

Saint Martin of Tours

Ministering to People
 Roman Catholic Church and School Community
Mass Schedule

Sunday Vigil: Saturday 5:00 pm
 Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am, 6:00 pm

Weekdays: Mon. - Sat. 8:00 am
 Holy Days: 8:10 am, 12:10 pm, 7:00 pm

The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 26, 2016



Parish Office... 294-8953

Rev. Sergio Ovando, Pastor
 Rev. Abraham Antony, Parochial Vicar
 Rev. Bob Shinney, S.J., Assisting Priest
 Lori Krouse, Bookkeeper
 Jennifer Tavares, Office Administrator
 Samuel Aguilar, Buildings and Grounds

Liturgy408-289-9614
 Judy Swazey, Director
 Pastoral Care.....408-289-9617
 Therese Lehane, Director

Sacrament of the Sick
 If you or anyone you love is sick and unable to attend
 Mass please call 408-289-9617

Catechetical Ministry... 408-289-9608
 Megan Lott, Catechetical Coordinator
 Fr. Abraham, Catechumenate Coordinator
 RCIA

We warmly welcome all those inquiring about becoming
 Catholic. For information, call Fr. Abraham.

Baptism
 A sacrament of initiation and belonging. Please
 register with Fr. Sergio 408-294-8953
 Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30 pm or by appointment
 St. Vincent de Paul...408-439-0342
 St. Martin of Tours School...408-287-3630

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**WELCOME
 TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US**

Whether you are a parishioner of long standing or new to the parish, if you are not registered, we invite you to do so. If there are changes to your status, please let us know. Please fill in the details below and place in the offertory basket or mail to the Parish office.

Name _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

- New Parishioner Moving (please remove from directory) New Address New Phone Number
 Please check to receive offering envelopes Please check to discontinue receiving envelopes

Sunday Offerings and Online Giving

Sunday offerings:

6/19/2016

	Week	Fiscal Year to Date
Budget	\$20,900	\$750,000
Actual	\$18,546	\$697,132
	(\$2,354)	(\$52,868)



Second collection 6/12/16:

Catholic Communications \$ 1,872

**Please mark checks for
"Capital Campaign"
In the memo section of your check.**

**Thank you for your continued
support!**



Calendar of Events

6/28 Women's Book Group will discuss *Orange is the New Black: My Year in a Women's Prison* by Piper Kerman in the Bailey House at 7:15 PM

7/7 Adoration in the Church 7PM

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

An old and still vital treasure in our tradition is a document called the "Apostolic Traditions," giving us a snapshot of church life in third-century Rome. Its author, Hippolytus, describes the liturgical life of the church and records the actual texts of the prayers. The way he explained the various "orders" of the church was the basis for a major reform of the rites of ordination by Pope Pius XII in 1947, and later for the Second Vatican Council. Hippolytus tells us that a bishop had to be elected by the entire people, and that ordination had to take place on a Sunday in the presence of the people, the presbyters, and neighboring bishops. The bishop-candidate is ordained by the other bishops, who impose their hands on his head while everyone else keeps a profound silence, awaiting the outpouring of the Spirit. There is a prayer of blessing said by one of them, on behalf of all, asking for the Spirit and describing his ministry.

Later centuries layered new features on top of this liturgy, including the requirement for three bishop consecrators. Today, whenever a new bishop is announced (election by the people is no more), a kind of genealogy is provided, tracing his pedigree through the consecrating bishops down through the centuries to Peter and the first body of believers. Every bishop today can trace his office through his consecrators back to the beginning in a tradition called "apostolic succession."

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Scripture Readings for NEXT Week

Sunday, July 3, 2016

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14c

Second Reading: Galatians 6:14-18

Gospel Reading: Luke 10:1-12,17-20

Question?
of the
WEEK

Is there any luggage that you could leave behind on your journey of faith?

Martha's Kitchen, a San Jose soup kitchen



which has been feeding the hungry for 35 years, is in need of volunteers from 3:30 - 5:30 p.m. every Tuesday and Wednesday to help serve during the summer

months. Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age, wear close toed shoes and modest attire. Please email Kevin Patterson at kevmo450f@gmail.com or call (408) 293-6111.

If you have or know of someone who has an accounting background and would like to be part of the Parish Financial Council, please recommend them to Fr. Sergio.

If you are interested in or you know of someone who would be a good fit to be a member of the Parish Council please recommend them to Fr. Sergio.

St. Vincent De Paul Society



Donate your car to help those in need. Cars with dents can help pay rents 1-800-322-8284. Please tell the operator you are from St. Martin of Tours.

Saint Vincent de Paul

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With the ongoing generous support of St. Martin Parishioners, The Society was able to give the following assistance for the period

October 1, 2015 through March 2, 2016

Food	\$9,215
Rent 1	12,690
Utilities	2,880
Laundry	1,200
Gas	1,100
Bus tokens	870
Total	\$27,945

Did you or another Parishioner just have surgery? A new baby? Lost a loved one?

