

SAINT ANGELA MERICI CATHOLIC CHURCH

OUR PARISH COMMUNITY MISSION STATEMENT

We, the family of Saint Angela Merici, a welcoming community with a rich heritage, live our Baptismal call to become the Body of Christ through Eucharist, Evangelization and Stewardship.

OCTOBER 30, 2022 | THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Mass Times

**Tuesday - Friday 8:30am Morning Mass
Saturday Evening - 5:00pm Mass
Sunday - 8:00am, 10:00am and 12Noon**

Reconciliation

Saturday, 9:00am or by appointment only



Parish Office Hours: 9am - 4pm, M-F
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Call the Parish Office, (831) 655-4160

FAITH FORMATION

**K-8 Weekly Youth Classes, First Communion,
 Confirmation, Small Christian Communities
 Contact: Jordan Lewis**

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

**For those interested in becoming Catholic or
 Completing their Sacraments of Initiation
 Call Barbara Wright, 277-9186**

MARRIAGES

Call the parish office 655-4160, ext. 20
***Begin instruction six months before the intended
 date of the wedding.**



**Heather Diaz,
 Preschool Director,
 (831) 372-3555**



SAMDAG 2022

Our 25th Anniversary Edition



A HUGE THANK YOU

A HUGE THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO PARTICIPATED THIS YEAR!

THANK YOU to those who donated items, gift cards, bid online, did Tee sponsorships, participated in the golf tournament, donated monetarily, sponsored a dinner table, and/or enjoyed the dinner and auction, as this supports and patronizes our local businesses that have supported our SAMDAG event.

MANY THANKS to all of you who purchased the 50/50 Raffle Tickets and/or the Chance for Live Ticket(s), and/or who purchased the special events tickets.

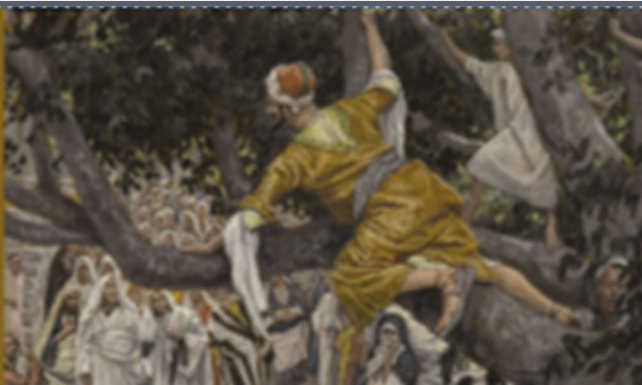
A SPECIAL THANK YOU to the SAMDAG committee for all their leadership, time, talent, and enthusiasm as this wonderful SAMDAG event would not be as successful without them. Again, a sincere thank you to each one of you as we do so appreciate you and your work!

