

June 30th, 2024 | Thirteenth 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

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)

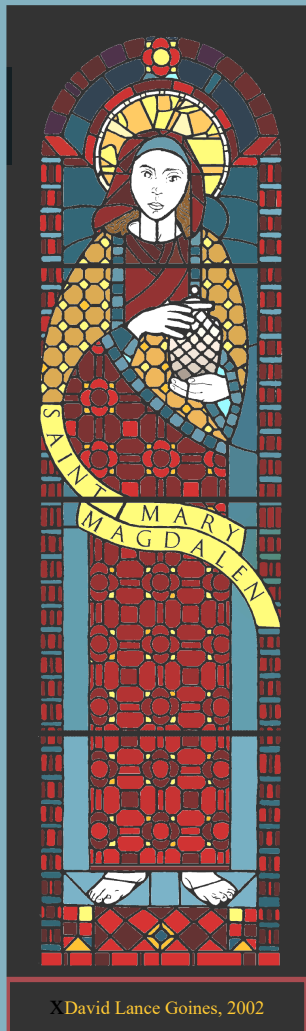
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BAPTISM: Classes will recommence in September; please contact the office for details.

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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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B ~ June 30th, 2024

Parish Collections for the week of June 23 rd , 2024			
Sunday	Actual	Budget	Difference
06/23/2024	\$8,993.93	\$8,980.00	\$13.93
Year-to-Date	\$210,597.64	\$237,420.00	-\$26,822.36
<i>We made our goal — great going!</i>			



Scripture Readings for the Week

30th THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24 / 2 Corinthians 8:7-15 / Mark 5:21-43

1st Weekday [St. Junípero Serra, Priest]
Amos 2:6-10, 13-16 / Matthew 8:18-22

2nd Weekday
Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12 / Matthew 8:23-27

3rd FEAST: ST. THOMAS, APOSTLE
Ephesians 2:19-22 / John 20:24-29

4th Weekday [Independence Day]
Amos 7:10-17 / Matthew 9:1-8

5th Weekday Sts. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal]
Amos 8:4-6, 9-12 / Matthew 9:9-13

6th Weekday [Saint Maria Goretti, Martyr; BVM]
Amos 9:11-15 / Matthew 9:14-17

Mass Intentions

Saturday	5:30	Intentions of Richard Peterson
Sunday	8:00	For the People of the Parish
	9:30	Claire McWalters RIP
	11:30	Richard B. Morland RIP
Monday	5:30	Intentions of Cat Nielsen
Tuesday	8:30	Teresa Cox RIP
Wednesday	5:30	Intentions of Katie Wahl
Thursday	8:30	Elmer & Juanita Nielsen RIP
Friday	5:30	Michael McGrath RIP
Saturday	8:30	Intentions of Mary Emily Onglatco

Parish Calendar through July 7 th , 2024	
June 29 Saturday	Memorial Mass for Dorothy Heydt 10:00 am, Church
June 29 Saturday	Madeleine Class of '74 — 50 th Reunion 7:00 pm, Magdalen & Norton Halls
June 29/30 Weekend	Sacrament of the Sick at the end of all Masses 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
June 29/30 Weekend	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Deacon Jeff 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
July 1 Monday	St. Vincent de Paul Conference Meeting 7:00 pm, Norton Hall. <i>All are welcome!</i>
July 2 Tuesday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel Zoom link: 2:00 - 3:00 pm, tinyurl.com/SMM-GospelGroup
July 2 Tuesday	Racial Equity Committee Meeting 7:00 pm, Zoom. <i>Contact parish for Zoom link.</i>
July 6 Friday	Reflection on the Sunday Gospel 9:15-10:15 am, Norton Hall
July 6 Friday	Eucharistic Adoration (Holy Hour) 6:00 pm, Church <i>(after the 5:30 pm Daily Mass)</i>
July 6/7 Weekend	Preacher at Weekend Masses: Missionary 5:30 pm Saturday; 8:00/9:30/11:30 am Sunday
July 7 Sunday	First Sunday Dinner for the Hungry Noon-4:00 pm, Norton Hall. <i>Volunteers welcome!</i>

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BISHOP'S MINISTRIES APPEAL 2024
oakdiocese.org/bishops-ministries-appeal

7th Annual Mary Magdalen Festival

July 19-21, 2024

Art Show

Friday, July 19th

Blackfriars Gallery at the DSPT
2301 Vine Street, Berkeley

Opening Night Fundraiser

- 6:00 pm Doors Open
 - Art viewing
 - Wine bar
 - Musical accompaniment ~ Diego Peña
 - Hors d'oeuvres ~ Rhonda Pittman Hart
- 6:30 pm Program
 - Music ~ Andy Canepa & Guests
 - Poetry ~ Parishioners
- 7:00–9:00 pm
 - Art viewing

Tickets: \$50



Photo: Fr. Nicholas Glisson

The Art Show will run through July 24th.