We are here to help! Please contact Lara Stanton at lara.stanton@gmail.com or Nancy Pierce at npierce33@yahoo.com. Not so good at email? Call the Parish office, 408-294-8953. A team of volunteers will be on hand to deliver home-cooked hot meals to your doorstep until you get back on your feet.



Engaged couples can register for any date at www.marriageforlifef.com August 6th, October 15th

Reconnect with your Parish Family

We love seeing your faces at mass each week and we are very interested in knowing how we can make our masses more enjoyable, fulfilling and spiritually rewarding. **Reconnect St. Martin** is a small group of St. Martin parishioners, and a committee under the Parish Council, with one goal in mind - discover new opportunities to *reconnect* with those parishioners who don't come to mass regularly.

Please share your ideas with us via email at Reconnect-STM@googlegroups.com or talk to any of us directly. Let's work together to strengthen our parish community and improve the church experience for all of us.

Thank you,

Fr. Abe, Francisco Irao, Laura & Katie M'Guinness, Mark & Liz Page



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From the Peace and Justice Commission Lessons from the UnHoused Women Project Lesson #4. Project Communications to the Parish

What went well?

Weekly information in bulletin created interest and excitement.
Q and A on parish website answered many questions.

What did we learn?

Judy Swazey spent untold hours getting Q and A onto website. (Thanks, Judy) Upgrade in technology needed.

GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN!

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

A man wanted to follow Jesus, but wanted to first bury his father who had died. Jesus replied, "Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God."

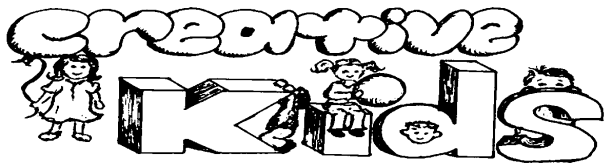
1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21
Gal 5:1, 13-18

Ps 16:1-2, 5
Lk 9:51-62

Directions: Which would you choose? Circle it.

I have a soccer tournament starting at 8 am. on Sunday and lasting all day.

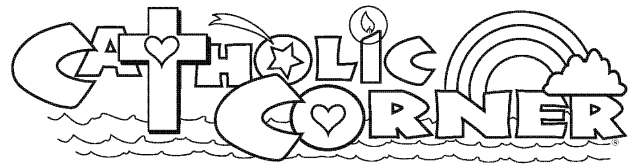
- I am going to have to skip Mass this week.
- I am going to have to go to Saturday night Mass or an earlier Mass at another parish this week.



Distractions

Lists some things that distract you from your relationship with God.

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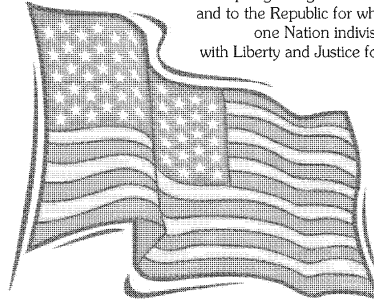
I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE

This week we will celebrate the birth of our nation on July 4.

On October 12, 1892, the United States celebrated the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America by Europeans. A one-time minister named Francis Bellamy was one of the planners of this celebration. Bellamy is credited with writing the words to the original Pledge of Allegiance. On Columbus Day that year, twelve million schoolchildren recited the words of the pledge for the first time in schools throughout the country.

The first version was different from the one we recite today. The pledge has been changed several times over the years. Read the versions below and see what was added.

I pledge allegiance to my Flag,
and to the Republic for which it stands:
one Nation indivisible,
with Liberty and Justice for all. (1892)



The Pledge of Allegiance appears in the U.S. Flag Code at 4 U.S.C. §4.

I pledge allegiance to *the*
Flag of *the* United States
and to the Republic for which it stands:
one Nation indivisible
with Liberty and Justice for all. (1923)

I pledge allegiance to the
Flag of the United States of *America*
and to the Republic for which it stands:
one Nation indivisible
with Liberty and Justice for all. (1924)

I pledge allegiance to the Flag
of the United States of America,
and to the Republic for which it stands:
one Nation *under God*, indivisible,
with Liberty and Justice for all. (1954)

This last change was made on Flag Day, June 14, 1954, when President Dwight D. Eisenhower approved adding the words "under God." He said that it was right to do so in order to strengthen the spiritual values of the United States.

Let us always use our beliefs to work toward true freedom and justice for all people. Let us pray for that strength this Fourth of July and every day.

When Jesus died on the cross and rose again,
he set us free from sin!
Look at this cross and color all the letters
that are needed to spell FREEDOM.

