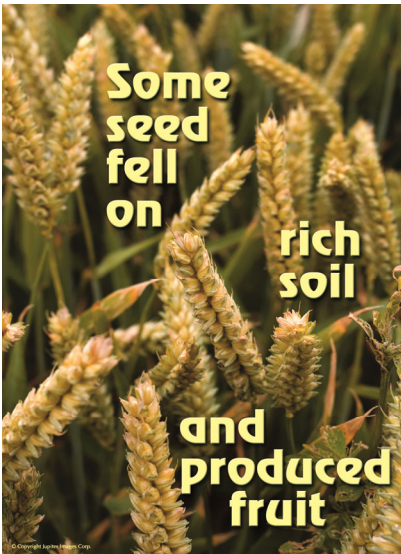


Church of St. Mary Magdalene

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 12, 2020



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• Mass Schedule •

Monday - Saturday mornings 7:45 a.m.
Saturday Vigil 5:30 p.m., Sunday 7, 9, 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
Holy Day Vigil 5:30 p.m., Holy Day 7:45 a.m., 7 p.m.

• Sacrament of Reconciliation •

Saturday 4 - 5 p.m.
or by appointment

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St. Mary Magdalene Mission Statement

**We the Eucharistic Community of St. Mary Magdalene
are called to conversion in Jesus Christ.**

**Our community life and worship are based on the Bible,
the Sacraments, and the teachings of the Catholic Church.**

**Living the love of Christ impacts our moral, intellectual, and
religious life, and makes us a caring community that brings hope
to our families, neighborhood, and society.**

- **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**
Monday-Friday: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
(closed from 12 noon-1:00 p.m.)
- **TO BECOME A REGISTERED PARISHIONER**
Stop by the Parish Office during regular business.
- **FUNERAL PRE-PLANNING**
Arrangements for a funeral liturgy may be made in advance. Contact the Director of Liturgy, Mary Kay Evanko.
- **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS**
Those who are interested in becoming Catholic, or those baptized Catholics, who wish to become fully initiated in the Church, should call the Parish Office.
- **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**
Baptismal preparation classes are required of all parents and godparents. Call the Parish Office for an appointment.
- **SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**
Call the Parish Office at least nine months in advance.
- **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**
Saturday, from 4-5 p.m. in the church or call the Parish Office for an appointment.
- **SACRAMENT OF THE SICK**
In event of serious illness or medical emergency, anointing of the sick and Eucharist may be arranged by contacting the Parish Office.
- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**
Classes are held on Sunday mornings at 10:15 a.m. Contact Rachel Freeman, for more information.
- **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**
Every Friday from 1-5:00 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.
- **MINISTRIES/ORGANIZATIONS**
To become involved in a parish ministry, call the ministry contact found on page seven of this bulletin.

Welcome!

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church,
No matter what your current family or marital situation,
No matter what your past or present situation,
No matter what your personal history,
age, background or race,
No matter what your own self image or self-esteem.
You are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved,
and respected at St. Mary Magdalene Church!
We are so happy to have you here!



Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 11

7:45 AM - Louis & Rosa Venant & Children
5:30 PM - Intentions of the John & Melanie Flavin Family

Sunday, July 12

7:00 AM - Tom, Lyn, & Tara Beschorner & Matt Beschorner

9:00 AM - Parishioners of St. Mary Magdalene

11:00 AM - Doug Wagner †

6:00 PM - John Weeks

Monday, July 13

7:45 AM - John Paul Bresnahan †

Tuesday, July 14

7:45 AM - Flavin Family Intentions, 50 years

Wednesday, July 15

7:45 AM - Doug Wagner †

Thursday, July 16

7:45 AM - Mike & Agnes Flavin †

Friday, July 17

7:45 AM - Bob & Steve Wise †

Saturday, July 18

7:45 AM - Patricia Finch †

5:30 PM - Ross Morrill †

Sunday, July 19

7:00 AM - Richard Winter †

9:00 AM - Ginger Nolan †

11:00 AM - Parishioners of St. Mary Magdalene

6:00 PM - Deceased Members of the Malone Family †

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time A Scriptural Reflection

The Work Shall Do My Will

The word of God is caught up in metaphors and parables. The image of seed that falls on different kinds of ground helps us understand how to listen creatively.

