



SAINT THOMAS MORE
CATHOLIC PARISH
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Office Hours:
Monday - Wednesday: 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Thursday and Friday: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
Saturday : 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Morning Prayer

Wednesday & Friday Mornings
7:30-7:50 AM
Inside Church

Reconciliation: Every Saturday from
3:00-4:00 PM or by appointment.

Adoration: Fridays 6:30-7:30PM

24 Hour Adoration:
Every 22nd of the month

Baptisms: Call the Church office to schedule an appointment; please allow five weeks advance notice. Baptisms are held on the third and fifth Sundays of each month (if applicable), immediately following the 11:15 AM Mass.

Marriages: In accordance with Diocesan Policy, engaged couples are to begin their marriage preparation program at least six months before their date of marriage.

Please note: For Baptisms or Weddings, you must be a practicing Catholic and a member of the parish. To be a Godparent, you must be a practicing and Confirmed Catholic and if married, married in the church.

Pastor

Parochial Vicar
Parochial Vicar Emeritus
Weekend Assistants

Deacons

Website:

Rev. John E. Janze

Rev. Paul Thai Trinh
Rev. William Krekelberg
Rev. Joseph Horn, O Praem
Rev. Joseph Justice
Deacon Tony & Mrs. Mary Patronite
Deacon Stan & Mrs. Fran Necikowski
Deacon Tin & Mrs. UyenLan Nguyen

www.stmirvine.org

Church Etiquette: The Priest / Celebrant is the last person in and the first one out at each Eucharistic Celebration.

Mass Schedule

Daily	8:00 AM
Vietnamese/English Mass (Saturday)	4:00 PM
Saturday Vigil	5:30 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM
	9:30 AM
	11:15 AM
	5:00 PM
Spanish/English Mass	2:15 PM
Chinese Mass 1st & 4th Sundays	12: 45PM
Tridentine Mass 2nd Sunday	12: 45PM



Welcoming all, we, the Spirit-filled parish of St. Thomas More, value our Roman Catholic faith by celebrating the sacraments, breaking open the Scriptures, and joyfully offering ourselves in service to others.

Under the inspiration of our patron saint, we seek to build a caring community that embraces the values he modeled of friendship, integrity and courageous love of God.

September 2, 2018
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

HUMBLY
WELCOME
THE WORD
THAT HAS
BEEN
PLANTED
IN YOU
AND IS
ABLE TO
SAVE YOUR
SOULS



James 1:21b

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE
09/03/18—09/9/18

Monday 9/3	Labor Day 9:00am-2:00pm 7:00-8:30am	Modified Office Hours Legion of Mary Meeting
Tuesday 9/4	7:00-8:00pm 7:00-9:30pm 1:00-4:00pm	Baptism Class CRHP Women Rummage Sale Committee
Wednesday 9/5	8:30-10:30am 6:45-9:00pm 7:00-9:00pm	Library Open KofC Business Meeting Rummage Sale Committee
Thursday 9/6	8:30am-Noon 9:00-11:00am 6:30-9:30pm 7:00-9:30pm	Library Open AFF Bible/book study VM Core Group Meeting CRHP Men
Friday 9/7	8:45am-12:30pm 6:30-7:30pm	Little Way Homeschool Eucharistic Adoration
Saturday 9/8	9:00-11:00am 1:00-3:00pm 1:00-4:00pm 3:00-4:00pm 4:00pm 5:00-7:00pm 5:30pm	Deacon's Bible Study VM Parent Meeting VM Faith Enrichment Reconciliation Vietnamese Mass VM Faith Enrichment Mass
Sunday 9/9	8, 9:30, 11:15am, 5pm 8:45am-12:45 pm 12:45pm 2:15pm 3:00-4:30pm 6:00-8:30pm	Masses Library Open Tridentine Mass Spanish Mass RCIA Session #3 (Chinese) Life Teen Kick off

In light of the recently released Pennsylvania Grand Jury report on sexual abuse in the Catholic Church, we at St. Thomas More Parish pray,

O God of consolation,
we come to you reeling from the latest revelation
of our human, broken church.
Priests, bishops, and other leaders
to whom we entrusted our souls
and the lives of our children
have failed us in their most essential duties.
We are beyond hurt; we are devastated;
we are heartbroken; we are angry.
We know that every corner of our church
has somehow been stained by these sins.