*Thank
 You*

Readings for October 31st - November 6th		This week at St. Angela Merici			
Monday Halloween	Phil 2:1-4 Ps 131:1bcde-3 Lk 14:12-14	Mon 10/31		Happy Halloween	
Tuesday All Saints	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14 Ps 24:1-6 1 Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-12a	Tues 11/01	8:30am 11:00am 1:00pm 3:30pm 4:45pm 6:30pm 7:00pm	All Saints Day Mass SCC Food Cupboard Youth Faith Formation Class Youth Choir Practice All Saints Day Mass 40+Singles	Ch SmHall SmHall LgHall Ch Ch SmHall
Wednesday All Souls Day	Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6 Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9 Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from no. 668 or from Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016	Wed 11/02	8:30am 10:30am 6:30pm 6:30pm	All Souls Day Mass Yarns & Stitches RCIA Evening Prayer	Ch Lib Lib Ch
Thursday St. Martin de Porres	Phil 3:3-8a Ps 105:2-7 Lk 15:1-10	Thurs 11/03	8:30am 1:00pm 6:00pm	Morning Mass Food Cupboard Choir	Ch SmHall Ch
First Friday St. Charles Borromeo	Phil 3:17 — 4:1 Ps 122:1-5 Lk 16:1-8	Fri 11/04	8:30am	Morning Mass	Ch
Saturday	Phil 4:10-19 Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9 Lk 16:9-15	Sat 11/05	9:00am 9:30am 5:00pm	Reconciliation Food Cupboard Mass	Ch SmHall Ch
Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time	2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14 Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 2 Thes 2:16 — 3:5 Lk 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]	Sun 11/06	8:00am 10:00am 12:00pm 1:00pm	Mass Mass Mass OLF Luncheon & Whist Card Party	Ch Ch Ch LgHall
HUNGRY?  COME ENJOY A WONDERFUL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST this Sunday, October 30th, after the 8:00am and 10am Masses. Enjoy delicious pancakes, eggs, bacon, sausage, juice, coffee and community fellowship.  Tickets for the breakfast may be purchased at the door if you have not already purchased them. 50/50 Raffle Tickets may also be purchased at the door. You do not need to be present to win.		 40+Singles Meeting Tuesday Evening, November 1, 7:00pm in the Small Hall We are St. Angela's parishioners, over 40 years of age, single or single again, who are interested in making new friends, taking part in social activities, sharing opportunities for spiritual growth and becoming involved in volunteer projects that will benefit our parish, our community and ourselves. <u>New members are always welcome.</u> If you'd like to join us, we meet the first Tuesday of each month. We encourage you to come to this month's one hour meeting where we will be planning our next I-HELP dinner (Thursday, November 10), and other activities including our monthly hike, and Sunday night dinners. Call David at 582-7951 or Ellen at 320-7990 for more information.			

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 30, 2022



GOD'S MERCY

It is difficult for us to comprehend God's mercy. We are constrained by own experience of and often-limited willingness to be patient and forgiving. God loves all of creation and desires that we fulfill our call, glorifying our Lord in all we do. Yet we often fall short of this great purpose. We get lost in the pursuit of worldly things and lose sight of what really matters. Then, when we realize our failings, we falter, uncertain that we can really be forgiven. Today's readings invite us to deepen our trust in God's great kindness with the assurance that, as Jesus did with Zacchaeus, God waits with open arms when we turn away from our sinfulness. Let us grow in belief in Christ who came to seek and to save what was lost.

THE LORD HEARS THE CRY OF THE POOR

Zacchaeus was a tax collector and wealthy man; it is likely he had amassed his wealth by charging more taxes than were due. While materially wealthy, he was derided by his fellow Jews, known as a sinner, isolated from the company of his people. He had become curious about Jesus. So much so that he climbed a tree to see Jesus as he passed by. And from that vantage point, he saw his weaknesses and failings clearly. When Jesus called, he responded, a changed man. Are we ready to go up in a tree of prayer and reflections, peer into our hearts and lives, and grow in readiness to change?

COME DOWN QUICKLY

"Come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house." Jesus' call to Zacchaeus was likely as surprising to Zacchaeus as it was to those who watched this encounter. The Gospel story is not only about Zacchaeus' change of heart. It is also about Jesus' eagerness to bring Zacchaeus into the fold, to show him mercy and forgiveness., to seek and to save what was lost." Jesus calls us out of our sinfulness, too. He is ready to forgive and to stay with us, to be near to us as we embrace new life as his disciples. Zacchaeus claimed his sinfulness and named what he would do to repair his relationship with God and others. This is what we do in the sacrament of Reconciliation - we name our sins, make a promise to do penance, repair our relationship with God and others, and receive forgiveness, restored in our relationship with Christ. Reflect on Zacchaeus' example: what failings and sinfulness do you need to claim? Are you ready to hear Jesus' call to you? Come down quickly. Receive the mercy of the Lord and Know that salvation can be yours.

"The Son of Man has come to seek
and to save what was lost."

Luke 19:10

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Zacchaeus in the Sycamore
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If you could use some assistance with shopping, picking up of an item or materials; or could use assistance with most anything, please feel free to reach out to a Knight. Call Mike Hardcastle (415) 465-3565 or visit the Knights of Columbus website at kofc5210.org.



SVDP FOOD CUPBOARD Small parish hall

Tuesday, November 1st, 1:00 - 2:00pm
Thursday, November 3rd, 1:00-2:00pm
Saturday, November 5th, 9:30am - 11:00am



SVDP St. Angela Merici Food Cupboard

Again this year our Parish Food Cupboard will be providing special Thanksgiving food to our neighbor in need. Thanksgiving baskets will be given out Tuesday, November 22nd, to families who might otherwise lack the resources for food to celebrate this day. We will also provide ready-to-eat hams and other treats for our clients without cooking facilities.

