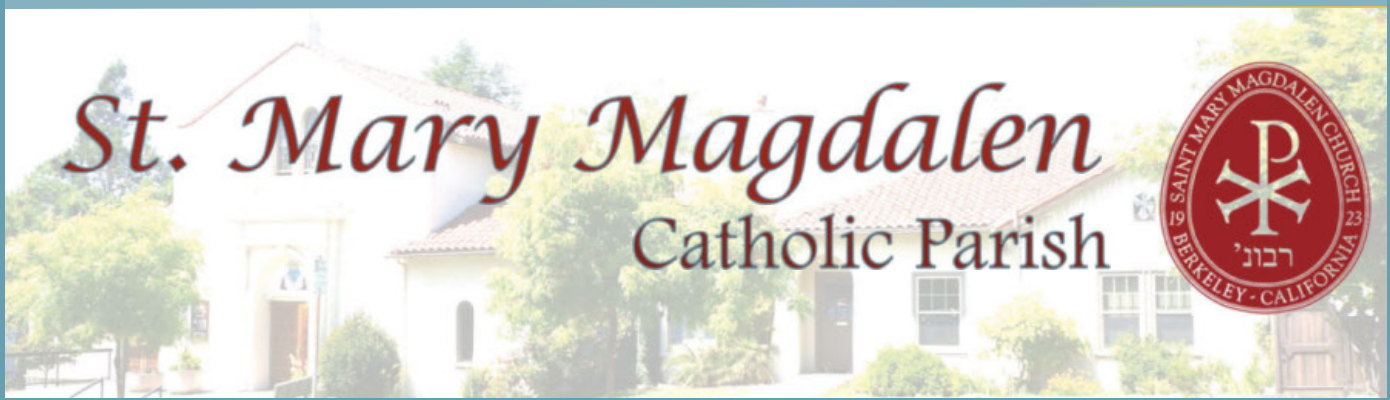


June 16th, 2024 | Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B



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

SUNDAY MASSES

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

DAILY MASSES

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

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

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

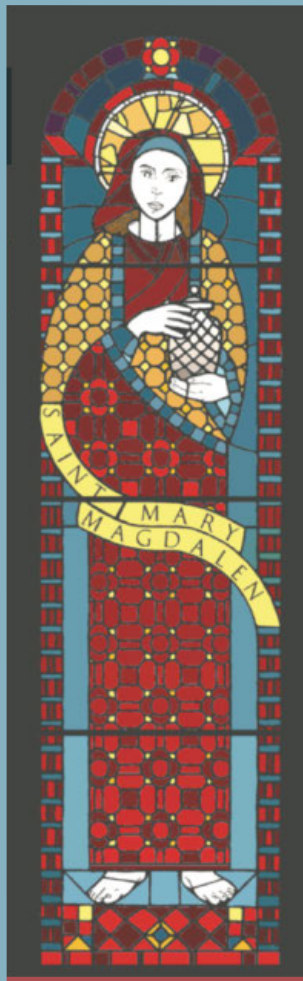
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BAPTISM:

The last preparation class of the season will take place on June 3rd at 5:30 pm. Classes will commence again in September; please contact the office for details.

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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Fr. Ryen Dwyer, S.J. ~ Masses, Blessings & Reception

On Saturday, June 8th, our former Transitional Deacon, **Ryen Dwyer, SJ**, was ordained to the priesthood, along with five other men of the Midwest Jesuit province. The Mass and Ordination was celebrated in the Church of the Gesu in Milwaukee (Wisconsin) by the Most Reverend Robert J. Fisher, Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of Detroit. Fr. Ryen is returning here this weekend to celebrate Masses of Thanksgiving at all Masses. A reception will be held in Norton Hall after the last Mass, at 12:30 pm. You may view his ordination ceremony (and/or leave a gift) at jesuitsmidwest.org/ordination24. Come to receive Ryen's blessing!



The Light of Day



Sunday, June 23, 2024

5:00 pm

St. Mary Magdalen Church
2005 Berryman St., Berkeley

Free admission: we welcome donations to the Women's Daytime Drop-In Center

Fatherhood

Jesus addressed his Father in heaven as *Abba*— literally, “Daddy.” While Jews of his time were accustomed to understanding their God as a father, they did not experience this childlike familiarity. They were far more comfortable with a stern and distant Father-God.

