

MOST HOLY REDEEMER

Parish



Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 20, 2019

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 for 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
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 20, 2019**



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Monday - Saturday 8:00AM Mass

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

This Week at Our Parish

Monday, October 21

7pm Centering Prayer - Church

Wednesday, October 23

1pm—7pm Wednesday Night Suppers

Thursday, October 24

7pm Choir rehearsal - Church

Saturday, October 26

11am - 1pm Gardening

Sunday, October 27

Coffee hour after the 8am & 10am Masses

MHR Library is open after the 8am & 10am Masses

Daily Readings: October 21 - 27

- ◇ Monday: Rom. 4:20-25, Lk. 12:13-21
- ◇ Tuesday: Rom. 5:12,15b. 17-19, 20b-21, Lk. 12:35-38
- ◇ Wednesday: Rom. 6:12-18, Lk. 12:39-48
- ◇ Thursday: Rom. 6:19-23, Lk. 12:39-53
- ◇ Friday: Rom. 7:18-25a, Lk. 12:54-59
- ◇ Saturday: Rom. 8:1-11, Lk. 13:1-9
- ◇ Sunday: Sir. 35:12-14, 16-18, 2Tm. 4:6-8, 16-18, Lk. 18:9-14

Stewardship

October 12 & 13

Saturday 5pm -	\$1,112.00
Sunday 8am -	\$516.00
Sunday 10am -	\$1,849.00
Sunday 6:30pm -	\$226.00
Outside Mass -	\$484.79
Online Giving -	\$431.76
Collection Total -	\$ 4,619.55
Budgeted -	\$4,800.00

Thank you for your support!

This week there is a second collection
for World Mission Sunday.

From Our Traditions

Although the hours of daylight are rapidly dwindling, many people would say that these October days bring the year's most splendid weather. Americans are riders and joggers, not strollers, and so the pleasures of the season are often lost on us. This is not the case with many Jewish people, who observe an ancient rule in walking to synagogue on the Sabbath. On city streets and suburban sidewalks in many cities, we may notice around sunset the nicely dressed families walking and chatting on Friday afternoon. After a short prayer at dusk, the families stroll home again for a relaxing and festive meal. They return to synagogue in the morning, and then spend an afternoon in family leisure until three stars appear in the night sky and Sabbath ends.

Catholics, on the other hand, pile into the car and drive even a short distance to Mass; some even divide the family to participate at different hours. For Jews, the leisurely walk marks a dividing line between hectic life commitments and a day of abundant joy and enrichment. Before we became an automobile culture, Catholics embraced a similar pace, and in most places walked to church. These lovely days of fall invite us to tap into an old and life-giving tradition. If you live within a mile of your church, walk next week. If you must drive, park at a good distance and walk the rest of the way. Talk about your life, greet strangers, notice the crunch of leaves under your shoes. You may be surprised at how different Sunday Mass feels when it is framed by leisure!

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*“Autumn is the season to find contentment
at home by paying attention
to what we already have.”*

—Unknown





MHR HIV/AIDS Support Group

Visitors Needed: Volunteers normally spend 2 hours/week visiting the client in his/her home or going for walks.

There are currently 2 needs for volunteers:

A Client in Park Merced – a man who is looking for someone with whom to play chess and occasionally go to movies.

A Client in the Castro – a man in his 80's, a retired English teacher interested in poetry and art, would like a male friendly visitor.

For more information on these clients and their needs, please call the Support Group at 415-863-6259 or email to pete-asg@mhr.org

Library Corner

This week, we highlight native American history.



St. Vincent de Paul Coats & Jackets Drive – In anticipation of cooler days ahead, we are holding a Warm Coats and Jackets drive. There is a collection barrel located in the entrance of the church. Please join us in helping fellow San Franciscans in need.

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Community Life

- **Sunday, October 27th - Flu Shots** will be available in the MHR Library after the 10am Mass.
- **November 1st-3rd - A Beloved Community of Saints Retreat** - visit <http://msjc.net/lgbtretreat> for pricing and information.
- **Tuesday, November 5th - Young Adults meeting** in the church at 7:30pm - email yag@mhr.org for info.
- **Saturday, November 9th – Centering Prayer Speaker – Fr. Tom Bonacci, C.P.** | Topic is *Let Your Light So Shine – A Dynamic Re-reading of Matthew 5: 13-16* / Ellard Hall -10:00am-12:00pm with refreshments starting at 9:30am.

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On the web: **www.mhr.org**

Facebook: **Most Holy Redeemer Church**

Instagram: **[mhrcatholicsf](#)**

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Text donation amount to 650-262-0965
and follow the prompts.

Our Parish Community Birthdays

Maggie Berkemeyer, Bob Schmeisser, Raul De La Torre, Brad Jones, Ruby Lopez, Paul Trujillo, John Chappuis, Mark Okashima, Nicole Santarosa, John Schwobeda and Christopher Weber.

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.

Liturgical Minister Training November 2 & 9

Do you want to be more involved at Most Holy Redeemer? Do you feel called to serve at Mass with reading or distributing communion? The next liturgical ministry trainings in San Francisco November 2nd & 9th, so please contact the parish office ASAP to register. These trainings only happen once a year, so don't miss this opportunity!

Mass Intentions

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

Saturday, October 19

8am Dr. James Vincent Compton †

5pm Peggy McCloud †

Sunday, October 20

8am Benefactors, Volunteers & Clients
of the MHR HIV/AIDS Support Group

10am MHR Parishioners

6:30pm Eva Bote †

Monday, October 21

8am

Tuesday, October 22

8am Matt Zuniga Martinez (L)

Wednesday, October 23

8am Wednesday Night Suppers

Thursday, October 24

8am Dorothy Weiss †

Friday, October 25

8am

8am **Saturday, October 26**

8am

5pm Peter Cuomo †

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

Prayer Requests

Amir Allen, AJ Anderson, Bill Anderson, George Anderson, Patricia Allen, Jesusa Ayala, Thomas Balderramos, Christine Betz, Chuck Bold, Junior Briones, Sally Cahur, David Calvin, Blanca Cervantes, Regan Chapman, Joshua Daigle, Maria Diaz, John DiQuattro, Dick Dunphey, John Gutierrez, Steve Hatton, Rob Findlay, Deborah Graves, Dominic Hearne, Jim Lonergan, Warren Lubich, Catherine De Lucchi, Bernie Maddox, Sebastian MacLean, Manny Mandapat, Pat McCarthy, Bob Melrose, Maxine Mumaw, Fr. Andrew Metcalfe, David Miller, Roy Miller, Lottie Olszewski, Nancy Otchy, Louis Padilla, Marie Padilla, Olga Penagos, Rex Rowland, Shirley Schell, John Schwobeda, Angelica Staley, Christopher Sumner, Randy Tichenal, Christine Lane Tracy, Fr. Kirk Ullery, Nala Vaughn, Kimberly Vigil, Joseph Vouglas, Fr. Chuck Wright, Ryan Zuniga, Guadalupe Romero Martinez and George Paphitis.

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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