Lecture

Saturday, July 20th at 10:00 am

**"The Art and Iconography
of Saint Mary Magdalen"**

Fr. Nicholas Glisson, Ph.D.

Potluck

Sunday at 12:30 pm in the Rectory

Preacher at all Weekend Masses: Dn. Jeff Burns, Ph.D.

~ 11:30 am Mass ~ Alexander String Quartet ~

Notes from Fr. Nick

Fly the Flag!

As we approach Independence Day on Thursday, our country is more polarized than at any point in living memory (although the late 60s/early 70s may come close). One group seems to have captured the vocabulary and symbolism traditionally associated with love of country, while others eschew these same words and symbols to emphasize the need for change. I think avoiding these symbols is a mistake.

Referring to oneself as a patriot, or flying the flag, is a right for people across the political spectrum. Claiming that these symbols exclusively belong to one group allows them a “branding” of righteousness while the other side searches for ways to show their fealty. It is easy for those who appropriate these symbols to gloss over negative parts of our country’s past while wearing a mantle of moral rectitude—a garment they may not deserve. On the other hand, without patriotic symbols or vocabulary at their disposal, conscientious people who focus on our present and past wrongs can fall into the trap of cynicism wherein they see only the bad.



A few years back, Arnold Kling argued that Progressives see the world as a struggle between the oppressor and the oppressed, and try to help the oppressed. Conservatives see a conflict between civilization and barbarism, between order and chaos, and they want to protect civilization. From Kling’s perspective, both sides may have a point, but they talk past each other. While both sides may be patriotic in their own ways, they each see the other as a threat.

Politics abhors nuance. Very few people change their minds by being bombarded with a laundry list of our country’s accomplishments or faults. But, maybe, at least in some instances, there is a way out. In his 2024 commencement address to the graduates at Brandeis University, the great documentary historian of our times, Ken Burns, stated: *“Arguing never changes anybody’s mind ... but a good story can.”* Burns may have hit on the key to bridging our differences.

Attack ads or caricatures of one another’s positions only hardens people, while hearing the other’s stories may help people open up. Stories lend nuance and context to different perspectives. As an example: if a person realizes that I am a Catholic priest, they may rightfully assume I am against abortion. However, if they can get past the clamor on the subject, they will find that the Church’s teachings are more nuanced than they would expect. There are exceptions when the life of the mother is in danger, as well as in cases of rape or incest. They would also find that I am pastoral and compassionate when people come to me for counseling. None of this can happen by arguing.

In other areas, I tend slightly to the left on the political spectrum, but not always. Nevertheless, I honor our flag and what it represents. I believe the founders of our country—as imperfect human beings—set about making a nation based in freedom and equality. In the light of that I am proud to call myself a patriot. When I pass through Customs and Border Patrol at the San Francisco Airport and see the flag hanging in the entrance hall, I feel welcomed home.

St. Vincent de Paul at St. Mary Magdalen

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is an international Catholic organization of lay persons, founded in 1833 by Blessed Frederick Ozanam and his companions. In the spirit of justice and charity, its 800,000 members worldwide seek to help those in need in their local communities.

Thanks to the generosity of St. Mary Magdalen parishioners, we are able to distribute grocery store gift cards, assist with rent or utilities, and even deliver (discounted) furnishings to our neighbors in need.

