

Saint Mark Catholic Church

February 17, 2019



Your reward will be great in heaven

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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
Mon. -Fri. 9:00am
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
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Saint Mark Catholic Community Mission

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

Fr. Angel Quitalig, Pastor
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

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*The one who trusts
the Lord is like
a tree planted
near running water*



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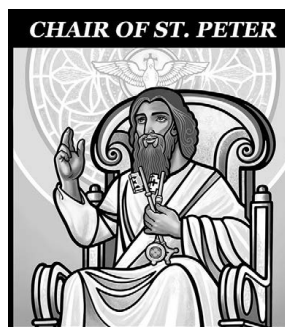
BLESSED

When we think of the word "Beatitude" we think of today's discourse from Luke's Gospel, or the more familiar one from Matthew (which begins "Blessed are the poor in spirit . . ."). Actually, beatitudes occur throughout the prophets and Gospels. Today in Jeremiah (with an echo in the psalm) we hear, "Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord" (Jeremiah 17:7). Following his resurrection in John's Gospel, Christ proclaims, "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed" (John 20:29). The evangelists placed these sayings throughout the Gospels as short reminders about the characteristics that one will find in a follower of Christ, characteristics that will help spread the Good News in this life and lead to eternal blessings in the next. In Latin, the saints are called the *Beati*, the "Blessed," for they are the ones who lived the "blessed" life as described by Jesus throughout the Gospels. How blest are we, when we also strive to make our own days a living beatitude!

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Friday (The Apostle)

Blessed are you who are poor,
for the kingdom of God is yours.
Blessed are you who are now
hungry,
for you will be satisfied."
— Luke 6:20-21a



ARCHBISHOP ANNUAL APPEAL 2019 James 2:18 "I will show you my faith by my works"

We launched the Archbishop Annual Appeal AAA for 2019 this past weekend. Our Goal/Assessment is \$60K - we would like to reach that these first few weeks, as we have done the last couple of years.

There have been about 80 envelopes returned as of Tuesday the 12th with more coming in, and being counted this afternoon.
Pay by Cash, Check, Credit Card, On Line, In Stocks, Bonds or Mutual Funds.

By pledge or one time gift

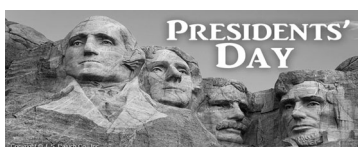
There are more envelopes at the entrances of the church if you did not get one last week.

Let's do this together as we always do! Thank you!

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& Confirmation (High School)

**Save the Date! Saturday March 2, 2019
for the
“Mardi Gras Dinner Dance”**



Monday, February 18th
Holiday
Church Offices closed.
Mass at 8:30am



CONGRATULATIONS &
BLESSINGS to
Tess & Edsel Palma
On their 35th Wedding
Anniversary!
February 19th

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

First Reading — David found Saul in a deep sleep, but would not harm him
(1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23).

Psalm — The Lord is kind and merciful (Psalm 103).

Second Reading — We shall bear the image of the heavenly Adam
(1 Corinthians 15:45-49).

Gospel — Give to everyone who asks of you. Lend expecting nothing back
(Luke 6:27-38).

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STEWARDSHIP

FOR FEBRUARY 10TH \$ 4,705

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!

INSEPARABLE

Faith and works are like the light and heat to a candle; they cannot be separated. —Anonymous

MASSSES *for the* **WEEK**

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WE PRAY FOR:

For our sick and injured

Especially: Connie Pascual, Man Shan Lee, Angelica Villaraza. For those who have ongoing sickness & daily pain and for those who care for them.

For all the souls of the faithful departed

Especially: Sveto Olujic, Tom Coolin, Anna Campbell & for all families who are grieving.

For those serving in the military

& for all their families. May they return home safely.

MON

Jose de Ocampo † BIRTHDAY

TUES.

Edsel & Tess Palma, 35th Wed. Anniv.

WEDS.

Juan Tapang, Jr. †

THURS.

Lolita Ramon †

FRIDAY

Erlinda Bagtas †

FEBRUARY 23, 2019

4:30

Mary Ann Scalzi †

FEBRUARY 24, 2019

8:00

St. Mark Parishioners, Living & †

9:45

Lehora Moore †

11:30

Elpidio Bitanga †

2019 MEETING CALENDAR

MONDAY:

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

TUESDAY:

CCD: (Gr 5-8) Sept. - May Every
7:15-8:45 p.m.
Confirmation - Jill 1st & 3rd
7:00 - 8:30 p.m.
St. Vincent de Paul Every
In Church 9:00-Noon
Pastoral Council 7:00-9:00 p.m. 4th
WEDNESDAY:
Ladies Guild Sept-May 1st
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Baptism Class 2nd
7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Finance Group 2nd
7:00-9:00 p.m.

Ladies Guild Board 3rd
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 9:00-Noon
Choir - Jun Madrinan Every
7:00 - 8:30pm

FRIDAY—In Church

Children Choir Practice 5:00pm 3rd & 4th
Choir - Don Ramirez Every
7:00-9:00 p.m.
(In Church-BOTH Choirs)
Flower Group 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Every

SATURDAY

Legion of Mary meets 1ST
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 2nd
11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Youth Group 2nd
6:30 - 9:00 p.m.
SOS 3rd
10:45 - 11:30 a.m.
Youth Group (Aug.- May) 3rd
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!**

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All the children and youth of the parish are invited for a fun afternoon of Movie, Snacks and Fellowship!

St. Mark Church is hosting a Movie Social next Sunday, 2/24 (4pm-6pm) and will be showing the popular 2016 computer-animated musical comedy –*SING* (PG).

We promise it will be a fun and entertaining afternoon for all! Snacks and drinks will be served.

There will be adult chaperones at the event. Parents are welcome to drop off their children if they do not require close supervision.

Admission is FREE, but an RSVP is Required. To RSVP, please email me at the email address listed above by this Tuesday 2/19/19.

Hope to see you there!

