

**PRAY AND SIP**

The Villa Maria/Star of the Sea Church Rosary Group meets every third Monday of the month at 11:00 AM. It meets at Villa Maria del Mar on East Cliff Drive to say the rosary and enjoy a cup of coffee. If you are interested, contact Kathie Hobbs at kathiehobbs@sbcglobal.net.

**QUINCEAÑERAS**

If you need to complete community service hours please call the parish during office hours to see availability. We are not accepting "walk-ins" at the moment. You will not be able to stay unless you are already on the schedule. Thank you.

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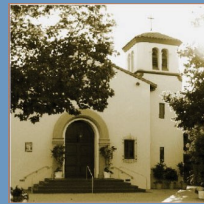
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Sunday, February 25th, 2024



**Our Lady Star of the Sea Church**

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**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**



WEEKLY MASSES  
 IN ENGLISH:  
 MON-FRI  
 8:00 AM

WEEKLY MASSES  
 IN SPANISH: MON &  
 WED 6:30 PM

WEEKEND MASSES:  
 SAT SPANISH  
 6:00 PM

SUN ENGLISH  
 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

SUN SPANISH  
 12:00 PM & 7:00 PM

BILINGUAL  
 CONFESSIONS  
 EVERY FRI  
 5:00 PM

ADORATION EVERY  
 THURS  
 8:30 AM—6:00 PM

OFFICE HRS:  
 MON, WED— FRI  
 10:00 AM—1:00 PM  
 2:00 PM—5:00 PM

**Pastor**  
 Rev. Robby Sullivan  
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**Spanish Music Coordinator:** Juan Garcia  
**Pianist:** Harriet Jacoff  
**Gardener:** Juan Sosa

**St. Vincent de Paul Society**  
 Pantry Hours: Tues. & Thurs.  
 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 Help Line: 831.423.0878

**Villa Maria Del Mar Chapel**  
 2-1918 East Cliff Dr. Santa Cruz,  
 CA 95062 Phone: 831.475.1236  
 Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00 PM

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WELCOME TO OUR PARISH! REGISTRATION FORMS  
 ~PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM AND PLACE IT IN THE  
 COLLECTION BOX.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 New Parishioner  Please send offering envelopes  Information update  Moving—Remove from list  Interested in volunteering—please contact me.





## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Abraham offers the ultimate sacrifice of thanksgiving, the gift of his very son. This sacrifice prefigures the sacrifice of Jesus who died for us all. In his transfiguration, Jesus discloses a suffering messiahship. (ORDO 2024)

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

**Baptism Requirements:** Please visit our website at [www.ourladystar.org](http://www.ourladystar.org) or call the office for information.

**Baptisms in English:** Last Saturday of the month at 10:00 AM.

**Weddings:** Call for appointment 6 months in advance.

**Quinceañera:** Please visit our office for more information.

### BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES

Thursday, March 14th in ENGLISH at 7:00 PM,  
Thursday, March 21st in SPANISH at 7:00 PM,  
At the church, no reservation necessary.

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday:** Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/ Ps 116:10, 15-19/  
Rom 8:31b-34/ Mk 9:2-10

**Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10/ Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13/ Lk 6:36-38

**Tuesday:** Is 1:10, 16-20/ Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23/ Mt 23:1-12

**Wednesday:** Jer 18:18-20/ Ps 31:5-6, 14-16/ Mt 20:17-28

**Thursday:** Jer 17:5-10/ Ps 1:1-4, 6/ Lk 16:19-31

**Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/ Ps 105:16-21/ Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

**Saturday:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/ Ps 103:1-4, 9-12/ Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

### ADORATION IN THE CHAPEL

Behind the church from 8:30 AM until 6:00 PM every Thursday.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Andy Silva-Soto, Judy Peretto, Carolyne Brookman, Walter Brookman, Rodolfo Magaña, Magaña Family, Doris Burke, Agustin Ortiz, Kathleen McGinnis, Marie Willowby, Sr. Patty Doyle, Jonathan Perez, Joseph Barbic, Bobby Spurgeon, Marie Thornton, Francis Lopez, Phil Bagnasco, Tim Bagnasco, Luz Elena Gandara, Rocha Family, Ortiz Family, Scott Richard, Vicki Cadiente.

### HEALING MASS

There will be a Healing Mass on Tuesday, February 27th, at 7:00 PM.