Hear our anguished cries today, O Lord,
as we weep for our church.
We need you now more than ever.
Help us feel your presence in these difficult days.
Make your justice known among us,
that these grievous wrongs may be addressed.
Help us to have hope in your steadfast love,
and lead us one day to the healing
that we so desperately crave.

We ask this in the name of the One who suffered on the
cross for the sins of all,
your Son, Jesus Christ,
who is Lord for ever and ever.

Amen.

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HOLY HOUR
for HOPE + HEALING

First Tuesday of Each Month | 7-8 p.m.

STARTING SEPTEMBER 4TH
THE ARBORETUM
ON THE CHRIST CATHEDRAL CAMPUS

THIS HOLY HOUR IS BEING OFFERED FOR:

- ✦ All those who have experienced abuse of any form in their lives
- ✦ All victims of abuse in our Church
- ✦ The lay and clerical leaders guiding the rebuilding of our Church

(Priests will be available for reconciliation during the holy hour.)

ROMAN CATHOLIC
DIOCESE of ORANGE

My Dear People,

Today's theme on the Readings: THE HIGHEST LAW

From time to time, newspapers and magazines will offer, as an item of "filler," various laws that are still on the books but seem silly to us in our day and age. In one California city, it is illegal to have two indoor bathtubs in one house. Clean water, a precious commodity when the law was written, is now readily available, so the law seems silly. But the human value of protecting and preserving precious resources is still around, evident in many conservation laws that seem sensible to us. So it is with the laws of religious tradition. What Jesus scorns today is others' attitude toward ritual laws, an attitude that becomes nearly idolatrous when laws are observed for their own sake. Jesus teaches that observation of external ritual laws is of value only when they are emblems of our internal disposition toward the will of God. Our whole lives must follow the one ultimate law of God: to love God completely and to love neighbor entirely. Roman Catholicism is a tradition rich with customs, traditions, and even laws. As we continue to listen to the voice of Christ, we must always look into our own hearts and underneath our ritual practices to make sure that love of God and love of neighbor are what we prize above all.

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In Christ,
Father John

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday	8:00AM	Pro Populo
	9:30AM	†Joe Ford
	11:15AM	†Robert Muñoz
	12:45 PM	†Souls in Purgatory
	2:15 PM	†Souls in Purgatory
	5:00PM	†Rosa Statos
Monday	8:00AM	†Robert Muñoz
Tuesday	8:00AM	†Barbara Moore
Wednesday	8:00AM	Marsha Welch
Thursday	8:00AM	Miki Yap
Friday	8:00AM	Dmitry Shavlak
Saturday	8:00AM	†Bill Parsons
		Regina Pluta
		†Dan Van Dorpe
		†Robert Muñoz
		David Keil
		Karl Naduel
		†Souls in Purgatory
		Vincent Do
		†Lucien Louie Demers
		Miller Family
4:00 PM	†Barbara Moore	
5:30 PM	†Robert Muñoz	



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — For what great nation is there that has gods so close to it as the LORD, our God, is to us? (Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8).

Psalm — The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord (Psalm 15).

Second Reading — Religion that is pure is this: to care for orphans and widows in their affliction (James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27).

Gospel — This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me (Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23).

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Please visit the STM website at <http://stmirvine.org> to read the Holy Father's letter and the Bishop's letter in response to the recent abuse scandals.

Please note the change during the Mass in the Diocese of Orange. The congregation will **KNEEL** instead of stand during the latter part of the Eucharistic Prayer. After the Lamb of God, we are asked to **KNEEL** until we get up to receive Communion. Thank you.



