

April 14th, 2024 | Third Sunday of Easter, 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, 11:30 am

DAILY MASSES

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)

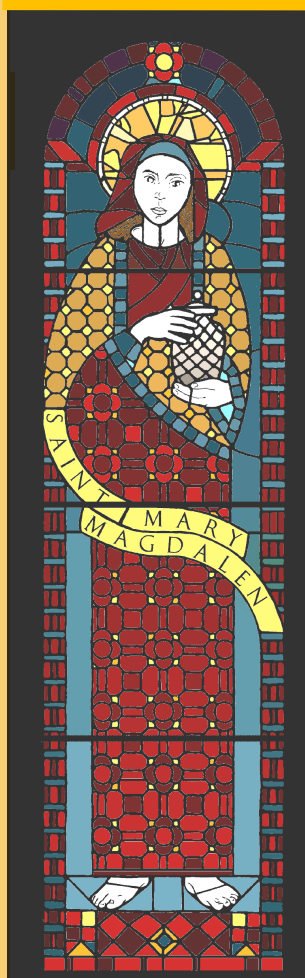
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1:00 pm – 5:00 pm
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*"Together we share our
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*We live the Gospel,
and we care for others."*

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 5th Sunday Mass, and by appointment.

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Parish Collections through April 7 th , 2024			
Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
04/07/2024	\$8,308.58	\$8,980.00	-\$671.42
Easter	\$18,605.86	\$22,000.00	-\$3,394.14
Year-to-Date	\$119,994.26	\$138,640.00	-\$18,645.74

We are hoping to reach our Easter Goal!



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Scripture Readings for the Week

14 th	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	Acts 3:13-15, 17-19 / 1 John 2:1-5 / Luke 24:35-48
15 th	Easter Weekday	Acts 6:8-15 / John 6:22-29
16 th	Easter Weekday	Acts 7:51-8:1 / John 6:30-35
17 th	Easter Weekday	Acts 8:1-8 / John 6:35-40
18 th	Easter Weekday	Acts 8:26-40 / John 6:44-51
19 th	Easter Weekday	Acts 9:1-20 / John 6:52-59
20 th	Easter Weekday	Acts 9:31-42 / John 6:60-69

Mass Intentions

Saturday	5:30	Nate RIP
Sunday	8:00	Edward Ryan RIP
	9:30	Hildegard Jordan RIP
	11:30	For the People of the Parish
Monday	5:30	Allie Greene & Michaleen and Jim Franklin RIP
Tuesday	8:30	Antoni Lewicki RIP
Wednesday	8:30	Intentions of Aggie Finnegan
	5:30	Nicholas Espejo RIP
Thursday	8:30	Louis Martello RIP
Friday	5:30	Intentions of Alexander C. Ovens
Saturday	8:30	Veronica Ramirez RIP

Parish Calendar through April 21st, 2024

April 11- April 28	Fr. Nick is vacationing in Japan. <i>(Serving as ship's chaplain on the <u>Westerdam.</u>)</i>
April 12 Friday	Eucharistic Adoration (Holy Hour) 6:00 pm, Church <i>(Postponed from April 5th.)</i>
April 13/14 Weekend	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Fr. Wilson 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
April 14 Sunday	CONCERT: Music Sources 5:00 pm, Church
April 16 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel <i>Zoom link:</i> 2:00 - 3:00 pm, tinyurl.com/SMM-GospelGroup
April 16 Tuesday	RCIA: 7:00 pm, Norton Hall
April 17 Wednesday	Meeting of SPRED Catechism 6:30 pm, Norton Hall
April 19 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15—10:15 am, Norton Hall
April 19 Friday	Peace & Justice Committee Meeting 4:00 pm, Norton Hall
April 20/21 Weekend	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Celebrant 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
April 21 Sunday	Church World Service's CROP Walk 1:30 pm, Parking Lot. <i>See page 4 for details.</i>



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Photos from Easter Sunday



Music Director Andy Canepa led the Schola Magdalena at the 11:30 am Mass.



Above photos: Grant Nakamura



Deacon Ryan Dwyer, SJ, processed the Book of the Gospels around the church with Cross Bearer Eleanor Wilkinson & Thurifer John Stewart.

To see more photos of Holy Week at St. Mary Magdalen, go to tinyurl.com/SMM-Triduum2024.

Notes from Fr. Nick

Japanese Customs

By the time you read this Bulletin column, I'll be aboard the Holland-America ship, *Westerdam*, serving as the ship's Chaplain. We'll be cruising around the islands of Japan with a stop in South Korea. I've been to Japan on a couple of previous trips, but this will be the most comprehensive excursion yet.

I've never yet visited Hiroshima or Kyoto, and so these are high on my list of shore excursions. However, I am more interested in the Japanese culture and people than in any particular place. The respect Japanese people show each other is more than etiquette. Once when I was waiting to board a Japanese train, I saw the guard on the platform bowing to the locomotive engineer as the train pulled into the station. To me, the bow denoted an appreciation for each person's role in making their society work smoothly.

Westerners have their own social conventions that accomplish the same purpose. The "Have a nice day!" we receive after our groceries are checked out is not a hollow gesture;

it's a signal that our interaction is complete and we can move on. Shaking hands was discouraged during the pandemic to avoid spreading the virus. Yet allowing another person into our personal space is a sign that we trust them and can interact with them at a deeper level than as a complete stranger.

