



The Body and Blood of Christ

Saint Maximilian was deeply touched by the Real Presence of Jesus, the God-man, under the Eucharistic species. Before the Blessed Sacrament altar he acted as though he saw the Savior. "God dwells in our midst," he exclaimed, "in the Blessed Sacrament of the altar." "He remains among us until the end of the world. He dwells on so many altars,

though so often offended and profaned." But even more, the founder of the MI was fascinated by the fact that Jesus in the Sacrament gives Himself to us as food. Once he went so far as to say: "**The culmination of the Mass** is not the consecration, but communion." With his heart full of gratitude, he said to Jesus: "You come to me and unite yourself intimately to me under the form of nourishment. Your blood now runs in mine, your soul, Incarnate God, compenetrates mine, giving it courage and support. What miracles! Who would ever have imagined such!" "If angels could be jealous of men," Father Kolbe was in the habit of saying, "they would be so for one reason: Holy Communion."

PRAYER OF ST. JOHN XXIII FOR THE FATHERS

St. Joseph, guardian of Jesus and chaste husband of Mary, you passed your life in loving fulfillment of duty. You supported the holy family of Nazareth with the work of your hands. Kindly protect all the fathers who trustingly come to you. You know their aspirations, their hardships, their hopes. They look to you because they know you will understand and protect them. You too knew trial, labor and weariness. But amid the worries of material life your soul was full of deep peace and sang out in true joy through intimacy with God's Son entrusted to you and with Mary, his tender Mother. Assure those you protect that they do not labor alone. Teach them to find Jesus near them and to watch over him faithfully as you have done.

Survey results next weekend

Members of Our Lady of Grace, I have been reviewing the surveys and will begin to interpret the results next weekend. We can now begin to set our mission for our future. Part of the plan has already begun as we maintain our facility. The Stack Center is now under construction for the summer. Many thanks to Colleen who has organized this project. Buildings and facilities are to give us the space and atmosphere to invite people to join us and develop ministries to engage us in experiences of God. This is an exciting time to dream and open ourselves to what God can do to renew us and our community to draw all to our Loving God.

We are ONE
in the BODY & BLOOD
of the LORD

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Gospel for The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time (June 25th)

Matthew 10:26-33

"So do not be afraid of them, for there is nothing concealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not be made known. What I tell you in the dark, speak in the daylight; what is whispered in your ear, proclaim from the roofs. Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather, be afraid of the One who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground outside your Father's care. And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. So don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows. Whoever acknowledges me before others, I will also acknowledge before my Father in heaven. But whoever disowns me before others, I will disown before my Father in heaven."



FATHER'S DAY MASSES

As a means of honoring our fathers, living and deceased, a Triduum of Masses will be celebrated on **June 19th, 20th, and 21st**. Cards are available in the Parish office for those wishing to give or send a remembrance card. The names of those to be remembered will be placed at the altar for the three days of remembrance. Please complete the half-sheet request form and return it to the Parish office.

Happy Father's Day!



SPRING AUCTION PROCEEDS

We were delighted with the Spring Auction results this year due to the efforts of a great committee and of course the enthusiastic bidders who attended this fun event. After expenses the OLG School received 13,884.00 and 5,000.00 was set aside for Parish Children's Ministry programs.

In addition to the money raised for Our Lady of Grace School and Parish programs we were able to send charitable donations to the following organizations: Catholic Charities of the East Bay, and FESCO.

Thank you to all those who attended this fun event and contributed to the great outcome.

**The Lord IS CALLING You!!??
MEN'S FAITH SHARING**

All men of the parish are invited to join Our Men's Faith Share and Bible Study every TUESDAY evening from 7 – 8:15PM in the Parish office. Each week Fr. Paul leads a discussion on the meaning and application to our lives for the upcoming Sunday Mass readings. **COME & YOU WILL SEE!** (Jn 1:39). Next meeting is **June 20th**.

UNDER CONSTRUCTION

During the summer months Stack Center will be getting a facelift. We have plans for new floors, doors, wall coverings, and paint. All of this takes time and scheduling please be patient as we complete this project. We look forward to the big reveal in August.



**SAVE THE DATE
PARISH PICNIC
AUGUST 20TH
LAKE CHABOT PARK**

Mark your summer calendar now for our Parish Picnic! It will be a time for our Parish family to come together for Prayer, Fun, and Food. More details to come.

