

This Week of June 3, 2018

Sat/Sun 2nd Collection Priest Benefits/Welfare (6/3)
 Sun Food Collection for St. Vincent de Paul (6/3)
 Sun 12:15pm RCIA (6/3)
 Wed 7:00pm ICF Meeting (6/6)

Next Week of June 10, 2018

Tues 7:00pm Knights of Columbus Meeting (6/12)

Latin Mass: Sundays, 1:30pm (first Sunday of month, 3:00pm)

Mass Intentions - Please contact the office, 822-7696, if you would like to schedule a Mass intention.

Sat, June 2: **Sts Marcellinus and Peter**

Readings: Jude 17, 20b-25 Ps 63:2-6 Mk 11:27-33
 4:00 pm – For the People

Sun, June 3: **St Charles Lwanga and Companions**

Readings: Ex 24:3-8 Ps 116:12-13, 15-18 Heb 9:11-15 Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

8:30 am – Evo & Joeset Luporini+

11:00 am – Kenneth David+

3:00 pm – Aaron Ward Family (int)

Mon, June 4: **Blessed Angeline of Marsciano**

Readings: 2 Pt 1:2-7 Ps 91:1-2, 14-16 Mk 12:1-12
 No Mass

Tue, June 5: **St Boniface**

Readings: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18 Ps 90:2-4, 10 Mk 12:13-17
 8:30 am – Bobby Murphy, Jr.+

Wed, June 6: **St Norbert**

Reading: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12 Ps 123:1-2 Mk 12:18-27
 8:30 am – Maria Coelho+

Thu, June 7: **Blessed Franz Jagerstatter**

Readings: 2 Tm 2:8-15 Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14 Mk 12:28-34
 8:30 am – Joyce Schirmann+

Fri, June 8: **St William of York**

Readings: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9 Is 12:2-6 Eph 3:8-12, 14-19 Jn 19:31-37

8:30 am – Judy Lourenco+

Sat, June 9: **St Ephrem**

Readings: 2 Tm 4:1-8 Ps 71:8-9, 14-15b, 16-17, 22 Lk 2:41-51
 4:00 pm – John F. Mateus+

Sun, June 10: **Blessed Joachim**

Readings: Gn 3:9-15 Ps 130:1-8 2 Cor 4:13 – 5:1 Mk 3:20-35
 8:30 am – Josephine Luporini+
 11:00 am – Luis Furtado+
 1:30 pm – Maria Rafael+

Emergency # and Outreach Ministry: To receive the Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick & Holy Communion in an emergency, please call **707-672-5859**. To arrange for a phone call, pastoral visit, &/or to receive Holy Communion, please call the parish office, 707-822-7696.

Sunday, June 10– 8:30 Mass

Readers: Christina Campbell
 Leeann Myers
 Eucharistic Ministers:
 Larry Ghidinelli
 Elizabeth Simovich
 Altar Servers: Raven & Aiden

Sunday, June 10 - 11:00 Mass

Readers: Judith Cardoza
 Maggie Fleming
 Eucharistic Ministers:
 Anita Reynolds
 Maria A. Furtado
 Altar Servers: Gemma & Siri

Thank you to our parishioners who contributed to the offerings.

St. Mary's Plate Collection	\$ 2343.44
St. Joseph's Plate Collection	\$ 246.00
Total	\$ 2589.44

Coffee Hour: June Coffee Hour is hosted by the Pastoral Council. The Knights of Columbus will host in July.



Solemnity of Corpus Christi

All three readings today speak of covenant:

first, the covenant God made with the people of Israel, and second, the new covenant extended to all through the mediation of Christ and God's promise of eternal salvation. They are beautiful Scriptures in and of themselves, but they are especially important for the feast that the Church celebrates today: the most holy Body and Blood of Christ – the feast of Corpus Christi. We hear these familiar words and give thanks and praise for them: *Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many."*

The feast of Corpus Christi is marked in places all over the world with public Eucharistic processions: an opportunity to share the Blessed Sacrament with, not just Catholics who encounter the Real Presence in Mass and Exposition, but *all* people. It reminds us, and others – if they are open to hearing God's message that Christ's redemption is for all. To some outside of our Catholic communion, it may seem quite odd that we would have such a feast day, but not to us. For us Catholics it is our belief that through Christ's Word and the action of the Holy Spirit; the instrumentality of the priest; and under the appearances of bread and wine, the risen Christ is truly, fully, and substantially present in body, blood, soul and divinity.

The feast and its processions mark the most visible example of "public witness" of our beliefs. For in addition to the graces bestowed upon us in our reception and veneration of the Eucharist are the fruits of our communion that our life of discipleship can bring to the world. Christ is the mediator of a new covenant that seals our eternal relationship to the Father, and promises everlasting life. In our communion with him we have both blessed opportunity, and scriptural commandment, to share that gift with others. We are here because we recognize that it is a so great a gift. We are here because we are in awe of our God. We are in awe of a God who would not spare his only Son to prove his love for us. We are in awe that God would make it so very simple for us to have him with us until the end of time. And maybe, in her wisdom, this is why the Church has such a public witness of our devotion to the Eucharist. And perhaps this is where our own smaller, "public witness" comes into play.

