



**prayer**

Third Sunday  
of Advent



**fraternity**

Choir for  
Christmas



**minority**

Advent Giving Tree  
Final Day

Our Lady of Angels  
**CAPUCHIN**  
Franciscan

**THE ONE FOR WHOM  
OUR HEARTS LONG**

Put yourself in the scene of today's Gospel passage. John the Baptist is in prison. He has heard stories of what Jesus is doing, and wants reassurance that Jesus is the long-awaited Messiah. John's disciples and those who surrounded Jesus were faithful Jews who would have known Isaiah's prophecies by heart. God would send One who would bring sight to the blind, healing to those who were ill, salvation to all who longed to know God's mercy and peace. Jesus' response to the disciples' question rings as powerfully in our ears today as it surely did for the people who were with him that day. His actions are precisely those that the people had been told to expect. Jesus is the One for whom the people have been patiently yet anxiously waiting, like the farmer who waits for the fruits of his labor. Jesus is the One for whom our hearts long.



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# Our Lady of Angels Church

CAPUCHIN FRANCISCANS

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**Pastor:**

Rev. Michael Mahoney, OFM, Cap.

**Associate Pastors:**

Rev. James Stump, OFM, Cap.  
 Rev. Peter Eugenio, OFM, Cap.  
 Rev. Brian McKenna, OFM, Cap. (R)  
 Rev. Gerald Barron, OFM, Cap. (R)  
 Chris Mariano, Permanent Deacon

**Principal:**

Mrs. Amy Costa

**Director of Religious Education:**

Ms. Johna Maychrowitz

**Co-Director of Religious Education/  
 Children's Choir Director:**

Mrs. Jennie Lyn Malibiran

**Preschool Director:**

Mr. Corey Bianchi

**Youth Ministry:**

Ms. Raychelle Castillo

**Music Director:**

Mr. Matt Mattei

**BAPTISMS:**

By appointment only. Call the Rectory.

**MARRIAGES:**

By appointment. Call the Rectory at least SIX MONTHS in advance.

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**TELEPHONES**

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School	650-343-9200
Religious Ed./RCIA	650-347-3671
Preschool	650-343-3115
Music Director	650-867-5434
Youth Ministry/Confirmation	650-347-3672
Rectory FAX	650-435-4357

**MASS SCHEDULE:**

**Saturday:** 8:00am & 5:00pm

**Sunday:**

7:00am, 8:30am  
 10:00am, 11:30am,  
 6:00pm

**Monday-Friday:**

8:00am & 5:30pm

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

**FACE TO FACE IN THE CHURCH**

Saturdays: 3:30-4:45 pm

**ADORATION CHAPEL**

8:30 am-5:30 pm (M-F)  
 8:30 am-Noon (SAT)

## MASS INTENTIONS

Your prayers are requested for the deceased members of the parish and especially for those who have died recently, Mary Wirdzik, Susan Healy McMaster, Gertrude McKenna, Caridad Naughton, Floro Montenegro, George Chrisman, and the following for whom Mass will be offered:

**SAT, December 10, 2022: 5:00 p.m. John Cassanego**

**SUN, Dec 11, 2022: 7:00 a.m. All Parishioners 10:00 a.m. Zeljko Perovic**  
**8:30 a.m. Dorothy & Jack Douglas 11:30 a.m. Laura Colabianchi**

**6:00 p.m. Sesto Pacchetti**

<b>MONDAY:</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>11:30 a.m. at Marian</b>
<b>TUESDAY:</b>	Carmen Luna	Oliver McDermott	Luciano Danovaro
<b>WEDNESDAY:</b>	Peter Damon	Joesph & Maria Emilio	Kathy Reilly
<b>THURSDAY:</b>	John Murphy	Anton Mirkovich	Ines Costa
<b>FRIDAY:</b>	Norvell Llamas	Bill Delucchi	Mary Johnine Leininger
<b>SATURDAY:</b>	Special Intention	Sam Mosunic	Mario Lombardi
	Rudy Gutierrez		Flavian Welstead, OFM Cap.