I'm not saying that Japanese social conventions are superior to ours, but by contrasting one culture to another we can learn from others and gain a new appreciation for our own social conventions. Perhaps some of the formal reserve Japanese people show to each other can remind us brash Westerners to give each other a little space and lower the tensions we can create around us.

By the way: you may notice that at the Kiss of Peace that I bow to you with my hands clasped in the prayer position. It may look like something ingrained in me by my mother at an early age, or that I picked up in the seminary. In fact, I adopted it from those Buddhists bowing to each other on the railway platform in Japan. I still encourage whatever gesture you may choose—including shaking hands or embracing. As the president, the bow lets me acknowledge your prayerful presence and allows us to move on to the *Agnus Dei* ("Lamb of God").



Join in or Donate to the Crop Hunger Walk

It's time for the annual CROP Walk! As for many years, walkers from all over Berkeley will gather at our church parking lot, and then walk a few kilometers



Time: April 21st at 1:30 pm

through Berkeley before returning to the church. A project of the Church World Service, the proceeds not only help alleviate hunger around the world, but support local organizations as well. The local recipients are the *Berkeley Food Bank*, *Dorothy Day House*, and *Youth Spirit Artworks*.

Online donations are preferred, but checks (made out to CWS/CROP) can be dropped off in the collection basket or at the office. All are welcome to participate in the walk and/or donate to this worthy cause!

HELP US REACH OUR GOAL OF RAISING \$3,000.



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tinyurl.com/SOM-SMM-CropWalk

MARY MAGDALEN Festival Tea

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Tickets

\$50 per person

Online purchase link:

tinyurl.com/SMM-2024Tea

You may also purchase tickets in the parish office.

Groups welcome!

SUN 19 MAY

1 - 3 PM

Magdalen (Parish) Hall

Limited seating—purchase tickets by May 13.

\$50 Per Person

All proceeds benefit Parish Ministries



The Kids' Bulletin

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When Jesus rose from the dead, some of the disciples thought He was a ghost.

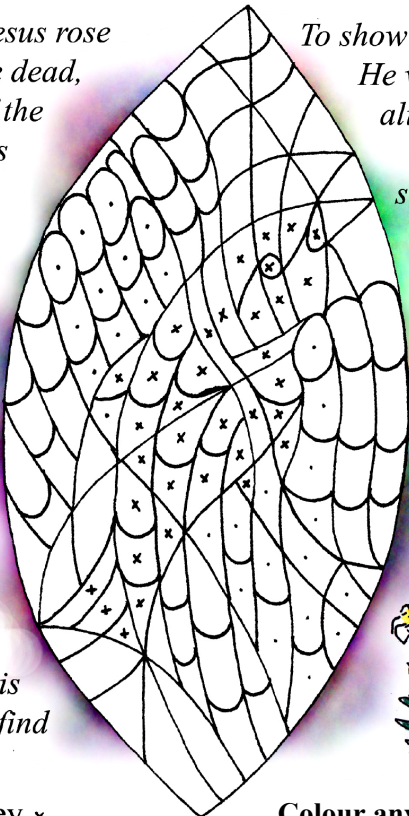
To show them that He was really alive, Jesus asked for something to eat. What did they give Him?

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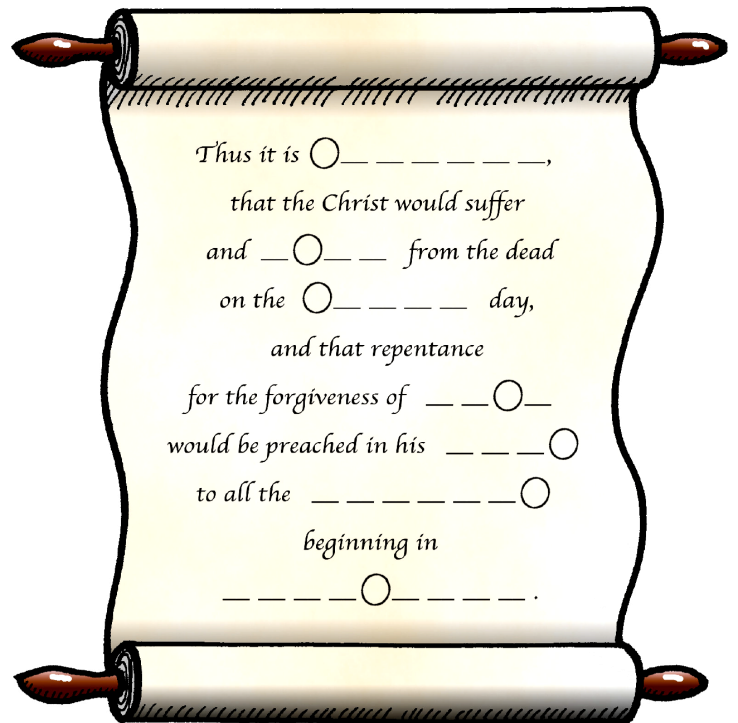
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Colour any colour in the blank spaces!



An Easter Word Puzzle

Use the words from the list to fill in the blanks.
Then use the letters in circles to fill in the blanks at the end.



Jesus wants you to be His

_____ to the world!

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