PLEASE PRAY FOR HEALING

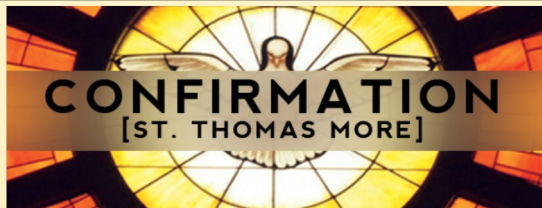


Joe Allee	Theresa Johnston	Cathy Purcell
Judy Anselmo	Sharon Jones	Anita Ruwaldt
Mary & Joe Bush	Doris Jordan	Maya Sanchez
Clara Connor	Cheri Rimando-Juarez	Jackson & Gerri Scharff
Alexandra Conti	Greg Leeds	Liz Thomas
Cheryl Cornelius	Ty Vivian Knisely	Bob & Denise Trujillo
Ellie Dainko	Richard Kulas	Jack Troung
Ann D'Alessandro	Jean Liddi	David Valentine
Henry Damigella	Frances Lodato	Daniel Villareal
Larry Doan	Bob Machado	Hanh Vu
Jim Eshelman	Andrea Maciel	Jim Vessey
Howard Frankel, MD	Cavan McGaffney	Sara Wang
Cynthia Fox	Pete Meade	John Weber
Rob F. Gorman	Howard Mellott	Michele Wills
Emma Hager	Stephanie Mispagel	Mike Winchester
Tina Halberg	Agnes Motley	Prospero Ylagan
Gayle Ham	Susan Navarette	Joe Zwetow
Margaret Hawley	Karen Norton	Sharon Zwolinski
Robert Henry	Lisa Olson	
Dominador Hontucan	Agnes Pamintuam	
Elsa Jatwani	Susie Patrick	

Please call the office when it is time to remove a name.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Lk 4:16-30, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Blessings of Human Labor," nos. 907-911
Tuesday:	1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday:	1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44
Thursday:	1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11
Friday:	1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39
Saturday:	Mt 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]
Sunday:	Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7-10; Jas 2:1-5; Mk 7:31-37



Check out our **NEW** website: stmirvineym.org for all current Youth-related information and office hours.

Confirmation Registration for 2018-19 is still open!

Please visit stmirvineym.org and click Confirmation One or Confirmation Two to register, pay online, and download an overview/calendar of the year ahead.

Email Tim Reid at: tim@stmirvine.org with questions or concerns.

STM
YOUTH
MINISTRY

LIFE TEEN

KICK OFF

All High School Youth Welcome
September 9th After 5PM Mass



All Confirmed Teens and Adults - Christ is calling you to live to the fullest!!! Become a member of YLT (Youth Leadership Team) or an Adult Core Member of our Life Teen Ministry!

Email tim@stmirvine.org for more info, or visit the Life Teen page to let us know you're interested: stmirvineym.org/life-teen

God is calling you to grow in faith, hope, and love!

R.E.P. CORNER



REP Registration News

On-line registration for this coming 2018/2019 REP year is well underway!

Please visit: rep.stmirvine.org

to register your students in Grades K-8. Please note any registrations received after THIS Friday, September 7th will be placed on waiting lists, so please get your on-line registration completed right away! Please contact the REP Office at (949) 551-8029 with any questions.



Volunteers Needed for 2018/2019

We are recruiting teachers, substitute teachers and parent volunteers for the upcoming school year. For more info on sharing the love of our faith with the young people of our parish, please contact the REP office at (949) 551-8029.



REP VOLUNTEERS— MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!



Our Volunteer Kick-Off Meeting is coming up on Monday, September 10th at 6:30 PM.

The Library Corner

Good Sunday from your library. I hope you all feel encouraged and welcomed to come in, look around, and discover what we have to offer.

There are many ways to think about the value of a parish library. It can be a place of learning and spiritual growth, a place to find joy and entertainment, and a place for exploration into the heart of our Catholic faith.

To enhance your exploration we have the Catechism of the Catholic Church, the official statement of our Catholic faith and doctrine. We also have over 2500 additional volumes that, to greater and lesser degrees, expand on, delve into, explain, illuminate and support that document. Offering this resource is a significant part of our mission and efforts to fulfill this charge can be found in works ranging from Theology to Fiction and made available in print, audio, and visual media.

