

ST. MARY PARISH

Love ♦ Serve ♦ Grow

August 6, 2023

Mass Times

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM,
11:00 AM, 5:00 PM

Monday - Saturday 8:00 AM

Holy Days of Obligation

8:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 7:00 PM

Confession

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 PM

Or by appointment

Adoration

First Sunday Holy Hour

12 Noon - 1:00 PM

First Fridays

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Infant Mary Chapel

Monday - Saturday

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Closed for lunch 12:30 - 1:30 pm



THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

Jesus took Peter, James, and his brother, John, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light. - Mt 17:1-2

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

©LPI

1333 58th Street, Sacramento, CA | (916) 452-0296 | www.stmarysacto.org

PARISH INFO

PAGE 1

Pastoral Staff

Fr. George Thadathil, CMI, Pastor

Deacon George Kriske, retired

Ramon Aragon, Maintenance

Ben Billeci, Music Director
ben@stmarysacto.org

Beckee Lienert, Business Manager
beckee@stmarysacto.org

Alyssa McKrell, Facilities Coordinator
alyssa@stmarysacto.org

Jackie Scaletta, Sacristan

Ministry Contacts

Altar Servers, Ellie Ielati
altarserver@stmarysacto.org

Altar Society, Michelle Mills
altarsociety@stmarysacto.org

Anna Ministry for Widows, Celeste Gisla
annaministry@stmarysacto.org

Catholic Faith Formation,
cff@stmarysacto.org

Edge (Middle School), Alyssa & Bryan McKrell
edge@stmarysacto.org

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Janet Dumonchelle, em@stmarysacto.org

Finance Council, Tim Frame
financecouncil@stmarysacto.org

Lectors, Dale Walton
lectors@stmarysacto.org

@LIFED (High School), Dominic Ielati
hsyouth@stmarysacto.org

Pastoral Council, Bryan McKrell
pastoralcouncil@stmarysacto.org

Prayer Request Group, Lisa Van Handel-Lane
prayergroup@stmarysacto.org

RCIA, George & Michelle Mills
rcia@stmarysacto.org

St. Vincent de Paul, Alanna Butterworth
svdp@stmarysacto.org

Ushers/Offertory, Joe Gutierrez
ushers@stmarysacto.org

Sacrament + Formation Info

Infant Baptism: Baptism Preparation process: 1. Pick up the Baptism Registration Packet from the Parish Office during normal business hours. 2. Turn in completed paperwork to the Parish Office. 3. Attend Baptism Class (parents & godparents). 4. Schedule Baptism.

CFF: Catholic youth are formed through the Catholic Faith Formation program (CFF). Please contact the Parish Office.

Marriage: Contact the Parish Office 6 months prior to desired wedding date.

RCIA: Process for adults and children (7+) who are interested in joining the Catholic Church, and baptized Catholics wanting to complete their Sacraments of Initiation. Please contact Michelle Mills at (916) 806-6876.

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office.

Online Giving



Please consider enrolling in St. Mary's eGiving program and setting up your recurring or one time donation to our general offertory or building fund! Sign up today by scanning the QR code and following the link. We thank you for your faithful generosity to our parish community!



ST. MARY
PARISH SCHOOL

Fully Accredited TK to 8th

TK: Age 4 by September 1st

Kindergarten: Age 5 by September 1st

Preschool: 3 Years old and ready

www.saintmaryschool.com

Follow us!