We are always looking to welcome new members to join our ministry. We meet in Norton Hall on the first Monday of every month. To learn more, email svdp@marymagdalen.org, or leave a message at (510) 526-



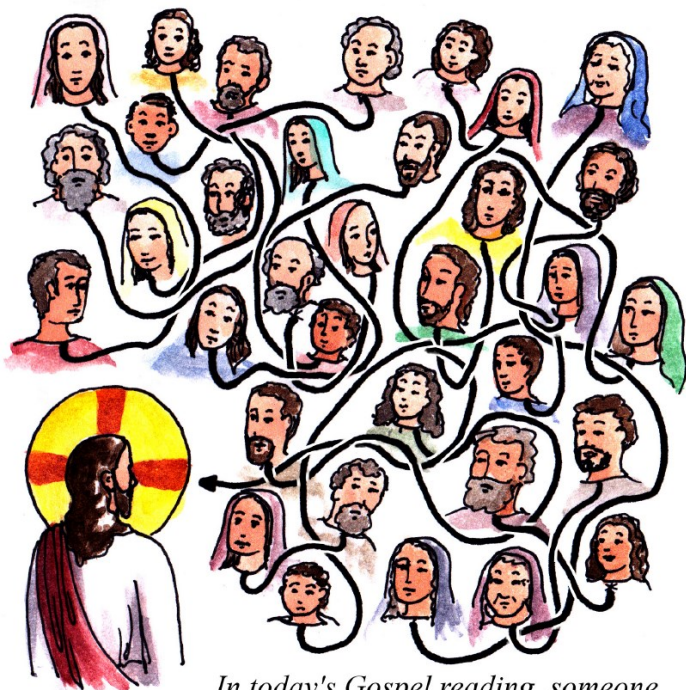
SVdP has donated turkeys, hams, and socks to GG Fields workers.

4811 x 787 ... or simply show up at one of our meetings. **We'll be meeting tomorrow, July 1st, at 7:00 pm in Norton Hall.**

Today is a Fifth Sunday! *The special collection on every 5th Sunday is dedicated to St. Vincent de Paul.* If you are moved to donate, you may use one of the envelopes in the pews, or go to marymagdalen.org/offering and select the *St. Vincent de Paul Society* for a one-time or recurring donation. 100% of your donations will go to helping our Berkeley and Albany neighbors in need.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

The Kids' Bulletin



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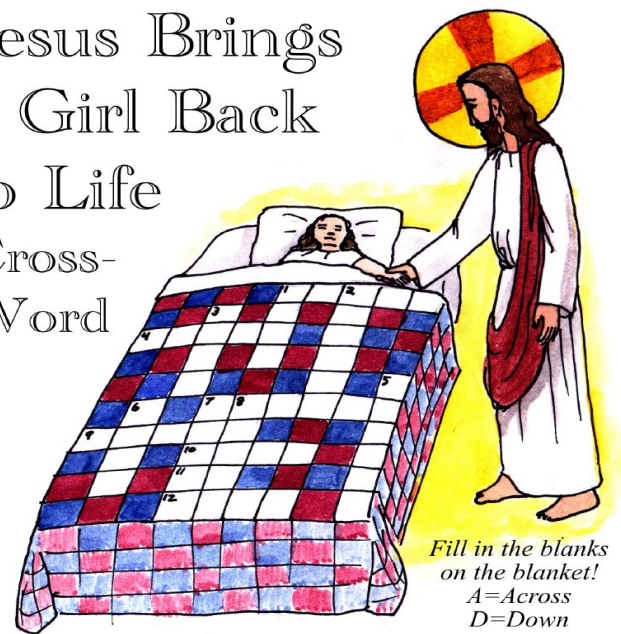
In today's Gospel reading, someone believed that they would be healed from their sickness if they touched Jesus' clothes.

The person touched Jesus and was instantly healed! But Jesus knew that power had gone out of Him, so He asked who had touched His clothes.

Who was cured? Follow the dark lines and see whose line points to Jesus.

Jesus Brings a Girl Back to Life

Cross-Word



*Fill in the blanks on the blanket!
A=Across
D=Down*

A man called _____ 7A came and begged _____ 7D to heal his daughter who was very _____ 10A. So Jesus went, but on the way some people came from Jairus' house and said that the girl was _____ 6D. But Jesus went anyway, and said that the _____ 3D wasn't dead, but only _____ 5D. He only took three of His apostles when he went in to see the girl: _____ 9A, _____ 1A, and _____ 1D. He _____ 12A everyone else out of the room, except the girl's father and _____ 2D. Then Jesus took the girl's hand and said, " _____ 8D." She got up and started walking around! God let this happen to show _____ 11A what He can do when we have _____ 4A in Him.

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WHEN IT'S TIME TO
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