

# Parish of St. Margaret Mary

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## **Masses in the Ordinary Form**

Monday – Saturday: 8am

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 8:30am & 10:30am

## **Masses in the Extraordinary Form**

Monday -Wednesday & Friday: 6pm

Thursday: Noon

Saturday: 10am

Sunday: 7am & 12:30pm

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

One half hour before all Masses except  
Wednesday mornings; Confessions heard also  
on Saturdays from 4pm to 4:45pm

## **Liturgy of the Hours – Lauds**

Weekdays: 7:40am

## **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Every First Friday of the Month, after the  
8am and 6pm Masses

## **Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions**

Every Tuesday after the 8am Mass

## **Fatima Devotions**

13th of the month from May – October:  
On weekdays the devotions follow the  
6pm Mass; on Saturdays the devotion  
follows the 8:30am Mass; on Sundays, the  
devotion follows the 10:30am Mass

**For Anointing of the Sick** call  
(510) 482- 0596 (Extension 250).

**Carlos Gutierrez**, Chair, Parish Council

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Please contact the Parish Office with questions on:  
Weddings, Funerals, and Baptism and sacramental  
certificates

## **WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS OF THE PARISH**

*If you would like to register, please complete the form, send it back to us, or drop it in the collection basket.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ New Parishioner ☐ New Address/Phone ☐ Moving (remove from list) ☐ Send offering envelopes ☐ Interested in volunteering

# FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

## Saturday/Sunday, December 2-3, 2023

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Saturday, December 2

5pm: Mildred Correia

#### Sunday, December 3

7am: Thanh Nguyen

8:30am: *Pro populo*

10:30am: Souls in Purgatory

12:30pm: †Allen & Marie Therese McDonald

#### Monday, December 4

8am: Souls in Purgatory

6pm: Souls in Purgatory

#### Tuesday, December 5

8am: Linda Sage

6pm: Souls in Purgatory

#### Wednesday, December 6

8am: †Scholastica Keimon

6pm: Maria Vanider-Hill

#### Thursday, December 7

8am: Mike Dorcy

Noon: †Seiko Huang

#### Friday, December 8

8am: *Pro populo*

10am: †Richard M. Smith

12:10pm: Robert O'Neill

6pm: Pam Funcke's Family

#### Saturday, December 9

8am: †Armando de Lara

10am: †Miguel Muñoz Ruiz

5pm: †Robert Lyons

#### Sunday, December 10

7am: †Ba Van Dinh

8:30am: †Patricia Shaterian

10:30am: *Pro populo*

12:30pm: Diane, Tim, & Holden Steinhilber

*To offer a Mass Intention please complete the Mass Intention envelope found in the vestibule, enclose your offering (\$10) payable to "St. Margaret Mary Church," and drop it in the mailbox in front of the Parish Office or mail it to the Office.*



### Antem To Our Lady During Advent

**Alma Redemptoris Mater, quæ pèrvia cæli  
Porta manes, et Stella Maris, succurre cadènti,  
Súrgere qui curat pópulo: tu quæ genuísti,  
Natúra miránte, tuum sanctum Genitórem  
Virgo prius ac postérius, Gabriélis ab ore  
Sumens illud Ave, peccatórum miserére**

Loving Mother of the Redeemer, who remains the accessible Gateway of Heaven, and Star of the Sea, give aid to a falling people that strives to rise; O Thou who begot thy holy Creator while all nature marvelled, Virgin before and after, receiving that "Ave" from the mouth of Gabriel, have mercy on sinners.

**Please keep in your prayers...** Fr. Paul Schmidt, Dove Pierce, Joshua Nascimento, Mildred Correia, Allen Kuhl, The McBride Family, Xavier Figueroa, Daniel Guerrero, Miguel Guerrero, Bonita Evart, Perpetuo Tito Tayco, Nate Larrabee, Kiara Gorsic, Sergio Bianchi, Gloria Torres, Takisha Upshaw, Nick Glumac, Lois Belmessieri.