**SAT, December 17, 2022: 5:00 p.m. Lorene Richmond**

**SUN, Dec 18, 2022: 7:00 a.m. All Parishioners 10:00 a.m. Gladys & Vern Scherba**  
**8:30 a.m. Honesto & Carolina Llamas 11:30 a.m. Donna Farley**

**6:00 p.m. Ron Brovelli & Family**

# Save the Dates

## Eucharistic Revival Advent Preaching Series Featuring

### Father Jonathan Kalisch, O.P.

**Tuesday, December 13**

6:30pm

St. Veronica Catholic Church  
434 Alida Way,  
South San Francisco, CA 94080

**Wednesday, December 14**

6:30pm

Church of the Nativity  
210 Oak Grove Ave.  
Menlo Park, CA 94025

**Thursday, December 15**

6:30pm

St. Sebastian's  
373 Bon Air Rd.  
Kentfield, CA 94904

**Saturday, December 17**

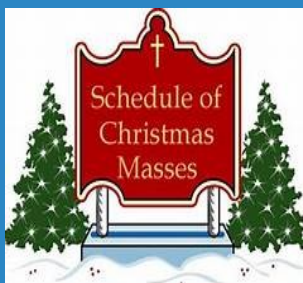
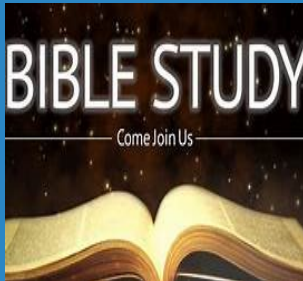
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1111 Gough St  
San Francisco, CA 94109



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## PRAYER

### THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

When the year 1000 was about to dawn, people fled to mountains, expecting the return of Christ. When 2000 came, people feared major computer -- and hence societal -- breakdowns. Neither happened. Yet both moments in history remind us of something deeper, the lesson of Advent. Advent means "coming." The Lord wants us to anticipate and prepare for His coming, not as something that we hinge on a particular date or identify with a particular calamity, but as an *ordinary aspect of our daily Christian living*. On the one hand, we know He is coming; on the other, we don't know when. Yet every moment is an opportunity to make that coming more central to our lives. Lord, may we welcome you daily in your Word, Sacraments, and in our brothers and sisters!

### BIBLE STUDY

*Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant* (Mondays starting 1/23/23)

*Matthew: The King and His Kingdom* (Tuesdays starting 1/24/23)

Call Tom Crawford at (917) 608-0812 to register.

### ADVENT WITH ST. FRANCIS

Sign up for a daily email series which will offer meditations on the Christmas season, St. Francis, and the wonders of the Incarnation.

Sign up at <https://info.franciscanmedia.org/advent-calendar-sign-up>.

### SIMBANG GABI

December 18 at 7:30pm and December 20 at 7pm at OLA

For information, email Fr. Peter at [petruskap2003@yahoo.com](mailto:petruskap2003@yahoo.com).

### ADVENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR CONFESSION

Wednesday, December 21 from 7-8:30pm

Saturday, December 24 from 10am-Noon

### CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Carols will begin 30 minutes prior to each Christmas Eve Mass.

#### Christmas Eve (Saturday, December 24)

3:00pm in the Church, 3:15pm in the gym,  
5:00pm Children's Mass & 10:00pm Candlelight Mass

#### Christmas Day (Sunday, December 25)

8:00am, 10:00am & Noon (No Evening Mass)

### SPIRITUAL CHRISTMAS MASS CARDS

This is a special gift that you can give to your family and friends. They will be remembered in the Masses, Prayers and Apostolic works of our Capuchin Friars. Cards are \$5 and are available in the Rectory.

### HOMEBOUNDED EUCHARIST

Extraordinary Ministers are adult Catholics who wish to serve parishioners who are unable to join us in worship due to health reasons. If you know someone who would like to receive the Eucharist in their home/hospital, or would be interested in helping with this ministry, please contact the rectory office at (650) 347-7768.