We expect to provide 50 baskets containing a turkey and everything needed for a Thanksgiving dinner. The cost for this is about \$50.00 per basket.

If you would like to help us to continue this important ministry, your monetary donation in any amount would be greatly appreciated. Please make your check out to "St. Vincent de Paul" and note "Thanksgiving Food" on the memo line. Checks can be placed in the collection basket at Mass or dropped off at the Parish Office.

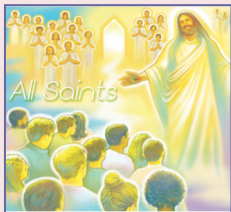
Questions? Call Angie at 412-953-4813.

Remembering our Loved Ones in November



During the month of November the Church remembers all those who have died. As part of our remembrance, we invite you to cut the leaves above and write on them the names of members of your family who have died. Leaves may be placed anywhere around the pictures that have been brought in. If you need more leaves, please refer to the bulletin on our website.

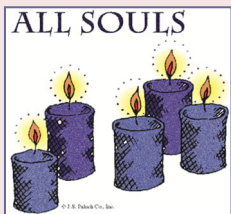
JOIN US



All Saints Day

This Tuesday, November 1st,

Masses 8:30am and 6:30pm



All Souls Day

This Wednesday, November 2nd,

Mass at 8:30am and

evening prayer 6:30pm



Our Lady of Fatima

will be holding a Luncheon,

Bacalhau (Cod Fish) and

Whist Card Party on Sunday,

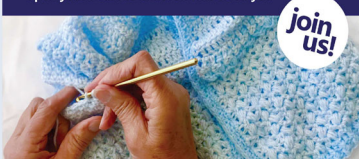
November 6th, 2022, at

1:00pm, in the parish large

hall. There will also be a raffle and auction. The price is \$15.00 per person.

Please come join us! ALL ARE WELCOME!

Open your heart to children who need you



We hope you'll join us for our 7th annual baby shower benefitting local under-resourced infants served by the Christ Child Society of Monterey Bay.

Shower of Love

Saturday, November 5
10am to noon

MacMahon Center
at the Carmel Mission

**Scan for more
information and
a Shower of Love
Shopping List**



Serra Club Monterey Meeting
Monday, November 7th,
6:00 pm, Parish Hall

Serra Club members are "Prayer Warriors" for Religious vocations. We are delighted to welcome Jordan Lewis as our guest speaker at the next Serra next Serra Club meeting, Monday, November 7th, St. Angela Merici Parish Hall at 6:00pm.

All are welcome!

PALMA SCHOOL
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**Palma School Open House on Sunday,
November 6th**

Palma School, a Catholic school for boys in grades 6 through 12, will be holding their Open House on Sunday, November 6th from noon to 2:00 pm. Families interested in exploring the campus, talking to faculty and students and discovering the power of a Palma education are invited to attend. Palma School is located at 919 Iverson Street in a quiet Salinas neighborhood. For more information, please visit palmaschool.org.



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TRANSITIONAL KINDERGARTEN AND KINDERGARTEN: AN INSIDE LOOK

Thursday, November 3rd, 5:30 - 6:30 PM, On Campus

FALL OPEN HOUSE FOR ALL GRADES

Tuesday, November 8th, 8:00 - 11:00 AM, On Campus

- Get a feel for who we are, what we do, and why we're different
- Learn about our application process and financial aid programs

Please email Carolyn at schanzer@sancarlosschool.org for reservations.

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REMEMBER NEXT WEEKEND, November 5th/6th, there will be a Natural Disaster Relief Special Collection. Please be as generous as you can.



GIVING THANKS FOR OUR BLESSINGS

Gratitude Reflection Sheets are available in the Library and the Vestibule. We are creating a Gratitude Binder for the month of November.

Please complete the Gratitude Reflections and bring them back (to the office, or give them to Jordan). We have so much to be grateful for!



