



# STAR of the SEA

a stewardship parish

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**October 15th, 2017** Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (p622 in Red Missal)  
Extraordinary Form: Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost (p797 in Black Missal)



**Consecration.** Last Saturday I was most encouraged to see so many of you at our Cathedral for the Archbishop's Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Our parish and our archdiocese has

made good progress in evangelizing the culture, but we have so far to go. The vast majority of our society is post-Christian, and we practicing Catholics also breathe this air. Our faith is so weak. Most of our children no longer practice the faith--most of *my children* (all the Catholics within my parish boundaries) no longer do even the *minimum* necessary (Mass every Sunday). Our faith has become largely superficial, without the power to save our souls or even affect our daily lives. Like many priests, I am tempted to give up and become a hermit somewhere. And I say: Our only hope is Our Lady. Our only hope is consecrating ourselves, and our city, to her Immaculate Heart. Only she can help us. Which is why I see last week's Consecration as so vital in this struggle. My heartfelt thanks to our dear Archbishop, and all of you who attended.

**Consecration Homily** Archbishop Cordileone preached a powerful message at the Consecration Mass. Here are his three main points. "Our Lady at Fa-



tima called the children to prayer, penance, and adoration. I repeat that call to you: I call every Catholic in the Archdiocese of San Francisco to **pray** the rosary every day, as she asked, and the family rosary once a week. I call every Catholic in the Archdiocese of San Francisco to **fast** every Friday of the year, as she asked, giving up some food such as meat, or drink, or sweet, or even a whole meal. I call every Catholic in the Archdiocese of San Francisco to **adore** silently before the Eucharistic Presence of Jesus once a week, as she asked--fifteen minutes, a half hour, and hour. I am calling every Catholic in the Archdiocese of San Francisco to these simple but most effective practices, as Our Lady asked, for the conversion of sinners and for peace in the world.

- Fr. Joseph Illo ([frilloblog.com](http://frilloblog.com))

Our mission statement:  
*to evangelize God's people  
beginning with the gift of the  
Holy Eucharist.*

Fr. Joseph Illo  
Administrator

Fr. John Mary Chung  
Parochial Vicar

Fr. Vito Perone  
School Chaplain

Martin Ford  
Operations Manager

Ellen Torkelson  
Secretary /HR

Thelma Queri  
Secretary / Bookkeeper

Theresa Poon  
School Principal

Jacqueline Paras  
Director of Pre-school

Lynn Kraehling  
Music Director

Claire Herrick  
Director of Evangelization

Lorna Feria  
Children Faith Formation

Mariella Zevallos  
Stewardship Coordinator

Ed Tobin  
Sacristan

Ryan Sebers  
President Pastoral Council

John Sellai  
President Finance Council

Office: M-F 8:30am-4:00pm.  
Office closed 12:00-1:00pm  
for Mass.

## Weekend Masses

Sat Vigil 4:30pm, Sun 8am,  
9:30am, 11:30 am (Latin),  
5pm (Latin), 7:30pm

## Adoration

Tues. 8:30am 'til Saturday  
4pm, Tuesday 7-8pm, Every  
2nd Sunday 3:15-4:15pm

## Daily Masses

Monday to Friday  
7:30am (Latin) 12 Noon  
Saturday 8:30am

## Social Events

Parish BBQ: First  
Sundays Young Adults  
Tuesdays 7pm

## Holy Day Masses

7:30am (Latin) 12 Noon,  
5:30pm, 6:30pm (Latin  
with choir)

## Devotions to Jesus

Sacred Heart First Friday  
after Noon Mass, Divine  
Mercy Saturday at 3pm

## Confessions

15 Minutes before every  
Mass, Saturday 3:15-4:15 or  
by appointment

## Devotions to Mary

Perpetual Help Wednesday  
after Noon Mass. Fatima First  
Saturday after 8:30am Mass

# NEWS

## The Sunday Scriptures

by Fr. Joseph Illo **Inclusion**

(Isaiah 25:6-10 Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20 Matthew 22:1-14)

In today's Gospel parable Jesus invites *everyone* to his wedding feast. He excludes no one, but many exclude themselves. In the parable, the guests' refusal to attend his banquet "enrages" the King. We should do everything we can to get those who do not attend the King's banquet back to Mass. And we who do attend should make sure we are attired properly, both in our Sunday best clothing and having made a good confession to clothe our souls in purity.

## Star of the Sea Oktoberfest

Put on your lederhosen and dirndl! On Saturday November 11th after the 4:30pm Mass, the Knights of Columbus will host our first Oktoberfest featuring live polka music, dancing, games, and fun! Tickets are \$25 for adults (comes with a beer and sausage), \$5 for kids and teens (comes with a hotdog and soda), and children 5 and under are free.

## New 5pm Mass Choir Rehearsal Times

Choir rehearsals were on Wednesdays from 7-9pm. Rehearsals will now take place on Mondays 7-9pm beginning October 9th. The Sunday 3:45-4:45pm rehearsal will remain unchanged.