**In memoriam:** ..... †Fr. Stan Zak, †Canon Henrique Fragelli, †Rose Stone, †Mary Murphy, †Julian Martinez, †Holly Raineri, †Diane Kasdan, †Louise Grayson, †Scholastica Keimon, †Gabriel Angel Barrera Yoc, †Betty & Harry Garland, †Ramon Lanzar, †Andree Crawford, †Jesus & Rita Cristobal, †Jeffrey Glass, †Theresa Hamilton, †Melissa A. McBride, †Barbara Powell, †Mike Martinez, †Maya Martinez, †Ba Van Dinh, †Sang Thi Nguyen, †Walter Wagoner, †Rod Phillips, †Al Raineri, †Norman Lum, **May they rest in the peace of Christ.**

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

The schedule of Masses for December 8, the **Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception**, a holy day of obligation, is as follows:

Masses in Ordinary Form are at 8am and 12:10pm (Latin).

Masses in the Extraordinary Form are at 10am and 6pm.

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The **Novena of Masses in honor of Our Lady in Advent** (*Missa Rorate*) will be offered at 6am from December 16-24, except on Sundays when the Mass begins at 5pm. Please join us.

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**Gaudete Sunday Boutique and Sale** will take place on Sunday, December 17, after all Masses. It's time to RSVP if you would like to be a seller on that day. We will reserve a table or two for you to display your home-made crafts or other collectibles. We ask sellers to donate 10% of their sales to help raise funds for the needs of the parish, such as flowers, cleaning, and other parish needs. Kindly email Lily at [stmmmaryhands@gmail.com](mailto:stmmmaryhands@gmail.com) or leave a message with the Parish Office (510) 482-0596 and Lily will call you back.

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**Prayer, Formation, and Fraternity for Men:** The men of Knights of Columbus Council No. 04840 are excited to share the implementation of **Cor**, a new formation and fraternal opportunity for the men of St. Margaret Mary's parish. **Cor** exists to form and strengthen Catholic men in faith and virtue as missionary disciples by drawing them into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through prayer, formation, and fraternity.

The next **Cor** will be held on Thursday, December 7 beginning at 6pm in the Hall. Come join your brother parishioners in prayer, formation and fraternity.

If you have additional questions, please reach out to Carlos Gutierrez at [Carlos.Gutierrez@kofo.org](mailto:Carlos.Gutierrez@kofo.org).

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Want to serve our priests? Every month the Parish hosts a **morning of recollection** and luncheon for priests of our Diocese from 10:30am until Noon on the third Friday of each month from September - May. The Parish has hosted this event for over 30 years. There are usually 4-6 priests. A simple meatless meal can be prepared in the hall's kitchen or at

home and brought in and served.

We are still in need of volunteers to serve lunch to our priests on the third Friday of the month in December 2023 through May 2024.

If you are available to help, please leave a message for Alma Hill at the parish office (she'll call you back) or email [stmpriestlunch@gmail.com](mailto:stmpriestlunch@gmail.com).

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**Parish Library** is open on the 2nd Sunday of each month after all Masses. We have an incredible collection of Catholic books, DVDs, and CDs available for lending. If you have items checked out, please return them so they are available to other parishioners. Thank you.

Have books to donate OR want to volunteer in the library once a month on the 2nd Sunday after 1 Mass? Contact [stmmmaryhands@gmail.com](mailto:stmmmaryhands@gmail.com) or call the Parish Office, ext. 201 and leave a message for Lily. More info can also be found at <http://stmargaretmaryoak.org/parish-library/>

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Would you like to serve our parish by helping to clean our beautiful church? The schedule is flexible. More hands make less work for everyone. Please consider joining our **SMM cleaning team** by emailing or calling the Parish Office with your name and telephone number and Diane Steinhilber will contact you with details.

Your assistance will be much appreciated by our Parish community.

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**Reminder: As you park your car**, leave no valuables inside. We have been receiving reports of car break-ins in the neighborhood. Please exercise caution.

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Sign up for **Flocknotes** to receive information on what's happening at church. Log on to: [Stmargaretmary13.flocknote.com](http://Stmargaretmary13.flocknote.com)

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Have you offered a **Mass Intention** lately? If you would like to offer a Mass Intention, drop the Mass Intention envelope in the Parish mailbox; or send us an email; or leave a message in the Parish voicemail.