### February 25th, 2024 - March 2nd, 2024

Sun. 25	8:00 AM (RS)	† Rodrigo Robles Ruiz ♥ Joseph Barbic † Esther Solis
	10:00 AM (RS)	† Arturo Alfaro Garcia † Noraima Garcia Rodela † Rosa Hortencia Lacca Veléz
	12:00 PM (TN)	† Remigio Aguilera † Juan Osornio † Rosaura Perez
	7:00 PM (TN)	† Francisco de la Torre ♥ Hector de la Torre †♥
Mon. 26	8:00 AM (TN) 6:30 PM (TN)	† Alfredo Martinez †♥
Tues. 27	8:00 AM (TN)	†♥
Wed. 28	8:00 AM (RS) 6:30 PM (RS)	†♥ †♥
Thur. 29	8:00 AM (RS)	†♥
Fri. 1	8:00 AM (RS)	†♥
Sat. 2	6:00 PM (RS)	†♥

† Signifies Deceased ♥ Signifies Living  
RS= Rev. Robert Sullivan TN= Rev. Tim Nondorf

### OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

<b>Collection:</b>	\$ 4, 929
<b>Electronic/ Mail Plate:</b>	375
<b>Total:</b>	\$ 5, 304
<b>Budget:</b>	\$ 4, 500

Thank you! May God bless you for your generous support! Please consider offering one hour per week of your earnings so we may continue serving you through our parish ministries.

### CLERGY CORNER

The following is from a sermon by Saint Leo the Great, pope:

The Lord reveals his glory in the presence of chosen witnesses... The great reason for this transfiguration was to remove the scandal of the cross from the hearts of his disciples, and to prevent the humiliation of his voluntary suffering from disturbing the faith of those who had witnessed the surpassing glory that lay concealed. With no less forethought he was also providing a firm foundation for the hope of holy Church. The whole body of Christ was to understand the kind of transformation that it would receive as his gift. The members of that body were to look forward to a share in that glory which first blazed out in Christ their head. This marvel of the transfiguration contains another lesson for the apostles, to strengthen them and lead them into the fullness of knowledge. Moses and Elijah, the law and the prophets, appeared with the Lord in conversation with him... In him the promise made through the shadows of prophecy stands revealed, along with the full meaning of the precepts of the law. He is the one who teaches the truth of prophecy through his presence, and makes obedience to the commandments possible through grace. Christ has taken on himself the whole weakness of our lowly human nature. If then we are steadfast in our faith in him and in our love for him, we win the victory that he has won, we receive what he has promised. (Sermo 51, 3-4. 8: PL 54, 310-311. 313)

In Christ's peace,

Father Robby

#### Lenten Dinners

Our Lenten Dinners are back! The dinner menu for Friday, March 1st will be Salmon served w/Mashed Potatoes & Steamed Vegetables. \$25 per adult ticket and \$15 per child. Includes water or coffee/tea. Other beverages and dessert will be available for purchase. Tickets are available at the parish office. We hope to see you there!

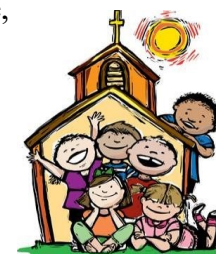
#### Stations of the Cross:

Fr Robby and Fr Tim invite all to participate in the Stations of the Cross a 7:00 pm every Friday during Lent.



#### Position Available:

Are you looking for a new career path? Currently, we are seeking a committed & responsible candidate to coordinate Religious Education. This is a full-time position with excellent benefits. You must have an Associate's Degree, know the Catholic Faith, have leadership skills, and be a great role model for children of our community. Bilingual is a plus. Please email your resume to [nancy@ourladystar.org](mailto:nancy@ourladystar.org).



Every Friday starting during Lent, the Parish Office will only be open from 1pm-5pm.

#### St. Vincent de Paul

St. Vincent de Paul Conference at Our Lady Star of the Sea would like to thank you for your continued support of those in need in our community. We have received generous donations of money and food items that have allowed us to provide aid to many of our neighbors. In January, our Need Line received 90 calls seeking assistance and our food pantry served 948 individuals. If you would like to help us in our mission and volunteer your time, please call 831-423-0878 and speak to one of our volunteers.

#### AMA 2024

We would like to express our most sincere gratitude for your support to our Annual Ministry Appeal in 2023. We collected \$32,551 which paid for our Diocesan goal of \$18,200 and for repairs to our parish hall. Please consider supporting the AMA 2024 campaign, "Called to Bear Fruit with Jesus as the Cornerstone." Our annual goal this year is \$20,000.00. Your support enables the ministries within the Diocese to help those in need. The campaign will begin Saturday, March 2nd, 2024. Remember anything over our goal will return to the parish. In advance, thank you for your giving hearts.