Jesus, the Word, bears fruit in all of creation, but best in our lives and hearts. When you hear this parable of the sower and the seed, do you wonder which you are? Sometimes it seems that we are one, and sometimes another. Like all metaphors, this parable must be understood intuitively, "with the heart," in order for it to work God's healing grace in us.

Jesus is careful to say that we see with our eyes and hear with our ears, but we understand, not with our head, but with our *heart*.

Creation Awaits

It is easy to get discouraged. It is easy to be distracted by difficulties and duties in our daily lives. It is possible for the word to be snatched away, even as we struggle to understand. Distractions of every kind prevent the word from being heard. But Isaiah and Paul underline the important point that the word of God is effective in all of creation, including us. Just as the rain waters the earth and will not return to the heavens until it does its intended work, the earth yields its rich harvest and rejoices. Our sufferings, distractions, and wearying work will not prevent us from hearing the word of God and doing God's work if we see with our eyes the beauty of creation, hear with our ears the music of the universe, and understand with our heart that God has made all of this to help us. God heals every ill, calls us back from distraction, protects us from evil, and gives us the grace to hear the word with joy.

It is God's grace that prepares the ground for the seed, watering it, breaking up the clods, making even untilled ground fruitful. When we understand with our heart that this is God's work in us, then even without understanding with our head, we can receive the word of God with the same joyful song of creation in bloom.

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 10:34 — 11:1
Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27
Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab, 15-21; Mt 11:28-30
Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10-12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8
Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21
Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 [24-30]

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners:

As I begin my ministry here at Saint Mary Magdalene I wanted to introduce myself. I was born in Wilmington, Delaware, the fourth of six children. My family moved to San Diego when I was about six years old. We were parishioners of Our Lady of Grace parish in El Cajon where I also attended elementary school. Following elementary school I attended Saint Augustine High School.

Upon graduation from high school I was accepted into Saint Francis Seminary at the University of San Diego. I completed my B.A. at USD and continued my formation for the priesthood at the North American College in Rome while completing my graduate degree in theology at the Gregorian University.

I was ordained for the Diocese of San Diego in June of 1993. Since ordination I have had assignments in both parish ministry and diocesan administration. I began my priesthood as an associate pastor at Saint Michael's parish in Paradise Hills. I then went on to serve at St. Rose of Lima, Chula Vista, St. Martin of Tours, La Mesa, then as the Rector of the Immaculata, USD, Pastor of Queen of Angels in Alpine, St. Charles Borromeo, Loma Portal, Saint Agnes in Point Loma and most recently at St. Columba in Serra Mesa. In addition to my parish ministry I have also served in diocesan administration as the assistant to Bishop Brom and as the Vice-Rector of St. Francis Seminary. In 2002 I completed a degree in Canon Law from the Catholic University of America and I currently serve as the Adjutant Judicial Vicar for the Diocese of San Diego.

For over 60 years Saint Mary Magdalene has served as a powerful witness to the Catholic faith in the community of Bay Park and beyond. We have embraced our mission to spread and live the word of God by following in the footsteps of Jesus Christ and by handing on the Catholic faith through our school and religious education programs.

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(Pastor's Corner continued)

Transitions and change can be challenging for all of us, however, I am grateful for the opportunity to become part of the community of Saint Mary Magdalene and I am looking forward to getting to know and work with all of you.

Let us make this traditional prayer our own when we say: ***O Lord, grant us that love which can never die, which will enkindle our lamps but not extinguish them, so that they may shine in us and bring light to others. Amen.***

Fr. Ed McNulty
Pastor

LIVING STEWARDSHIP NOW

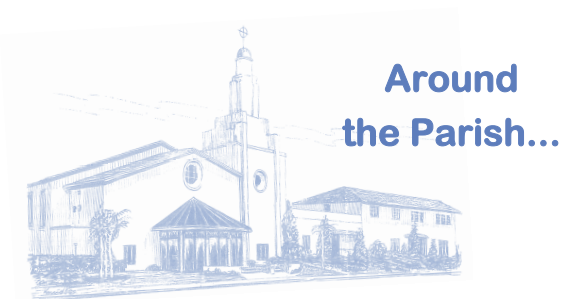
May our stewardship of time, talent, and treasure show us to be among those who have heard the message of Christ and taken it in, yielding a hundred- or sixty- or thirty fold!

