

**prayer**

Ash Wednesday  
February 14



**fraternity**

OLA Dinner Dance  
March 2



**minority**

Milk for  
Our Missions

# Our Lady of Angels CAPUCHIN Franciscan

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

Recently I had a skin rash, and it was awful. (Please don't tell anyone.) I am embarrassed to admit that I didn't handle it well. Complaining, whining, begging for sympathy, and crying were my responses to the merciless itching and burning. In the aftermath, a silver lining emerged. I feel a new heartfelt sympathy for all those vexed with chronic skin problems. If you've ever had a seemingly unending skin problem, you know how that sympathy flows up from deep inside.

This gut-level compassion is something like what the Gospel describes in Jesus when the sore-covered leper says, "If you will it, you can make me clean." At this, just before the healing, Jesus was "moved with compassion." The Greek word used here is strong and earthy, closer to "his bowels and guts trembled with the deepest emotions of sadness, pity, and love." In Jesus, God heals our infirmities not from a divine distance but by learning what it feels like to be us. He acquires first-hand experience of what it costs us to be afflicted and still be faithful to God. He sympathizes with the itching, and blistering of human existence in the deepest, first-hand way. To discover that is to touch Jesus' heart.

What in your life, right now, is breaking out like diseased skin? What is getting worse the more you try to soothe it? Perhaps only you feel it. Or maybe it's exposed to all. A bad habit, broken relationship, loneliness, fear of failure, self-hatred? Name it, and then find a way to bring it confidently to Jesus who will feel what we are feeling, and thereby heal us.

— Father John Muir



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**Music Director:**

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By appointment only. Call the Rectory.

**MARRIAGES:**

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

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**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, June Landi, Rosemary Rayburn, Isabelita Viduya, and the following for whom Mass will be offered:

**SAT, February 10: 5:00 p.m.** Rudona Bleichner / Frank Clyde

**SUN, February 11:**

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

**8:30 a.m.** Margaret Duffy

**10:00 a.m.** Joe Marchetti / Josip Martinovic

**11:30 a.m.** Don Cornette / Salvador Duenas

**6:00 p.m.** Rosalie O'Mahony

<b>MONDAY:</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	Norvell Llamas / Sam Navarra
<b>TUESDAY:</b>		Nilo Soto / Tony Rey
<b>WEDNESDAY:</b>		Anne Hahn
<b>THURSDAY:</b>		Joe & Mara Sarti / John & Ada Mocelin
<b>FRIDAY:</b>		Joseph Mocelin
<b>SATURDAY:</b>		Rudy Gutierrez / Marcy Quilcin

<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>11:30 a.m. at Marian Oaks</b>
	Serafino Fontana
	Alexis Lacrouts / Tom Keefer
Lois Minkel	Rosalie O'Mahony
	Cesar Simmaco
	Rosalie O'Mahony
	Rosalie O'Mahony

<b>5:30 p.m.</b>
John Cassanego
Henry Kalfsbeek
Miguel D. Arguello
Peter McGee
Henry Kalfsbeek

**SAT, February 17: 5:00 p.m.** Rudona Bleichner / Joseph & Maria Emilio

**SUN, February 18:**

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

**8:30 a.m.** Edward Kennedy Sr. / Thomas Macca

**10:00 a.m.** Honesto & Carolina Llamas / Terzina Bertocchini

**11:30 a.m.** Jeanette Butler-Gutzman / Libby Brooks

**6:00 p.m.** Anne Hahn / Maria Isabel De La Torre



# Jesus *and the* **EUCCHARIST**

A SMALL GROUP SERIES FOR

## **EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL**



### **LENTEN RENEW SMALL GROUPS**

#### 6 Week Program

- Mondays at 10am in the Lower Hall starting 2/12 with Debra Payne/Valerie Heckert
- Wednesdays at 7pm in the Church starting 2/21 with Fr. Michael/Fr. Peter
- Thursdays at 6:45pm in the Upper Hall starting 2/22 with Women Walking with Purpose

**Register  
here:**



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## PRAYER

### WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

*This Weekend at the 11:30am Sunday Mass at OLA*  
Please join us for Mass followed by the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick to commemorate the 32nd World Day of the Sick.

### ASH WEDNESDAY

*Wednesday, February 14*  
Masses (with ashes) will be celebrated at 8am, 11am & 5:30pm at Our Lady of Angels. Ashes will also be distributed at a 7:30pm Prayer Service.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays during Lent at 6pm (after the 5:30pm Mass)

### LENTEN FAST AND ABSTINENCE

**Abstinence:** Everyone 14 and older is bound to abstain from meat on ASH WEDNESDAY, the FRIDAYS of Lent, and GOOD FRIDAY.

**Fast:** Everyone 18 and older but under the age of 60 is also bound to fast on ASH WEDNESDAY and GOOD FRIDAY. On these two days, the law of fast allows only one full meal a day, but does not prohibit taking some food during the day, so long as this does not constitute another full meal. Drinking liquids is permitted. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige.

