

MOST HOLY REDEEMER *Parish*



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 28, 2020

Worship Hours

Monday-Saturday 8:00am Mass

Saturday 5:00pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am & 6:30pm Mass

Holy Days 8:00am and 7:00pm

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:45-4:30pm

or by Appointment

Baptism & Marriages

Please contact the Parish Office.

For Marriages please call the parish
office six months in advance.

Our Mission at Most Holy Redeemer Catholic Church

Most Holy Redeemer Parish is a Roman Catholic Christian Community. The parish draws people from isolation to community, from searching to awakening, from indifference to concern, from selfishness to meaningful service, from fear in the midst of adversity to faith and hope in God.

The community of Most Holy Redeemer shares God's compassionate love with all people. The parish offers a spiritual home to all: senior citizens and youth; single people and families; those who are straight, gay, lesbian, and transgender; the healthy and the sick, particularly persons with HIV.

As a parish community, we celebrate God's loving presence in our lives. In worship and sacrament, especially the Eucharist, we are nurtured and challenged to extend God's kingdom of justice, truth, love and peace by growing in the spirit of Jesus, the Most Holy Redeemer.

God's Inclusive Love Proclaimed Here!

**Most Holy Redeemer Catholic Church
San Francisco, California
13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 28, 2020**



Worship Hours

Monday - Friday: Daily Mass 8:00AM

Saturday: Vigil Mass 5:00PM

Reconciliation 3:45PM - 4:30PM

Sunday: Mass 8:00AM, 10:00AM and 6:30PM

Holy Days: 8:00AM and 7:00PM

Thanksgiving & New Years Day: 10AM

Time for a pause...

Per directive from our Archbishop with the consultation of the San Francisco City Health Officer, **we will celebrate one weekend Mass via livestream only.**

Please join us at 10am for the livestream on our Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/mhrsf

We will continue to celebrate daily Mass in person at 8am Monday - Friday.

The situation remains fluid and we will update you as things change.

Sunday, June 28

Join us for virtual Coffee Hour after the 10am Mass: visit www.mhr.org for details.

Friday, July 3

Parish office closed

Noon - 3pm: Church open for private prayer

Face coverings must be worn and Social Distancing Guidelines must observed.

Daily Readings: June 29 - July 5

- ◇ Monday: Acts 12:1-11, 2Tm. 4:6-9, 17-18, Mt. 16:13-19
- ◇ Tuesday: Am. 3:1-8; 4:11-12, Mt. 8:23-27
- ◇ Wednesday: Am. 5:14-14, 21-24, Mt. 8:28-34
- ◇ Thursday: Am. 7:5:14-15, 21-24, Mt. 8:29-34
- ◇ Friday: Eph. 2:19-22, Mt. 9:1-8
- ◇ Saturday: Am. 9:11-15, Mt. 9:14-17
- ◇ Sunday: Zec. 9:9-10, rom. 8:9, 11-13, Mt. 11:25-30

Stewardship June 20 & 21

5pm -	\$846.00
8am -	\$298.00
10am -	\$1,315.00
6:30pm -	\$137.00
Misc.. -	\$720.00
<u>Online Giving -</u>	<u>\$1,405.28</u>
Total -	\$4,721.28
Budgeted -	\$4800.00

Thank you for your amazing support!

Bread for Thought

June 28, 2020

"For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord." - Psalm 89

These words of praise and thanksgiving from our Psalmist today are both heartening and challenging to hear in our current times. We are living in days of upheaval and tragedy and, as such, we might be more prone to words of lament, anger, fear, or sadness, than words of praise and thanksgiving.

We are not alone, nor are we the first to live through trying times. In last week's first reading, the prophet Jeremiah also lived during an incredibly tumultuous time in history. In the midst of war, hunger, and injustice, he was called upon to tell his people to repent, to fight for peace, and to give praise to God. Even while testing his patience and tenacity – through 40 years of frustratingly beseeching his people – he trusted in God to be on his side, to give him strength, and to deliver him. And through it all, he relayed God's message and gave thanks.

And though people like today's Psalmist and the prophet Jeremiah may seem like people from a distant time and place, totally unconnected to us, in fact we are closely intertwined. Because we are all called to be prophets, each in our own way. Be a prophet? But how? We can't foretell the future, divine the days ahead, and we don't have psychic abilities!

In actuality, the work of a prophet is to literally speak for God. The word for prophet in Hebrew is נָבִיא (nāvī), and its closest translation is a "spokesperson," or even closer, a "mouthpiece," like a megaphone. It means one who literally speaks God's words. That is our calling, to speak words in God's stead – to our families and neighbors, friends and enemies, far and wide, and near and dear.

And we are reminded of this at the end of every Mass, with the words "go and spread the Good News," the Gospel, the love of God. We leave the Mass enriched, energized, and emboldened by that love. We are commissioned to be hope and support for each other, by spreading the eucharist with our witnessing, by giving thanks and singing praise for God's love and faithfulness. And in that way, we each become the very goodness of the Lord. And for ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord, and of each of us.

Eunice Park, MTS/MAMC
Pastoral Associate



MHR HIV/AIDS Support Group

Please keep our clients in your prayers.

The Community Thrift store is closed for your donations until June 1st at the earliest.

Adoration

Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament draws the worshiper into spiritual communion with God. Whether done on one's own time or at a scheduled service, adoration of the eucharistic presence of Christ fosters our devotion for participation in the Mass.