Your Gift of Treasure for the Weekend of July 5, 2020

With gratitude for the gifts we have received, parishioners and visitors made a joyful return to the Lord of the following:

eGiving:	\$ (reported semi-monthly)	
Plate:	\$ 1,461.00	
Envelopes:	\$ <u>3,188.00</u>	
Total Offertory:		\$ 4,649.00
Budgeted Income:		\$12,745.88
Difference:		\$ 8,096.88
YTD Budget vs Collection		\$ 8,096.88
Registered Families:	1697	
eGiving Families:	195	
Envelope Families:	162	

Average Budgeted Income is the minimum amount needed each week for ministries & maintenance of our parish (liturgies, sacraments, utilities, repairs, ongoing maintenance, and salaries & benefits for our staff. Does not include major projects.)



Flocknote at St. Mary Magdalene

During this period of "lockdown" we realized that our method of communicating with our parishioners was extremely outdated. We are excited to tell you that St. Mary Magdalene is now implementing the use of Flocknote as a means of delivering information to our Parishioners. In order to use Flocknote, we need your email.

Listed below are ways we anticipate to use Flocknote:

- ▶ To inform parishioners of matters that may require immediate action instead of leaving notes on the church doors
- ▶ To send out schedules instead of mailing them
- ▶ To inform parishioners of upcoming events
- ▶ To request action from our parishioners
- ▶ To extend invitations to our parishioners

To supply your email or verify your most current email address, please contact the Parish Office at (619) 276-1041 or email Katie Moreno at katie@stmarymagonline.org.

Thank you to all who have submitted your emails. Keep them coming!!

Mass Intentions To Be Rescheduled

If you had a Mass Intention scheduled from March 16 to June 12, 2020, please contact the Parish Office at (619) 276-1041 to reschedule.

Remember to Support Our Advertisers!

The JS Paluch Company arranges for the bulletin to be supported through the generosity of the businesses that you see advertised on the back cover. Most of these advertisers are members of our local community, and many belong to our parish.

Congratulations to These Children Who Received the Sacrament of First Eucharist on June 27, 2020



Marlene Benavidez
 Jolene Buess
 Madelyn Christian
 Joaquin Coombs
 Alexander Davila
 Aniston Domingo
 Reya Gullickson-Crisostomo
 Jack Hamrick
 Triston Lavaysse-Ester
 Mallory Potter
 Kelly Uskokovic
 Vivienne Yurcich



St. Mary Magdalene
 YOUTH MINISTRY

Stay tuned for updates via email and Instagram.

For more information on St. Mary Magdalene Youth Group events, contact Jessica Brophy, Director of Youth Ministry (619) 276-6814; youthministry@stmarymagonline.org

Faith Direct - eGiving

As churches reopen we are also beginning the summer season. It is during these months that we depend the most on online giving to continue our ministry.

How eGiving benefits you and our parish:

- ◆ Consistent giving and community support
- ◆ Convenience of giving from home or any location
- ◆ Cost-effective and better for the environment

Please consider making a recurring or one-time donation today. It's easy to get started! Sign up today by visiting faith.direct/CA840.

Thank you for your support of our parish family!