### "FORMED" PICK OF THE WEEK

FORMED is a popular online platform that can be likened to a Catholic "Netflix". Visit [www.ola.formed.org](http://www.ola.formed.org). You can also scan the QR Code (to the left) on your phone's camera to download the app. The "Pick of The Week" is "I am Who I Am." Join Dr. Elizabeth Klein in her latest series as she begins to unpack the mystery of who God is. Visit <https://watch.formed.org/lectio-god/videos/lectio-god-episode-1>

## FRATERNITY

### CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS

Our Lady of Angels Music Ministry is looking for enthusiastic singers for the Christmas Eve Mass at 3:00pm and the Christmas Day Mass at 10:00am. Rehearsals will be on Tuesdays, December 13 & 20 at 7pm in the church. Email Matt with any questions at [mrmattei@mac.com](mailto:mrmattei@mac.com).

### ST. FRANCIS GARDEN

OLA has a new place to gather as a community! The focal point of the garden will be a fountain in front of a donor recognition tree wall. Parishioners have the opportunity to remember family and loved ones on an engraved leaf (\$250), stepping stone (\$2,500), or a bird (\$5,000). Visit <https://ola.churchofficechms.com/external/form/fc1ba574-e7b7-4007-bfac-cd58fe31fd9a>. We will have an official St. Francis Garden “Grand Opening” next year around Easter.

### CHRISTMAS GIFTS

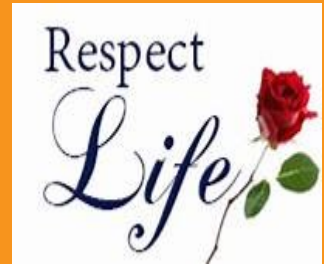
1010 Howard Ave., San Mateo (650) 342-0924

Shop at our neighborhood Catholic store, McCoy Church Goods, for beautiful gifts for Christmas, feasts, holidays, etc. McCoy’s owners Mike and Candace will delight you with their selection of books, cards, statues, rosaries, religious jewelry, etc.

### RESPECT LIFE ESSAY CONTEST

Theme: *Life is a Blessing—Venerable Jerome*

Essay due on January 31, 2023. Open to all students in grades K-12. Cash prizes! For more information, visit [sfarch.org/essay-contest](http://sfarch.org/essay-contest).



## MINORITY

### SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

*Retirement for Religious*

This weekend, our second collection will help defray some of the costs needed to care for the elderly religious in the San Francisco Archdiocese and relieve the genuine financial crisis in many religious congregations.

### ADVENT GIVING TREE—FINAL DAY

Our traditional Advent Giving Tree is in the vestibule of the Church. Simply take an ornament that describes the requested item from the local charity and return it to the rectory mailslot by Monday morning, December 12. Thank you!

### COMMITMENT (PLEDGE) CARDS FOR 2023

Every year at this time, we send out a Commitment (Pledge) Card to ask for your financial support for the coming year. We know that you will be as generous as you can as we look towards 2023. We ask that you fill it in and return it either by mail or put it in the collection basket. You can also pledge online by using the QR Code shown on the right. Thank you!

### USE SMILE.AMAZON TO SHOP ON AMAZON

AmazonSmile is a program where Amazon donates 0.5% of your purchase to OLA. There is no cost to Amazon customers. Registering is easy! Log on to [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) and log in with your regular Amazon user name and password. Search for “Our Lady of Angels Burlingame” as the charitable organization. You have access to the same products and prices as the regular Amazon! Now every time you shop, use [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com)!



The Light is ON  for You.  
*Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation*

*Reconciliation*

*Preparing the Way for the Lord*

*Reconciliation is what God does. Receiving it and celebrating it is what we do. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is the most natural way to celebrate God's forgiveness and love.*

*Take advantage of the opportunities for the Sacrament of Reconciliation during the Season of Advent at Our Lady of Angels Church.*

*Advent Reconciliation*

*Wednesday, December 21 from 7:00pm – 8:30pm*

*Saturday, December 24 from 10:00am – Noon*