

ASCENSION OF THE LORD  
MAY 29, 2022  
MOST HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA



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**CURRENT WORSHIP HOURS**

Daily Mass: M - F 8am  
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm  
Sunday Masses: 8am, 10am & 6:30pm  
Holy Days: 8am & 7pm  
Reconciliation: Saturdays 3:45pm - 4:30pm

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**THIS WEEK AT OUR PARISH**

Daily Mass

Monday - Friday 8:00am

Monday, May 30

**Memorial Day - Parish office closed**

**Centering Prayer 7pm in the Church & via Zoom**

Wednesday, June 1

**Wednesday Night Supper: 5pm - 7pm**

Saturday, June 4

**Vigil Mass 5pm**

Sunday, June 5

**Masses: 8am, 10am & 6:30pm**

**Coffee hour after the 8am & 10am Masses**

**FACE COVERINGS ARE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.**

**Livestream the 10am Sunday Mass**

**on our MHR Facebook page:**

[www.facebook.com/mhrsf](http://www.facebook.com/mhrsf)



**Collection - Week of May 22**

5pm -	\$250.00
8am -	\$408.00
10am -	\$1,551.00
6:30pm -	\$244.00
Misc. -	\$100.00
<u>Online giving -</u>	<u>\$1,667.47</u>
<b>Total -</b>	<b>\$4,220.67</b>
Budgeted -	\$4500.00
Catholic Communications -	\$507.00

**Thank you for your amazing support!**

**This weekend** there is a second collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Conference.

**Next weekend** there will be a collection for Facilities Improvements.



**MAY 30 - JUNE 5**

**Monday: Acts 19:1-8, Jn. 16:29-33**

**Tuesday: Zep. 3:14-18a or Rom. 12:9-16,**

**Lk. 1:39-50**

**Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38, Jn. 17:11b-19**

**Thursday: Acts 22:30;23:6-11, Jn. 17:20-26**

**Friday: Acts 25:13b-21, Jn. 21:15-19**

**Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31, Jn. 21:20-25**

**Sunday: Acts 2:1-11, 1Cor. 12:13b-7, 12-13 or**

**Rom. 8:8-17, Jn. 20:19-23**



## ASCENSION OF THE LORD

The mystery of the Ascension has to do with holding in tension a sense of God's nearness, along with the burden caused by apparent signs of absence. The risen Jesus says to Mary Magdalene, "Do not cling to me," perhaps pointing out to her that his physical presence to the disciples was time-bound and temporary. It was a gift for their transformation, and after forty days, he vanished from their sight and hearing, though never out of their consciousness.

They do not mourn at his going this time: there is no trace of the disciples who hid in fear at his crucifixion, no sense of the women who wept softly as they carried ointments to the tomb through the dewy morning light. Instead, the scriptural accounts show them full of joy, comforted by his promise to be with them forever, and open to the Spirit's power. They are joyful, energized, aware, and united with one another in love. They seem to grasp an awareness that if the mission to the whole world was a serious one, then the presence of the Risen Christ could not be pinned down to any one place or time, but had to be always and everywhere completely available. All peoples, all times, all cultures were opened to receive him in this moment of the Ascension. The energy of this feast is drawn not from absence, but renewed and deeper presence. —James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.





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

**Saturday, May 28**

**8pm Timothy Zuniga-Kenny †**

**Sunday, May 29**

**8am Richard Fuselier †**

**10am Jose Laosantos, Jr. (L)**

**6:30pm MHR Parishioners**

**Monday, May 30**

**8am**

**Tuesday, May 31**

**8am**

**Wednesday, June 1**

**8am Wednesday Night Suppers**

**Thursday, June 2**

**8am**

**Friday June 3**

**8am Jaime & Marilyn (L)**

**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](mailto:secretary@mhr.org).**



**Jerry Anderson, Mona Armstrong, Thomas Balderramos, Bob Barcewski, Joyce Bednarek, Sue Bessmer, Sr. Juliana Casey, Becky Caylor, Shirley DeWan, Tom Farmer, Barbara Golding, Wallace Greene, Deborah Hardy, Serge Hubert, Florence Kaloquin, Kenny Kehoe, Joanna Kennedy, Jim & Lisa Kunzer, Sr. LaSalette Fuselier, Michael Leonard, Rita Ludeman, Warren Lubich, Bernie Maddox, Barb Mandernach, Nancy McCann, Anna McKenzie, Jack McDermott, Maria Mendoza, Doris Nassal, Maureen O'Sullivan, Olga Penagos, Laura Records, Frank Sanchez, Bobby Schulte, Bob Schultz, Gregory Dake Schultz, Annie & Nok Sojka, Mary Stevens, Michael Nicholas Taylor, Jim Teddar, Randy Tichenal, John Ventura, Kim Vetter, Joseph & Mary Vouglas, David Washington, Louis Washington, Anna Weekly, Jane Yung, Ryan Zuniga, †Jim Cathcart†, †Anthony Fox†, †Scotty Lapp† and †Joe Lopez†.**



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Centering Prayer is meeting both in the church and via Zoom on Monday evenings @ 7:00pm.  
Email [centering@mhr.org](mailto:centering@mhr.org) for Zoom login details.

Bible Study on upcoming Sunday readings meets via Zoom on Tuesday evenings at 7pm.  
Email [biblestudy@mhr.org](mailto:biblestudy@mhr.org) for login and for more information.

Young Adults Meeting: New Time! 1st & 3rd Wednesdays beginning June 1 at 7:00pm.  
Email [yag@mhr.org](mailto:yag@mhr.org) for info.

