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!
Worship Hours
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 7
7pm Centering Prayer - Church

Wednesday, October 9
1pm—7pm Wednesday Night Suppers

Thursday, October 10
7pm Choir rehearsal - Church

Saturday, October 12
11am - 1pm Gardening

Sunday, October 13
Coffee hour after the 8am & 10am Masses
MHR Library is open after the 8am & 10am Masses

Monday, October 14
Columbus Day - Parish office closed

Daily Readings: October 7 - 13
◊ Tuesday: Jon. 3:1-10, Lk. 10:38-42
◊ Wednesday: Jon. 4:1-11, Lk. 11:1-4
◊ Thursday: Mal. 3:13-20b, Lk. 11:5-13
◊ Friday: Jl. 1:13-15; 2:1-2, Lk. 11:15-26
◊ Saturday: Jl. 4:12-21, Lk. 11:27-28
◊ Sunday: 2Kgs. 5:14-19, 2Tm. 2:8-13, Lk. 17:11-19

A Little Faith
Today our readings are about faith, frustration, and how much is enough. Habakkuk is a complainer having an argument with God. Timothy is encouraging a community challenged by cowardice and the apostles want more faith than they have. Things aren’t happening fast enough for any of them or for us. All of them and we want God to do something sooner rather than later and we want God to give us a reason to believe that it will all work out. What does God do? God puts it back on them—and us—telling Habakkuk to describe the world he wants; telling the apostles to do more than the expected. Doing more with less is a familiar phrase today and a reminder that a little faith may be enough even for the most difficult times.—Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Stewardship
September 28 & 29
Saturday 5pm - $415.00
Sunday 8am - $556.00
Sunday 10am - $1,788.00
Sunday 6:30pm - $231.00
Outside Mass - $839.79
Online Giving - $320.41
Collection Total - $4,150.20
Budgeted - $4,800.00
SVDP - $1,027.67

This week there is a second collection for the MHR On-going Maintenance Fund.
Thank you for your continued support!

Donate by Text
“Give + Text” allows you to donate or pay our parish by just sending a text!
• On your phone, text the amount you want to give (20, 50, 100 etc.) to 650-262-0965
• The first time, you will get a prompt for a secure registration to enter your info.
• You will receive a text reply verifying your registration and a receipt for your donation amount.
• You can even set up a recurring amount!
For any future payments, just save that phone number and text a donation amount to it! It’s so easy!

The flowers for the altar are dedicated in celebration of the baptism of Ian Cortes!
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 Fillmore – a bedbound man with a partner (also bedbound) would like someone with whom to watch old movies.

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.

Retreat Opportunities: There are upcoming retreats interest at Catherine’s House in October & November and San Damiano in November.

Library Corner
This week, we highlight St. Francis, the Franciscans, and the love of God’s creation.

St. Vincent de Paul Coats & Jackets Drive – In anticipation of cooler days ahead, we are holding a Warm Coats and Jackets drive beginning next Sunday, October 13. A barrel will be placed in the narthex of the church. Please join us in helping fellow San Franciscans in need.

Community Life
- Sunday, October 6th - Blessing of the Pets at Mass and in the MHR Garden from 1pm to 2pm.
- Sunday, October 6th 11am to 6pm - Castro Street Fair - Visit your friendly MHR Volunteers at the Diamond Street Gate and the MHR Outreach Booth!
- Sunday, October 13th SVDP Sandwich Sunday - after the 10am Mass in Ellard Hall - help us feed those in need!
- Tuesday, October 15th 7:30pm in the Church - Young Adults meeting - email yag@mhr.org for info.
- SAVE THE DATE! Saturday Evening, October 19th - Halloween Bingo - hosted by the Young Adults!
- 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.

Visit us:
On the web: www.mhr.org
Facebook: Most Holy Redeemer Church
Instagram: mhrcatholicsf

Donate to MHR by text at Give+Text
Text donation amount to 650-262-0965 and follow the prompts.

Our Parish Community Birthdays

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.

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 5**
- 8am
  - Ellen Jane Adams †
**Sunday, October 6**
- 8am
  - MHR Parishioners
- 6:30pm
**Monday, October 7**
- 8am
**Tuesday, October 8**
- 8am Dorothy Weiss †
**Wednesday, October 9**
- 8am Wednesday Night Suppers
**Thursday, October 10**
- 8am Bernadette Asuncion (L)
**Friday, October 11**
- 8am
**Saturday, October 12**
- 8am Emmanuel Maliksi (L)
- 5pm Art Montero, Sr. †

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

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**Prayer Requests**

Amir Allen, AJ Anderson, Bill Anderson, George Anderson, Patricia Allen, Jessua Ayala, Christine Betz, Chuck Bold, Junior Briones, Sally Cahir, Blanca Cervantes, Regan Chapman, Joshua Daigle, Maria Diaz, John DiQuattro, John Gutierrez, Steve Hatton, Deborah Graves, Dominic Hearne, Jim Lonergan, Warren Lubich, Catherine de Lucchi, Bernie Maddox, Sebastian MacLean, Manny Mandapat, Bob Melrose, Fr. Andrew Metcalfe, David Miller, Lottie Olszewski, Nancy Otchy, Louis Padilla, Marie Padilla, Olga Penagos, Josephine Schneider, 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, †Sr. Cathy Cahur†, †Cardinal William Levada†, †Liz Schultz† and †Mark Techler†.

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**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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