Over 90% of these materials have been donated by you, our parishioners. Generously gifted from your collections, categorized and held in the library, they constitute an amazing single collection to be used by all of us. Please stop by and find joy and entertainment, while exploring the heart of our faith. Welcome to your library.

Weekly Reflections

Learning to Listen to the Word of the Lord

Each Sunday we respond: "Thanks be to God" at the end of the Readings at Mass. Are we really grateful? Have we actually understood what the reading was saying? Come and explore the Sunday Readings and learn about forming a real relationship with Jesus Christ through His Word. Each Wednesday at 7:30pm Fr. Joe Justice will lead a study on the Sunday Readings and help to teach a deeper way of prayer based on God's Word. **Classes begin on Wednesday, September 12, at 7:30 pm**

Eucharistic Adoration

All Day on the 22nd of the Month &
Every Friday from 6:30-7:30pm

"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted,
saves those whose
spirit is crushed."

~ Psalm 34:19

Eucharistic Miracles

To learn more and have a virtual experience of miracles related to the Body and Blood of Christ, the Source and Summit of our Catholic Faith, please visit the website:

www.FaithBasedComm.com

THANK YOU to the Legion of Mary for hosting the magnificent presentations by Richard Bernatchez on Eucharistic Miracles last weekend.



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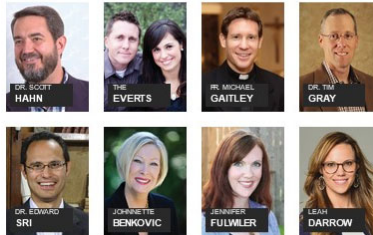
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Spanish Bible Study

Todos estan invitados a participar en un estudio de biblia en Espanol. El curso se llevara a cabo a traves de ocho semanas en las cuales se repasaran los acontecimientos mas destacados del Antiguo Testamento, el ministerio de Nuestro Senor Jesucristo, y el principio de la Iglesia. La parroquia ha ofrecido este estudio varias veces en Espanol e Ingles. Vease <http://biblestudyforcatholics.com/un-rapido-recorrido-por-la-biblia/>.

El estudio empieza el Lunes 10 de Septiembre de 7:00pm-8:30pm en el Salon #2

Para mas informacion comunicarse con Victor Cota vcota@cox.net o (949)400-7743

Todos son bienvenidos!

Interested in becoming Catholic?

Want to develop an adult perspective on the Catholic Faith?

Already Baptized a Catholic but want Confirmation?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (“RCIA”) is the path that will enable an adult to accomplish any of these goals. We offer interesting, weekly short talks with opportunities for discussion and questions. If you know someone who would like to explore the faith, feel free to accompany that person if they might not feel comfortable by themselves. RCIA is offered in English, Spanish, Vietnamese, and Chinese.

Please contact Mike Michalek at 949-551-2304 or michalekm@sprintmail.com, if you have any questions or would like to understand more about RCIA.

Contact Paul Fan if you have questions in Chinese at 949-726-0940 or pfan5@juno.com.

Contact Martin Nguyen if you have any questions in Vietnamese at 949-544-9837 or martin7277027@gmail.com.

Si tiene preguntas o esta interesado en conocer un poco mas de RCIA en Español, puede contactar a Otilia Chen al 949-394-3227 o via correo electronico tili_29@yahoo.com.

Our first meeting will be **September 24th at 7:15 pm** in the parish hall during which we will decide when we will meet during the coming year so that every interested party is accommodated.



When Women PRAY...

2018 Women's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, October 6th

8 am - 1 pm

All women are invited to an inspiring, Spirit-led morning of prayer, scripture, music, and fellowship

For more information or to become a sponsor or volunteer visit

www.whenwomenpraystm.org



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IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

