

MOST HOLY REDEEMER *Parish*



TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

CURRENT WORSHIP HOURS

Monday - Friday Daily Mass: 8:00am

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm

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

Holy Days: 8:00am and 7:00pm

New Years and Thanksgiving Day: 10:00am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:45pm to 4:30pm

BAPTISM & MARRIAGES

Please contact the Parish Office.

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

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Closed Holidays

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Daily Mass
8am Monday - Friday
Wednesday, September 15
4pm - 5:30pm Wednesday Supper lunch
distribution at the church gates.
Saturday, September 18
5pm Vigil Mass
Sunday, September 19
8am, 10am & 6:30pm Mass
Coffee Hour is on a temporary hiatus
due to the Delta variant.

Face coverings must be worn at Mass.

Livestream the 10am Sunday Mass
on our MHR Facebook page:
www.facebook.com/mhrsf

September 13 - 19

Monday: 1Tm. 2:1-8, Lk. 7:1-10

Tuesday: Nm. 21:4b-9, Phil. 2:6-11, Jn. 3:13-17

Wednesday: 1Tm. 3:14-16, Jn. 19:25-27

Thursday: 1Tm. 4:12-16, Lk. 7:36-50

Friday: 1Tm. 6:2c-12, Lk. 8:1-3

Saturday: 1Tim. 6:13-16, Lk. 8:4-15

Sunday: Wis. 2:12, 17-20, Jas. 3:16-4:3, Mk. 9:30-37



Fr. Matt's Message

"Who do you say that I am?"

Jesus asked the disciples this deeply personal question. Peter answers for the group by proclaiming, "You are the Christ." Peter and the other disciples began this journey as ordinary people who were called from their every day lives to follow an itinerant preacher. During their time with Jesus, they have sat at his feet as he proclaimed the good news that the kingdom of God has drawn near. They watched him heal those who were ill. They witnessed him casting out demons. Their discipleship is based not on doctrine or some printed set of beliefs, but on a loving relationship with the Lord.

This is true for each one of us as well. Our faith is not so much about following doctrines or adhering to a certain set of rules; instead it is a covenant relationship with the Lord of life. Throughout our lives of discipleship, our own answers to the question, "Who do you say that I am?" will change. At times we might know Jesus best as the one who performs wonders in our own lives, or as the great teacher whose words bring us wisdom. There will be times when Jesus will be the comforter who walks with us in terms of grief, sorrow and confusion. We also know Jesus as the just judge who calls us to repentance and growth.

We celebrate Peter's first confession of faith that this is "the Christ" even as we confront this question ourselves today. We live a communal faith that is also deeply personal.

Each one of us must answer for ourselves, who do we say Jesus is and how do we live out this belief with every moment of our lives?

Blessings and all good,
Fr. Matt



COMMUNITY
LIFE

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

An Auto External Defibrillator
is located in hallway next to the
Ellard Hall women's restroom.



Our Parish Community Birthdays

Ed Ludeman, Steve Foster, Marilee Hearn, Christine Van Aken, Barbara Applegate,
Sasha Dekelaita, Michael Nava, Gloria Stansbury, Sean Gallegos, Ted DeSaulnier,
JC Cadiz, Chris Stoll, Gabriel Gonzales-Roybal, Stephanie Diegnan and John Robbins.

RCIA at Most Holy Redeemer

Our parish RCIA program begins Wednesday,
September 15 at 7:00 pm. If you have not yet
been confirmed or are interested in becoming
Catholic or learning more about the church,
please call the office at 415-863-6259 or you
can send us an email to rcia@mhr.org
We will be meeting via Zoom.





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

Saturday, September 11

5pm Paul Eames +

Sunday, September 12

8am Rita & Richard Pietroski +

10am MHR Parishioners

6:30pm

Monday, September 13

8am Donald Gene Bouchon +

Tuesday, September 14

8am Felisisima Macalipay +

Wednesday, September 15

8am Jesse Madden-Fong +

Phil Almonte +

Thursday, September 16

8am Doug Coney +

Friday, September 17

8am Giuseppe & Angelina Fazio +

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 or sponsor the weekend altar flowers, please call the parish office at 415-863-6259 or email secretary@mhr.org.