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



We are once again looking for fully vaccinated volunteers to visit and/or help our fully vaccinated clients. If you are interested in volunteering, please call the rectory (415-863-6259).

## MHR HIV/AIDS SUPPORT GROUP

[A Couple in the Fillmore.](#) Two men, one of whom is bedbound, would like a someone to visit for conversation and watching movies on TV; also, to help them in walking their small dog.

## MINISTRY TO SENIORS

[Male Parishioner in SOMA/Mid-Market.](#) A senior, living on Mission Street, Mid-Market, would appreciate a weekly visitor for conversation. He would feel more comfortable with a gay man. For more information, please call the rectory.



## OUR PARISH COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Cyndy Zimmer, John Fasset, Maria Martinez,  
Adreina Parisi-Amon, Philip Tassin, Mark Hickey,  
Patrice Kavanaugh, Dimas Moncada and  
Paul Hufstedler,

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Friendship Line, the warmline devoted to those 60+ years of age, is looking for volunteers. If you're interested, contact **Jaime Iñiguez** at 415-748-9409 or [jiniguez@ioaging.org](mailto:jiniguez@ioaging.org).

*You're  
Invited!*

# young adult group

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Parishioners across generations will share the keys to finding and defining life, love, and success on the 1st day of Pride month...

**Wednesday June 1, 7pm**

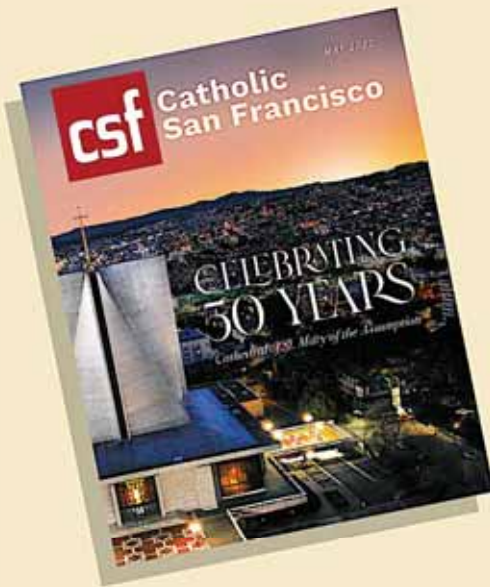
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**A History of the Cathedral** complete with vintage black and white photos of its groundbreaking and construction

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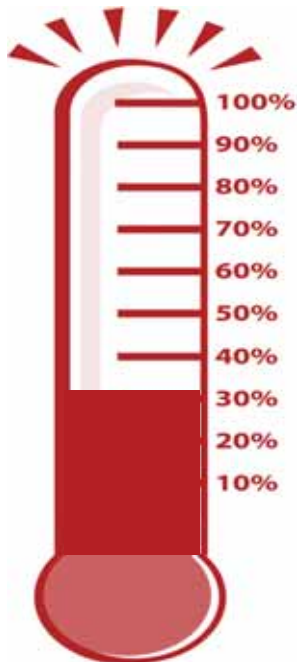
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# Sewer Upgrades Project

## Coming Soon in Your Area

The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) contractor will be upgrading the aging sewer main pipes near you (ages range from 90–150 years old) to ensure reliable sewer service. Some sewer laterals may be replaced, as needed. No service disruptions are anticipated, and additional notice will be provided prior to and during construction.

**Where:** Work will occur on these blocks (*see map right*) →

**When:** Construction is anticipated to occur in these locations in June to December 2022; estimated duration for entire project is 6 months. Weather and construction issues could impact the schedule. General workdays and hours (weather permitting) are Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Some night and weekend work may be required. Additional notice will be provided prior to crews starting work in your area.

### What to expect:

**PARKING:** Street parking will be restricted in the project area during construction hours. "No-parking" signs will be posted 72 hours in advance. Please see posted signs for exact workdays, hours, locations, as they may vary depending on construction task.

**SEWER AND WATER SERVICES** in the area will NOT be interrupted during construction.

**TRAFFIC:** Street closures in the project area will be necessary to ensure safety of workers and the public. Advance notice and detour signage will be provided.

**ACCESS:** Follow posted signage on site. Businesses and residents in the work zone will maintain access to their driveways and entrances during construction.

**NOISE:** Neighbors may hear construction noise periodically. Noisy work will be conducted in compliance with the San Francisco Noise Ordinance.

**ODORS:** If necessary, odor control measures will be in place during construction.

**NOTICE:** A 30-day and 10-day notice will be distributed prior to construction to residents and businesses within the project area with project information.

**Contact:** SFPUC Communications (415) 554-3233 or [ssip@sfpwater.org](mailto:ssip@sfpwater.org).

**After hours:** Juan Perez at (415) 760-8744 or 3-1-1.



### Sign Up for Email Updates

Additional notices will be provided, but we encourage you to sign up for regular updates by emailing "708" to [ssip@sfpwater.org](mailto:ssip@sfpwater.org).

### Project Location



- A** Anderson St from Tompkins Ave to Ogden Ave  
Gates St from Powhattan Ave to Eugenia Ave  
Gates St from Eugenia Ave to Cortland Ave
- B** Germania St from Fillmore St to Webster St  
Scott St from McAllister St to Fulton St  
Scott from Hayes St to Fell St  
Scott from Page St to Waller St
- C** Wawona St and 34th Ave/Crestlake Dr Intersection
- D** Curtis St from Rolph St to Morse St
- E** Octavia St from Filbert St to Union St
- F** Clay St from Scott St to Pierce St
- G** Diamond St from 18th St to 19th St





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