



ST. MARY MAGDALEN PARISH

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Eleventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time
June 14, 2026

The Lord is Good

Mission Cooperative Weekend

This weekend, Fr. Fidelis, a priest from the Mission Diocese of Shinyanga, in Tanzania will be our preacher and Mission Cooperative Plan guest.

Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Today, Friday, June 11, is the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Mass will be at 5:30PM at St. Mary Magdalen. Earlier this week we sent a special email to make you aware of the consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in the Diocese of Oakland. This is a big deal because the Bishops of the United States are consecrating the country to the Sacred Heart of Jesus as part of the celebration of the 250th Anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Please see an attached copy of the Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

The 250th Anniversary of the Declaration of Independence

On July 4th we will celebrate the 250th Anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence, and the birth of our nation. If your memory of the people and events that led to the creation of this document is fuzzy there is good news from PBS. Ken Burns' series on the American Revolution is streaming for free on PBS channels across the county. You can begin watching here: <https://www.pbs.org/kenburns/the-american-revolution/>.

A transcript of the Declaration of Independence may be found on the National Archives website <https://bit.ly/SMM-USDoI>.

Fr. Titus is Moving in Early July

We would like to celebrate Fr. Titus on Sunday, June 21st, following the 11:30AM Mass in Norton Hall with a luncheon potluck. Will you come and bring some food to share? We will have potluck sign-up clipboards at the entrances to the church. This is what is on the list thus far: Mac & Cheese, Dessert, Macaroni Salad, Fruit Salad, Quiche and Roasted Chicken.

Chris Nguyen is Being Ordained Tomorrow Morning

On Saturday, June 13, at a Mass beginning at 10:00AM, Deacon Chris Nguyen will be ordained a priest for the Jesuit community at St. Ignatius of Loyola in Sacramento. Fr. Chris Nguyen will be here for a Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, June 21, at 9:30AM.

Sharon Henthorn-Iwane is Leading an Icon Workshop

Sharon Henthorn-Iwane will guide participants through the traditional process of painting an icon. The icon will be made with egg tempera, genuine gold gilding, all on a gessoed panel. All materials will be provided. Sharon will also provide some teaching on the role of icons in the history of the church. The workshop will be on two weekends, July 4th and 5th, and August 17th and 18th.

Lost and Found

We have power cords, glasses, cushions, hats and books. Have you lost something. Come and look!

"Together we share our faith in Jesus Christ. We live the Gospel, and we care for others."

Music Fest During the Mary Magdalen Festival

This is the last day to let us know if you plan to participate in the Music Fest. We would like parishioners who sing, play an instrument, or both to sign up for the Music fest. The fest is on Friday, July 17, beginning at 6:30PM. The event is in Magdalen Hall. You can do it!

A Parish Scrapbook

Fr. Nick wrote about possibly organizing a 'Parish Scrapbook.' Interested? We are hoping for display boards with family photos of newlyweds, school pictures spanning over years, First Communion and confirmation photos, and family photos. Hopefully, that gives you the idea. We are also looking for someone to take charge of this display.

Preparing for the Parish/School Picnic

The Parish/School Picnic is Sunday, August 30 from 10:30AM to 2:00PM, at Live Oak Park. We need a team of people to be in-charge of this family event. Are you willing? Please contact Norah at nhippolyte@marymagdalen.org. Thank you

Camino de Santiago

Have you walked part or all of the Camino de Santiago? The Camino ends at the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela in Galicia, Spain. If you have, please contact the Parish Office.

See the Website, Bulletin, and Bulletin Board in the Church for more information