However, if art through the centuries is any indication, Christians find it no easier to deal with Jesus’ image of the Father than do Jews. Michelangelo’s famous depictions of the Father in the Sistine Chapel show God as someone to be feared. While fierceness can be an admirable characteristic, it is not the attribute of fatherhood that Jesus chose to emphasize.

Images of God the Father that may more accurately depict Jesus’ reflections are “Daddy’s-little-girl,” or a father enveloping his child as they perfect a golf club swing.



Creation of the Sun, Moon, and Plants by Michelangelo, Sistine Chapel.

The Father who is a guide, teacher, and comforter is more in the vein of Jesus’ description than God as judge, taskmaster or drill sergeant.

When children grow up and develop their own personalities, it is difficult to sustain the close, easy relationship epitomized in the idea of “Daddy.” Many adolescents seem determined to torpedo any intimacy between father and child. Barriers go up that keep everybody at a comfortable distance, but not a distance where trust, understanding and love can prosper. This distance may also apply to the relationship with our Father in Heaven.



This Father’s Day, as we honor the men who brought us into this world, we should consider the image of *Father* that characterized Jesus’ prayer. This ideal deep, caring intimacy is our touchstone with the God who created us. It is also the ideal for how we care for those around us.

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Parish Collections for the week of June 9 th , 2024			
Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
06/9/2024	\$8,515.35	\$8,980.00	-\$464.65
Year-to-Date	\$194,455.96	\$219,460.00	-\$25,004.04

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Scripture Readings for the Week

16th ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 Ezekiel 17:22-24 / 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 / Mark 4:26-34

17th Weekday
 1 Kings 21:1-16 / Matthew 5:38-42

18th Weekday
 1 Kings 21:17-29 / Matthew 5:43-48

19th Weekday [St. Romuald, Camaldolese Abbot]
 2 Kings 2:1, 6-14 / Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

20th Weekday
 Sirach 48:1-14 / Matthew 6:7-15

21st Memorial: St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
 2 Kings 11:1-4, 9-18, 20 / Matthew 6:19-23

22nd Weekday [St. Paulinus of Nola & St. John Fisher, Bishops, and Thomas More, Martyr; Virgin Mary]
 2 Chronicles 24:17-25 / Matthew 6:24-34

Mass Intentions

Saturday	5:30	Mary Pilz RIP
Sunday	8:00	Sally Ann Stevens RIP
	9:30	For the People of the Parish
	11:30	Ronald Edmonds RIP
Monday	5:30	Nicholas Espejo RIP
Tuesday	8:30	Intentions of Sarla Rose Mahoney
Wednesday	5:30	Fr. Bruno Gibson RIP
Thursday	8:30	Intentions of Jane Kaer & Family
Friday	5:30	Ann Flemer RIP
Saturday	8:30	Nellie Hansen RIP

Parish Calendar through June 23 rd , 2024	
June 14 Friday	Peace & Justice Monthly Meeting 4:00 pm, Norton Hall
June 14 Friday	"Barbecue Bourbon & Beer" Men's Event 6:00 pm, Parish Parking Lot
June 15/16 Weekend	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Fr. Ryen, SJ 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
June 16 Sunday	Reception for Fr. Ryen Dwyer, SJ 12:30 pm, Norton Hall
June 18 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel Zoom link: 2:00 - 3:00 pm, tinyurl.com/SMM-GospelGroup
June 21 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15-10:15 am, Norton Hall
June 21 Friday	Pray the Rosary for Peace in Ukraine & Gaza 3:00 pm, Church
June 22 Saturday	Liturgy Committee Monthly Meeting 10:00 am-Noon, Conference Room & Zoom
June 22/23 Weekend	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Fr. Nick 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
June 23 Sunday	Fourth Sunday Dinner for the Hungry Noon-4:00 pm, Norton Hall. <i>Volunteers Needed!</i>
June 23 Sunday	FREE CONCERT: Vox Alta -The Light of Day 5:00 pm, Church. (See announcement on page 2.)



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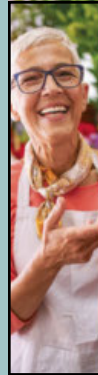


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