



**prayer**

Masses will Celebrate  
Grandparent's Day  
Next Weekend



**fraternity**

Capuchin Golf Tournament  
October 23



**minority**

Support Maui  
Relief Efforts

Our Lady of Angels  
**CAPUCHIN**  
Franciscan

**GOSPEL MEDITATION**

Isn't it easy to relate to Peter? One moment Jesus announces Peter's deep communion with God the Father. The very next, when he rejects the logic of Jesus' suffering and death, Jesus calls Peter Satan. We Christians shouldn't be too shocked when we experience both spiritual highs and lows, when we perceive breathtaking contradictions in our hearts.

Like the great apostle, you and I are recipients of unfathomable graces. God dwells in us, calls his beloved children, and takes care of our every need. And we also continually fail to embrace our sufferings with trust in Jesus. We know the truth of the creed, but we easily scorn the weight of the cross.

The good news is that, like Peter, we are never abandoned by the Lord even at our worst moments. Peter will eventually learn the beauty of the cross when he is willingly crucified. But it took time for him to get there. And it takes time for us, too. This week let's not be too shocked at these divisions in our hearts but accept them and patiently seek to be more obedient to Jesus' cross-shaped plan for us.



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**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. Monica Ruane

**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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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: 3:30-4:30 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, and the following for whom Mass will be offered:

**SAT, September 2: 5:00 p.m.** The Lopez & Verbelli Family / Cynthia Christopher

**SUN, September 3:**

**7:00 a.m.** All Parishioners

**8:30 a.m.** Jeannette Beeler

**10:00 a.m.** John Bertolozzi / Fred Bertetta

**11:30 a.m.** Norma Asacani

**6:00 p.m.** Fr. Fergus, OFM Cap.

**8:00 a.m.**

**MONDAY:** Fr. James Harrington / Don "Manny" Lopez

**TUESDAY:** Fr. James Harrington / Myrna Abad

**WEDNESDAY:** Hugh Mitchell / Pat Kellogg

**THURSDAY:** Special Intention / Stan & Teresa Distel

**FRIDAY:** Margaret E. Bankovitch/ Special Intention

**SATURDAY:** Howard Champagne, Sr.

**11:30 a.m. at Marian**

Serafino Fontana

Special Intention

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Ruth Regan

Thomas Mallard / Tom Keefer

**5:30 p.m.**

Fred Bertetta

Tom Byrne

Theresa & Frank Spiteri

Special Intention

Dean DeRanieri

**SAT, September 9: 5:00 p.m.** John Cassanego / Patrick Kelly

**SUN, September 10:**

**7:00 a.m.** All Parishioners

**8:30 a.m.** Guido Zanone / Bob Puts

**10:00 a.m.** Dean DeRanieri / Elmo Fatica

**11:30 a.m.** Phil Castillo / Doug Lamont

**6:00 p.m.** Ronald Bardone

OLA has been chosen as one of six parishes in the Archdiocese for a special project called “Next Generation Parish”. Catholic Leadership Institute (CLI), a national organization, provides the expertise to prepare parishes in the United States for future generations. We are all very aware of how rapidly our society values and priorities are changing to a more secular world.

OLA has the opportunity to anticipate and “stay ahead of the curve”. With expertise from CLI we will focus on three areas over a four year period:

1. Assess the strengths of our parish and how we will build on them for the future.
2. Develop a plan with goals and objectives that are real and measurable.
3. Cultivate an even greater awareness in the parish of how blessed we are and the call of the Church to reach out to others who are less fortunate.

Our goal is to use our talents, time and treasure to bring the message of salvation to as many people as possible. Over the next four years, we will roll out a comprehensive program with goals and objectives that, when achieved, will set us up well for the future. YOU too will have the opportunity to be part of this exciting adventure. More information will be available as the project proceeds.



Creating communities of disciples, leaders, and missionaries for today and tomorrow.



## PRAYER

### CELEBRATING GRANDPARENT'S DAY

*All Masses the weekend of September 9-10, 2023*

The U.S. bishops have approved the transfer of the celebration of World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly in the U.S. to the first weekend after Labor Day to coincide with National Grandparent's Day. The theme for the 2023 celebration selected by the pope is "His mercy is from age to age". Please join us next weekend as our priests will give a special blessing at each Mass.

### "FORMED" PICK OF THE WEEK

FORMED is a popular online platform that can be likened to a Catholic Netflix. The subscription is free and provided by OLA to all parishioners. The "Pick of The Week" is *Mother Teresa: No Greater Love*. This is a soaring tribute to a spiritual icon, a powerful witness of authentic Christian charity, and a guidepost for all who seek hope in our turbulent times: Mother Teresa of Calcutta. This film reveals not just who Mother Teresa was, but how her singular vision to serve Christ in the poor continues to be realized through the Missionaries of Charity today. Please visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) to register or scan the QR Code to the left on your phone's camera for this week's video.

### ARCHDIOCESAN UPDATE

As you may be aware, the Archdiocese of San Francisco has filed for bankruptcy. OLA and all parishes in the Archdiocese of SF are not part of this bankruptcy procedure. For more information, please refer to the press release at <https://www.sfarchdiocese.org/press-release-the-roman-catholic-archbishop-of-san-francisco-files-for-chapter-11-bankruptcy-to-facilitate-settlements-with-abuse-survivors/>

### NATIONAL SHRINE OF ST. FRANCIS

*Saint Pio Festival on September 24*

*National Shrine of St. Francis (610 Vallejo St., San Francisco)*

Featuring a relics exposition, Mass-Veneration, Photo/Video Gallery, Religious Items and Italian Ceramics Booths, Procession, Dinner, Concert and more! Tickets and information can be found on the website at [www.knightsofsaintfrancis.org](http://www.knightsofsaintfrancis.org) or by calling (415) 434-8700.

### EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES EXHIBIT

*September 17, 8:30am-4pm (St. Mary's Cathedral: 1111 Gough Street, SF)*

Contact: Leslie Low at (916) 396-1029 | [leslie@ignatius.com](mailto:leslie@ignatius.com)

Live presentations of miraculous evidence that Jesus is present in the Blessed Sacrament hosted and presented by Richard Bernatchez after every Mass held at St. Mary's Cathedral. Shroud of Turin and Near-Death Experiences may be shown, time permitting.

### POLICE-FIRE MASS

*September 10 at 10:00 am*

*St. Anne of the Sunset Church (850 Judah St., San Francisco)*

The Police-Fire Mass originated as an annual event honoring the firefighters who lost their lives during the 1946 Herbert Hotel Fire and continues to honor all first responders. The Mass is sponsored by the San Francisco Fire, Police, and Sheriff Departments and the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

## FRATERNITY

### ANNUAL CAPUCHIN GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, October 23 at Green Hills Country Club, Millbrae

Many ways to participate:

Event Sponsorships, Tee-Hole Signage, Golfing, and Dinner!

All proceeds help fund the development and retirement of our Capuchin Franciscans. Call (650) 347-1505 or visit [capuchinwest.org/golf](http://capuchinwest.org/golf).

### SCHOOL OF RELIGION NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

The OLA School of Religion is looking for volunteer teachers and aides for both in the classroom and possibly in virtual classrooms to teach the faith to children. If you are interested, please email the SOR at [schoolofreligion@olaparish.org](mailto:schoolofreligion@olaparish.org).

### RESTORATIVE JUSTICE MINISTRY

11th annual Reentry Conference and Resource Fair

September 8 from 8 am—4 pm

Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption (1111 Gough St., SF)

This conference brings hundreds of individuals and organizations from around the state to explore the latest concerns, opportunities and advancements of justice-involved and crime-affected individuals and families.

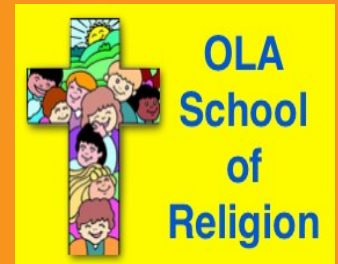
Visit [sfarchdiocese.org/reentry-conference/](http://sfarchdiocese.org/reentry-conference/) for more information.

### HUMAN TRAFFICKING & COLLEGE WEBINAR

Wednesday, September 13 at 10am

Attending college can be a pivotal time that involves meeting new people and testing the waters of independence. It can also be a time of increased vulnerability. In addition to the disproportionately higher rates of sexual assaults occurring on college campuses, there is also the risk of sex trafficking. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking will present this webinar that focuses on human trafficking with particular attention to what is happening on college campuses across the United States.

Register at [uso2web.zoom.us/webinar/register/](https://uso2web.zoom.us/webinar/register/)



## MINORITY

### MAUI RELIEF

As Catholics, we are called to help those in need. Join parishes across the Archdiocese of San Francisco to support humanitarian needs in Maui. Please give directly to Hawaii Catholic Community Foundation (HCCF) by visiting <https://sfarch.org/maui/>

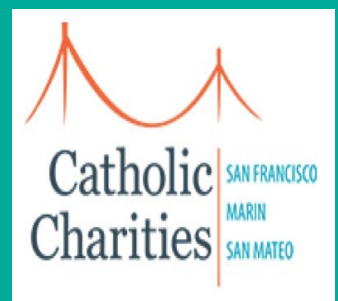
### CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Catholic Charities Carl Gellert and Celia Berta Gellert Foundation Adult Day Services is a licensed program enhancing the quality of life for seniors and adults with disabilities who experience losses in physical function, cognitive issues, memory or social support. Services include mentally and physically stimulating activities in a safe and friendly environment tailored to meet individual needs; a hot nutritious lunch and snacks; and personal care assistance. For information, contact (650) 592-9325 or visit [csantoni@CatholicCharitiesSF.org](mailto:csantoni@CatholicCharitiesSF.org).

### SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

Collection for the Church in Latin America

Your generous donations assist communities throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Visit [www.usccb.org/latin-america](http://www.usccb.org/latin-america).





## Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

Are you interested in becoming Catholic,  
or learning more about the Catholic faith?

Are you a visitor to Our Lady of Angels Church who is not Catholic,  
but feels drawn to the Catholic faith?

Do you desire to be baptized?

Were you baptized in another faith,  
and now are considering joining the Catholic Church?

Were you baptized a Catholic, but not raised in the faith  
or never received Eucharist and/or Confirmation?

Are you married to a Catholic and want to worship fully as a family?

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If you answered “yes” to any of these questions, the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is for you. OCIA is a discernment process with absolutely no pressure.

Catholics who are already in full communion with the church and want to learn more about their faith may also benefit from these meetings and act as sponsors to our Candidates.

Our weekly sessions focus on the teachings of Jesus and the doctrine of the Church. We help you prepare to receive the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist – during the Easter season.

OCIA meetings are held Tuesday evenings from 7pm to 8:30pm. We begin in September, and continue through Easter and Pentecost. You may join at any time throughout the year, but that may delay the reception of the sacraments until the following Easter.

If you are interested in participating in this year’s OCIA group, please contact Deacon Chris or Johna, Director of Religious Education, using the information below.

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Spread the word! Frequently someone comes (or returns) to the Church simply because a friend thought to invite them.