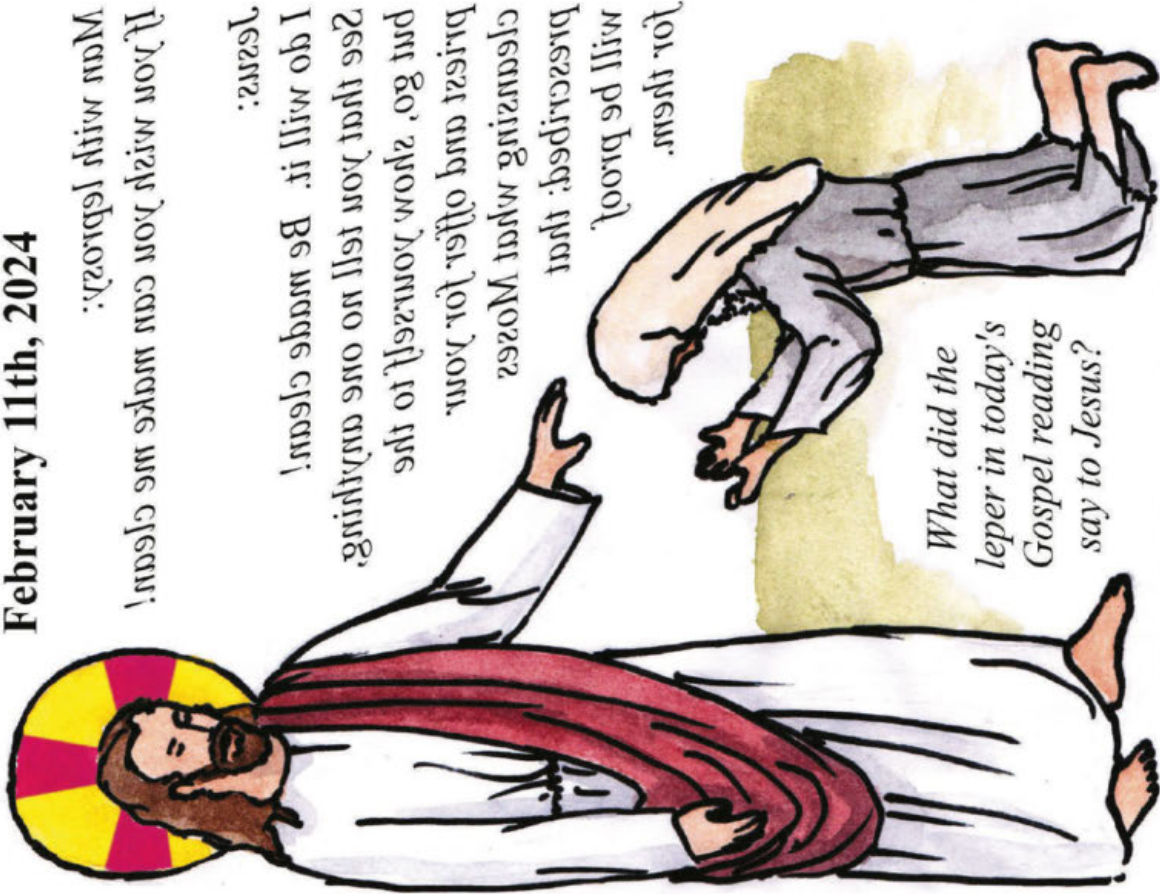
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The Kids' Bulletin

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 11th, 2024



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

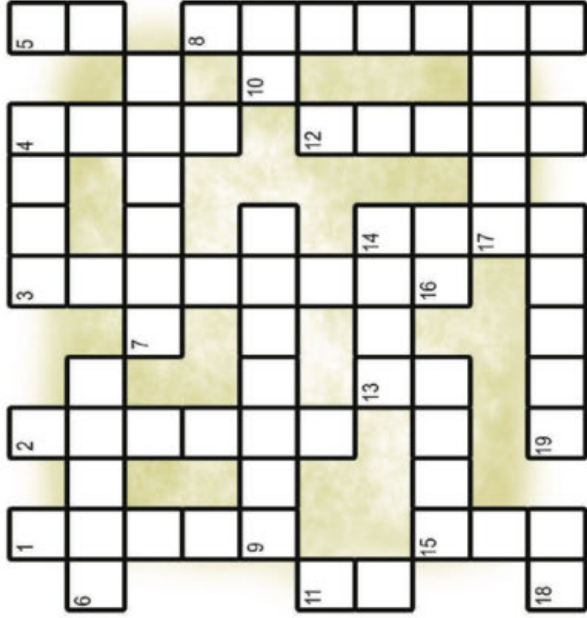
What did Jesus reply to him?

Look at this page in the mirror to find out!

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The Leper Cross-Word



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A _____ (6a) came to Jesus and _____ (3d) _____ (14d) _____ (2d) him and said, " _____ (5d) you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his _____ (13a), _____ (8d) him, and said to him, "I do will it. _____ (11d) made clean." The leprosy left him immediately, and he was _____ (15a) clean. Then, warning him _____ (9a), he dismissed him at once.

He said to him, "See that you _____ (4d) no one anything, but _____ (16a), show yourself to the priest and offer what Moses prescribed; that will be _____ (12d) for them."

The _____ (15d) went away and _____ (19a) to publicize the _____ (17a) matter. _____ (13d) spread the report abroad so that it was impossible for _____ (1d) to enter a town openly. He remained outside _____ (18a) deserted places, and _____ (7a) _____ (3a) coming _____ (10a) him from everywhere.