/stmaryparishsacramento



@stmarysacto



info@stmarysacto.org



www.stmarysacto.org

PARISH NEWS

This Week at St. Mary Parish

SUNDAY

-

MONDAY

Prayer Request Group 6:30 pm
Location: Holy Spouses Room

TUESDAY

Liturgy Committee Meeting 6:00 pm
Location: Rectory Conference Room

Infant Baptism Class* 6:30 pm
Location: Church

WEDNESDAY

RCIA Inquiry Session 6:00 pm
Location: Marian Room

Choir Rehearsal 6:15 pm
Location: Holy Spouses Room

THURSDAY

Choir Rehearsal 6:15 pm
Location: Holy Spouses Room

FRIDAY

-

SATURDAY

Confession 3:30 pm
Location: Church

SUNDAY

@LIFED 12:30 pm
Location: St. Joseph Garden

@LIFED Parent Meeting 12:30 pm
Location: Holy Spouses Room

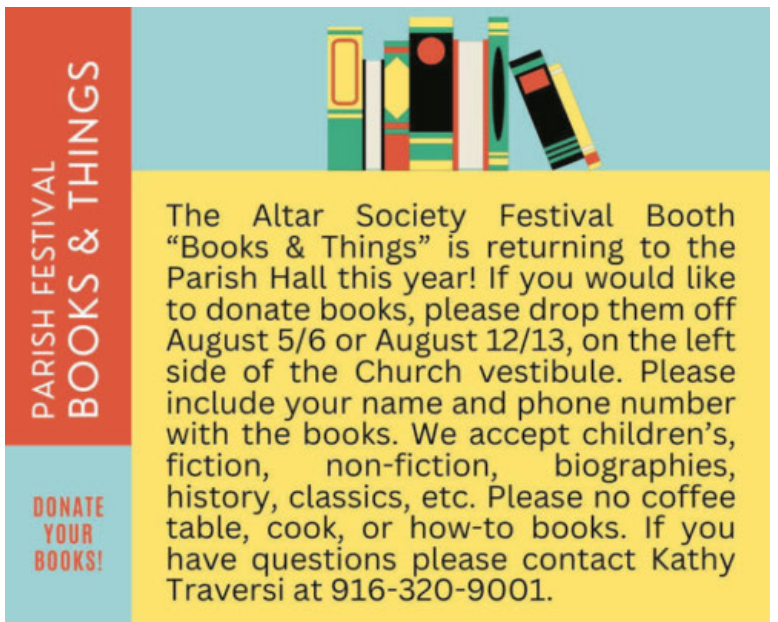
**Registration required. Contact Parish Office for details.*

Festival Volunteers Always Needed!

We are always in need of volunteers in the weeks leading up to the Festival and the day of! If you are willing and able to serve your parish in this fun and rewarding way, please contact Joe and Marte Frasca at festival@stmarysacto.org

Baked Goods Needed!

We are in need of baked goods donations for the Dessert Booth at the Festival! If you love to bake for a good cause and would like to donate, please contact Joe and Marte Frasca at festival@stmarysacto.org



The Altar Society Festival Booth "Books & Things" is returning to the Parish Hall this year! If you would like to donate books, please drop them off August 5/6 or August 12/13, on the left side of the Church vestibule. Please include your name and phone number with the books. We accept children's, fiction, non-fiction, biographies, history, classics, etc. Please no coffee table, cook, or how-to books. If you have questions please contact Kathy Traversi at 916-320-9001.



parish
FESTIVAL

COUNTDOWN

14
DAYS

Looking Ahead

Be sure to mark your calendars for these exciting upcoming parish events!

- **October 7th:** Annual Parish Dinner
- **November 4th:** Fall Crab Feed

ST. MARY PARISH

91ST ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL

& THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE DEDICATION OF OUR CHURCH!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19TH
**75TH ANNIVERSARY MASS & DINNER
WITH BISHOP SOTO**

Join us for a special Anniversary Mass at 5:00 pm

Bishop Soto will also be taking this opportunity to officially install Fr. George as the pastor of our parish!

And at 6:00 pm, enjoy dinner under the stars with Bishop Soto!

The dinner menu includes: chicken, pasta, salad and rolls

Cost: \$35 adult; \$25 child/senior; \$100 family special (2 adults & up to 4 kids)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20TH
91ST ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Bingo! Food! Kids Games! Dessert Booth! Shopping! Raffle! Live Music!

We have wonderful raffle prizes this year, including a \$1000 grand prize!

Raffle tickets are 1 for \$3, 4 for \$10 or 25 for \$50

You do not need to be present to win.

**DINNER AND RAFFLE TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED
AFTER MASSES OR BY SCANNING THE QR CODE:**



Mass Intentions

Saturday Vigil, August 5

5:00 PM Mary Kavungal † (*Dcn. John & Celeste G.*)

Sunday, August 6

8:00 AM Fr. George Thadathil (*Jean Connors*)
9:30 AM Elvira Falzon † (*Lilian Clifford*)
11:00 AM Rebecca Ielati (*Mom, Dad & Matthew*)
5:00 PM For our Parishioners (*St. Mary Parish*)

Monday, August 7

8:00 AM Lauren Smith (*Tony & Adriana*)
Mary Kavungal † (*Clarece Breen*)

Tuesday, August 8

8:00 AM Lilly Joseph (*Mary Kassis*)
Helen Veon † (*The Veon Family*)

Wednesday, August 9

8:00 AM Fr. Sijo Chirayath (*Janine Orsi*)
Deacon Lu Del Gaudio † (*Thrall Family*)

Thursday, August 10

8:00 AM Simone Cameron (*Mary Kassis*)
Mary Jane Cross (*Jean Connors*)

Friday, August 11

8:00 AM Barbara Carvalho-Lehmann (*Mary Kassis*)
Josephine DiMaggio † (*The Lienert Family*)

Saturday, August 12

8:00 AM Fr. Sijo Chirayath (*The Ielati Family*)

Gospel Reflection

The Transfiguration of the Lord
Matthew 17:1-9

The transfiguration reveals Jesus's divinity to Peter, James, and John. "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." What would you say is the most important lesson from Jesus that we should listen to?

Weekly Readings

Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9
Monday: Nm 11:4-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21
Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-7, 12-13; Mt 14:22-36
Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29, 34-35; Ps 106:6-7, 13-14, 21-23; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16 and 21; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday: Dt 6:4-13; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Mt 17:14-20

Clergy Corner

Dear Members of St. Mary's Parish Family,



We are looking forward to the 75th Anniversary of the dedication of St. Mary's church on the 19th of this month and the 91st Annual Parish Festival on the 20th. I request your valuable prayers for the success of the celebrations. Of course success depends on the number of

attendants, so be sure to attend and encourage your friends and relatives to as well! The landscape project will be done by the middle of August, just in time for the Festival.