### LENTEN RENEW GROUPS

Groups are now forming for this year's Lenten Renew Groups featuring the "Jesus and the Eucharist" video series. Each session is full of rich theological content, powerful testimonies, and unique and timely messages to dive more deeply into the richness of our Eucharistic faith as a community. We will have sessions on:

- \* Mondays at 10am in the Lower Hall led by Debra Payne/Valerie Heckert
  - \* Wednesdays at 7pm in the Church led by Fr. Michael and Fr. Peter
  - \* Thursdays at 6:45pm in the Upper Hall led by Women Walking with Purpose
- Please see page 3 of this bulletin to register.

### ARCHDIOCESAN WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

*Saturday, February 24, 2024 – 9:00am-3:30pm*  
St. Dominic Parish (2390 Bush St., San Francisco)

Register at <https://www.sfarch.org/womens-conference/>

Join the Archdiocese of San Francisco, along with St. Dominic's Catholic Church, for the 2024 Archdiocesan Women's Conference. The theme this year is *Blessed Art Thou: Women of the Eucharist in the Modern World*. The day will begin with Mass with Archbishop Cordileone, followed by talks given by Gloria Purvis, host of the Gloria Purvis Podcast with America Magazine and speaker at the upcoming National Eucharistic Congress. The conference will also include time for Eucharistic Adoration and Sacrament of Reconciliation. Lunch will be provided.

### "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 *Whole 40: Making a Spiritual Plan for Lent*. Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Elizabeth Klein discuss the purpose of the season of Lent, how to prepare for it, and why it is such a fruitful season in our life of faith. 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.

## FRATERNITY

### CELEBRATE FR. BRIAN'S BIRTHDAY!

Thursday, February 15 from 5-7pm

Fiddler's Green, Millbrae

Drop by for appetizers and wine to celebrate Fr. Brian's 89th Birthday! Fr. Brian would love to see you all there!

### MEN'S CLUB MEETING

Thursday, February 15 at 6pm in the Lower Hall (Cost \$25)

The first ever Bernie Cotter Memorial Comedy Night! This will be something new for the Club but it's guaranteed to be entertaining. The lineup includes a Professional Stand Up Comedian, Roast of the OLA Men's Club Softball Team, and Open Mic! Use the QR Code to the right to register.

### SAVE THE DATE

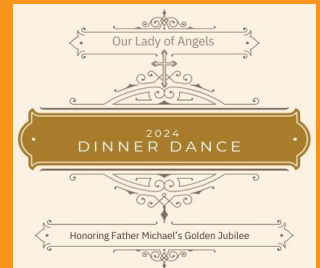
**Eucharistic Miracles** – Sunday, March 10 at 7pm in the Church

Dr. Scott French, a practicing board certified Emergency Physician, presents the amazing 21st century validated medical/scientific evidence that the Eucharist is the living blood, body, soul and divinity of Jesus Christ. Interestingly, the evidence of the Eucharist is tied to the evidence that the Shroud of Turin is in fact the burial cloth of Jesus Christ. Further, there is also science that supports the contention that the image on the Shroud is in fact evidence of the Resurrection, which is the defeat of death, and the promise of eternal life in heaven.

### DINNER DANCE

The 2024 Dinner Dance honoring Father Michael's Golden Jubilee is on Saturday, March 2nd at Par 3 in San Mateo from 6:30pm to Midnight.

To make this a successful event, the school is in need of auction items and they need your help! They would much appreciate items such as: Monetary Donations, Underwriting/Business Ads, Sponsorships, Vacation Rentals/Time Shares, Airline Miles/Points, Sports Tickets, Gift Certificates and Visa/Amex Gift Cards, Private Parties, and Packages from kid friendly places. To donate, please contact Hanine at [haninerafidi@gmail.com](mailto:haninerafidi@gmail.com). Also, please "Save the Date" for Father Michael's Golden Jubilee parish celebration which will include a Saturday evening dinner in the gym and a Sunday Jubilee Mass and parish party the weekend of June 15/16! More information to follow!



## MINORITY

### LENT "MILK FOR OUR MISSIONS" DONATIONS

"Milk for Our Missions" donations will begin on Ash Wednesday. Since 2016, OLA parishioners have generously donated money to buy powdered milk and food for undernourished families in Northern Mexico. 100% of your donations buy much needed food distributed by our Northern Mexico Capuchin Franciscan friars, led by Fr. David Beaumont, OFM Cap.

### TAX DONATION FORMS

Please check your email for your end of year tax donation letters which were sent by email on Thursday, January 18. If you do not have an email address on file, your letter will be mailed in the next two weeks. If you'd like to add your email to our database so you receive your tax form earlier next year, please email the rectory at [parishoffice@olaparish.org](mailto:parishoffice@olaparish.org).





*WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14*

*MASSES WITH THE DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES*

*8:00 am, 11:00 am & 5:30 pm*

*7:30 pm*

*ASH WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE  
ASHES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED*

*STATIONS OF THE CROSS*

*FRIDAYS DURING LENT*

*6:00 pm (following the 5:30 pm Mass)*