## Principals Letter

by Theresa Poon

How wonderful it was to welcome Fr. Illo back with a very successful Blessing of the Animals on St. Francis of Assisi's Feast Day on Oct 4! We look forward to working together as we build our Star community, upholding the charism of our school's founding Sisters of St. Joseph of Corondelet, who were inspired by Jesus' invitation: to love God and to love our neighbor. So, in this spirit, we invite all parishioners to attend Star of the Sea School's Stella Maris Mass and Gala on Nov. 4, as we honor two beloved members of our Star family, Sr. Katie O'Shea, of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Corondelet and Ms. Susan O'Hara, an alumni parent, for their service to our community. For more information, please email: [fundraising@staroftheseasf.com](mailto:fundraising@staroftheseasf.com) or see [staroftheseasf.com](http://staroftheseasf.com) for more details.



Processing for Mass in Fatima, Portugal

## All Souls Day Mass

The greatest liturgy will be celebrated for all souls on November 2nd. It will be a Solemn High Requiem Mass with newly ordained Fr. Yu. The whole SF Archdiocese is invited to celebrate with us at Star of the Sea at 6:30pm.

## Mother / Daughter Retreat

The Office of Marriage and Family Life presents a program for mothers and daughters to explore God's gift of human fertility together. Help your daughter see the beauty and wonder of God's plan for growing up as a young girl and becoming a woman. Held on November 4th at St. Bartholomew Church in San Mateo. Ages 10-12: 9am to 12:30pm. Ages 13-16: 1pm to 5:00pm. It is \$20 per family. Register at [sfarch.org/MD](http://sfarch.org/MD)

## Stella Maris Gala

Join the fun, support the capital campaign of our parish school, and show your support for the winners of this year's Stella Maris Award, Sr. Katy O'shea and Susan O'Hara, by attending the Stella Maris Gala! All are welcome! Takes place on Saturday November 4th. \$115 per ticket. Table of 8 for \$920. Mass is at 4:30. The Gala, which will have an auction and dinner will take place in the Gym at 5:30pm. Contact school for tickets at (415) 221-8558.

## Work/Life Retreat

Calling all Young Adults and Youth Ministers! The speaker will be DJ Bernal. Event is \$12 and includes lunch. November 4th at St. Cecilia's Church 10am-4:30pm.

# PRAYER

Day	Time	Intention
Sat 10/14	8:30am 4:30pm	+ Jose Gonzales + Alphonse Zeszotek
Sun 10/15	8am 9:30am 11:30am 5pm 7:30pm	+Enrique Ines (bday) In thanksgiving of Maria Socorro Macalalad & family +William Hathorn +Bill Volpenest +George Moley
Mon 10/16	7:30am 12Noon	Int Renee Neuton Mercado Int Enore & Cecilia Beltrame
Tue 10/17	7:30am 12Noon	Int Sean & Glen Hughes +Terry Hanley
Wed 10/18	7:30am 12Noon	Int Brenda Petropoulos +deceased members of Holy Rosary Sodality
Thu 10/19	7:30am 12Noon	+Mr. & Mrs. Sergio Bonilla +Nicholas L. Petropoulos
Fri 10/20	7:30am 12Noon	Int Victoriano Chung for healing + Terry Hanley
Sat 10/21	8:30am 4:30pm	+ Trinidad Seballos (bday) + Eugenie Sallaberria

Please pray for ...  
Fr. John McDermott,  
Ron Howes, Leoni Pryor, Billy Kennedy, Jenny & Francis Chow, Blanca Barahona, Valerie Chicas, Valerie Abejuro Miller, Raquel Pasco, Sis. Theresa Grant, Peter Haramis, Leslie Weber, Christina G. Piazio, John Driscoll, Edna Herrera, Miles Sellai, David Schiessl, David Talpas,,Matthew Nelson, Cecilia Conway, Sicily Guzman, Nora Sarinas, Anastasia Olbash, Ben-Hur Palma, Michael Hughes, Mary

Acadan, Charde Ford, James Houghton, Flora Atento, Tony Yoshida, Raymond Ellery, George Pulizzano, Maria Fernanda Marcal, Maryanne Thompson, Christian Ourtague, Pat Hegarty, Johnny Colins, Sam Lahey, Joshua Cavalier, Manuel Sequeira, Evelyn Gan, Tessie So, Bruce Pritchard, Mary Guy, Beradi Wang, Suzane Wang, Rosa Lee, Tina Sanchez, Janice Alden Tom Schatz, Luz King, Connie Abordo, Jean Brock, David Glennon

## Archbishop Cordileone's

## Homily for the Consecration

The whole document can be found at the Archdiocesan website. Here is an excerpt:

"For 100 years we ignored the message of Fatima; or, perhaps, it is not so much the message we ignored, for we are well aware of the warnings and the history that resulted. Rather, it is the requests we ignored. But we cannot afford to do so any longer. We have to pay attention. We have to do what she told the waiters at Cana: do whatever he tells you. And what does Christ tell us to do? He reveals this in the requests our Lady made at Fatima. It is now time to heed those requests. We might not have the power to change world history, but we can change what happens in our own families and communities if we heed the message. This next century can be radically different from the last one, but only if we heed the message and respond to the requests."