Four components of having a sense of well-being include *engagement, good relationships, accomplishment, and purpose*. Psychologist and Educator, Dr. Martin Seligman, suggests three exercises that may enhance our sense of wellbeing:

Identify Signature Strengths

Write down a story about a time when you were at your best. It doesn't need to be a life-changing event but should have a clear beginning, middle, and end. Reread it every day for a week, and each time ask yourself: "What personal strengths did I display when I was at my best?" Did I show creativity? Good judgment? Was I kind to other people? Loyal? Brave? Passionate? Forgiving? Honest? Faithful?" Writing down your answers puts you in touch with your gifts. The next step is to contemplate how to use these gifts to better serve those around you, intentionally organizing and structuring your life around them. Look for an opportunity to deploy one signature strength in a new and different way every day for one week. Studies show that a week later, a month later, six months later, people had on average lower rates of depression and higher life satisfaction.

Find the Good

Set aside 10 minutes before you go to bed each night to write down three things that went really well that day. Next to each event answer the question, "Where did I see God working in my life?" Instead of focusing on life's lows, which can increase the likelihood of depression, this exercise turns your attention to life's blessings, so it changes what you perceive, appreciate, and attend to. Dr. Seligman suggests that "Consciousness is like your tongue: It swirls around in the mouth looking for a cavity, and when it finds it, you focus on it. Imagine if your tongue went looking for a beautiful, healthy tooth." Polish it.

Make a Gratitude Visit

Think of someone who has been especially kind to you but who you have not properly thanked. Write a letter describing what he or she did and how it affected your life, and how you often remember the effort. Then arrange a meeting and read the letter aloud, in person. You will both weep out of joy.

Reporting Allegations of Sexual Misconduct

The Diocese of San Diego treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with them in a prompt, confidential, and thorough manner.

To report sexual misconduct including abuse contact: Mary Acosta, Victim Assistance Coordinator, (858) 490-8353, misconduct@sdccatholic.org.

Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Schedule: July 18th & July 19th

Saturday, 5:30 p.m.

Lector:

Ann Frusti

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Jo Ellen Palreiro

Sunday, 7:00 a.m.

Lector:

Denise Mayer

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Katherine Malchiodi, Carrie Layton

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Lector:

Nina Closser

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Eric Lindebak

Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

Lector:

Mary Roy

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Mary Ekstrom, Mary Kay Evanko

Sunday, 6:00 p.m.

Lector:

Rachel Freeman

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Jeremy Freeman

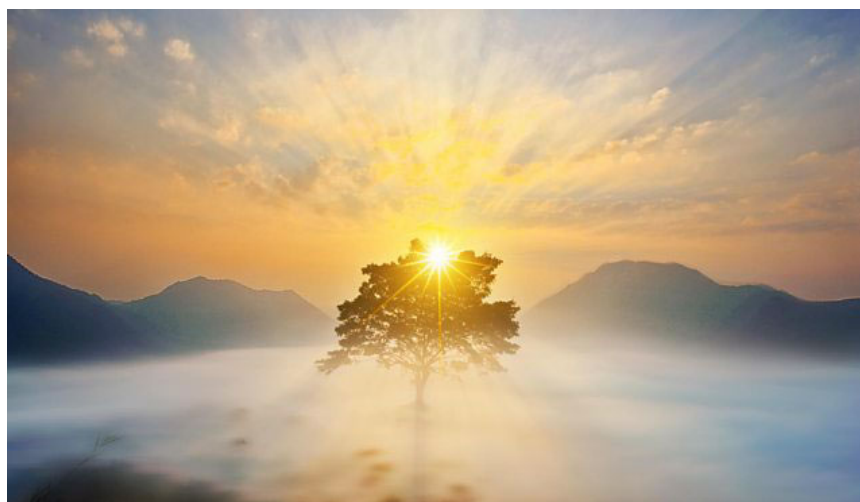
Prayer List for Deployed Military

As a faith community let's pray for all those who serve our country during these troubled times. We pray especially for those of our parish who are deployed or will soon be deployed:

Dr. Ashley Cirillo
Lynn Doras
Philip Ho
Daniel Mateos
Dominic McCarron
Joseph Nason
Nilbert Ng
Elizabeth P.
Michael Piano
Sebastian Paloma
Jorge Ramirez
Miguel Valverde

Almighty God, be their constant companion and strength in every adversity. May they always experience your presence, love and comfort.

If you have a friend or relative who is serving in our military, please contact the Parish Office.



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