We will be continuing to collect photographs of deceased members that you are welcome to bring in. These photos will be placed on the Altar of Remembrance. You can bring photographs to the vestibule of the Church and place them in the marked box. Be sure to have your name and address somewhere on the photo so that we may return them to you. If you are unable to bring the photos on a weekend, you can also drop them in the parish office during regular hours.



LET US KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

*Alexander, Rachael and Family *Laura Abihider
 *Lori Adragna *Tony Ayres, *Velma Balestreri
 *Meri Bautch, *Dave Bergstrand, *Connie Bettencourt,
 *Laurie Boyce, Marty Burgoon, *Salome Cabral,
 *Michael Carlos, *Delia Cohen, *Anthony Crivello
 *Maria Jesus Davis, *Eloina Diaz, *Keeyana Donaldson,
 *Moojan Donaldson, *Maria Emerson, *John Ford,
 *Fran Francis, *Joanne Garden, *Peg Gerba,
 *Adam Gogarty *Maison Gomez, *Viri Gomez,
 *Betsy Gowan, *Rita Gurs *Christy Gveblo,
 *Ernie Hazard, *Sara Hernandez, *Charlie Hunt,
 *Beth Jordan, *Amy King, *Elizabeth Lawton,
 *Ron Lohr, *Marie Mahoney, *Andrew McCauley,
 *Roland Mainz, *Martha Martinez *Maria Miguel,
 *Joe and Joyce Nunes *Barry Parker, *Ruben Parra,
 *Marianne Powers, *Lucas Ramsey
 *JoAnn Riso, *Yvonne Scardina, *Carolyn Schenk,
 *Madison Schaffner, *Anna Marie Amaral Silva,
 *Angelique Simmons *Karen Smith, *Clara Torres
 *Catherine Vogel, *Paulette Walker

SUNDAY WEEKLY COLLECTION

weekend of October 23rd, 2022

Sunday Weekly Collection: \$ 4,766.75
 Electronic Funds: \$ 2,787.00
 Total: \$ 7,553.75

Weekly Budgeted Goal: \$7,307.00

Donations for World Mission Sunday were \$313.00

Thank you for your donations as they are appreciated.

Saturday, October 29th, 5:00pm

+Maria Andrade - Diana and Brian Starn
 +Arturo Gonzalez - Kristina Knutson
 +All Souls in purgatory - Kristina Knutson



Sunday, October 30th, 8:00am

+Arturo Gonzalez - Kristina Knutson
 +All Souls in purgatory - Kristina Knutson

Sunday, October 30th, 10:00am

+Angela, Eleanor, Jack and Peter Balesteri
 +Michele Ikuta-Alvarado - Husband
 +Margarida Azevedo - Joe and Fatima Melo and Family

Sunday, October 30th, 12Noon

+Jose Silva - The Cardoso Family
 +Sebastian Billante - Anna Catalano
 +Maria Neves Silva - Leonor Azevedo

Tuesday, November 1st, 8:30am

+Carmen Carini - Family
 +Dan Foley

Tuesday, November 1st, 6:30pm

+Geary Lewis - Cindy and Jordan

Wednesday, November 2nd, 8:30am

+All the Faithful Departed

Wednesday, November 2nd, 6:30pm, evening prayer

Thursday, November 3rd, 8:30am

+Mateus and Mariana Rodrigues - Maria Miguel
 (daughter)

Friday, November 4th, 8:30am

Judy Bywater
 +Jose, Mateus and Larry S. Rodrigues

Saturday, November 5th, 5:00pm

+Alice Quisno - Keith (son)
 +Deceased members of the Aiello Family - Aiello
 Family
 +Bobbe Brawn - Jeff, Nanci, Laurie and Miles

Sunday, November 6th, 8:00am

Judy Bywater
 +Mateus and Mariana Rodrigues - Maria Miguel
 (daughter)

Sunday, November 6th, 10:00am

+Angela, Eleanor, Jack and Peter Balesteiri
 +Michele Ikuta-Alvarado - Husband
 +Ann Powers - Eileen Colwell

Sunday, November 6th, 12Noon

+Guiseppe Catalano - Wife
 +Guiseppe and Cristina Manuguerra - Daughter
 +Sebastian Billante - Anna Catalano



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