Notes from Fr. Nick

Lent & St. Valentine

Since the Feast of St. Valentine falls on Ash Wednesday this year, may I propose that we anticipate Valentine's Day on February 13th — Fat Tuesday/Mardi Gras? Although Valentine's Day holds a special place in the heart of every romantic, it can't compare with the gravity of Ash Wednesday.



Scant reliable information exists about St. Valentine, and so he was removed from the Church's sanctoral calendar in 1969. The legend is that emperor Claudius II forbade soldiers from marrying because he wanted they should be completely devoted to him. Therefore Valentine began witnessing the soldiers' marriages in secret, and was later martyred by Claudius for his actions. His commitment to the soldiers and their brides is where he became associated with love. St. Valentine is also the patron saint of epileptics and beekeepers.



Ash Wednesday, on the other hand, is very clearly defined. It begins our preparation for the great feasts of the Paschal Mystery: *Holy Thursday*, *Good Friday* and *Easter*. Our Savior entered our very human lives to rescue us from a pointless life pocked by sin. As a consequence, some human beings asserted their worldly power and condemned Him to death. But God raised him up.

I always feel ambivalent about Lent. On the one hand, I dread the fasting and soul-searching, as well as the extra work it entails for a pastor. Yet at the same time I relish the back-to-basics, focused prayer and camaraderie the season brings. It's a little like a spiritual workout, or listening to a Wagner opera. Lent takes more of a commitment than I would like, yet I know the reward is worth it.

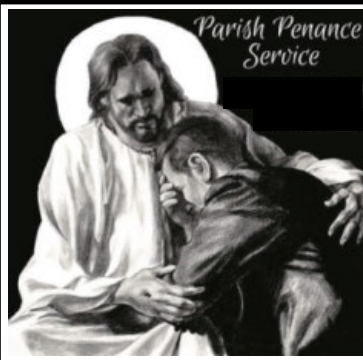


Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B ~ February 11th, 2024

Collection Report for the Week of February 4th, 2024

Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
02/04/2024	\$6,321.90	\$8,980.00	-\$2,658.10
Year-to-Date	\$36,639.30	\$44,900.00	-\$8,260.70

Were you able to increase your donation by 10% in November?



Lenten Reconciliation Service

Monday, March 11th
7:30 pm

Exchange your heavy load for the lighter burden of Christ!

Scripture Readings for the Week

- 11th SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46 / 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1 / Mark 1:40-45
- 12th *Weekday*
James 1:1-11 / Mark 8:11-13
- 13th *Weekday*
James 1:12-18 / Mark 8:14-21
- 14th **ASH WEDNESDAY**
Joel 2:12-18 / 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2 / Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18
- 15th *Thursday after Ash Wednesday*
Deuteronomy 30:15-20 / Luke 9:22-25
- 16th *Friday after Ash Wednesday*
Isaiah 58:1-9 / Matthew 9:14-15
- 17th *Saturday after Ash Wednesday [Servite Founders]*
Isaiah 58:9-14 / Luke 5:27-32

Mass Intentions



Saturday	5:30	Rosalina B. Soque RIP
Sunday	8:00	For the People of the Parish
	9:30	Frank Ortman RIP
	11:30	Intentions of the Manocchio Family
Monday	5:30	Intentions of Rudy K. Johnson
Tuesday	8:30	Celia Shryne RIP
	8:30	Intentions of Lisa Schwartz
Wednesday	5:30	Fr. Bill Nadeau RIP
Thursday	8:30	Hazel Hippolyte RIP
Friday	5:30	Mary Lee Lao RIP
Saturday	8:30	Nicholas Espejo RIP

Parish Calendar through February 18th, 2024

February 10	ANNUAL PARISH CONFERENCE
Saturday	9:00 am - 3:00 pm, Parish Hall
February 10/11	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Dcn. Jeff
Weekend	5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
February 11	SCOUT SUNDAY
Sunday	Scouts will be honored at the 9:30 am Mass
February 12	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
Monday	7:00 pm, Conference Room
February 13	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel <i>Zoom link:</i>
Tuesday	2:00 - 3:00 pm, tinyurl.com/SMM-GospelGroup
February 13	RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation)
Tuesday	7:00 - 9:00 pm, Norton Hall.
February 14	ASH WEDNESDAY
Wednesday	Services: 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 5:30 pm
February 14	Meeting of SPRED Catechism
Wednesday	6:30 pm, Norton Hall
February 16	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel
Friday	9:15 am, Norton Hall
February 16	Peace & Justice Monthly Meeting
Friday	4:00 pm, Norton Hall
February 17/18	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Dcn. Ryen
Weekend	5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday

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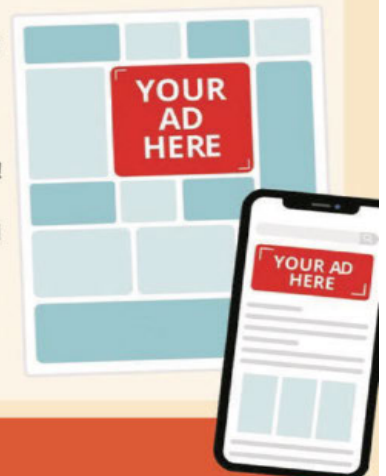
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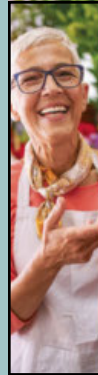


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