

ST. MARY PARISH

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June 4, 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 MOST HOLY TRINITY



God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. - Jn 3:16

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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 Cindy Blecha at cff@stmarysacto.org.

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



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Mass Intentions

Saturday Vigil, June 3

5:00 PM Kara Frampton † (*The Giordano Family*)

Sunday, June 4

8:00 AM Greg Gargarinas † (*Marco Ferrero*)
9:30 AM Gerardo Lovato † (*Evelyn Lovato*)
11:00 AM For our Parishioners (*St. Mary Parish*)
5:00 PM Hector Muñoz Castillo † (*Tony & Adriana*)

Monday, June 5

8:00 AM Dan Lane (*Lisa Van Handel-Lane*)
James Johnson † (*Ginny Johnson*)

Tuesday, June 6

8:00 AM The Tamayo Family (*Virginia Riggins*)
Virginia White † (*Ginny Johnson*)

Wednesday, June 7

8:00 AM Jeff & Angie Meyers (*Mary Kassis*)

Thursday, June 8

8:00 AM Fr. Sijo Chirayath (*Deacon George & Karen*)
Gloria Wingard † (*Lisa Van Handel-Lane*)

Friday, June 9

8:00 AM Kara Frampton † (*The Giordano Family*)
Camille Courey † (*Isola & Courey Family*)

Saturday, June 10

8:00 AM John Baeta † (*Joanne Gustafson*)

Mass Trivia The Most Holy Trinity

Fill in the blank: "God so loved the world

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"....that he gave his only son."
-from today's Gospel John 3:16-18

Weekly Readings

Sunday: Ex 34:4-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52-56; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1-8; Ps 112:1-6; Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112:1-2, 7-9; Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11, 16-17; Ps 25:2-9; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1, 9-17; 8:4-9; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Tb 11:5-17; Ps 146:1-2, 6-10; Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Tb 13:2, 6-8; Mk 12:38-44

Clergy Corner



This Sunday we celebrate the solemnity of the Holy Trinity. We are invited to look into God, as the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. It is difficult to understand how we can have one God in 3 persons. But that doesn't mean we can't experience him as Trinity.

People ask me, "What is your favorite part of being a priest?"

Well, first, I think blessing wedding. Then I think of baptism. All the readings and prayers in the baptismal rite help us to know the deeper meaning of the Holy Trinity. When I baptized first time my niece I felt the power of the Holy Trinity. She very well behaved. She didn't cry, she was very calm and quiet. It was during the baptism of Jesus we see the union of the Holy Trinity. The heavens were opened. Father announced: "This is my beloved son." The Holy Spirit descended in the form of a dove. What an incredible moment. The same mysterious reunion happens at every baptism.

On this Trinity Sunday, it is good to remember that we are sealed in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. We use the name of the Holy Trinity in our prayers when we make the sign of the cross. It is very important to know how meaningful it is. We touch our heads for the Father, the mind of God. We touch our hearts for the Son, the one whose unceasing love took him to the cross, and the one who taught us how to love each other. We touch our shoulders for the Holy Spirit, the one who gives us strength, and who carries us on His shoulders.

The solemnity of the Holy Trinity teaches us to realize that our families are called to be images of the Trinity. The union and love in the Trinity is to be practice in our families. Let us imitate the Holy Trinity.

Fr. Kavungal Davy, 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).

This Week at St. Mary Parish

SUNDAY

@LIFED High School Ministry 12:30 pm
Location: Holy Spouses Room

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

Pastoral Council Meeting 6:15 pm
Location: Rectory Conference Room

WEDNESDAY

Choir Rehearsal 6:00 pm
Location: Holy Spouses Room

THURSDAY

Choir Rehearsal 6:00 pm
Location: Holy Spouses Room

FRIDAY

Anna Ministry Mass 10:00 am
Location: Church

SATURDAY

Confession 3:30 pm
Location: Church

SUNDAY

Corpus Christi Procession 12:00 pm
Location: Meet in front of the church

Looking Ahead

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

- **July 1st:** Fr. Davy's Farewell Party
- **August 19th:** 75th Anniversary of St. Mary's Church Building - Mass & Dinner
- **August 20th:** 91st Annual Parish Festival
- **October 7th:** Annual Parish Dinner
- **November 4th:** Fall Crab Feed



Welcome to St. Mary's!

Thank you for joining us at St. Mary Parish! Whether you are visiting from another church or are new to the area, we are grateful you have chosen to worship with our faith community. If you would like to register as an official member of our parish family, please contact the parish office!

St. Mary's Rental House

St. Mary's rental house (in East Sac, a block from the church) has been renovated and is ready to be rented out! It is a 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 930 sq. ft. home with new central heating & air, new dual pane windows, new paint, new vinyl wood flooring, new kitchen, new bathrooms, new appliances, and a new roll up garage door with opener. The rent is \$2850 and security deposit is \$2850. If you're interested, please contact Ricardo Saldaña for a tour at 916-712-7355.

Daily Mass Intentions: Immediate Availability

Most weekend Mass Intentions are booked through October and November, but we do have immediate availability for daily intentions. If you would like to learn how to request a Mass for someone (living or deceased), please contact the parish office.