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**Creighton Model Fertility Care Introductory Session** will be offered online on Thursday, December 14, 2023 at 6:00 pm. Please contact Instructor Sandy Rowe for more information and to sign-up

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

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for this online class at [srowe.fcp2@gmail.com](mailto:srowe.fcp2@gmail.com) or call 510-468-1198.

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**Men's Power Blessing** at Immaculate Heart of Mary, Brentwood, on Saturday December 9th, 2023 from 8am - Noon. The Speaker is Fr. Dennis McManus. The Subject of his talk is on: Spiritual Warfare Today. RSVP: (925) 597-0206 or [joe384@comcast.com](mailto:joe384@comcast.com). Please RSVP by November 15th, 2023.

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**An Evening of Prayer and Reflection on Vocation to the Priesthood.** Where: St. Michael's Church, Livermore, CA. When: December 28th (Saturday) beginning at 3pm until 7pm. This event is open to men ages 18-40 who are discerning a vocation to the diocesan priesthood. The event begins with Adoration in the Church at 3pm, Mass at 5pm, Dinner at 6:15pm, followed by vocation testimonies and a question-and-answer. To register please email Fr. Carl Arcosa at [carcosa@oakdiocese.org](mailto:carcosa@oakdiocese.org) or call 510-552-6596.

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**Bishop's Appeal Update:** we have raised \$21,757. Thank you for your support for Bishop's Appeal. The goal for the Parish this year is \$21,900. Next collection for Bishop's Appeal : December 16-17.

## **Excerpt from *The Mystery of the Eucharist*** **In The Life Of The Church**

51. The lives of the saints and blessed show us the importance of the Eucharist on our journey as disciples of Jesus. Many testify to the power of the Eucharist in their lives. We see the fruits of Holy Communion in their lives of faith, hope, and charity. It was their intimate union with Jesus in Holy Communion and frequently their prayer before the Blessed Sacrament that nourished and strengthened them in their journey to heaven. They teach us that "growth in Christian life needs the nourishment of Eucharistic Communion, the bread for our pilgrimage until the moment of death, when it will be given to us as viaticum" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, no. 1392).

52. Blessed Carlo Acutis, a young Italian teenager, who died at the age of fifteen and was beatified in 2020, used to say: "The Eucharist is my highway to heaven." Blessed Carlo attained sanctity at such a young age because the Eucharist was at the center of his life. He attended Mass daily and prayed each day before the Blessed Sacrament in adoration. He discovered the joy of friendship with Jesus and brought that joy, the joy of the Gospel, to others. He was an apostle of the Eucharist through the internet. He said: "To always be united with Christ: This is my life's program."

53. Likewise, St. José Sánchez del Río, a Mexican teenager who was martyred at the age of fourteen and canonized in 2016, was so filled with love of Christ and his Church that he was willing to give up his life rather than renounce Christ and his Kingship. While imprisoned, St. José Sánchez del Río was able to receive the Blessed Sacrament when it was smuggled into his cell along with a basket of food. Strengthened by this viaticum, he was able to endure torture and to remain faithful to Christ when his captors told him he must renounce his faith or be executed. He replied to his persecutors: "My faith is not for sale." We encourage all, especially our young people, to learn about the lives of these holy teenagers. In the midst of many distractions in our life, Blessed Carlo and St. José Sánchez del Río teach us to focus on what is more important than anything else.

54. There are many people who have been attracted to the Catholic Church and entered the Church because they came to believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. Our first U.S. born saint, Elizabeth Ann Seton, is one of these converts....

*By the Conference of Bishops of the United States  
(November 2021)*

Weekly update	November 12	Year-to-Date
Donations	\$4,040	\$291,855
WeShare -Regular	\$1,200	\$84,537
Total 1st Collection	\$5,240	\$376,392
Goal	\$6,000	\$282,800
Variance	(-\$760)	<b>\$93,592</b>



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### **Schedule of Second Collections**

December 9-10: Retirement Fund For Religious  
December 16-17: Bishop's Appeal  
December 30-31: St. Vincent DePaul Society  
January 6-7: Diocesan Seminarians



# INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

DIOCESAN APPROVED TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS APOSTOLATE

FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MOTU PROPRIO, *SUMMORUM PONTIFICUM*