After our every celebration of the Eucharist let us proceed into the world as a visible representation of that which is made real to us here in the Eucharist. May we bear its fruits by helping to build the kingdom of God. **~Fr. Francis**

Annual Ministry Appeal

Thank you for your contributions and pledges to the Annual Ministry Appeal. All amounts collected in excess of St. Mary's target will be given back directly to our parish. If the target is not met, the balance is paid through parish funds. Your generosity & commitment is much appreciated. If you have not already pledged to the AMA, please consider doing so. Envelopes are available in the Narthex.

AMA target: \$23,838

Payments received: \$10,313



We wish Msgr. Gerard Brady and Deacon John Gai many blessings as they celebrate their Ordination Anniversaries. Msgr. Brady was ordained on June 13, 1959 and Deacon Gai was ordained on June 11, 1995.

A Summer Blessing for Students

May our loving God watch over you and keep alive in your heart all that you have learned this year.

Keep your mind on God. Remember to pray often and to celebrate your faith, at home with your family, and at Mass with your faith family.

Keep your faith in God. Let all the joys of summer remind you of God's goodness. Never forget that God is always with you, no matter what.

May the God of all creation, who comes to us in Jesus, and lives among us in the Holy Spirit, keep you safe, happy, and holy this summer and always. Amen. (internet)

There are several **youth events and camps** available for middle school, high school, and college age youth this summer. Please contact the Youth Ministry Office on Facebook@SRDCYM or www.SRYOUTH.org or www.catholicya.org.

Scrip Thank you to all who are purchasing SCRIP. We were able to contribute \$1,000 to the church maintenance fund for the month of May. Let's all keep the ball rolling and buy scrip so that we may continue to meet the budgeted amount of \$1,000 all summer. Purchasing scrip will help us meet our goal for the budget and you will feel good about it.

Scrip makes cents!

Monthly Food Donations

Today we will be collecting nonperishable food items for the St. Vincent de Paul Kitchen. Please deposit your donations in the bin provided today.

Spring Cleaning? Remember Christ the King!

Christ the King would like your clean & gently used items for their Rummage Sale on August 3rd, 4th, & 5th. Items are being accepted in June. Questions?...Call Dolores at 707-496-4894.

Pray for the Sick: Please let the parish staff know the status of your loved one's illness so we may keep our prayer list current.

Loretta Speziale, Ben Mills, Joretta Matteri, Maria A. Pimentel, Susan Twomey, Kate Clasby & family, Shannon Heavilin, Mary Tanferani, Krista Melendy, Olivia Lozano, Katherine Parker, Katy Trusnovac, Jim Hart, Michael Shaker, Emma Filipini, Erica Mills, Paul Hahn, Patricia Clarke, Nina DeVilbiss, and Kathleen Fancher.

Pray for the Souls of the Faithful Departed

David Homem, Shar Evans, Jose Freitas, Gary Cahill, Malachi Ennis, Joyce Schirmann, and Mary Avila



The next **Baptism prep class** will be June 23rd at 3:00pm in the Fr. Kelly Room. Reservations are required. Please call the office at 707-822-7696 & leave your name & telephone number or email address.

The basic requirements for Baptism:

- Family must be registered in a parish & be regular Mass attendees.
- One or both parents need to be a confirmed, practicing Catholic.
- Child must have a reasonable chance to be brought up in the Catholic Faith.
- Parents & Godparents must attend a 'Baptism Preparation' class.
- At least one Godparent must be a confirmed, practicing Catholic.

The **Parish Abalone Shell** used for Baptisms has been misplaced. If you have seen this shell, please call the office, 707-822-7696, or place it by the Baptismal Font by the Altar. Thank you!



Parish Grounds Clean-Up

Saturday, June 9th

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a Parish Grounds Clean-up Day for Saturday, June 9th from 9am to noon. We will be trimming & weeding around the church, rectory, & parking lot. Please bring your trowels, gardening tools, buckets & gloves and be ready to dig in! We appreciate any and all help!

Sacred Heart Parish - International Celebration

Sacred Heart is holding an International Celebration today, Sunday, June 3rd, between 10:30 and 3:30. Please join them for multi-cultural food, music, dancing, a dessert booth, a bar & a Silent Auction. This is a fundraiser but should be a lot of FUN, too. Cash or check only. For more information, call 443-8429.

Additional Adoration and Mass Opportunities Christ the King Church Parish, McKinleyville

Weekdays:

- Monday Mass 9:00am
- Tuesday Communion Service 9:00am
- Friday Adoration 3:00pm followed by Mass 4:00pm

Weekends:

- Saturday Confessions 4:30-4:45pm followed by Mass 5:00pm
- Sunday Mass 9:00am
- Saturday Mass 6:30pm **Trinidad** (June, July, & August)

Kateri Tekakwitha Mission, Hoopa

Sunday Mass 11:30am

HSU Newman Center, 700 Union St. Arcata

Sunday Mass 5:30pm

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S! Whether you are a long time parishioner, a returning Catholic, or a new member, we hope your time with us is a meaningful and spiritual experience. If you haven't registered, please complete this form and return it to the rectory office or place it in the offertory basket. Name: _____ New Parishioner yes / no
Address: _____ Phone: _____