Fr. Davy's Mother

Fr. Davy's mother, Mary, passed away on Sunday, May 28th. Fr. Davy is back in India and presided over her funeral on June 1st. He will return this week. Please pray for the repose of Mary's soul, and for peace and consolation for her family.



Welcome to the Faith to Those Recently Baptized



Gerardo Torres Jr.
Son of Gerardo and Cristal

*Pease remember our newly baptized
and their parents in your prayers!*



CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

JUNE 11TH

AFTER THE 11:00 AM MASS

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Around the Diocese

Help Get Camp Pendola Ready for the Summer!

Join us over Memorial Day Weekend (May 27-29), at Camp Pendola to get the camp ready for campers. Come for 1 day or 3 to help us with some general landscaping, replacement of mattresses in cabins, and clean up. All ages are welcome but anyone under 18 needs to be accompanied by a parent or chaperone. The dorms and cabins will be open for volunteers to stay overnight and all meals will be provided. Please Let us know you are coming by RSVPing on the volunteer form found at <https://www.pendola.org/donate.html> or by emailing Bobbi Miller at bmiller@scd.org. If you have any questions, contact Jennifer Campbell at (916)733-0135 or jcampbell@scd.org.

Camp Pendola Canoe Trips

Camp Pendola Canoe Trips offer something special for middle school age youth. Canoe Trippers must be entering at least the 7th grade in the fall. Watching inspiring sunsets across the lake, enjoying paddling along the shores and finding great spaces to explore are all a part of this 3-day and 2-night trip that takes place within a week's stay at camp.

For more information check out our web site <https://www.pendola.org/teen-programs.html> or contact Jen Campbell at jcampbell@scd.org

Camp Counselor in Training

Camp Pendola is once again offering a Counselor in Training program for incoming Juniors and Seniors. As a CIT, teens will learn and practice leadership skills, small group facilitation, and how to work with younger campers at Camp Pendola. The program runs for three weeks with the first week being set aside for training and 2 weeks in cabins with a mentor counselor and campers. If you are interested you can find more information and apply at <https://www.pendola.org/teen-programs.html#leadership> or contact Jen Campbell at jcampbell@scd.org.

Priests vs. Seminarians Basketball Game

The Annual Sacramento Classic Basketball Game: Priests + Seminarians will be on June 20th at Christian Brother's High School. Tickets will be available for purchase online starting in May.

Why Do We Do That? Catholic Life Explained

What does it mean that faith is a theological virtue?

To say a virtue is theological means that it comes as a gift from God. St. Thomas Aquinas, a Dominican monk who crafted the famous arguments for the existence of God, wrote: "This alone is the true knowledge of God: to know that God is beyond knowing." God is transcendent. This word comes from the Latin "transcendere," meaning "to climb beyond." When something is transcendent, it exists beyond our normal range of experience. Philosopher Peter Kreeft put it simply: "God is always more."


While God created us in His image and likeness, too often we re-create Him in ours. We project our deepest hopes, our subliminal fears, and our hidden dreams, and conjure up our own image of what God could be. Yet God can never be limited to our own perception of Him.

That's where faith comes in. We read in the Catechism that "faith is the theological virtue by which we believe in God and believe all that He has said and revealed to us and all that the Holy Church proposes for our belief" (CCC 1814). We can know God through reason, to a point. As human beings, we want to know and understand the world around us, but God isn't in the world around us. He's beyond it. The best way to come to know God is not through our own clever mental maneuvering, but through trusting in God's revelation of Himself. We might think we know who God is, but the only way we can have any idea is if we trust, through the virtue of faith, who He has revealed Himself to be. ©LPI

Saint of the Week



Servant of God Julia Greeley, Denver's Angel of Charity, was born into slavery and emancipated after the Civil War. She spent her life serving the poor with a special devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and a love for children and praying for the city's fire fighters. ©LPI



Today's Gospel Reflection

Jesus taught his disciples that God loved the world and desired to save it by offering believers eternal life. How do you think believers having eternal life saves the world?



To the heights
OPPORTUNITIES FOR FORMATION AT ST. MARY PARISH

Children's Liturgy of the Word
Contact: Stacy Knox, clow@stmarysacto.org

Catholic Faith Formation (1st-8th Grade)
Contact: Cindy Blecha, cff@stmarysacto.org

Edge Middle School Ministry
Contact: Bryan & Alyssa McKrell, edge@stmarysacto.org

@LIFED High School Ministry
Contact: Dominic Ielati, hsyouth@stmarysacto.org

Adult Bible Study
Contact: Gwen Devereux, biblestudy@stmarysacto.org



Don't forget to grab a
**Bringing Home
the Gospel**
handout in the vestibule!



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ANNUAL BASKETBALL GAME

Tuesday, June 20, 2023

Doors open 6:30pm • Tipoff 7pm

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Questions? Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations at (916) 733-0258 or msmith@scd.org

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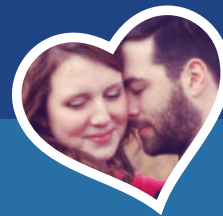
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