

# Saint Mark Catholic Church

JULY 22, 2018



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## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Masses: 4:30 pm  
Sunday Masses: 8:00, 9:45 & 11:30 am  
Daily Mass: 8:30 am in Chapel  
First Saturday Mass: 8:30 am in Chapel  
Exposition after Mass until noon Benediction

Holy Days: Information in Bulletin  
Perpetual Help Devotions/Benediction:  
Weds. 7:00 pm in Chapel  
Rosary: Mon. Tues. Weds. 7:30 pm  
Reconciliation: Saturday 3:45- 4:15 pm  
and/or call for an appt.

## BAPTISMS

New or expecting parents must contact the Rectory three (3) months before the Baptism to allow sufficient time for the instructions prior to the celebration.

## MARRIAGES

Contact Rectory 6 months in advance.  
LOCAL CATHOLIC CEMETERIES  
Holy Cross, Colma: 650-756-2060  
Holy Cross, Menlo Park: 650-323-6375

325 Marine View Avenue,  
Belmont, California 94002

E-Mail: [st\\_markschurch@yahoo.com](mailto:st_markschurch@yahoo.com)

**NEW WEBSITE:**

[www.SaintMarkBelmont.com](http://www.SaintMarkBelmont.com)

Church Office & Rectory  
650-591-5937 Fax: 650-591-7645  
Religious Ed: 650-591-7072

## Saint Mark Catholic Community Mission

TO PROMOTE THE LIVING GOSPEL OF  
JESUS CHRIST AND LIVE THE  
UNIVERSAL CALL TO HOLINESS

Fr. Joe Bradley, Administrator  
Fr. Martin Njoalu, VC, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Mr. Gerard Quinn, Deacon  
Coordinator of Religious Education, Gr. 1-8  
Maria Ong  
Coordinator of Youth Ministry/Confirmation  
Jill Watkins  
Office Manager  
Cathy Coolin

## CHOIRS

Michael Clements 4:30  
Mario Valentone 8:00  
Jun Madrinan 9:45  
Don Ramirez 11:30  
Nelia Licudine—Children Choir  
Last Sat. of month 4:30 & Various 9:45

## PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Servers	Legion of Mary
Catechesis	Parish Pastoral Council
Choirs	Prayer Group
Finance	Rosary Group
Greeters	Sandwiches on Sunday
Hospitality	(SOS)
Knight of Columbus	St. Vincent de Paul
Ladies Guild	Youth Ministry

Welcome in Jesus' Name. Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, long-time residents or the newly arrived in the parish. We thank God you are with us. If you are not registered, please fill out the form below and place it in the collection basket.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ New Parishioner \_\_\_ New Phone

\_\_\_ New Address

## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### The Lord is my SHEPHERD.

**SOLITUDE**  
Settle yourself  
in solitude, and  
you will come  
upon God in  
yourself.

—St. Teresa

### REST IN THE LORD

For several weeks we have listened to readings that have recounted just how arduous the work of prophets and disciples can be. In today's Gospel, the Lord Jesus listens to the reports of those he had sent out "two by two" to minister to the people. After the apostles reported what they had done, Jesus, recognizing their fatigue, says, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest awhile" (Mark 6:31). Perhaps this is what the Lord is telling his disciples in the year 2018 as well. We need to pause on our journey of discipleship and simply rest in the Lord. Sunday Mass provides many opportunities for quiet times, particularly during the periods of silence following the readings. Why not take the time today to allow the saving word of the Lord to penetrate your heart during those silent times? Ask the Lord to renew you in body, mind, and spirit for the arduous work of discipleship. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

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The Women's Catholic Scripture Study of San Mateo County invites you to join us for our 2018-19 study: *Thus Says the LORD: God Speaks through His Servants the Prophets*. Women of all ages from parishes all around the Bay Area are invited. We meet at St. Mark Catholic Church, Belmont on Thursdays, 9/6/18-5/9/19 (with holiday breaks), 9:45am -12noon.

For more info: [www.cssbelmont.com](http://www.cssbelmont.com). To register, please contact either Diane Masetti at [diane@cssbelmont.com](mailto:diane@cssbelmont.com), or 650-593-3681 or Tami Palladino, at [tami@stcharlesparish.org](mailto:tami@stcharlesparish.org), or 650-592-7349, ext. 405. Thank you.

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### *Together in Holiness* Catholic Marriage Conference

Saturday, September 29, 9:00 am - 3:45 pm Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, 1040 Alameda de Las Pulgas, Belmont. Ed Hopfner 415-614-5547

[hopfnerE@sfarch.org](mailto:hopfnerE@sfarch.org) website: [forlifeandfamily.org/events/th18-sfca/](http://forlifeandfamily.org/events/th18-sfca/)

The Archdiocese of San Francisco and the St. John Paul II Foundation present the *Together in Holiness* conference. The day includes Mass celebrated by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone, Eucharistic Adoration, and Reconciliation. Childcare (2 to 12 years) is available, space limited. Cost is \$59 a couple, or \$35 individual (early-bird costs till Aug 20 are \$49/29). Learn more and register at the website, above. Presentations by national experts include: "Learning to Pray Together as Spouses: Three Simple Steps" Christopher J. Stravitsch, D.Min., LPC, LMFT, Co-founder, St. John Paul II Foundation, "Prayer as the Basis of Family Unity" Fr. Joseph Illo, Pastor, Star of the Sea Church, San Francisco, "Discovering the Domestic Church" Dr. John and Mrs. Claire Grabowski

**Maria Ong, Faith Formation/Religious Ed**  
**sm.faithform@yahoo.com**

The Registration packages for the 2018-2019 CCD Year have been mailed out. Families new to our program, or with children starting 1st Grade, please contact me at the above email address for registration information.

