

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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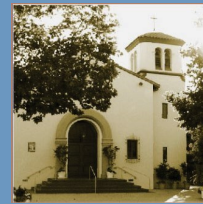
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Sunday, March 3rd, 2024



Our Lady Star of the Sea Church

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THIRD 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

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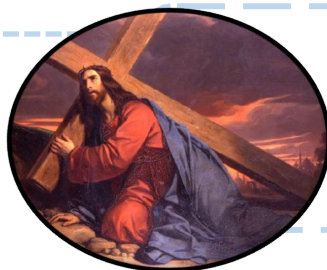
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Villa Maria Del Mar Chapel
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 CA 95062 Phone: 831.475.1236
 Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00 PM

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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.



THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

The law liberates and leads us to freedom. It is to be trusted for it is a source of wisdom. Jesus speaks of the ultimate freedom to be won for us by his being raised up. He is the sign of the power and wisdom of God. (ORDO 2024)

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Baptism Requirements: Please visit our website at 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: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/ Ps 19:8-11/ 1 Cor 1:22-25/ Jn 2:13-25 or, for Year A (28): Ex 17:3-7 Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/ Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/ Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/ Pss 42:2-3; 43:3-4/ Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/ Ps 25:4bc-5ab, 6-7bc, 8-9/ Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/ Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/ Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/ Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/ Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/ Ps 81:6c-11b, 14, 17/ Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/ Ps 51:3-4, 18-21b/ Lk 18:9-14

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, Luz Elena Gandara, Rocha Family, Ortiz Family, Vicki Cadiente.

HEALING MASS

There will be a Healing Mass on Tuesday, April 30th, at 7:00 PM.

March 3rd, 2024 - March 9th, 2024

Sun. 3	8:00 AM (TN)	† Rodrigo Robles Ruiz ♥ Joseph Barbic ♥ Vicki Cadiente
	10:00 AM (TN)	†♥
	12:00 PM (RS)	† Rosaura Perez † Andres Urbina Esquivel
	7:00 PM (RS)	†♥
Mon. 4	8:00 AM (TN)	†♥
	6:30 PM (TN)	♥ Lesly Tandoy ♥ Maria del Socorro Gutierrez
Tues. 5	8:00 AM (TN)	†♥
Wed. 6	8:00 AM (RS)	†♥
	6:30 PM (RS)	♥ Lesly Tandoy † Francisco Garcia Marquez
Thur. 7	8:00 AM (RS)	†♥
Fri. 8	8:00 AM (RS)	†♥
Sat. 9	6:00 PM (TN)	♥ Lesly Tandoy

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

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

Collection:	\$ 4, 483
Electronic/ Mail Plate:	375
Total:	\$ 4, 858

Budget: \$ 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 treatise on John by Saint Augustine, bishop:

A woman came. She is a symbol of the Church not yet made righteous but about to be made righteous. Righteousness follows from the conversation. She came in ignorance, she found Christ, and he enters into conversation with her... The Samaritans did not form part of the Jewish people: they were foreigners. The fact that she came from a foreign people is part of the symbolic meaning, for she is a symbol of the Church. The Church was to come from the Gentiles, of a different race from the Jews.

We must then recognize ourselves in her words and in her person, and with her give our own thanks to God. She was a symbol, not the reality; she foreshadowed the reality, and the reality came to be. She found faith in Christ, who was using her as a symbol to teach us what was to come.

He asks for a drink, and he promises a drink. He is in need, as one hoping to receive, yet he is rich, as one about to satisfy the thirst of others. He says: If you knew the gift of God. The gift of God is the Holy Spirit. But he is still using veiled language as he speaks to the woman and gradually enters into her heart... He was promising the Holy Spirit in satisfying abundance. (Tract. 15, 10-12. 16-17: CCL 36, 154-156)

In Christ's peace,

Father Robby

Lenten Dinners

Our Lenten Dinners are back! The dinner menu for Friday, March 8th will be Cheese Ravioli w/Red Sauce, Steamed Veggies & Garlic Bread. \$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.

Thank you to everybody who supported the Religious Education fundraiser on February 25th by purchasing pupusas.

A thank you to Ivan Martinez



Goodbye and thank you to Ivan for everything he's done for the Parish Community and Religious Education. We'll miss his lighthearted nature and good humor. We wish him all the best on his new job. Congratulations to him and best wishes on his future endeavors.

Every Friday starting during Lent, the Parish Office will only be open from 1pm-4pm.

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.

Easter Egg Hunt

We are in need of Easter eggs and candy for our annual Easter egg hunt. Please help us to bring happiness to the children in our community by donating these items. You can bring them to the church or to the office by Friday, March 15th. Thank you for your generosity.