# EVENTS

Saturday October 14 **Stewardship Retreat** in the auditorium at 9am. RSVP required.

Monday October 16 **RCIA Resumes** at 6:30pm on John Paul II and the Son of God.

Tuesday October 17 **Bible Study** at 3:00pm at the Parish Office. Call (650) 660-4546 to RSVP

Tuesday October 17 **Holy Hour** at 7pm in the Church to pray for the intentions of everyone at the parish and school

Tuesday October 17 **Young Adults Fellowship** after 7pm Holy Hour in the West Entrance of the Church and then to a local pub to be determined.

Thursday October 19 **Pro-Life Group** at 7pm prays outside Planned Parenthood on Valencia St. 7pm

Friday October 20 **Communion and Liberation** at 7pm in the St. Francis Room

Saturday October 21 **Stewardship Retreat** in the auditorium at 9am. RSVP required.

Saturday October 21 **Serving the Homeless** contact Jacqueline at outreach@starparish.com for more info and to RSVP (by October 13th please)

Saturday October 21 **Mothers Group** at 8:30am Mass or after Mass at 9:15am in the Parish Office

Saturday October 21 - Sunday October 22 **World Mission Sunday Appeal** (second offertory)

Saturday October 28 **Stewardship Retreat** in the auditorium at 9am. RSVP required.

Wednesday November 1 **All Saints Day** (Holy Day of Obligation) Masses: 7:30am (Latin), Noon (English), 5:30pm (English) 6:30pm (Latin with choir).

Thursday November 2 **All Souls Day** Masses: 7:30am (Latin), Noon (English), 6:30pm (Latin with choir).

Saturday November 4 **Stella Maris Gala**. Tickets are \$115. Contact the School for tickets.

Saturday November 4 **Young Adult Work/Life Retreat** St. Ceciliass Church 10-4:30pm

Saturday November 11 **Oktoberfest** will take place after the 4:30pm Vigil Mass (sponsored by the Knights of Columbus)

Sunday November 12 **Book Club** in the Parish Office at 1:30pm



# STEWARDSHIP

**Stewardship** is a way of life, a life of accountability and responsibility acknowledging God as Creator and Giver of all. **Stewardship** involves responsible management of our God-given resources of **Time** (that is, time spent in prayer before God), **Talent** (our God-given abilities), and **Treasure** (our God-given wealth). Stewards as disciples of Jesus Christ see themselves as caretakers of all God's gifts.



Nicholas Phuong's Baptism

## Steward Stats



**Time:** Roughly **2000** people came to pray the Rosary, Mass and Adoration at the Cathedral on Saturday.



**Talent:** **420** square feet of wall painted by the Knights of Columbus in the St. Francis Room.



**Treasure:** **\$7,017** given in the Offertory.

Our parish is subscribed to **FORMED.ORG**. It's like a Catholic Netflix. Register and use this secret code: **DGG4E2** to get access.



Marcus and Marianna Quintanilla  
Wedding

## Guadalupana Prep

Carmen is selling raffle tickets after Masses in preparation for the Feast Day celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Tickets are 1/\$1 or 6/\$5.

## Make Stewardship a Part of Your Life

Join us in this blessed effort. Our beloved pastor Fr. Joseph Illo, the Stewardship Committee and the parish staff are working together getting ready for the 2017 Parish Stewardship Renewal. October will be a busy month! We are starting a series of Formation Classes on the "Spirituality of Stewardship," designing a Ministry Catalog and Commitment Cards that soon will be mailed to your homes, and more information will be provided by Fr. Joseph who will talk about the Stewardship Renewal Campaign at all Masses in the coming weeks. Stewardship is a way of life!

**Estate Planning:** Help our work live on. Please reamember us in your will. For information on estate planning, please contact Martin Ford at the parish office.

Beautifying our sacred space	Thelma Queri (415) 751-0450
Chinese Club	Gertrude Lee (415) 752-3611
Filipino Club	Estrella Chan (415) 575-0828
Holy Name Society	Wayne Racek (916) 409-5312
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Serving the Poor	Jacqueline Paras outreach@starparish.com
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Eucharistic Adoration	Claire Herrick claire@starparish.com
Meeting Young Adults	Claire Herrick claire@starparish.com
Helping in the office	Martin Ford (415) 751-0450
Knights of Columbus	Bud Feria budzilla885@yahoo.com
Singing in a choir	Lynn Kraehling lynn@starparish.com
Helping with Liturgy	Mariella Zevallos mariella@starparish.com
Holy Rosary Sodality	Catalina Rausa 415-221-2287

### Parishioner Registration

Please place this in the offertory basket

- ☐ New Parishioner
- ☐ New Information

Name

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Phone

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Email

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☐ FULL ☐ ASSOCIATE