MSGR. TIMOTHY J. DOYLE
COUNCIL # 13111

SAVE THE DATE



15th Annual Gary E. Hartman Memorial Golf Tournament

Join us for Golf or Dinner



Friday, October 12, 2018

Add a Prominent Former NFL Player to your foursome



A look around the Blessed Sacrament Chapel: The TABERNACLE in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel is a special place set aside to hold consecrated hosts. When we enter the chapel, we look for the lamp or candle burning near the tabernacle to show the Blessed Sacrament is there. When we enter and leave the chapel, we genuflect (to bend one knee to the floor) to acknowledge Jesus' presence. Our tabernacle has been designed by one of our parish artists, William Parsons. Some insights to the meaning of the design were given by our pastor, Fr. John Janze: "Constructed from marble from an old altar of St. Norbert Parish, stainless steel rods, Plexiglass, natural amethyst and various hardware items, the whole is designed to be greater than the sum of its parts. Consider the following when you pray in front of the tabernacle:



Stainless steel rods: the five wounds Our Lord suffered during His crucifixion

Rough cut marble: the tomb

Amethyst insert: royal purple of His kingship

Round shape: symbolizes the stone that sealed the tomb that was rolled away at Easter.

Light: directed by a Solatube into the transparent top of the tabernacle which in turn illuminates the amethyst insert. This represents the light coming from above that God gives us through His Son.

There are other meanings hidden within this blessed tower. That is for you to discover as you reflect on what lies within your heart".





Collections and Expenses

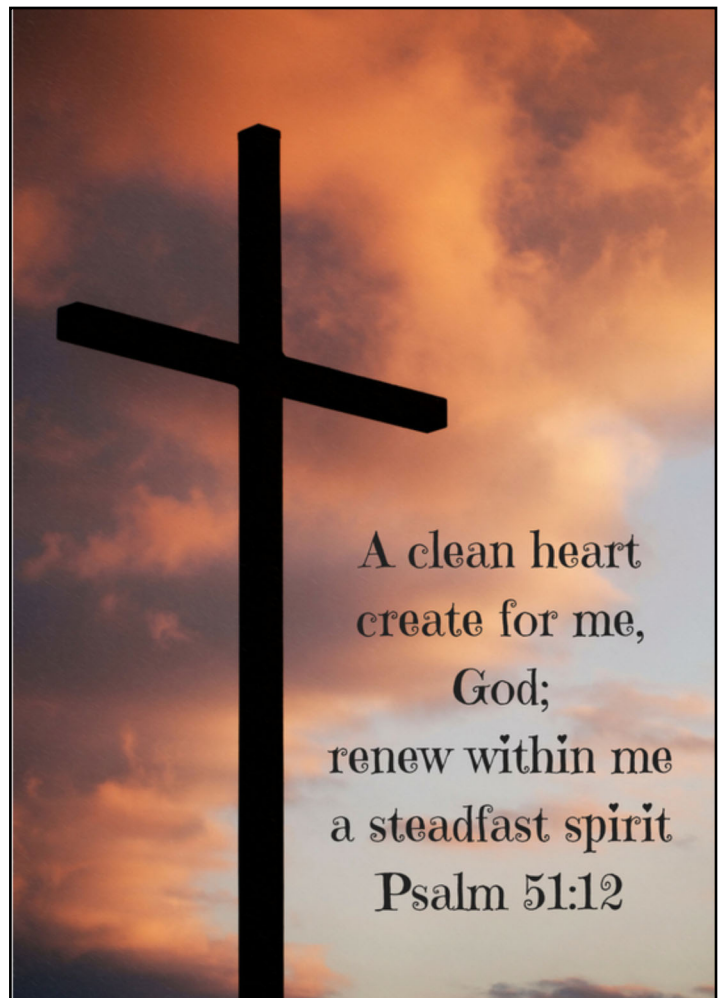
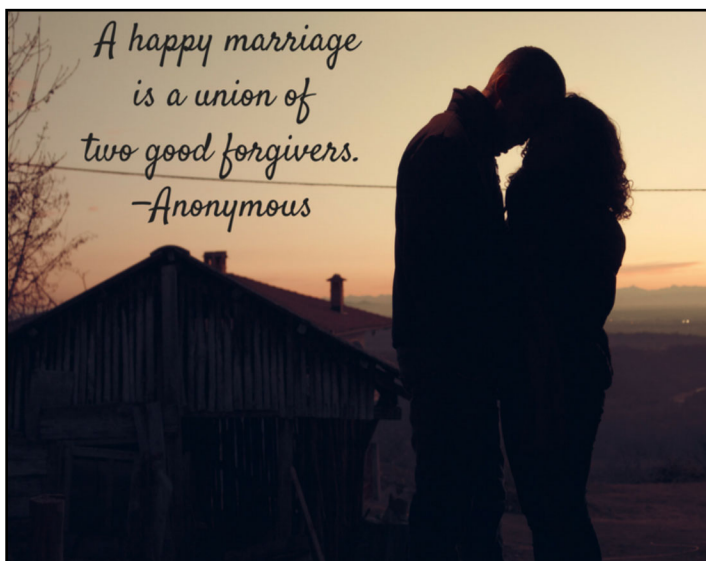
Sunday Collection (8-26-18)	\$19,624
Sunday Collection (8-27-17)	\$19,002
Electronic Giving	\$ 7,507
Building Fund	\$ 403*
<i>Believe & Grow Together</i> Capital Campaign	\$ 4,168**
Other Income	\$ 790
Regular Expenses (8-19 to 8-25-18)	\$34,983