**Franciscan Friar
Come and See Invitation
for Men 18 - 50**



Join the Friars on a Road Trip to our Investiture of our New Friars
July 17 -21, 2017

Meet Friars from all over U.S.
New Friars Receiving of the Habit.
Learn More About our Life!!

Join us for just the Ceremonies, or from July 17-21 when we'll learn more about Franciscan Religious Life and Discernment! Meet either in Castro Valley, or Arroyo Grande. For more information, call Fr. Paul at 510-671-0537.

WELCOMING THE STRANGER

Our OLG Pax Christi/Social Justice Group will be hosting a showing of the film, "Dying to Live: A Migrant's Journey" followed by a presentation on the refugee crisis and undocumented immigration by Stephen Mullin, Director of Engagement at Catholic Charities of the East Bay. The presentation will be on **Friday, June 23rd, from 7:00-8:30pm in the Augustine Center**, with refreshments and ample time for taking questions. For more information, please call Dennise at 510-303-9767 or Sandra at 510-889-8132.



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
HELP US HELP OTHERS**

Do you know of anyone within our parish boundaries that could use help? Many around us are on fixed incomes and find it difficult to make it through the end of the month. For a number of our clients, we bring them food once a month to help supplement their food budget. At times when unexpected expenses have arisen (car, medical, etc.) we are also able to help with a portion of the rent or utilities. Names are always kept confidential. The St. Vincent de Paul message machine number is 510-581-2164 and messages are checked daily

PLEASE REGISTER....

Why is it important that we register at Our Lady of Grace? Isn't it good enough that we go to Mass? Why should we bother to use the envelope system?

Registration is the official way we join a parish community. Many people think that because they attend Our Lady of Grace they automatically belong. At times young adults who have moved away for years think they are still signed up under their parent's registration. But membership requires signing up, formally enrolling yourself with Our Lady of Grace. Registration is a commitment to a community, a way to be included in the religious, social, and ministerial activities of Our Lady of Grace. Your registration affects Our Lady of Grace in many ways. Census numbers can determine what obligations the community has to the diocese, and how Masses, confession, and devotions are planned and scheduled.

Registration shows you belong. It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining certificates, and getting donation statements for taxes. Registering at Our Lady of Grace is a statement of faith and confidence in the life and work of our parish.

The expense of the envelope system is cost effective. Using the envelope system is a way that our parish can verify your participation in weekly Mass. If you are receiving envelopes but not using them, please consider using them now

SUNDAY COLLECTION

Stewardship of treasure involves trust in God. You have to really believe in God's Providence and trust that if you give ten percent of your income to the Church and charity for example, God will help you live on the rest.

Offerings of June 11th:

Sunday Plate:	\$ 8,984.00
Last Year this week	\$ 8,282.00
Weekly Budgeted Goal:	\$ 8,920.00
Year-to-date this year:	\$201,210.00
Year-to-date last year:	\$201,636.00

May God bless your continuing generosity.

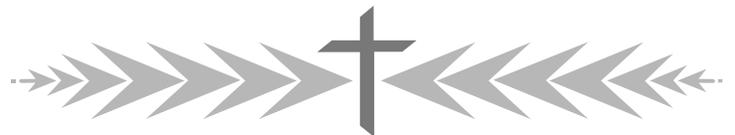


Your Prayers Are Requested

Please lift up in your prayer those many among us who are ill and those who have asked for our prayerful remembrance:

- Glen Alcorn
- Kathleen Andrews
- Susanna Ax
- James Barthman
- Peggy Burton
- Leonardo Cabardo
- Claudia Dobbs
- Lynn Franks
- Byron Griffith
- Don Jordan

- Elaine Jordan
- Alice McLaughlin
- Rosy Pereira
- Adoree Rivera
- Stephanie Rosevear
- David Rountree
- Florence Sharp
- Susan Star
- Mercedes Tellez
- Iwan Tunggal



Please remember in your prayers the recently deceased in our parish families and all who mourn the loss of a loved one.