IN THE DIOCESE OF OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

## FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

### DECEMBER 3, 2023

INTROIT Psalm 24. 1-3

AD te levávi ánimam meam: Deus meus, in te confido, non erubescam: neque irrideant me inimíci mei: etenim univérsi, qui te exspéctant, non confundéntur. Ps. 24. 4. Vias tuas, Domine, demónstra mihi: et sémitas tuas édoce me. V. Glória Patri

To Thee have I lifted up my soul: in Thee, O my God, I put my trust, let me not be ashamed: neither let my enemies laugh at me: for none of them that wait on Thee shall be confounded. Ps. Show me, O Lord, Thy ways: and teach me Thy paths. V. Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT

EXCITA, quæsumus, Dómine, poténtiam tuam, et veni: ut ab imminéntibus peccatórum nostrórum periculis, te mereámur protegénte éripi, te liberánte salvári: Qui vivis et regnas.

Stir up Thy power, we beseech Thee, O Lord, and come: that from the threatening dangers of our sins, by Thy protection we may deserve to be rescued, and be saved by Thy deliverance: Who livest and reignest.

EPISTLE Romans 13. 11-14

FRATRES: Sciéntes, quia hora est jam nos de somno súrgere. Nunc enim própior est nostra salus, quam cum credidimus. Nox præcëssit, dies autem appropinquávit. Abjiciámus ergo ópera tenebrárum, et induámur arma lucis. Sicut in die honéste ambulémus: non in comessatióibus et ebrietátibus, non in cubilibus et impudiciis, non in contentiône et æmulatióne: sed induímini Dominum Jesum Christum.

Brethren, knowing that it is now the hour for us to rise from sleep. For now our salvation is nearer than when we believed. The night is passed and the day is at hand. Let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and put on the armor of light. Let us walk honestly, as in the day: not in rioting and drunkenness, not in chambering and impurities, not in contention and envy: but put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ

GRADUAL Psalm 24. 3, 4

UNIVÉRSI, qui te exspéctant, non confundéntur, Dómine. V. Vias tuas, Dómine, notas fac mihi: et sémitas tuas édoce me.

All they, that wait on Thee, shall not be confounded, O Lord. V. Show, O Lord, Thy ways to me: and teach me Thy paths.

ALLELUIA Psalm 84. 4

ALLELÚIA, allelúia. V. Osténde nobis, Dómine, misericórdiam tuam: et salutáre tuum da nobis. Allelúia.

Alleluia, alleluia. V. Show us, O Lord, Thy mercy: and grant us Thy salvation Alleluia.

GOSPEL Luke 21. 25-33

IN illo témpore: Dixit Jesus discípulis suis: Erunt signa in sole et luna et stellis, et in terris pressúra géntium præ confusióne sónitus maris et flúctuum: arescéntibus homínibus præ timóre et expectatióne, quæ supervénient univérso orbi: nam virtútes cælórum movebúntur. Et tunc vidébunt Filium hóminis veniéntem in nube cum potestáte magna et majestáte. His autem fieri incipiéntibus, respicite et leváte cápita vestra: quóniam appropínquat redéemptio vestra. Et dixit illis similitúdinem: Vidéte ficúlneam et omnes árbores: cum prodúcant jam ex se fructum, scitis quóniam prope est æstas. Ita et vos, cum vidéritis hæc fieri, scitote quóniam prope est regnum Dei. Amen, dico vobis, quia non præteríbit generatio hæc, donec ómnia fiant. Cælum et terra transibunt: verba autem mea non transibunt.

At that time Jesus said to His disciples: There shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, by reason of the confusion of the roaring of the sea and of the waves: men withering away for fear and expectation of what shall come upon the whole world. For the powers of heaven shall be moved. And then they shall see the Son of man coming in a cloud with great power and majesty. But when these things begin to come to pass, look up and lift up your heads, because your redemption is at hand. And He spoke to them a similitude: See the fig tree and all the trees: when they now shoot forth their fruit, you know that summer is nigh. So you also, when you shall see these things come to pass, know that the kingdom of God is at hand. Amen, I say to you, this generation shall not pass away till all things be fulfilled. Heaven and earth shall pass away: but My words shall not pass away.