Please note that preparation for the Sacrament of 1st Holy Communion is a 2 year program, and children must be enrolled in the Faith Formation program *one year prior* to the Sacrament Preparation year. In most cases, this Sacrament is celebrated when the child is in the 2nd Grade. Thank you!

Blessings for a wonderful summer!

**Coordinator of Youth Ministry  
 & Confirmation (High School)**  
**Jill Watkins 591-5937**

**Mass Celebrants:**

July 28	4:30	Fr. Mark Simbul
July 22	8:00	Fr. Joe Bradley
	9:45	Fr. Raphael Laizer
	11:30	Fr. Joe Bradley

*We wish Fr. Martin a pleasant, well deserved, vacation and will see him back here later on in August.*  
**BLESSINGS & ENJOY !!**

**SAVE THE DATE:**  
**Sunday, September 16**  
 from 12:30 – 3:30.  
 For St. Mark Parish



**Potluck Picnic** here on church grounds. Lots of fun, games, food and fellowship planned



**STEWARDSHIP**

**JULY 15 - \$5,163**

In order to meet the budget for the year, on average, the weekly collection for St. Mark needs to be **\$5,800**  
**Thank you for your kind generosity!**



July 25th

**MASSes for the WEEK**  
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***WE PRAY FOR:***  
 For our sick and injured :  
**Especially: Bernard Cafirma, Sherylynn Barker, Andrew Brandi, ,** For those who have ongoing sickness & daily pain and for those who care for them.  
**For all the souls of the faithful departed:**  
**Especially: Maria Pastor, Javier Laval, & for all the families.**  
**For those serving in the military; especially:**  
**Capt. Francis Fuan & Seaman Javier Rosas**  
 and for all the families. May they return home safely.

MON.	
TUES.	
WED.	<b>Msgr. James Tarantino, (Birthday) †</b>
THURS.	Lolita Roman †
FRIDAY	Mercedes & Alonso (†) Wed. Anniv.
	<b><u>JULY 28, 2018</u></b>
4:30	Joe & Juliet Bridges, 18th Wed . Anniv.
	<b><u>July 22, 2018</u></b>
8:00	St. Mark Parishioners, Living & †
9:45	Maria Hoang Thi Hai †
11:30	Jose Padilla †

## 2018 MEETING CALENDAR

### MONDAY:

St. Vincent de Paul 1<sup>ST</sup>  
7:15 - 9:00 p.m.  
Legion of Mary Every  
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.  
Knights Officers 1st  
7:30 - 8:00 p.m.  
Knights Council 2<sup>nd</sup>  
7:00 - 8:30 p.m.  
Group Coordinators 4<sup>th</sup> (4x/yr.)  
3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

### TUESDAY:

CCD: (Gr 5-8) Sept. - May Every  
7:15-8:45 p.m.  
Confirmation - Jill 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>  
7:00 - 8:30 p.m.  
St. Vincent de Paul Every  
In Church All Day Food Storing  
Pastoral Council 7:00-9:00 p.m. 4th

### WEDNESDAY:

Ladies Guild Sept-May 1st  
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
Baptism Class 2<sup>nd</sup>  
7:30 - 9:30 p.m.  
Finance Group 2<sup>nd</sup>  
7:00-9:00 p.m.  
  
Ladies Guild Board 3<sup>rd</sup>  
6:30 - 9:00 p.m.

### THURSDAY

Scripture Study Sept-May Every  
10:00 - Noon  
PRAYER GROUP Every  
In Church 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
SVDP (Bread Dist.) Every  
In Church 10:00am-3:00pm  
Choir - Jun Madrinan Every  
In Center 7:00 - 8:30pm

### FRIDAY—In Church

Children's Choir Practice 5:00pm 3rd & 4th  
Choir - Don Ramirez Every  
7:00-9:00PM  
Flower Group Every  
9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

### SATURDAY

Legion of Mary meets 1<sup>ST</sup>  
Noon- 1:30 p.m.  
RCIA Every  
3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

### SUNDAY

CCD (Gr 1 -4) Sept.-May Every  
9:45 - Noon  
Knights- Mass & Fellowship 2<sup>nd</sup>  
11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Youth Group 2<sup>nd</sup>  
6:30 - 9:00 p.m.  
SOS 3<sup>rd</sup>  
10:45 - 11:30 a.m.  
Youth Group (Aug.- May) 3<sup>rd</sup>  
11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Mass & Fellowship

**(ALL meetings are held in Center unless otherwise indicated) ALL ARE WELCOME! JOIN A GROUP THAT'S RIGHT FOR YOU!**

**CASINO TRIP TO CACHE CREEK  
SPONSORED BY THE KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**

**AUGUST 11, 2018 Saturday**

\$35.00 per Person prior to trip!

Accepting Credit Card payments  
or check/cash  
(payable to: St. Mark Council 13225 KOC)

**Contact: Deacon Jerry Quinn**

Before or After mass or call 650-299-9158

**Bring photo ID**

Time:

**7:45am for prompt departure at 8:00am  
Returning by 5pm**



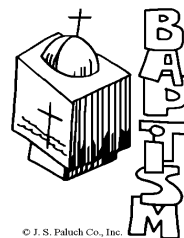
**MUCH-NEEDED PRAYER**

Each Christian needs half an hour of  
prayer each day, except when we are busy;  
then we need an hour.

—St. Francis de Sales



**CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME  
TO OUR NEWEST MEMBER OF ST. MARK**



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**Baptism Saturday,  
July 15**

**BROOKLYN-KEILANI  
RODRIQUEZ**

**Parents:**

**Israel & Jennifer**