JOSEPHINE RACANELLI



**FATIMA & LOURDES PILGRIMAGE
CELEBRATING THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY
OF THE APPARITIONS AT FATIMA!!**

Information and brochures for Fr. Tom's pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes are available in the parish office. The eleven day trip begins **October 3rd, 2017** and is only \$3,499 per person. The trip includes roundtrip air from San Francisco, first class/select hotels, most meals, and services of a professional tour director. Space is limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

**ALL GOD'S PEOPLE
UNITED IN FAITH
UPDATE: JUNE 11th
The Bishop's Annual Appeal
CONGRATULATIONS**

Our Goal for 2017:	\$25,139.54
# of Registered Families	980
# of Acknowledged Donors to date:	151
Funds Raised (includes pledges)	\$28,500.00

We are currently at 113% of our goal for this year's Bishop's Appeal. We are most grateful to all those who have contributed! From this point forward, our parish will receive 100% of all funds raised above goal back to address some of our own parish needs.

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**DEVOTIONAL CANDLES
PLEASE NOTE: NEW PRICE**

Candles for our candle stand are available for purchase in the Parish Office or in the Sacristy after mass on Sundays. The candles will burn for 5 days. The cost per candle is \$4.00. The glass globes in the candle stand must be left in the church.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 18th:

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Outreach Sunday

Children's Liturgy
9:30am--Mass

Happy Father's Day!

Tuesday, June 20th:

Men's Bible Study
7:00pm--Parish Office

Thursday, June 22nd:

Adoration
7:00pm--Church

Serenity Group
7:30pm--Augustine Center

Wednesday, June 21st:

Hispanic Cinco Querto
6:30pm--Augustine Center

Friday, June 23rd:

Pax Christi Movie Night
7:00pm--Augustine Center

Saturday, June 24th:

Adoration
9:00am--Church

Confession
3:30pm--Church

Sunday, June 25th:

The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Children's Liturgy
9:30am--Mass

ICF NEWS

All members, please note: Since there will be work going on in Stack Center this summer, our meetings for July and August will be held at outside venues. The place and time will be noted on the flyer, dates remain the same (2nd Thursday). Hope you can make it.

Mass for the Intentions of the Week

All masses are celebrated in the Church.

MONDAY, June 19th

St. Romuald, Abbot

7:00am FATHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCE

TUESDAY, June 20th

7:00am FATHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCE

WEDNESDAY, June 21st

St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

8:15am FATHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCE

THURSDAY, June 22nd

St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs

7:00am Dorothy and Manuel Callier (D)

FRIDAY, June 23rd

THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

7:00am Macario Zaldivan (D)

SATURDAY, June 24th

THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

8:30am Sheila Janes (D)

SUNDAY, June 25th

9:30am Robert Gallicano (D)

1:30pm Alice Romero (D)

GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY

The death of a loved one is unlike any other loss. Whether the death was sudden and tragic, or one with warning and preparation, the reality of death leaves most of us in a state of shock, confusion and sadness. Grieving people need time and space to honor their grief.

There is a support group meeting bi-monthly to accompany you on your healing journey at St. Elizabeth Seton Church, 4001 Stoneridge Drive, Pleasanton. The group meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings at 7:30pm. Upcoming dates are **June 22nd, July 13th and 27th, and August 10th and 24th.** No pre-registration is necessary. For more information call Eleanor at 925-846-8708.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

June 19th through June 25th

- Monday: 2 Cor. 6:1-10; Matthew 5:38-42
- Tuesday: 2 Cor. 8:1-9; Matthew 5:43-48
- Wednesday: 2 Cor. 9:6-11; Matthew 6:1-6,16-18
- Thursday: 2 Cor. 11:1-11; Matthew 6:7-15
- Friday: Deut. 7:6-11; 1 John 4:7-16; Matthew 11:25-30
- Saturday: Is. 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Luke 1:57-66,80
- Sunday: Jer. 20:10-13; Rom. 5:12-15; Matthew 10:26-33

The SPIRIT of TRUTH is always with us



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FLOWER REMEMBRANCE FUND

Do you have some spare blossoms that you can share? Our Environment Committee needs your help to decorate the altar area each week, either by bringing in flowers from your yard or through a monetary donation towards the purchase of flowers. Flower donation envelopes can be found at the entrances of the church to make a donation in memory of honor of a loved one. If you have any questions feel free to contact Jay at 537-0806. Your donation in honor of your loved one will be mentioned in the bulletin.

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