OFFERTORY Psalm 129. 1-2

AD te levávi ánimam meam: Deus meus, in te confido, non erubescam: neque irrideant me inimíci mei: etenim univérsi, qui te exspéctant, non confundéntur.

To Thee have I lifted up my soul: in Thee, O my God, I put my trust, let me not be ashamed: neither let my enemies laugh at me: for none of them that wait for Thee shall be confounded.

SECRET

HÆC sacra nos, Dómine, poténti virtúte mundátos, ad suum fáciant puriôres veníre princípium. Per Dóminum nostrum.

May these holy Mysteries, O Lord, cleanse us by their powerful efficacy, and enable us to come with greater purity to Him who is their foundation. Through our Lord.

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## PREFACE OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

VERE dignum et justum est, aequum et salutare, nos tibi semper, et ubique gratias agere: Domine sancta, Pater omnipotens, aeternae Deus. Qui cum unigenito Filio: tuo et Spiritu Sancto, unus es Deus, unus es Dominus: non in unius singularitate personae, sed in unius Trinitatis substantiae. Quo denique de tua Gloria, revelante te, credimus, hoc de Filio tuo, hoc de Spiritu Sancto, sine differentia discretionis sentimus. Ut in confessione verare, sempiternaeque Deitatis, et in personis proprietates, et in essentiali unitas, et in maiestate adoretur aequalitas. Quam laudant Angeli atque Archangeli, Cherubim, quoque ac Seraphim: qui non cessant clamare quotidie, una voce dicentes:

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, that we should at all times and in all places, give thanks unto Thee, O holy Lord, Father almighty, ever-lasting God: Who, together with Thine only-begotten Son, and the Holy Ghost, are one God, one Lord: not in the oneness of a single Person, but in the Trinity of one substance. For what we believe by Thy revelation of Thy glory, the same do we believe of Thy Son, the same of the Holy Ghost, without difference or separation. So that in confessing the true and everlasting Godhead, distinction in persons, unity in essence, and equality in majesty may be adored. Which the Angels and Archangels, the Cherubim also and Seraphim do praise: who cease not daily to cry out with one voice saying:

## COMMUNION Psalm 84. 13

DŌMINUS dabit benignitatem: et terra nostra dabit fructum suum.

The Lord will give goodness: and our earth shall yield her fruit.

## POSTCOMMUNION

SUSCIPIAMUS, Dōmine, misericordiam tuam in medio templi tui: ut reparationis nostrae ventura solēnnia congruis honoribus praecedamus. Per Dōminum nostrum.

May we receive Thy mercy, O Lord, in the midst of Thy temple: that we may with becoming honour prepare for the approaching solemnities of our redemption. Through our Lord.

## NOVENA IN PREPARATION FOR THE FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION NOVEMBER 29 — DECEMBER 7

Our Novena in preparation for the **Feast of the Immaculate Conception**, patronal feast of the Institute, is taking place from Wednesday, November 29 to Thursday, December 7; the day before the Feast.

There will be a short sermon each day at Mass, recitation of one decade of the Rosary, and the Litany of Loreto at the end of Mass. Let us prepare for this august patronal feast of our Institute, and of our nation.

## EXTRAORDINARY FORM MASSES AND DEVOTIONS:

### MASSSES:

Sunday, at 7:00 AM and 12:30 PM

Monday - Wednesday and Friday,  
at 6:00 PM

Thursday, at 12:00 Noon

Saturday, at 10:00 AM

**CONFESSIONS:** 30 minutes before each Mass,  
and during Adoration on Fridays

### **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:**

Contact Canon Norman at (408) 600-4218 or  
[canon.norman@institute-christ-king.org](mailto:canon.norman@institute-christ-king.org)

**ADORATION:** Every Friday, after the 6 pm Mass

### **1ST FRIDAY AND 1ST SATURDAY:**

Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed  
Sacrament following Mass

### **MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS**

3rd Saturday of each month, after the 10am Mass  
(**Next:** December 16)

### **CATECHISM CLASSES (ZOOM)**

**Youth classes:** Tuesdays 4:00 PM

**Adult classes:** Saturdays 2:30 PM

**Prospective Catholics:** please contact  
Canon Norman for the twice-monthly classes