



# CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

1040 Alameda de las Pulgas Belmont CA 94002

July 24, 2022

*You were buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead.*

— Colossians 2:12

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Closed Friday

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Phone: (650) 593-2344

### THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

**Weekday Mass Monday-Saturday**

8:15am

#### Sunday Masses

Saturday 5:00pm

Sunday 7:30am; 9:30am; 11:30am

Sunday 4:00pm Traditional Latin Mass

Our 9:30am Sunday Mass is livestreamed on our website at [www.ihmbelmont.org](http://www.ihmbelmont.org)

**Holy Communion/Confession/Anointing for the Sick and Homebound**

650-593-6157

#### Confession

Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 pm



## SACRAMENTS

### BAPTISM:

Baptisms take place the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 1:00pm. Parents wishing to have their child baptized should call the Parish Office approximately 2 months before the desired date to schedule the baptism and to schedule participation in our Baptismal Preparation Program. The preparation may be done before the birth of the child.

### MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made six months before the tentative date of the marriage by calling the Parish Office.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

This sacrament is for those who are elderly, seriously ill, or scheduled for surgery. Please contact the Parish Office for current protocols. If in hospital, request the Catholic Chaplain or a priest from the Parish in which the hospital is located, through the nursing station.





**Luke 11:1** *Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray just as John taught his disciples."*

**Luke 11:9-10** *"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened."*

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Faith must be sustained if it is to bear fruit. The flames must be kept burning brightly, otherwise they will grow dim and even go out. We can never afford to be presumptuous in this regard. As we go through life, we begin to realize what attacks faith. There are basically three ways to lose the faith: 1.) Quit praying; 2.) Commit mortal sins; 3.) Never study the faith. Usually, the loss of faith is the result of one or more of the above - sometimes all three at once.

Of all the ways to grow in faith, prayer is most important. Faith is a relationship with God that is personal, real, trusting and inexhaustible. It either grows deeper or lessens. There is no in between. Therefore, a disciple of the Lord takes seriously his prayer life. It is not just something done now and then, nor when there is a crisis. It is not just a good feeling that comes and goes. No, prayer is to beg God in a personal way that He come into my life, remain there, guide me, strengthen me, and enlighten me. As St. John the Baptist said: "He must increase; I must decrease."

In Luke 11:1 the disciples clearly had a taste or desire to pray better. They had witnessed Jesus at prayer. They wanted to be like Him but didn't yet know how to go about it. Therefore, they asked the master teacher how to pray. It is at this point that Jesus prays the "Our Father," which we often call the Lord's Prayer. We pray this prayer together right before Holy Communion. It is the one prayer that unites most Christians. It is so simple yet profound beyond description. Each section is worth study. Consult the Catechism of the Catholic Church for a wonderful explanation and application of this prayer of prayers.

In Luke 11:9-10 Jesus presents a basic aspect of all prayer: supplication. God never tires of hearing from us and about us. He never thinks we are boring. He is always listening to us as we must learn to listen to Him. Therefore, to storm heaven with our prayers is never out of place. Why? Because Jesus told us so. We must persevere in prayer always and everywhere all the days of our lives. We cannot grow weary of prayer if we wish never to grow weary.

Yours in the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Fr. Mark G. Mazza, Pastor



## Mass Intentions

**The 2023 Mass Book  
will be open for scheduling August 1st, 2022**

One of the greatest acts of charity is to pray for the living and the dead, and the greatest and most powerful prayer we have is the Mass, since the fruits of the Mass are the very fruits of Jesus' redemption. For that reason, all are encouraged to have Mass offered for loved ones who have died, or even for the living who have some need. This is an ancient Christian practice, and all are encouraged to utilize it.

**Guidelines for Offering a Mass**—A deceased loved one \* A living person who is sick or suffering \* A living person who is celebrating a birthday, anniversary or other special moment in their life \* In thanksgiving to God (including the Lord Jesus or the Holy Spirit)

### Setting a Mass Intention at IHM

- To set a Mass intention we encourage the request to be made in person during regular office hours.
- A limit of one individual name per mass or one family name per mass
- One Mass per week will be designated "for the People of IHM."
- We encourage consideration of others when scheduling more than 1 mass at a time.

### Donation

The normal suggested donation for a Mass intention is \$10.00. Please make checks payable Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



### MASS INTENTIONS: July 24th through July 30th

Sunday, July 24	7:30AM Norman Tidd 9:00AM Redempta Cervero 11:30AM People of Waukesha WI 4:00 PM For the People
Monday, July 25	8:15 AM Int. of the Celebrant
Tuesday, July 26	8:15 AM Don Krueger
Wednesday, July 27	8:15 AM Int. of the Celebrant
Thursday, July 28	8:15 AM Int. of the Celebrant
Friday, July 29	8:15 AM John "Jack" Gaddis
Saturday, July 30	8:15 AM Hermann Horn 5:00 PM Barbara Thielen

### Celebrants

#### Weekend of July 30th/31st

Saturday, July 30	5:00pm Fr. Mazza
Sunday, July 31	7:30am Fr. MacDonald 9:30am Fr. Mazza 11:30am Fr. Mazza 4:00pm Fr. Mazza

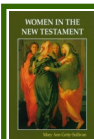
### FUNERALS

**+Norman Tidd funeral Mass  
Friday, July 29th at 11:00am**

#### LOOK AROUND YOU

*To see the world in a grain of sand  
and a heaven in a wildflower,  
hold infinity in the palm of your hand  
and eternity in an hour.*

—William Blake



**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**  
**"Women in the New Testament"**  
**BEGINS AUGUST 25TH**  
**7-8:30PM In the Discovery Room**

If you would like to participate, please email  
laveille.voss@comcast.net by July 31st.

### SECOND COLLECTION

July 24th—Archdiocesan Annual Appeal  
July 31st—St. Vincent de Paul

**2022 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL**  
*"As I have done for you, you should also do."*

John 13:15

**IHM GOAL: \$56,616**  
**Collected to date: \$28,605**

### THE MARK OF THE MAKER

If things created are so full of loveliness, how resplendent must be the One who made them! The wisdom of the Worker is apparent in such handiwork. —St. Anthony of Padua

**Parishioners and the joyful sound of  
conversation and laughter filled  
St. Michael's Hall!**

Thank you to everyone who made the July 17th Social Participation event so special! From our Jubilee coordinators, the food donors, the table hosts, the set up and clean up crew as well as all of YOU! We are looking forward to celebrating with you again in the near future!



**DIAMOND JUBILEE**  
**75th Anniversary**  
**Saturday, October 8th, 2022**



**Registration for Faith Formation  
(including preparation for First  
Communion and Confirmation)  
continues!**

Families with students in Pre-K (age 4) through grade 12 are welcome to join! Registration information can be found on the parish website: [www.ihmbelmont.org/registration](http://www.ihmbelmont.org/registration)

For more information on Faith Formation, contact Robyn Lang at the Faith Formation Office, 650-593-6157 x1022



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<b>LOS GATOS</b> .....720 Blossom Hill Road (Corner of El Camino and Townsend Drive)	<b>BELMONT</b> .....1085 Alameda de las Pulgas (Corner of Redwood Ave. and Alameda)
<b>BURLINGAME</b> .....1825 El Camino Real (Corner of Skyline Blvd. and San Bruno Ave.)	<b>REDWOOD CITY</b> .....400 Woodside Rd. (Between Carlton and Union Avenues)
<b>SAN BRUNO</b> .....2801 San Bruno Avenue (Gentry and Pleasant Hill Rd.)	<b>FD 879</b>
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