Jesusa Ayala, Lena Antipeusto, Bernadette Asuncion, Olga Barrera, Rudy Baclig, Beatrix Bell, Joyce Bednarek, Henry Berin, Jim Cathcart, Nicholas Chang, Marianne Clough, Garrett Collins, Joshua Daigle, Vergilio De Leon, Maribel Escobar, Tom Farmer, Brian Fisher-Paulson, Wallace Greene, Joan James, Florence Kaloquin, Joanna Kennedy, Christine Kosche, Jim Lonergan, Rita Ludeman, Warren Lubich, Bernie Maddox, Emmanuel Maliksi, Hugh Mallaney, Michael John Marquez, Kelly Morris, Armindo Oliveira, Erineo Maliksi, Gloria Regan, Leonila Rivera, Gregory Dake Schultz, Nok Sojka, Richelle Slota, David Shumsky, Devlin Sweet, Randy Tichenal, Christine Lane Tracy, Dennis Vouglas, Joseph Vouglas, Ryan Zuniga, +Daniel Borrelli+ and +Amparo Romero+.



Week of September 5, 2021

5pm -	\$465.00
8am -	\$1,449.00
10am -	\$943.00
6:30pm -	\$167.00
Misc. -	\$1,828.00
<u>Online giving -</u>	<u>\$ 1,701.51</u>
Total -	\$6,553.51
Budgeted -	\$4500.00

Thank you for your generosity!

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!"



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Greetings from Good Shepherd Gracenter!

On behalf of the courageous women we serve, I am writing to request your support of an amazingly successful cause and to give you an opportunity to partner with us while you advertise your business at Gracenter's online Gala in September, celebrating some of our partnerships that have lasted 60 years! We are celebrating the 60th Anniversary of the construction of the Gracenter facility. This construction was truly a miracle in that it was constructed completely through the partnerships of 7 local labor unions who donated the labor and 52 businesses who donated the construction materials. Our theme, appropriately, is **"Building Partnerships"**. We would love to include you in our celebration and advertising! We would like to request, therefore, an in-kind donation of goods or services that we can use in our silent auction or as a raffle prize. Your partnership will help women without resources to break free of drug and alcohol addiction and create a road to a healthy and productive future.

During September, National Recovery Month, our event will include a raffle, silent auction, videos, recognition of honorees and, of course, recognition of all who donated. You can be a part of making a difference in lessening the homeless crisis in San Francisco. It is an opportunity to showcase your vested interest in the community in which we live and work, and, because this event will be **virtual**, we will be able to **promote your business to a much wider audience on multiple platforms**.

Good Shepherd Gracenter is a privately funded, licensed program of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd, that provides transitional housing and supportive services to low income women. Many of the women at Gracenter were formerly homeless and now have a new chance at life, thanks to the generosity and care of friends like you! Our residents are so grateful to be at Gracenter and take full advantage of it by furthering their education, securing employment, making amends with their families and giving back to the community. We keep in touch with those who graduate from our program and we are happy to report that one year after leaving Gracenter, 95% of our graduates remain in recovery and 98% remain in stable housing, thus breaking the cycle of addiction and homelessness.

We certainly recognize the challenges that everyone is facing during this pandemic. Gracenter has also experienced a financial hit, as have the women we serve. We understand, therefore, that a donation at this time may be reduced or even unfeasible. If you do choose to donate, please send your donation by July 31st as we will start on-line bidding for the auction in September. If you wish to send something electronically, my email address is sr.marguerite@gsgracenter.org.

Donations can be gift certificates, unique experiences, products, services, gift baskets, artwork, etc. We are a 501 (C)(3) non-profit organization and our Tax ID number is 94-1156670. Your tax-deductible contribution will help us to raise the funds needed to continue this critical work as well as help you spread awareness about your business! We will feature your company name, logo and a live link.

The link to our event site is GSG2021.givesmart.com, and will go live on September 8, 2021. Thank you so much for your kind consideration of this request. You will remain in our grateful prayers.

Wishing you health, safety and success,

Sr. Marguerite Bartling, RGS

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