*for current church
**for future church

Thank you for your generosity!

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	St. Gregory the Great; Labor Day
Friday:	First Friday
Saturday:	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

When an altar is dedicated, the Rite of Dedication directs that, if possible, the relics of a martyr be mortared into the church floor under the *mensa*, or “altar table.” Up until this revised rite, the general practice was to include small relics of saints in an altar stone, a slab of marble that was normally set in the altar itself. Today’s rite states a clear preference for “martyr,” and for a substantial part of the body, in accord with our tradition’s desire for substantial symbols. Martyr, of course, means “witness” in Greek, and was the title given early on to the people who by their death imaged the death of Christ.

From the beginning, there has never been a shortage of such people, although it took a while for the Church to develop a process to declare someone a martyr. Saint Augustine tells how it was done in the fifth century. By then, popular opinion didn’t count as much as an official tribunal set up by the bishop of the place where the martyr suffered. After the inquiry established that the person did indeed die for the faith, a metropolitan bishop had to ratify the decision before a shrine could be built or an altar set up over the martyr’s tomb. For the most part, the honor paid to a martyr (called a “cult”) was restricted to that diocese, although the fame of some heroes spread so much that they were celebrated elsewhere. The age of the martyrs is now, and more people died for the faith in the twentieth century than ever before, witnessing to Christ to the end. Their sacrifice remains “the seed of the Church.”

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Faces of Faith	Bill Hanson	(9) 551-6897
Filipino Community	Charlie Torres	(9) 551-8601
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Legion of Mary	Trisha Smith	(7) 997-9959
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Marriage Case Support	Paul Geiger	(7) 505-5412
	Michael Michalek	(9) 551-2304
Marriage Encounter	Mary Patronite	(9) 552-3533
Marriage In The Lord	Jim & Cheryl Skudlarski	(9) 551-9156
More Moms	Keith & Meredith Rattay	(9) 559-6464
Music Director, Including Wedding Music	Alena Franson	(9) 378-8874
Music - Mass Saturday 5:30pm	Keith Rattay	(9) 551-8601
Music - Mass Sunday 8:00am		(9) 551-8601
Music - Mass Sunday 9:30am	Steve Hager	(7) 639-4040
Music - Mass Sunday 11:15am	Keith Rattay	(9) 559-6464
Music - Mass Sunday 2:00pm - Spanish	Joanna Marconi	(7) 335-8688
Music - Mass Saturday 4:00p - Vietnamese/English	Patty Trujillo	(7) 270-5073
Music - Mass Sunday 5:00pm	Anthony Bui	(7) 209-2876
Music - Mass 1st & 4th Sundays - Chinese	Tim Reid	(9) 551-8602
Music - Tridentine Mass - 2nd Sunday 12:45pm	Saliann Mao	(7) 350-8698
Parish Office Manager	Nina Perez	(9) 551-8601
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St. Vincent de Paul Society	Art Pandes	(7) 862-0439
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Taize Prayer		
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Welcoming Committee	Marcella Maurer	(7) 544-0865
Young Adults	Vince Salico	(7) 389-7726
Young Ladies Institute (YLI)	Tim Reid	(9) 551-8602
Youth Ministry	Ann Johnson	(9) 374-1547
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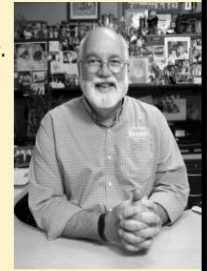


Filipino Masses are now celebrated every second Saturday of the month at St. Philip Benizi Church at 7pm. Please join us in fellowship with one another. Bring your families, particularly your children, to experience our Filipino heritage through the celebration of the Mass in Tagalog. The remaining dates are:
 September 8, October 13, November 10, December 8
 235 Pine Dr., Fullerton, CA
 We hope to see you all there!

RETROUVAILLE
 HelpOurMarriage.org
 A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES
 ARE YOU EXPERIENCING DIFFICULTIES IN YOUR MARRIAGE? Is your marriage under stress? Have you been contemplating separation or divorce? If the answer to any of these questions is yes, Retrouvaille may be the help you need. The next Weekend will be held in Costa Mesa, CA on **September 7 - 9, 2018**. Retrouvaille is a weekend experience, with six follow-up sessions designed to provide hope, support and communication tools for married couples. Questions? (714) 306-6469 or register at www.retrouvaille.org

Magnificat
 A Ministry to Catholic Women
Orange Diocese Magnificat Prayer Breakfast
Saturday, September 22, 2018
9:30 AM to 12:30 PM
 Embassy Suites Anaheim—South 11767 Harbor Blvd., Garden Grove
 Advanced registration \$28 per person must be postmarked by Sept. 17th.
 \$33 at the door (cash/check only)
 Registration: Anne (714) 420-5482

Fr. Greg Boyle S.J., founder of Homeboy Industries and author of *Tattoos on the Heart* and *Barking to the Choir: The Power of Radical Kinship* offers a resounding message of unconditional love that is based on over thirty years of working with the most marginalized members of society. His message challenges all of us to shake up our ideas about God by inviting us to radical kinship through greater compassion and love for each other. We invite you to join us on **September 23rd** for what promises to be an evening of inspiration, fellowship, and an exploration of what it means to love as Christ loves. Presentation: 3:30 - 5:30pm Mother Louis Room St. Joseph Center 480 S. Batavia Street, Orange, CA 92868. Cost: \$20 donation per person is suggested for the presentation portion of the evening; but all are welcome regardless of donation amount. We will have a limited quantity of books available for purchase. Soirée and Book Signing: 5:30 - 7:30 pm Spirituality Building Gardens: Cost: \$40 per person. Tickets are limited. Event includes a wine and cheese reception and book signing.




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SIGN UP FOR OUR UPCOMING IN-PERSON CLASS!

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 FERTILITY EDUCATION

Wednesday Nights
 7:00 PM
 WHEN: 9/12/18, 10/10/18, 11/14/18
 WHERE: St. John Neumann Church Irvine
 INSTRUCTOR: Kerry Ann Caswell, Debi Hoppe
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- Quality NFP instruction with research-based Sympto-Thermal Method of Natural Family Planning (NFP) that is up to 99% effective
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- Purchase of the course includes all learning materials
- Perfect for women at all stages of fertility including: postpartum, long or irregular cycles, or premenopause, and for women with hormonal health concerns
- Strengthens marriages, encourages communication and celebrates the dignity of the spouses
- Perfect for engaged or married couples

DIOCESAN MINISTRIES CELEBRATION

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2018



Deepen your Faith!

Catechist, lay ministers, parish leaders, Catholic School Educators, and parishioners are encourage to attend.

Choose over 20 workshops!

Keynote Speaker
 Leonard J. DeLorenzo, Ph.D.

Encounter, Connect, Evangelize



8AM-4:30PM

Mater Dei High School

Early Registration Ends September 17, 2018

\$35 per person Group Registration (15 or more)

\$50 Individual until Sept. 17

\$60 On-site Registration—Oct. 13

View complete info & workshop list visit www.rcbo.org/ipm