

ST. SEBASTIAN CHURCH

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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 28, 2012



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening 5 PM
Sundays..... 7AM, 9AM, & 11AM
Monday - Saturday.. 7AM & 9AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays..... 3:30 - 4:30 PM

PastorRev. Mark Taheny
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MASS INTENTIONS FOR OCT. 29—NOV. 3

Mon 7AM Andrew Kent Moore
9AM Walsh Family, *living & deceased*

Tue 7AM Richard Degan
9AM Rev. Paul Perry, *living*
4PM **Holyday Vigil Mass**

Wed 7AM Victims of Colorado Shooting
9AM *Special Intention*

Thu 7AM Nancy, *living*
9AM Rico Martin

Fri 7AM Unbelievers
9AM Mary King

Sat 7AM Dennis Burke
9AM Sibeal †, & Brian Whitty, *living*

**THANK YOU FOR KEEPING THE
FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Angela, Bertha, Diane, Elizabeth, Joey, Kristen, Mary, Monica, Patrick, Sandy, Stephanie, Tim, Carol Abraham, Lorenzo Acciai, Ron Baccei, Madison Bostow, Marilyn Charbonneau, Lori Cohen, Yondellan Coleman, Elizabeth Cook, Elizabeth Crowley, Joyce Devine, Doris Doty, Nanette Duffy, Charlotte Fini, Terrence Fischer, Eileen Harriman, Taro Hart, Rosemarie Hayes, Chiara Iulucci, Germaine Khohayting, Jeanne Killian, Joe Lazor, John Legnitto, Barbara Mass, Manda Masse, Gino Mazzenatto, William McNamara, Richard Mogas, Margaret & Monte Maroevich, Valerie Milroy, Mark Piatti; Jenna, Jack, Kate, & Purl Clan; Kylie Richardson, Peggy Roth, Steve Schlesselmann, Helen Smith, Mary Lou Smith, Sharon Smith, and Rose Tannlund.

Our many sick, homebound and hospitalized parishioners who are unable to attend Mass will be blessed by your prayers.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

**Our Weekly Goal \$ 5,200.
Sunday Average \$ 4,400.**

As you can see, the Sunday offerings are eight hundred dollars *below* what we need to have a balanced budget. Please give generously.

NOVEMBER 1: ALL SAINTS HOLY DAY

Thursday, Nov. 1st is the Solemnity of All Saints, a holyday of obligation. On Wednesday, Oct. 31, we will have a Vigil Mass at 4pm. Masses on Thursday will be at 7am & 9am.

Friday, Nov. 2, is the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day)

During the entire month of November, we keep all of our beloved deceased family and friends in our prayers, lifting them up to God, and trusting in His infinite mercy and love that we shall be reunited with them in Heaven when death is destroyed forever.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE PRAYER VIGIL

**ends next Sunday, November 4
7am—7pm each day this week**

Come and pray for an hour or so in front of Mill Valley Planned Parenthood
141 Camino Alto in Mill Valley.

Save babies' lives by your witness!

40 Days for Life is a focused pro-life effort:

40 days of prayer & fasting

40 days of peaceful vigil

40 days of community outreach

See www.40daysforlife.com/millvalley

Questions?

Call Ruth Ann 383-6681 or racawl@aol.com



**SET CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR
NEXT WEEKEND**

Next Saturday night, clocks should be set *back* one hour before you go to bed!

**YOUNG AT HEART
LUNCHEON MEETING**

Wednesday, November 7 in the Parish Hall

Serve-Yourself Luncheon

\$6/Members \$7.50/Guests

RSVP by Nov. 2nd

Carolyn 461-2276 or Rosellen 461-9003

**Entertainment by SIREnaders
Singing Old-Time Melodies**

Note that the day of the week has changed from Tuesday to Wednesday, due to Election Day.

CENACLE OF PRAYER

NEXT SUNDAY

3 to 4pm
Exposition
of the Blessed Sacrament,
Rosary, Meditation, & Benediction

Spend an hour here with Our Lord.