Jesus instituted the Eucharist for our eating and drinking. Sharing communion at Mass brings us nourishment, healing, and sustenance. There is no substitute for participation in the Eucharist; adoration should enhance it, not replace it.

Catholics reserve leftover communion breads in a tabernacle. The primary purpose for this custom is to have the Body of Christ ready for the dying at any time. The tabernacle also provides communion for the sick or those unable to come to Mass. Because it houses the sacramental Body of Christ, it serves as a place for adoration.

Adoration may be private or public. When adoring the Blessed Sacrament in private, Catholics usually go to any church, where the communion hosts are kept inside the tabernacle. They say whatever prayers they wish. Public adoration may take place in the context of a brief service (traditionally called "Benediction" although that only refers to the blessing which concludes it) or over a more extended period of time. The Blessed Sacrament is usually presented for adoration outside the tabernacle on an altar or a stand.

Extended periods of adoration used to be common. They filled the void for people who were not receiving communion frequently. However, in the twentieth century, the church urged people to more frequent communion and has forbidden exposition during Mass. Participation in the Eucharist at Mass accomplishes spiritual communion more perfectly and renders simultaneous adoration unnecessary. Prolonged periods of adoration may happen in church where a large number of the faithful are gathering and when the bishop has given his approval. If Mass is celebrated, the Blessed Sacrament should be returned to the tabernacle.

Whether the Blessed Sacrament is inside or outside the tabernacle, adoration may invite us into prayer and prepare us for the Eucharist.

—Paul Turner

Community Life

Centering Prayer is meeting via Zoom on Monday evenings @ 7:00pm. Email centering@mhr.org for login details.

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On the web: www.mhr.org

Facebook: facebook.com/mhrsf

Instagram: [@mhrsf](https://mhrsf)

Our Parish Community Birthdays

Hector Trejo, Matt Valdez, David Aleman, Maria Brann, Kevin Gogin, Kathi Sparkes, Robert Williams, Arlene Cavan, Ikuko Hotta, Richard Shaw, Marian Hernandez, Lawrence Ku, Glenn Loomis, Laurie Baker-Flynn, Steven Fung, John Mulcahy, Kevin Askew, Rory Desmond, Jorge Gonzales and Monica Sandoval.

Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions are celebrated for those to remember a loved one, honor someone on an important date or celebrate a special occasion. To schedule a Mass Intention please call the parish office or email secretary@mhr.org.

Are you lonely?

You can call the Friendship Line @ 800-971-0016. It's the only 24/7 toll-free warmline for older adults. Whether you're feeling alone or in crisis, you can count on the Friendship Line for a lifeline of hope and a compassionate voice. It's free to anyone in the U.S. or Canada. **Volunteer:** you can also volunteer for the Friendship Line to talk to callers. Contact 415-750-4136 or flvolunteer@ioaging.org.

"Each one of us is called to be an artisan of peace, by uniting and not dividing, by extinguishing hatred and not holding on to it, by opening paths to dialogue and not by constructing new walls!"

—Pope Francis

Mass Intentions

Our Mass celebrants will remember the following intentions during the celebration of the Eucharist:

Saturday, June 27

5pm

Sunday, June 28

8am

10am Mary Margaret Bujalski †

6:30pm

Monday, June 29

8am Jaye Benedict Divinagracia (L)

Tuesday, June 30

8am Dorothy Weiss †

Wednesday, July 1

8am Wednesday Night Suppers

Thursday, July 2

8am Nancy Aguirre †

Friday, July 3

8am Kevin O'Donnell †

Saturday, July 4

5pm Jose Laosantos (L)

Contact the Parish Office at 415-863-6259 to have Mass celebrated for a special intention or sponsor the weekend altar flowers.

Prayer Requests

Christopher Adora Theresa Anderson, Karen Appe, Jesusa Ayala, Keri Barrett, Beatrix Bell, Monica Berryman, David Bloom, Mylene Bombon, Florinda Brewster, Junior Briones, Sally Cahur, Jim Cathcart, Regan Chapman, Margaretth Cittadino, Davyd Collinson, Fr. Brian Costello, Fr. Harry Cronin, Joshua Daigle, Alice Jane Davenport, Maria Diamond, Joyce Doran, Tom Farmer, Keith Fitzpatrick, Craig Henderson, Ikuko Hotta, Les Hribar, Anna Kane, Joanna Kennedy, Karen Kenny, Warren Lubich, Catherine De Lucchi, Bernie Maddox, Sebastian MacLean, Jim & Cathy McSweeney, Fr. Andrew Metcalfe, David Miller, Nanette Miller, Roy Miller, Tom Norris, Bill Osuna, Nancy Otchy, Mark Pettis, Mary Beth Pitcher, Aida Reyes, Rose Rodenberger, Sol Rodriguez, Richard Ryan, Tim Ryan, Jose Maria Sbresso, John Schwobeda, Michael Shriver, Christopher Sumner, Randy Tichenal, Christine Lane Tracy, Joseph Vouglas, Bob Webster and Ryan Zuniga, †Fr. Kirk Ullery† and †June Zabchint†.

MHR Parish Registration

- New parishioner?
- Birthday, Anniversary, sacraments, milestones?
- Notices and announcements?
- Have you moved?
- *Did we miss your birthday? We are sorry if we did. Let us know when your birthday was, by updating your information with the Parish Office*

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