The common theme of this weekend's readings is the metamorphosis or transformation of Christ by the empowering of God the Father. The First Reading, taken from the Book of Daniel, spreads out before us Daniel's vision of God's glorious Heavenly Court of Judgment. The Transfiguration is a prefiguring of Christ's glorification by God the Father in the Court of Heaven after Jesus' Ascension into Heaven.

In the Second Reading, St. Peter argues that the Transfiguration of Jesus Christ and the testimony of the Old Testament prophets are the guarantee of the doctrine of Christ's Second Coming.

The primary purpose of Jesus' Transfiguration was to allow Jesus to consult his Heavenly Father in order to ascertain His plan for His Son's suffering, death and resurrection. The secondary aim was to make his chosen disciples aware of Jesus' Divine glory, so that they might discard their worldly ambitions and dreams of a conquering political Messiah and be strengthened in their time of trial. On the mountain, Jesus is identified by the Heavenly Voice as the Son of God. The Gospel gives us a glimpse of the Heavenly glory awaiting those who do God's will by putting their trust in Him.

Fr. George Thadathil, CMI
Pastor

Online Worship Aid



Scan the QR code for access to this week's Worship Aid, that provides all of the liturgical content used for the Mass (readings, music, etc).

Wrongfully hurt? We are here to help.

**STAWICKI
ANDERSON
SINCLAIR, P.C.**
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

SCAN QR CODE
FOR MORE INFORMATION



5207 SUNRISE BOULEVARD, FAIR OAKS, CA 95628
TEL: (916) 363-2889 | FAX: (916) 363-2019

Kellen B.H. Sinclair, Esq.
ksinclair@sasinjurylaw.com

ANTONIO LOPEZ

LOAN OFFICER
NMLS: 335946

St. Mary's Alumni - Class of '94



CELP
CALIFORNIA
EMPLOYEE LOAN
PROGRAM



Purchase Refinance FHA/VA/USDA/Conventional/JUMBO
916-396-8193 | www.lopez-lending.com
100 Howe Avenue, Suite 185N • Sacramento, CA 95825



NMLS #2394919

Funeral • Mortuary • Cremation • Cemetery



916-726-1232

Mario Reburiano
Family Service Advisor

*Marunong
mag Tagalog*



St. Mary Cemetery & Funeral Center
Sacramento, CA
Calvary Cemetery & Funeral Center
Citrus Heights, CA



EL DORADO SAVINGS BANK

George Cook Jr.
Chairman of the Board

John Cook
Chief Executive Officer

48th & J St. • 55th and Folsom Blvd.

LYON
REAL ESTATE

A WINDERMERE COMPANY

Mary Willett

Realtor, Executive Associate
Lic. #01395007

916-715-0122

mwillett@golyon.com
www.marywillett.com
Get a FREE Instant Home
Value Estimate at
www.sachomesvalue.com



Parishioner, Volunteer

**Mercy McMahon
Terrace**

*Caring For Our
Seniors During
Challenging Times*

3865 J Street, Sacramento

916.733.6510

RCFE #340312763

www.mercymcmahonterrace.org



STEPHANIE GLORIOSO EPOLITE
ATTORNEY AT LAW

WILLS, TRUSTS,
PROBATES,
GUARDIANSHIPS,
& CONSERVATORSHIPS



333 University Avenue, Suite 200 Parishioner
(916) 565-7433 • www.epolitelaw.com



**Is your
blessed
home safe?**

**EXPERT
ELECTRICAL
WORKS.**

CALL OR TEXT

916-419-4626

We speak English and Filipino

FourAceElectrical.com



JesuitHighSchool.org



David J. Crippen, DDS, Inc.
920 29th Street
Sacramento, CA 95816
Phone: (916) 476-3972
www.capitalpd.com



*"Traditional Catholic,
Cremation, and Burial
services available."*

4300 Folsom Blvd.
Sacramento, CA 95819

CEMETERIES
FUNERAL HOMES
CREMATION
PREPLANNING

916-732-2000



RALPH J. ISOLA, DDS INC.



(916) 737-1155

5700 J STREET, STE. B
ISOLADDS@surewest.net

LYON
REAL ESTATE
A WINDERMERE COMPANY



ANDY THIELEN
Realtor

CalBRE #01227077
athielen@golyon.com
www.GoLyon.com
(916) 230-3778

Parishioner for over 40 Years

**WILLS • TRUSTS
PROBATE**

S. Susan King, Esq.

Certified Legal Specialist
by the State Bar of California

(916) 794-3003

sking@sacbusinesslaw.com

Complimentary Consultation

Garafola, King & McCardle, LLP
7801 Folsom Blvd., Suite 109 • Sacramento



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • www.4lpi.com

St. Mary, Sacramento, CA

B 4C 05-4212