PUTTING FAITH INTO PRACTICE

“**W**e Catholics are called to look at politics as we are called to look at everything—through the lens of our faith. While we are free to join any political party that we choose or none at all, we must be cautious when we vote not to be guided solely by party loyalty or by self-interest. Rather, we should be guided in evaluating the important issues facing our state and nation by the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the teachings of His Church.”

—*Catholic Bishops of New York State*

“**T**o put it simply, ‘public servants’ who cannot tell the difference between serving the public and killing the public do not belong in public office!”

—*Fr. Frank Pavone*
National Director, Priests for Life

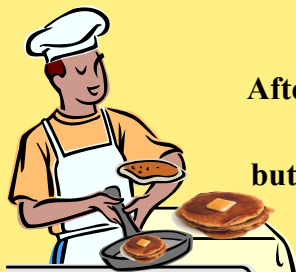
“**A**lways vote for principle, though you may vote alone, and you may cherish the sweetest reflection that your vote is never lost.”

—*John Quincy Adams*

THE HOLY Rosary*

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PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Sunday, December 9
In the Parish Hall
After the 7AM and 9AM Masses

No Charge!
but Reservations are Required

Call 461-0704 to RSVP
by December 2

This Free Breakfast is in Christmas Appreciation.

NAZARETH HOUSE RAFFLE

This weekend, raffle tickets will be on sale after all Masses to benefit Nazareth House, where many retired priests from our county reside.

The tickets are \$2/each, or 6 for \$10.

NAZARETH HOUSE BOUTIQUE

The Annual Christmas Boutique at Nazareth House will be on November 11, from 11am until 3pm, at 245 Nova Albion way, San Rafael. Admission is \$5, and sandwiches, drinks, and cookies are provided. The Boutique features handmade items, fresh baked goods, jewelry, collectible dolls and bears, cash prizes, and a fabulous silent auction with items of great value. Proceeds from this event are used by the Sisters of Nazareth to enhance the quality of life of the men and women who reside at Nazareth House in San Rafael.

CATHOLIC MARIN BREAKFAST CLUB NOVEMBER 9TH

After the 7AM Mass here at St. Sebastian

Speaker: John Van Der Zee

will talk in the Parish Hall

“*Setting the Record Straight About the
History of the Golden Gate Bridge*”

Members’ Breakfast \$8

Visitors’ Breakfast \$10

Sign up to attend by contacting: sugaremy@aol.com
or call 461-0704

Note the date has changed to November 9th!

BIBLE STUDY

The Bible Study led by Deacon Bill Turrentine meets on Sundays after the 9am Mass, down in the Parish Hall.

Drop in and take part!



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THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

Hallowe'en is about the Communion of Saints, their holiness, and their indescribable beauty.

We should ask:

Why does our society think that Halloween is about terror, horror, ugliness, evil spirits, violence, and grotesque masks? Why? That's not true at all!

Who foisted that idea on us, and why have we put up with it for so many generations?

It would be better to counteract that misguided tendency by dressing as one's favorite saint rather than putting on some other costume!

There are countless saints, and they have wonderful stories to tell about how God rescued their souls from death and gave them eternal life and perfect joy. They are alive forever, sharing Christ's victory.

Hallowe'en is the eve of All Saints Day, which is a Solemnity and a Holyday of Obligation.

See you at Mass as we celebrate our brothers and sisters in Heaven!

A reading from the Book of Revelation (Rev. 7:9,14)

I had a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue. They stood before the throne and before the Lamb, wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands.

They cried out in a loud voice: "Salvation comes from our God, who is seated on the throne, and from the Lamb."

All the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures. They prostrated themselves before the throne, worshiped God, and exclaimed: "Amen. Blessing and glory, wisdom and thanksgiving, honor, power, and might be to our God forever and ever. Amen."

Then one of the elders spoke up and said to me, "Who are these wearing white robes, and where did they come from?"

I said to him, "My lord, you are the one who knows." He said to me, "These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb."